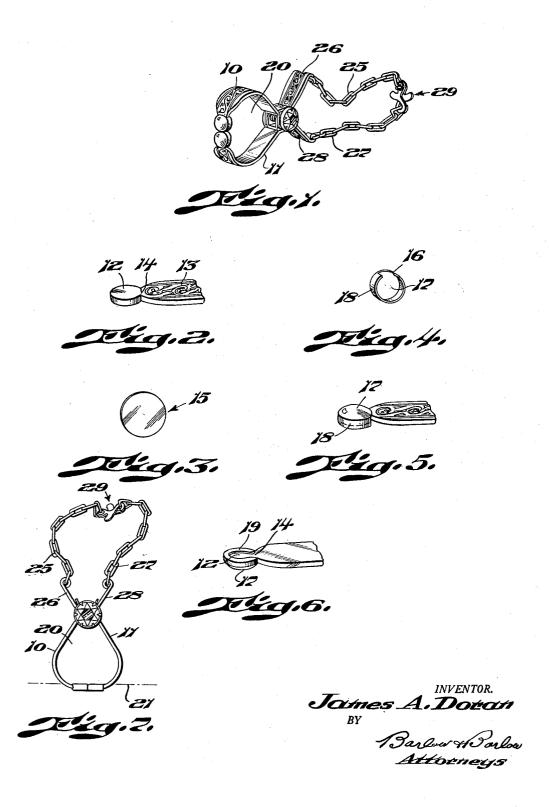
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This invention refers to a glove holder and particularly one which has the ends of the jaws thereof provided with caps.

These capped ends may be used upon any type of glove holder whether made from strip stock 5 with a continuous width of pattern or on those made from sheet metal with either plain surfaces or all-over embossed patterns.

One of the objects of this invention is to furnish a neat artistic end on the jaw without curl- 10 ing or rolling over the jaw end.

Another object of this invention is to provide capping of the ends in order to obtain smooth edges at the ends so as to prevent damage to the

Another object of this invention is to provide a superior design and finish to the glove holder and particularly the ends thereof which engage the gloves or about the gloves.

Another object of this invention is to provide 20 to any other object. a glove holder having its jaw ends so disposed that the holding enclosure is flat and perpendicular to the hinge connection in order to prevent accidental opening and loss of the gloves.

With these and other objects in view, the in- 25 vention consists of certain novel features of construction, as will be more fully described and particularly pointed out in the appended claims.

In the accompanying drawings:

Figure 1 is a perspective view of the glove holder 30 assembled;

Figure 2 is a fragmental view of one of the jaw ends prior to being capped;

Figure 3 is a perspective view of the blanked disc required to make the cap;

Figure 4 is a perspective view of the cap drawn as a cup, with a portion of the side wall removed to permit mounting on the end of the jaw portion:

Figure 5 is a perspective view of the assembly of 40 the portions shown in Figures 2 and 4:

Figure 6 is a view similar to Figure 5 but showing the bottom view of the assembly;

Figure 7 is an edge view of the complete assembly shown in Figure 1 and illustrating the 45 portions of the jaw ends as located at right angles or perpendicular to a line joining their juncture with the pivot or hinge pin.

In proceeding with this invention I use any style of body member with caps mounted on the 50 edgewise when in glove holding position. ends which form the jaws by providing a head with a reduced neck and then capping this head.

With reference to the drawings, 10 designates one body member and if the other body member of the clasp each having ornamentation 13 therein. The members are blanked from metal, with a reduced neck 14 to obtain a disc-shaped head 12 of proper shape to fit in the cap. The cap is preferably drawn from a blank disc 15 in suitable dies, as a cup with end wall 17 bulged outwardly and with side walls 18. The side wall 18 is punched to form an opening 16. This cup or cap is then positioned so that the opening 16 receives the neck 14 with the domed end 17, extending over the outer surface of the head, while 65

the side wall 18 of the cap extends around the edges of the head. This cap wall 18 is then curled over as at 19 (see Fig. 6) so as to lock the cap on the head.

The jaws 10 and 11 are fashioned to provide the hollow space 20 between them so that the jaw capped ends will come together in substantially a straight line as shown in Figure 7 so that the line 21 which is along the inner surface of the capped ends will be perpendicular to a line joining the juncture of the ends with the pivot. Thus, any pressure which is applied directly downwardly or away from the pivot will not tend to spread the jaws and they will better hold in closed rela-15 tion against any such pull.

A chain 25 may be attached to the handle end 26 of the jaw 10 and a chain 27 may be attached to the handle end 28 of the jaw 11 with a clasp 29 for the free chain ends for attaching the device

I claim:

1. In a glove holder, a pair of body members hinged together and having free jaw ends normally contacting each other and shaped to conjointly form a glove receiving hollow between the free jaw ends and the point where the members are hinged together, each of said free jaw ends being formed into a rounded head with a narrow neck and a circular cap embracing said head with the free marginal edge wall portion thereof rolled tightly into engagement with the head, said free jaw ends having the caps thereon extending in the plane of the said members and contacting each other edgewise when in glove holding position.

2. In a glove holder, a pair of body members hinged together and having free jaw ends normally contacting each other and shaped to conjointly form a glove receiving hollow between the free jaw ends and the point where the members are hinged together, each of said free jaw ends being formed into a rounded head with a narrow neck and a seamless circular cap with a side wall having an opening to receive the neck embracing said head and with the free marginal edge wall portion thereof rolled tightly into engagement with the head, said free jaw ends having the caps thereon extending in the plane of the said members and contacting each other

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