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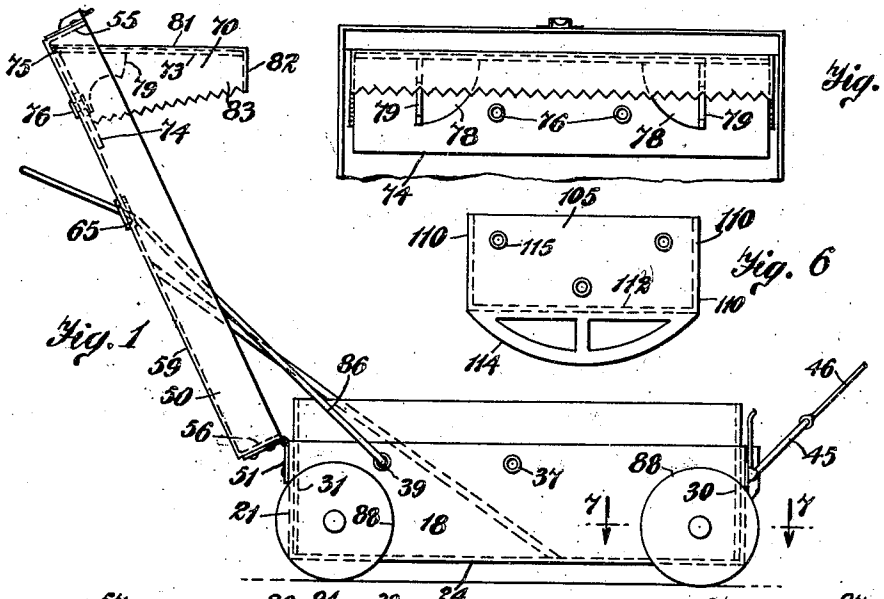


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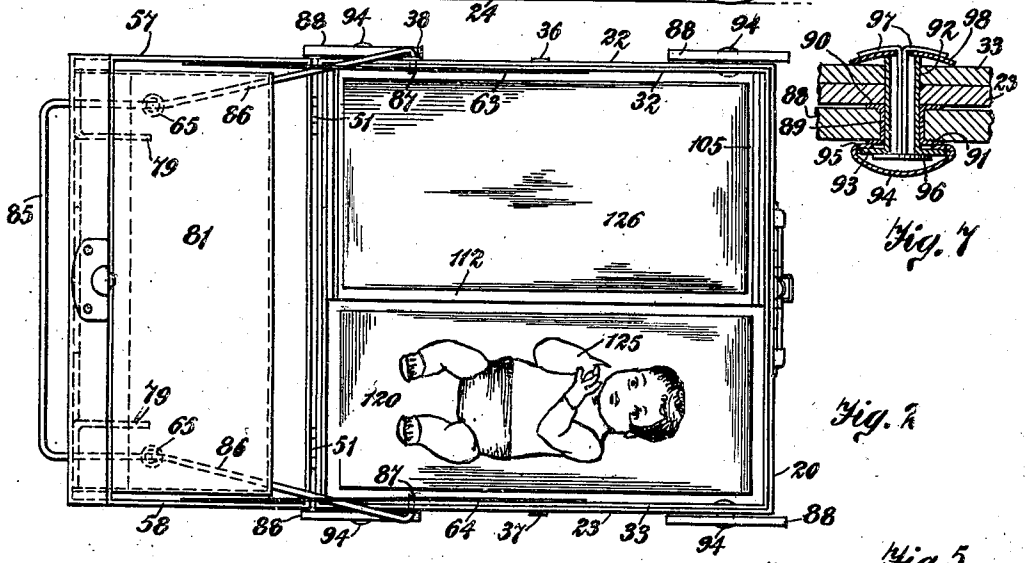


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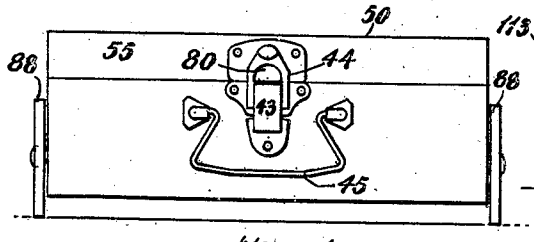


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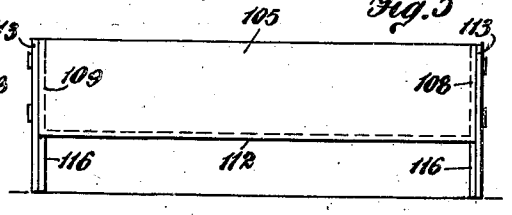


Fig. 5

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This invention relates to a combined doll's valise and baby carriage.

The object of the invention is the production of a doll's valise, which can be converted to function as a baby carriage, and which can be moved by a handle member extending to the rear of the valise, or which can be pulled by means of a strap or cord connected to the handle at the front of said valise.

The second object of the invention is the production of a valise which has detachable wheels journaled thereto.

The third object of the invention is the production of a doll's valise having a body portion with a cover and which body portion is adapted to hold a cradle, a doll and clothing for the latter.

