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Fig. 1.

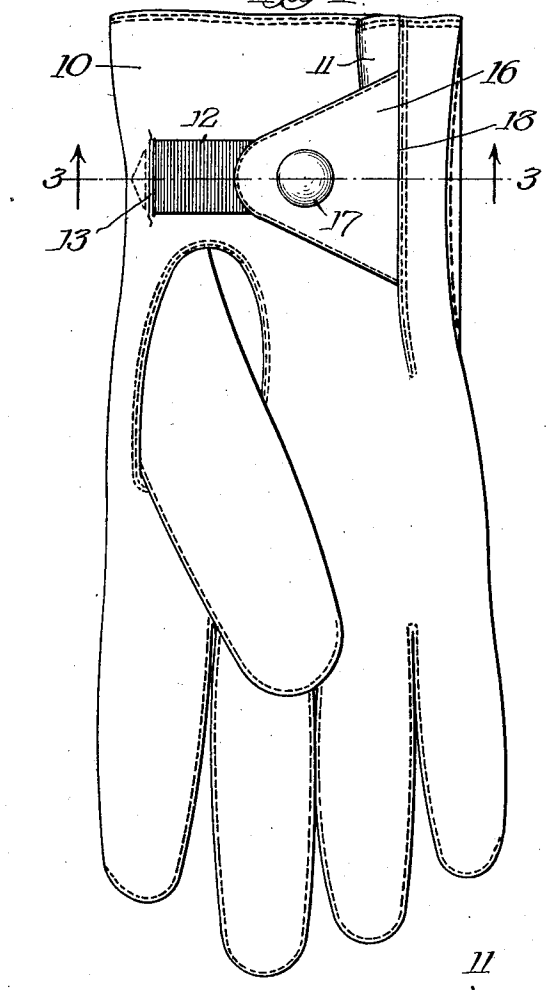
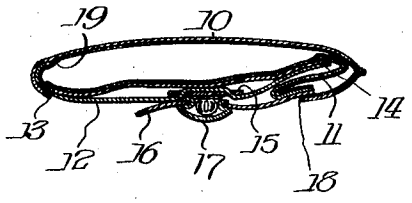


Fig. 3.



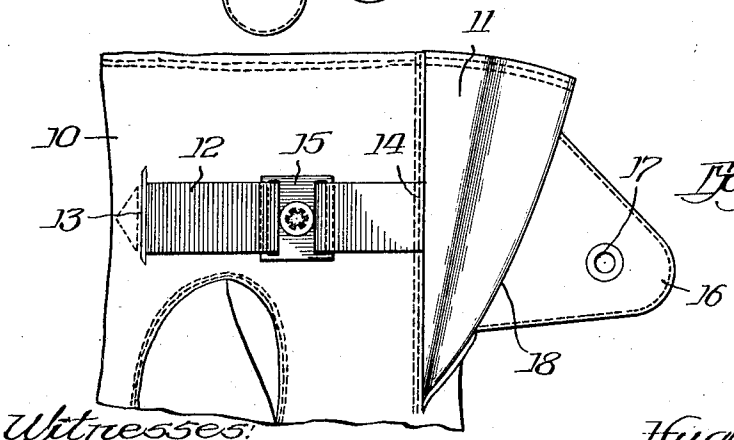


Fig. 2.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HUGH ROSS, a citizen of the United States, residing at Sheboygan, in the county of Sheboygan and State of Wisconsin, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Gloves, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to gloves.

The objects of the invention are to provide a simple and neat glove which is expansible at the wrist whereby the glove may be easily slipped on and off of the hand, said glove being capable of being drawn snugly around the wrist and adjustably fastened in a neat and novel manner, preventing any bunching of the material at any undesirable points.

This and other objects are accomplished by means of the glove disclosed in the accompanying sheet of drawings in which:

Figure 1 is a plan view of a glove embodying my invention, the glove being shown as fastened;

Fig. 2 is a fragmentary plan view of the same glove in an open condition; and

Fig. 3 is a sectional view of the same glove taken in the plane of line 3—3 of Fig. 1.

The various novel features of my invention will be apparent from the following description and drawings and will be particularly pointed out in the appended claims.

Referring to the figures of the drawings it will be noted that my glove includes a body portion 10 in which, at the wrist, there is inserted a flexible gore 11, this gore making the glove expansible at the wrist to facilitate slipping the glove on and off of the hand. A strap 12 is provided, both ends of which are anchored at 13 and 14 to the body of the glove on the same side of the gore 11, one end of the strap being secured directly adjacent the gore, while the other end 13 is secured remotely therefrom and in line with the thumb of the glove. In view of the fact that gloves of the same size fit the hands of persons whose wrists vary greatly in size I have provided a fastening member 15 which is adjustably mounted upon the strap 12. Secured to the body of the glove at the side of the gore opposite the strap 12 is a tab 16 carrying a fastening button or member 17 which coöperates with the fastening member 15 for fastening the glove around the wrist. The degree of snugness with which the glove embraces the wrist is determined by the position of the adjustable fastening member 15. It will be noted that the tab 16 is wide at its base or at the point 18 where it is secured to the body of the glove so that when the tab is drawn over to close the glove the entire length of the gore 11 is drawn over in a uniform manner to prevent any gapping.

It will be noted that the flexible gore 11 is inserted into the body portion of the glove 10 in the front or palm side of the glove and at one side thereof, the purpose of this being to prevent any undesirable bunching or bulging of the glove in the middle of the hand. By referring to Fig. 3 of the drawings it will be noted that the appearance of the glove by means of this arrangement is maintained very uniform, this being made possible by placing the gore in the place described and also by placing the fastening members in positions such that they will engage each other to fasten the glove at a point substantially in the middle of the palm side of the glove. Whether or not the glove is provided with a lining 19 the undesirable bunching of material is avoided. By anchoring the strap 12 at both ends its position is definitely fixed and adjustment of the fastening member 15 for controlling the degree of snugness of the glove around the wrist may be adjusted to a nicety.

It is my intention to cover all modifications of the invention falling within the spirit and scope of the following claims.

I claim:

1. A glove including a body portion, a flexible gore set into said body portion at the wrist, a strap anchored at both ends to the body portion at the wrist, a fastening member adjustable on said strap, and a tab secured to the body portion adjacent one side of the gore and carrying a fastening member to coöperate with said other fastening member for fastening the glove snugly around the wrist.

2. A glove including a body portion, a flexible gore set into said body portion at the wrist, a strap anchored at both ends to the body portion at the wrist and at the same side of the gore, a fastening member adjustable on said strap, and a tab secured to the body portion on the side of the gore opposite the strap and carrying a fastening member to coöperate with said other fastening mem-

ber for fastening the glove snugly around the wrist.

3. A glove including a body portion, a flexible gore set into said body portion on one face toward the side of the glove at the wrist, a strap anchored at both ends to the body portion at the wrist, a fastening member adjustable on said strap, and a tab secured to the body portion at the side of the gore opposite to the strap and carrying a fastening member to coöperate with said other fastening member for fastening the glove snugly around the wrist.

4. A glove including a body portion, a gore set into said body portion on one face of the glove at the side thereof, a strap anchored at both ends to the body portion at one side of the gore, a fastening member adjustably mounted on said strap, a tab secured to the body portion at the opposite side of the gore and carrying a fastening member to coöperate with the other fastening member for fastening the glove snugly around the wrist, said tab having a broad base so that the entire length of the gore may be drawn over into a folded position in a uniform manner.

Signed at Sheboygan, Wisconsin, this 11th day of October, 1919.

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