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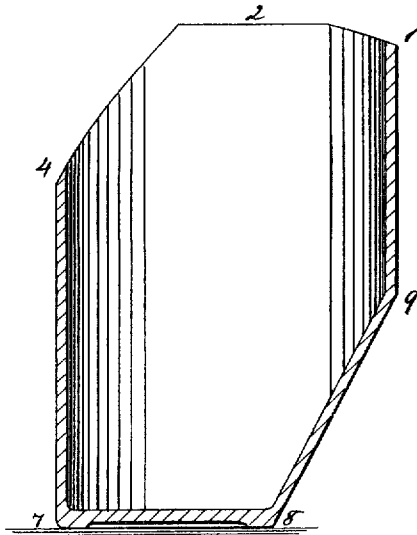
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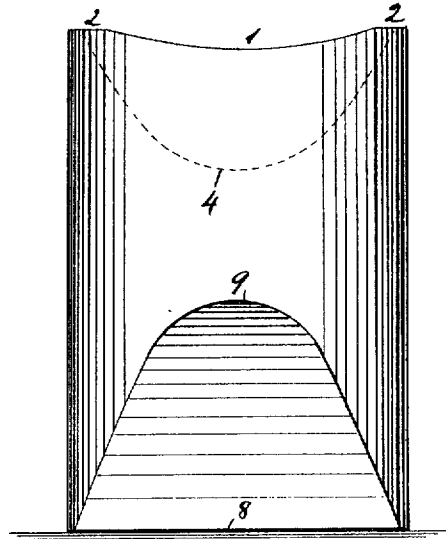
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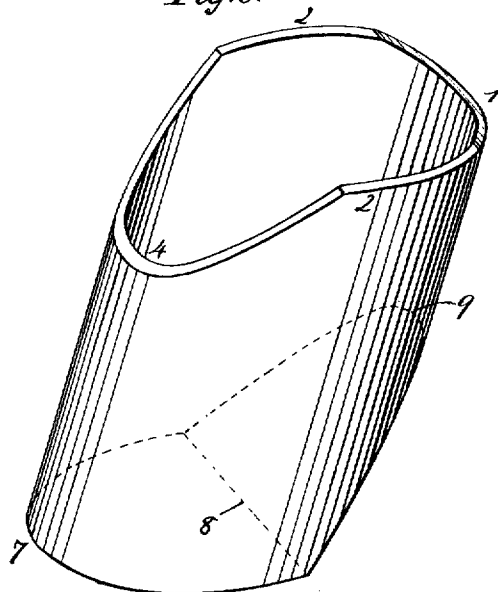
*Fig. 1.*



*Fig. 2.*



*Fig. 3.*



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## DESIGN FOR A FEEDING OR INVALID CUP.

SPECIFICATION forming part of Design No. 31,230, dated July 18, 1899.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, DANIEL HOGAN, a citizen of the United States, residing at New York, (Manhattan,) in the county and State of New York, have invented and produced a new and original Design for a Feeding or Invalid Cup, of which the following is a specification.

The design consists in a feeding or invalid cup for enabling drink or liquid to be administered to a person while in reclining position, said cup having its mouth or top edge formed with a front concave portion, lateral elevated portions, and a rear concave portion deeper or of greater concavity than the depression at the front, the bottom of the cup having an inclined or cut-away portion.

The design is illustrated in the annexed drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a sectional side elevation of the cup. Fig. 2 is a front elevation of the cup. Fig. 3 is a perspective view of the cup made according to this design.

The leading feature of this design consists in a mouth having a concavity or depression at its front, lateral elevated portions, and a rear concavity or depression of greater depth than the front concavity, the bottom of the cup having a part cut away or inclined.

Referring to the drawings, the reference numeral 1 designates the front portion of the top edge or mouth of the cup. By "front portion" is meant the portion taken between the lips of the user when drinking. This front portion, as seen, is concave or depressed. The lateral portions 2 of the mouth are elevated—that is to say, located above the bottom of the depression or concavity 1. The rear portion of the mouth is concave or depressed, as seen at 4. This rear depression 4 is of greater depth than the front depression 1. The bottom of the cup is shown with the flat or horizontal part 7 8 and the cut-away or inclined part 8 9.

The design gives a striking and characteristic appearance.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The design for a feeding or invalid cup as herein shown and described.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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