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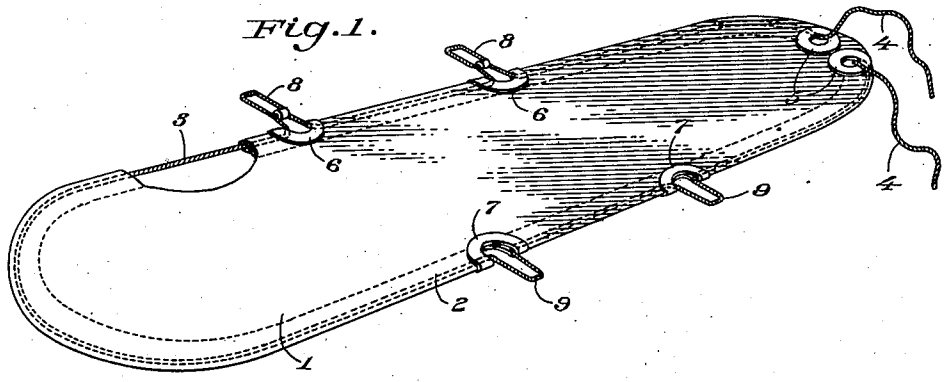


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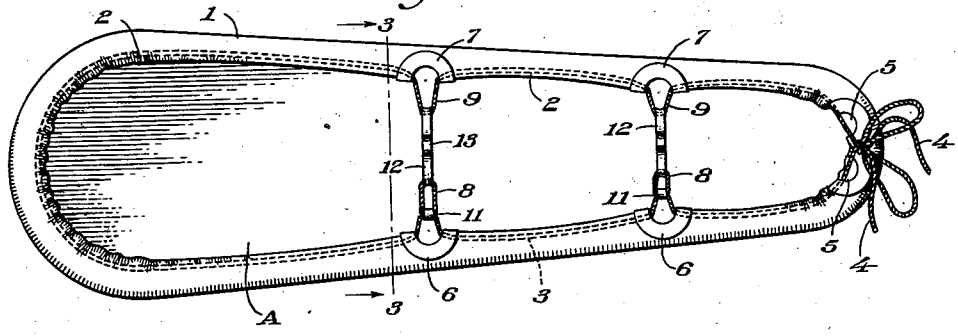


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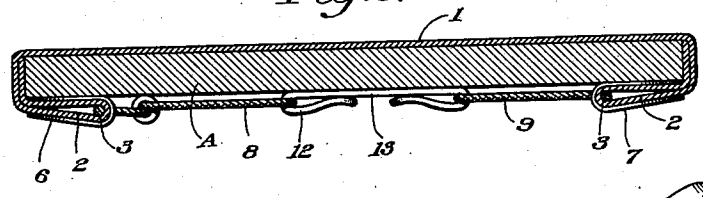


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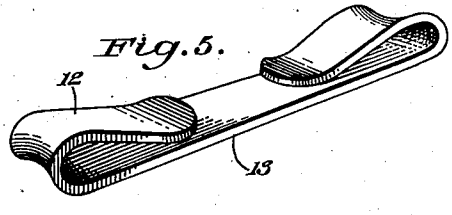
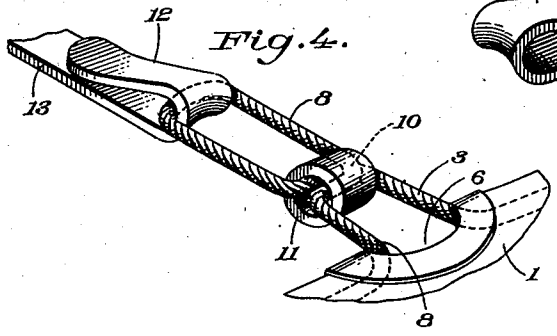


Fig. 4.



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1 Claim. (Cl. 38—140)

This invention relates to pressing machine head or buck covers, and its general object is to provide a cover that can be attached and removed with respect to the buck, in an easy and expeditious manner, and when attached is held taut against wrinkling and casual removal or displacement.

