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Fig. 1.

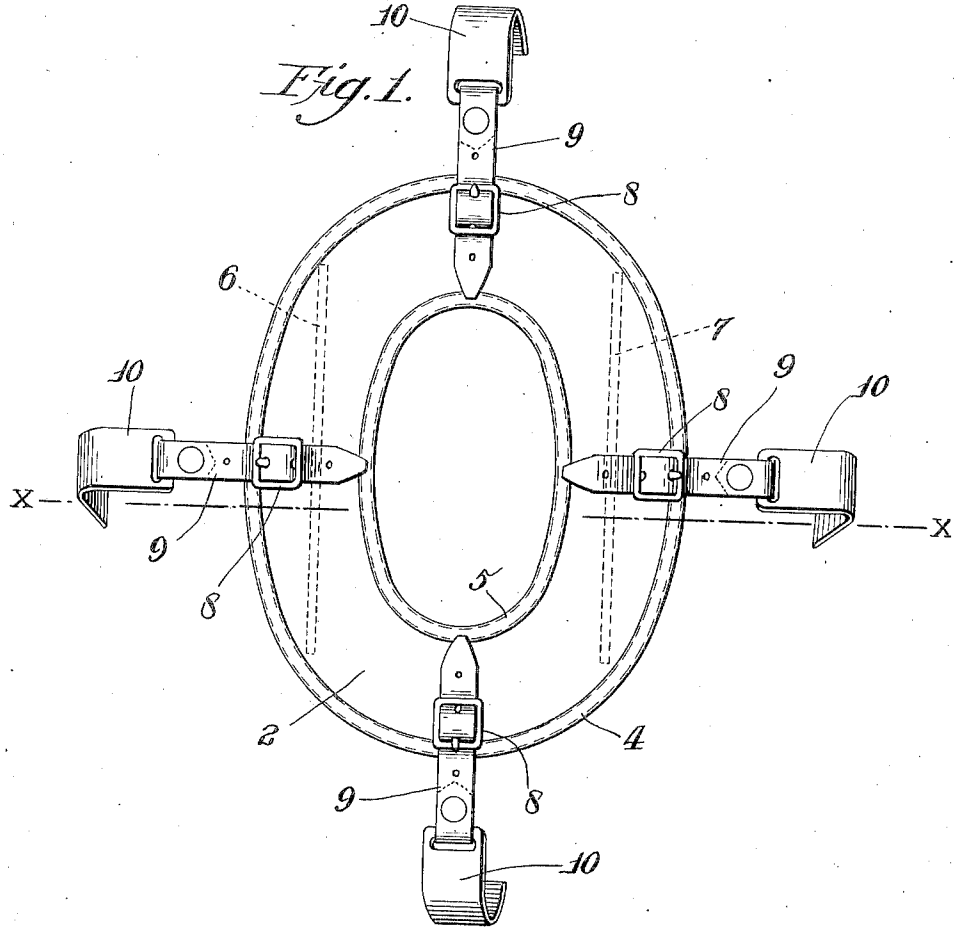
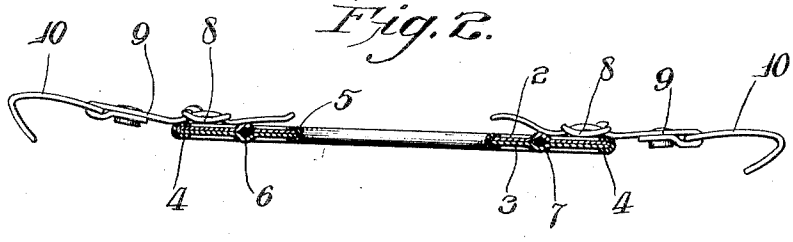


Fig. 2.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, MAY R. D. COMINS, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Vineland, in the county of Cumberland and State of New Jersey, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Adjustable Toilet-Seats, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in adjustable toilet seats for children, and the object of my invention is to furnish such a seat which can be rolled into a small bundle for transportation, which can be washed when necessary, and which can be easily and rapidly adjusted for use in connection with water closet seats or vessels of widely varying dimensions.

My invention is illustrated in the accompanying drawings forming part of this specification and in which—

Figure 1, is a plan of my improved seat, and Fig. 2, a section of Fig. 1 on line X—X.

The seat 1 is made of some suitable material, as canvas, rubber cloth, &c., which is strong and which can be rolled. It is preferably, but not necessarily, of double thickness, as indicated at 2—3, and its edges are preferably bound with tape or other suitable material, as at 4—5, which is well stitched to give strength at this part of the structure. In one direction the seat is reinforced with rods 6—7, carried in pockets in the fabric of which the seat is formed, which prevent it from sagging when in use. At suitable intervals, say at four points arranged in pairs and diametrically opposite one another and secured to the seat are buckles 8 each of which carries a strap 9 the outer ends of which carry hooks 10 which are adapted to hook over the outer edges of an ordinary wafer closet seat or over the edges of a vessel which may be used for toilet purposes. By means of the buckles the straps, after the hooks are engaged, may be pulled and held tight to stretch my seat to prevent it from sagging or being displaced by any movement of a child using it.

My adjustable seat is exceedingly useful in traveling, it prevents the person using it from coming in direct contact with toilet seats in public places, it is comfortable and can be rolled into a bundle of very small diameter which can be conveniently carried in a hand bag.

The device is as useful in the home as it is for traveling for it dispenses with and is more comfortable and useful than the ordinary nursery chair.

Having thus described my invention I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent:

1. As a new article of manufacture, an adjustable toilet seat consisting of a body of flexible material furnished with an interior opening and reinforced in one direction, upon opposite sides of said opening and between said opening and the sides of the seat, with rods, and being furnished with adjustable means for securing it to a seat or vessel.

2. As a new article of manufacture, and in combination, an adjustable toilet seat the body of which is constructed of a fabric interiorly perforated, the outer and inner sides of which are bound and stitched, two reinforcing rods carried by the fabric, one on each side of said perforation and between said perforation and the side of the seat, buckles secured to the seat, straps adjustably carried by said buckles, and hooks carried by said straps, all substantially as and for the purposes set forth.

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