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FIG. 1.

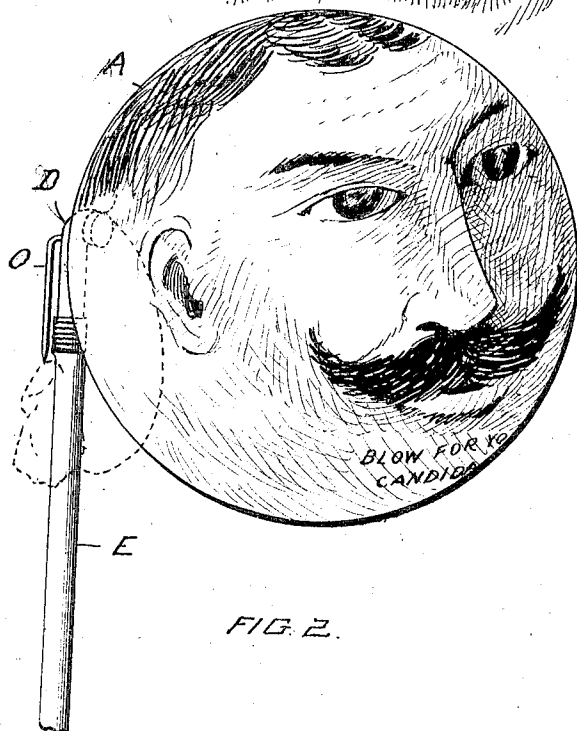


FIG. 2.

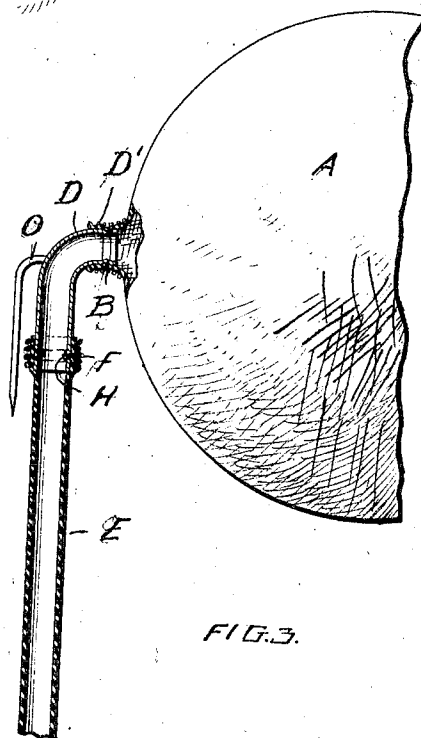


FIG. 3.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ROBERT H. HAZARD, a citizen of the United States, residing at Washington, in the District of Columbia, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Toys; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, such as will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters and figures of reference marked thereon, which form a part of this specification.

This invention relates to new and useful improvements in toys and consists essentially in the provision of an inflatable envelop with a tube connected therewith and adapted to be fastened upon the lapel of a coat or other object and having upon the surface of the envelop a picture or any suitable wording and so arranged that a person may conveniently inflate the device by blowing through the tube, thus displaying clearly the picture or wording.

The invention comprises a simple and efficient device of this nature having various details of construction and combinations and arrangements of parts which will be hereinafter fully described and then specifically defined in the appended claim.

I illustrate my invention in the accompanying drawings, in which:—

Figure 1 is a perspective view showing the application of the invention to the lapel of a coat. Fig. 2 is an enlarged detail view of the device detached, and Fig. 3 is a sectional view through the envelop, tube and connection between the two.

Reference now being had to the details of the drawings by letter, A designates a collapsible rubber bag which has a tube B fitted to a filling aperture therein, and D

designates an elbow tube provided with an annular groove D' near one end and over the grooved end the tube B is adapted to be drawn and preferably held in place thereon by means of a string or any other fastening device to securely hold the parts together. A flexible tube, designated by letter E, is fitted to the other end of the elbow, preferably by the elbow telescoping within the tube E and, in order to securely hold the tube E in place, a string F or other fastening device is passed about the circumference of the tube E and causing the same to be constricted into the groove H, formed circumferentially in the elbow D. Projecting from the elbow at any suitable location, preferably upon the convex edge thereof, is a pin O, forming means whereby the device may be conveniently caught upon the lapel of a coat or other object.

In operation, the device should be attached to the garment of a person at any suitable location and the tube E of such a length that the operator may bring the tube close to his or her mouth for the purpose of inflating the bag by blowing through the tube E, thereby causing the picture or wording upon the bag to be clearly disclosed.

What I claim to be new is:—

An inflatable bag adapted for display purposes and having a hollow neck, an elbow with a circumferential groove about one end and over which said neck telescopes, an integral pin projecting from the rear face of the elbow and extending downward, and an inflating tube fitted to the other end of the elbow, as shown and described.

In testimony whereof I hereunto affix my signature in the presence of two witnesses.

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