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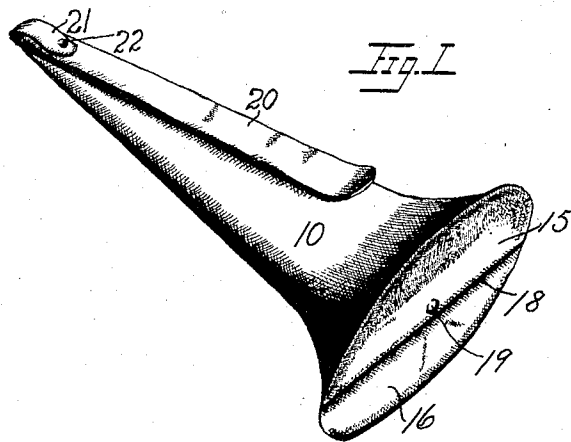
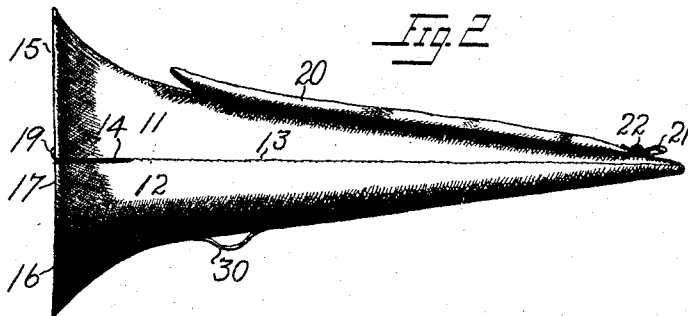
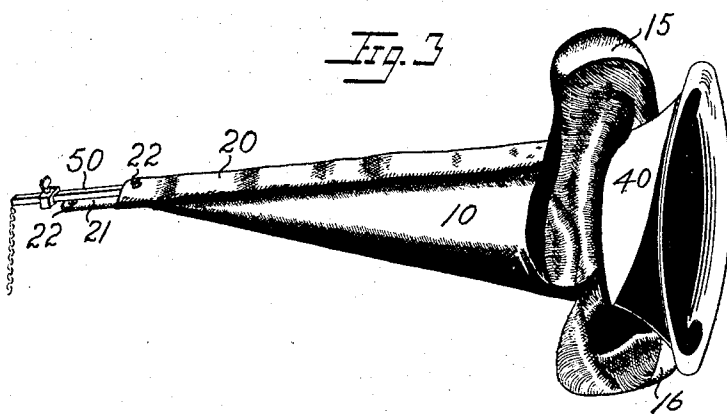
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HYMAN COHEN, a citizen of Russia, and a resident of New York city, in the county of New York and State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Bags for Horns, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to bags or covers for horns for phonographs, musical instruments, and the like; and its novelty consists in the construction and adaptation of the parts, as will be more fully hereinafter pointed out.

One of the difficulties now encountered in making a removable cover for a device of the character referred to is the difficulty of making a tight fit, so that the resulting package will not be unsightly, and another difficulty is the inconvenience of carrying with the horn and its cover a tripod, stand, or bracket suitable to support the horn upon in use, and the purpose of my invention is to overcome these difficulties and disadvantages and to make a neat and not high-priced bag suitable to inclose both the horn and its supporting mechanism. In addition to providing a neat and close-fitting receptacle for such a horn, for instance, my invention also provides a receptacle for the supporting mechanism so arranged as to cause said supporting mechanism when in position in its receptacle to serve as a buffer and stiffener to prevent the bending or injury of the horn by pressure against or contact with hard or rigid articles on that side of the horn, thereby affording one fortified side, as it were, to serve to take all contact when the horn is moved from place to place.

A further object of the invention is to provide a case for the horn of improved construction, as hereinafter specified.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a perspective view of my improved cover inclosing a horn and its bracket. Fig. 2 is a side elevation thereof; and Fig. 3 is a perspective of the same with both pockets of the device open, so as wholly to expose their contents.

In the drawings, 10 is the cover, made, preferably, of two pieces 11 and 12 of suitable fab-

ric, which should be waterproof. These are united by rows of stitching 13 or any other suitable way down to a point 14, where the flaring mouth of the larger pocket begins. The stitching ends here, and the larger end of body of the bag is there separated into two flaps 15 and 16, forming oppositely-located pockets, the line of their closure being indicated at 17 in Fig. 2 and 18 in Fig. 1. These flaps are so made as to overlap at their widest part, a snap-catch 19, of the ordinary construction of a glove-fastener, being there secured to the flaps to firmly unite them in position when upon or inclosing the horn.

Secured to the outside of the body 10 of the bag or cover and parallel with the side of the horn when inclosed is a smaller pocket 20, provided with a flap 21, adapted to open and to be fastened in place by a snap-catch 22, similar to the snap-catch 19 on the bag or cover. A handle 30, secured at the side of the bag opposite to the smaller pocket 20, adds to the convenience of the device and enables it to be readily carried in the hand.

I have shown in Fig. 3 the flaps 15 and 16 thrown back in such a position that the horn 40 may be readily removed therefrom and the flap 21 opened and thrown back in such a position that the bracket or stand 50 may be readily removed therefrom.

The supporting mechanism 50 is usually composed of metal bars, and when they are incased in the pocket 20 they serve as buffers, guards, or stiffeners on the side of the horn opposite to the handle 30, that side being most liable to be injured while carrying it in the hand, due to the tendency of a person to rest that side of the package on a chair-back, table, hand-rail, or other handy support while temporarily stopping with the horn in the bag and carried by the handle.

What I claim as new is—

1. A bag or cover for a horn consisting of two pieces of suitable flexible material each shaped to cover one longitudinal half of the horn, said pieces being stitched together from the mouth end to a point near the flared end,

each of the unstitched broad ends serving as removable pockets to cover one-half of the broad, open flaring end of the horn, the meeting edges of said unstitched ends being provided with suitable fastening devices.

2. The herein-described cover and guardholder for a horn comprising a suitable soft flexible tight-fitting cover of the shape of the horn, a longitudinally-extending pocket on one side thereof, and a carrying-handle on the side of the bag opposite to said pocket, said pocket being secured in a position to hold the

rigid supporting mechanism of the horn against and parallel to the side of the horn where it serves as a guard or buffer to prevent the bending or denting of the horn. 15

Witness my hand this 6th day of June, 1904, at the city of New York, in the county and State of New York.

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