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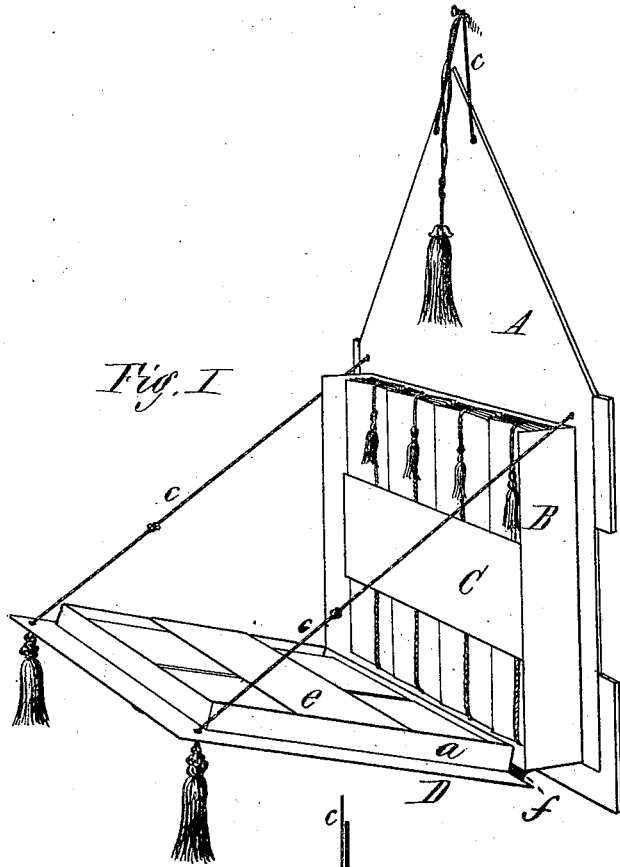


Fig. I

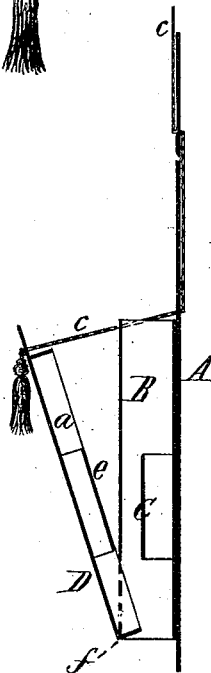


Fig. II

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IMPROVEMENT IN WALL-POCKETS FOR STATIONERY.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ELISHA MORGAN, of Springfield, in the State of Massachusetts, have invented a new and useful Improved Wall-Pocket for Papeteries; and that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, making a part of this specification, and to the letters of reference marked thereon.

My invention relates to a wall-pocket designed as a receptacle for writing-papers and envelopes; and it consists of a base or upright side, having secured thereto a pocket or box having its front side and its top open, and with a cover; also provided with a pocket with one side open, hinged thereto, both pockets being provided with a band to keep the paper and envelopes in place.

Figure I is a perspective view of my invention, and Fig. II is a vertical transverse section of the same.

In the drawings, A represents the upright sheet or board, having secured thereto the box B, having its front side and the top open, and provided with the horizontal band C, behind which the paper or envelopes are placed, and which serves to keep the stationery in place, as shown in Fig. I.

To the lower edge of the box B, at *f*, is

hinged the sheet or board D, having secured to the inside thereof the box *a*, having its rear side open, and with a horizontal band, *e*, arranged therein, behind which the stationery is placed, and which serves to keep it in position.

A cord, *c*, attached to the upper corners of the sheet D, and passed through holes in the upper part of the board A, and tied together above, serves to suspend the whole upon the wall of the room, and by drawing the cord upward, through the holes in the board A, the board D is drawn inward toward the former, and the device held closed.

This arrangement forms a very ornamental and convenient receptacle for stationery, which is readily withdrawn by drawing the upper edge of the board D outward.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim as new is—

As a new article of manufacture, the combination of the board A and the box or pocket B, provided with its band C, the board D, hinged at *f*, the pocket *a*, provided with its band *e*, and the cords *c*, all substantially as and for the purpose herein set forth.

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