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Cigar-Package.

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Fig. 1.

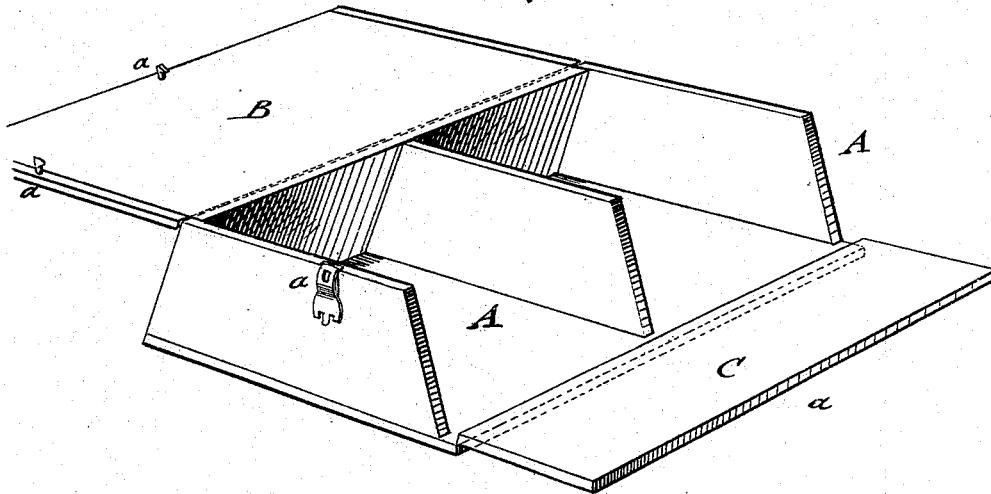


Fig. 2.

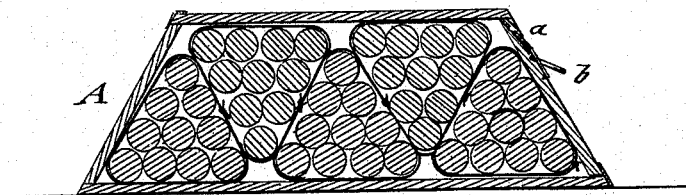
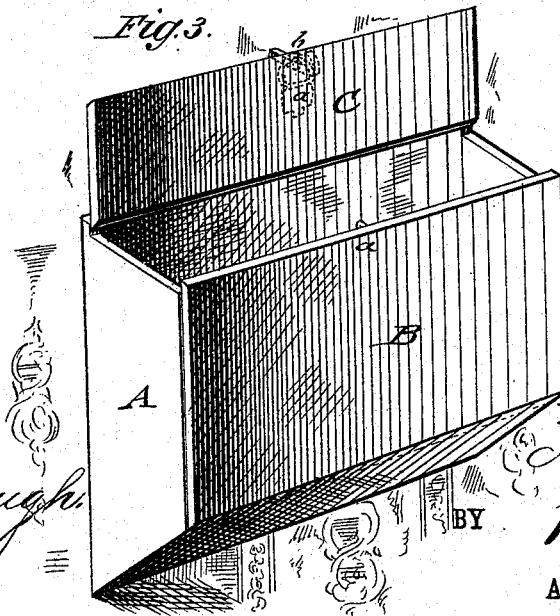


Fig. 3.



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## IMPROVEMENT IN CIGAR-PACKAGES.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, MORITZ JONAS, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented an Improved Cigar-Package, of which the following is a specification:

In the accompanying drawing, Figure 1 represents a perspective view of my improved cigar-box, showing the same in open position, ready for packing the cigars therein. Fig. 2 is a vertical transverse section of the same, showing the arrangement of the cigars in the same; and Fig. 3 is a perspective of my box, shown as hung to the wall, to be used for a bill-file or other purpose after the cigars are taken out.

Similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts.

The invention will first be described in connection with the drawing, and then pointed out in the claim.

In the drawing, A represents the body of cigar-box; B, the lid, and C the hinged front wall, which is, like the rear wall, arranged at an inclination of sixty degrees on the beveled side walls, so as to form a box of trapezoidal shape.

The cigars are packed in bundles of ten cigars each, which have the shape of an equilateral triangle, with angles of sixty degrees, which admits, when the bundles are placed in the direction of the longitudinal axis into the box, the packing of fifty or one hundred cigars, or the multiples thereof, in convenient manner, and at a complete utilization of every available space in the box.

The box for the reception of my cigar-bundles, shown in the drawing, and herein partially described, will form the subject-matter of a subsequent application.

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

A package of cigars composed of a series of bundles prismatic in cross-section, and placed together so as to dovetail into each other, substantially as described.

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