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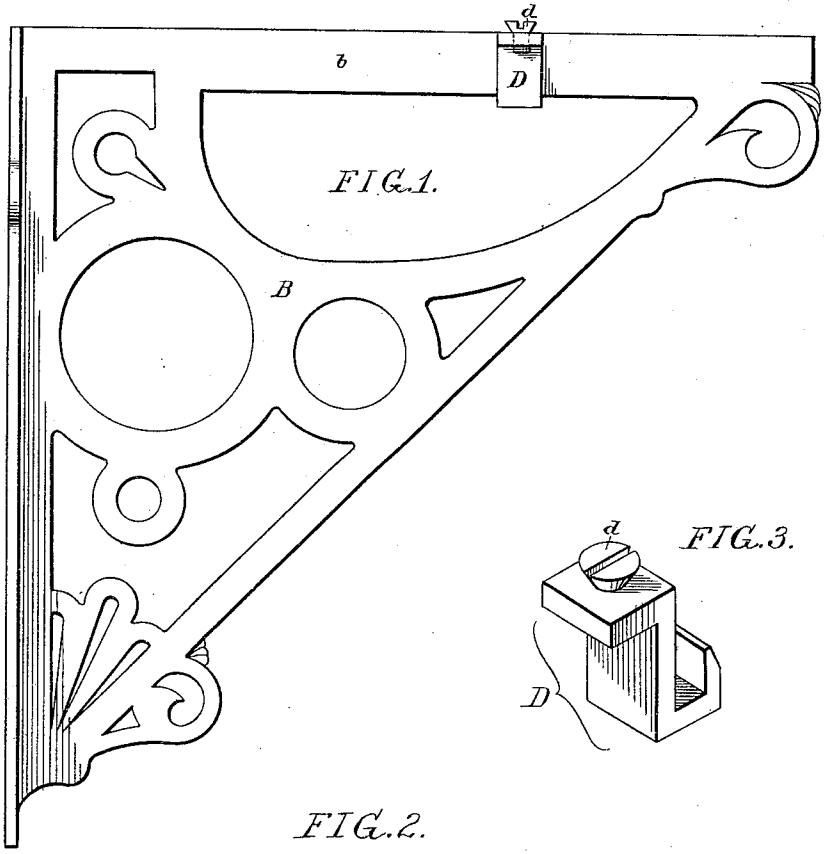


FIG. 1.

FIG. 3.

FIG. 2.

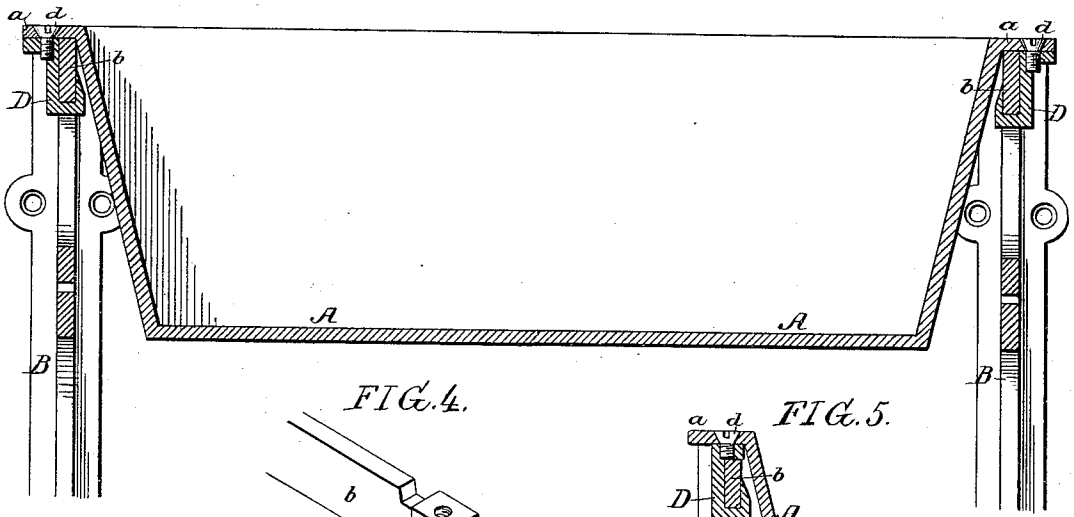


FIG. 4.

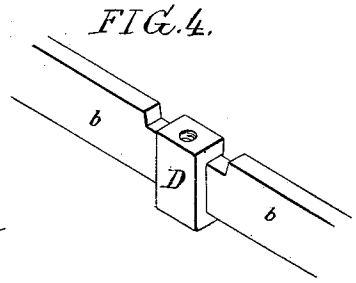


FIG. 5.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, FITCH TAYLOR, a citizen of the United States, residing in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, have invented certain Improvements in Brackets for Sinks, of which the following is a specification.

The object of my invention is to provide a simple, cheap, and efficient means of securing the end flanges at the top of a sink to the top bars of the supporting-brackets, and this object I attain in the manner which I will now proceed to describe, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a side view showing my improved device for confining the flange of the sink to the bracket; Fig. 2, a transverse section showing the sink and both of the brackets; Fig. 3, a perspective view, on a larger scale, of the confining device detached from the bracket and sink; and Figs. 4 and 5, views showing a modified form of bracket and confining device.

A represents an ordinary kitchen-sink having top flanges, *a a*, at each end; and B B are the opposite supporting-brackets, on the top bars, *b*, of which the end flanges, *a a*, of the sink rest, as shown in Fig. 2. In order to confine the flanges vertically to said top bars of the supporting-bracket I use clamps D, which embrace the lower edges of the bars *b* of the brackets, and are secured to the flanges *a* of the sink by means of screws or bolts *d*. These confining-clamps thus provide a simple and efficient means of confining the sink to the brackets and simplify and cheapen the construction of said brackets, inasmuch as they render unnecessary the formation of a double or slotted top bar on the bracket, as in devices of this class formerly manufactured.

The clamp D may have at the top a flange projecting outwardly, as shown in Fig. 3, or the flange may project inwardly, as shown in Figs. 4 and 5, the top bar of the bracket in this case being recessed, as shown, for the reception of said flange.

I claim as my invention—

The combination of the sink having end flanges and the opposite supporting-brackets, with clamps D, bolted to said end flanges of the sink and embracing the top bars of the supporting-brackets, all substantially as specified.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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