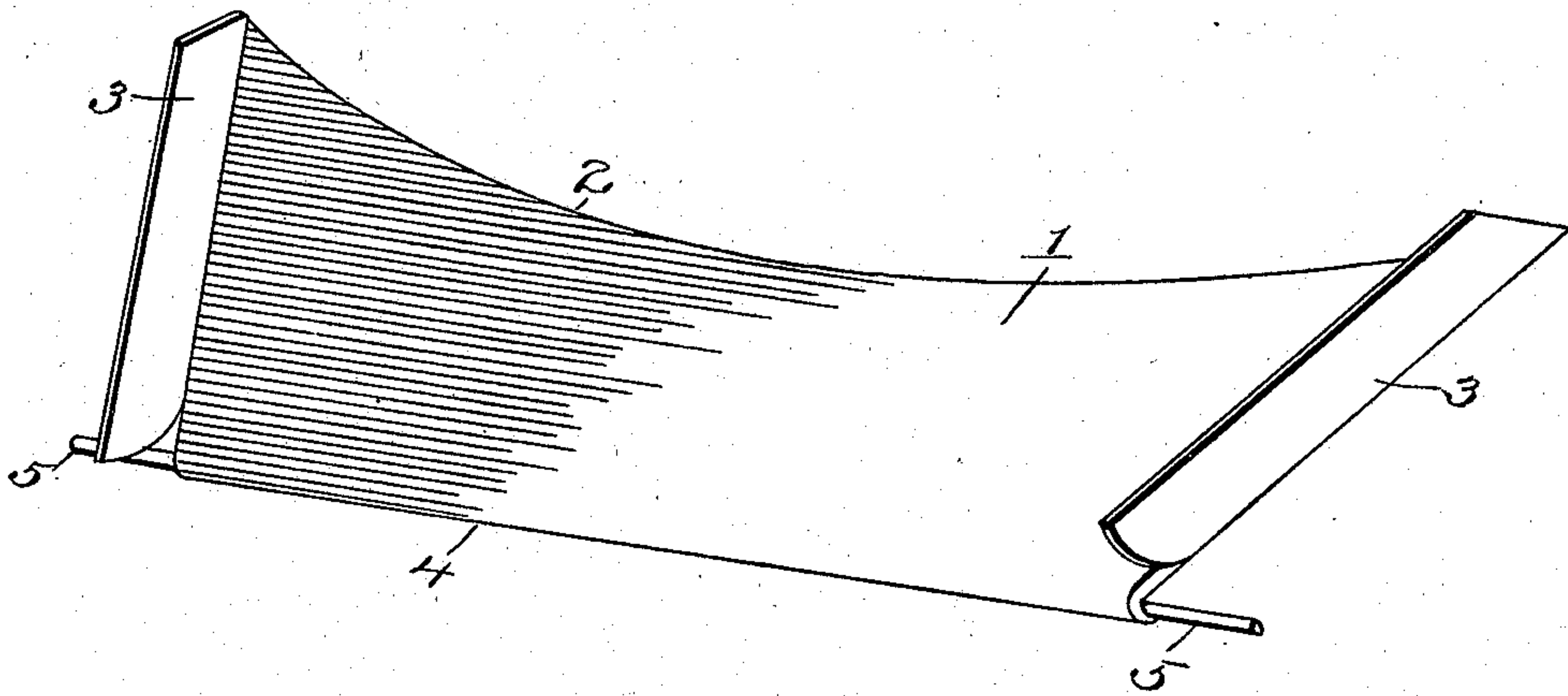


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, EDWIN A. McKoy, 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 Turpentine-Cups; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, such as will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same.

This invention relates to turpentine gathering, and has for an object to provide an apron proportioned for insertion in an incision in a tree and embodying new and improved supporting members, and is a division of pending application Serial Number 378203, filed June 10, 1907.

A further object of the invention is to provide in an apron for turpentine gathering a substantially plain apron body having a wire rolled into the lower longitudinal edge and with its opposite extremities extending as supporting members beyond the opposite ends of the apron.

With these and other objects in view, the invention comprises certain novel constructions, combinations and arrangements of parts, as will be hereinafter fully described and claimed.

The drawing is a perspective view of a specific embodiment of the improved apron and comprises a plain body portion 1 with or without a curved upper edge 2, and also with or without upstanding flanges 3 which, in the specific embodiment shown, converge toward the lower longitudinal edge. It is to be understood that the formation of the upper edge or the formation or position of the flanges does not limit the invention.

At the lower longitudinal edge the apron is provided with means as the roll 4 embracing a wire by which the said wire is secured longitudinally of the apron and with the opposite ends, as 5, extending in alinement beyond the opposite ends of the apron to produce thereby supporting studs upon which a receptacle of any approved form may be suspended.

While the embracing of the wire within the

roll 4 is found to be a convenient and preferred manner of employing the wire to produce the studs 5, it is not material to the present invention how the said wire is attached to the lower longitudinal edge of the apron, the invention residing in so securing the wire to the apron that the opposite ends of the said wire extend in substantial alinement beyond the opposite ends of the apron.

What I claim is:—

1. In a device of the class described, a substantially plain apron, and a wire secured along one edge of the apron and with its opposite ends extending beyond the opposite ends of the said apron.

2. In a device of the class described, a substantially plain apron, and a wire secured along the lower longitudinal edge of and extending at its opposite ends beyond the ends of the apron.

3. In a device of the class described, a substantially plain apron provided with a roll at its lower longitudinal edge, and a wire embraced by the roll and having its opposite ends formed to serve as a support for a receptacle.

4. In a device of the class described, a substantially plain apron provided with a roll along its lower longitudinal edge, and a wire embraced within the roll and having its opposite ends extending beyond the opposite ends of the apron.

5. In a device of the class described, an apron provided with a roll at one edge, and with a wire embraced within the roll and having its opposite ends extended beyond the roll and formed to serve as supporting members for a receptacle.

6. In a device of the class described, an apron provided with a roll, a substantially straight wire embraced by the roll and having its opposite ends extending in alinement beyond the opposite ends of the roll.

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

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