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Fig. 1.

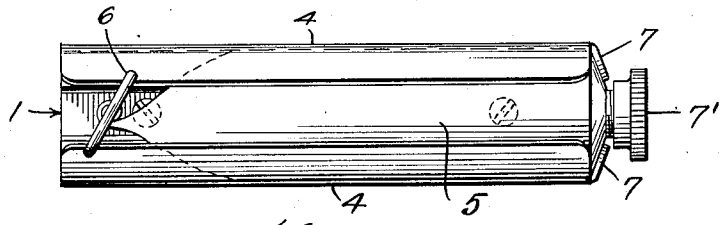


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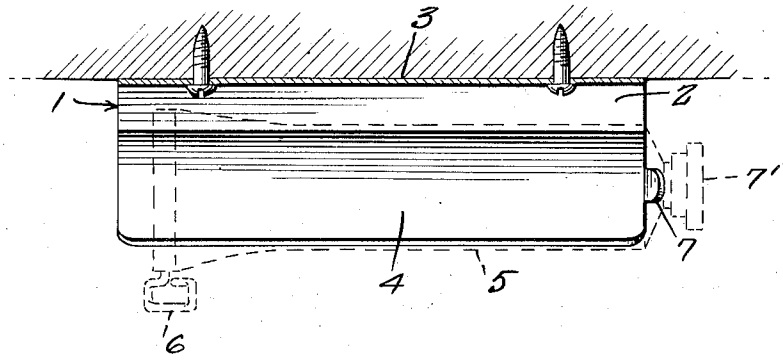
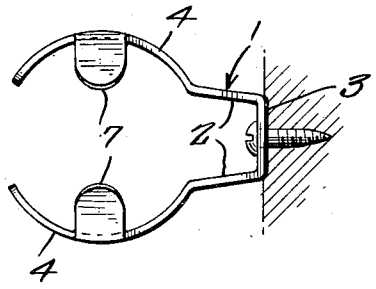


Fig. 3.



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This invention relates to a holder, providing an efficient support for a collapsible tube containing tooth paste or other toilet materials, eliminating the present practice of squeezing the tube with the fingers and the laying around of the tube in a bathroom when not in use. The primary object of the invention is the provision of a device of this character operating in conjunction with a key applied to the tube, whereby dispensing of the tube content may be conveniently had as needed and is so constructed as to permit a tube to be easily installed and removed therefrom when empty.

With these and other objects in view, this invention consists in certain novel features of construction, combination and arrangement of parts to be hereinafter more fully described and claimed.

For a complete understanding of my invention, reference is to be had to the following description and accompanying drawing, in which

Figure 1 is a side elevation illustrating a holder constructed in accordance with my invention and showing a collapsible tube mounted therein.

Figure 2 is a longitudinal sectional view illustrating the same.

Figure 3 is an end elevation, partly in section, illustrating the holder.

Referring in detail to the drawing, the numeral 1 indicates an elongated base including spaced walls 2 and an attaching wall 3 apertured to receive screws or like fasteners for securing the device to a wall or like support. Integral with the walls 2 are arcuately curved opposed tube supporting elements 4 in which may be positioned a collapsible tube 5. Opposing edges of the elements 4 are spaced through which a key 6 of the tube 5 may project. Tongues or ears 7 are integral with the members 4 at one end of the holder and abut the tube adjacent the discharge neck thereof to prevent the tube from moving out of the holder endwise of the latter during the winding of the key for the purpose of collapsing the tube upon itself for dispensing the contents. The tube may be readily inserted in the holder from the open end thereof by first removing the cap 7' of the tube. The tube after being installed in the holder with the cap applied thereto is prevented from endwise movement out of the tube due to the ears 7 abutting the end of the tube or the cap 7'.

A device of the character described will be cheap to manufacture and may be sold at a low cost. Also the device is readily adaptable to some support within a bathroom and will efficiently support a collapsible tube, ready to have its content dispensed when needed.

Having described the invention, I claim:

1. A tube holder comprising a pair of opposed arcuately curved supporting members to receive a collapsible tube with the discharge end of the latter projecting beyond said members and with a key of said tube projecting outwardly of said members, an attaching portion including spaced walls integral with said members and an attaching wall integrally connecting said spaced walls and apertured to receive fasteners for securing the latter-named wall to a support.

2. A tube holder comprising a pair of opposed arcuately curved supporting members to receive a collapsible tube with the discharge end of the latter projecting beyond said members and with a key of said tube projecting outwardly of said members, an attaching portion including spaced walls integral with said members and an attaching wall integrally connecting said spaced walls and apertured to receive fasteners for securing the latter-named wall to a support, and ears integral with said members to engage the discharge end of the tube.

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