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Fig. 1

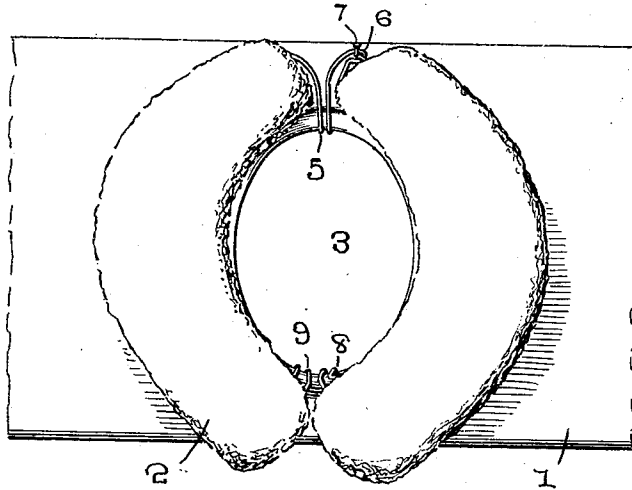
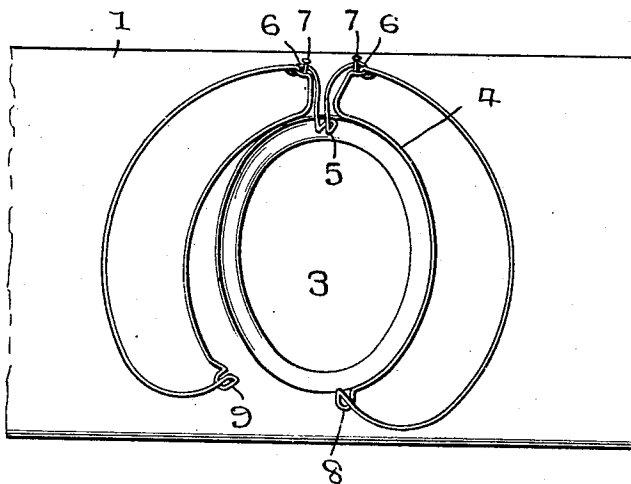


Fig. 2.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JONAS NAUSE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Conyng-
ham, in the county of Luzerne and State of
5 Pennsylvania, have invented certain new and
useful Improvements in Seat Attachments;
and I do hereby declare the following to be
a full, clear, and exact description of the in-
vention, such as will enable others skilled in
the art to which it appertains to make and
use the same.

My invention relates to new and useful
improvements in seat attachments and more
particularly to that class adapted to be used
15 in connection with closet seats and my ob-
ject is to provide means for attaching a cush-
ion to the seat and a further object is to
provide means for holding the cushion un-
der tension while in engagement with the
20 seat.

Other objects and advantages will be here-
inafter referred to and more particularly
pointed out in the claim.

Referring to the drawings which form
25 part of this application, Figure 1 is a top
plan view of a portion of the closet seat,
showing my improved cushion applied to
use thereon, and, Fig. 2 is a view of the
closet seat showing the frame employed for
30 holding the cushion in position.

Referring to the drawings in which simi-
lar reference numerals designate correspond-
ing parts throughout the several views, 1
indicates the closet seat, which may be con-
35 structed in the usual or any preferred man-
ner and 2 indicates the cushion adapted to
coöperate therewith, which cushion is so ar-
ranged as to fit around the opening 3 in the
seat, the object of which cushion, it is be-
40 lieved, will be readily apparent. The cush-
ion 2 is provided with a frame 4, which is
preferably constructed on one section of
wire, which is bent at its center to form a
hook 5, which hook is adapted to engage the
45 edge of the opening 3 adjacent the rear por-
tion thereof. At the termination of the
hook 5 are formed loops 6, through which
extend nails or similar retaining members,
which nails are driven into the seat 1 and
50 hold the frame in position thereon. The

wires forming the frame after leaving the
loop 6 are extended inwardly until the open-
ing 3 is encountered and said wires then
bent to conform to the curvature of the
opening, each section of the wire at opposite
55 sides of the hook 5, terminating in hooks 8
and 9, at the forward edge of the opening 3
and from the hooks 8 and 9 the wire is ex-
tended outwardly and then curved rear-
wardly to a point adjacent the loops 6, the
60 free ends of the wire forming the frame be-
ing hooked into engagement with said loops,
the curvature of the two sections of the wire
being such as to cause an outward tension,
whereby when the hooks 8 and 9 are en-
65 gaged with the forward edge of the open-
ing 3, the frame will be securely held in po-
sition around said opening. In constructing
the frame in this manner, it will be readily
seen that it can be formed of one continu-
70 ous section of wire around which is to be
secured the cushion 2 and when it is desired
to attach the device to the closet seat, the
hook 5 is first engaged with the rear portion
of the opening 3 and the hooks 8 and 9 then
75 moved inwardly and engaged with the for-
ward portion of the opening and as the sec-
tions of the frame are slightly greater in
length than the diameter of the opening,
it will be necessary to exert a pressure on
80 the frame sections to engage the hooks 8 and
9 with the opening in the seat, thus placing
a tension on the frame sections, which will
serve to hold the cushion and frame in fixed
position on the seat.

Should it be desired to retain the cushion
on the seat, nails 7 are introduced through
the loops 6 as shown, thereby securely hold-
ing the cushion and frame in position and
it will be readily seen that if it is desired to
90 remove the cushion, the hooks 8 and 9 are
to be disengaged from the opening and the
loops from the nails 7, which will be readily
apparent.

What I claim is:

A seat cushion, comprising the combina-
tion of a frame formed of one continuous
section of wire, said frame having at its
central portion a hook, loops at the upper
end of the hook section, curved portions ex- 100

tending forwardly from said loops and having hooks formed thereon adapted to engage the forward edge of an opening, similar curved portions extending from the forward
5 hooks into engagement with said loops and a cushion on said frame.

In testimony whereof I have signed my

name to this specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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