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Crib and Cradle,

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Fig. 1.

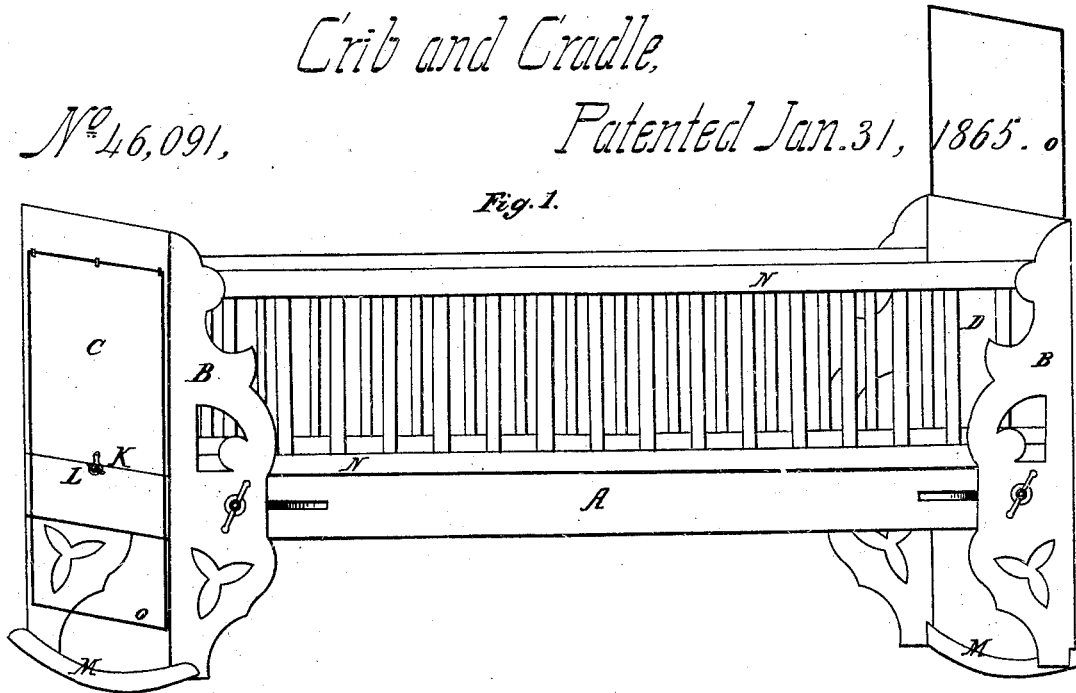
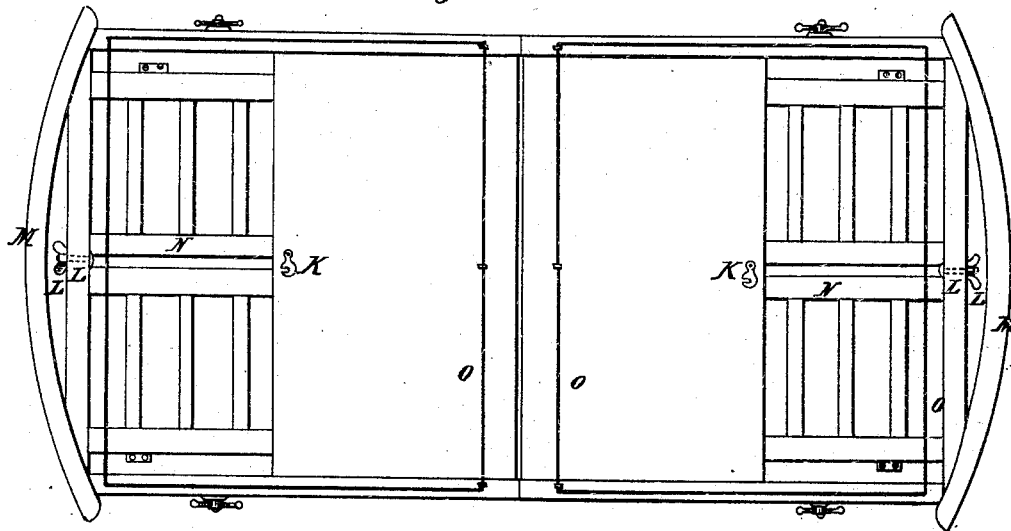


Fig. 2.



Witnesses.

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IMPROVED CRIB AND CRADLE.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HENRY W. EASTMAN, of the city and county of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, have invented certain new and useful Improvements upon a patent granted me on the 9th day of April, 1861, for a Portable Folding Bedstead.

This invention consists in fastening, in a peculiar and novel manner, the head and foot boards to the bed-frame when up in position; also, folding crib sides hinged to the side rails of the bed-frame to convert the bedstead into a crib or trundle bedstead; also, rockers attached to the folding posts, forming, when up, a rocking cradle or crib; also, a "metallic mosquito-bar frame," hinged to the back of the head and foot boards, for the purpose of supporting a mosquito-net when the bedstead is up in position; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters of reference marked thereon.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 is a perspective view of crib when up in position; Fig. 2, a top view when folded.

L in Fig. 1 is a "bolt and thumb-nut," which pass through the frame A. There are two of these bolts, one at each end of the frame.

K K are "hooks," attached to the head and foot boards when the bedstead is up in posi-

tion. The hooks pass around the bolts and are tightened by the thumb-nuts.

M M are "rockers," so attached to the folding posts B B as to form, when up, a rocking crib, and when folded pass over and rest on the frame A, as in Fig. 2.

N N are folding "crib sides," hinged to the side rails of the bed-frame A, thus converting the bedstead, when up in position, into a child's crib or trundle-bedstead. These crib sides fold upon the mattress in such a way as to allow the head and foot boards to fold close to and pass over them, as in Fig. 2.

O O are metallic mosquito-bar frames, hinged to the back of the head and foot boards. In Fig. 1 one section is represented as up in position to receive the net; the other section in the same figure shows its position when not in use. In Fig. 2 it is represented as folded with the bedstead.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The combination and arrangement of the hinged sides N N, rockers M M, bolts and thumb-nuts L, hooks K, and metallic frame O, all constructed and arranged substantially as and for the purposes set forth and described.

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