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Chamber-Seats.

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Fig. 1.

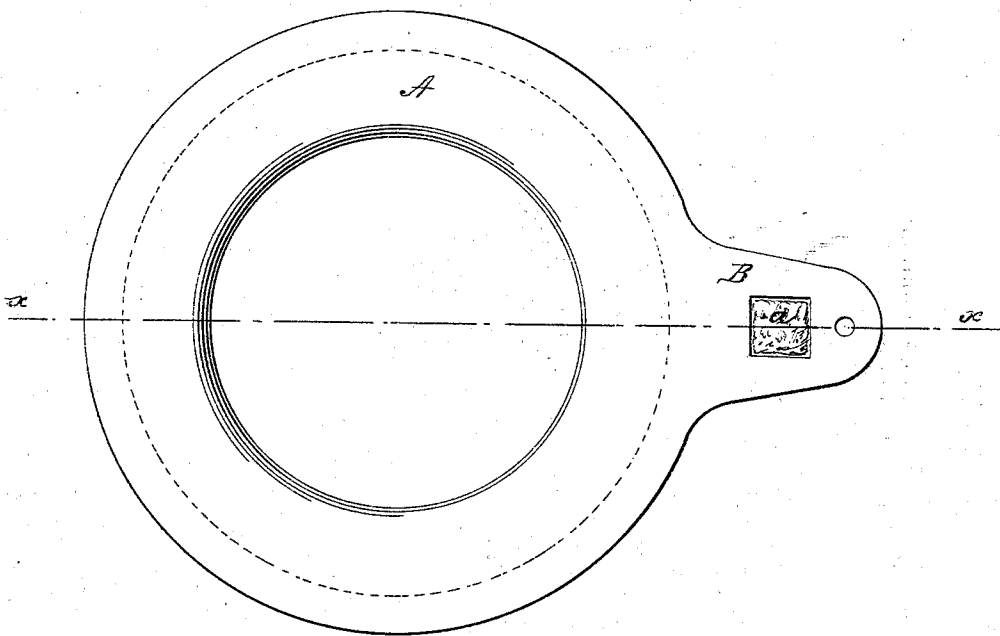


Fig. 2.



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IMPROVEMENT IN CHAMBER-SEATS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE H. BLAIR, of Fairfield, in the county of Jefferson and State of Iowa, have invented a new and Improved Chamber-Seat; and that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings and to the letters of reference marked thereon, making a part of this specification.

This invention has for its object the construction of a seat for chamber-vessels; and the invention consists in a removable annular seat so constructed as to form a comfortable seat for the occupant, and at the same time disinfect any deleterious effluvia.

In the accompanying sheet of drawings, Figure 1 represents a plan or top view of my invention, and Fig. 2 a cross-section taken in the line *x x*.

Similar letters of reference indicate like parts in the two figures.

A represents an annular seat, which may be constructed of wood or any other suitable material. The under side of the seat A is recessed, as shown in Fig. 2, so that the flanged edge of

the chamber-vessel may be received within the said recess, and enable the seat to have a firm bearing on the vessel. To this seat A is affixed a projection, B, this projection answering the purposes of a handle, and also providing a place for a recess, within which is placed a sponge, *a*, saturated with carbolic acid or any other suitable disinfectant.

The advantages of my seat are that it affords a firm and comfortable seat for the occupant, and in cases of sickness it may be thoroughly warmed before being used, and thus avoid chilling or shocking the patient, and the disinfectant, in connection with the seat, precludes the danger of infection from obnoxious effluvia.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

A detachable disinfecting-seat for chamber-vessels, substantially as shown and described.

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