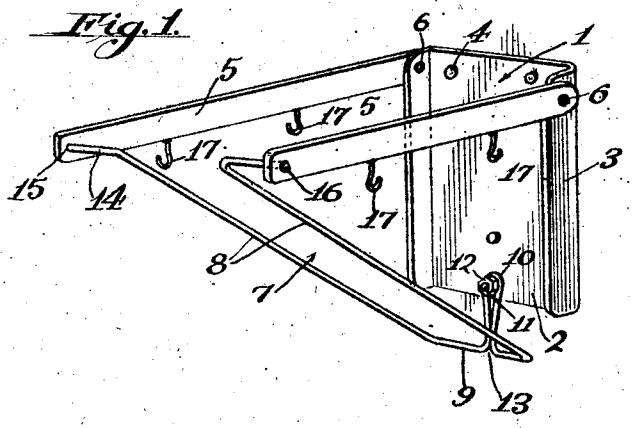
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Fig. 1.



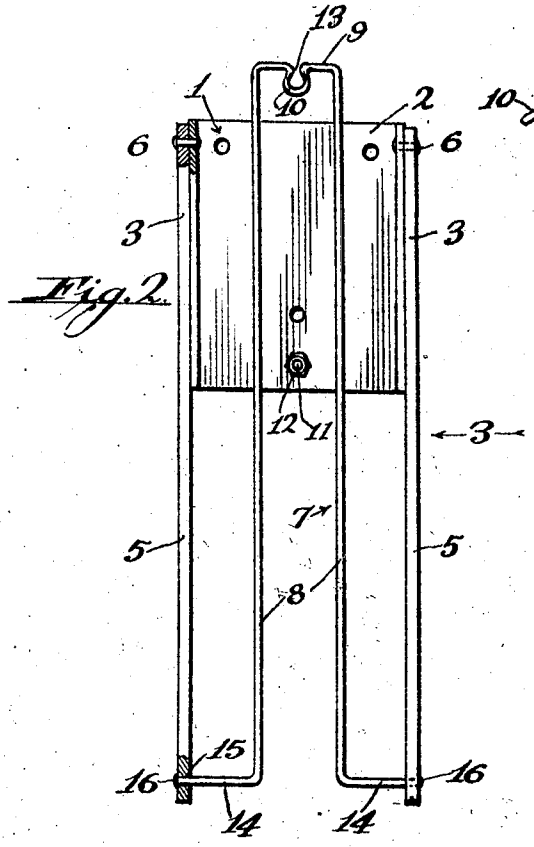


Fig. 2.

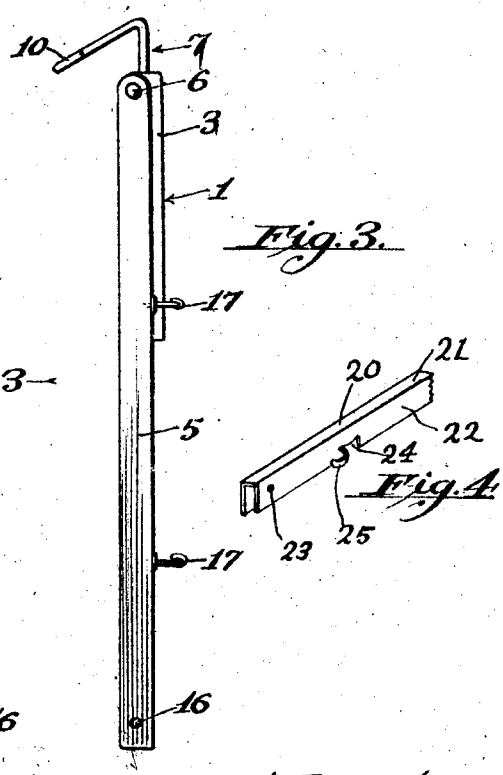


Fig. 3.

Fig. 4.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HARRY L. SNYDER, a citizen of the United States, residing at West Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles and State of California, have invented new and useful Improvements in Holders, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in holders.

An object is to provide a holder formed with a metal back which may be attached to a wall or the like with a pair of arms which may be held in horizontal extended position with a light wire brace supporting the arms in such horizontal extended position. The brace is adapted to be disconnected from the plate to allow folding of the arms and the brace against the wall.

My invention will be more clearly understood from the following description and drawings, in which;

Figure 1 is a perspective view of my holder in its operative position extended from the wall.

Fig. 2 is a front view of the holder folded or collapsed, with the arms and the supporting brace against the wall plate or panel.

Fig. 3 is a side elevation of Fig. 2 in the direction of the arrow 3.

Fig. 4 is a perspective view of a type of arm formed from a channel-shaped strip of metal, a portion being cut away and bent to form a hook.

In the drawings, a wall plate or panel is designated by the numeral 1 and has a flat web 2 with side flanges 3. A series of apertures 4 are formed in the web to permit securing the panel to the wall. A pair of pivoted arms 5 are secured to the flanges by pintle pins 6 to allow the arms to swivel up and down. In the form shown the arms are placed outside of the flanges.

A brace 7 formed of wire or a stiff rod has a pair of parallel bars 8 bent inwardly at their lower ends 9 and with an upwardly extending loop 10 which engages a stud 11 having a nut 12 to prevent disengagement of the loop. The metal of the brace has sufficient resiliency to permit spreading of the loop whereby the neck portion 13 may be pressed over the stud 10. The brace is shown secured to the arms 5 by means of outwardly extending ends 14 which pass through apertures 15 in the arms and are formed with a riveted head 16 to prevent withdrawal through the arms.

This construction allows the loop of the brace to be disconnected from the stud 10 and the base to be swivelled upwardly against the web 2 between the flanges 3 of the panel 1 and the arms 5 to be swivelled downwardly forming a compact position for the holder as shown in Figs. 2 and 3.

A series of hooks 17 are attached to the lower ends of the arms depending therefrom as shown in Fig. 1, to allow articles to be suspended from the arms of the holder. These hooks occupy a horizontal position as shown in Fig. 3 and allow articles to be attached thereto, hanging close against the wall.

My holder may be made of use to support a variety of household utensils or as a support for clothing or the like. The details of construction may be considerably changed to suit special requirements or circumstances and to form a holder for different types of objects, without departing from the spirit of my invention.

In Fig. 4 I show an alternative type of arm to that designated by the numeral 5 of Figs. 1, 2 and 3. In this case the arm is formed with a channel-shaped strip of metal 20 having a web 21 and flanges 22 with an aperture 23 through the flanges for the insertion of extending ends 14 of the brace 7. In this type of arm a cut 24 is made in the flanges, the metal of the cut being bent somewhat parallel to the bar to form a hook 25.

Having described my invention, what I claim is:

1. A holder comprising in combination a supporting panel having a web and a pair of vertical flanges, a pair of arms pivotally connected to the flanges, a brace pivotally connected to the outer ends of the arms and having a resilient loop at its inner end and a stud secured to the web of the panel adapted to engage the loop and hold the arms in extended position.

2. A holder comprising in combination a wall panel having an elongated web with an outwardly extending flange on each edge, a pair of arms pivotally connected to the upper ends of the flanges, a brace formed of

wire, swivelly connected to the outer ends of the arms, said brace having a pair of substantially parallel bars, an upwardly extending loop formed at the lower ends of the said bars and a stud projecting from the lower end of a web adapted to engage the loop to hold the arms in extended position.

3. In a holder, an arm formed of angular-shaped metal having a web and a flange, a cut formed in the flange and the metal of said cut being bent to form a hook.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification.

HARRY L. SNYDER.