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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, EDGAR J. KUBICEK, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State 5 of Illinois, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Holders for Neckwear, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to a holder in which 10 neck ties, lace collars, and other like articles can be stored, in a manner which will prevent wrinkling, and protect from dust, the articles so stored.

The objects of the invention are, to obtain 15 an easily understood and sightly device, which is durable, economical, not liable to break or get out of order, and operable by

(hereinafter described) thereto, by one edge of said blank G.

Ears B, B¹, are provided with additional ears, F, F, and f, f, which are bent on lines d. 55 Ears F are bent to an angle of ninety degrees to the body part of said ears B, B^1 and ears fare doubled over on to said body parts. Said ears f, f, are, primarily, to take away the raw edge of said ears B, B^1 , where said edge is ex- 60 posed to view in the completed device.

G is a blank forming the upper part of the shell or casing of the device.

H is an ear on blank G which is bent on line h to stand at an angle of substantially 65 ninety degrees from the body part of said blank.

H¹, I, and I¹ are additional ears on blank G, which are bent over, or doubled on to the body of the blank, on lines h^1 and *i*, respec- 70 tively. The width of ears I, I¹, is so determined that the ends thereof abut against ears. B, B¹, when parts A and G are assembled, (see Fig. 5), thereby preventing said ears B, B¹ from bending outward from said plane 75 which is at right angles with the body part of blank A. To hold the edge of part G which is provided with the hem, as it is called in the art, obtained by bending the part H¹ over onto the body of blank or part G is held 80 firmly, at its ends, to the ears B, B¹, by the ears F extending underneath said hem, as is well illustrated in Figs. 4 and 5. Ears B, B^1 , are provided with apertures J, j, and K is an ordinary spring curtain 85 roller which is secured between said ears, in said apertures, in the common way of hanging spring curtain rollers.

- persons not particularly skilled in mechanics.
- 20 I have illustrated a device embodying the invention in the drawing accompanying and forming a part of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 is a front view, with a portion 25 of the casing of the device broken away to expose the working members to view, at one end thereof. Fig. 2 is a plan of the blank from which the base of the device is formed up. Fig. 3 is a plan of a blank from which 30 the casing which is attached to the base is formed up. Fig. 4 is a vertical section on line 4-4 of Fig. 5, (but showing a section of the entire shell of the device), viewed in the direction indicated by the arrows. And 35 Fig. 5 is a section on line 5-5 of Fig. 4, viewed in the direction indicated by the arrows.

L is a curtain which is attached to roller

A reference character applied to designate a given part indicates said part throughout 40 the several figures of the drawing, wherever the same appears.

A is the base blank, (see Fig. 2). Blank A is provided with ears B; B¹, which are bent, on lines b, to stand at an angle of 15 ninety degrees from the central body part of said blank. To give a finished appearance to the base of the device the parts or ears D, D¹, respectively, are bent or doubled over, (on lines d), onto the body part of 50 blank A. Ear D performs an additional function, to wit, to hold blank or part G,

K, and adapted to be rolled around it. 90 M is a wire bar, bent at its ends to be attached to curtain L; and is attached by said ends entering into a hem or fold (M¹), which is provided therefor in said curtain L. Bar M is also bent, as at m, to substantially 95 conform to the roller K, when curtain L is rolled around said roller.

N, are pockets at the lower end of curtain L.

O is a curtain stick which is inserted in 100 the hem P at the lower end of curtain L. X are neckties which are in position on

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bar M to be rolled around roller K with, or within, said curtain L when said curtain is wrapped around roller K, in the ordinary way of wrapping a curtain around spring **5 5** rollers.

To use the device a neck tie, or lace collar, is placed on bar M, substantially as illustrated in Fig. 1; and said curtain L is wound around roller K, as described. I claim;

1. In a holder for neckwear, a frame con-

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roller mounted in said apertures, a curtain attached to said roller, and a bar provided with curved ends adapted to fit to said roller 30 and attached to said curtain.

3. In a holder for neck wear, a frame consisting of a sheet metal base provided with ears integral therewith and positioned in a plane at right angles to the remainder of 35 said sheet, the side edges of said base doubled over onto said remainder, and a sheet metal body curved to fit the edges of said ears, said sheet metal body provided with ears fitting under the doubled over portions 40 of said base and thereby attached thereto, the ends of said curved sheet metal body also doubled over onto the body portion thereof, in combination with a spring roller mounted in said frame by attachment to 45 said first mentioned ears, a curtain attached to said roller, and a bar provided with curved ends adapted to fit to said roller and attached to said curtain.

sisting of a base, ends to said base, and a casing attached to said base and ends, in combination with a spring roller mounted 15 within said frame and in said ends, a curtain attached to said roller, and a bar provided with ends adapted to fit to said roller, said bar attached to said curtain and arranged to stand out from the curtain when 20 said curtain is unrolled from said roller. 2. In a holder for neck wear, a frame consisting of a sheet metal base provided with ears integral therewith and positioned in a plane at right angles to the remainder of said sheet, a sheet metal body attached to 25 said base and ends, and said ears provided with apertures, in combination with a spring

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