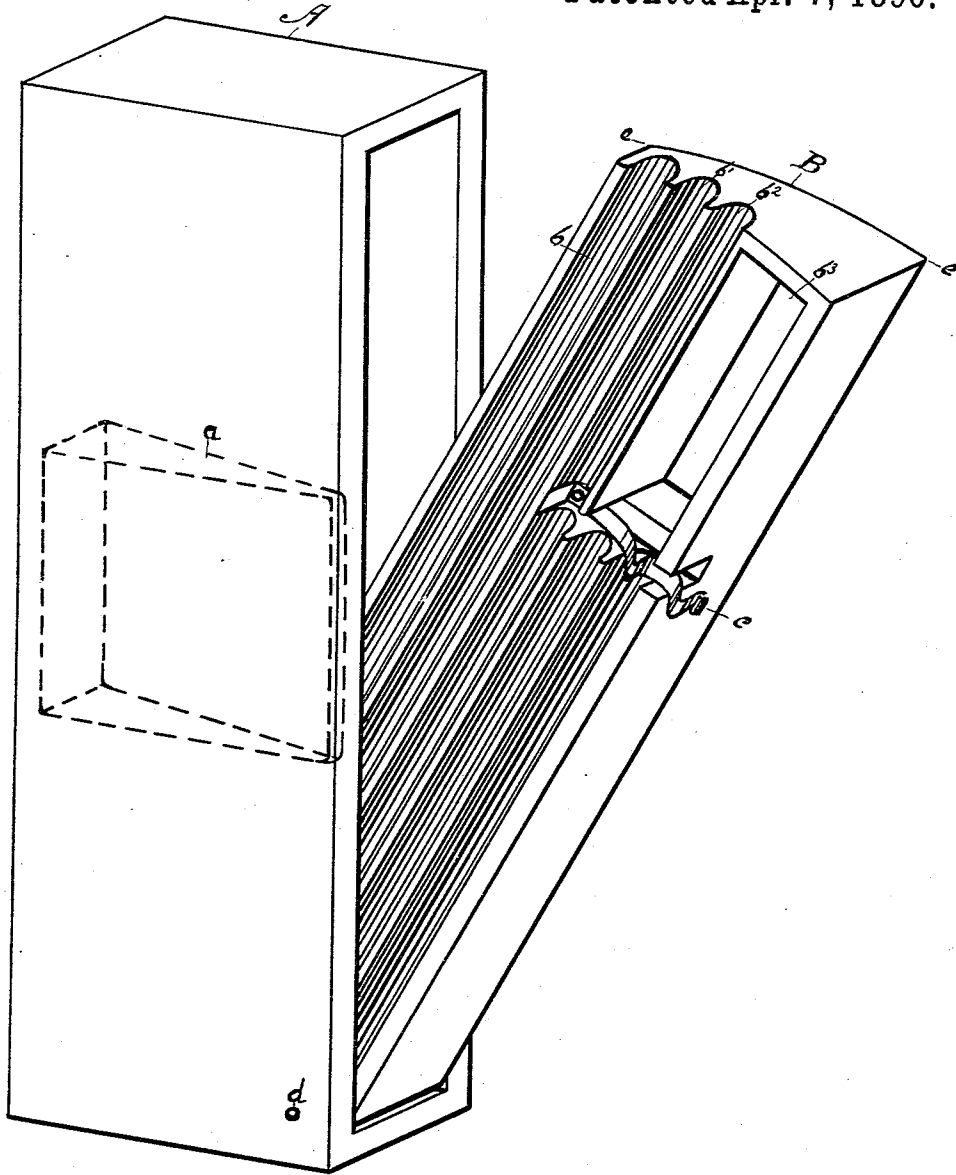


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ERNST PAPE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, have
5 invented a new and useful (Noiseless) Pencil-Case, of which the following is a specification.

The objects of the construction of this case are to hold in place each piece of writing or drawing material contained therein in order
10 to prevent the usual noise and breaking of these materials by their continuous contact; further, when fitted out with an ink vase or bottle, to prevent its incidental opening, and to improve the usual construction of these
15 cases for the sake of durability by a more compact construction. I attain these objects by constructing said case in form and manner illustrated in the accompanying drawing, in which said pencil-case—an oblong case with
20 drawer in wedge form provided with grooves in size adapted to writing and drawing materials—is drawn standing on the end to which said drawer is fastened by the pin upon which it revolves and with drawer open.

25 A is the incasement; B, the inner part or drawer; *a*, a bolster fastened underneath the top board of the incasement A; *b*, the grooves for the writing, &c., materials; *c*, a spring for holding the drawer B within the incasement
30 A; *d*, a pin upon which drawer B revolves.

The incasement is well joined and closed on all sides except on the side as the opening for the drawer. Underneath its top board is
35 thinner part toward the front, the thicker part

toward the back part of incasement A. The inner part or drawer B is also in wedge form, provided with grooves *b* as layers for writing and drawing materials, and with a spring *c*
40 for holding drawer B fast within the incasement A, and it is revolving when opened or closed on pin *d*, the latter being fastened in the incasement A. The wedge form of the drawer B fitting to the wedge-formed bolster
45 *a* within the incasement A, is bringing about a tight and secure resting of the materials within the grooves *b* when drawer B is slightly
50 pressed within incasement A, the spring *c* then falling into a catcher fastened underneath the top board of incasement A, and thus
55 fastening drawer B within the incasement A, the slanting cut *e* on the upper part of drawer B also contributing to a solid and compact inclosing of drawer B within incasement A.

What I claim as my invention, and desire to
60 secure by Letters Patent, is—

In a pencil-case the combination of an incasement A provided with a bolster in wedge form *a* and a pin *d*, and revolving on the
65 latter the wedge-formed drawer B provided with grooves *b* for writing &c. materials, and a spring *c* to hold in place tightly the materials in grooves *b* of drawer B when slightly pressed within incasement A and fastened therein by spring *c*; substantially as
herein described.

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