

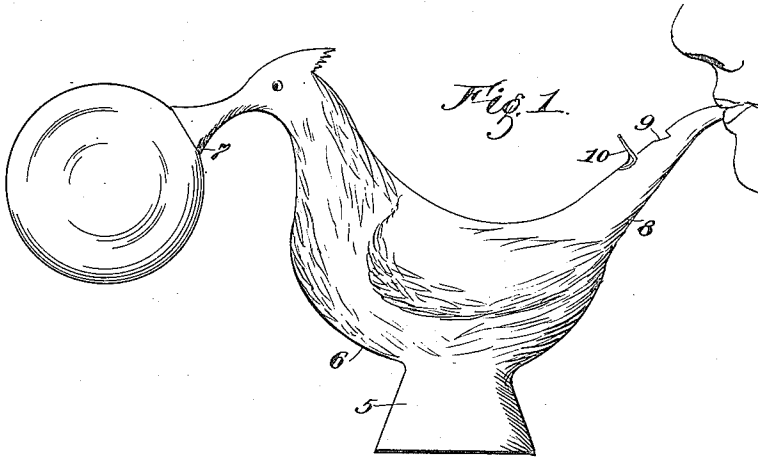
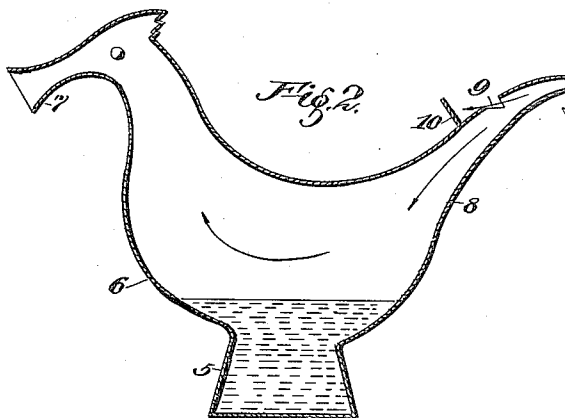
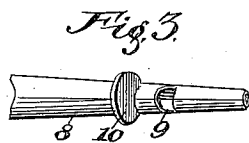
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WHISTLING BUBBLE BLOWER

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WHISTLING BUBBLE BLOWER.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that we, CLEVE E. EVANS and IONA H. ANGELSBERG, citizens of the United States, residing at Dallas, in the county of Dallas and State of Texas, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Whistling Bubble Blowers; and we 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.

This invention relates to toys adapted for the blowing of bubbles, and the object of the invention is to produce a device adapted to serve as a bubble producer; to hold the soap-suds for the bubbles, and act as a whistle at the same time the bubble is blown.

The invention is fully disclosed in the description and claims following, reference being had to the accompanying drawing, in which:—

Fig. 1 is a side elevation of the device as in use. Fig. 2 is a central, vertical section of the same. Fig. 3 is a plan view of the mouth-piece, showing the whistle and air-deflector.

As a toy for children, the device is preferably in the form of some "live thing," and is herein shown as a conventional bird, with suitable modification to adapt it to its various purposes. Instead of legs and feet, a cup-like enlargement 5 of the bird's body 6 serves as a receptacle for soapy water, and as a base on which the article may stand. In place of a bird's pointed beak, a flaring outlet 7 serves as a suitable holder for the bubble film, and for the bubble as blown. The tubular tail 8 forms a stem or mouth-piece for the breath of the bubble-blower. This stem is notched at 9, and in the act of blowing the bubble, the air is divided and a whistling sound is produced by that passing out of the whistle notch. This air, if

allowed to go straight forward, would crush the blowing bubble, so an upstanding deflector 10 is attached to the mouth-piece forward of the whistle, and prevents the blown air from reaching the bubble.

The device is best made of sheet tin, or the like, stamped out as hollow halves, and united at the mid-seam 11 in some suitable manner, as by soldering. It is easily supplied with sufficient soap-suds by laying it on its side in a pan of the liquid. In case a film fails to form at the bubble outlet, as when the suds may be too low, a little shake is all that is needed to produce the film at the proper place.

Having thus described our invention, we claim:

1. A device adapted for the blowing of bubbles, comprising a hollow vessel with a flaring, film-and-bubble-holding outlet, a lower receptacle for suds, and an upwardly inclined tubular mouth-piece through which air is blown through the vessel, the mouth-piece being notched to form a whistle, and provided with an air deflector to prevent air from the whistle from reaching the blowing bubble.

2. As a new article of manufacture, a whistling bubble-blower, formed as a conventional bird, with a bell-mouthed beak, a base formed as a suds receptacle, and an upwardly inclined, tubular tail, with a whistle formed therein, and an air-deflector interposed between it and the said beak, to protect the bubble as blown.

In testimony whereof we affix our signatures in presence of two witnesses.

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