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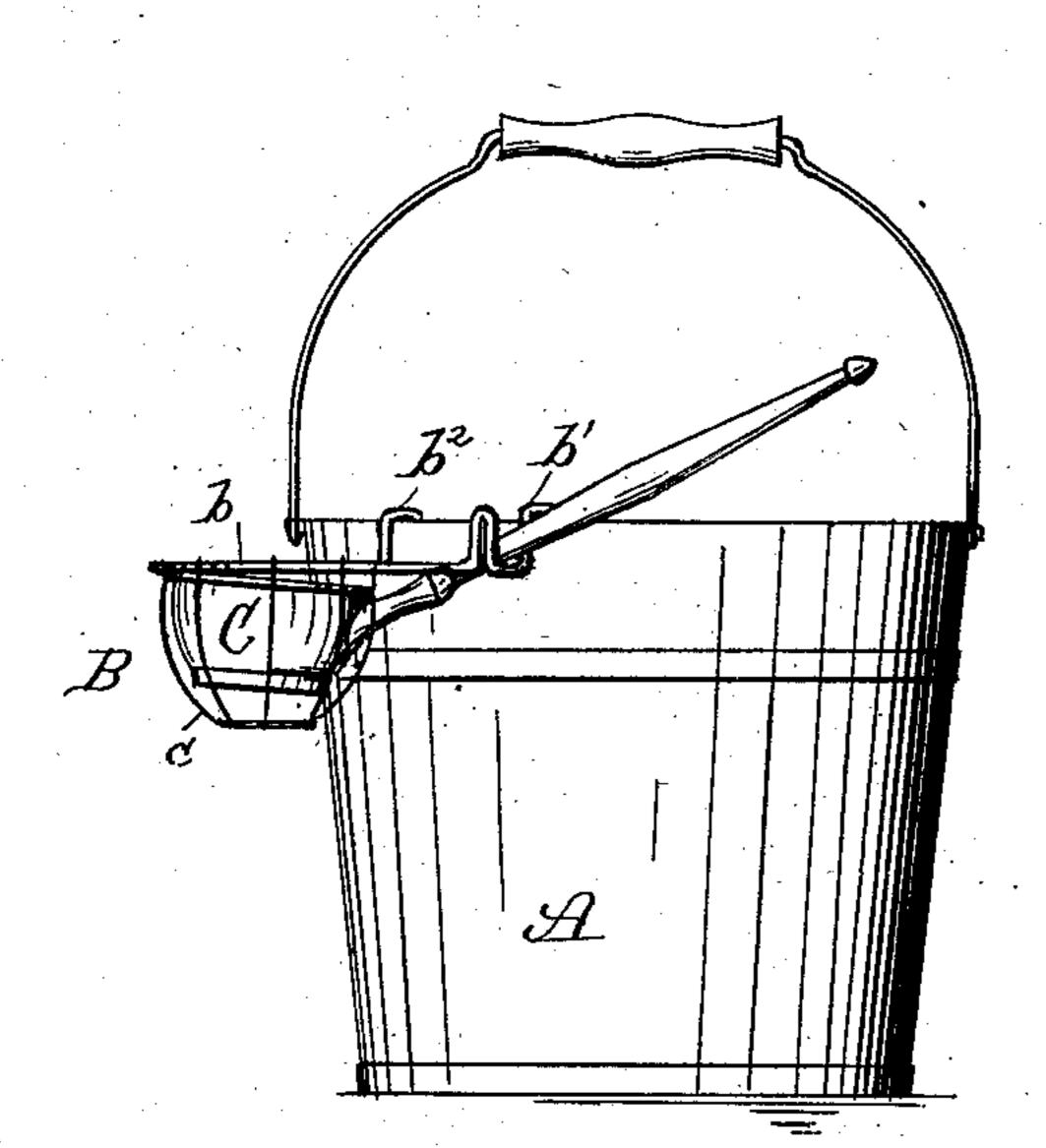


Fig. 2.

