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Fig. 1.

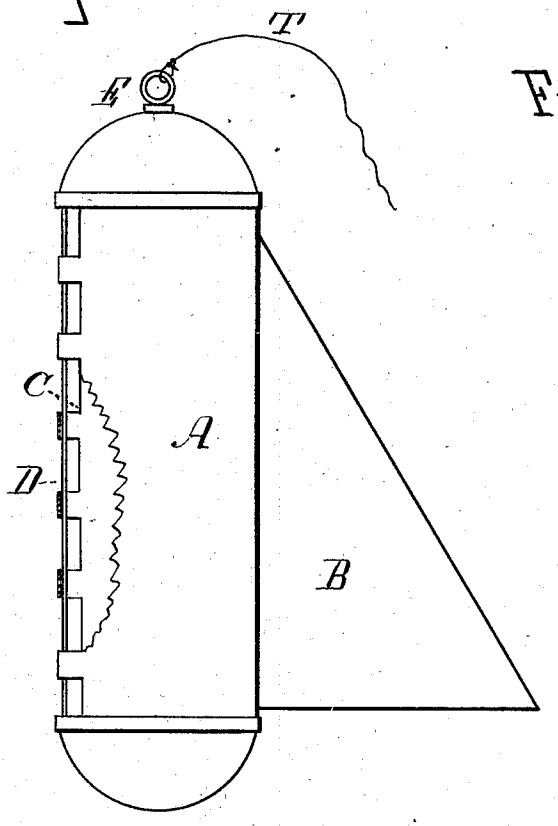
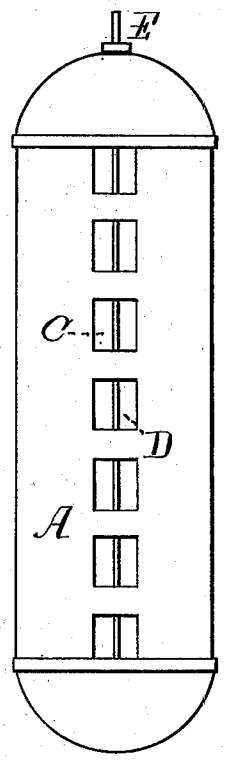


Fig. 2.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, LYMAN P. CONVERSE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, have invented a new, novel, and useful Toy, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to that class of toys which when rotated through the air produce a whizzing or buzzing sound, and is intended for the amusement of children.

The manner of constructing my toy is illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a side view, partly in section, and Fig. 2 is a front view, of the toy.

Similar letters indicate similar parts throughout the several views.

A is a hollow cylinder, closed at each end, and is provided with the apertures C, wire D, and rudder B, having at its upper end the swivel E for connecting with the string T, which is employed for rotating the toy around the hand. As is shown, the wire D is fixed to the cylinder A and crosses the apertures C, being intended to cut the air as it passes through the apertures, the effect of which is to increase the buzzing sound greatly over the sound produced when the cylinder is simply provided with the apertures. The rudder B holds the apertures C to the front as the toy is being rotated through the air, and is an essential part of the same.

Having fully described my toy, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

1. The cylinder A, provided with rudder B, apertures C, wire D, and swivel E, substantially as described.

2. The cylinder A, provided with rudder B and apertures C, substantially as described.

3. The cylinder A, provided with apertures C and wire D, substantially as described.

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