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TOILET SEAT PAPER AND HOLDER THEREFOR.
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Fig. 1.

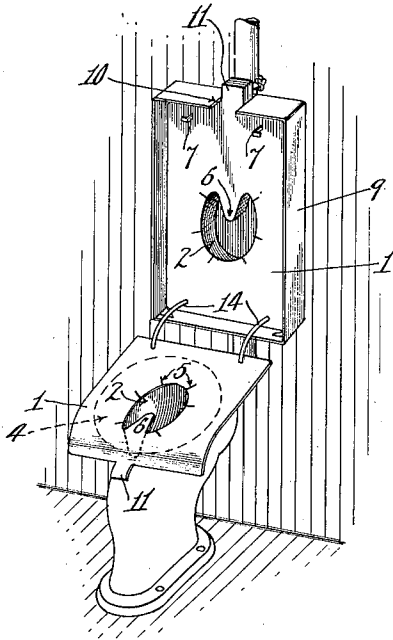


Fig. 4.

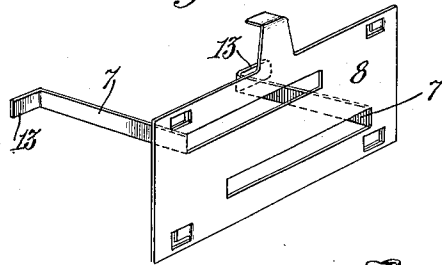


Fig. 2.

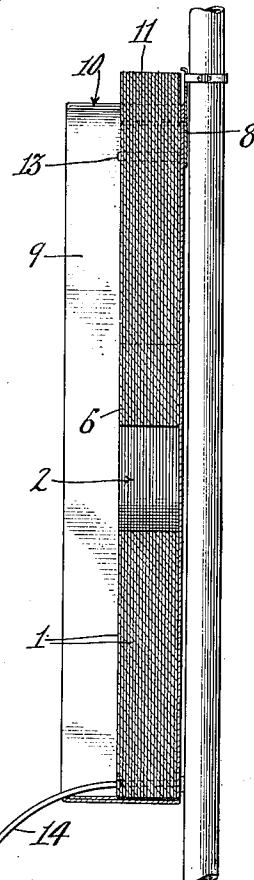
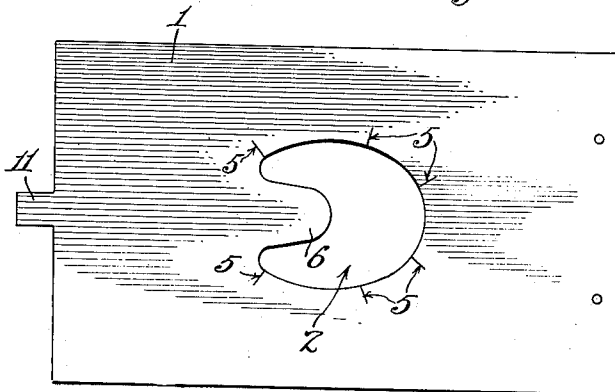
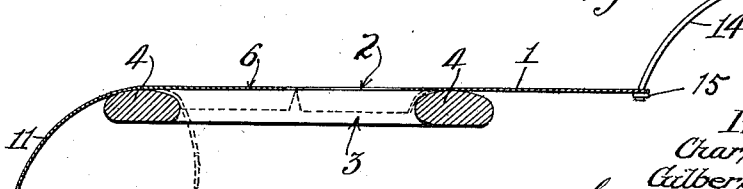


Fig. 3.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that we, CHARLES W. GIBLYN and GILBERT E. GARDNER, citizens of the United States, residing, respectively, at Glendale and at Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles and State of California, have invented a new and useful Toilet-Seat Paper and Holder Therefor, of which the following is a specification.

10 This invention relates to means for covering a toilet seat, so as to prevent contact of the person with the seat, thereby eliminating the liability of infection.

15 The protective device consists of a paper or other fabric sheet, provided with an opening corresponding to the opening of the seat, and the invention relates, in part to the sheet itself, and in part to means for holding the sheets in convenient position for use.

20 In the accompanying drawings, illustrating the invention: Figure 1 is a perspective of the toilet seat with the protective means applied thereto. Fig. 2 is a plan of the paper. Fig. 3 is a vertical section of the protective means and the holder, and the seat. Fig. 4 is a perspective of the support for the paper.

25 The guard comprises a sheet 1, of paper or other fabric, having an opening 2 conforming more or less to the opening 3 of the toilet seat 4. Around the edge of the opening the sheet is slit as at 5 to permit it to be bent down around the opening, and at the front end of the opening the sheet has a tongue or projection 6 extending into the opening 2 to act as a protector for the private organs of the person using the seat. Sheet 1 may be medicated, if desired.

30 The sheets 1 are preferably assembled in a pack, as shown in Figs. 1 and 3, the pack being supported on pins or prongs 7, extending from a back member or support 8, these prongs being formed, for example, by slotting a metal plate and bending forward the cut portions, as shown in Fig. 4. The pack of sheets may be contained in a box or casing 9 which is perforated at the back to permit passage of the prongs 7 and has a slot or notch 10 at the top through which extend tongues or projections 11 on the sheets 1, serving as handles whereby the sheets may be drawn down on the toilet seat, these sheets

normally hanging from the prongs 7 which are clenched thereon by bending as shown at 13. To guide the paper sheets 1 while they are being turned down on the seat, and to retain them in proper position after they are so turned down, guide arms or wires 14 are provided extending from the back of case 9, forwardly and downwardly in a curve, the sheet slipping or sliding along the wires as it is being turned down on to the seat until the downward movement of the sheet is arrested by means of flanges or stops 15 on the wires 14. The stops 15 are so arranged that the sheet is held in the proper position on the seat, the stops being in the same plane as the top of the seat. The prongs 7 being of flat metal, presented vertically edgewise, serve also as means for severing the paper as it is pulled down.

What we claim is:

1. A toilet seat paper holder comprising an open front case fixedly supported in a vertical position, paper sheets therein forming a pack, said sheets having perforations therein, arms in the lower part of said case extending through the perforations in said sheets and outwardly and downwardly therefrom for guiding said sheets into a horizontal position in front of said pack, and means on said arms for arresting said sheets in a horizontal position on the toilet seat.

2. A toilet seat paper holder comprising an open front case fixedly supported in a vertical position, paper sheets therein forming a pack, pins extending from the back of the case and adapted to support the paper sheets in a vertical position in said case, arms in the lower part of said case extending through said pack and outwardly and downwardly therefrom to guide the sheets into a horizontal position in front of said pack, and stops on said arms for arresting said sheets in horizontal position on the toilet seat.

3. A toilet seat paper holder comprising an open front case fixedly supported in a vertical position, said case having an opening in the top thereof, paper sheets in said case detachably secured at their upper ends to said case and forming a pack, each of said sheets having a projection thereon extending through said opening in the top of

the case and forming a handle means, arms
in the lower part of said case extending
through said pack and outwardly and down-
wardly therefrom for guiding said sheets
5 into a horizontal position in front of said
pack.

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto

set our hands at Los Angeles California this
8th day of July 1909.

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