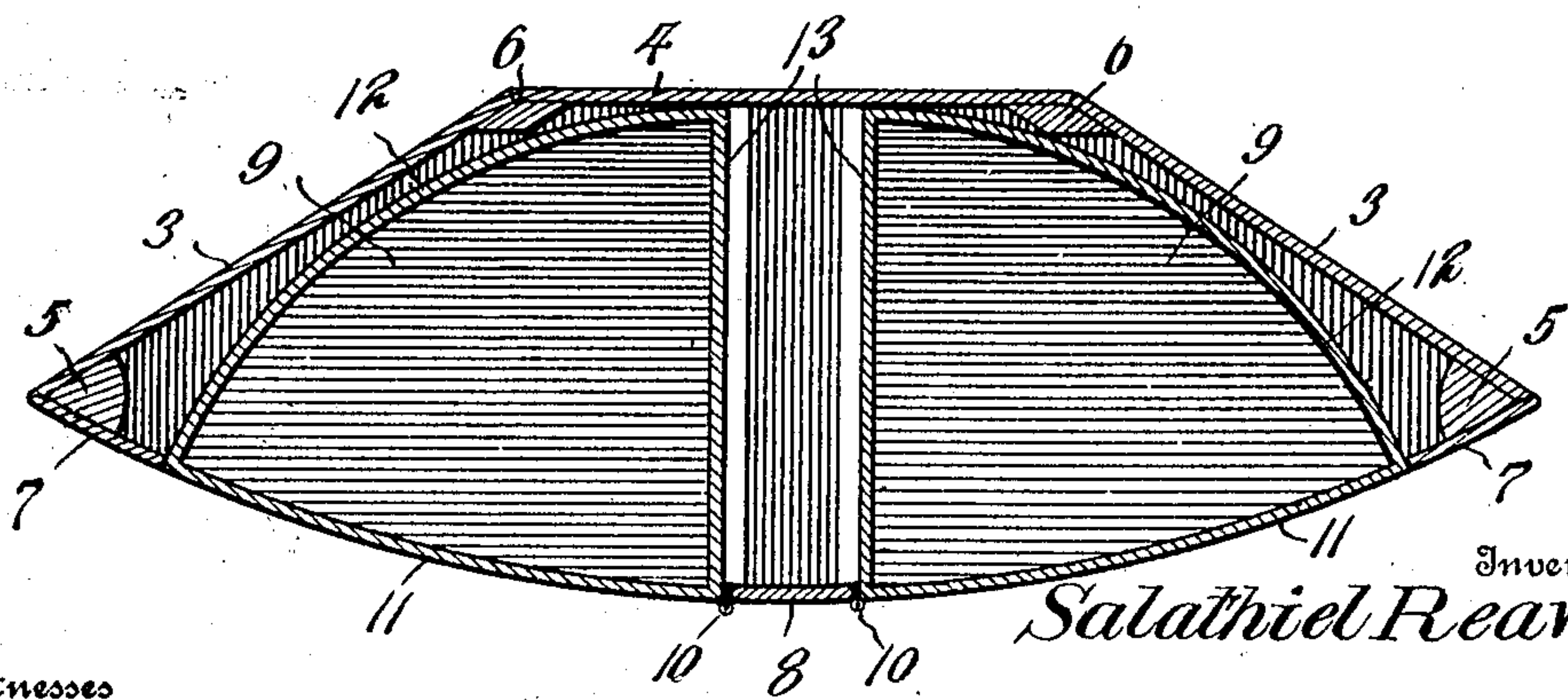
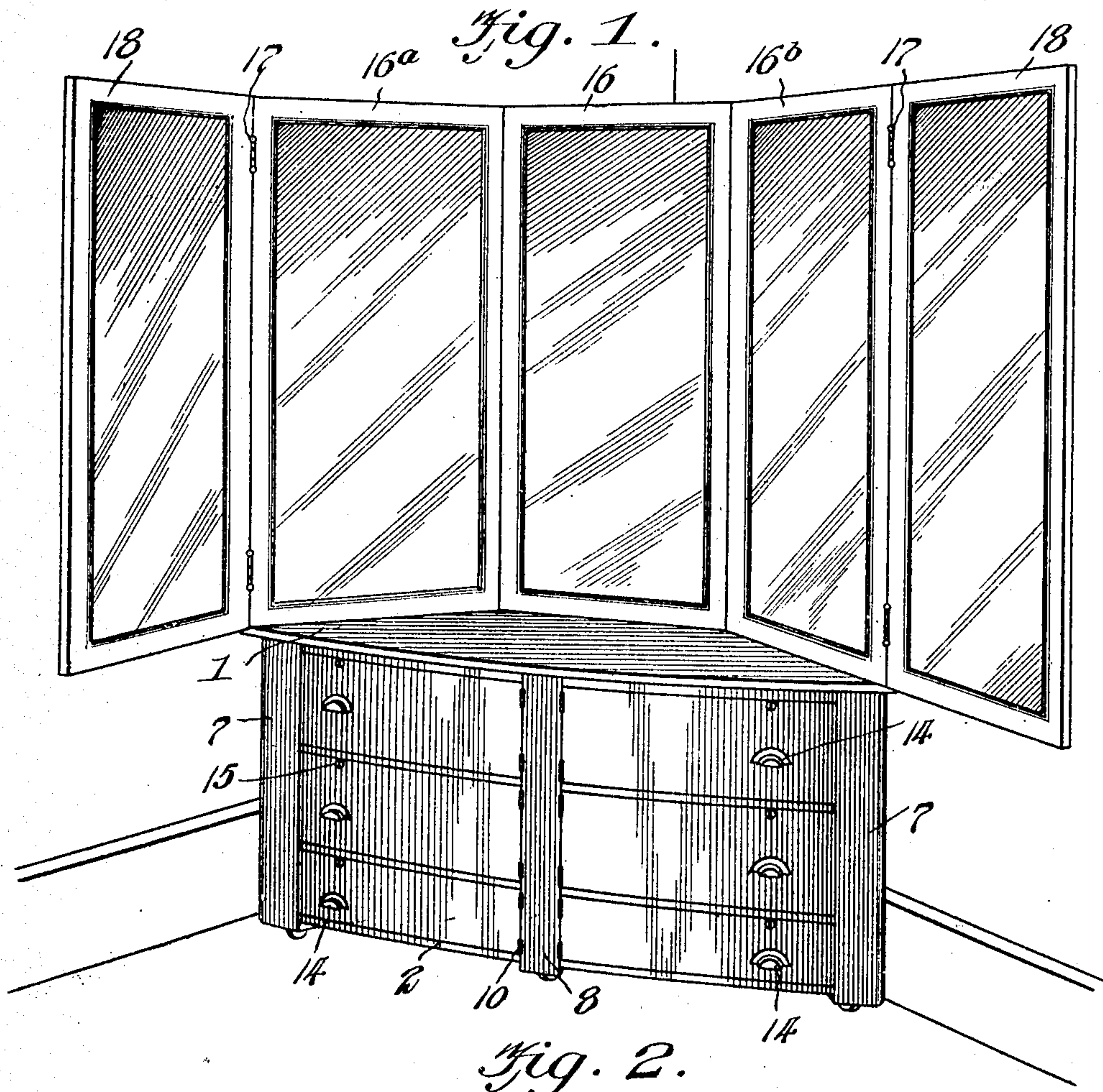


