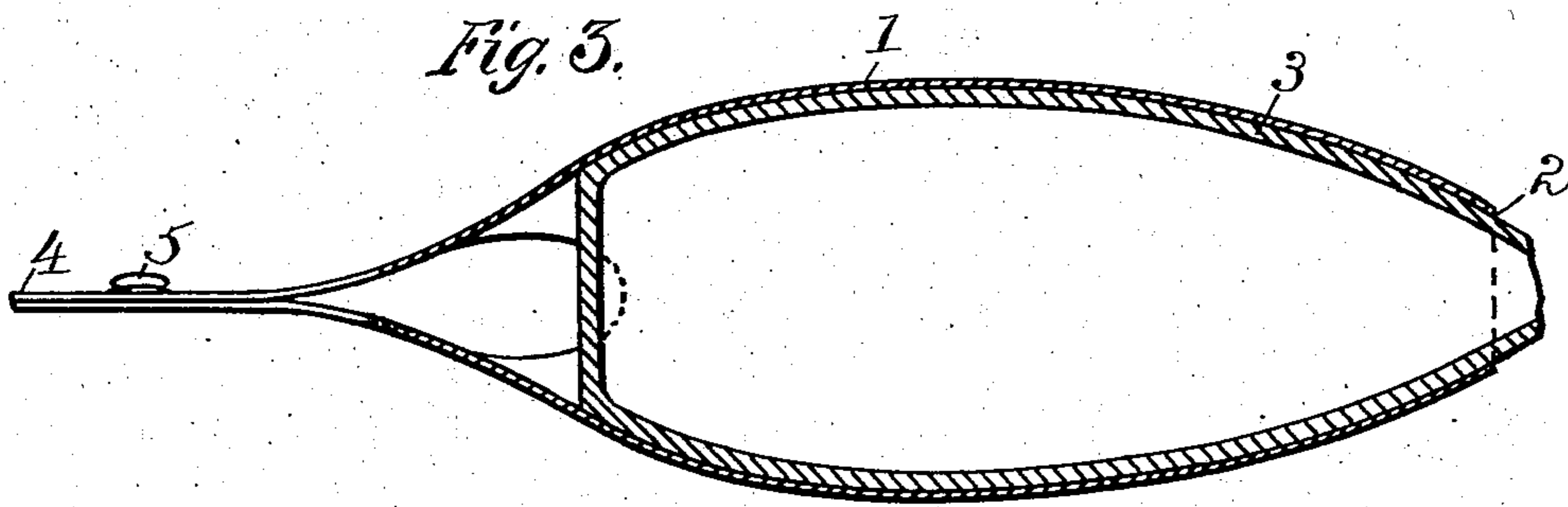
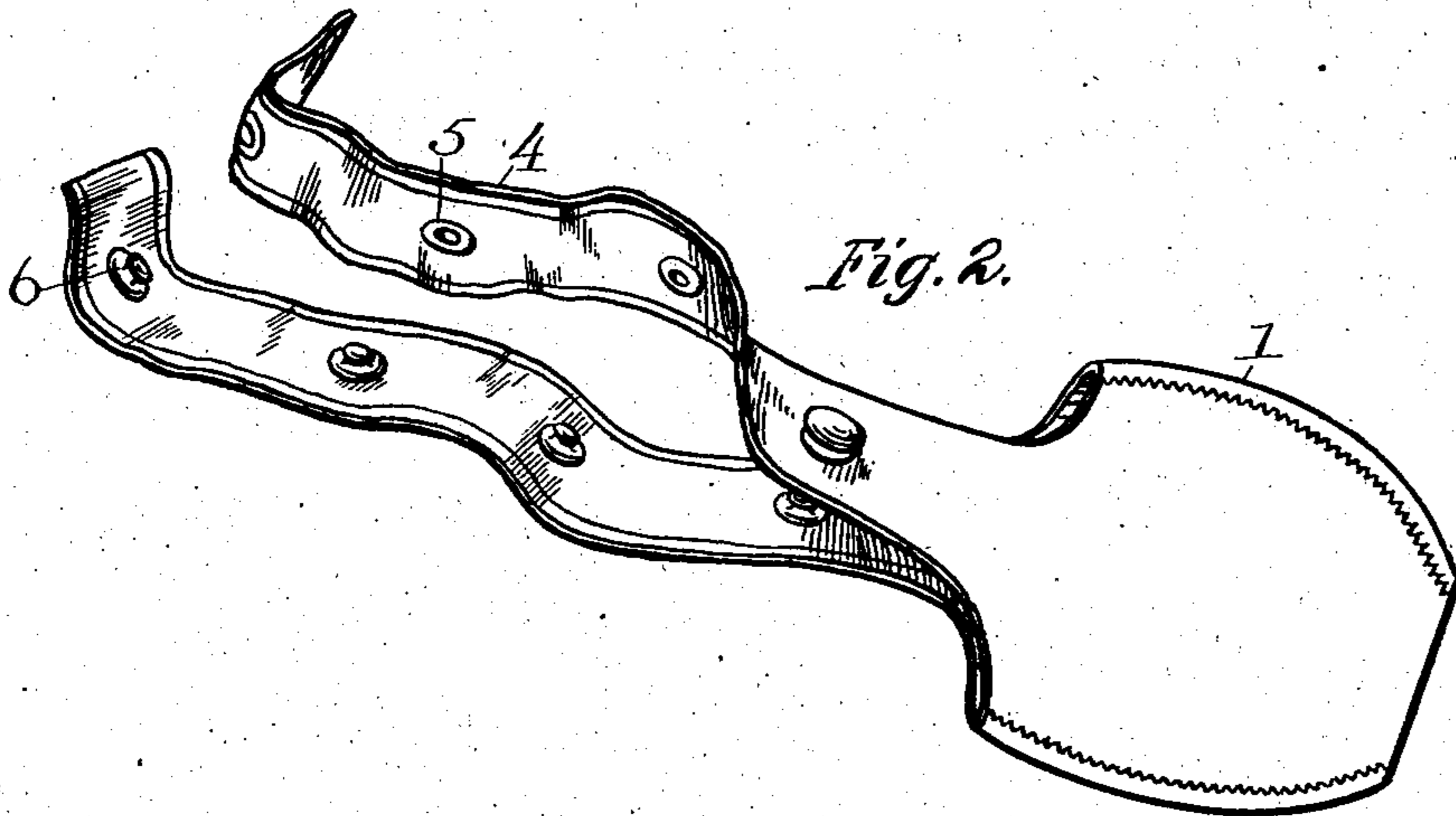
