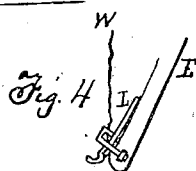
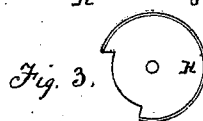
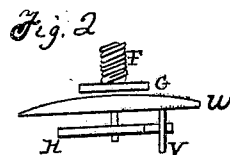
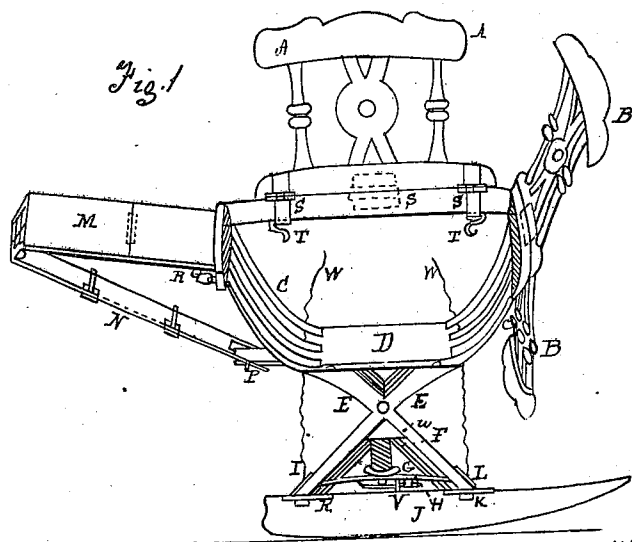


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, LEON LINDQUEST, of the city of Pittsburg, county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, have invented a Portable and Adjustable Stationary and Rocking-Chair combined; and I do hereby declare the following to be an exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters of reference marked thereon, making a part of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 represents a perspective view of the stationary revolving and rocking-chair combined.

Figure 2 shows the screw, washer, and circular catch, by which the chair is revolved and held stationary.

Figure 3 shows the circular catch, top view.

Figure 4 shows the shape of the spring-fastenings on the ends of the legs, and how they are detached from the rocker, by drawing them upwards by a cord.

The nature of my invention consists in the construction of the revolving and stationary chair, combined with a rocking-chair, and arranged with adjustable or falling backs, operating on hinges, and a writing-table at the one side, all of which are easily separated, so as to be a portable chair.

A and B represent the hinged and adjustable backs, so as to be dropped down behind, when required, (as shown at B).

C are the sides of the chair, formed of curved strips, that support the seat D, by a mortise and tenon, and extend down to the rockers J, fitted and bolted across each other, (as shown at E,) so as to form the legs or strong supports for the chair.

F is the screw upon which the chair is revolved.

G is a washer.

H is a circular notched plate, that holds the chair in its position when the chair is revolved half around, so as to be changed from a stationary to a rocking-chair.

K are metallic plates on the top edge of the rockers J, that assist in holding the chair fast to the rockers, by means of the springs L L, attached to the ends of the legs E.

M is a writing-table, that is intended to write upon, rest a book upon when reading, or as a rest for the feet; the lower part, N, being constructed in divisions, sliding into each other, so that the table M (that is hinged to the lower slides N) can be folded up against

the side O, and out of the way, when not intended for use.

P is a bolt, upon which the slides N rest, and

R, a hook and eye that holds the table M to the arm of the chair.

S S S are hinges, that support the backs A and B, and allow the backs to fall back, by turning the thumb-screws T.

U is a cross-piece, that supports the screw F and circular notched plate H, the notch bearing against a projecting pin, V, that is inserted on the under side of the cross-piece U, so that the chair is held in its position, and prevented from turning any further.

The spring L is fastened to the front end of each leg E, and as the seat is changed to either side, as a stationary chair or a rocking-chair, the spring fits into the round part of the plate K, and whenever the chair is to be changed, the cords W, that are attached to the upper sides of the springs L, are drawn upward, and the legs E are freed from the plates K.

The plates K are attached to the top sides of the rockers J, and to two cross-pieces, extending across between the rockers.

This chair is not only reversible, and changeable from a stationary chair to a rocking-chair, and its backs and writing-table adjustable so as to conform to either kind of a chair, but it is made so as to be easily taken apart, placed into a small space, and more easily transported than other rocking-chairs, by unhinging the backs, unhooking the writing-table, drawing the bolts that fasten the sides C to the seat D, and the bolt at E; also by unscrewing the upper and lower cross-pieces U U. All the parts are then laid together as a portable chair, occupying less than one-third the space of an ordinary chair, and less danger of being broken by transportation.

What I claim as my invention, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The combination of the chair and rocking-chair, when arranged with the adjustable backs A and B, writing-table M, springs L, on the legs E, and revolving seat D, all portable, as herein described, and for the purposes set forth.

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