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Fig. 1

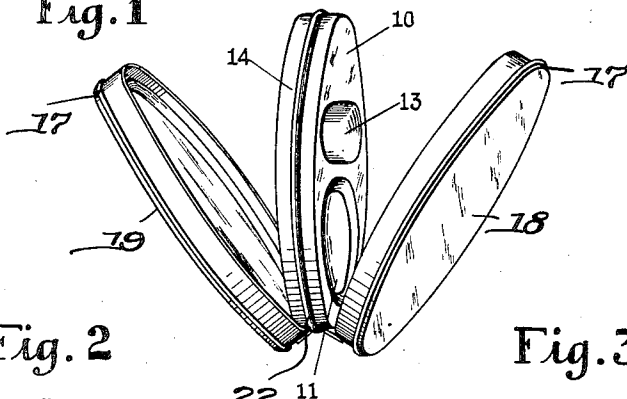


Fig. 2

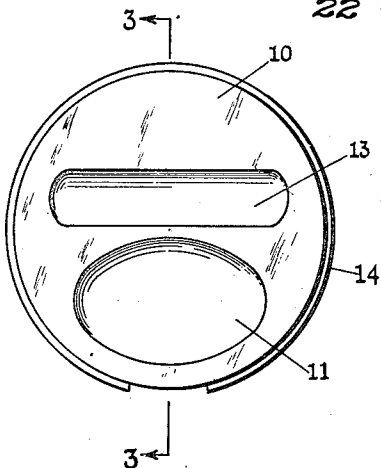


Fig. 3

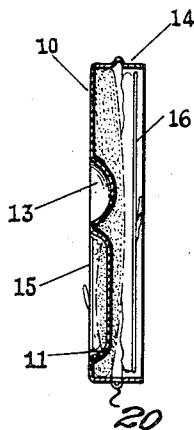
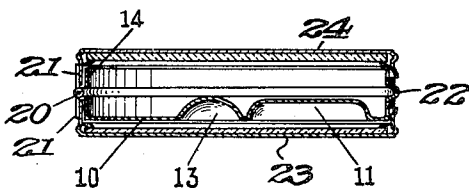


Fig. 4



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## CONTAINER.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, RALPH W. WILSON, a citizen of the United States, residing in the city, county, and State of New York, have  
 5 invented a certain new and useful Improvement in Containers, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, forming part of this specification.

10 My invention relates to the art of portable receptacles to contain cosmetics and the like and has for its object to produce a vanity box to contain all the desirable cosmetics in a neat, compact and easily accessible  
 15 manner so that convenience in use may be attained.

My invention consists of certain details of construction hereinafter set forth, pointed out in my claims and illustrated in the  
 20 accompanying drawings in which—

Fig. 1 is a view of my device when it is opened;

Fig. 2 is a plan view of my improvement;

25 Fig. 3 is a cross section taken on the line 3—3 in Fig. 2.

Fig. 4 is a cross section of the same when the box is closed.

Referring to the accompanying drawings the reference numeral 10 is used to indicate  
 30 a container for powder, rouge and a lip stick, which is formed of a plate stamped on one side with a recess 11 to receive a rouge compact and a second elongated recess 13 to receive a lip stick. This plate is  
 35 also provided with a flange 14 which forms a container (on the reverse side of the rouge and lip stick recesses) to receive the powder compact. As suggested the powder, also the  
 40 rouge, is formed in a compact, the powder extending completely across the container and within the wall formed by the flange, and covers that part of the plate which  
 45 protrudes to form the rouge and lip stick recesses on its reverse side. A pad 15, of chamois or other suitable material, may be placed adjacent the outer part of the  
 50 rouge compact, and a pad 16, of chamois, or other suitable material, may be placed adjacent the powder compact.

The external wall of the container 10 is preferably provided with an ornamental beading 17. The container is then placed  
 55 inside the two hinged covers 18 and 19 which are suitably connected in spaced relation by a hinge 20. The container 10 is pro-

vided with hinge members 21 to join with the hinge which connects the covers and is also provided with an annular protruding portion 22 to fill the space formed between  
 60 the covers 18 and 19 (by the positioning of the hinge joining them) when the covers are secured in closed position on the container. The flanges of the covers telescope the container until they meet the annular  
 65 protruding portion 22 at which time their outer surfaces will be parallel, for, as stated, they are hinged in spaced relation. By this construction it is obvious the covers and container are all joined by a common  
 70 hinge and by grasping the protruding portion 22 the operator may selectively open either the side containing the powder compact or the side containing the rouge compact and the lip stick—or both if desired. I also provide a mirror 23, and a mirror 24,  
 75 one on each inside wall of their respective covers.

This invention is an improvement of the device shown and described in my Patent No. 1411653 granted to me on the 4th day  
 80 of April, 1922, and as its function and operation is so obvious further description thereof will be dispensed with.

Having thus described my invention what I claim and desire to secure by Letters  
 85 Patent is:

1. A vanity box comprising a container formed of a plate with an annular flange surrounding same, and two recesses in the  
 90 plate on the side opposite the annular flange, and an annular protruding portion on the said flange; a pair of covers hinged in spaced relation to each other and provided with flanges to telescope the wall  
 95 formed by the flange on the container; a mirror on each of said covers; a quantity of powder in the container on the side opposite the recesses, a quantity of rouge in one of the recesses and a lip stick in the other  
 100 recess; a pad intermediate each of the mirrors and its respective rouge and powder compacts.

2. A vanity box comprising a container formed of a plate with an annular flange surrounding same, and two recesses in the  
 105 plate on the side opposite the annular flange, and an annular protruding portion on the said flange; a pair of covers hinged in spaced relation to each other and provided with flanges to telescope the wall formed by  
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the flange on the container; said container also being provided with hinge members to be secured to the hinge joining the covers; a mirror on each of said covers; a quantity of powder in the container on the side opposite the recesses, a quantity of rouge in one of the recesses and a lip stick in the other recess; a pad intermediate each of the mirrors and its respective rouge and powder compacts.

In testimony whereof, I have signed the foregoing specification.

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