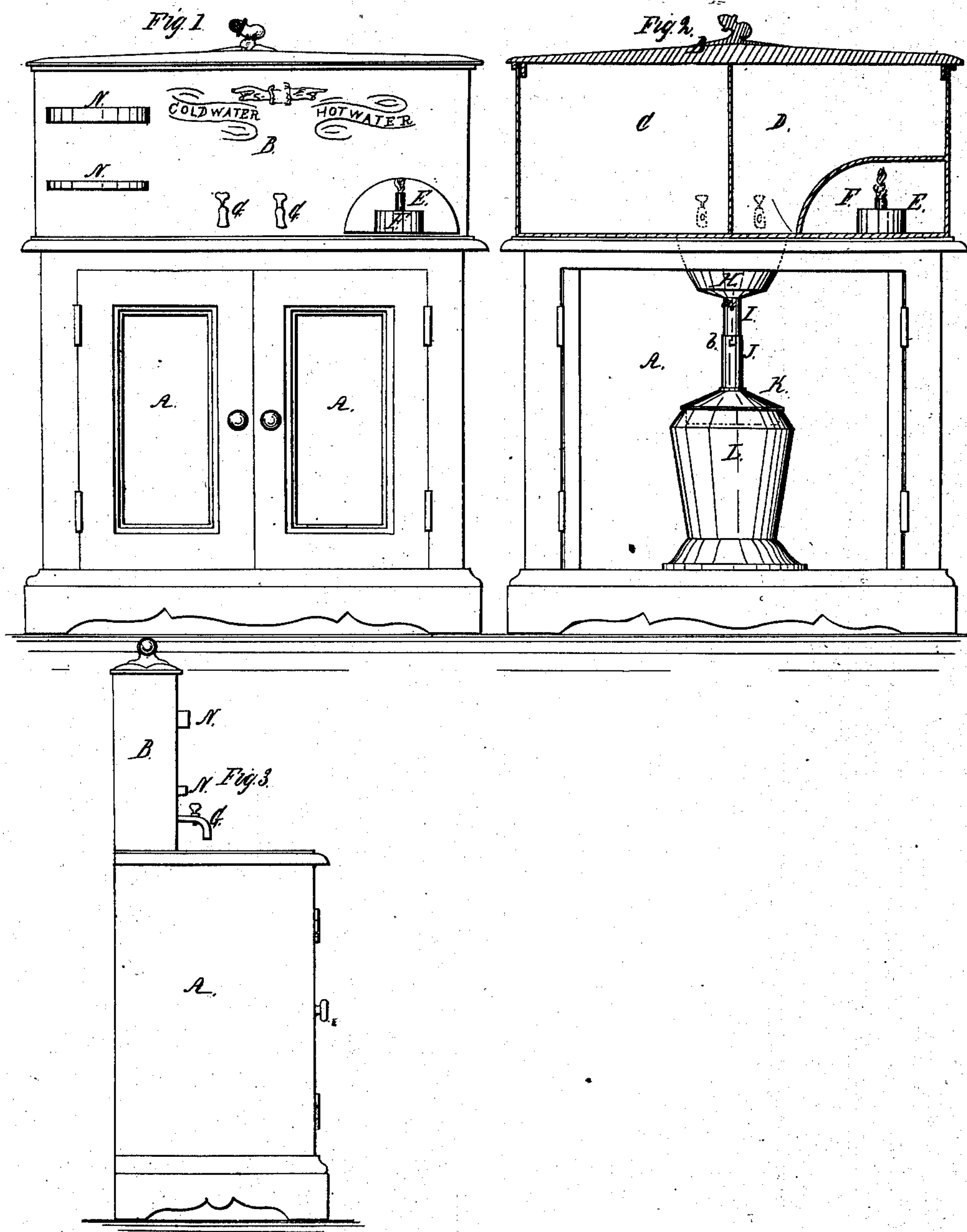


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PORTABLE WASHSTAND.



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The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, SAMUEL B. GUERNSEY, of the city of Chicago, in the county of Cook, and State of Illinois, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Portable Washstands; and I do hereby make known and declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and the letters and figures marked thereon, which form part of this specification.

My said invention consists in attaching permanently an ornamental or suitable water tank or reservoir to a portable washstand, said reservoir being divided into two compartments, to contain both cold and hot water, suitable provisions being made in connection with the latter, by means of a recess beneath and a suitable lamp or portable heating device, to heat the water in the said compartment of the reservoir when desired. My invention further consists in permanently fixing the wash bowl or basin in the stand, and in connecting the escape-pipe from said basin with a waste-water can or receptacle beneath in such a manner as to form a continuous passage into the said can, while the latter is readily detachable when needed to remove the waste water therefrom.

To enable those skilled in the art to understand how to construct and use my invention, I will proceed to describe the same with particularity making reference in so doing to the aforesaid drawings, in which—

Figure 1 represents a front elevation of my invention.

Figure 2, a front view, with the water reservoir in section, and the doors open to show the said arrangement of the waste-water can; and

Figure 3, an end view or elevation of the same.

Similar letters of reference in the different figures denote the same parts of my invention.

A represents the main part of the washstand, provided with doors, as shown, into the upper part or top of which is set the wash bowl, marked H, as shown, which is intended to be permanently attached thereto. Upon the rear part of the stand is permanently placed the reservoir, B, for water, being divided into two compartments, C D, the former for cold water, and the latter being constructed with a recess, E, beneath it, into which a suitable heater or lamp, F, may be placed to heat the water therein. G represents stop-cocks, through which the water is drawn from the reservoir into the basin. I represents a waste-water pipe, leading from the basin down a short distance within the tube J, attached to the cover, K, of the waste-water can, L, thus forming a continuous pipe from the basin to said can. When it is desired to remove the said can, L, from the washstand, the cover is raised, the tube J, attached thereto, sliding up on the pipe I until the pin *a* enters the slot *b*, when, by a half or partial turn of said cover and tube, J, it is retained by said catch, *a b*, and the cover being then free from the can, the latter can readily be removed as desired. When the can is replaced, the cover may be readjusted upon the same by the reverse of the operation above described. N represents suitable racks or supports to hold brushes, combs, and other toilet articles.

Having described the construction and operation of my invention, I will proceed to specify particularly what I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent.

1. I claim, in combination with a portable washstand, a water reservoir, permanently attached thereto, having two compartments, C D, and a recess, E, beneath one of them, substantially as and for the purposes specified.

2. I claim, as arranged with the foregoing, the wash basin H, pipes I J, cover K, and can L, as and for the purposes specified.

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