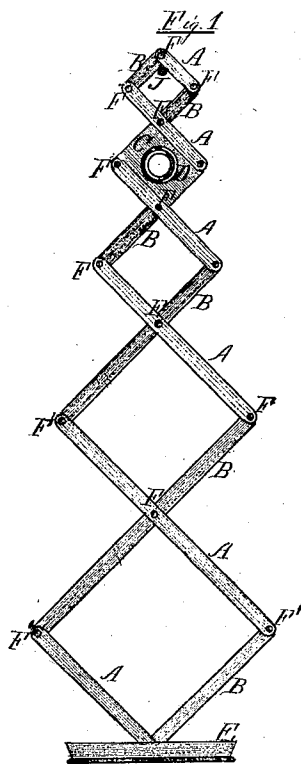
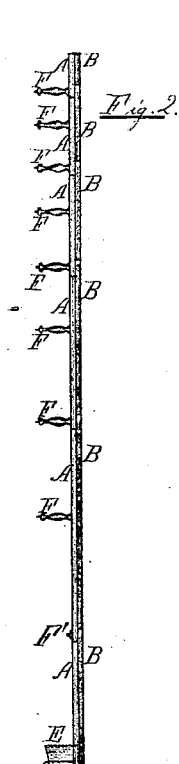


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IMPROVEMENT IN EXTENSION HAT-RACKS.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, NATHAN HAYDEN, of Chicago, in the county of Cook, in the State of Illinois, have invented an Improvement in Extension Hat-Racks; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawing and to the letters of reference marked thereon, making a part of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 is a front elevation of a hat-rack with my improvement attached.

Figure 2, a side elevation of the same.

Figure 3, a front elevation of the hat-rack, folded up for packing and moving.

Figure 4, a perspective representation of the back of the looking-glass frame, which supports the hat-rack when extended.

The nature of the present invention consists in combining a looking-glass frame with an extension hat-rack, the back of which frame is so constructed as to fasten to and form a support for the hat-rack when it is extended out for use, as the whole is hereinafter fully described.

The hat-rack is made of slats, A B, the slats being pivoted together at F F', figs. 1, 2, and 3, by means of pins F, which serve a double purpose, namely, forming a hinge for the slats, and pegs to receive the clothes to be hung on the rack.

An ordinary catch-basin, E, is attached to the bottom of the rack, for the purpose of catching water

that may drop from the clothes, and supporting umbrellas, &c.

The looking-glass is provided with a looking-glass, D, and frame C, figs. 1 and 4, which, besides being used as a looking-glass, is used to support the rack when it is extended, as shown at fig. 1.

Buttons, G, are pivoted to the back of the frame C, which hold the glass to the rack.

Cleats, H, are also fastened to the back of the frame C, and form a bearing for the slats A B to bear against, thereby holding the rack upright when extended.

Instead of the slats, the back of the frame C may be raised up, leaving a rabbet, which is practically the same as that formed by the cleats.

By means of this construction and arrangement a very neat and convenient rack is provided, which, when not in use, may be folded up, and occupy a very small space, as shown at fig. 3.

To keep the rack in an upright position, a pin or nail is driven into the wall and the top of the rack hung on it.

Having thus described my invention,

What I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States, is—

The combination of the glass frame C, arranged with cleats H H, or their equivalent, with an extension hat-rack, A B, as and for the purpose set forth.

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