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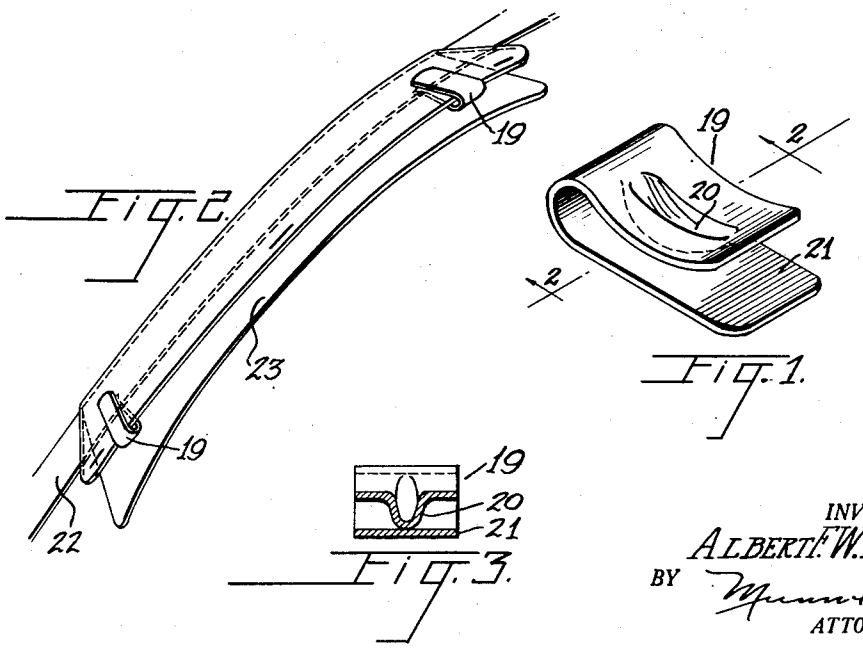


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1 Claim. (Cl. 2—137)

An object of my invention is to provide a temporary necktie holder which is extremely simple in construction and which can form a plurality of the holders at one time.

A further object of my invention is to provide a temporary necktie holder which can be readily secured to a collar and remain in position until the collar is attached to the shirt and the tie is tied in place, after which the holder may be removed. The holder is designed primarily for soft collars where it is difficult to keep the tie in the collar during the tying operation.

Other objects and advantages will appear in the following specification, and the novel features of the device will be particularly pointed out in the appended claim.

My invention is illustrated in the accompanying drawing forming a part of this application, in which

Figure 1 is a perspective view of a holder;

Figure 2 is a section along the line 2—2 of Figure 1, and

Figure 3 shows a collar with the holder secured thereto.

In carrying out my invention I provide a temporary necktie holder 19 made of celluloid and formed in the shape of a U with a flat portion 21, and a curved portion extending substantially parallel with the flat portion. The curved portion has a depression 20 formed therein, and this depression forms a projection on the inner surface of the curved portion, and this projection bears against the inner surface of the flat portion 21, see Figure 2.

From the foregoing description of the various parts of the device, the operation thereof may be readily understood.

In using the device a tie 22 is inserted in a collar 23, see Figure 3. Two or more of the temporary necktie holders are now secured to the inside of the collar in the manner shown. The springiness of the holder will keep it attached to the collar and will also keep it engaging with the tie so as to prevent the tie from dropping out from the collar. At the same time the tie may be readily slid through the collar during the tying operation. After the tie has been tied the holders 19 are removed.

While I have shown only the preferred form of my invention, it should be understood that various changes or modifications may be made within the scope of the appended claim without departing from the spirit of the invention.

I claim:

The combination with a collar having an inner and outer portion connected together at their upper edges, of a tie holder being U-shaped with unperforated sides, one side being flat and the other having a gently rounded depressed portion contacting with the flat side, said holder being applied to the inner portion of the collar so that the flat side of each holder will contact with the collar while the rounded portion clamps upon a tie received in the collar, the holder being made of celluloid material so as to clamp lightly upon the tie and to freely ride upon the inner portion of the collar.

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