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SMOKER'S STAND

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1 Claim. (Cl. 131—51)

This invention relates to improvements in smokers' stands.

One object of this invention is to provide a smoker's stand including a funnel and ash container unit removably mounted in a standard.

Another object of this invention is to provide a smoker's stand including a funnel and tubular ash container unit mounted for varied height adjustment in a standard.

Another object of this invention is to provide a smoker's stand as a plurality of easily-assembled units, which can be readily and compactly packed in disassembled form for shipment.

With the above and other objects in view, this invention includes all improvements over the prior art which are disclosed in this application.

In the accompanying drawing, in which one way of carrying out the invention is shown for illustrative purposes:

Fig. 1 is a sectional elevation illustrating one form of smoker's stand embodying the invention;

Fig. 2 is an elevation of the smoker's stand shown in Fig. 1, with the funnel and container unit shown in broken lines in an elevated position;

Fig. 3 is an elevation of the funnel and container unit alone; and

Fig. 4 is a top plan view of the upper end of the standard.

Referring to the drawing, 10 is a weighted base-member which may be a casting, and provided with a screw-threaded opening 11 with which the standard 12 may be connected by means of the screw-threaded lower end 13 of the standard being screwed into the threaded opening 11. The standard 12 is preferably formed of a metal tube such, for example, as brass, and has an annular enlargement 14 adjacent the screw-threaded end 13 so that when screwed into engagement with the base-member 10, the annular enlargement 14 is adapted to engage against a cover-shell 15 which may be of ornamental character, and hold the cover-shell in assembled relation upon the base 10.

The upper end of the tubular standard 12 is provided with a screw-threaded portion 16 having a plurality of vertical slots 17. A clamping-ring 18 having an internal screw-threaded surface 19 of general frusto-conical form is adapted to screw upon the screw-threaded end 16 and spring the slotted portion of the end 16 inward to various sized openings, depending upon how far down the clamping-ring 18 is screwed.

Extending down into the tubular standard 12 is a tubular ash container 20 which may be formed of a tube of any suitable metal such, for example, as brass, and in the instance shown is provided with longitudinal depressions 21 in its outer surface. The lower end of the tubular ash container 20 is contracted and screw-threaded at 22, and has internally threadedly connected therewith a cup-like closure-member or cap 23.

The ash container 20 has a threaded upper end 24 the interior of which is threadedly engaged by the threaded lower portion 25 of an ash funnel 26 having any suitable number of rests 27 for holding cigars, cigarettes, or the like.

It will be observed that the ash container unit made in accordance with this invention has an ash funnel 26 with an ash container 20 depending from the funnel and having a closure-cap 23, to form a single unit which may be slid upwardly or downwardly to any desired adjusted position within the standard 12 to bring the rest portions 27 at any desired height for use.

It will also be observed that by sliding the combined ash funnel and container upward and entirely out of engagement with the standard 12, that the ash funnel and container may be carried as a unit and be readily dumped to get rid of ashes and the like from the container, whereupon it may be readily replaced back in position in the standard. When necessary or desired, the closure-member 23 can be readily removed from the ash container 20, to aid in emptying the ashes therefrom.

Due to the simple construction embodying a base, a shell-cover thereover, a standard, an ash container tube 20 and funnel 26, which are all readily capable of being assembled and disassembled by a mere engagement or disengagement of a few screw-threaded connections, that the device can be readily disassembled into compact form for shipment, after which it can be readily and quickly reassembled as a complete smoker's stand ready for use.

The invention may be carried out in other specific ways than that herein set forth without departing from the spirit and essential characteristics of the invention, and the present embodiment is therefore to be considered in all respects as illustrative and not restrictive, and all changes coming within the meaning and equivalency range of the appended claim are intended to be embraced therein.

I claim:

A smoker's stand including: a base; a tubular standard connected to and extending upward from said base and having its upper end split; an ash-funnel having a depending ash-container

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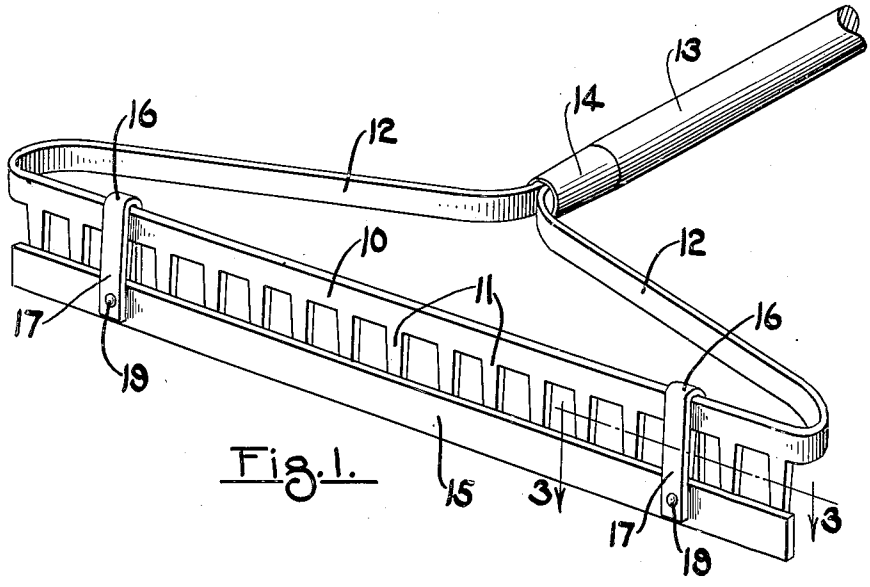


Fig. 1.

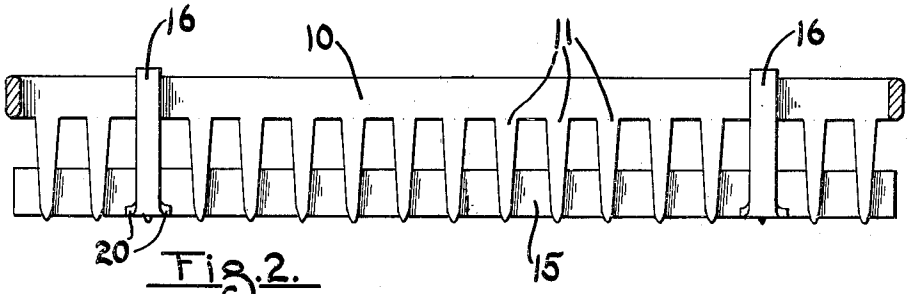


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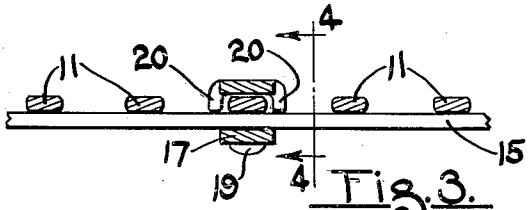


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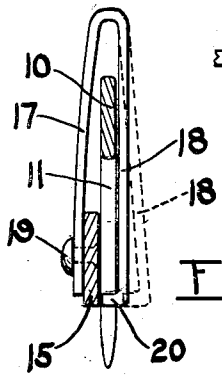


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