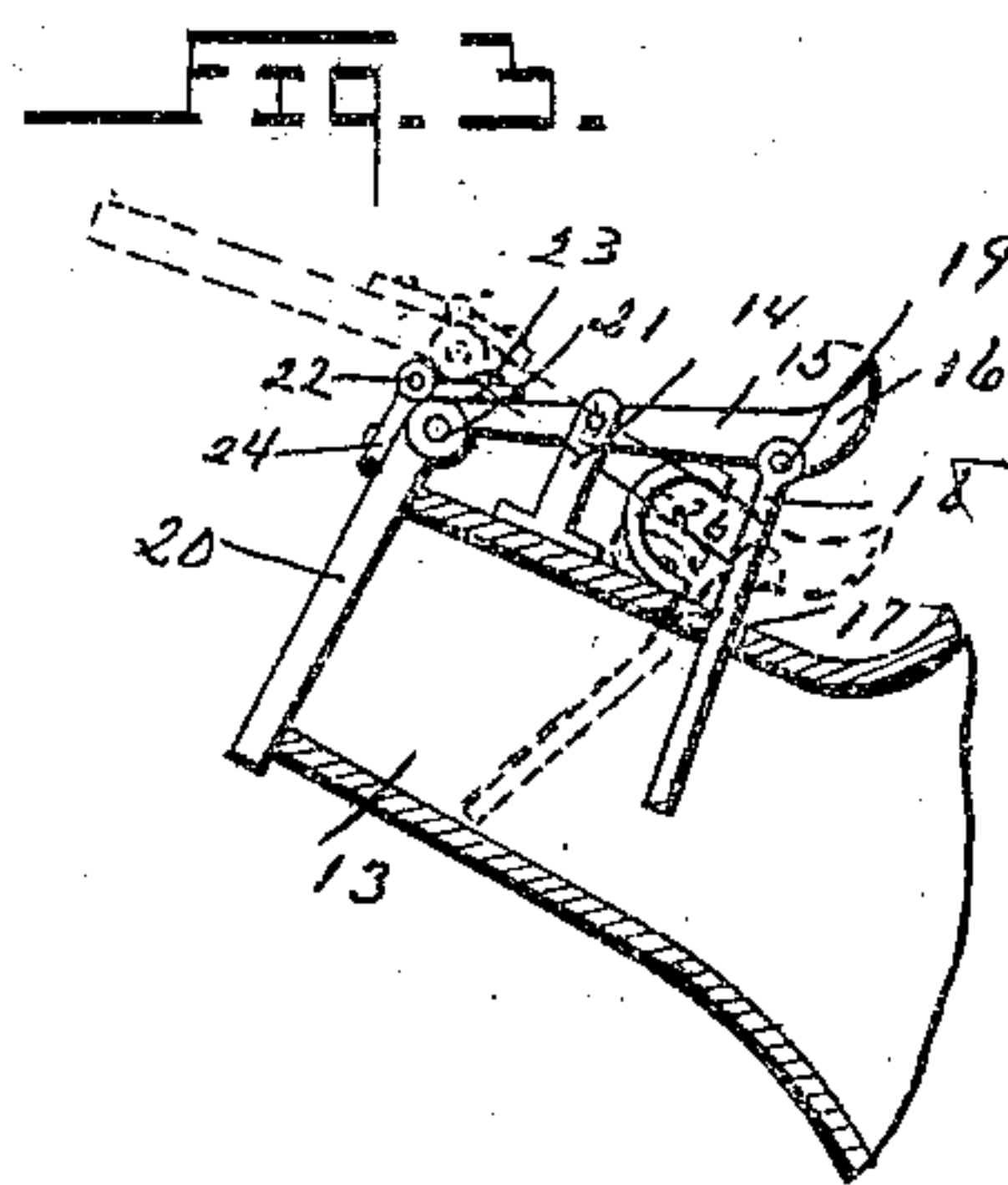
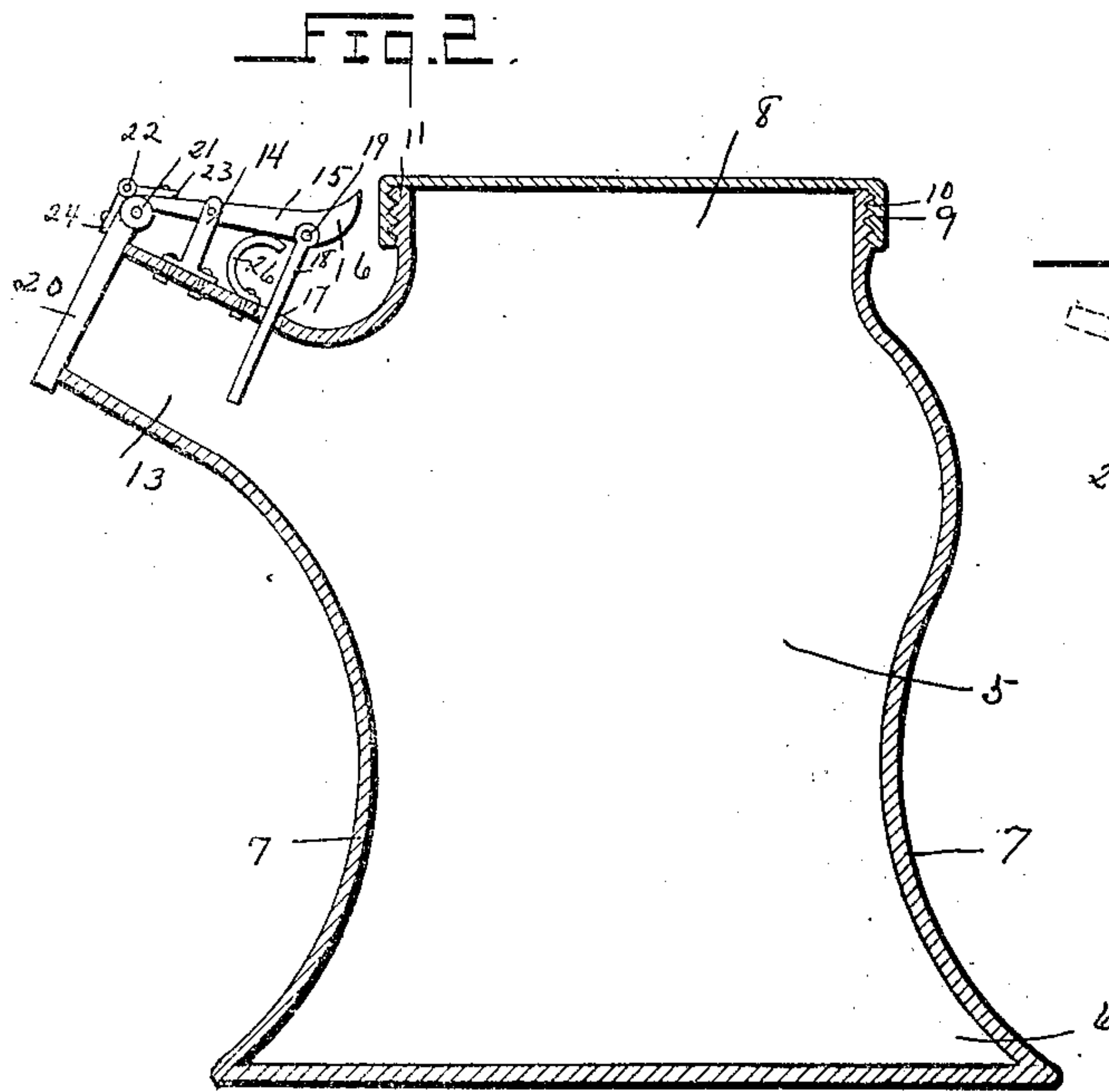