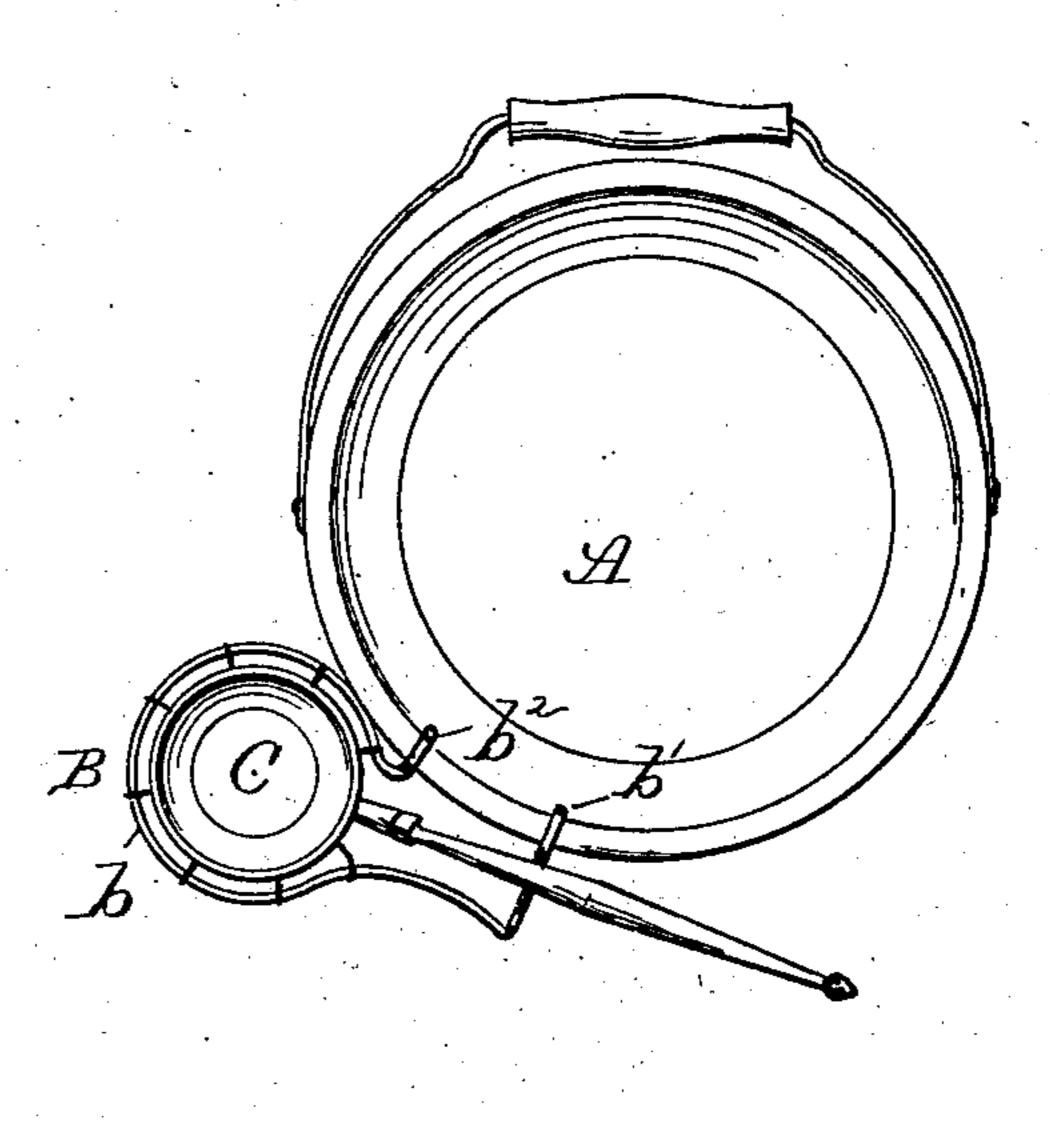


Fig.3.

