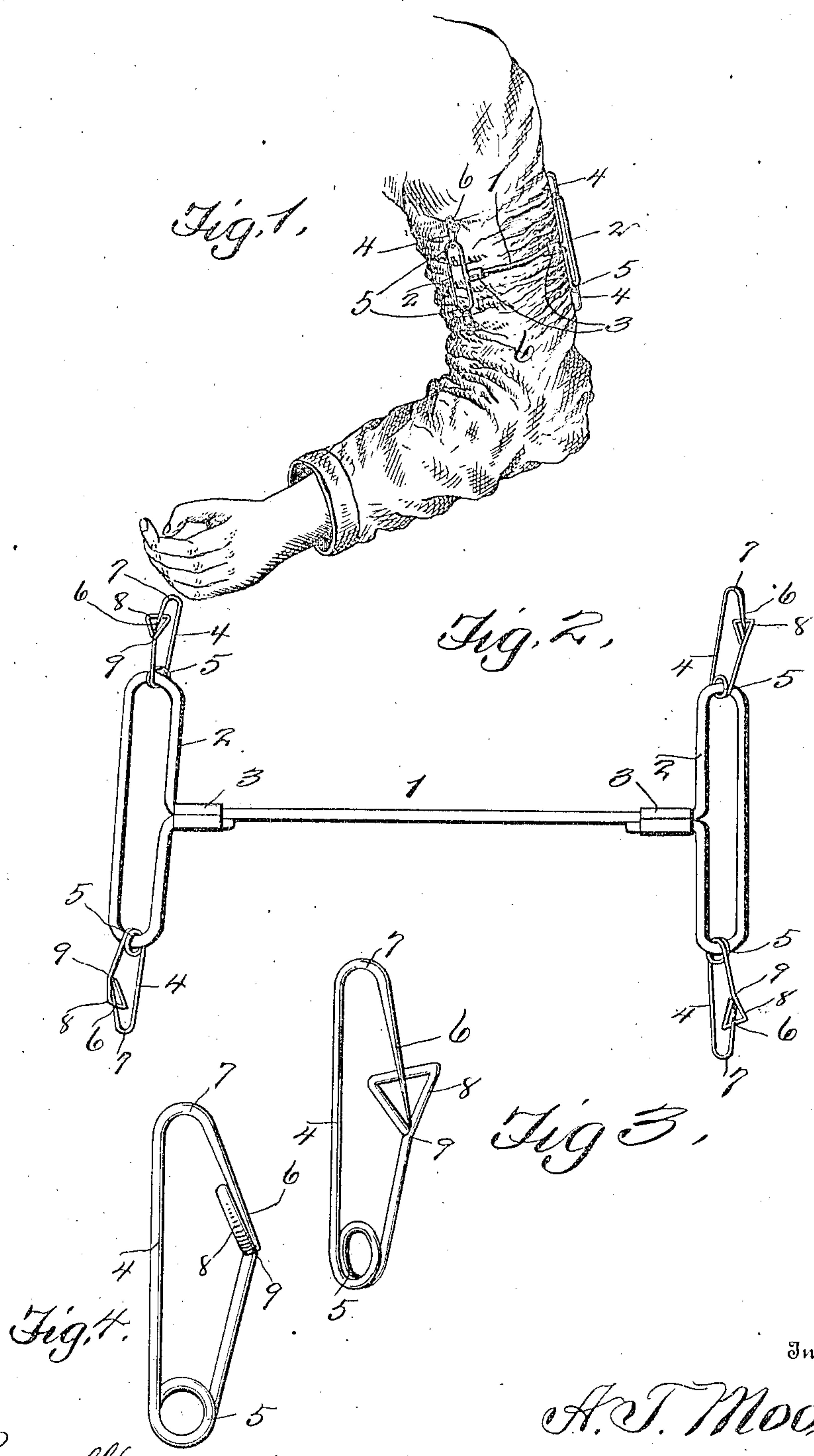


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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, ALEXANDER T. MOORE, a citizen of the United States, residing at New Orleans, in the parish of Orleans and State of Louisiana, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Sleeve-Holders, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to a sleeve-holder, and particularly to a device by which the cuff of the sleeve may be adjusted at different distances above the wrist of the wearer.

The invention has for an object to provide attaching devices—for instance, hooks—for the sleeve, carried by lateral strands at the opposite ends of a connecting-strand, whereby the sleeve may be engaged at different points—such, for instance, as the front and back thereof.

A further object of the invention is to provide a novel and improved construction of the attaching-pin, in which a spring-pressed head contacts with the pin to prevent its accidental withdrawal from the fabric of the sleeve to which it is applied.

Other and further objects and advantages of the invention will be hereinafter set forth and the novel features thereof defined by the appended claims.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a perspective view showing the application of the invention to a shirt-sleeve. Fig. 2 is an elevation of the holder. Fig. 3 is a detail perspective view of the attaching-pin, and Fig. 4 a side elevation of the pin.

Like numerals of reference refer to like parts in the several figures of the drawings.

The numeral 1 indicates a band or cord comprising a connecting-strand which is provided at each end with laterally-disposed bands or cords 2, which for convenience may be formed as loops and adjustably connected to the strand 1 by clasps 3. Each of these lateral strands is provided with attaching devices, as shown at 4, which may be of any desired character and are disposed at opposite points, so as to engage the sleeve above and below the strand 1.

A preferred construction of the attaching device 4 is shown in Fig. 3 and comprises a pin having its body formed with a coiled portion 5, through which the strand is passed, and with a head 8, formed by bending laterally the free end of the body at this place. The other free end of the body of the attachment is bent upon itself, as shown at 7, and

sharpened to form a pin-point 6, disposed in contact with the head. The head 8 is bent inward from the body at the place 9, so as to form a projection which when pressed inward removes the head from contact with the pin to permit its ready insertion and removal from the goods.

In the application of the invention as shown in Fig. 1 it will be seen that the attaching devices are applied at different places about the sleeve—for instance, at the front and rear thereof. This permits an independent adjustment of the sleeve at the different places, such as over the elbow, so as to secure the comfortable holding thereof and avoiding all binding of the sleeve upon the arm of the user, as is liable to occur when the sleeve is held at only one place.

In the operation of this invention the attaching-pins at one end of each of the lateral strands are applied to the fabric of the sleeve and the latter drawn up to the desired extent and the other pin then applied to retain the sleeve at its adjusted position. These attaching-pins may be readily applied and removed by depressing the spring-held head thereof, which also by its pressure against or toward the pin-point prevents the accidental withdrawal of the pin from the goods. The attaching-pins are formed from a single piece of material as well as the connecting-strand, so that the invention is rendered very simple and economical of manufacture and efficient in use, as it entirely avoids the binding and side drawing of a sleeve-holder applied at only one side or place on the sleeve.

Having described my invention and set forth its merits, what I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

1. A sleeve-holder comprising a flexible cord provided with loop portions at its opposite ends, and attaching devices carried by the opposite ends of each loop.

2. A sleeve-holder comprising a flexible cord having its free ends looped and secured to the body thereof at each end, and attaching-hooks carried by the opposite ends of each loop.

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

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