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EGG CARRIER.
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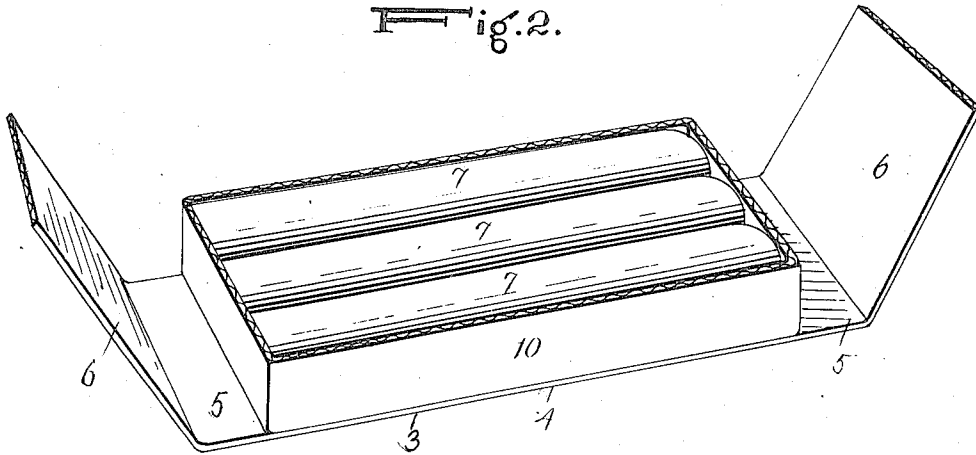


Fig. 3.

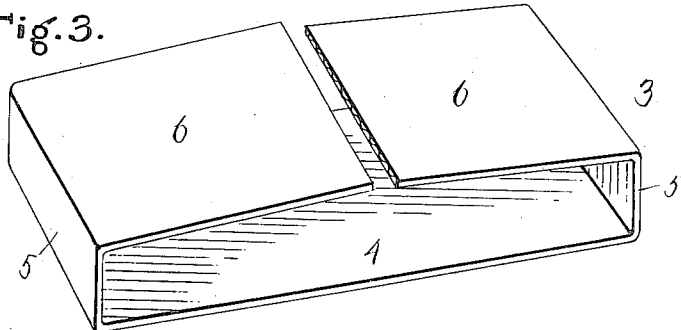
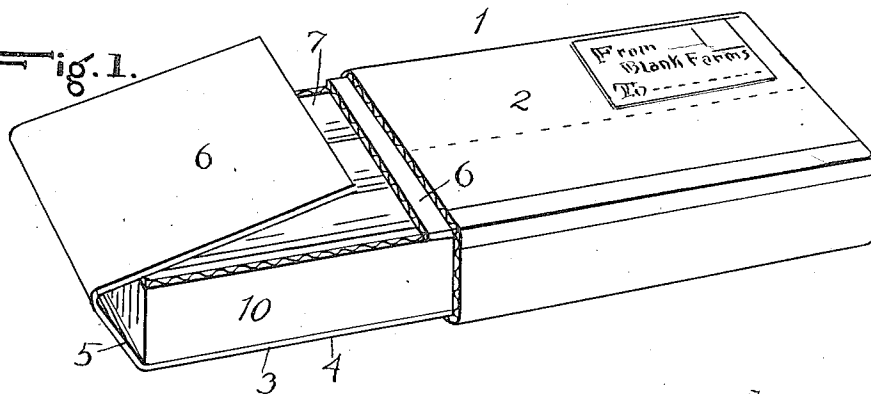


Fig. 1.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ROBERT O. HAMMOND, a citizen of the United States, resident of Amityville, in the county of Suffolk and State of New York, have made a certain new and useful Invention in Egg-Carriers; and I declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the same, such as will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the invention, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to letters or figures of reference marked thereon, which form a part of this specification.

Figure 1 is a perspective view of the carrier, partly open. Fig. 2 is a perspective view of the rectangular frame, the egg tubes and the inner member. Fig. 3 is a detail perspective view of the inner member of the box.

The invention has relation to boxes or carriers designed mainly for use in the transmission of eggs through the mail, and it consists in the novel construction and combinations of parts, as hereinafter set forth.

In the accompanying drawings illustrating the invention, the numeral 1 designates a box, consisting of an outer slidable cover 2, open at both ends, and an inner part 3, comprising a bottom 4, upturned ends 5, and inward turned top flaps 6, extending toward each other. Fitting within this box are suitable egg containers such as a plurality of cylinder tubes 7. A rectangular open top and open bottom frame 10 is placed around the egg containers or tubes to inclose the same, said frame being located within the outer lateral edges 11 of the top flaps and bottom of the inner part 3.

In assembling the parts, the inner part 3 is placed upon a table or other support, the rectangular frame 10 is placed upon the part 3, the top flaps and ends of which are unfolded backward out of the way, the tubes containing the eggs are placed within said rectangular frame, the top flaps 6 are folded down upon the tubes, and the whole is slid within the cover part to complete the package.

All parts of the egg carrier are capable of being folded flat for storage or shipment, and it has been found in practice that the carrier filled with eggs may be sent through the mails with perfect safety both to the eggs and to other mail matter.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim and desire to secure by Letters Patent is:—

A paper box comprising an open-end outer cover part, an inner open-top and open-bottom rectangular frame, and an intermediate part having a bottom, upturned ends and inturned separate top flaps, each top flap being attached to one of said ends, the bottom and the top flaps closing said frame at top and bottom and each top flap and its attached end flap being unfoldable flat upon the ground upon partial withdrawal of the inner frame and the intermediate part from the cover part.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature, in presence of two witnesses.

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