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NO MODEL.

Fig. 1.

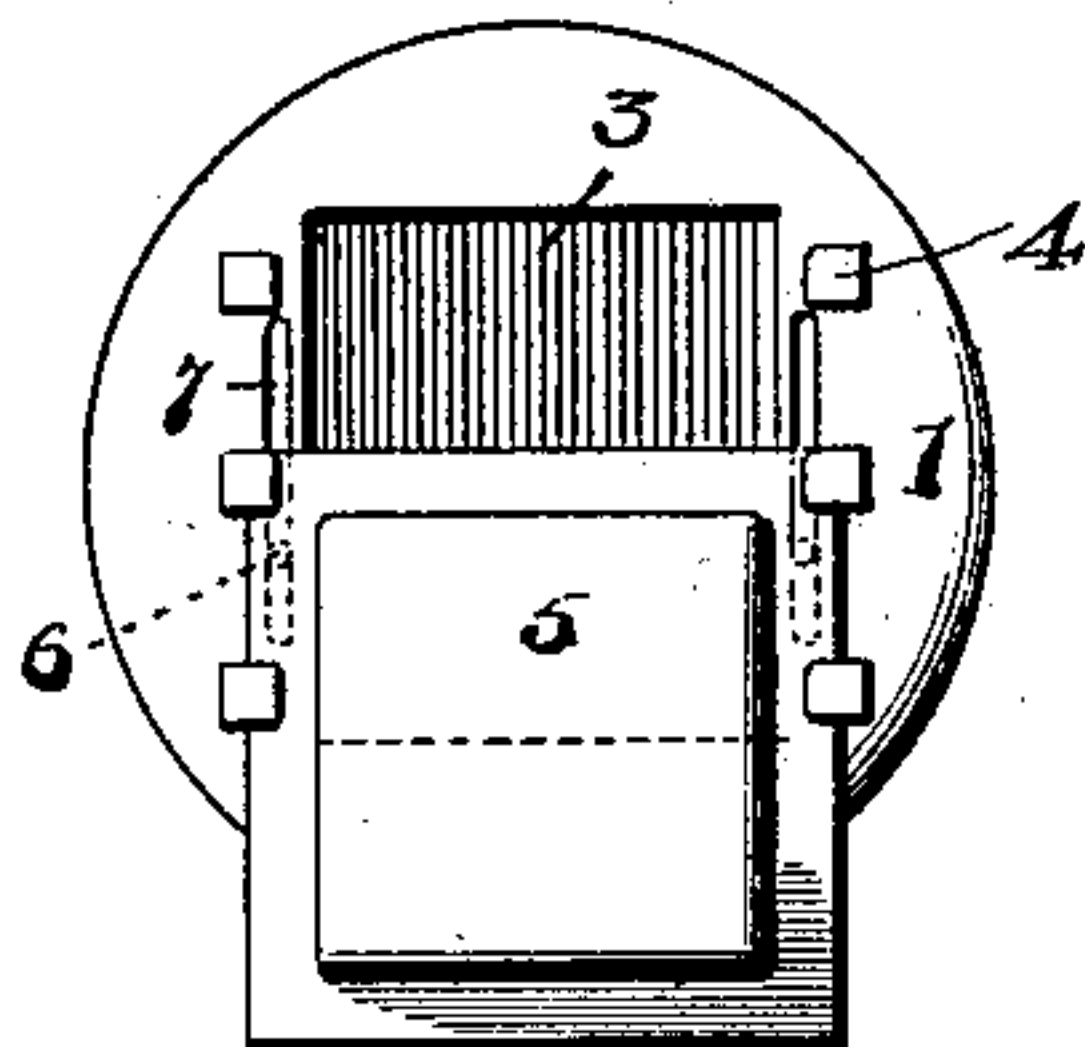


Fig. 2.

