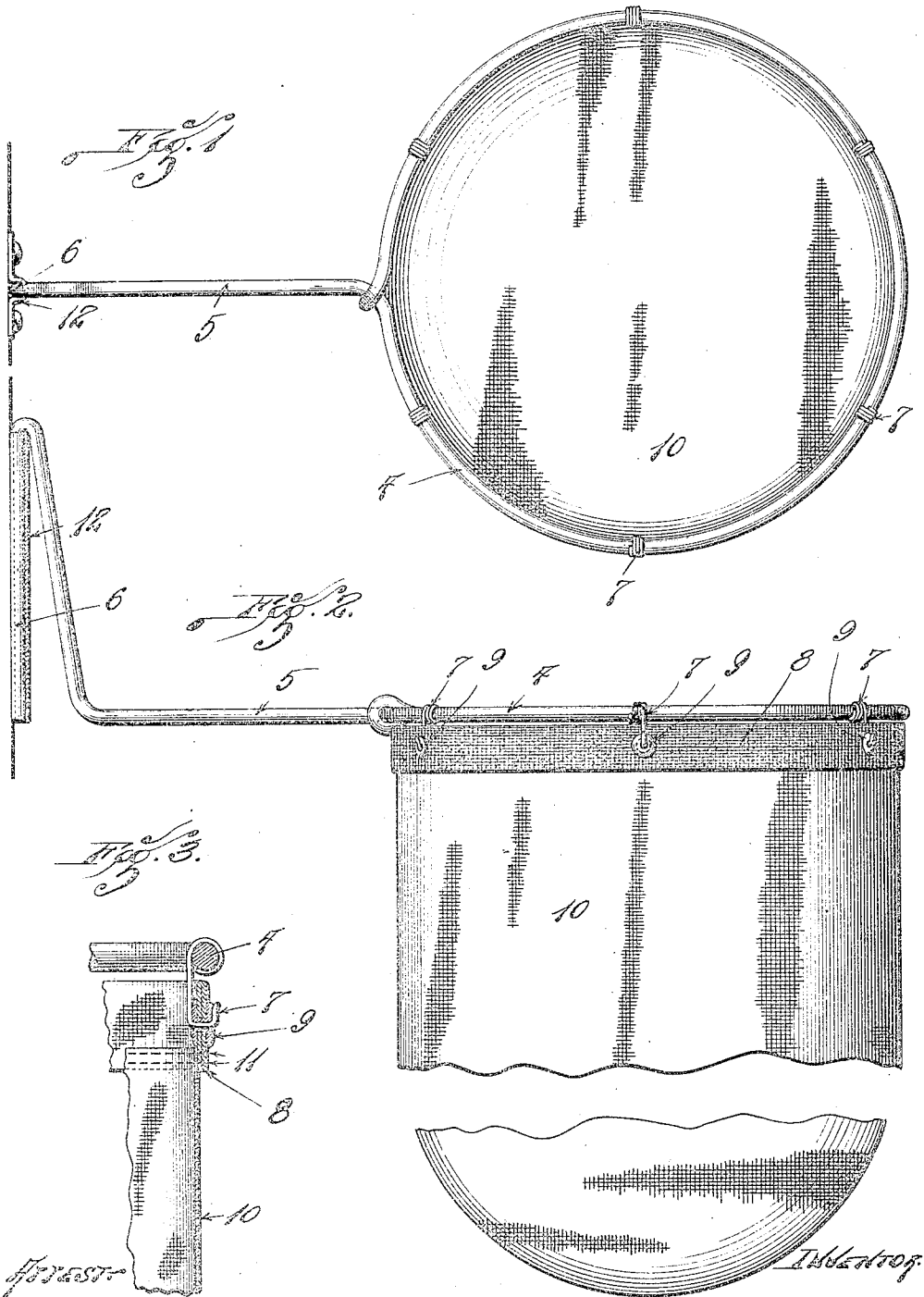


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, KATE B. MILKS, a citizen of the United States, and resident of St. Louis, Missouri, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Jelly-Strainers, of which the following is a specification containing a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, forming a part hereof.

My invention relates to improvements in jelly strainers, and the object of my invention is to construct a simple, neat, cheap and durable strainer in which the strainer proper or bag is provided with a flexible fabric reinforcing band at its top, the bag being stitched to the band so that it may be readily detached from the band.

The fabric is provided at intervals with eyelets whereby it may be quickly attached to or detached from a ring, and the ring is provided with means whereby it may be secured in place.

With the above purposes in view my invention consists in certain novel features of construction and arrangement of parts as will be hereinafter more fully described, pointed out in the claim and illustrated by the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a plan of a strainer constructed according to my invention; Fig. 2 is a side elevation of the strainer, a portion of the bag being broken away and the supporting bracket being shown in section; and Fig. 3 is a fragmental, vertical section of a portion of the strainer bag and the suspending ring.

Referring by numerals to the accompanying drawings: 4 designates a suspending hoop or ring having an integral stem 5 and an integral hook 6, the hoop, stem and hook being made of a single piece of wire. Se-

cured to the hoop 4 at intervals are the suspending hooks 7.

8 designates a band of heavy fabric to which is secured at intervals eyelets 9 arranged to receive the hooks 7 in order that the band 8 may be suspended from the hoop 4.

10 designates the strainer bag which is open-topped and secured to the band by stitches 11 as clearly shown in Fig. 3.

12 designates a bracket which is arranged to be secured to a wall or the like for the support of the hook 6, stem 5 and the hoop 4.

The leading and distinctive features of my improved strainer are that the strainer proper or bag 10 may be removed or detached from the band 8 for purposes of repair, and that the band 8 and bag 10 may be readily detached from the supporting hoop 4 for cleansing purposes.

I claim:

The improved jelly-strainer, comprising the combination with a suitable supporting-bracket and a strainer-bag; of a circular-hoop having an integral hook for engaging said bracket; a plurality of bag-supporting hooks having their upper ends secured to said hoop so that said hooks depend from said hoop in position for their free ends to be turned upwardly; a reinforcing-band detachably secured to the upper edge of said bag; and a series of eyelets carried by said band and suspended upon the said hooks, to support the weight of said band and bag.

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

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