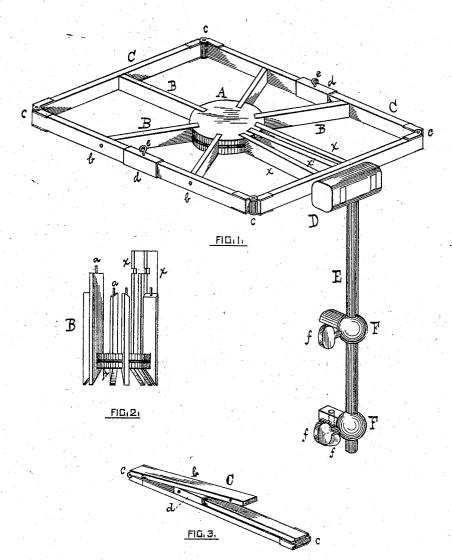
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WENDEL BOURGNIG-NON, of the city and county of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, have invented a new and Improved Frame for Canopies or Mosquito-Netting; and declare the following to be a specification of the same.

In the accompanying drawings like letters

indicate like parts.

Figure 1 is a perspective view of my invention. Figs. 2 and 3 show the parts when folded.

The purpose of my invention is to furnish a suitable frame-work to support a canopy or mosquito-netting, which can be securely attached to the furniture designed to be covered, and when not in use may be compactly folded.

connection between the frame-work and the support, and as the arms $x \times x'$ are placed more nearly together and at a less angle than the others they can all enter the block D, and by the lateral support thus furnished prevent a swaying motion. The block D is also provided with a socket, which receives the head of the standard E. The standard is affixed to the head-board of the bed or other part of the furniture by means of sliding clamps F F, the upper of which rests upon the top, and the lower is pressed up against the bottom of the head-board. The clamps being movable can be adjusted readily to fit any shape or size of head-board, and when in the desired position hold the whole structure securely by means of thumb-screws fff. The netting is then thrown over the frame and the canopy is complete. Instead of the pins a a proper connection may be made by using hooks. The standard E may also be made in pieces and united in any suitable manner.

The whole may be taken apart when desired, and is so constructed as to fold com-

pactly, as shown in Figs. 2 and 3.

The mode of attaching to the bedstead is such as to avoid disfiguring or marring the furniture, while yet it is strong and firm.

I claim, as a novel and useful invention, and

desire to secure by Letters Patent-

1. The frame-work consisting of the hub A, arms B B, pins a a, the hinged frame C, socket d, and pins e e, made substantially as described.

2. The combination of said frame-work with the block D, standard E, adjustable clamps F F with their thumb-screws f f f, made and used substantially as described.

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