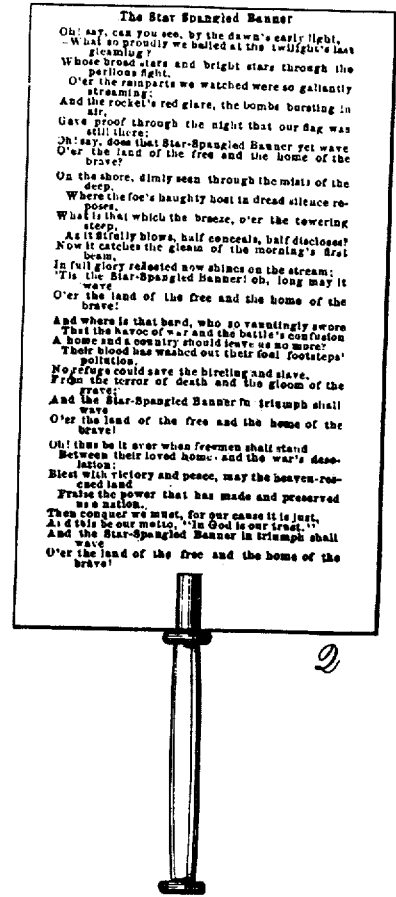
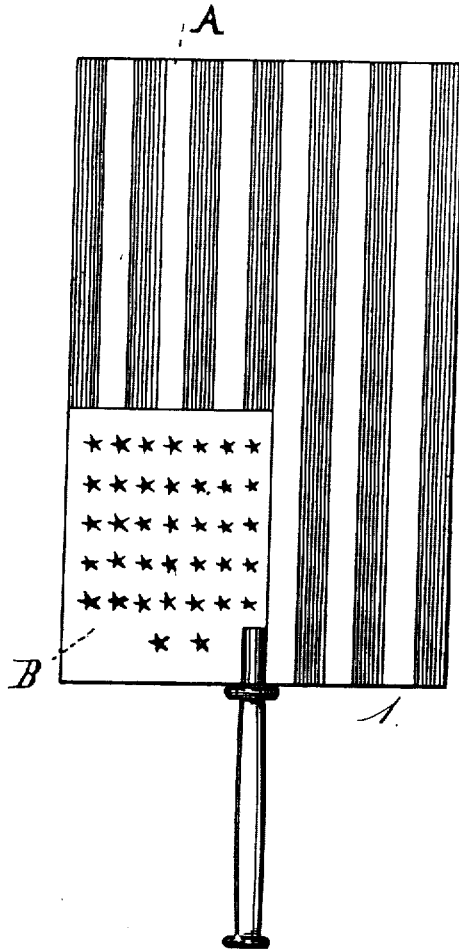


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Fan.

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CASE A.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CHARLES ROWLAND, of the city, county, and State of New York, have originated a new Design for Fans, of which the following is a specification:

The two photographic illustrations or drawings, marked Nos. 1 and 2, accompanying this specification, show the invention, and in which A represents the stripes, and B the stars, of the flag.

My invention thus presented is designed to commemorate and keep alive the patriotic feelings of the people by exhibiting upon a fan—an article of general use—the representation of the national flag of the United States.

The handle of the article may be part of or be detachable from the fan. The material of the fan may be card-board, or any rigid sheet, and the covering thereof may be of silk, wool, cotton, or any desired fibrous or textile material or materials. Red, white, and blue will,

of course, be the prevailing colors used. Gilt or silver lettering and ornamenting will be admitted, when deemed useful, to give additional artistic effect, and a bordering of lace, feathers, &c., adopted on the more costly and luxurious styles of the article.

Having thus stated the nature of my invention, what I claim is—

The design for a fan, having the vertical stripes A and group of stars B, representing the American flag, substantially as described, and shown in the accompanying illustration.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing improved design for a fan, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of August, 1875.

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