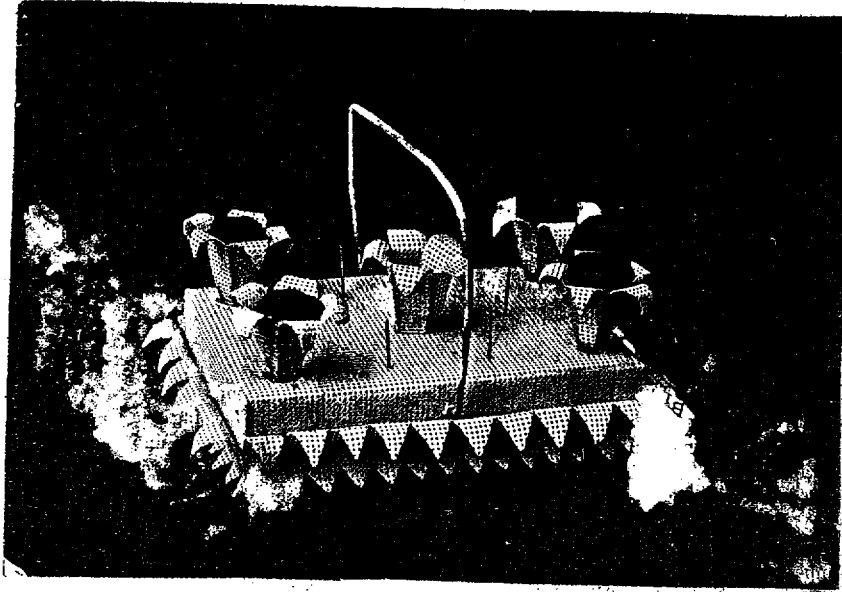


DESIGN.

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NEEDLE AND THREAD STAND.

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DESIGN FOR NEEDLE-AND-THREAD STAND.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ELIZA C. L. SWINDLER, of Magnolia, in the county of Putnam and State of Illinois, have originated and designed a Pattern for a Needle-and-Thread Stand, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying photographic illustration, making part of this specification.

The nature of my design is fully represented in the accompanying photographic illustration, to which reference is made.

A represents the body of the stand. It is made of gold or silver, or of gold, silver, or nickel plated sheet metal. A plate, B, cut in scallops, is soldered below for a bottom fringe, and four legs are also soldered below.

The top is ornamented by four vases, c c c c, made of the same material, and holding each a pin or needle cushion, D, made of red or blue velvet. In the center is a similar vase, E, which is intended to hold a thimble. Around the center vase E are six pins, F F F,

soldered fast to the body A, and which are intended to hold each a spool of thread. A fringe, G, surrounds the body A at the top. A handle, H, is riveted to the body A in such a manner that it swings, and may, therefore, be raised up or laid down.

I am aware that pin-and-thread holders made ornamentally from sheet metal are not new, and I do not claim them. The distinctive character of my design is found in the peculiar disposition and shape of the four vases c c c c and central vase E, and the six pins F F F, the fringes B and G, and the handle H.

What I claim as my invention is—

The design for a needle-and-thread stand, substantially as described, and shown in the accompanying illustration.

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