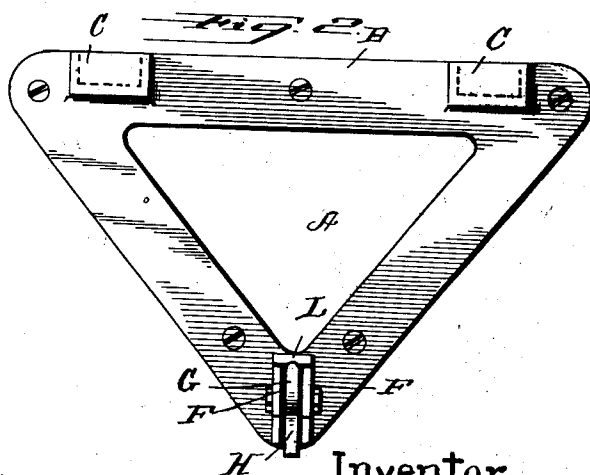
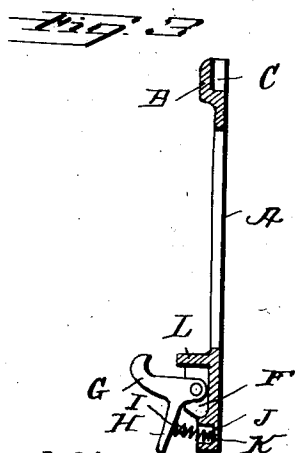
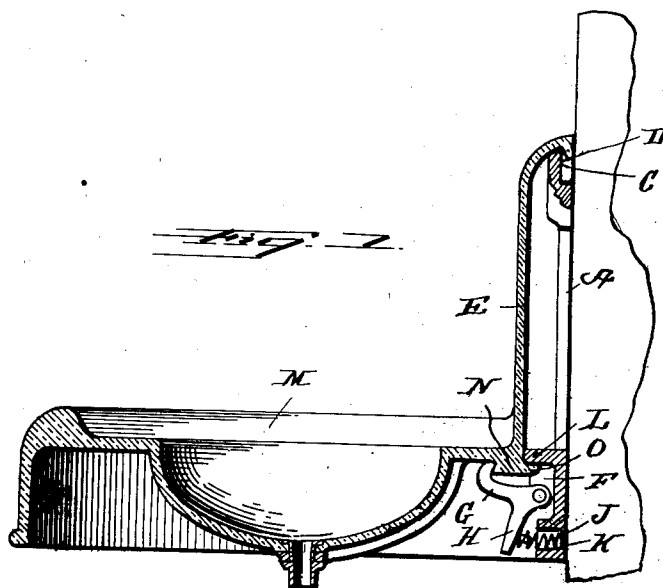


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ANTHONY A. FICENER, a citizen of the United States of America, and a resident of Mansfield, in the county of Richland and State of Ohio, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Brackets, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in brackets, and refers more particularly to a wall-bracket adapted for supporting lavatories or for similar purposes.

The main object of my invention is to provide a rigid support for a lavatory which will permit of the ready attaching or removal of the lavatory without the use of tools.

Further objects of the invention are to provide a wall-bracket which will be simple and durable in construction and practical and efficient for the purposes intended.

These objects I accomplish by the mechanism illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a vertical sectional view of my improved bracket with lavatory attached. Fig. 2 is a front elevation of the bracket to show more fully the general construction of the same. Fig. 3 is a vertical sectional view of the bracket, taken on line 3 3 of Fig. 2.

Similar letters of reference indicate the several parts throughout the views.

In the accompanying drawings the letter A designates the bracket proper, consisting of a triangular frame having an upper horizontal side B. Upon the upper side of the frame and near the ends thereof are formed the recesses or pockets C, and in these pockets are adapted to fit the retaining-lugs D, formed on the upper wall or back E of the lavatory M. At the lower corner of the bracket is formed the pair of vertically-arranged ears F, between which is pivotally secured the catch-lever G. The lever is formed with a downwardly-extending handle portion H for operating the same, and extending rearwardly from the handle is an arm I. Mounted upon this arm is the coiled spring J, having its free end seated in a recess K, formed in the face of the bracket. Above

the ears F and formed integral therewith is the outwardly-projecting flange L, against which the lower edge of the lavatory is adapted to abut. A securing-lug N is formed on the lower edge of the lavatory and is provided with a flange O, which is adapted to engage the lower face of flange L on the bracket, and thus prevent the uplifting and accidental displacement of the lavatory.

After the bracket has been secured to the wall the retaining-lugs on the lavatory are inserted in the pockets of the bracket, and the weight of the lavatory depresses the spring-pressed catch until it engages the locking-lug and securely locks the lavatory in place.

It will be understood that my improved bracket may be used for many purposes similar to the one described, where a bracket is desired, that will allow ready detaching and securing of the device supported.

From this description, taken in connection with the drawings, it will be readily apparent that I have accomplished all the objects herein set forth and have provided a useful and practical wall-bracket or support.

I claim—

1. A wall-bracket comprising a frame having pockets formed in the upper edge thereof and a horizontally-projecting lateral flange near its lower edge, and a spring-pressed catch-lever pivotally mounted in the lower side of the frame beneath said flange.

2. In combination a lavatory having depending lugs formed on the upper edge thereof and a retaining-lug formed on the lower edge thereof, a wall-bracket having pockets formed in its upper edge adapted to be engaged by the depending lugs of the lavatory and a flange to be engaged by the retaining-lug of the lavatory, and a catch-lever carried by the bracket and adapted to engage the retaining-lug of the lavatory.

3. In combination a wall-bracket comprising a frame having pockets formed in the upper edge thereof and a lateral flange near its lower edge, and a securing-lever pivotally mounted in the lower edge of the frame, a lavatory having lugs engaging the pockets

of the frame, and a retaining-lug adapted to abut against the flange and be engaged by the securing-lever.

4. The combination with a wall-bracket
5 comprising a frame having pockets formed in its upper edge, a catch-lever mounted in the lower edge of the frame and a flange above said lever, of a lavatory having lugs to engage the pockets in the frame, and a flange to

be engaged by the catch-lever, said flange on the lavatory, engaging the lower face of the flange on the frame.

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