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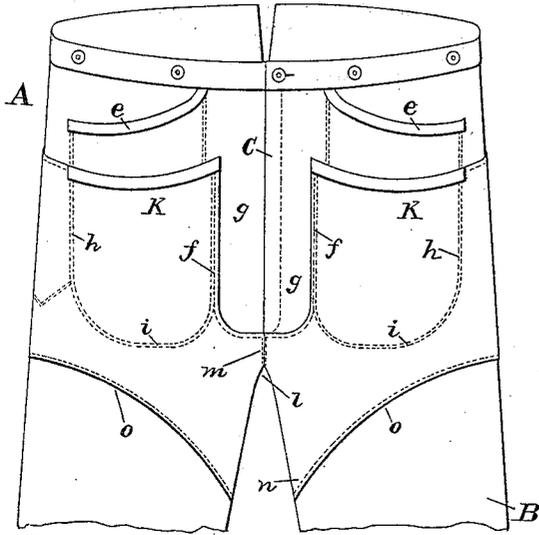


Fig. 1.

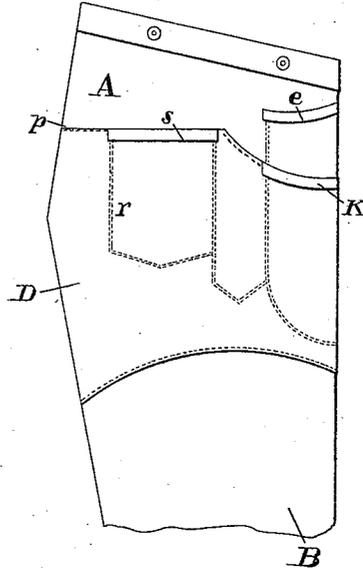


Fig. 2.

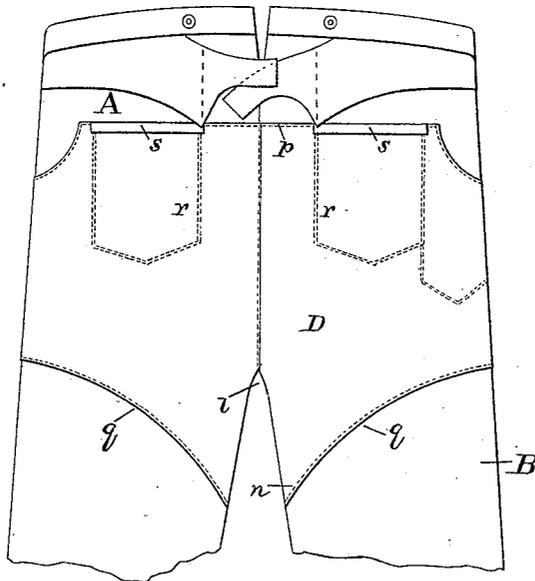


Fig. 3.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CHARLES R. SEARLEY, a citizen of the United States, residing at Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Overalls, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in overalls, and is illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a front view of the improved overalls. Fig. 2 is a side view of the same. Fig. 3 is a back view.

The overalls consist of the usual parts—waist part and legs—cut in the well-known way, and these are re-enforced by an outer thickness cut to a peculiar shape and stitched to the said usual parts, as hereinafter described.

The letter A designates the waist part; B, the legs; C, the fly; D, the seat, and *e* the usual front pockets. An outer thickness of material is stitched at *f* vertically at each side of the fly-opening, and a narrow portion, *g*, of the usual front up and down each side of the fly-opening, between the said opening and the vertical row *f* of stitches, is left of single thickness. Thereby the fly and parts adjacent have no more than the usual thickness, and the fly may be buttoned and unbuttoned with the usual facility. A second vertical row of stitches, *h*, and a cross-row, *i*, form special pockets, K, outside of and below the usual pockets, *e*. Thus the overalls may have four pockets at the front. The re-enforcing material is joined to the garment at the crotch *l*, and extends across the crotch at *m*, just below the uniting parts of the fly. From the crotch *l* the re-enforce extends down the inside of the leg a short distance, where it forms a point, *n*,

from which the lower edge, *o*, across the leg-front describes an up-curve. From the top of each of the two special pockets K, at the front, the upper edge, *p*, of the re-enforce extends straight across the back of the waist part A, and covers the entire seat D of the garment. From the point *n* on the inside of the leg the lower edge, *q*, across the leg-back, describes an up-curve. By a row of stitches, *r*, two hip-pockets, *s*, are formed between the re-enforce material and outside of the garment. This special construction of re-enforce about the waist part, legs, and crotch, as described, gives strength to the garment where it is most required, and leaves the legs below the crotch composed wholly of a single thickness of fabric.

Having described my invention, I claim and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States—

Overalls having a waist part and legs cut and made in the usual manner, and provided on the outside with a re-enforce which extends straight across the back at *p* and covers the entire seat D, is joined to the garment at the crotch *l*, and therefrom extends down the inside of the leg a short distance, where it forms a point, *n*, from which the lower edge, *q*, describes an up-curve across the leg-back and covers the waist-front, except a narrow portion, *g*, up and down each side of the fly-opening, just below which it crosses, as at *m*, as set forth.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in the presence of two witnesses.

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