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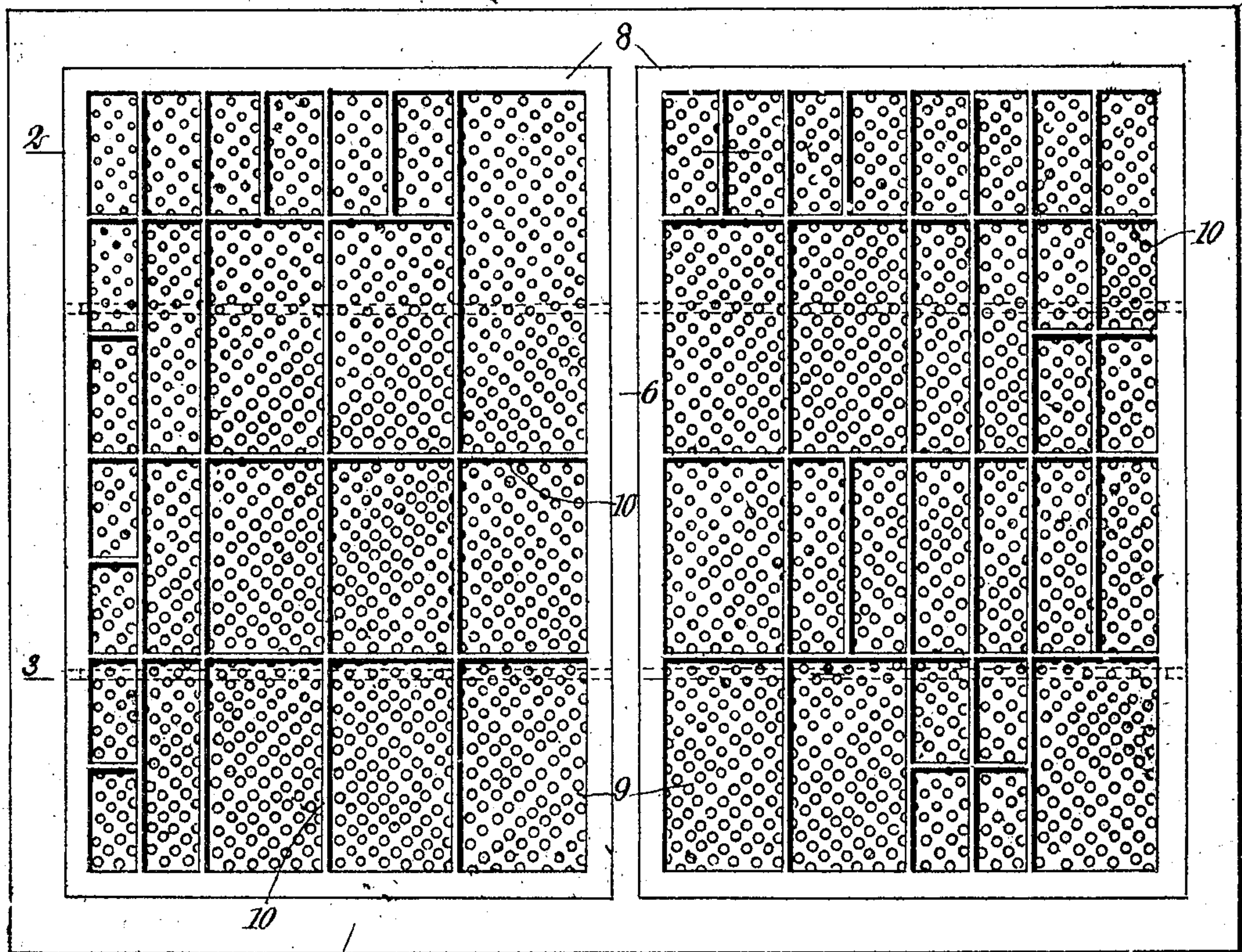


