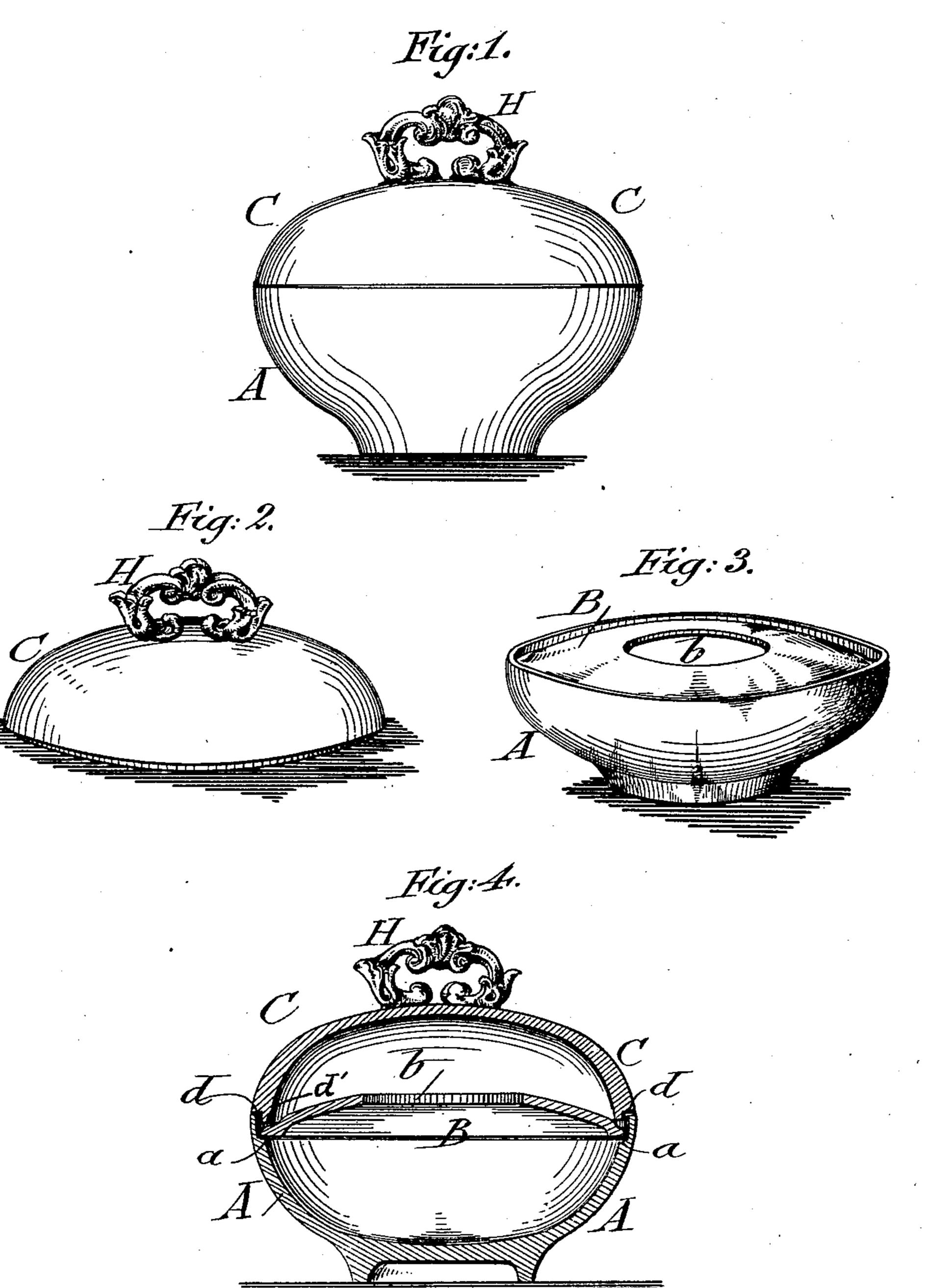
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## HAIR-RECEIVER.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CHARLES STREIFF, a citizen of the United States, residing in the city of New York, borough of Manhattan, in the State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Hair-Receivers, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to an improved hairreceiver for ladies' use in which the combings to of hair as they are removed from the comb or brush may be conveniently stored away and

covered up, so as to be out of sight.

The invention consists of a hair-receiver comprising a cup-shaped body, an interior cover having a central opening and being seated in said body, and an exterior cover the lower edge of which is of less interior diameter than the diameter of the interior cover and rests on the rim of the said body, as will be hereinafter fully described and then claimed.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 is a side elevation of my improved hair-receiver. Fig. 2 is a perspective view of the exterior cover as removed from the body of the receiver. Fig. 3 is a perspective view of the receiver and its interior cover, showing the exterior cover removed; and Fig. 4 is a vertical central section of my improved hair-receiver.

Similar letters of reference indicate corre-

30 sponding parts.

Referring to the drawings, A indicates the cup-shaped body of my improved hair-receiver, which is made in the shape of a shallow cup and provided at its interior, below the 35 rim, with an annular shoulder a, which forms a seat for the interior cover B. The interior cover B is dished and provided with a central opening b, through which the rolled-up combings of the hair are inserted. An exterior cover 40 C, which is provided at a slight distance above its lower edge or rim d' with an outer circumferential shoulder d, fits on the rim of the cupshaped body A and closes the body and interior cover. The edge or rim d' fits inside 45 the rim of body A and is of less diameter than that of the interior cover B, so that the rim of the latter is located between the shoulder of the body A and the interior edge or rim d' of the cover C. The result of this construction 50 is that no care need be taken in removing the covered hair-receiver from one place to another, except to hold the cover C and body A together, as in all positions the interior cover will be held to its seat and will not become

dislocated. Besides, if there be a large quantity of hair in the receiver, tending to lift the interior cover from its seat, the exterior cover will hold it down. The cover C is provided with a handle H, so as to permit the convenient lifting off and replacing of the cover on 60 the body A. Body A and the cover C are of the same diameter at their joint, so as to form a rounded structure with smooth practically-unbroken surfaces at the joints.

My improved hair-receiver is preferably 65 made of porcelain; but it can be made of any other suitable material. It is intended to be used on ladies' toilet-tables to receive the combings of the hair, so as to avoid the laying about of the same on the table. When 70 the hair-receiver is in use, the cover C is removed and the combings are inserted into the cup-shaped body A through the aperture b in the interior cover B. When the toilet is completed, the cover is replaced on the body 75 and the receiver thereby closed up, so that the combings in the same cannot be seen. From time to time the combings are removed from the receiver, which forms a very effective and convenient device for ladies' toilet- 80 tables for receiving combings.

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

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1. A hair-receiver, consisting of a cup-85 shaped body, an interior cover seated in said body, and having an aperture, and an exterior cover of less interior diameter than that of the interior cover, but of the same diameter as that of said body, said exterior cover being 90 seated on the said body, substantially as set forth.

2. A hair-receiver, consisting of a cupshaped body provided with an interior annular seat below its rim, an interior cover resting on said seat and provided with an enlarged central aperture, and an exterior cover provided with an outer circumferential shoulder seated on the rim of the body and with an inner rim below said shoulder, substantially as 100 set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed my name in presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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