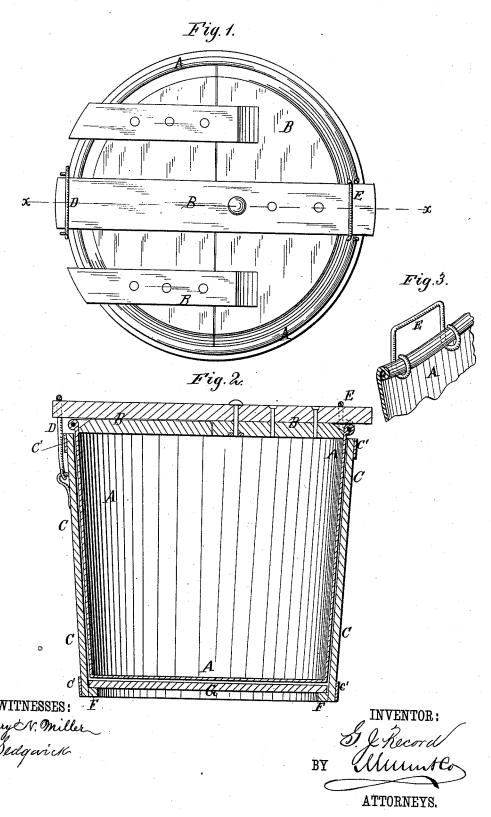
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Removable Casing for Butter Package.

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## IMPROVEMENT IN REMOVABLE CASINGS FOR BUTTER-PACKAGES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE J. RECORD, of Conneaut, in the county of Ashtabula and State of Ohio, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Removable Casings or Jackets for Butter-Packages and other Vessels, of

which the following is a specification.

Figure 1 is a top view of my improved package closed ready for shipment. Fig. 2 is a vertical section of the same, taken through the line x x, Fig. 1. Fig. 3 is a detail view of one of the loops.

Similar letters of reference indicate corre-

sponding parts.

The object of this invention is to furnish an improved casing or jacket for butter-packages and other vessels which shall be so constructed that it may be removed and put on when desired, so that it may be always neat and clean, and ready for reshipment, if required, and which will protect the package from injury during transportation.

The invention consists in combining a veneer jacket with a metallic package, so that they can readily be connected and discon-

nected, as hereinafter described.

A represents the package, which is made of tin, and is provided with the air-tight cover B, for which Letters Patent No. 206,261 were

granted to me July 23, 1878.

C is the casing or jacket, which is made of veneering, and of such a shape and size as to fit snugly upon the package A. The casing C is strengthened by hoops c', placed upon and secured to it at the top and bottom, as shown in Fig. 2.

To the upper part of the casing C is hinged a wire loop, D, which is passed over the end of the lever of the cover B, so as to fasten both the cover B and the casing C to the package A. The other end of the cover-lever is passed through a wire loop, E, hinged to the wired edge of the package A.

To the inner surface of the lower edge of the casing C may be attached a thick hoop, F, as shown in Fig. 2, upon which the bottom of the package may be allowed to rest; or a loose bottom, G, may be placed upon the hoop F for the bottom of the package A to rest upon.

The bottom G is made of thin veneering, so that it will not swell and injure the package when set in a cellar or other damp place.

The casing C may be removed from the package A at any time by placing the bottom G upon a paint-keg, or other object of a less diameter than the casing C, and pressing the said casing downward.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Pat-

The combination, with metallic package A. having a tight cover, B, of the veneer jacket C F G, connected by wire loops D E with the lever on the top of cover and with the vessel, as shown and described.

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