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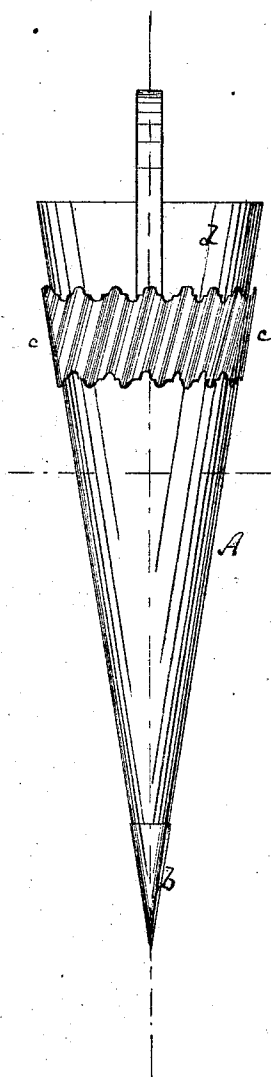


Fig. 2.

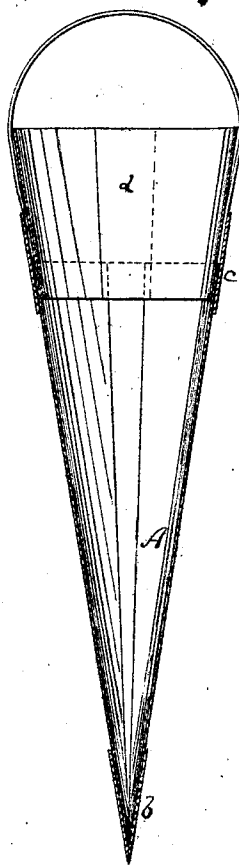
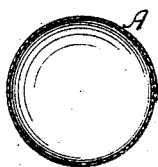


Fig. 3.



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IMPROVEMENT IN TRANSPARENT CORNUCOPIAS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM LOHSE, of New York city, in the county and State of New York, have invented new and Improved Transparent Cornucopia; and I hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of my invention, which will enable others to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawing forming a part of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 represents a side view of my improved transparent cornucopia. Fig. 2 is a longitudinal section of the same. Fig. 3 is a transverse section of the same.

Similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts.

This invention relates to the production of new cornets or cornucopias, made of gelatine to be transparent, of suitable size. Such transparent cornets are very convenient and desirable for the reception of candies and other small ware. My invention consists in the use of transparent gelatine cornets or cornucopias as new articles of manufacture, and also in the new mode of protecting their tips and large ends by means of paper or equivalent fabric.

A in the drawing represents a cornet or cornu-

copia of suitable size and proportions. Its body is made from a sheet of gelatine, whose edges are overlapped, as in Fig. 3, and gummed together. The gelatine is made transparent, thin, and pliable, to be readily bent into the required form, and is tinted in suitable and various colors to increase the beauty of manufacture. The tip of the cornet, which could not be nicely finished and closed when made of gelatine alone, is covered with paper *b*, as shown. The upper or large end of the cornet is also provided with a paper lining, *c*, which prevents the edge of gelatine from being exposed and protects it from injury, besides holding the soft paper top *d* wherewith the cornet, when filled, is closed.

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

1. As a new article of manufacture, a cornet or cornucopia made of transparent gelatine, as set forth.

2. The transparent gelatine cornucopia or cornet provided with the paper tips *b* and upper lining *c*, substantially as specified.

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