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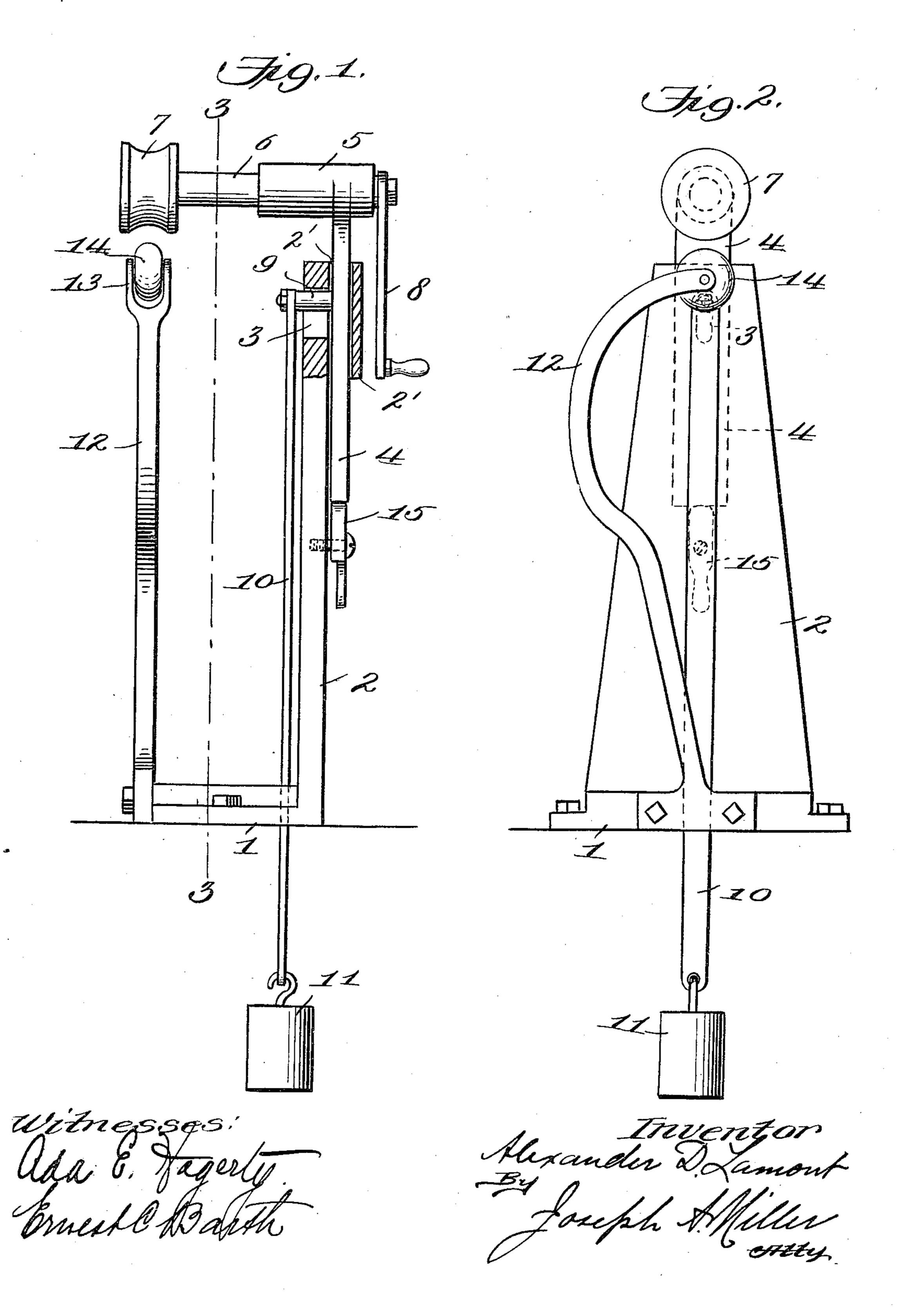
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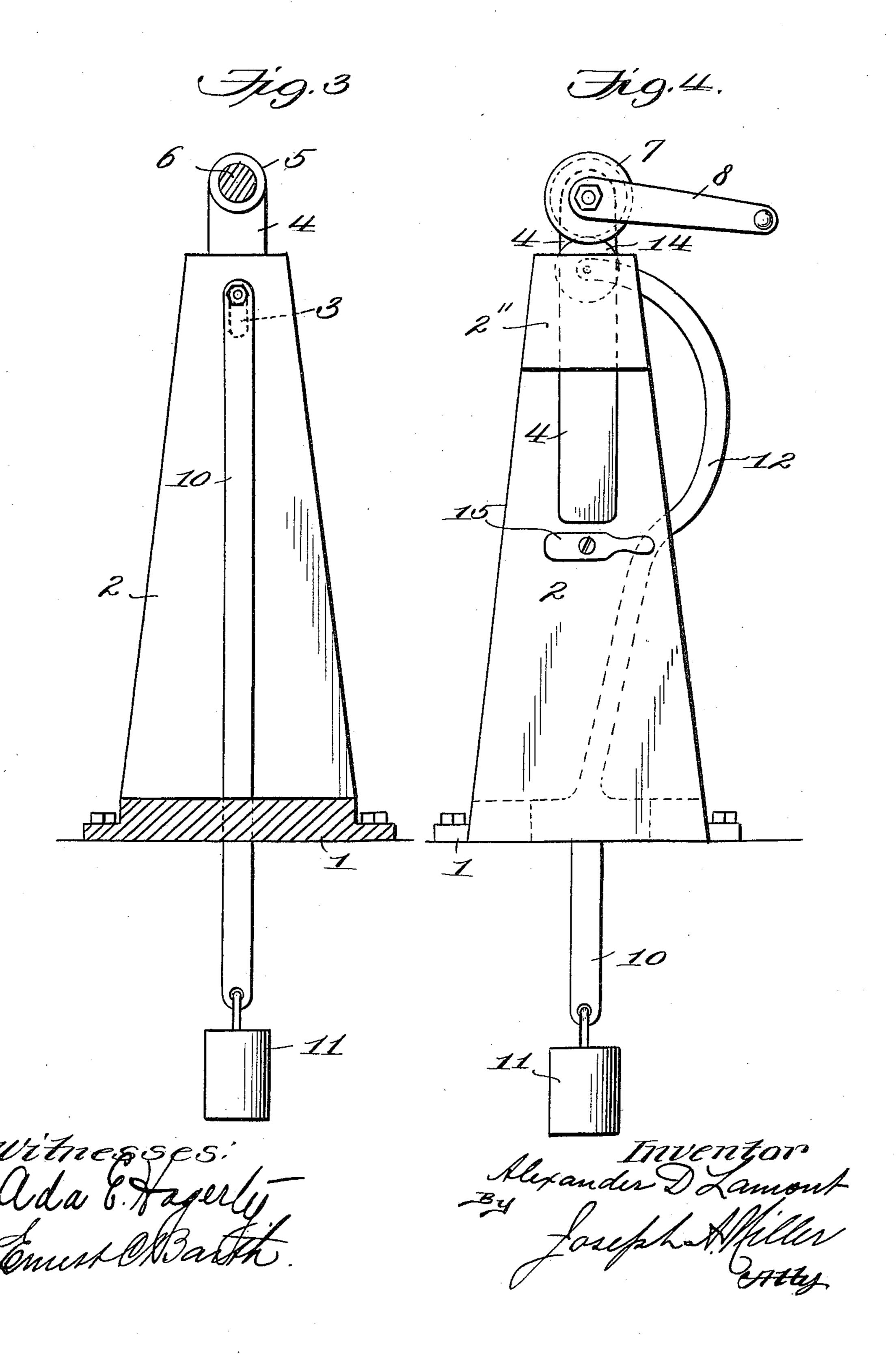
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Alexander D. La-MONT, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Providence, in the county of 5 Providence and State of Rhode Island, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Edge-Rolling Devices for Hot-Water Bottles, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to certain new and 10 useful improvements in edge rolling de-