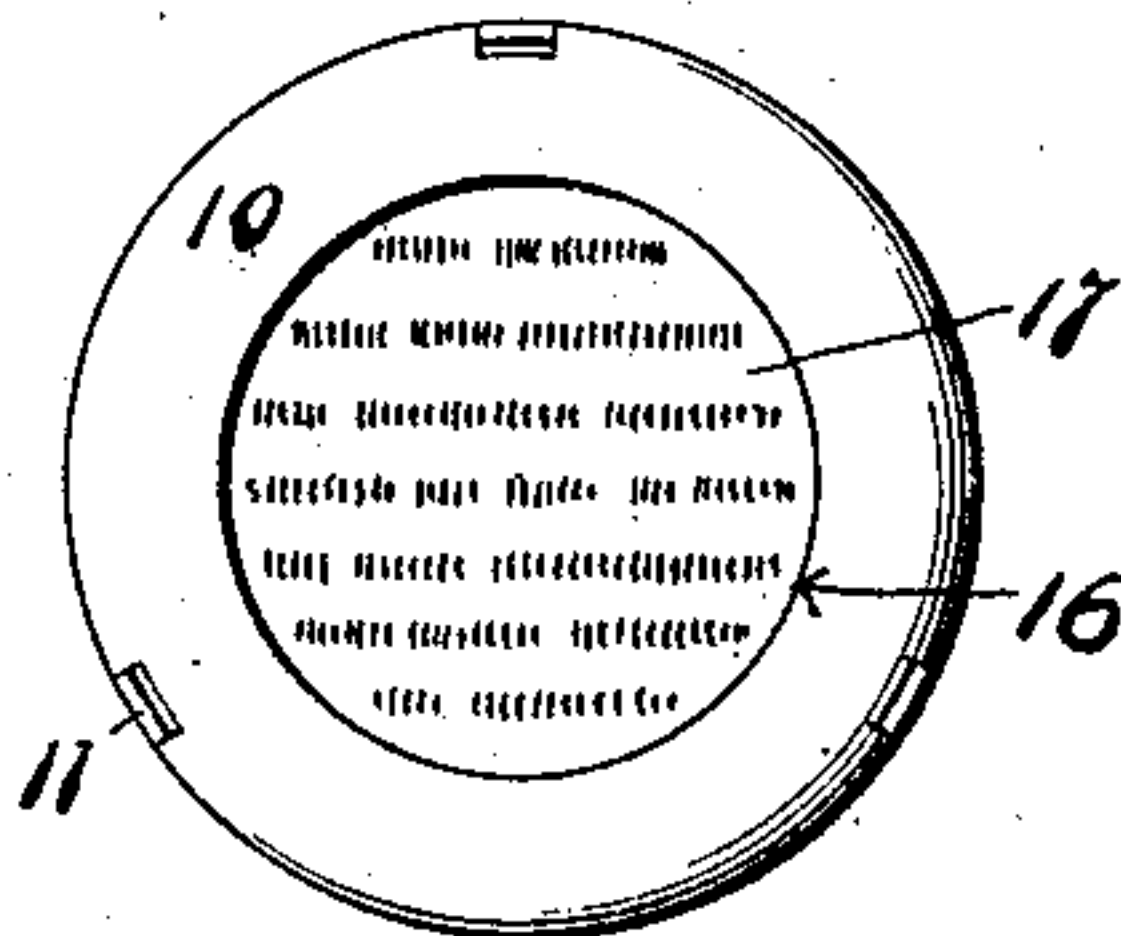


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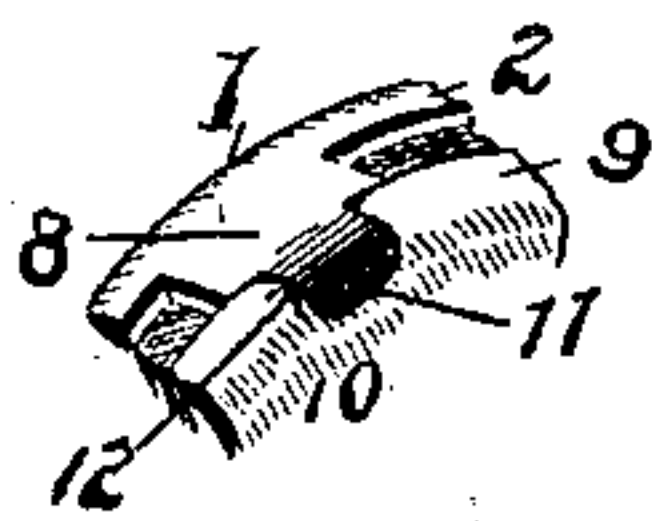


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