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Fig. 1.

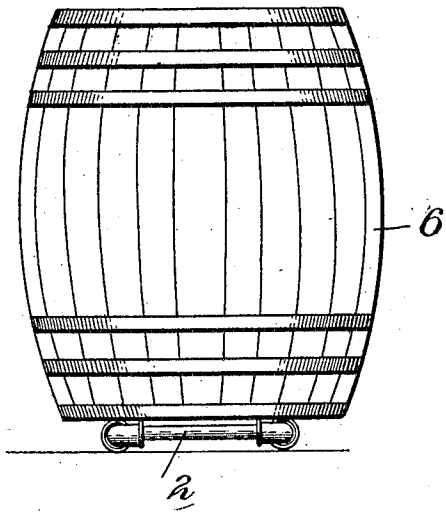


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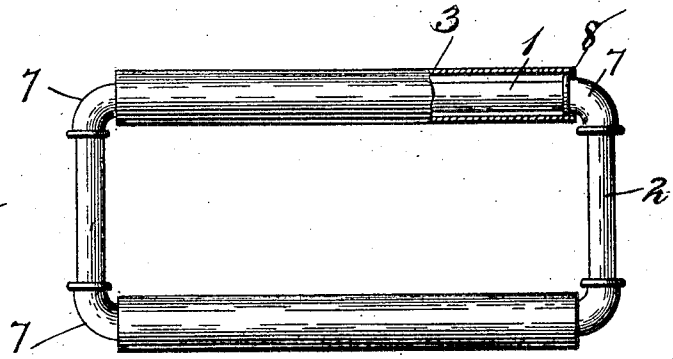
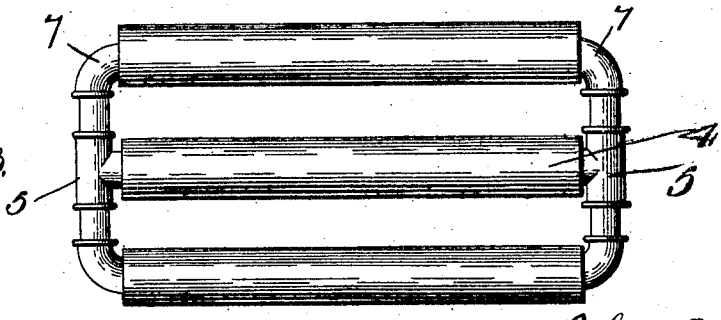


Fig. 3.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOHN A. WRIGHT, a citizen of the United States, residing at Maquoketa, in the county of Jackson and State of Iowa, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Barrel and Box Carriers, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to barrel and box carriers for the purpose of lifting, sliding, and transporting the same, and has for its object to so construct the device that it will be durable, will occupy little space, and may be easily and cheaply manufactured.

In the drawings forming a part of this specification, and in which like symbols of reference represent corresponding parts in the several views, Figure 1 is a view of the device in its operative position; Fig. 2, a plan view, partly in section; and Fig. 3 a modification of same.

I usually construct my device of tubular metal or the like, as shown; but of course other materials may be employed.

1 represents the longitudinal pieces of the frame, 2 the end pieces, and 7 elbows connecting said portions.

3 designates the rollers on the longitudinal pieces, the same riding on the flanges 8 of the elbows 7, there being one on each longitudinal portion.

In Fig. 3 I have illustrated a modification of the device in which three rollers are shown, the middle one 4 being constructed and arranged the same as others and the middle tube being connected to the end pieces by a T-joint 5. This form is particularly adapted for small boxes, sacks, or the like. It will be noted that the end pieces 2 are much smaller in diameter than the longitudinal pieces for the purpose of enabling the hands of the operator to take hold of the same.

The operation of the device will be apparent from the foregoing. The barrel is first tipped, the operator pushes the roller under the same with his foot, and it may be slid under a counter or the like with ease.

Having now fully described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

1. In a barrel and box carrier, a main quadrilateral frame, consisting of cylindrical members, rollers adapted to operate upon the same, flanges upon the frame upon which the rollers rest, and a reduced portion for the hands of the operator.

2. In a device of the character described, a main frame, elbows connecting the portions of the same, flanges upon the elbows, and rollers operating upon the flanges.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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