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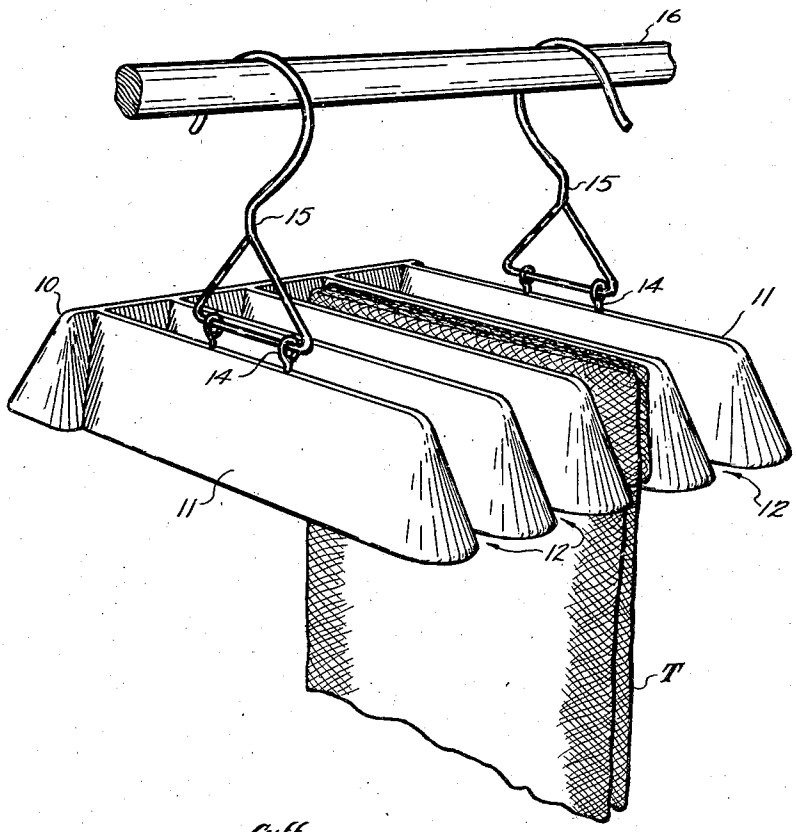


Fig. 1

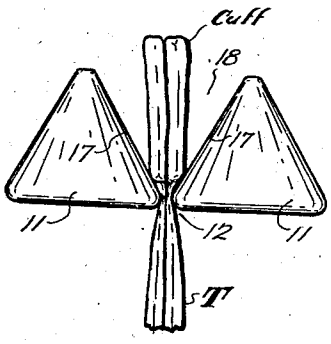


Fig. 2

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GARMENT HANGER

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1 Claim. (Cl. 211—113)

This application relates to garment hangers and more particularly to garment hangers of the type useful for hanging such garments as trousers.

For an understanding of the garment or trouser hanger hereof, reference should be had to the specification as follows and to the appended drawing. In this drawing:

Fig. 1 shows the hanger as if hung on a horizontal clothes pole;

Fig. 2 is a side view of Fig. 1.

The multiple trouser hanger hereof comprises a support bar 10 and a plurality of parallel, spaced, free-ended hanger bars 11 connected thereto, the assembly being generally shaped like a comb with the support bar simulating the back of the comb and the hanger bar simulating the teeth of the comb. Between the hanger bars are slots or spaces 12 which are designed to accommodate snugly the free ends of pairs of trouser legs introduced into these spaces through the free ends of the slots between the hanger bars. The trouser legs received in the hanger space are indicated by the letter T.

On the upper surfaces of the end ones of the hanger bars are hook eyes 14 journalling hooks 15 aranged to hang the hanger on a horizontal clothes pole 16, with the hanger horizontal and with the hanger bars below and extending across the clothes pole. The connection between the hooks 15 and hook eyes 14 is a journal connection enabling the hooks 15 to be swung to the position of Figure 1 for hanging the hanger on a clothes pole or down flat for shipment of the hanger.

The hanger bars are arranged with non-parallel non-vertical sides 17 defining enlarged spaces 18 at and above the slots 12 between the adjacent edges of the hanger bars 11 for receiving cuffs of the trouser legs disposed in and depending through the slots 12.

The hanger hereof is extremely simple in construction, does not require the use of springs, jaws, clamps, wire loops or the like commonly found in present known hangers, may be made more inexpensively than present known multiple hangers, may be made more inexpensively than a supply of present known individual hangers constituting the equivalent in capacity of the multiple hanger hereof, provides a simple method of hanging trousers, is particularly useful because it hangs from a clothes pole found in practically every closet, is readily attachable to and detachable from such clothes pole, but does not have to be removed from the clothes pole to permit the hanging or removal of trousers, may be manipulated for hanging or removal of trousers without disturbing other trousers then hanging on the hanger, and requires no manipulation of the hanger itself during the act of hanging or removing a pair of trousers.

Now having described the multiple trouser hanger hereof, reference will be had to the claim which follows for a determination of the invention hereof.

I claim:

A multiple trouser hanger comprising a support bar, and a plurality of parallel spaced free ended hanger bars connected thereto, and separated relatively by slots, the support bar and the hanger bars forming a rigid unitary structure, the slots or spaces between the hanger bars being designed to accommodate snugly the free ends of pairs of trouser legs introduced into the spaces through the free ends of the slots between the hanger bars, and hooks at the end hanger bars for hanging the hanger on a horizontal clothes pole, with the hanger horizontal, and with the hanger bars below and extending across the clothes pole, the hanger bars having non-parallel non-vertical sides whereby the slots or spaces between them have narrow parts and wider parts above the narrow parts, the wider parts receiving cuffs of the trouser legs disposed in and depending through the narrow parts of the slots.

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