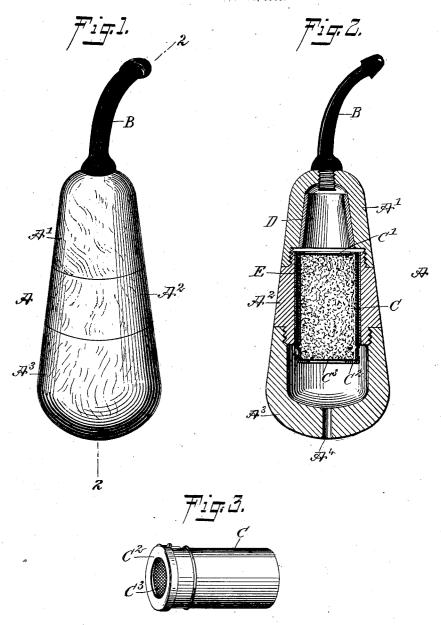
## N. P. SHULIN. TOBACCO PIPE. APPLICATION FILED AUG. 3, 1906.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, NEAL P. SHULIN, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Butte, in the county of Silverbow and State of Montana, have invented an Improved Tobacco-Pipe, of which the following is a full,

clear, and exact description.

The object of the invention is to provide a new and improved tobacco-pipe arranged to lo keep fresh and clean, to prevent tainted saliva and nicotin from entering the smoker's mouth, and to prevent sparks leaving the pipe while smoking, thus rendering it perfectly safe to smoke the pipe at any desired place and without danger of setting fire to the surroundings.

The invention consists of novel features and parts and combinations of the same, as will be more fully described hereinafter, and

20 pointed out in the claim.

A practical embodiment of the invention is represented in the accompanying drawings, forming a part of this specification, in which similar characters of reference indicate corresponding parts in all the views.

Figure 1 is a perspective view of the improvement. Fig. 2 is a sectional side elevation of the same on the line 2 2 of Fig. 1, and Fig. 3 is a perspective view of the tobacco-

30 holder.

The casing A of the tobacco-pipe is preferably made of wood and in three sections A' A² A³, removably fastened together, preferably by screwing one section on the other, as in35 dicated in Fig. 2. The top of the uppermost section A' of the casing A is provided with a suitable mouthpiece B, and the bottom of the lowermost section A³ is provided with an airhole A⁴ for the entrance of air to the interior
40 of the casing A. Into the middle section A² is fitted a tobacco-holder C, preferably made cylindrical in shape and provided at its upper end with perforations C', opening into the upper section A', and the lower end of the said
45 tobacco-holder C is provided with a hinged cover C², having perforations C³ for the entrance of air to the tobacco contained in the said holder C.

The interior surface of the upper section A'
50 of the casing A is preferably provided with a
lining D, made of paper or other suitable absorbent material, and this lining D can be
conveniently removed from time to time and
replaced by a new one whenever it is desired

55 to do so.

The tobacco-holder C is preferably made of metal, and in order to prevent undue heating of the middle section A<sup>2</sup>, carrying the tobacco-holder, I prefer to interpose a lining E between the outer surface of the holder C and 60 the inner wall of the middle section A<sup>2</sup>.

In order to fill the pipe with tobacco, it is necessary for the smoker to remove the lower section A<sup>3</sup> and to hold the casing A in an upside-down position, and then the cover C<sup>2</sup> 65 is swung open and the holder C is filled with the tobacco to be smoked. If desired, the holder C may be removed completely from the middle section A<sup>2</sup> and then filled and returned to position in the middle section. 70 After the holder C is filled with tobacco and the cover C<sup>2</sup> is closed then the tobacco is ignited through the perforations C<sup>3</sup>, or, if desired, the tobacco may be ignited while the cover C<sup>2</sup> is still open. After the tobacco is 75 burning the lower section A3 is screwed onto the lower end of the middle section A2, and then the operator draws on the mouthpiece B in the usual manner to cause the tobacco contained in the holder C to burn in an up- 80 ward direction within the holder C. Now as the holder C is completely inclosed within the casing A it is evident that none of the burning tobacco or sparks can pass out of the pipe and set fire to the surroundings, thus 85 rendering the tobacco-pipe perfectly safe in almost any place. Any tainted saliva or nicotin that passes into the upper section A' is readily absorbed by the lining D, and hence does not pass to the smoker's mouth, and as 90 this lining D can be conveniently removed at any time and replaced by a new one it is evident that the pipe can be kept perfectly clean and fresh.

For emptying the tobacco-holder C the latter may be removed entirely from the section A² and emptied or it may be left in place in the section A² and the cover C² opened to allow the ashes to fall out, it being understood that previous to emptying the holder C by 100 either of the methods mentioned it is necessary for the operator to unscrew the lower section A³.

The tobacco-pipe is composed of comparatively few parts not liable to easily get out of ros order, and the casing A can be used for a long time; but different holders C may be used from time to time to aid in keeping the pipe perfectly fresh.

Having thus described my invention, I 110

claim as new and desire to secure by Letters | Patent—

A tobacco-pipe, comprising a casing consisting of an upper, a middle, and a lower section, of which the lower section is provided with an air-hole, a mouthpiece on the upper section, a tobacco-holder in the middle section and having its upper end perforated and opening into the said upper section, the lower end of the tobacco-holder being provided with a hinged perforated cover and extend-

ing into the lower section, a removable lining of absorbent material for the inner surface of the upper section, and a lining between the holder and the walls of the middle section.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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