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## Extension-Table.

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Fig. 1.

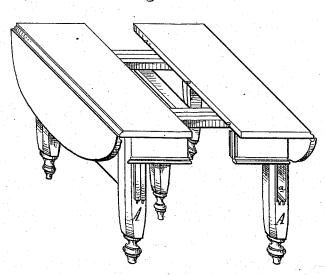
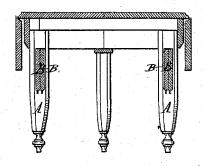


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## IMPROVEMENT IN EXTENSION-TABLES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE AHRENS, of Crete, in the county of Will and State of Illinois, have invented an Improvement in Extension-Tables, of which the following is a specification:

The object of my invention is to so arrange an extension-table, as to afford a compact storage-place for the movable leaves when the table is wholly or partially contracted; and it consists in transversely slotting the legs of the table to receive the leaves.

Figure 1 a perspective view. Fig. 2 is a cross-section of the same in the plane of the legs.

A A represent the corner legs of an extension-table of the usual construction. The legs of each end of the table are transversely slot-

ted in their upper parts, as at a, Fig. 1, to receive the movable leaves B of the table, which are therein compactly stowed. The bottoms of the slots are grooved to receive the dowelpins on the edges of the leaves.

A table constructed in this way requires to have the legs larger than usual to permit of their being slotted.

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

The legs A of an extension-table provided with slots a to receive the movable leaves, substantially as set forth.

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