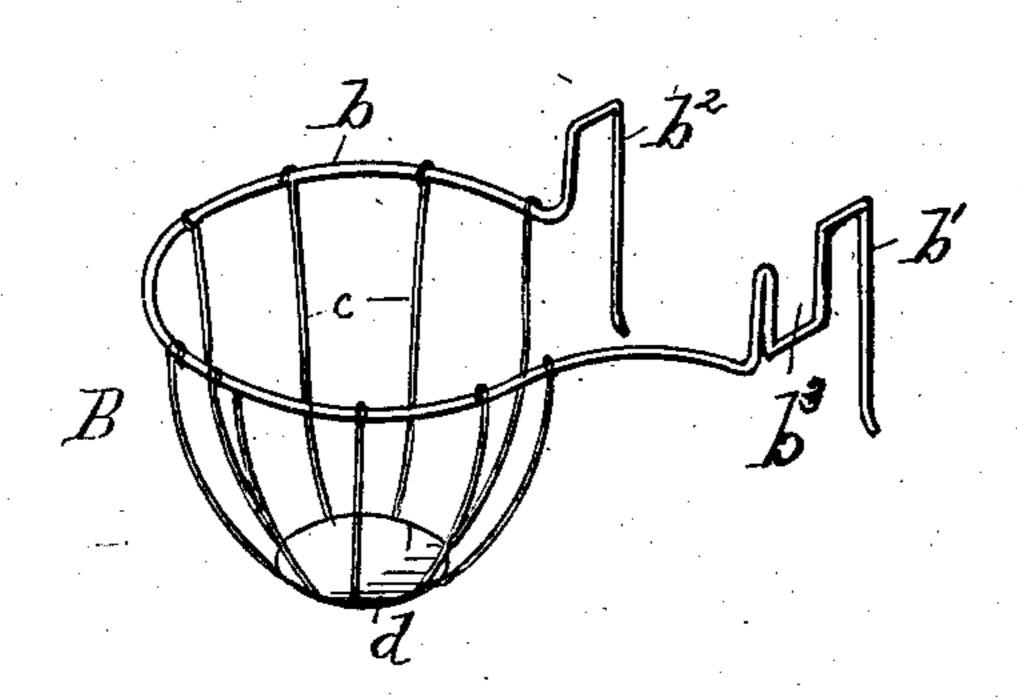
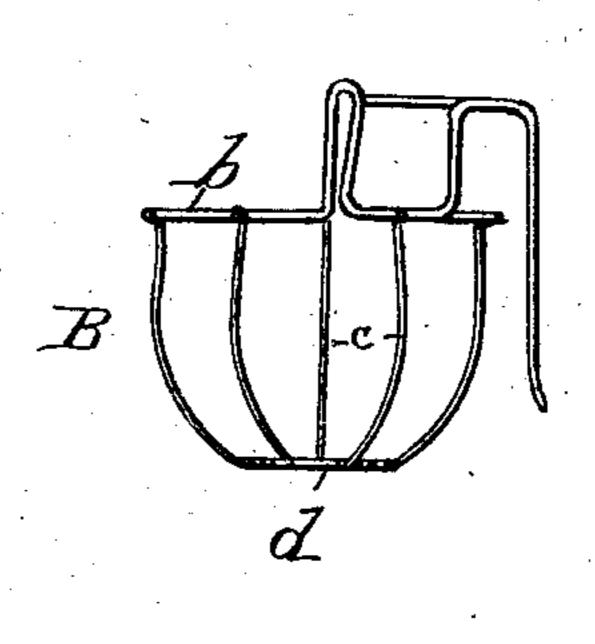


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that we, Thomas W. Sims and Fred Fischer, citizens of the United States, residing at Fairfield, in the county of Freestone and State of Texas, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Household Utensils, of which the following is a specification, reference being had therein to the accompanying drawings.

Our invention relates to devices for securing cups or dippers to buckets or cans, the construction of which will be hereinafter fully set forth.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a side elevation of a bucket with my dipper-holder attached. Fig. 2 is a top plan view, and Figs. 3 and 4 are views of the holder detached.

A represents a bucket of ordinary design, to the upper edge of which the holder is attotached.

B is the holder. It consists of a circular rim, b, the ends of which, b'  $b^2$ , are turned parallel to each other and bent into hooks placed over the edge of the bucket, as shown.

In the end b' is formed a recess,  $b^3$ , which receives the handle of the dipper. Attached around the circular portion of the rim b are wires c, the lower ends of which are attached to the small disk d, thus forming a cup-shaped holder for the dipper C.

The application of the device is readily understood by reference to the drawings, and it may be attached to any bucket of ordinary manufacture or to a wall or other convenient place.

What we claim is—

A dipper-holder consisting of the rim b, wire c, and disk d, arranged to form a cup-shaped support, the ends of the rim being bent into hooks b'  $b^2$ , and a recess,  $b^3$ , substantially as 40 shown and described.

In testimony whereof we affix our signatures in presence of two witnesses.

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