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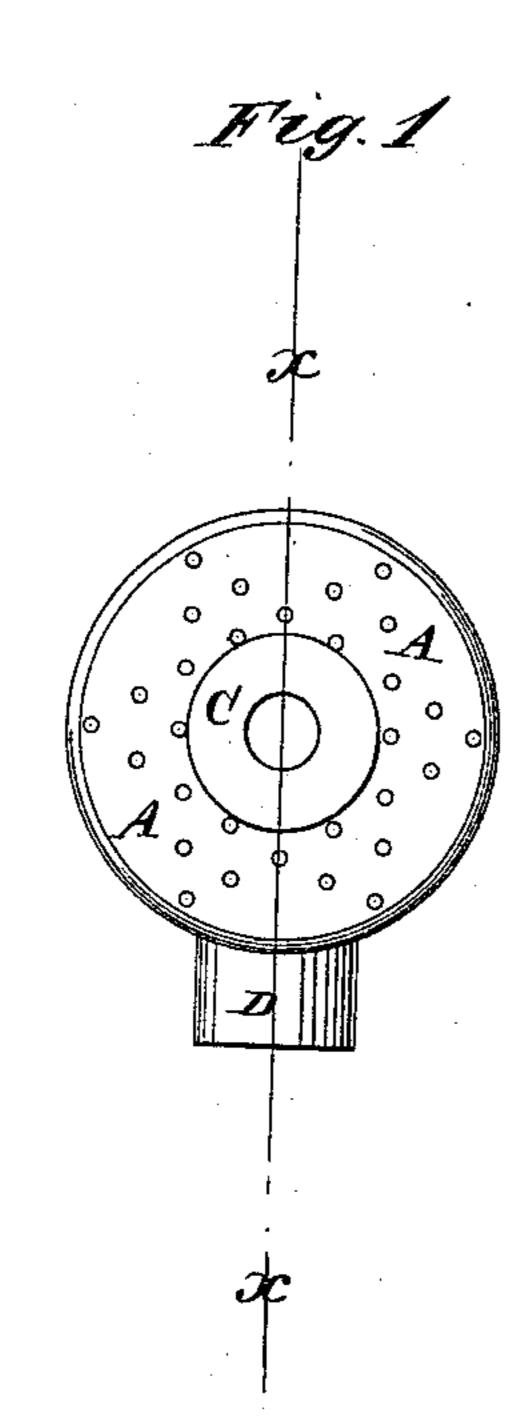
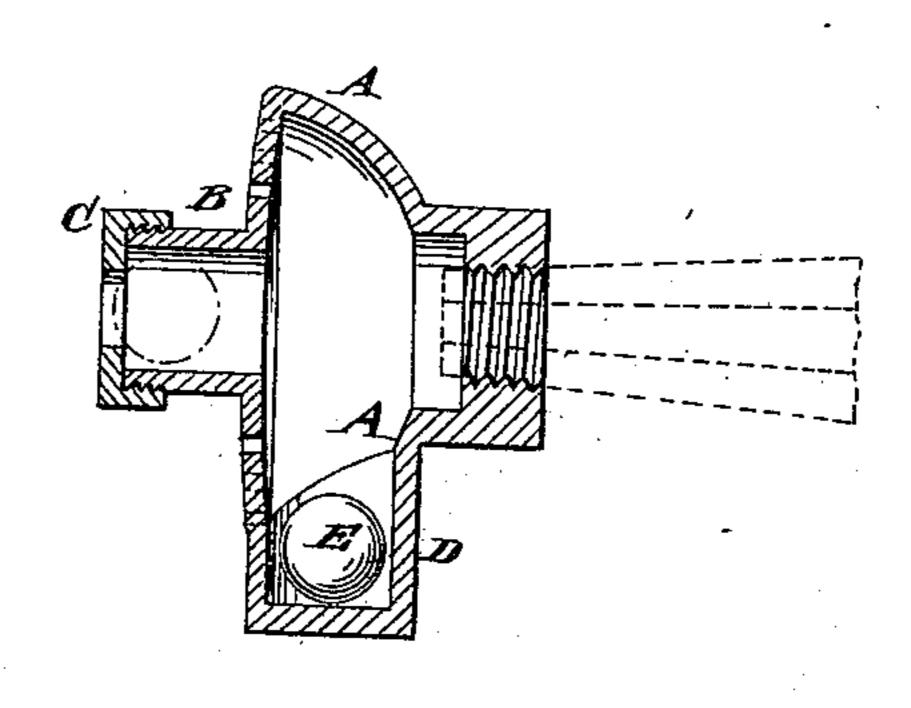


Fig. 2



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## IMPROVEMENT IN COMBINED NOZZLE AND SPRINKLER.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, NEIL MALMQUIST, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings and State of New York, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Combined Nozzle and Sprinkler, of which the following is a specification:

Figure 1 is a face view of my improved device. Fig. 2 is a detail section of the same, taken through the line x x, Fig. 1.

Similar letters of reference indicate corre-

sponding parts.

The object of this invention is to furnish an improved device to be applied to the end of a hose, which shall be so constructed that it may be made to throw a solid stream or a shower, as may be desired, without its being necessary to interrupt the flow of the water.

The invention consists in a sprinkler provided with a short tube in its face directly opposite its screw-socket, and having its outer end covered with a perforated cap, with a tube in its side, having its outer end closed, and with a small marble or ball placed within it to adapt it to be used for throwing water in a solid stream or a shower, as hereinafter fully described.

A represents an ordinary rose-sprinkler, which is secured upon a hose-nozzle in the usual way. In the center of the perforated face of the sprinkler A is formed a hole, in which is secured a short tube, B, the outer end of which is covered with a cap, C. The cap C is perforated with a hole of a less di-

ameter than the tube B, and which is directly opposite the screw-socket of the device. In one side of the sprinkler A is formed a hole, in which is secured the end of a short tube, D, made with its outer end closed. E is a small ball or marble, of such a size that it can enter the tubes B and D, but cannot pass through the hole in the cap C.

With this construction, when the marble E is allowed to drop into the tube of cup D, the water will pass through the sprinkler A, and out through the tube B and cap C in a solid stream; but if the device is turned down or shaken, so that the marble E will pass from the tube D into tube B, it will close the hole through the cap C, and the water will be forced out through the small holes in the face of the sprinkler A in a shower.

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

A sprinkler, A, provided with a short tube, B, in its face, directly opposite its screw-socket, and having its outer end covered with a perforated cap, C, with a tube, D, in its side, having its outer end closed, and with a small marble or ball, E, placed within it, to adapt it to be used for throwing water in a solid stream or a shower, substantially as herein shown and described.

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