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Fig. 1.

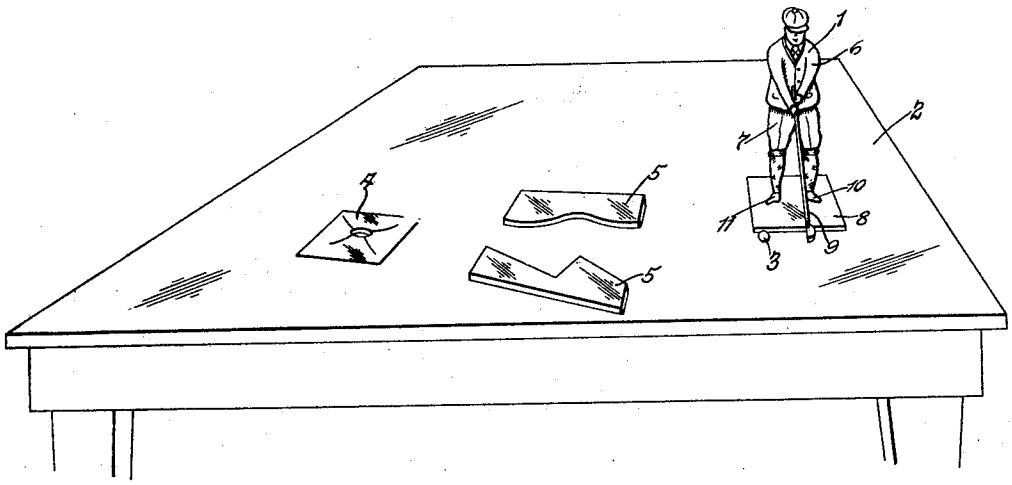


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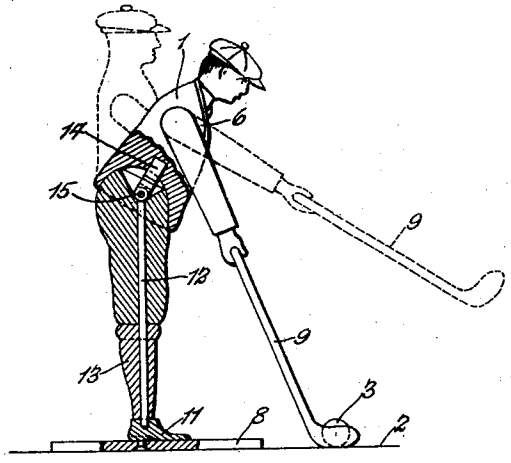
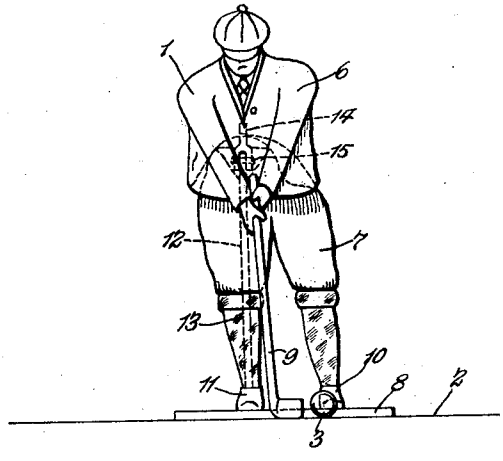


Fig. 3.



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This invention relates to a game which may be played in simulation of the game of golf.

An object of this invention is to provide means for playing a game on a table or floor in simulation of the game of golf.

Other and specific objects will be apparent from the detail description taken in connection with the accompanying drawing.

Fig. 1 is a perspective view of the device used in playing the game mounted upon a table.

Fig. 2 is a side view partly in section of the driving device.

Fig. 3 is a front view of the driving device.

A driving device 1 adapted to be readily moved to any point on a plane playing surface 2 is adapted by manual manipulation to drive a ball 3 from place to place, the object of the game being to deposit the ball in a cup 4. Movable objects 5 adapted to provide hazards may be used in simulation of hazards on golf courses and may be of any desired form. The device 4 which constitutes the cup and the hazards 5 are, in accordance with this invention, made in such a form as to be moved from place to place, thus enabling the player to position the cups and hazards, before proceeding with the game, in any manner that is desired.

As forecast, a driving device 1 may be moved from place to place and thus will follow up the ball after it is first driven until it is finally deposited in the cup 4. The driving device is an effigy of a golf player, and includes a top body portion 6 and a lower body portion 7, the lower body portion being secured to a base 8. The top body portion includes a club 9.

The arrangement of the device is such that the top body portion 6, which includes the club 9, may be turned thus causing the club to strike the ball. The bottom body portion 7 is secured to the base 8 by a foot 10. The other foot 11 is also attached to the base 8 but is not a part of nor secured to the body portion 7. A shaft 12 extends through a part of the body portion 7 and rests in a socket in the foot 11. A leg portion 13 is secured to the shaft 12 and provides means by which the shaft 12 may be rotated by the fingers. An attaching member 14 is secured to the top body portion and has a hinge connection 15 with the shaft 12. The hinge connection permits the posture of the figure to be changed at will.

It will be readily seen that the top body portion 6 may be moved by turning the shaft 12 by means of the leg portion 13. Ordinarily the leg portion 13 will be grasped between the thumb and index finger of one hand.

It will thus be seen that the invention accomplishes its objects. Parts of the invention may be used without the whole and various changes may be made in the details of construction within the scope of the appended claims without departing from the spirit of this invention.

I claim:

1. A device for playing a game comprising an effigy of a golf player having an upper body portion and a lower body portion, a shaft mounted for rotation in the lower portion and secured to the upper portion, a leg section secured to the shaft and separated from the remaining part of the bottom portion, and a club secured to the upper portion whereby the club may be moved to strike a ball positioned in front of the device by manual manipulation of the said leg section.

2. A device for playing a game comprising an effigy of a golf player holding a club said effigy having a lower body portion and an upper body portion, a shaft mounted for rotation in the lower portion, a pivoted connection between the shaft and the upper body portion whereby the effigy may be adjusted to different postures, and a leg portion secured to the shaft and separated from the remaining part of the lower body portion whereby the club may be moved to engage a ball positioned in front of the device by manual manipulation of the leg portion.

3. A device for playing a game comprising a base, a manikin having an upper section movable with respect to a lower section which is secured to the base, a shaft secured to the upper section, by means of which the upper section may be moved, and passing

through a part of the lower section, a leg portion disconnected from the lower section, secured to said shaft and forming manual engaging means whereby the shaft and thereby the upper section may be moved, and a club secured to the upper section and adapted to propel a ball.

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