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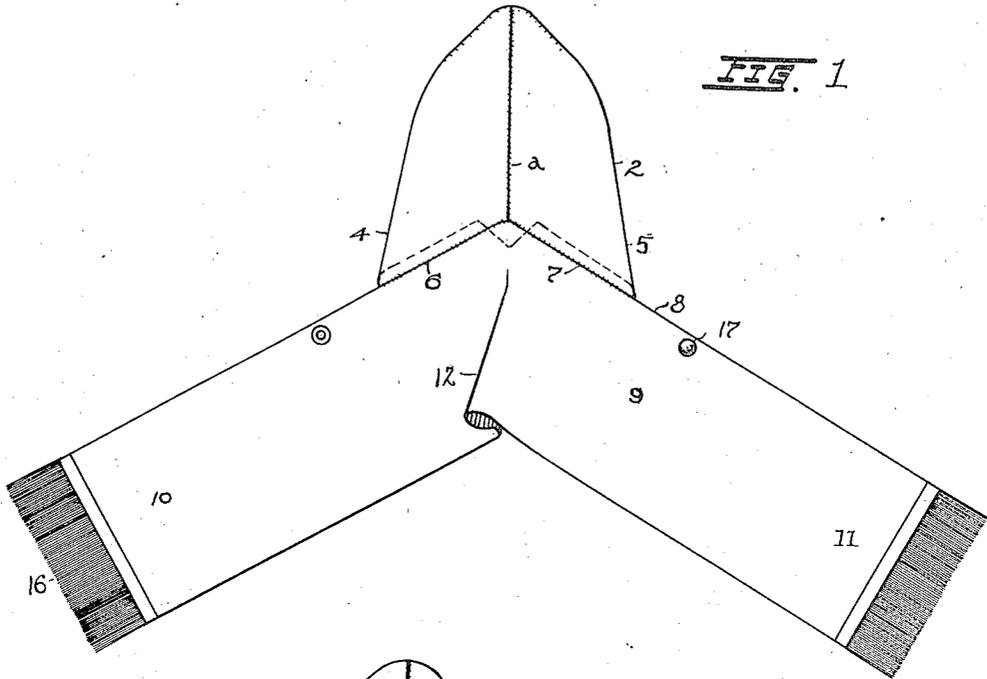