A further object is to provide a cover including fastening means that is free from penetrating hooks, pins or the like, so as to eliminate injury to the user when attaching or removing the cover.

Another object is to provide a cover that is simple in construction, inexpensive to manufacture, and extremely efficient in use and service.

This invention also consists in certain other features of construction and in the combination and arrangement of the several parts, to be hereinafter fully described, illustrated in the accompanying drawing and specifically pointed out in the appended claim.

In describing the invention in detail, reference will be had to the accompanying drawing wherein like characters denote like or corresponding parts throughout the several views, and in which:

Figure 1 is a perspective view of the cover which forms the subject matter of the present invention.

Figure 2 is a bottom plan view illustrating the cover attached to a machine buck.

Figure 3 is a sectional view taken approximately on line 3—3 of Figure 2, looking in the direction of the arrows.

Figure 4 is a detail perspective view illustrating the association of one of the connecting fastener members with a loop of the draw cord.

Figure 5 is a detail perspective view of one of the fastener members.

Referring to the drawing in detail, the letter A indicates a pressing machine buck to which my cover is attached, but it is to be understood that the cover can be used on ironing boards or the like.

In any event, the cover is made from any suitable fabric material into a single elongated sheet like body 1 that tapers from one end to the other and the ends are rounded as best shown in Figure 1. The marginal edge portion of the body is folded and sewed or otherwise secured to provide a marginal hem 2 having threaded therethrough a draw cord 3 of a length to provide free end portions 4 extending through reinforced openings or eyelets 5 disposed in the hem at the small end of the body.

Disposed in the side portions of the hem are reinforced openings or eyelets 6 and 7, there being a pair of the latter eyelets in each side portion, in the form shown. The draw cord 3 extends through the eyelets 6 and 7 to provide loops 8 and 9 and the eyelets 6 are disposed diametrically opposite the eyelets 7 so that the loops will be arranged accordingly, as best shown in Figure 2. Each loop 8 is twisted once upon itself, for the portions of the loop to cross each other as at 10, and the loops 8 are held in twisted position by collars 11. By that construction, it will be obvious that the loops 8 are permanently retained in the cord and extend through the eyelets 6 at all times.

Cooperating with the loops 8 and 9 for attaching the cover to the buck, are strip like resilient fastener members having inwardly directed hooks 12 at the ends thereof. The hooks 12 adjacent their free ends normally contact the body portion 13 and terminate in outwardly flared free ends, to facilitate the application of the loops to the fastener members, as will be apparent upon inspection of Figure 3.

From the above description and the disclosure in the drawing, it is believed that the manner of attaching my cover to the buck will be obvious, but it might be mentioned that the cover is laid lengthwise upon the buck and the fastener members which are preferably permanently connected to the loops 8, are hooked onto the loops 9 for connecting the loops together on the underside of the buck, as best shown in Figure 3. The free end portions 4 of the cord are then pulled for drawing the cord taut and thence they are tied into a bow knot, as shown in Figure 2. It will be further obvious that when the cord is taut and tied, the cover is free from wrinkles and casual removal or displacement thereof with respect to the buck is practically impossible.

It is thought from the foregoing description that the advantages and novel features of the invention will be readily apparent.

It is to be understood that changes may be made in the construction and in the combination and arrangement of the several parts, provided that such changes fall within the scope of the appended claim.

What I claim is:

A pressing machine buck cover comprising an elongated sheet like fabric body having rounded ends and provided with a marginal hem having eyelets in its sides and one end thereof, a draw cord threaded through the hem and having free end portions extending through the end eyelets to be tied together, said cord extending through the side eyelets to provide loops, each loop of one side of the cord having portions thereof twisted about each other, collars mounted on the twisted portions for permanently retaining the latter loops in the cord and through the eyelets therefor, and resilient strip like fastener members having hooks on the ends thereof to receive opposed loops for disposal of the fastener members in bridging relation between the loops to cooperate with the cord to attach the cover in use.

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