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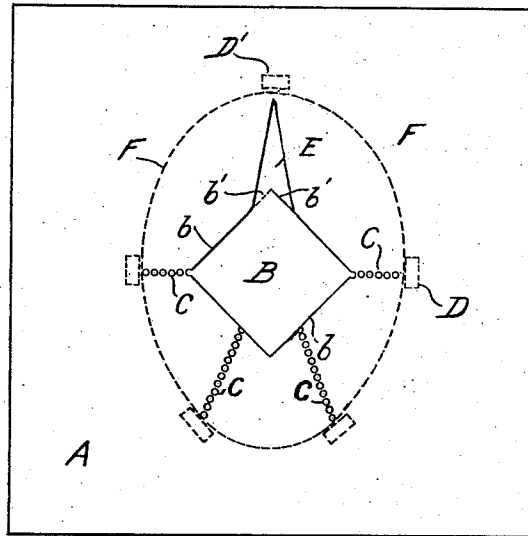


FIG. 1

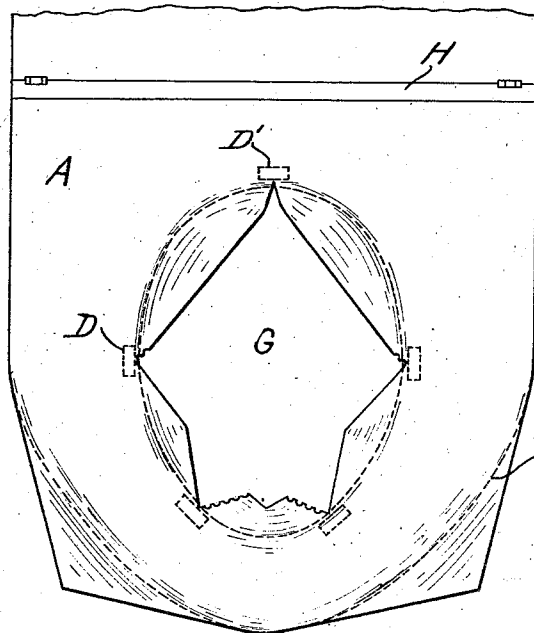


FIG. 2

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, PHILIP GANZHORN, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Sanitary Toilet-Seat Covers, of which the following, when taken in connection with the drawings accompanying and forming a part hereof, is a full and complete description, sufficient to enable those skilled in the art to which it pertains to understand, make, and use the same.

This invention relates to covers designed to be used on toilet seats for the protection of the person using such seat.

The object of this invention is to obtain a device which may be readily adjusted in place on a seat without tearing the device; which will well protect a person using the seat, and which will fit with reasonable closeness the ordinary toilet seat.

In the drawing referred to Figure 1 is a plan view of a device embodying the invention, and Fig. 2 is a top plan view of a toilet seat and of a device embodying the invention placed thereon in position for use.

A reference letter applied to designate a given part is used to indicate such part throughout the several figures of the drawing wherever the same appears.

A is a cover, and consists of a flexible sheet, as say thin paper, provided with an aperture B, therein, and cuts or perforations C, C. The perforations C, C, are arranged so that the sheet between them may be broken or torn away to form a cut or recess and D, D, are strips of strengthening material, as cloth or paper, secured to the sheet A by adhesive material, or by stitching.

I prefer to make the aperture B with the pointed end E and to secure the strip D' at right angles to the end thereof. When the end cut E is not made, the aperture B is rectangular or diamond shaped, as is shown by lines b, b, and broken lines b', b'.

To use the device it is placed on a toilet

seat and the material between the perforations C, C, is broken away and the parts of the cover between say broken lines F, F, (Fig. 1) and the aperture B and forced down in the aperture G of seat H, substantially as shown in Fig. 2 of the drawing. When in this position the cover is interposed between the seat and the person using such seat.

The device may be made of thin tissue paper, which may or may not be medicated, as preferred.

The end cut E is made to make certain that a person using the device will not be soiled by the retention of anything on the device.

It will be observed that the perforations C, C, at the front of the cover are so arranged that a fly or flap is obtained in the front or forward end of aperture B, which is well adapted to protect the sexual organs of the person using the seat.

Having thus described my invention and the construction and manner of using a device embodying the same what I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent is;—

A cover consisting of a sheet of flexible material provided with an aperture therein and with a plurality of series of perforations arranged so that by tearing the material between the perforations of a series a plurality of flaps are obtained, such aperture being rectangular in the central portion thereof with a rear extension thereto, and strips of strengthening material joined to the cover at the ends of the respective series of perforations, and at the end of the rear extension of the aperture, the series of perforations at the front end of the aperture arranged to obtain a flap between them which may be forced down into the aperture of a toilet seat.

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