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COMPOUND TOOLS.

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Fig. 1.

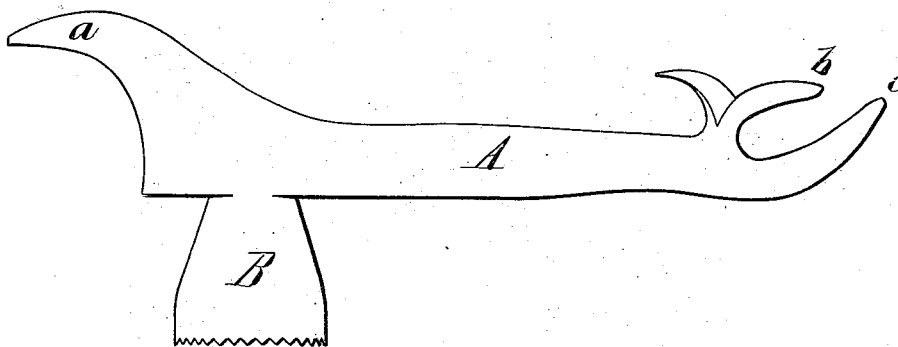
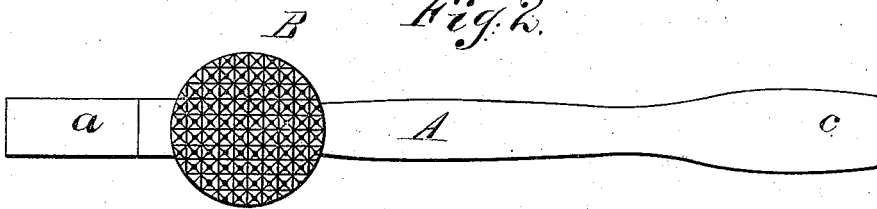


Fig. 2.



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IMPROVEMENT IN COMPOUND TOOLS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, SAMUEL B. MAYFIELD, of Huntsville, in the county of Walker and State of Texas, have invented a new and valuable Improvement in Kitchen-Utensils; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the construction and operation of the same, reference being had to the annexed drawings, making a part of this specification, and to the letters and figures of reference marked thereon.

Figure 1 of the drawings is a representation of a side elevation of my kitchen-utensil, and Fig. 2 is a bottom view of the same.

This invention has relation to a combined tool adapted for lifting plates, and also for mangling meat.

The nature of my invention consists in a serrated mangler formed on one end of a handle, which is constructed with plate lifters and a pot-lifter, as will be understood from the following description.

In the annexed drawings, A designates the handle of the implement, on one end of which is formed a curved tongue, *a*, so constructed that it is adapted to lift stove-plates. B designates a mangler, which has a serrated surface, and which is formed on or attached to the handle A, as illustrated in Fig. 1. The

opposite end of the handle A is constructed with curved and tapered fingers *b c*, which are so formed and combined that they are useful for lifting plates. The finger *b* is constructed with a curved horn or hook, which is especially designed for lifting pots or kettles by their handles.

It will be observed from the above description that I utilize the handle of the implement for lifting pots, kettles, and plates, as a means for holding a device for mangling meat. It will also be seen that the mangler B and the curved tongue *a* serve to afford a firm grasp in using the instrument in lifting pots.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

As a new and improved article of manufacture, a stove-plate and kettle lifter, constructed as described, and provided with a mangler, B, arranged to form part of the grasping-handle when the instrument is used for lifting a pot or kettle, as set forth.

In testimony that I claim the above I have hereunto subscribed my name in the presence of two witnesses.

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