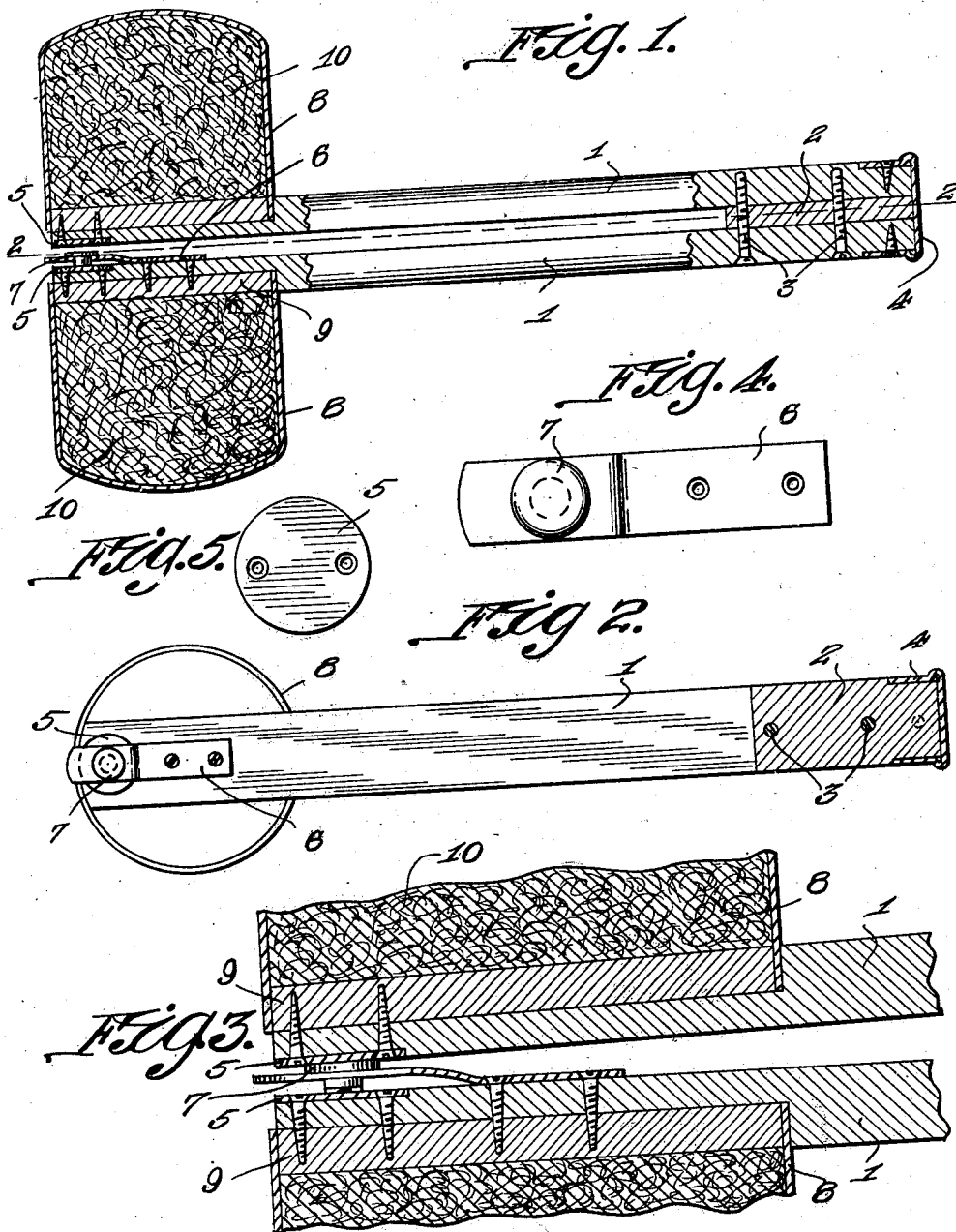


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This invention relates to a detonating toy, the general object of the invention being to provide a handle formed of a pair of resilient parts, with means for causing the free ends of said members to move toward each other when the device is struck against an object and means for exploding a cap or the like when such action takes place.

This invention also consists in certain other features of construction and in the combination and arrangement of the several parts, to be hereinafter fully described, illustrated in the accompanying drawing and specifically pointed out in the appended claims.

In describing the invention in detail, reference will be had to the accompanying drawing wherein like characters denote like or corresponding parts throughout the several views, and in which:—

Figure 1 is an elevation of the device, with parts in section.

Figure 2 is a section on line 2—2 of Figure 1.

Figure 3 is an enlarged sectional view through the outer portion of the device, showing the parts in exploding position.

Figure 4 is a face view of the hammer.

Figure 5 is a view of one of the disks.

In this drawing, the numeral 1 indicates a pair of resilient members and 2 indicates a strip placed between the members at one end of the device, the two members and the strip being connected together by the screws 3. A cap 4 is placed over this end of the device. A disk 5 is countersunk in the opposite end of each member on the inner face thereof and a spring strip, forming a hammer 6, has one of its ends fastened to one of the members, with its outer end offset. A rivet 7 passes through this offset end and forms a striking part for engaging one of the disks.

A back 8, formed of fabric, such as chamois, is fastened to a block 9 and each block is fastened to the outer end of a member 1. Each back contains material 10, such as wool.

An explosive cap, such as the paper caps used in toy pistols, is placed between the striker member 7 and one of the disks and then, by manipulating the device to cause one

of the backs to strike an object, the free ends of the members 1 will be moved toward each other so that the hammer, formed by the strip 6, will cause the member 7 to forcibly strike the cap and thus explode the same. Then another cap can be put in place and this cap exploded in the same manner.

It is thought from the foregoing description that the advantages and novel features of the invention will be readily apparent.

It is to be understood that changes may be made in the construction and in the combination and arrangement of the several parts, provided that such changes fall within the scope of the appended claims.

What I claim is:—

1. A device of the class described comprising a pair of handle members supported in spaced relation and formed of resilient material, a striker plate carried by one member, a hammer member attached to said member and having a part extending over the striker plate and weight forming members attached to the handle members for causing the hammer to explode a cap placed between the same and the striker plate when one of the weight members is brought against an object.

2. A device of the class described comprising a pair of handle members supported in spaced relation and formed of resilient material, a striker plate carried by one member, a hammer member attached to said member and having a part extending over the striker plate and weight forming members attached to the handle members for causing the hammer to explode a cap placed between the same and the striker plate when one of the weight members is brought against an object, such weight members each consisting of a back of flexible material having a filling therein.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature.

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