Fig. 1

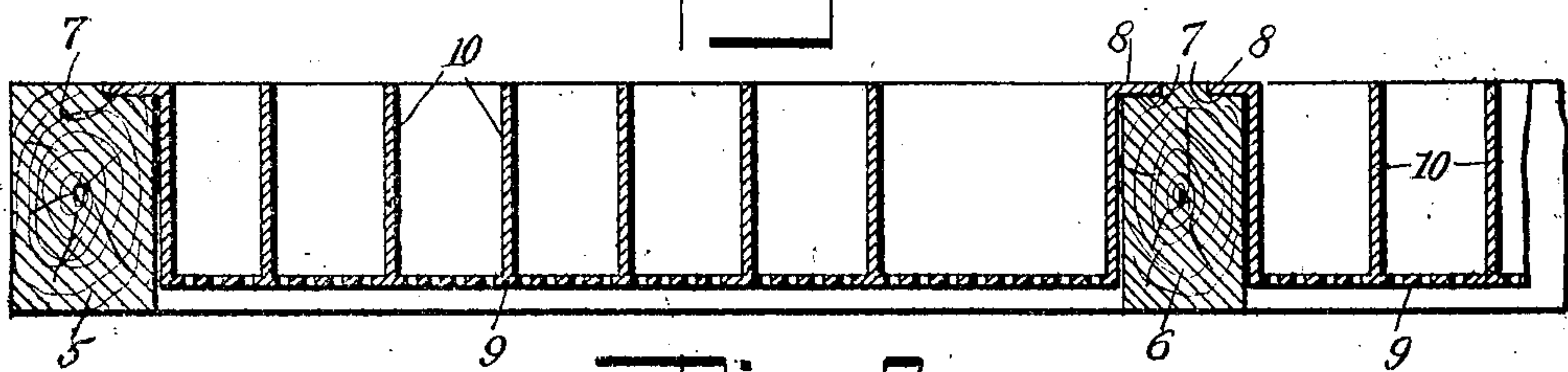


Fig. 2

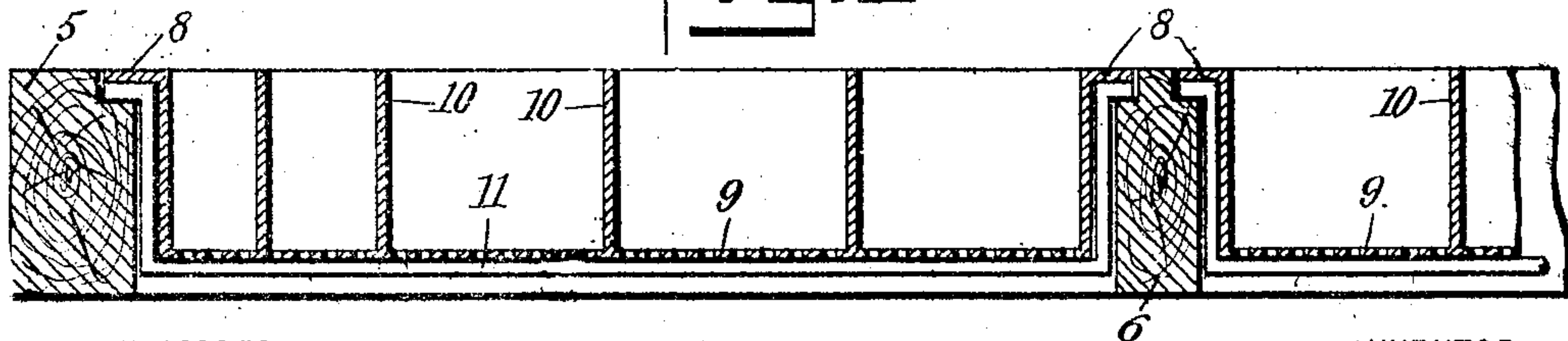


Fig. 3

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## TYPE-CASE.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, JAMES G. GALLEMORE, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Washington, in the county of Franklin and State of Missouri, have invented a new and Improved Type-Case, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

This invention is an improvement in type cases, and has for its object primarily the provision of a case in which no opportunity is presented for the type to work or slide under the partitions from one compartment of the case to another, or to be in any wise caught or lodged under the partitions.

The invention further resides in certain novel features of construction as will be hereinafter particularly described and claimed.

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 all the views.

Figure 1 is a plan of the case complete; Fig. 2 is a fragmentary sectional view on the line 2 of Fig. 1; and Fig. 3 is a corresponding section on the line 3 of Fig. 1.

In the construction of my improved type case, I employ the usual marginal frame 5, constructed of wood or other suitable material and divided by the cross-piece 6. The inner upper edge of each division of the frame is rabbeted as indicated at 7, in which is seated the outwardly-turned flange 8 of a type receptacle 9, the depth of the rabbeted inner edge being such that the top of the flange will be substantially flush with the top face of the frame.

The type receptacles are divided into a suitable number of type compartments by the longitudinal and transverse partitions 10, as is the usual practice; the construction, however, differing in that the partitions are cast or otherwise formed integrally with the bottom of the receptacle, as clearly shown in Figs. 2 and 3, whereby no opportunity of the thin type being caught or lodged between the partitions and the bottom of the receptacle, or passing under the partitions from one type compartment to another, is presented; this being a material and important feature of my invention.

The bottoms of the type receptacles are supported cross-wise of their length at each side of the transverse center by wires 11, each of which passes contiguous to the under face of the bottom and conforms to the sides of the case as well as to the marginal flanges

thereof, as clearly shown in Fig. 3; suitable grooves being made in the frame for the reception of these wires in order that they will not interfere with the proper seating of the type case thereon. The bottom of each type receptacle is preferably perforated for the purpose of permitting of accumulating dust sifting therethrough and thus prevent its accumulation in the several type compartments.

By the construction hereinbefore described and shown, it is apparent that the type receptacle may be removed from the frame and replaced by a new one should it be in any wise damaged or broken, this being possible at small cost, and making the case in all respects as good as new.

Although I have described the preferred embodiment of my invention in detail, it is obvious that the same may be modified in particulars falling within the scope of the claims annexed.

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

1. A type case, comprising a frame rabbeted at its inner edge, and a metal receptacle having outwardly-turned flanges seated in the rabbeted inner edge of the frame, said receptacle being provided with a continuous perforated bottom having partitions integral therewith, forming type compartments.

2. A type case, comprising a frame, a metal receptacle having outwardly-turned flanges seated on said frame, partitions dividing the receptacle into a plurality of type compartments, and supporting wires for the receptacle, conforming to the under side thereof and to said flanges, and seated in grooves in the frame.

3. A type case, comprising a frame rabbeted at its inner edge, a type receptacle divided into a plurality of type compartments and having outwardly-turned flanges seated in the rabbeted inner edge of the frame, and supporting wires for the receptacle, conforming to the under side thereof and seated in grooves in the frame.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification, in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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