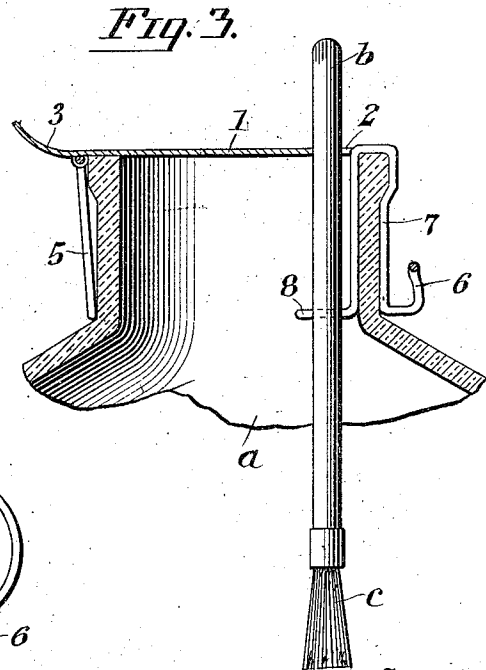
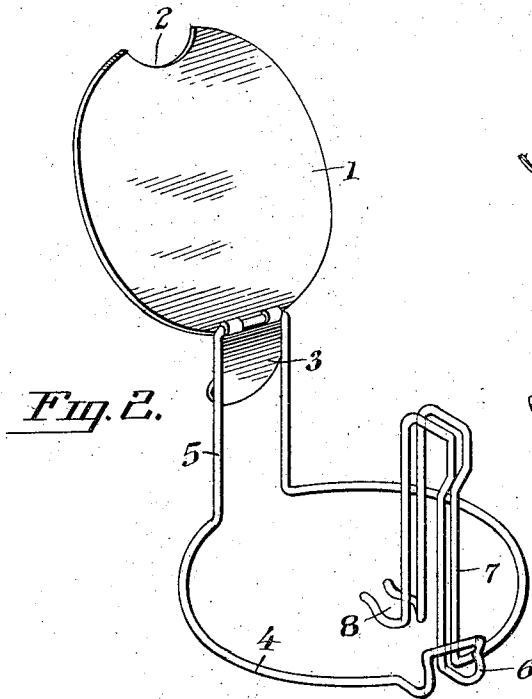
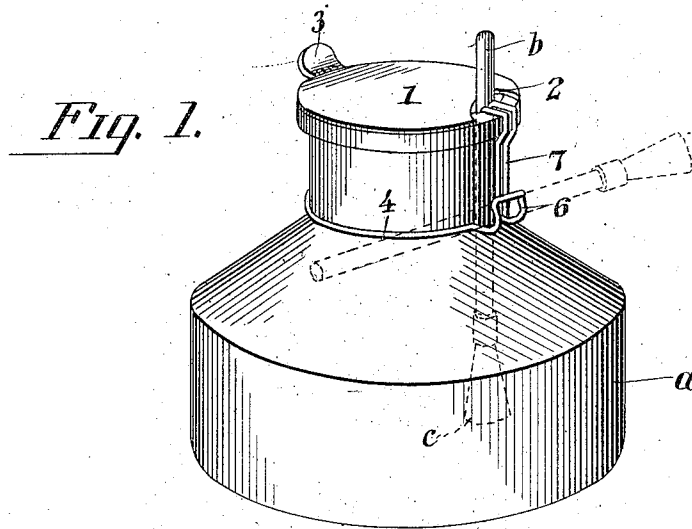


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ELLA BAUMGART, a citizen of the United States, residing at Red Wing, in the county of Goodhue and State of Minnesota, have invented new and useful Improvements in Covers and Brush-Holders for Mucilage-Bottles, of which the following is a specification.

This invention is an improved cover and brush holder for mucilage bottles, adapted to perform the functions of a cover for excluding dust and dirt from a mucilage bottle and to also hold the brush in the bottle at the proper depth to prevent the mucilage from drying on the brush and also prevent the mucilage from caking and drying on the brush handle, and, further adapted to hold the brush exteriorly of the bottle when the brush is in use and while the bottle is open, the invention consisting in the construction, combination and arrangement of devices hereinafter described and claimed.

In the accompanying drawing:—Figure 1 is a perspective view of a cover and brush holder constructed in accordance with my invention, showing the same on a mucilage bottle and with the cover closed and the brush arranged in the bottle. Fig. 2 is a detail perspective view of my improved cover and brush holder, showing the cover open. Fig. 3 is a vertical sectional view of a portion of a mucilage bottle provided with my improved cover and brush holder.

In accordance with my invention, I provide a cover 1, which may be made of sheet metal or any other suitable material, is of a size and shape adapting it to fit on the mouth of a mucilage bottle, is provided at one side with a recess 2 for the passage of the handle of a mucilage brush and is provided at the opposite side with a projecting lip 3 which is upturned. I also provide a wire clamp 4 which is in the form of an open ring, is made of spring wire of suitable gage and is adapted to extend around and to firmly clamp the neck of a bottle such as indicated at *a*. This clamping ring is formed at what I call the rear side with a vertical, open arm 5 which extends upwardly therefrom and engages the neck of the lip 3 of the cover and coacts with the lip to form a

hinge connection between the clamping ring and the cover. The clamping ring is formed at the opposite side with a doubled portion 55 which is bent to form a spring hook 6 arranged exteriorly of the bottle, an inverted U-shaped arm 7 to extend over one side of the mouth of the bottle and downwardly into the same through the opening or recess 60 2 formed in the cover, and this inverted U-shaped arm 7 has at its inner lower terminal a horizontally arranged U-shaped spring hook 8.

The handle *b* of the mucilage brush *c* 65 may be engaged with the hook 8 when the brush is in the bottle, with its handle extending up through the opening 2 and it will be understood that the hook 8 by engagement with the brush handle may be caused 70 to support the brush at any desired vertical adjustment so that its head may be kept submerged in the mucilage and prevented from becoming crusted and the handle of the brush may be kept above the level of 75 the mucilage and also prevented from becoming crusted with dry mucilage. While the brush is in use, it may be supported by arranging its handle in the hook 6 as indicated in dotted lines in Fig. 1, thus preventing 80 mucilage from dropping from the brush on the desk or other work.

My improved mucilage bottle cover and brush holder is extremely cheap and simple and may be readily attached to and detached from any ordinary mucilage bottle.

While I have herein shown and described a preferred form of my invention, I would have it understood that changes may be made in the form, construction and arrangement of the several parts without departing 90 from the spirit of my invention and within the scope of the appended claim.

I claim:—

The herein described attachment for mucilage bottles comprising a cover having a recess in one side and provided at the opposite side with a projecting lip, in combination with an open spring clamping ring to engage around the neck of a bottle having an arm on one side engaged by the lip of the cover and coacting therewith to effect a hinge connection between the clamping ring and the cover, said clamping ring be-

ing provided at the opposite side with an
outwardly projecting spring hook and also
having an inverted U-shaped arm to engage
the outer and inner sides of the neck of the
bottle and provided at its inner lower end
with a hook for engagement with the han-
dle of a brush when the latter is arranged
within the bottle, the first-mentioned hook

serving to engage the brush handle and sup-
port the brush exteriorly of the bottle. 10

In testimony whereof I have affixed my
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