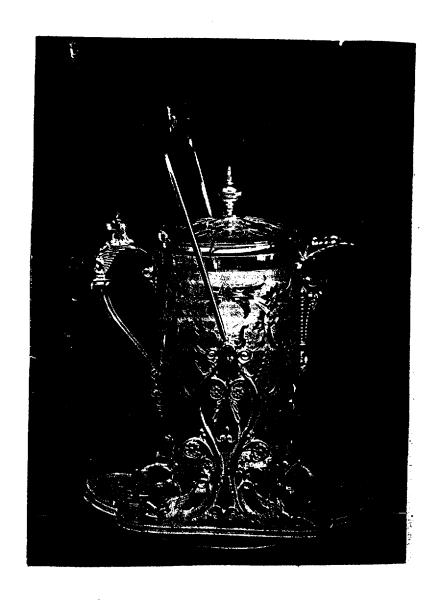
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DESIGN FOR PITCHER.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HERMAN VASSEUR, of Wallingford, in the county of New Haven and State of Connecticut, have invented a new Design for Ice-Pitcher; and I do hereby declare the following, when taken in connection with the accompanying drawings and the letters of reference marked thereon, to be a full, clear, and exact description of the same, and which said drawings constitute part of this specification, and represent side view.

The illustration relates to a design for that class of ice-pitcher which are hung in a frame, and known as tilting pitchers. Parts of the design are, however, applicable to other pitchers.

The design consists of three essential features, viz: First, the configuration of the supporting-frame; second, the configuration and ornamentation of the handle; third, the configuration and ornamentation of the nose. The last two features are applicable to icepitchers generally.

On the base or plate, at each side, are the fore quarters of two "Pegasuses," facing in opposite directions, the bodies resting on the plate, and from the bodies of each a seroll-work rises to the bearing for the pitcher.

This scroll-work is floriated, and all as shown in the accompanying illustration. The handle starts from a tip near the bottom of the pitcher and rises in a curve to a little below the top of the pitcher. From this point a scroll springs to the body of the pitcher. Each side of this scroll is in the form of a wing, and surmounted by the head of a dog, as shown in the accompanying illustration. The nose or spont is of a "scollop shell" shape, resting on a console below, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

I claim-

1. The design for pitcher-frame, consisting of the two "Pegasuses" and scroll-work extending up to the bearing, as shown in the accompanying illustration, and herein described.

2. The design for handle for ice-pitcher, consisting of the curved lower part and scroll-top connection, with wing ornaments surmounted by a figure of a dog's head, as shown and described.

3. The design for ice-pitcher nose, consisting of the shell-shaped spout, resting on the console below, as shown and described.

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