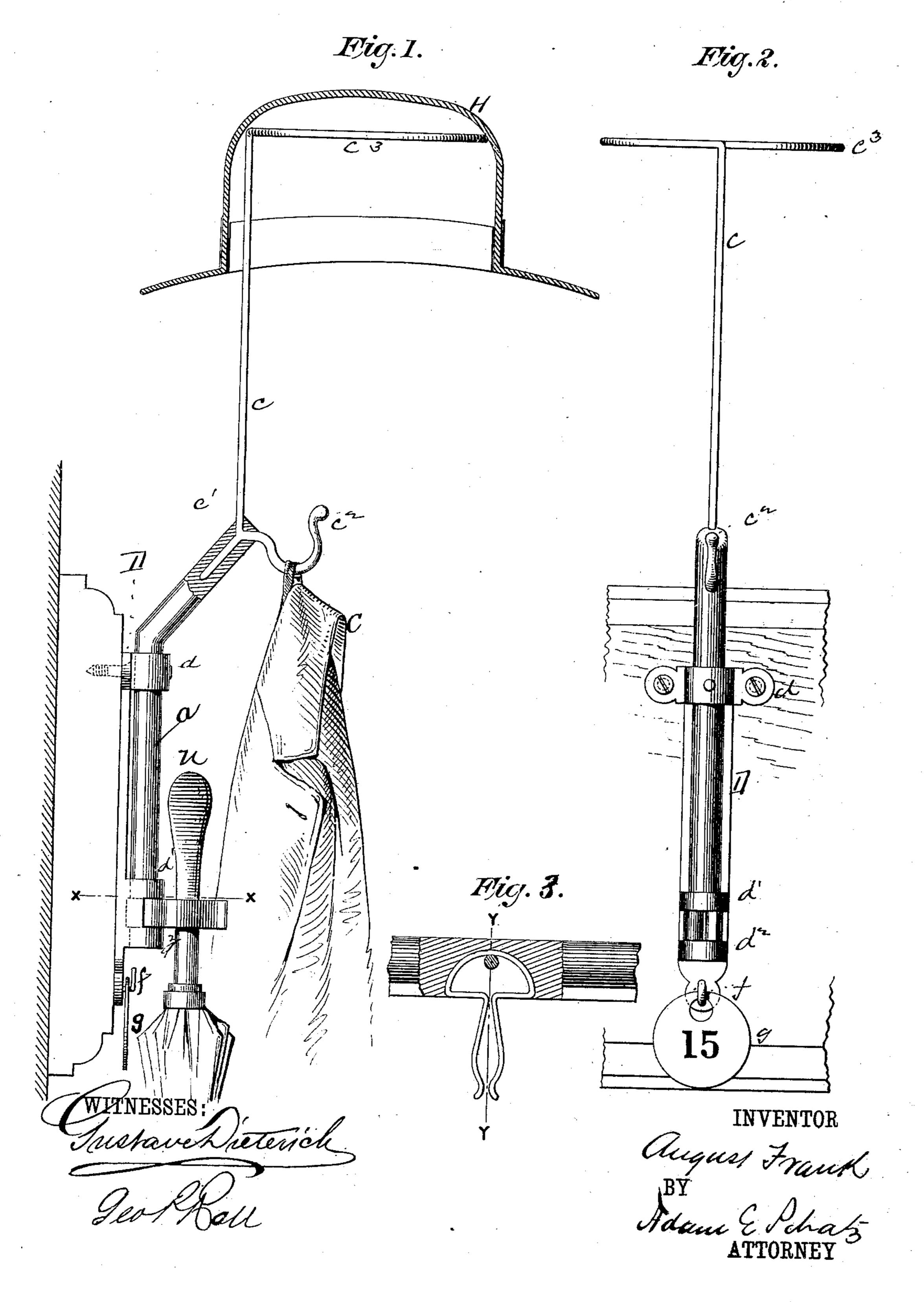
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, AUGUST FRANK, a citizen of the United States of America, and a resident of New York city, county, and State, 5 have invented a new and useful Improvement in a Combined Cane, Umbrella, and Hat Rack, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to a combined hat, coat, and umbrella holder, intended to be sero cured to partitions or walls in hat-rooms of halls, concert-rooms, saloons, or other public places, and is intended to facilitate the hanging up of the same.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a side view of 15 the device, and represents the same affixed to a hook-board, which is usually fastened to the wall, showing a hat, coat, and umbrella hung thereon. Fig. 2 represents a front view of the device. Fig. 3 represents a top view, 20 with a portion of the molding cut away to show the manner in which the spring-holder is fastened.

Like letters represent like parts in the different views of the drawings.

D is a plate having the eyes $d d' d^2$ and the hook f. The plate has the appearance of the ordinary bolt-casing. The plate D has the eye d at its upper end and the eyes d' d^2 at the lower end, far enough apart to allow the spring-30 holder b to pass between them. The plate is fastened to the hook-molding. The shank ais passed through the eye d and the eyes d' d^2 and the eye of the spring-holder b. A peg is then passed through the eye d into the hold

to prevent the hold from sliding up or down. 35 The shank a is bent at the upper end outwardly, and has a boring to receive the prong c' of the hat-rod c. The hat-rod c is provided at the lower end with the prong c' and the hook c^2 , and at the upper end with the loop c^3 , upon 4c which is hung the hat H. The plate D has a small hook at the lower end to receive the hatcheck g. The spring is made of spring metal, and bent in the shape shown in Fig. 3. In Fig. 3 is shown a modification of the spring. 45

The spring may be bent in any suitable shape, but I prefer to bend it with an eye and the prong curved with the convexity outwardly, and the ends of the prongs turned outwardly to facilitate the admission of the cane so or umbrella.

Having described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

In a combined cane, umbrella, and hat rack, 55 the combination of the plate D, having the eyes $d d' d^2$, the shank a, and the spring-clip b, located between the eyes d' and d^2 , and held in place by the shank a, substantially as shown and described.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed my name, in presence of two witnesses, this 23d day of November, 1883.

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Witnesses:

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