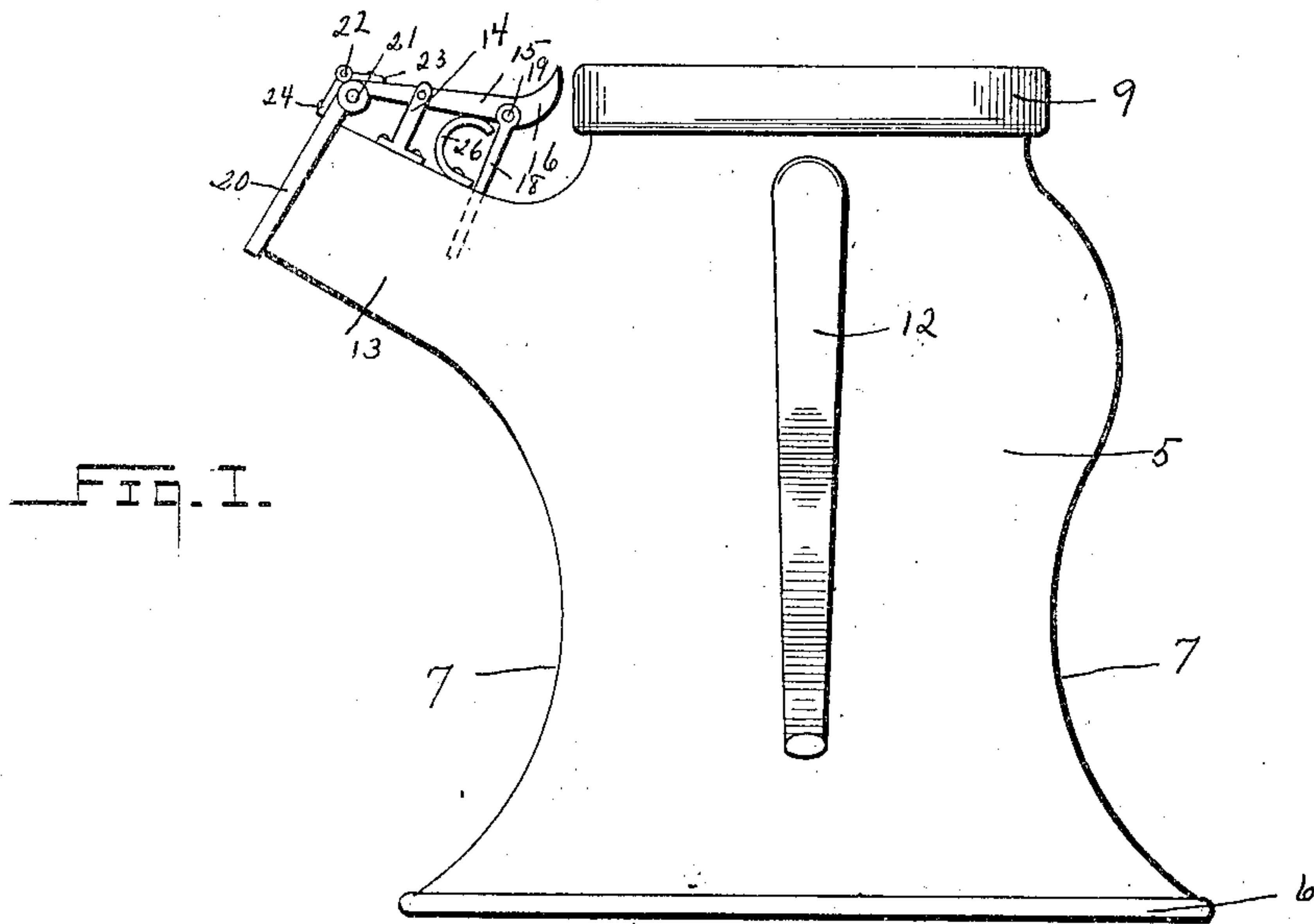


