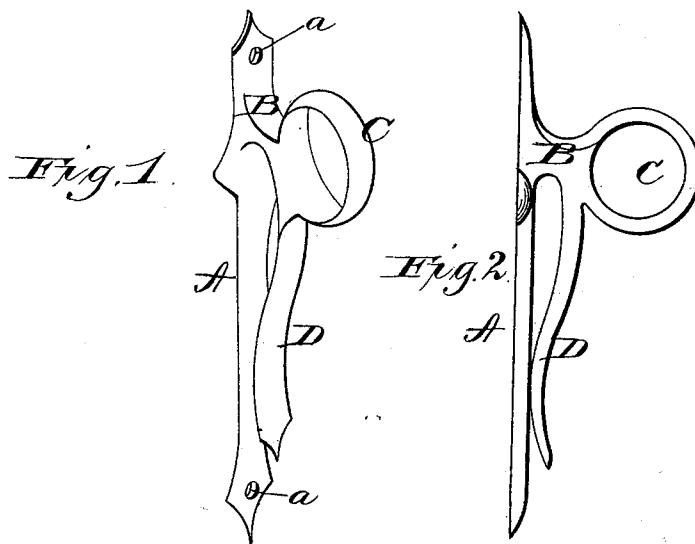


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## COMBINED SHOE-HOLDER AND BOX-DRAW.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, CHARLIE A. SIMONDS, of Buchanan, in the county of Berrien, and in the State of Michigan, have invented certain  
5 new and useful Improvements in Shoe-Holder and Box-Draw Combined; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the let-  
10 ters of reference marked thereon, making a part of this specification.

The nature of my invention consists in the construction and arrangement of a device for attaching shoes to boxes, as will be hereinafter more fully set forth.  
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In order to enable others skilled in the art to which my invention appertains to make and use the same, I will now proceed to describe its construction and operation, referring to the  
20 annexed drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a perspective view, and Fig. 2 a side view, of my invention.

My shoe-fastener is made of a single piece of metal, and is composed of a bar, A, with a  
25 hole, *a*, near each end. Near the upper end is formed a shank or projection, B, terminating in a ring, C, and from the same projects downward a spring-tongue, D.

This device may be made of any suitable kind of metal and more or less ornamented, 30 as desired. It is fastened to a wooden box by means of screws passed through the holes.

When it is to be attached to a paper box a piece of wood must be placed on the inside of the box to form a backing to receive the screws. 35

The ring C forms a handle for drawing out the box. The shoe to be attached on the outside of the box is pulled up between the tongue D and bar A, the spring of the tongue holding it in place. 40

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

As a new article of manufacture, a combined shoe-holder and box-draw, consisting of the 45 bar A, ring C, and spring-tongue D, all constructed substantially as and for the purposes herein set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing I have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of 50 January, 1880.

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