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BICYCLE STAND.

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Fig. 1.

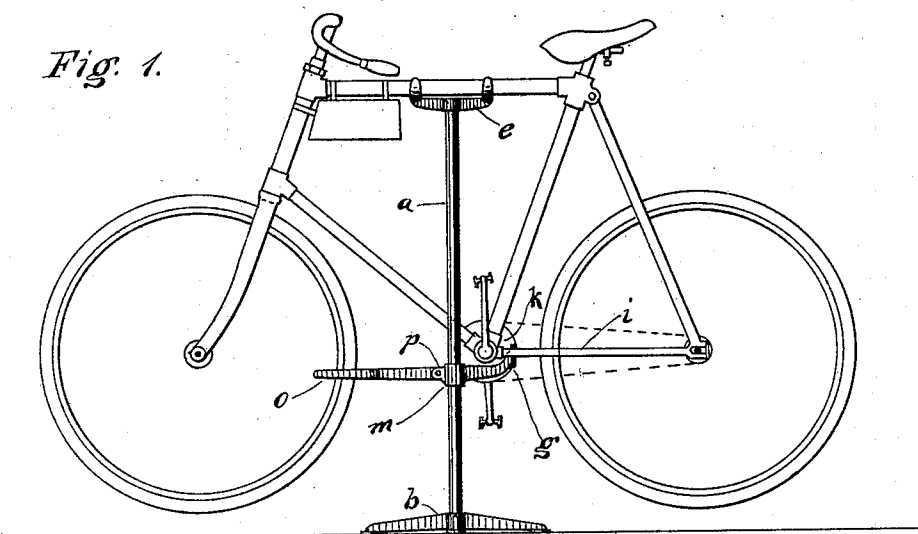


Fig. 2.

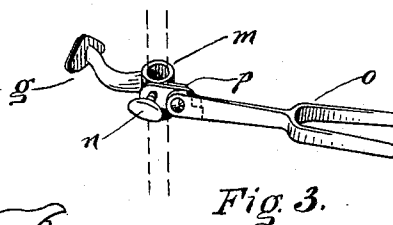
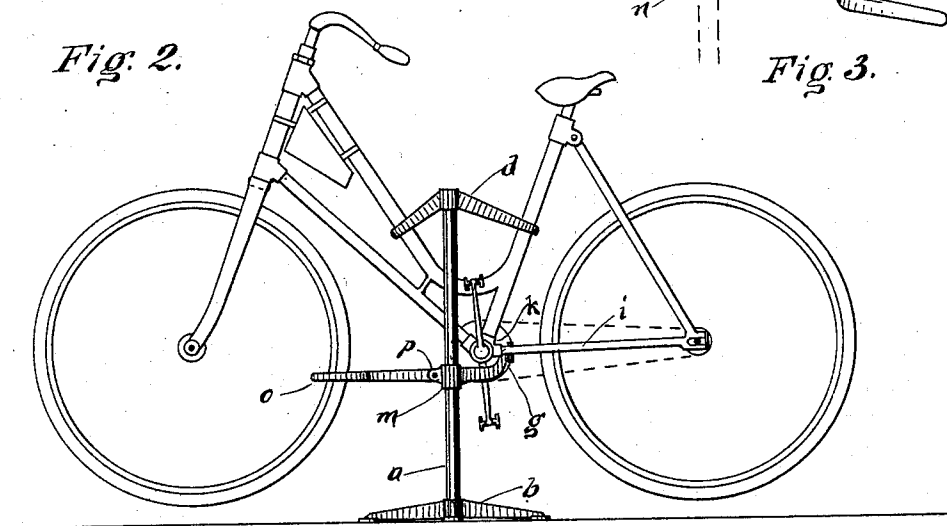


Fig. 3.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE B. PRICE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Philadelphia, in the county of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, have invented a new and useful Bicycle-Stand, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to a method of supporting and suspending bicycles when not in use. It is a stand so arranged that the bicycle-frame is held up by it at two points of suspension above and each side of the center of gravity and otherwise secured to prevent swaying, so that the suspended weight of the bicycle is made to pass down through the supporting-post of the stand to the floor.

Referring to the drawings, Figure 1 illustrates the manner in which this stand suspends and holds a man's wheel, and Fig. 2 a slightly-modified form adapted to a similar use for a woman's bicycle. Fig. 3 shows a detail of the sliding sleeve and attachments shown at *m* in Figs. 1 and 2.

Referring to Figs. 1 and 2, *a* is a vertical post fastened at its lower end into a base *b* and supporting at its upper end a cross-bar member *e* or *d*, adapted to receive and sustain the bicycle-frame, as shown.

In order to prevent the bicycle from swaying, I introduce back of the crank-hub *k* and between the two lowest horizontal bars *i* the bent finger-piece *g*, which is a rigid projection from the sleeve *m*. A pivoted fork *o*, intended to be swung onto the front wheel to prevent its swinging around laterally, is also carried by this sleeve *m* at a boss *p*. The sleeve and its attachments may be easily slid up or down the pipe *a* to any required position (to accommodate any height of bicycle-frame) and secured by the set-screw *n*. (Shown in Fig. 3.)

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

In a bicycle-stand the combination of a vertical post attached to a base and carrying arms at its upper end, with a movable sleeve encircling said post and having a projecting finger, an offset lug, on opposite side to finger, to which is separately pivoted a fork, and a set-screw engaging the sleeve and post only; substantially as shown.

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