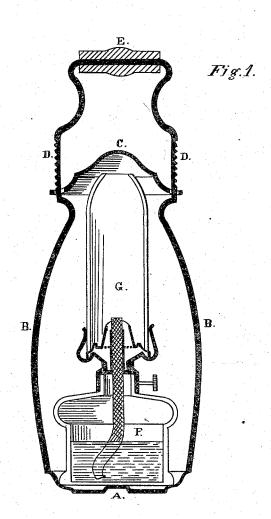
J. D. PIERCE. Lamp-Holder.

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## IMPROVEMENT IN LAMP-HOLDERS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JAMES D. PIERCE, of Milwaukee, in the county of Milwaukee, in the State of Wisconsin, have invented certain Improvements in Lamp-Holders, of which the following is a specification:

The object of my invention is to hold a lamp, and carry it about the house and out of doors, instead of a lantern; and it consists in a bottom piece for the lamp to stand on and a wire running up outside, with a handle at the top to carry it by, and a shade on its top.

Figure 1 is a sectional view of my invention. A is the bottom, made of metal, for the lamp to stand on; B, the wire frame, by which it is hung; C, the shade over the top of the chimney, held in place by the notches D on the outside of the wire. The shade may be raised or

lowered by pressing in the wire, and the notches D will hold it in place. This is for the purpose of accommodating it to the different lengths of chimneys. E, a wooden handle on the top of the wire to carry it by; F, the lamp; G, the chimney.

I claim as my invention-

1. The combination of bottom A, wire B, forming a handle at the top, and shade C, arranged substantially as set forth.

2. The combination of bottom A, side wire B, shade C, handle E, and notch D, substantially as specified.

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