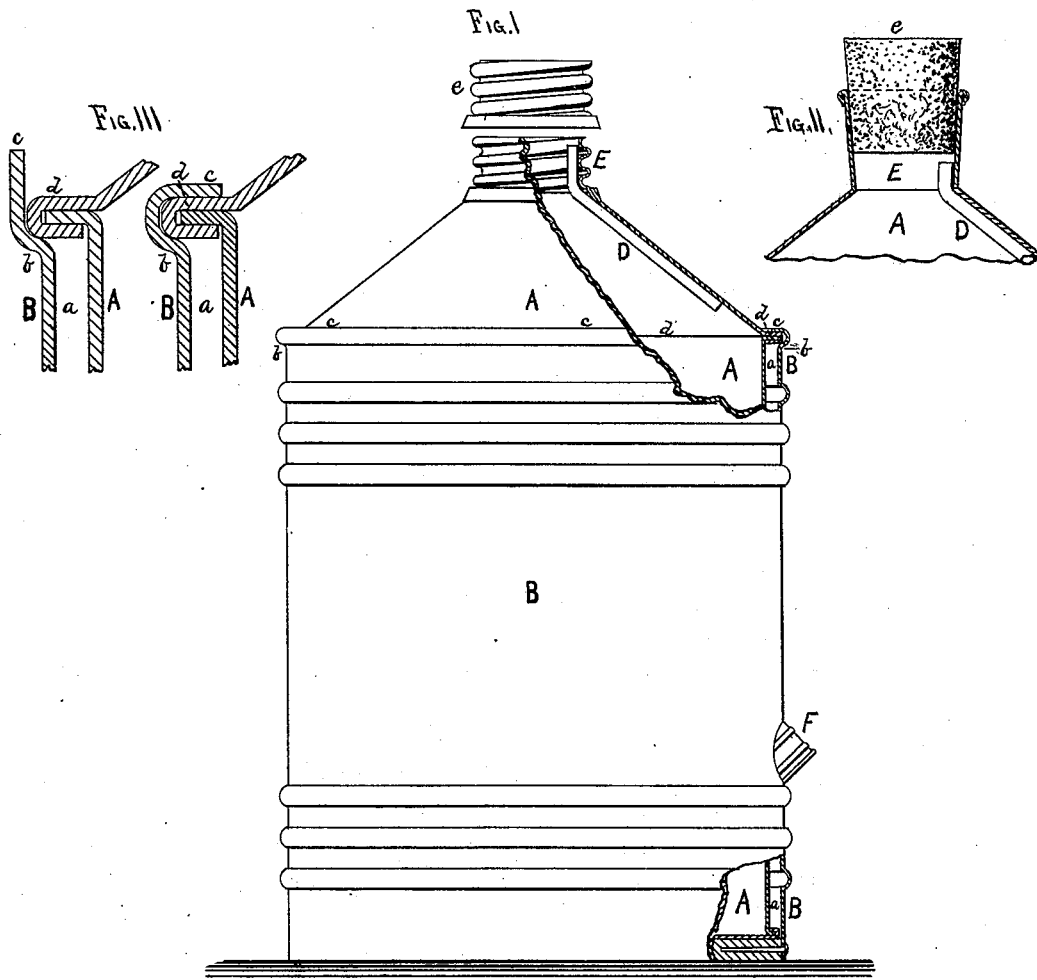


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IMPROVEMENT IN OIL-CAN JACKETS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, LOUIS PETER, of St. Paul, in the county of Ramsey and State of Minnesota, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Oil-Can Jackets, &c., which invention is fully set forth in the annexed specification and accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a sectional side elevation; Figs. 2 and 3, detail views.

This invention relates to jackets for oil-cans, &c.; and consists in the method of securing the jackets to the cans by turning over the upper rim of the jacket, which is integral—that is, in one piece—with the jacket, upon the edge of the can, as hereinafter described.

A is the can, and B the jacket, which is made somewhat larger than the can, leaving a space, *a*, between them.

The jacket is first formed with a shoulder, *b*, (see Fig. 3,) and then the perpendicular rim *c* left by this operation is bent over upon the edge *d*, thus preventing the removal of the can from the jacket, and also holding the jacket upon the can when it is moved.

By this means I form a very simple, cheap, and convenient jacket, which cannot become disarranged or loosened, as the jacket and rim *c* are made in one piece.

I am aware that it is not new to secure a jacket to a can by bending the rim over upon the can; but so far as I am aware it is new to form such bent edge and the jacket in one piece.

I am acquainted with the patent of Wm. Y. Horn, September 4, 1877, No. 194,821, who shows a jacket secured to the can by means of a wire ring, around which the rim *c* is bent, which forms a shoulder, under which the edge of the can is held; but Mr. Horn's invention is not the equivalent of mine, as he uses a wire run into the edge of the jacket before it is put upon the can; but with my device the edge is bent over upon the can after it is placed in the jacket, so that it is immaterial how tightly or loosely the jacket may fit, as the rim *c* can be bent more or less to fit it, thus rendering a tight fit certain.

By dispensing with the wire a great saving of cost, time, and trouble is obtained.

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

The combination of the can A, having edge *d*, with the sheet-metal jacket B; the rim of the latter being integral with the jacket, and bent over the edge of the can, substantially as and for the purpose described.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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