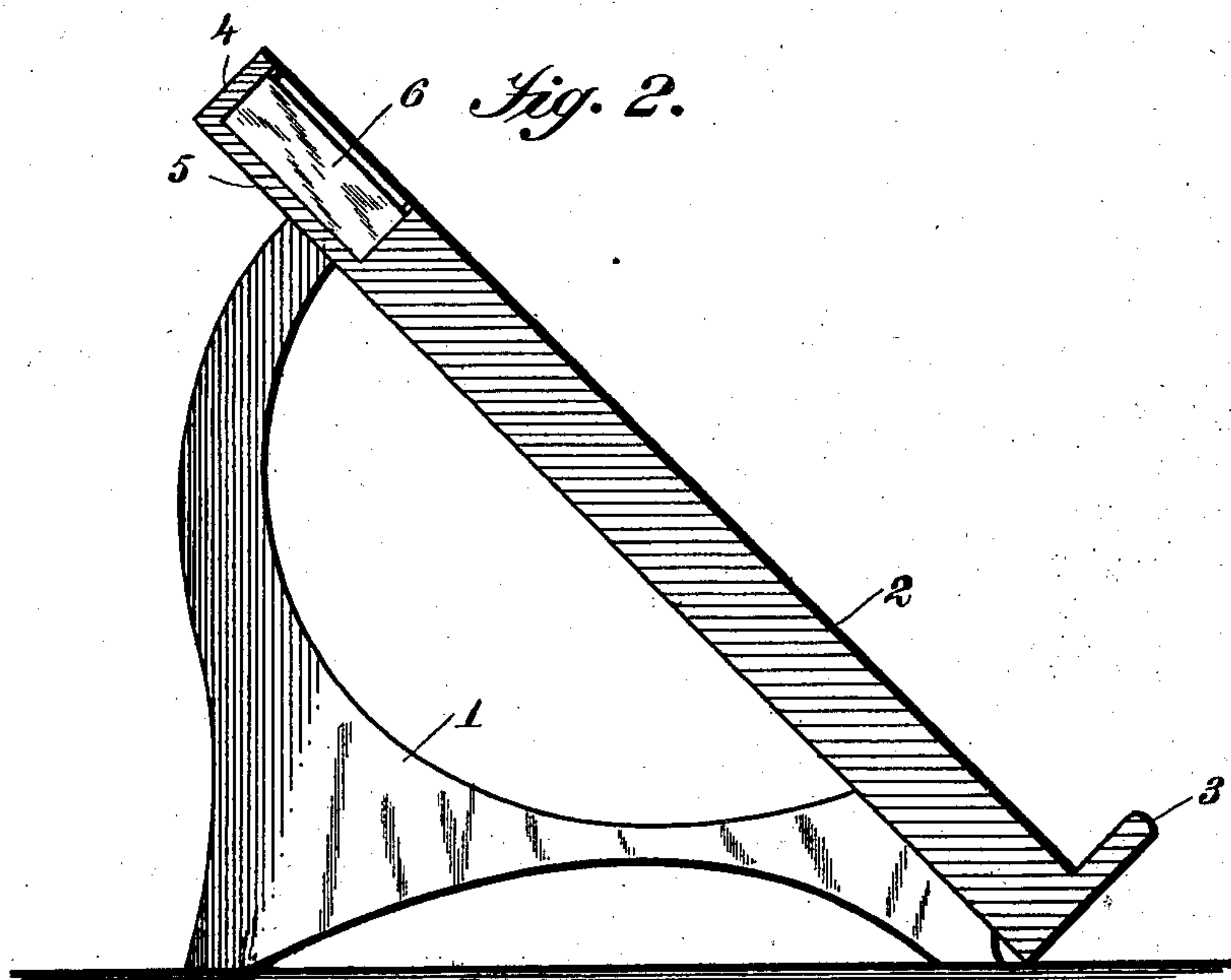
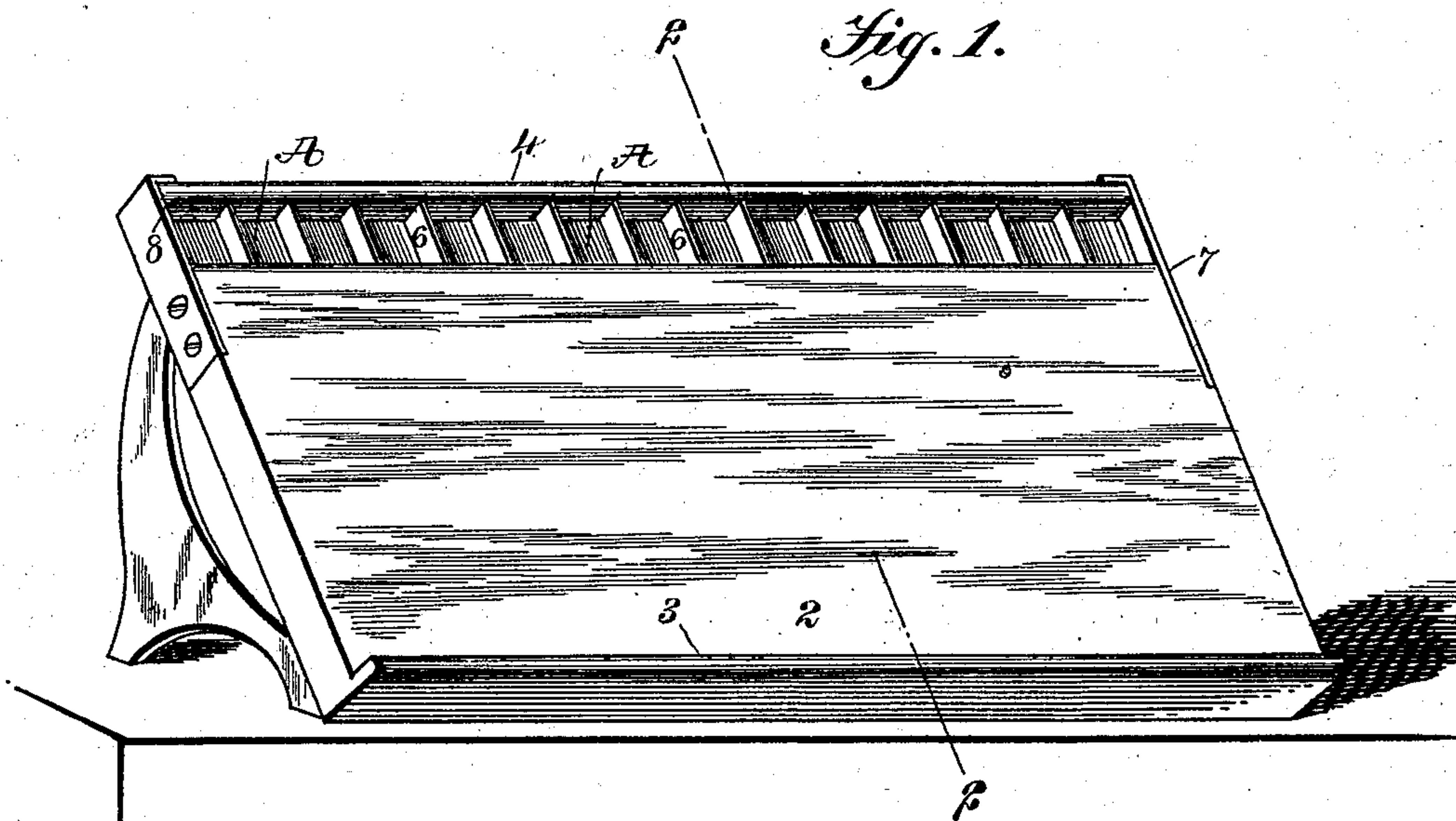


