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Fig. 1

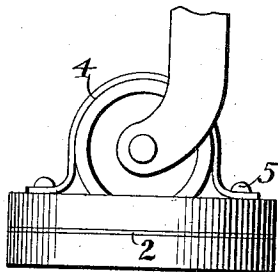


Fig. 2

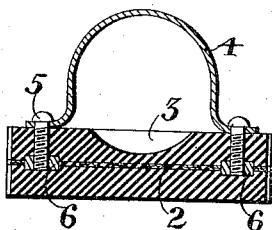
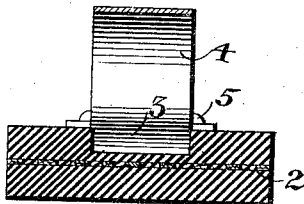


Fig. 3



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ROBERT E. DANIEL, a citizen of the United States, residing at Spartanburg, in the county of Spartanburg and State of South Carolina, have invented new and useful Improvements in Foot-Cushions for Sewing-Machines, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to foot cushions and more particularly to cushions for use in connection with the feet of sewing machines and the like, the object of the invention being to provide a simple and efficient attachment of this character which will absorb the vibration of the machine, eliminate the noise and serve as a protection for the floor covering. In absorbing the vibration, the device also perceptibly relieves the operator.

Further objects of the invention will appear as the following specific description is read in connection with the accompanying drawing, which forms a part of this application, and in which:—

Figure 1 is a side elevation. Fig. 2 is a sectional view therethrough. Fig. 3 is a similar view taken at right angles to Fig. 2.

Referring more particularly to the drawing, the cushion is shown as comprising a body which is of rubber or other suitable cushioning material which preferably has embedded therein a reinforcing fabric 2 in

the form of a perforated sheet of canvas, or like material. The top of the body is recessed, as shown at 3, to receive the roller of an ordinary sewing machine foot and the same is attached to the roller and foot by means of a strap 4 which is secured over the cushion and the recess therein by means of screws 5 which pass through the ends of the strap, and engage metallic disks or washers 6 embedded in the cushion, preferably in a plane with the reinforcing fabric.

What is claimed is:—

A foot cushion for sewing machines comprising an elastic base, a perforated reinforcing member embedded in the base, nuts embedded in the base, said base provided with a caster receiving recess on its upper face having side walls to prevent relative rotary movement of the base on the caster wheel, a caster wheel embracing strap having outturned end portions bearing against the base and overhanging the recess therein, and screws extending through the ends of the strap and through the base into adjustable engagement with the nuts.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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