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Fig. 1.

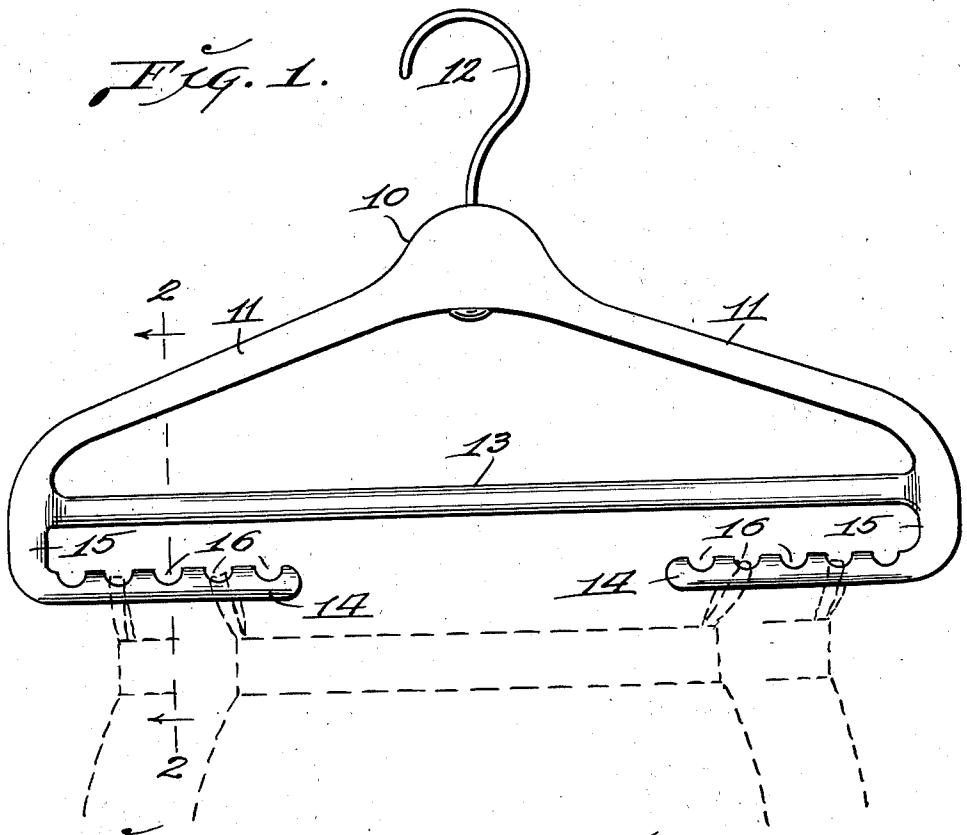


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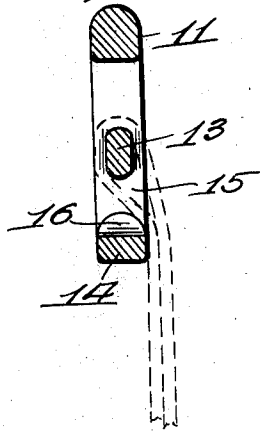


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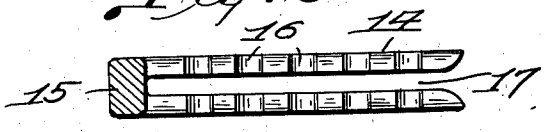
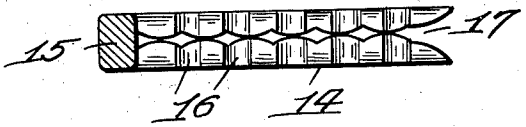


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My invention relates to garment hangers and has for its principal object, to provide a simple, practical and inexpensive hanger adapted to receive garments such as men's coats, vests and trousers, also ladies' coats and the like and the hanger being provided with short supporting arms or fingers from which skirts may be conveniently suspended.

A further object of my invention is to generally improve upon and simplify the form of garment hanger forming the subject matter of my copending application for U. S. Letters Patent filed Dec. 28, 1943, Serial No. 515,899.

With the foregoing and other objects in view my invention consists in certain novel features of construction and arrangement of parts which will be hereinafter more fully described and claimed and illustrated in the accompanying drawings in which:

Fig. 1 is a front elevational view of a garment hanger constructed in accordance with my invention.

Fig. 2 is a vertical section taken on the line 2—2 of Fig. 1.

Fig. 3 is a horizontal section taken through the end portion of the hanger and showing a modified construction.

Fig. 4 is a horizontal section similar to Fig. 3 and showing a further modified structure.

Referring by numerals to the accompanying drawing which illustrates a preferred embodiment of my invention, 10 designates the upper rail or body of the hanger, the bilateral portions 11 of which gradually decline toward their outer ends.

A hook 12 attached to and projecting upwardly from the center of body 10 provides means for suspending the hanger from a rail or support.

Connecting the outer ends of portions 11 is a rail 13 which serves as a support for trousers.

Arranged beneath and parallel with the end portions of rail 13 are short horizontally disposed arms 14, the outer end of which are connected to the ends of said rail, by short neck portions 15 and formed in the upper portion of each arm is a plurality of spaced notches 16.

The upper part of the hanger comprising the inclined members 11 is adapted to receive and support coats, vests, jacket and the like and skirts are suspended from the arms 14 by engaging the skirt loops, which are attached to the waist band, in notches 16, as shown by dotted lines Fig. 1.

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The provision of a number of notches in each arm 14 enables skirts of different sizes to be conveniently suspended from the hanger.

To suspend trousers from the hanger, the trousers' legs are folded double over the rail 13 with the depending folded portions in direct contact with each other and positioned slightly offset from said rail due to their bearing against one of the side faces of one or both of arms 14.

By thus suspending the trousers with the folded portions in direct contact with each other, a certain amount of friction is provided between the contacting fabric surfaces and such condition counteracts tendency of the trousers to slip off the rail 13 even though one of the folded parts of the garment is somewhat heavier than the other.

In Figs. 3 and 4 the arms 14 are shown slotted lengthwise as designated by 17 in order to receive the folded portions of trousers which depend from rail 13.

My improved garment hanger may be formed of wood, lightweight metal, or compressed fibre, although I prefer to form same in a single piece from suitable plastics.

Thus it will be seen that I have provided a garment hanger which is simple in structure, inexpensive of manufacture and very effective in performing the functions for which it is intended.

It will be understood that minor changes in the size, form and construction of the various parts of my improved garment hanger may be made and substituted for those herein shown and described without departing from the spirit of the invention, the scope of which is set forth in the appended claim.

I claim as my invention:

As a new article of manufacture, a garment hanger formed in a single piece and comprising an upper member having oppositely inclined bilateral portions, a horizontal rail connecting the ends of said inclined portions, short horizontal arms disposed beneath and parallel with the end portions of said rail, the outer ends of said arms being connected to the outer ends of said rail the inner ends of which arms are spaced a substantial distance apart to permit ready insertion,

removal and manipulation of garments suspended on said rail and arms, there being transversely disposed spaced notches formed in the upper portions of said arms and which arms are provided with vertical, longitudinally disposed slots extending from their inner ends toward their connected ends.

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