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, SALATHIEL REAVES, a citizen of the United States, residing at Jackson, in the county of Jackson and State of Michigan, have invented new and useful Improvements in Dressing-Stands, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to dressing stands, and one of the principal objects of the same is to provide a dressing stand of attractive appearance which will occupy but a small space and which will be provided with hinged mirrors, permitting the person using the stand to be reflected from various points of view.

Another object of the invention is to provide a dresser in which the drawers are hinged at a point near the center of the dresser so that they may be swung inwardly one toward the other without interfering with the position of the person before the dresser and to give access to the various drawers during the act of dressing.

These and other objects may be attained by means of the construction illustrated in the accompanying drawing, in which,—

Figure 1 is a perspective view of a dressing stand made in accordance with my invention, and showing the hinged mirrors extended. Fig. 2 is a horizontal section taken through the body of the dressing stand.

Referring to the drawing, the numeral 1 designates the top of the dressing stand; 2 is the bottom; 3, the inclined sides, and 4, the back. The parts of the dressing stand are held together by means of standards 5 at the side and standards 6 at the back, these standards being made to fit snugly between the parts to be braced. The front portion of the dressing stand is formed on a curve, and the two sides 3 are extended at such an angle from the front that the dressing stand may be located in the corner of a room without utilizing excessive space. In front of the stand at the opposite sides the corner pieces 7 are firmly secured to the standard 5, said corner pieces being curved. A center piece

8 is secured to the top 1 and to the bottom 2. The drawers 9 are each connected upon their inner sides to the center piece 8 by means of the hinges 10. Each of the drawers is formed of a curved front portion 11, a curved side and back member 12 and an inner side member 13, so that the drawers may be readily swung inward one toward the other while the person is standing or sitting before the dresser. The drawer pulls 14 are located near the outer ends of the drawers, as shown in Fig. 1, and the locks 15 are located in line with the drawer pulls.

Secured to the top 1 of the dressing stand are three mirror sections 16, 16^a and 16^b, and connected to the sections 16^a and 16^b by hinges 17 are the folding mirror sections 18. The sections 18 may be folded inward, so that the person standing in front of the dresser may readily see the head and reflections from head to foot from different points of view. The drawers 11 may be readily opened while dressing without interfering with the position of the person before the mirrors.

My invention is of simple construction, occupies but little space, is convenient in use and is of attractive appearance.

I claim:—

A dressing stand comprising a top and bottom having curved front edges and converging side edges, sides secured to said top and bottom and converging rearwardly, a back, standards for bracing said parts, a vertically disposed front center piece extending from the top to the bottom, drawers having curved front sides, curved inner sides and back, and plain inner walls, said drawers being hinged to the opposite side edges of said center piece to swing inwardly one toward the other.

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

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