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GUY M. GREEN, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of O'Neill, in the county of Holt and State of Nebraska, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Transferable Job-Banks, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

My invention relates to the printing business, my object more particularly being to produce a neat, cheap, and efficient transferable bank for the use of job-printers.

Reference is to be had to the accompanying drawings, forming a part of this specification, in which similar characters of reference indicate corresponding parts in both the figures.

Figure 1 is a perspective view showing my improved job-bank ready for use, and Fig. 2 is a vertical section of the same upon the line 2 2 of Fig. 1.

Upon the rack 1 in a position analogous to that of an ordinary lower case my job-bank is removably situated. The bank consists of a flat longitudinal slab 2, provided with a rib 3, after the manner of an ordinary type-case. The edge of the slab opposite this rib is provided with another rib 4 flush therewith. Between the body of the slab 2 and the rib 4 is a thin bottom 5, forming a sort of longitudinal groove, and this groove is divided transversely into compartments or boxes by means of thin reglets or strips 6. Angle-braces 7 8 are mounted upon the upper corners of the slab 2, so as to engage the ends of the rib 4, thereby strengthening the bank. It will be observed, therefore, that the compartments intermediate of the reglets or strips 6 are sunken flush with the surface of the slab 2. This point constitutes a great advantage in my invention. Job-printers dislike to be annoyed by a multitude of loose receptacles resting upon the surface of the object at which they are at work.

My invention is used as follows: The bank being placed upon the rack or upon the lower case, as desired, a job-galley is laid upon the slab, its lower edge engaging the rib 3. The printer now places the job-form upon the slab and proceeds to apply his leads, slugs, furniture, ornaments, &c., in the usual manner. The boxes A are used for containing spaces, quads, dashes, ornaments, and such other

standard articles as are constantly needed in a job-printer's work. The contents of the boxes may be changed from time to time according to the nature of the work. The many uses to which these boxes can be applied are so obvious and will be so well understood at a glance by persons skilled in the art that I deem no further comment on the subject necessary. As the job-bank may have substantially the proportions of a type-case and being transferable, it can of course be substituted for a lower case, or it can be used in connection with an upper case for containing the materials not used quite so frequently—such, for instance, as labor-saving rule, slugs, leads, cuts, &c.

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

1. A transferable job-bank, comprising a flatslab of a general rectangular form and having an unbroken top face for the major part of its area, a longitudinal strip joined to the slab by an intermediate thin bottom piece and disposed parallel to an edge portion of said solid slab, a series of partitions between the strip and the slab and forming a series of sunken compartments which are arranged in a row adjacent to one of the edges of the slab, and a rib disposed adjacent to one of the other edges of the slab and forming a galley-rest.

2. A transferable job-bank, comprising a flat slab of a general rectangular form, provided with a row of compartments disposed adjacent to one of the edges thereof, said row of compartments consisting of a longitudinal groove interrupted by thin strips disposed transversely of the length thereof, said slab being further provided with angle-braces disposed adjacent to the ends of said row of compartments and also provided with a rib disposed adjacent to another of its edges for use as a galley-rest.

3. A transferable job-bank, comprising a flat slab provided with a rib at one side to form a galley-rest, and a longitudinal groove, at another side, formed into compartments by thin strips, the top edges of said strips being sunk below the top surface of said slab, as shown.

4. A transferable job-bank comprising a

flat slab provided with a groove at one side
extending from end to end; said groove be-
ing divided into compartments by partitions
formed of thin strips, the tops of the parti-
5 tions being below the surface of the slab as
shown.

In testimony whereof I have signed my

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