FIG. 1

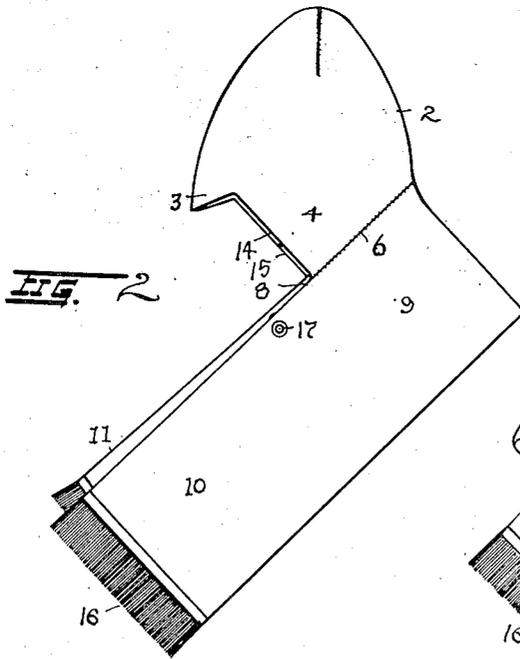


FIG. 2

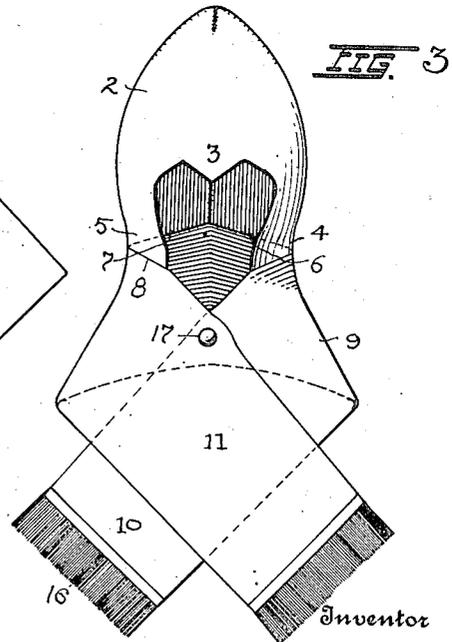


FIG. 3

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, LOUIS H. ENSTEN, citizen of the United States, residing at Cleveland, in the county of Cuyahoga and State of Ohio, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Combined Cap-Scarfs, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to a combined cap and scarf, and the object of the invention is to provide a cap with angular flaps at each side, together with a broad band stitched to the angularly-related edges of the flaps at the back of the cap, and with separate long pendent ends at the front of the cap. The cap is preferably made of knitted fabric, and particularly constructed to fit the head, ears, neck, shoulders and the chest of the wearer in a snug and trim way, and when the pendent portions of the cap are crossed the effect and appearance as a whole is that of a helmet, but the cap is more easily put on and removed than a helmet.

In the accompanying drawing, Figure 1 is a rear view of my improved cap and scarf flattened out and with the scarf ends unfolded and distended. Fig. 2 is a side view of the cap and scarf also flattened out with the scarf ends extending in the same direction substantially parallel to each other. Fig. 3 is a front view of the cap with the scarf ends crossed and as the cap and scarf would appear in use on the wearer.

The cap comprises a head-piece —2— made of knitted fabric which is formed at one border edge with a small triangular projecting portion 3 and a pair of larger triangular portions 4 and 5. Part 3 is adapted to provide a depending peak for the cap and the larger portions 4 and 5 provide angular flaps adapted to cover the ears, and in making the cap the ends of a piece of knitted fabric are sewed together to form a vertical seam at the back of the cap. Other seams are formed at the top of the cap to give it an ovate shape, and the head piece 2 is preferably made out of a single flat strip of knitted goods having angular or scalloped border edges, whereby the top of the cap may be sewed together and closed, and the bottom portion of the cap may remain open and have the short peak 3 and the two angular flaps 4 and 5.

The straight border edges 6 and 7 at the rear side of the cap, which form the back

edges of the two flaps 4 and 5, respectively, 55 diverge from the vertical seam —2— in the form of an obtuse angle, see Fig. 1, and by sewing or stitching the straight edge 8 of a straight flat band 9 of fabric (preferably knitted) to the diverging edges 6 and 7 at 60 a point mid-length of the band, a neck covering is obtained which will round out and conform to the back of the neck and also to the shoulders of the wearer without a wrinkle or crease; and further, the free ends or 65 extensions 10 and 11 of this added neck piece 9 may be crossed at substantially right angles to cover the front of the neck and the chest of the wearer. The angular formation of the bottom edge of the head-piece —2— 70 necessarily produces a fullness or fold 12 midlength in a straight band 9 when the band is sewed to the head-piece on the lines indicated, thereby giving the desired fit, and when the complete article is folded flat as 75 shown in Fig. 2, the band or scarf projects downwardly and rearwardly at an angle to the head-piece and the free or pendent ends 10 and 11 extend downwardly and forwardly on parallel lines but at right angles 80 to the front border edges 14 and 15 of the triangular flaps 4 and 5, respectively.

Each extremity of the band or scarf 9 may be ornamented by a fringe 16 substantially as shown, or any other suitable ornament 85 may be used to adorn and finish the ends. A button or snap fastener 17 may also be used to secure the overlapping portion of the band together and the pendent ends of the scarf may be of any desired length. 90

What I claim is:

1. A cap having flaps at its sides and a neck piece comprising a relatively wide flat band affixed to the edges of said flaps at its middle and having free extremities extending forwardly and downwardly at an angle at each side of the cap and adapted to fold flatwise across each other. 95

2. A combined cap and scarf comprising a head-piece of knitted fabric having angularly shaped flaps at each side and a supplemental band for said flaps terminating in separate relatively long and flat pendent extensions at the front side of the cap. 100

3. A combined cap and scarf, comprising 105 a head-piece having triangular flaps at each side, and a straight band of fabric affixed to the rear edges of said flaps having free

pendent extremities extending downwardly and forwardly at an angle at each side of said head-piece.

5 4. A cap of knitted fabric having side flaps with straight border edges extending on angularly-related lines to the middle line of the back of the cap, and a straight flat band of fabric stitched at one edge midway

of its length in the angle of said border edges at the back of the cap and terminating in relatively long free ends extending forwardly at each side and in front of the cap. 10

Signed at Cleveland, in the county of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, this 18th day of April, 1919.

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