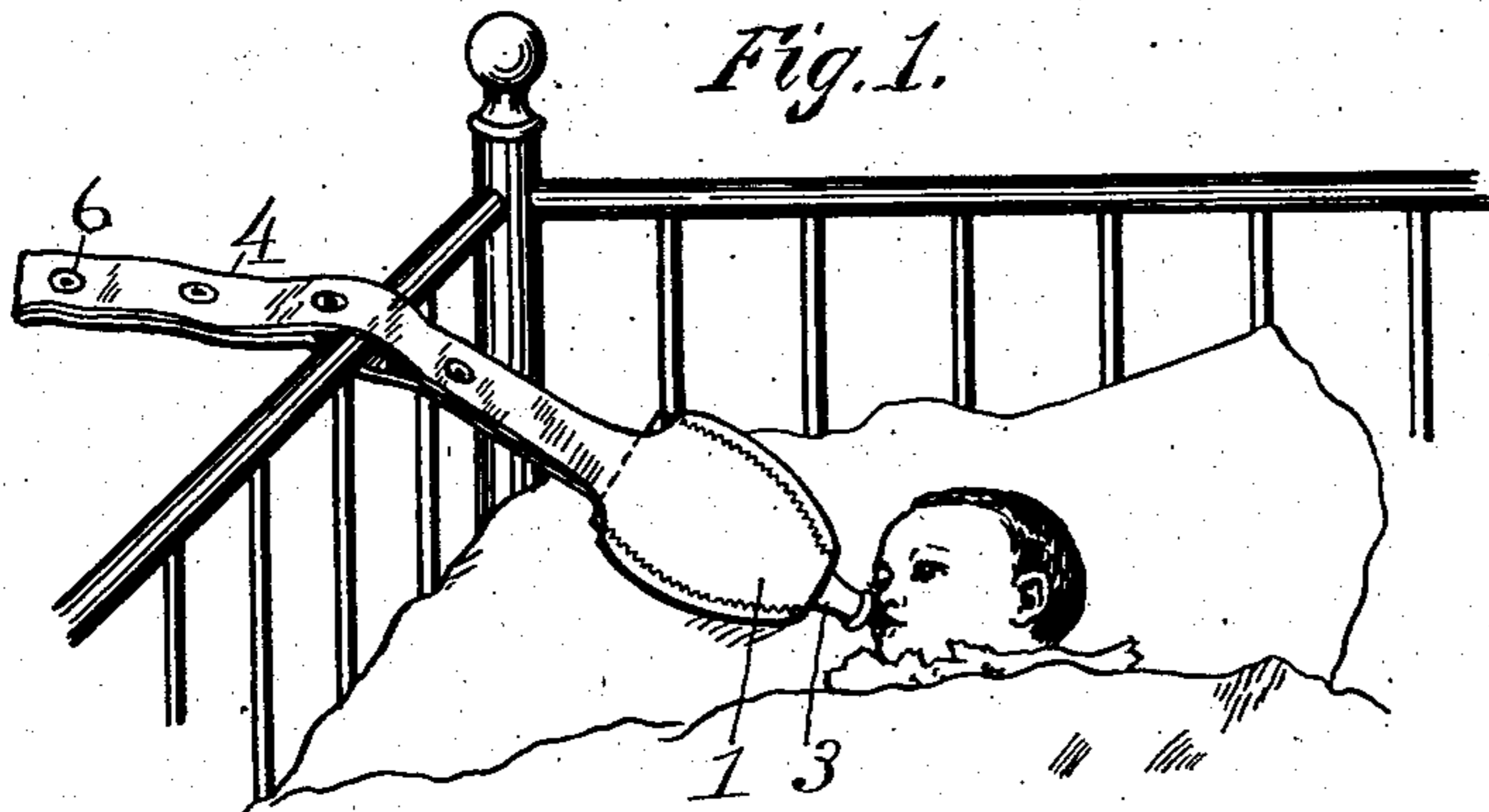


