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MOVING DOLL

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Fig. 1.

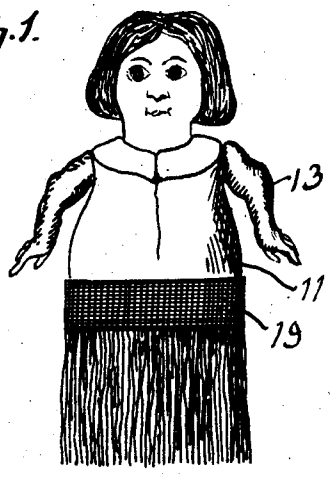


Fig. 2.

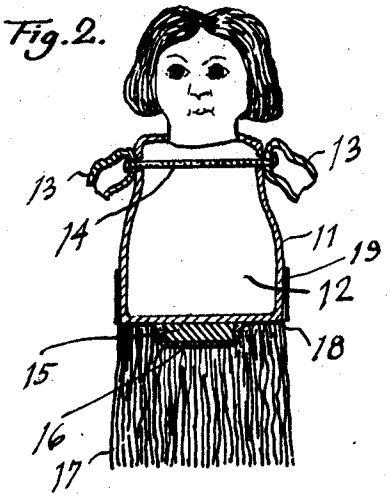


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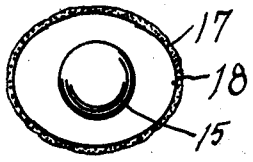
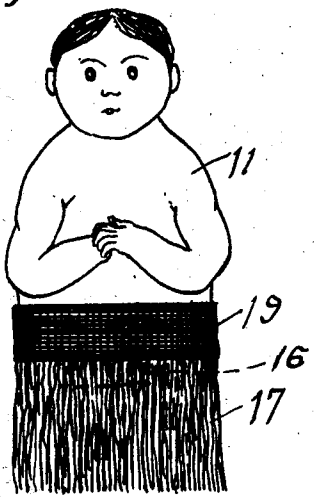


Fig. 4.



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This invention relates to dolls, and its objects are to provide a construction having a novel skirt arrangement in combination with a weighted body, whereby movements of the doll may be produced in the manner hereinafter set forth.

Another object is to produce a doll of simple construction and which will be inexpensive to manufacture, and which will be capable of movements as hereinafter described.

The movements are attained by placing a doll, or a number of them, on a smooth board, or table top, and then agitating the board or table, either by striking or jarring the same. The doll, or dolls will then perform various movements in an amusing manner. Some will fall, and this affords opportunity for a game by arranging the dolls in sets on separate boards and determining the winner by the first fall or final one.

Other objects and advantages may appear in the following detail description.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a front elevation of a doll constructed in accordance with my invention. Fig. 2 is a sectional elevation of the doll. Fig. 3 is a bottom plan view of the doll body. Fig. 4 is a front elevation of a doll, showing the arms integral with and embossed on the body.

Referring to the drawings, the body 11, is of molded material of any suitable design, having the hollow interior 12. Arms 13 are swivelly connected to the body, being mounted with an elastic cord 14, connecting them. Weight 15 is secured to the bottom of the body by sealing wax 16. The body is of light material. Skirt 17 consists of stiff bristles arranged in a narrow strip around lower edge 18, of the body, and depending therefrom. The skirt is secured by a holder 19, of cloth fabric; both being glued to the body. The bristles are described as stiff, but are sufficiently resilient to afford movements to the body, when agitated in the manner set forth.

From the foregoing description and drawings, it may be seen that I have produced a moving doll, simple and inexpensive to construct, and capable of performing in the manner described. The doll or dolls are placed in an upright position on a smooth surface, and are then agitated in the manner set forth.

I claim:

A doll as set forth, comprising a light and hollow body having a relatively large base, a weight affixed to the bottom of the body and centrally on the base, and a skirt of resilient bristle elements affixed to and depending from the body and supporting the body in an upright position.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto affix my signature.

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