In the accompanying drawing Fig. 1 shows a side view of the combined doll's valise and baby carriage in its open position; Fig. 2 represents a top view of Fig. 1; Fig. 3 is a right hand view of a fragmentary portion of Fig. 1; Fig. 4 shows a front view of the combined doll's valise and baby carriage in closed position; Fig. 5 shows a side view of a cradle; Fig. 6 is an end view of Fig. 5; and Fig. 7 indicates an enlarged section of Fig. 1 on the line 7, 7.

The valise comprises the body portion 18, having the outer front wall 20, the outer rear wall 21, the outer side walls 22 and 23 and the bottom wall 24. With the body portion is also indicated the inner front wall 30, the inner rear wall 31 and the inner side walls 32 and 33. The walls 30, 31, 32 and 33 extend above the walls of the outer body portion. The walls 22 and 32 are connected by the eyelet 36 and the walls 23 and 33 are connected by a similar eyelet 37. Through the side walls 22 and 32 extends the eyelet 38 and through the side walls 23 and 33 extends the eyelet 39.

To the front wall 20 is fastened the body portion 43 of a latch and its swinging locking member 44. A handle 45 is hinged to the wall 20, and a strap or cord 46 may extend from said handle.

To the body portion 18 is hinged the cover 50, by means of the hinges 51. The cover is shown with the front wall 55, the rear wall 56, the side walls 57 and 58 and the top wall 59. The walls 32 and 57 are connected by the band 63, and the walls 33 and 58 are connected by the band 64. Through the top wall 59 of the cover extend the similar eyelets 65.

To the top wall 59 of the cover 50 is adjustably connected a hood 70, which comprises the normally horizontal member 73 and the member 74 inclined thereto. At the junction of the members 73 and 74 is indicated the curved connecting portion 75. In this instance the member 74 of the hood 70 is fastened to the wall 59 of the cover 50, by means of the eyelets 76. The member 74 is cut away as indicated at 78 to form the supporting members 79. The latter in the present exemplification are shown at right angles to the member 74 to support the member 73, but can be swung in line with the member 74, to be enabled to lower the member 73.

To the front wall 55 of the cover 50 is fastened the upper member 80 of the latch. A cover or curtain comprises the body portion 81, the depending front portion 82 and the depending side portions 83. The body portion 81 is fastened to the member 73.

A detachable supporting frame comprises the handle member 85 from which extend the side members 86. At the ends of the members 86 are shown hook members 87. When the valise is to function as a baby carriage with the cover 50 in its open position, as shown in Figs. 1 and 2, the side members 86 of the detachable supporting frame are passed through the eyelets 65, and the hook members 87 are forced into the eyelets 38 and 39. By this means the cover 50 is supported and maintained in its open position. In the open position of the cover 50, as described, a child can move the valise and baby carriage by grasping the handle member 85 or by pulling the rope 46. When the valise is in its closed position, as shown in Fig. 4, the frame having the handle member 85 may be placed therein.

Wheels for the body portion 18 are indicated at 88. Through each wheel tightly extends an eyelet 89 with the flanges 90 and 91. An eyelet 92 open at one end and having the head 93 extends through each eyelet 89, and through the adjacent pair of side walls 23 and 33 of the body portion 18. A cap 94 is indicated with the turned in flange 95. The latter bears against the head 93.

A fastener is shown with the head 96 and the flexible clamping members 97. The head 96 bears against the head 93 and the members 97 extend through the eyelet 92. A washer 98 bears against the inner side wall of the body portion 18 and has an opening for the clamping members 97, which extend through said opening and are detachably pressed against the outer face of the said washer 98.

It will be noted that each of the wheels can be easily detached from the body portion 18, by bending up the clamping members 97 and then pulling the wheels from said body portion. The wheels can then be placed in said body portion.

A cradle is designated in its entirety by the numeral 105. The said cradle comprises the body portion having the front wall 108, the rear wall 109, the side walls 110 and the bottom wall 112. To the front wall 108 and the rear wall 109 are fastened the end members 113 having the curved lower ends 114, by means of the eyelet 115. Reinforcing pads 116 are fastened to the end members 113.

In this instance the cradle 105 is indicated upside down in the body portion 18 of the valise to support it therein.

A pillow 120 is placed in the body portion and upon it is indicated a doll 125. Upon the bottom wall 112 of the cradle is indicated a package 126 which contains clothing (not shown) for the doll.

Various modifications may be made in the invention and the present exemplification is to be taken as illustrative and not limitative thereof.

Having described my invention, I claim:

1. The combination of a valise having a body portion, a cover hinged to said body portion, wheels journaled to the body portion, a detachable supporting frame connecting said body portion and said cover, with the latter in its open position, said frame comprising a handle member spaced from the outer face of the said cover, side members extending from the handle member passing through openings in said cover and a hook member at the end of each side member detachably locked to said body portion.

2. The combination of a valise comprising a body portion having a front wall, a rear wall, side walls and a bottom wall, a cover hinged to the rear wall of the body portion, an eyelet extending through each side wall of the body portion, a pair of eyelets extending through said cover, a supporting frame for the cover comprising a handle member positioned to the rear of said cover, side members extending from said handle member and extending through the eyelets of said cover, a hook member at the end of each side member extending through the eyelet of the adjacent side wall of the body portion to support and maintain the cover in its open position and wheels journaled to the body portion.

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