vices for hot water bottles.

The invention relates more particularly to a device for rolling the edge or finishing strips of hot water bottles and similar ar-15 ticles or devices, and the object of the invention is to provide a simple, novel, and efficient device of this nature which will roll the edges or finishing strips in a more efficient, thorough and practical manner 20 than is possible otherwise.

Still further the invention aims to increase the simplicity and practicability and lessen the cost of manufacture of devices of this nature, all of which will be further 25 manifested together with other objects which of themselves will later herein ap-

pear.

In the drawings Figure 1 is a side elevation partly in section, Fig. 2 is an end 30 elevation, Fig. 3 is a section on line 3—3 of Fig. 1, and Fig. 4 is an end elevation of the machine opposite to that shown in

Fig. 2.

The invention as at present contemplated 35 includes a base 1 formed at one end with a standard or upright, the latter at its upper end having a short longitudinal slot 3. The standard or upright 2 at its top end is enlarged as shown at 2" and is formed with 40 an aperture or guide-way 2', within which is slidably received and guided a slide 4, the latter at its upper end being formed integral with a horizontal disposed bearing 5. A shaft 6 is journaled in the bearing 5 and 45 at its outer end carries a peripherally grooved roll 7 and at its inner end a crank handle 8, by means of which it is evident that the roller 7 may be rotated. The slide 4 has secured to it a bolt 9 which extends 50 through the slot 3 of upright 2 and is secured to the upper end of a rod 10, which rod passes through an aperture in the base 1 and receives guiding movement thereby and at its lower end carries a weight 11. A 55 spring arm 12 of somewhat sickle-form is hold the latter inoperative.

provided with an enlarged foot bolted to the base 1 and at its upper end has a bifurcated or forked end 13, a peripherally convexed roll 14 being journaled in the furcations of the fork and cooperating with the 60 grooved roll 7, in an obvious manner. Below the slide 4 a latch 15 is pivoted, the function of which is, when in the position shown in Figs. 1 and 2, to hold the roll 7 and its related parts in an upper position, 65 incapable of downward movement. It is evident, however, that when the latch is swung to the position depicted in Fig. 4 of the drawings, the roll 7 and its vertical parts are capable of moving downward in 70 order to coöperate with the roll 14. It will further be seen that when the latch 15 is in inoperative position the weight 11 will at all times maintain the rolls 7 and 14 in engagement with each other.

In operation when a new bottle is being placed in the device and over the roll 14 of the spring 12, the latch 15 is moved to its operative position as seen in Figs. 1 and 2, and after the bottle has been properly po- 80 sitioned the latch 15 is swung to its inoperative position thereby allowing, through action of gravity, the roll 7 and its related parts to move downwardly holding the edge or finishing strip of the hot water bottle 85 or any other article or contrivance acted upon, to be engaged between the rolls 7 and 14, whereupon the roll 7 is rotated by

means of the crank handle 8.

Having thus described my invention, I 90 claim as new and desire to secure by Letters

Patent;—

1. In a device of the type set forth, a base plate, formed with a slotted upright, said upright having an enlarged part adjacent 95 the slot thereof, the enlarged part being formed to provide a guide way, a slide operating in the guide way and having a bolt which projects through the slot of the upright, a rod connected to the bolt and ex- 100 tending downwardly, a weight on the lower end of the rod, a bearing integral with the slide, a shaft journaled in the bearing, a roll on one end of the shaft, a crank on the other end of the shaft, an irregularly shaped 105 spring arm secured to the base and having a roll on its free end which coöperates with the first named roll, and a pivoted latch having one end adapted to engage the slide to

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2. In a device of the type set forth, a base, an upright secured to said base, a slide, supported by the upright, a roller carried by the slide, a depending rod secured to said 5 slide, said rod extending through an aperture in said base, a weight carried by said rod, and a spring arm secured on said base and carrying a roller on its free end for cooperation with the first named roller.

3. In a device of the type set forth, a base, an upright secured to one end of said base, a spring arm secured to the opposite end of said base, said arm being provided with an integral foot portion on one end which is secured to the base, the opposite end of the arm being arc-shaped and having a forked extremity, a roller in the fork, and

a slide supported by the upright.

4. In a device of the type set forth, a member, a slide movably held by said member, a projection carried by the slide, a weight secured to the projection, a roller carried by the slide, and a spring arm carrying a roller underlying the first named 25 roller.

5. In a device of the type set forth, a slotted upright formed with a guide-way, a slide in the guide-way having a bolt extending into said slot of the upright, a weighted rod depending from said bolt, a roller carried by the slide, and a second roller underlying the first roller.

6. In a device of the type set forth, an upright formed with a guide-way, a slide extending in the guide-way, a weight carried

by the slide, a bearing carried by the upper end of the slide, a cam pivoted to the upright and adapted to engage the lower end of the slide, a roller journaled in said bearing and a second roller beneath the first 40 named one.

7. An edge rolling device for hot water bottles, comprising, a lower roller, means for resiliently mounting said roller, the highest point of the roller extending above said 45 mounting, an upper roller for coöperation with said lower roller, and means for carrying the upper roller, said last named means including a support, and a right angular slide, the top of the slide extending above 50 the top of the support and carrying the roller.

8. An edge rolling device for hot water bottles, comprising, a lower roller, an upwardly extending member forming a re- 55 silient mounting for said roller, a support arranged to one side of the member in spaced relation thereto, a slide carried by the support, an upper roller and means whereby the upper roller is carried by the slide, said 60 means supporting the upper roller so that the same overlies the lower roller.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification in the presence of

two subscribing witnesses.

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