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Fig. 1

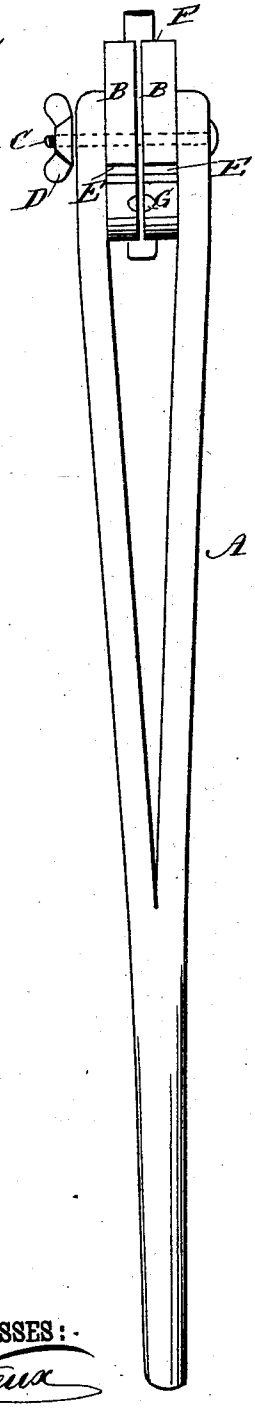


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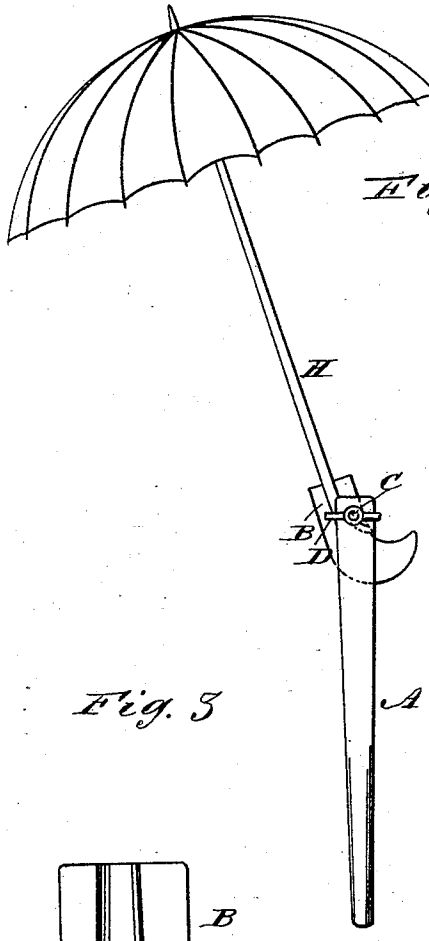
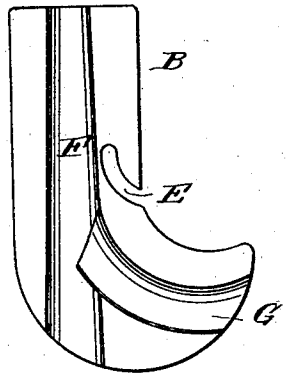


Fig. 3



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, THOMAS A. GAUSE, of Moss Point, in the county of Jackson and State of Mississippi, have invented a new and Improved Umbrella-Holder, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

The object of my invention is to provide a new and improved device for holding an umbrella in a vehicle.

Reference is to be had to the accompanying drawings, forming part of this specification, in which similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts in all the figures.

Figure 1 is a longitudinal front elevation of my improved umbrella-holder. Fig. 2 is a side elevation of the same, showing it holding an umbrella inclined. Fig. 3 is a longitudinal elevation of the inner side of one of the blocks placed in the clamp and for holding the umbrella-handle.

A forked clamp, A, is secured to the seat, dash-board, or floor of a vehicle in some suitable manner, so as to be turned in anyway to give the umbrella the proper angle in the right direction, either permanently or removably. Two blocks, B, are placed between the shanks of the spring-clamp, and are clamped between the same by a screw-bolt, C, provided with a winged nut, D. The bolt C passes through apertures in the ends of the clamp and through curved slots or recesses E in the blocks B. The blocks are each provided in the inner surfaces with a longitudinal groove, F, and with a curved groove, G, or a straight groove extending from the longitudinal groove along the lower part of the block.

An umbrella-stick, H, is placed between the blocks B, which are pressed together and to the stick H, and are clamped between the ends of the forked clamp A by the screw-bolt C and the nut D. If the handle of the umbrella-stick is straight, it is passed into the grooves F only; but if it is curved it is passed into the grooves F and G.

The umbrella can be held at any desired inclination, and can be placed into the holder and removed from the same very easily and readily.

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

1. The block B of an umbrella-holder for vehicles, constructed with the curved recesses E, longitudinal groove F, and the curved groove G, to adapt it to be used as described.

2. In an umbrella-holder, the combination, with the clamp A, of the blocks B, provided with the straight grooves F and the curved grooves G and recesses E, the screw-bolt C, and the nut D, substantially as herein shown and described, and for the purpose set forth.

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