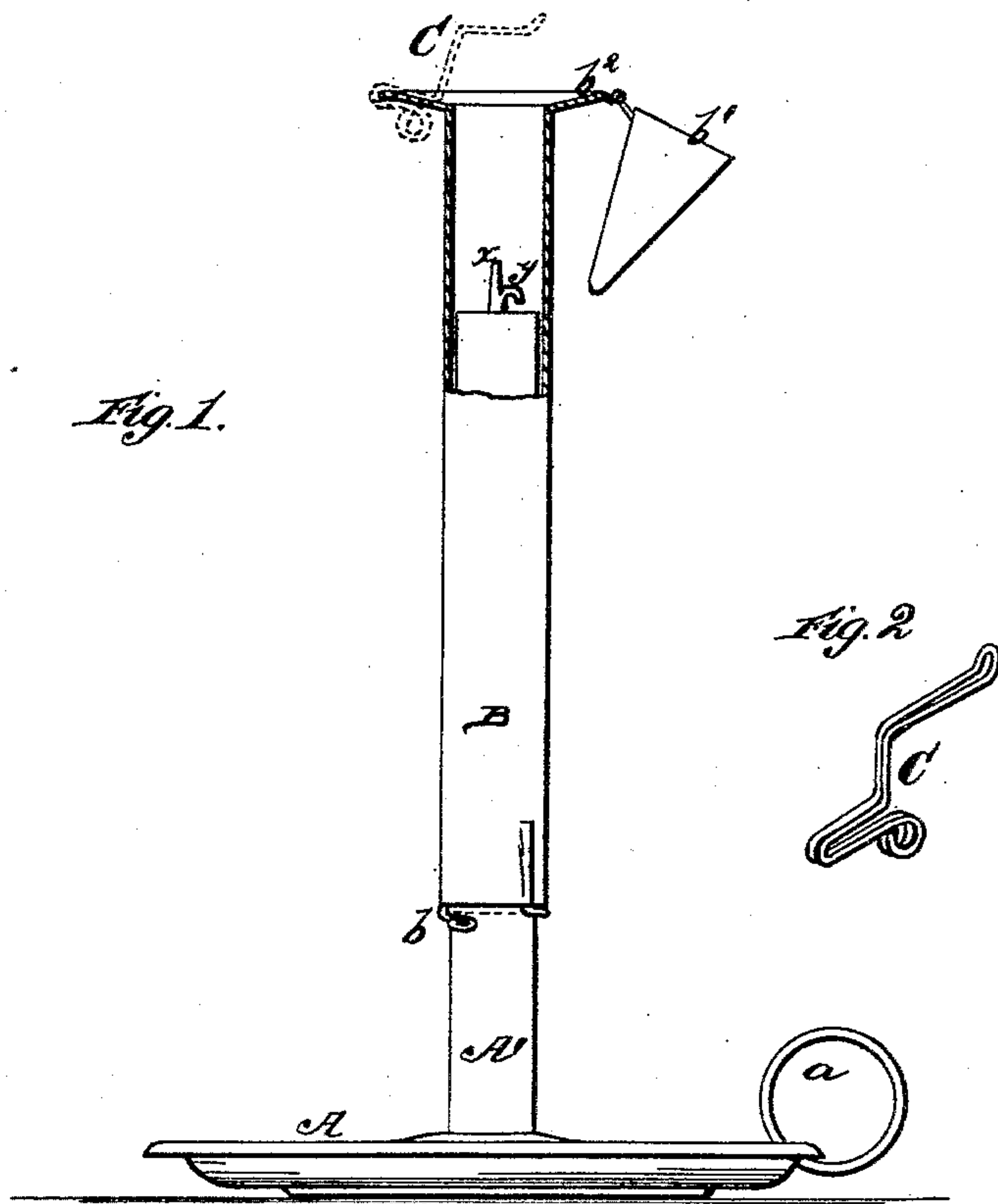


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IMPROVEMENT IN CANDLESTICKS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, L: LEONARD, of El Dorado, in the county of Butler and State of Kansas, have invented a new and valuable Improvement in Candlesticks and Molds; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the construction and operation of the same, reference being had to the annexed drawings, making a part of this specification, and to the letters and figures of reference marked thereon.

Figure 1 of the drawings is a representation of a side elevation, partly in section; and Fig. 2 is a perspective view of the wick-holder.

My invention relates to a combined candlestick and mold for making candles; and the novelty consists in the construction and arrangement of parts, as will be more fully hereinafter set forth and pointed out in the claims.

In carrying out my invention I employ the usual form of base and standard for the candlestick, except that the standard is longer, and is provided with a pin on the top to pierce the bottom end of the candle, and a hook to engage the wick. Upon this standard operates a cylinder, having a spring which binds upon the standard, and affords an adjustability vertically.

A wick-holder of bent wire operates over the cap-flange of the cylinder and serves to hold the upper end of the wick, is removable, and is sprung upon the said flange. A hinged cap covers the upper end of the candle when not in use.

Referring to the drawings, A represents the base, with handle *a* and standard A', of usual construction, except that the standard acts as an imperforate core, and is provided upon its

upper end with a wick-hook, *y*, and a pin, *x*. B represents a cylinder adapted to receive and operate over the standard A', and it is provided with a friction-spring, *b*, at the bottom, and a hinged cap, *b*¹, at the upper end. C represents a wick-holder of spring-wire, adapted to clasp the flange *b*² of the cylinder.

The wick, being attached below to the hook *y*, and above to the spring wick-holder C, is held in the center of the cylinder B, which cylinder is moved and held upward on the standard A'. The tallow, wax, or the like is poured into the mold thus made, and when cool the candle is ready for use by moving the cylinder downward.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

1. The base A *a*, having imperforate standard A', with hook *y* and pin *x*, constructed and adapted to operate, in relation to an adjustable cylinder, as set forth.

2. The cylinder B, having friction-spring *b*, in combination with the imperforate standard A', having pin *x*, as set forth.

3. The spring wick-holder C and cylinder B *b*², in combination with the standard A', pin *x*, and hook *y*, as set forth.

4. The base A, standard A', pin *x*, hook *y*, as shown, in combination with the cylinder B, spring *b*, cap *b*¹, flange *b*², and spring wick-holder C, as and for the purpose set forth.

In testimony that I claim the above I have hereunto subscribed my name in the presence of two witnesses.

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