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BOOT JACK.

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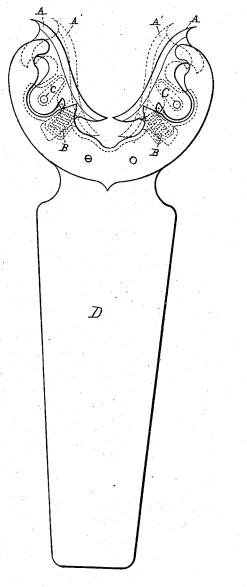
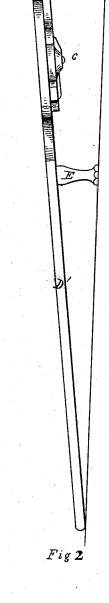


Fig 1

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BOOT-JACK.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, REUBEN MYERS, of Harshmansville, in the county of Montgomery and State of Ohio, have invented a new and useful Improvement in an Adjustable-Jaw Boot-Jack, of which the following is a specification.

The invention consists of the arrangement of an iron frame or base, to the end of which is attached a pair of rigid and also a pair of spring yielding jaws pivoted to the rigid jaws; and it finally consists in the particular shape, construction, arrangement, and novelty of frame and jaws.

In the accompanying drawings, in which similar letters of reference indicate like parts, Figure 1 is a perspective of a device embodying my invention. Fig. 2 is a longitudinal side view of the same.

To the end of the frame or base D, which sits upon the floor and is supported by the feet

E, is attached a pair of rigid jaws, F F, and also another pair of spring yielding jaws A A, pivoted to the rigid jaws F F, and are turned upon the pivots C C from their normal position, 25 as shown by dotted lines A' A', by means of springs B B.

In side view, D' represents the rear of frame, and c represents that part of pivot which extends beneath the rigid jaw F, and A represents the spring yielding jaw as beneath the rigid jaw.

I claim-

In a boot jack provided with the frame or base D, the combination of the rigid jaws with 35 a pair of spring yielding jaws, and arranged to operate substantially as set forth.

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