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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, MARY E. GREGORY, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Norwalk, in the county of Fairfield and State of Connecticut, have invented a new and Improved Nursing-Bottle Holder, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to the class of devices for conveniently holding a nursing-bottle for the use of a child; and one object of my invention is to provide a device of this class that will secure the bottle in an accessible position for use.

A further object of the invention is to provide a device in which the bottle is securely held against any danger of breakage by reason of a fall.

A further object of the invention is to provide a device with secure means of attachment to an object.

A further object of the invention is to provide a device of this class that may be adjustably secured in place.

A form of device in the use of which these objects may be attained is illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a perspective view illustrating my invention as applied to a nursing-bottle in use. Fig. 2 is a perspective view, on enlarged scale, showing the holder. Fig. 3 is a detail view in section through the holder and a bottle placed therein.

In the accompanying drawings the numeral 1 denotes a case or holder. This is preferably formed of rubber or like flexible and comparatively soft material and approximately the shape of a bottle. An opening 2 is formed in one end of the holder, through which the neck of a bottle 3 projects. Straps 4 extend from one end—what may be termed the "bottom"—of the holder, these straps being preferably integrally formed with the holder and of proper width to secure the required strength and also to receive the fastening devices. Fastening devices each consisting of a socket member 5 and a stud 6 are secured to the inner or meeting faces of the straps, the stud being adapted to be engaged and frictionally held by the socket in a manner common to fasteners of the kind shown. These fasteners are distributed lengthwise along the straps in any desired number, four being herein shown as serving a useful purpose.

In the use of the invention the straps may

be secured, as to the rail of a crib or the like, by means of the fastener, and it will thus be seen that the holder or case may be placed in any location with reference to the position of the child—that is, if the holder is desired to project to the farther side of the crib the outer fasteners may be employed to secure it to the rail, or if the child is nearer to this side of the crib then the inner fasteners may be used to properly locate the holder and the nursing-bottle, the outer ends of the strap projecting beyond the rail. When the bottle is placed in position in the holder, the inner fasteners being secured together, the bottle is securely located in position and cannot be removed.

It will thus be seen that an extremely secure device is obtained, and if the bottle shall be thrown from the crib or like place it cannot fall to the floor, for the reason that the holder will prevent such fall, and the bottle cannot be accidentally removed from the holder, for the reason that the fasteners secure it in position.

The soft material of which the holder is composed constitutes a shield or case which prevents the bottle from being broken by contact with the sides of a crib or the like.

What I claim as my invention, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

1. A case having at one end a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case and located on opposite sides thereof, and complementary fastening means located at intervals along said straps.

2. A case having a contracted opening at one end for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case and located on opposite sides thereof, and stud and socket fasteners located at intervals along said straps.

3. A case having at one end a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case and located at opposite sides thereof, means for securing the straps together at a point to secure a bottle within the case, and means for securing a strap to an object.

4. A case having a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case and located on opposite sides thereof, and stud and socket fasteners disposed at intervals along said straps, one of said fasteners

being located in position to secure a bottle within the case.

5. A case having at one end a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case, and fastening means located at intervals along said straps.

6. A case having at one end a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case, and stud and socket fasteners located at intervals along said straps.

7. A case having at one end a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps extending from the opposite end of the case, and fastening means including stud and socket fasteners for securing said case to an object.

8. A case having a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps projecting from the opposite end of said case and having fastening means for securing a bot-

tle within the case, and fastening means for securing the case to an object.

9. A case having a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps secured at the opposite end of the case and at opposite sides thereof, stud and socket fasteners for closing this end of the case to retain a bottle therein, and means for securing the case to an object.

10. A case having a contracted opening for the reception of the neck of a bottle, straps projecting from the opposite end of the case and from opposite sides thereof, stud and socket fasteners on said straps for closing this end of the case to hold a bottle therein, and stud and socket fasteners for securing the case to an object.

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