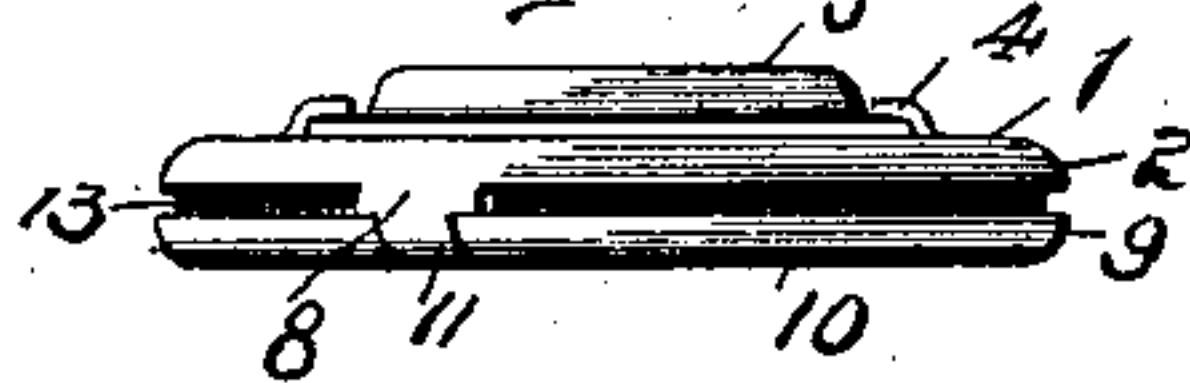


Fig. 4.



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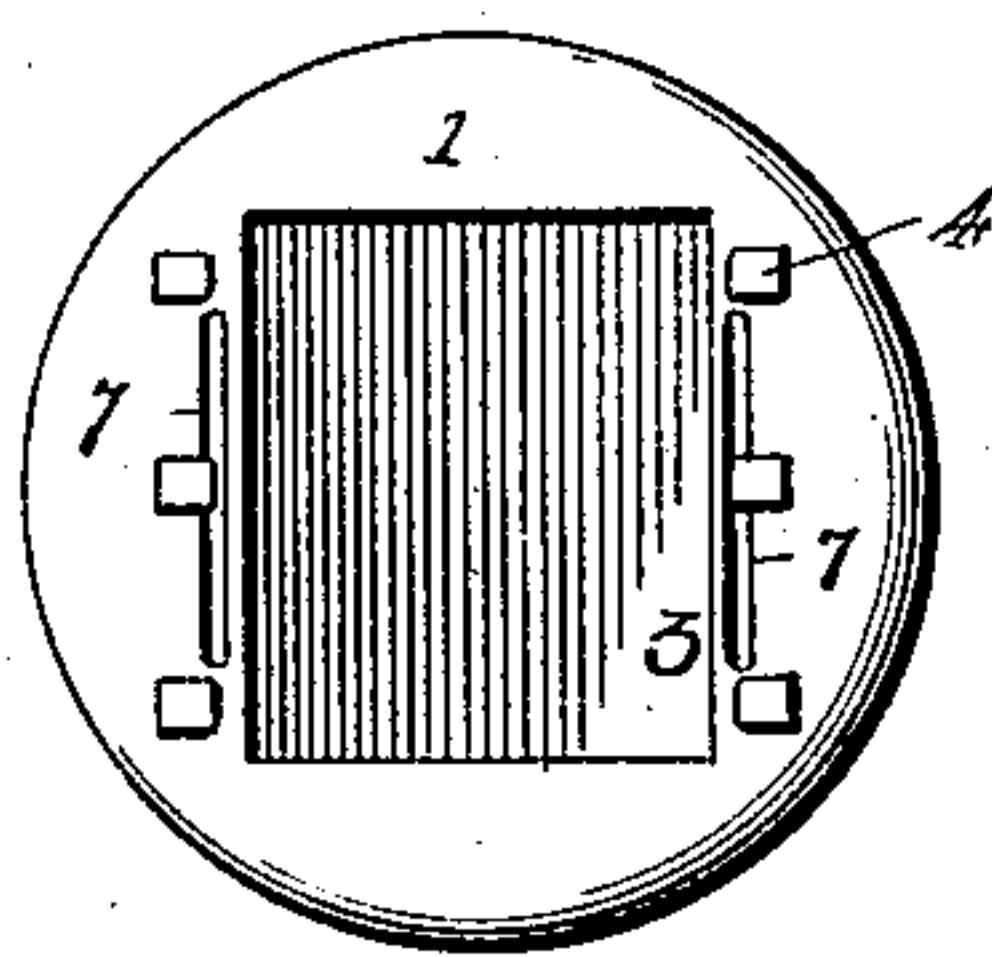


