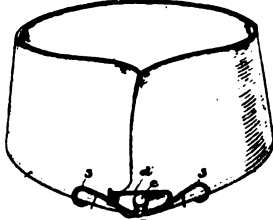


The Latest Patents.

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609,906. TIME-RECORDER. ELMER E. RAN DOLPH and HENRY L. MCCOY, Manito, I.I. Filed Jan. 3, 1898. Serial No. 665,302. (No model.)

609,932. COLLAR-ADJUSTER. VIVIAN GREENIDGE, Newton, Mass. Filed Jan. 8, 1898. Serial No. 665,002. (No model.)



A collar-adjuster composed of spring wire preventing an eye to receive a collar-button, and having spring-arms bent upward and backward toward their ends, the extremities of said wire being bent backward to form a clamp having a space to receive the lower edge of a collar, the wire bent to form the clamp presenting portions lying in different horizontal planes to leave a shoulder to act against the front side of the collar, near its lower edge and aid in applying said clamp to said edge.

609,978. FOUNTAIN-PEN. HENRY J. SCHULTZ, Los Angeles, Cal. Filed July 2, 1897. Serial No. 643,711. (No model.)

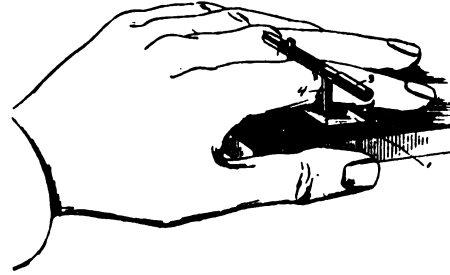
The improved fountain-pen, consisting of the combination of the pen, the fountain, the elastic chamber, the spring contact-pieces, the adjustable sliding ring, the valve situated in the lower part of the lower end of the fountain, the chamber into which the valve opens, the inclined tube leading from the lower part of

this chamber and inclined at an angle upward to the under side of the nibs or writing points of the pen, the valve for admitting air to the fountain when a partial vacuum is formed therein, the cover for closing over



the pen when out of use and for being placed on the upper end of the fountain so as to lengthen the holder of the pen when in use.

610,097. GAGE FOR FINGER-RING. MANOEL R. DE SILVA, Georgetown, British Guiana. Filed Aug. 12, 1897. Serial No. 648,067. (No model.)



The combination of a base-plate, provided with a standard, a graduated bar provided with a mortise or slot whereby the graduated bar may be readily adjusted upon the standard, and a gage-stud for adjustment with relation to the standard.

610,143. WATCHMAN'S TIME-DETECTOR. JOSEPH MCCARTHY, Franklin, Ohio, assignor of three-fourths to Leo H. McCarthy, same place, and Chas. B. Oglesby, Middletown, Ohio. Filed June 13, 1898. Serial No. 683,266. (No model.)

DESIGN 29,975. BACK FOR BRUSHES OR SIMILAR ARTICLES. JEAN THEOBALD,



North Attleborough, Mass., assignor to the Frank M. Whiting & Co., same place. Filed July 22, 1895. Serial No. 686,624. Term of patent 3 1/2 years.

DESIGN 29,976. BADGE. KNULAND H. SHAFFER,



Hudson, N. Y. Filed Aug. 3, 1898. Serial No. 687,657. Term of patent, 3 1/2 years.

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- 246,532. WATCHMAKER'S TOOL.** ANTHONY G. LINNBAUM, Baltimore, Md.
- 246,564. BELT FASTENER.** HORACE D. HICKS, Whitefield, N. H., assignor of one-half to THOMAS C. GREY, same place.
- 246,680. SPECTACLE CASE.** JAMES CHASE, Rochester, N. Y., and Herbert G. Chase, Fitchburg, Mass.
- 246,431. LOCKET.** JAMES ROTHSCHILD, Newark, N. J.
- 246,377. BUTTER DISH.** JOHN A. EADES, Middletown, assignor to the Cromwell Plate Co., Cromwell, Conn.
- 246,313. MACHINE FOR POLISHING CLOCK PINIONS.** EVERETT HORTON, New Haven, Conn.



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