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DESIGN FOR INKSTANDS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, OTTO F. FOGELSTRAND, of New Britain, in the county of Hartford, and State of Connecticut, have originated and designed a new and original Design for an Inkstand, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying engraving, making part of the same.

The nature of my design is fully represented in the accompanying drawing or engraving,

to which reference is made.

A A represent the ink-wells, the covers of which are described and claimed in another application of even date herewith. The inkwells A A rest in depressions, one at each end of the base B, the contour of which depressions conform to the exterior shape of the ink-wells at their base. The base B is rectangular in form, the sides being formed from the top down, first, of a cove, a; second, of a band, b, inclining outward; and, lastly, of a plane, c, deepest at the corners to form legs, as shown. The top of the base B is ornamented on its four corners and edges, except near the middle of its length, by depressed ornaments, as shown, and between the depressions in which the ink-wells rest is a sunken ground ornamented with raised work, as shown. The cove a is ornamented by depressions, the same consisting of pairs of oblong depressions, with a circular depression between each pair. The band b is bordered by a raised ledge, the space inclosed thereby being ornamented

by raised ornaments on a vertically fluted ground. At the front of the base B is a penrack consisting of two thin vertical plates, C C, curved at their lower edge, and having curved notches at their top edge. The sides have a raised border at the lower edge, and above said border the major part of each side is fluted vertically, as shown.

I claim as my invention—

1. In an inkstand, the design for the base B having ink-well depressions surrounded by depressed and raised ornaments the cove a ornamented by pairs of oblong depressions, with circular depressions between, the band b bordered by a ledge surrounding raised ornaments on a fluted ground, and the plane c, in the manner substantially as above described.

2. In an inkstand, the design consisting of the combination of the base B, rectangular in form, and containing two ink-well depressions, with the pen-rack C C composed of two vertical plates arranged at the front of said base, substantially in the manner above described.

3. In an inkstand, the design for the peurack C C, curved at their lower edge, notched at the top edge, and the sides ornamented by the raised border and vertical-fluted surface, substantially in the manner above described.

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