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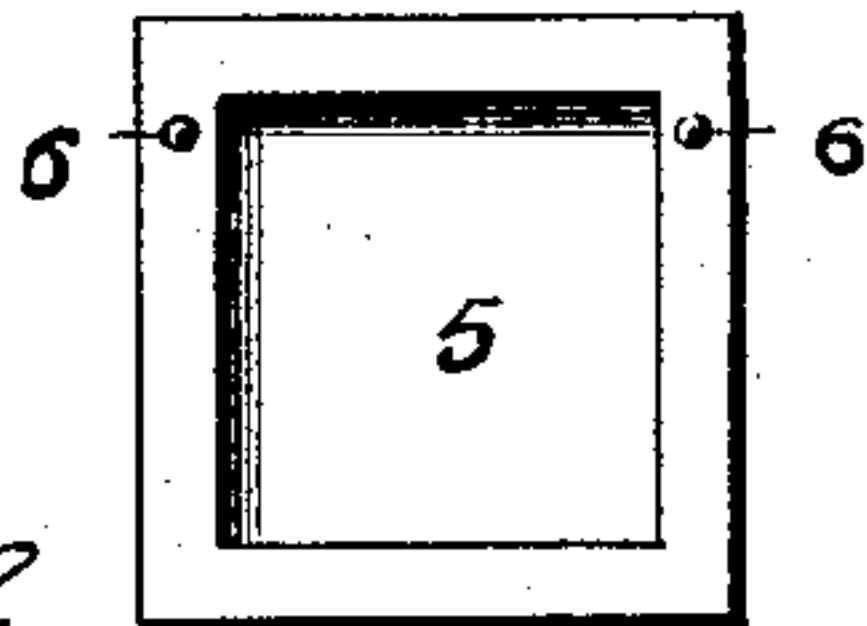


Fig. 8.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GUSTAV A. FAAS, a citizen of the United States, residing at Topeka, in the county of Shawnee and State of Kansas, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Pin-Holders, of which the following is a specification, reference being had therein to the accompanying drawings.

My invention relates to new and useful improvements in pin-holders; and its object is to provide a simple and attractive device of this character adapted to hold pins at points where they are readily accessible and practically unnoticeable.

A further object is to provide the holder with a receptacle suitable for containing stamps, car-tickets, or other similar articles, and a compartment is also formed in the holder for the reception of a sachet-powder, whereby articles placed adjacent to the holder will be perfumed.

