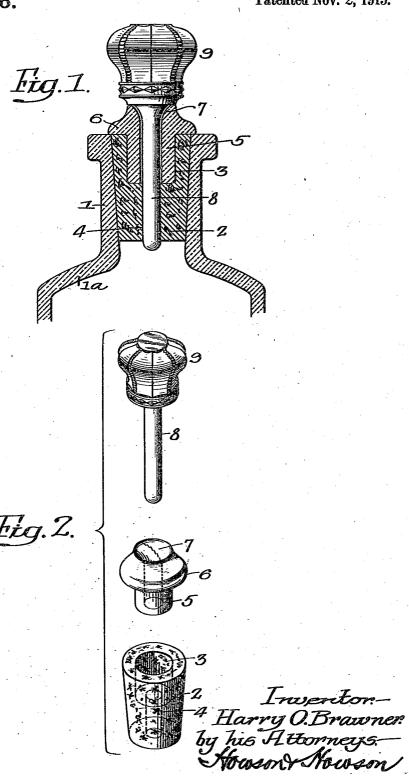
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HARRY O. BRAWNER, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Baltimore, Maryland, have invented certain Improvements in Sprinklers for Bottles, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to sprinkler tops for bottles, and the object of my invention is to provide a cheap and simple form of bottle 10 stopper designed to effectually seal the contents of the bottle when closed and to permit discharge of the same in drops when open, upon inverting and agitating the bottle. These and other features of my invention 15 are more fully described hereinafter, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, in which:

Figure 1, is a sectional view of the neck of a bottle having a stopper made in accord-20 ance with my invention, and Fig. 2, is a perspective view of the parts of my improved

stopper detached.

In the drawings, 1 represents the neck of a bottle 1a which may be of any suitable size or shape. In the mouth of this bottle neck I place a cork 2, having a through opening or bore of two diameters, 3 and 4; the upper portion 3 of such bore being materially greater in size than the lower portion 4 and 30 receiving a sleeve 5 tightly fitting the same. This sleeve is provided with an upper flange 6 which may overlie the head of the bottle, and with a flaring throat or mouth 7, as clearly illustrated in the drawings.

35 The sleeve 5 has an axial opening slightly larger than the portion 4 of the through opening in the lower part of the cork, and in line therewith, and adapted to these registering openings is a round stem or plug 8, of 40 substantially the same diameter throughout, carried by an ornamental head or top 9 of

any desired character.

The stem or plug may be provided with a flaring portion or shoulder where it joins the ornamental head which substantially fits the outwardly flaring throat or mouth of the sleeve 5 carried by the cork. The stem 8 of the closure loosely fits within the bore of the sleeve 5, while its lower portion or end 50 tightly fits the cork, thereby insuring a com-

plete closure for the bottle, preventing any escape or evaporation of the liquid when such stem is in place in the cork. When this stem is removed, however, free flow through the bore 4 of the cork is permitted when the 55 bottle is held in an inverted position and

shaken or agitated.

My invention is particularly applicable for use in connection with bottles for perfume, tooth powder, tooth wash, condiments 60 and the like, and as the external parts comprising the sleeve 5, and the stem 8 with its head 9, are made entirely of glass, a clean and sanitary structure is provided. The glass stem is freely movable through the 65 glass sleeve, but tightly fits the cork so as to insure perfect closure when the said stem is in engagement with the cork.

I claim:

1. The combination with a bottle, of a 70 stopper and sprinkler therefor consisting of a body of cork fitting the mouth of the bottle and having a through opening or bore of two diameters with a shoulder intermediate the sections of different diameters, a noncompressible sleeve fitting the larger recess or bore of said cork and engaging said shoulder, and a stopper having a stem passing through said sleeve out of contact with the bore of the same and filling the smaller bore 80 of the cork.

2. The combination with a bottle, of a stopper and sprinkler therefor consisting of a body of cork fitting the mouth of the bottle and having a through opening or bore of 85 two diameters with a shoulder intermediate the different sized bores, a glass sleeve fitting the upper portion of said cork and filling the larger bore, said sleeve having a flaring mouth or throat, and a glass stopper 90 having an integral stem passing through said sleeve out of contact therewith and filling the smaller bore in the lower portion of the body of cork, said stem having a flaring shoulder substantially fitting the flaring 95 throat or mouth of the sleeve.

3. The combination with a bottle, of a stopper and sprinkler therefor consisting of a body of cork fitting the mouth of the bottle and having a through opening or bore of 100

two diameters with a shoulder intermediate the different sized bores, a glass sleeve fitting the upper portion of said cork and filling the larger bore, said sleeve having an outwardly projecting shoulder or flange with a flaring mouth or throat, and a glass stopper having an integral stem passing through

said glass sleeve out of contact therewith and filling the smaller bore in the lower portion of the body of cork, said stem having a flar- 10 ing portion substantially fitting the flaring throat or mouth of the sleeve and a shoulder engaging the top of the glass sleeve.

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