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⑤④ A metering dispenser cover with shut-off lever, particularly for jars and the like containers of syrupy and/or viscous fluids, incoherent products, and the like.

⑤⑦ A metering dispenser cover of plastics or metal, for application to jars and containers of dense fluids or the like, as well as of generic flowable and incoherent powder products, comprising a substantially cylindrical, downwardly open cap body which has on its top face an aperture (12) for metering out the product of the jar or container, the aperture being selectively shut off by the end of a rocking lever (3) journaled to said body at an intermediate region thereof, and characterised in that from the bottom face of said lever there extends an articulation tab the free end of which is arranged to snap into a complementary seat formed in the top face of the body (14-15).

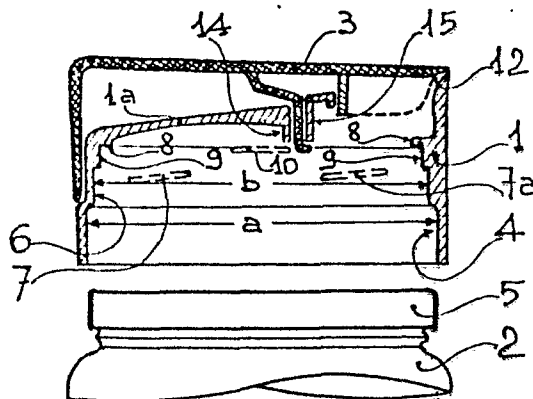


Fig. 1



CLAIMS INCURRING FEES

The present European patent application comprised at the time of filing more than ten claims.

- All claims fees have been paid within the prescribed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for all claims.
- Only part of the claims fees have been paid within the prescribed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for the first ten claims and for those claims for which claims fees have been paid,
namely claims:
- No claims fees have been paid within the prescribed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for the first ten claims.

X LACK OF UNITY OF INVENTION

The Search Division considers that the present European patent application does not comply with the requirement of unity of invention and relates to several inventions or groups of inventions,

namely:

- 1) Claims 1-8: Container with rocking lever
- 2) Claims 1,9: Means for connecting cap body to either a container or a sealing stopper
- 3) Claims 1,10: Strengthening and locking means for cap body

- All further search fees have been paid within the fixed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for all claims.
- Only part of the further search fees have been paid within the fixed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for those parts of the European patent application which relate to the inventions in respect of which search fees have been paid,
namely claims:
- None of the further search fees has been paid within the fixed time limit. The present European search report has been drawn up for those parts of the European patent application which relate to the invention first mentioned in the claims,

namely claims: 2-8 and 1 partially