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SHAVING MUG.
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Fig. 1.

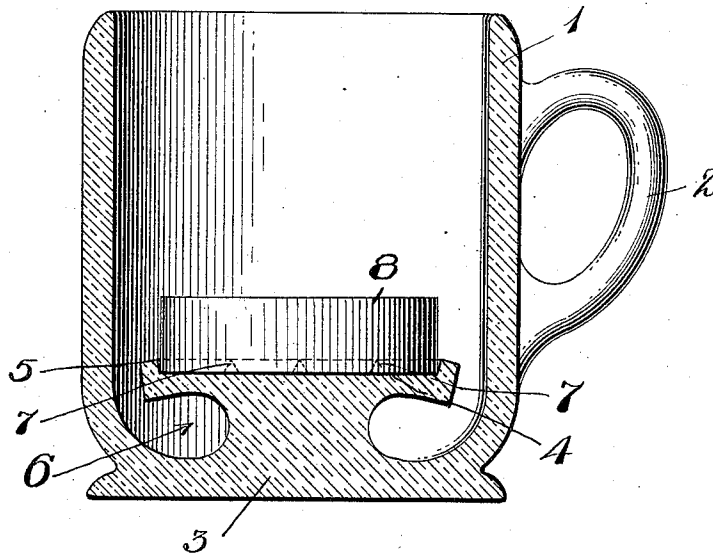
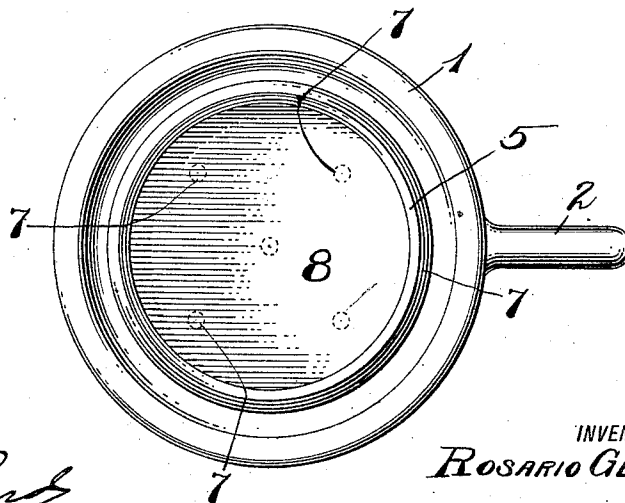


Fig. 2.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ROSARIO GENOVESE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Brewster, Putnam county, New York, have
5 invented certain new and useful Improvements in Shaving-Mugs, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

This invention relates to an improved form of shaving mug which facilitates the
10 maintenance of the mug in a sanitary condition and is productive of economy in the use of the soap.

A preferable embodiment of the invention is illustrated in the accompanying
15 drawings, in which:

Figure 1 is a vertical section of a shaving mug embodying my invention, the soap being illustrated as seated therein. Fig. 2 is
20 a top plan view of the mug shown in Fig. 1.

Referring to the drawings by numerals: 1 indicates a mug or a cup body provided with the usual handle 2. A stem portion 3
25 extends centrally and upwardly from the bottom of the mug body and is widened at its upper end to form a mounting or seat 4 for a soap cake 8. A retaining flange 5 is formed by extending upwardly the portion
30 of the stem surrounding the seat or mounting 4 so that a soap cake seated upon the mounting 4 will be retained thereon against side displacement by this retaining flange. In order to securely hold the cake of soap
35 on its seat, pointed projections 7 are preferably formed on the seat portion 4 of the stem.

The outer edge of the retaining flange 5 is spaced from the side walls of the body and the stem portion 3 beneath the seat por-

tion 4 is undercut as at 6 to form with the
40 bottom of the mug body, a liquid reservoir adapted to receive the liquid and suds resulting from the lathering operation. The seat portion being undercut to form this
45 reservoir prevents the liquid from contacting with and dissolving the soap especially when the mug is laid aside after use. Furthermore the space between the retaining
50 flange 5 and the sides of the mug body permits the insertion of a shaving brush between said flange and the sides of the mug so
that the undercut portion 6 forming the liquid reservoir may be readily cleansed.

From the foregoing it will be seen that the soap mug comprising my invention is
55 constructed to promote economy in the use of soap and to permit the maintenance of the mug in a sanitary condition. While I have shown a specific structural embodiment, various modifications thereof are possible within the spirit of the invention and
60 the scope of the appended claim.

What I claim, therefore, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is:

In a shaving cup, a main body portion
65 of cupped form, a stem portion at the bottom thereof extending upwardly and flanged outwardly on all sides to form a soap-supporting seat spaced apart from the walls
70 of the cup and forming a waste-water receiving space entirely around said seat and extending materially under the edge of the same around said stem.

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