With the above and other objects in view the invention consists in the novel construction and combination of parts hereinafter more fully described and claimed, and illustrated in the accompanying drawings, showing the preferred form of my invention, and in which—

Figure 1 is a view of one face of the holder, showing the receptacle partly opened. Fig. 2 is a view of the opposite face of the device and showing a disk containing suitable advertising matter or other printing. Fig. 3 is an edge view of the holder. Fig. 4 is a central transverse section through the device. Fig. 5 is a face view showing the receptacle with its cover removed. Fig. 6 is an inside view of said cover. Fig. 7 is an enlarged detail view showing the means for securing the faces of the holder together, and Fig. 8 is a view showing the holder arranged in the form of a locket, a cameo or other artistic face being substituted for the disk containing printed matter.

Referring to the figures by numerals of reference, 1 is a disk having a flange 2 formed along the edge thereof and provided at the center with a rectangular aperture 3. Ears 4 are struck up from the face of disk 1 along opposite sides of aperture 3 and are adapted to overlap the edges of a sliding lid or cover 5, normally covering the aperture 3. This

lid is limited in its movement by lugs 6, formed upon the under surface thereof and extending into slots 7 at opposite sides of the aperture 3. Spacing projections 8 extend from the flange 2 at desired intervals and abut against the edge of a flange 9, formed at the edge of a disk 10. A tongue 11 is arranged at the end of each projection 8 and rests within a recess 12, formed in flange 9. This tongue serves to clamp the disk 10 firmly against the projection 8, and the two disks are thus held securely in proper relation to each other.

Preferably two disks of felt or other similar material 13 are clamped between the disks 1 and 10 and an aperture is formed in the center of each, thereby forming a compartment 14, which is adapted to contain perfumed powder. One side of this compartment is closed by the disk 10, while the other side is closed by means of a strip 15, placed thereover and forming the bottom of the receptacle formed by the aperture 3.

The disk 10 may, if desired, be provided with an aperture 16, within which may be arranged a disk 17, containing suitable printed matter. In lieu of this disk, however, a highly ornamental face may be employed, and by providing a ring 18 upon one of the projections 8 a chain may be attached thereto and the holder worn as a locket.

It is believed that the manner of using the holder will be readily understood from the foregoing description. Pins are inserted between the flanges of the two disks 1 and 10 and between the felt disks 13. The felt will retain them in position until they are withdrawn, and the heads of the pins will be practically unnoticeable while in position around the edge of the holder. Stamps, car-tickets, or other similar articles can be readily carried within the receptacle 3. By arranging the felt disks so that the pins can be inserted therebetween the felt is forced laterally by the pin instead of toward the center. The felt therefore offers but slight resistance to the insertion of the pins.

In the foregoing description I have shown the preferred form of my invention; but I do not limit myself thereto, as I am aware that modifications may be made therein without departing from the spirit or sacrificing the

advantages thereof, and I therefore reserve the right to make such changes as fairly fall within the scope of my invention.

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

1. In a pin-holder the combination with a flanged disk having an aperture therein and a cover for said aperture; of spacing projections extending laterally from the flange, a second disk, a recessed flange thereon, tongues upon the projections adapted to fit within the recesses in the flange and clamp the disks together, resilient disks clamped between said disks and having apertures therein forming a compartment.

2. In a pin-holder the combination with a disk; of spacing projections extending laterally from the edge thereof, a second disk adapted to bear upon the ends of said projections, tongues upon the projections adapted

to clamp said second disk against said ends, and retaining material clamped between the disks and having a compartment therein.

3. In a pin-holder the combination with a disk; of spacing projections at the edge thereof, a second disk adapted to bear upon the ends of said projections, tongues upon the projections adapted to hold said second disk clamped upon the ends of the projections, duplicate disks of resilient material contained between said disks and adapted to receive pins therebetween, each disk having an aperture therein and said apertures forming a compartment within the disks.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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