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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, SAMUEL JUEL, a citizen of the United States, residing at Halliday, in the county of Dunn and State of North Dakota, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Sugar-Bowls, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to the class of kitchen and table articles, and more particularly to sugar bowls or similar receptacles or containers, and has for an object to provide a valve of simple construction whereby a predetermined quantity of sugar may be discharged from the bowl.

A further object of this invention is to provide a device of the character described whereby sugar or the like may be kept in a sanitary condition and held proof against insects and dust.

Other objects and advantages will be apparent from the following description and it will be understood that changes in the specific structure shown and described may be made within the scope of the claim without departing from the spirit of the invention.

In the drawings forming a portion of this specification, and in which like numerals of reference indicate similar parts in the several views, Figure 1 is a side view of the present sugar bowl, Fig. 2 is a vertical sectional view, Fig. 3 is a detail view through the neck of the bowl showing the valve closed in dotted lines and open in full lines.

Referring now more particularly to the drawings, there is shown a sugar bowl 5 having an enlarged base portion 6, and curved or concaved side walls 7, as shown. The bowl, is provided with an inlet or filling passage 8 which is normally closed by means of a cap 9 having an internally threaded portion 10 engaged with an external threaded portion 11, of the bowl. The bowl is provided with a handle 12 of any suitable construction.

A contracted neck 13 is carried by the bowl, adjacent to its upper end, and this neck is curved to follow the contour of the body of the bowl as will be seen from Fig.

2 of the drawings. The neck, is provided with a standard 14, and pivotally connected to this standard there is shown a lever 15 having a finger engaging portion 16 located adjacent to the cap 9. The neck is provided with a passage 17 arranged to receive a sliding valve 18 pivotally connected as shown at 19 to the lever 15.

A cover 20 is hingedly connected as shown at 21 to the outer end of the lever 15, and is yieldingly engaged with the open end of the neck by means of a spring 22 having one leg 23 engaged with the lever 15, and having its other leg 24 arranged to bear upon the cover. A leaf spring 26 is carried by the neck and is arranged to bear normally upon the under side of the lever and is arranged for operation to normally hold the sliding valve in an open position.

In use, the sugar bowl is inverted, and sugar may thus be deposited in the neck of the bowl, whereupon, the lever 15 may be depressed to permit the valve 18 to close the neck to prevent further discharge of sugar. It is obvious that upon depressing the lever 15 to close the valve 18 the cover 20 will be raised to permit sugar outwardly of the valve 18 to be discharged.

While the device is especially adapted for use as a sugar bowl it will be readily understood that the same may be used as a syrup pitcher or container for various uses in the kitchen.

What is claimed is:

In a device of the class described, the combination with a container having a contracted neck at one side, of a pivotally mounted lever carried by said neck, a cover carried by said lever and yieldingly engaged with the outer end of said neck, and a sliding valve carried by said lever and disposed in spaced relation to said cover.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature, in presence of two witnesses.

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