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Fig. 1.

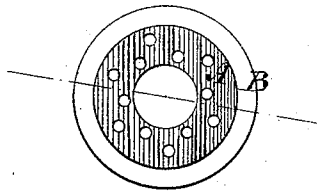


Fig. 2.



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IMPROVEMENT IN SHIELDS FOR CORNS, &c.

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Specification describing a new and useful Improvement in Corn and Bunion Shields, invented by BENJAMIN BRANDRETH, of Sing Sing, county of Westchester, State of New York.

Figure 1 is a face view of my improved corn and bunion shield. Fig. 2 is a transverse section of the same.

Similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts.

This invention relates to a new arrangement of a plaster for application to corns or bunions; and has for its object, by a judicious combination of parts, to obtain the requisite soothing or curative and adhesive properties. The invention consists in the combination of an annular or other shaped porous or healing plaster with an adhesive-plaster, the latter serving to retain the former in place and thereby to insure its effectiveness.

A in the drawing represents the porous or healing plaster, of annular or other suitable

form, prepared in the well-known or suitable manner, to act soothingly or as a curative on the inflamed borders or other parts of a corn or bunion to which it is applied. B is an adhesive-plaster of circular or other form. The healing-plaster A is combined and connected with the adhesive-plaster, as shown, so that it will be held in place by the same. A piece of muslin or other fabric may be placed over the face of this compound plaster, to prevent its adhesion to other things as long as not in use.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

A corn or bunion shield, consisting of the combined healing-plaster A and adhesive-plaster B, substantially as herein specified.

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