

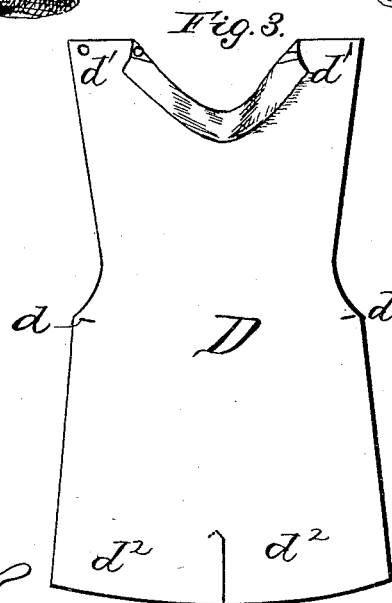
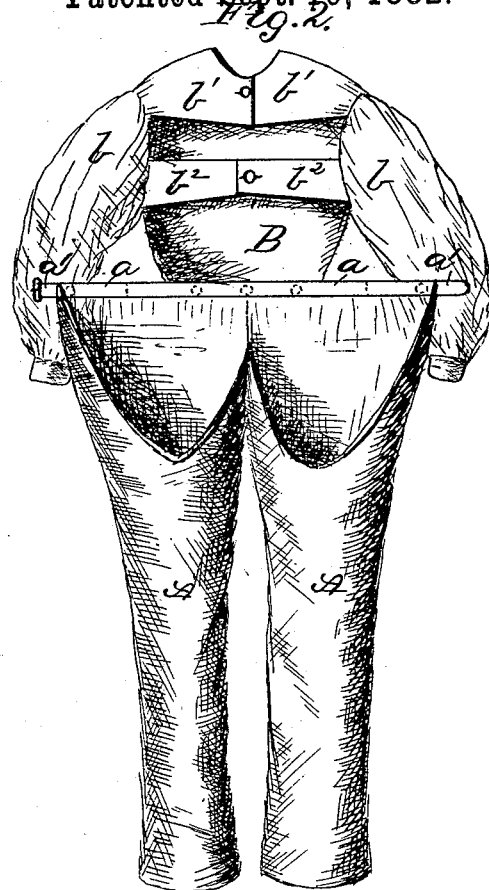
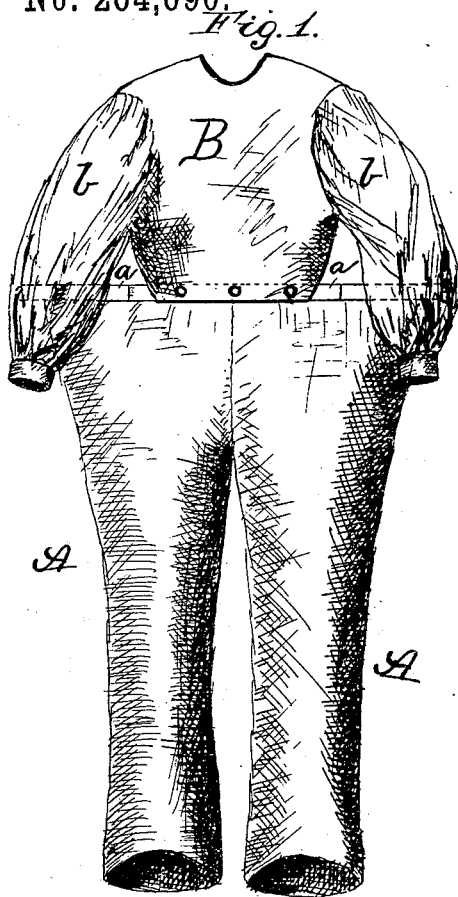
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OVERALLS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, NICHOLAS J. HAMILTON, a citizen of the United States, residing at Chatham, in the county of Bracken and State of Kentucky, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Overalls, of which the following is a specification, reference being had therein to the accompanying drawings.

My invention relates to a new and improved article of manufacture in overalls, the construction of which will be hereinafter fully set forth, and pointed out in the claim.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a front elevation; Fig. 2, a rear elevation, and Fig. 3 a view of an apron employed in connection with my overalls.

A represents the legs of the overalls, the upper front portions of which are secured to the waistband *a*, having extensions *a'* *a'* for fastening them around the waist, and the rear upper portions of which are cut away around the seat in order to permit perfect freedom of movement to the person.

B is the body portion of the overalls. It is cut to fit over the breast and abdomen of the person, and buttons to the waistband *a*, as shown, and is provided with arms *b*, and is secured around the person by the neckband *b'* and body-bands *b*², as shown.

D is the apron, used when the body portion is not. It buttons to the waist *a* by the button-holes *d*, and the upper portion is buttoned around the neck, as shown by the flaps *d'*. The flap portion *d*² extends down the legs of the person, and the apron effectually protects the entire front portion of the body from dirt.

The advantages I secure by this construction of the overalls are that the body is effectually protected from dirt without the inconvenience of a complete casing of overalls, that perfect freedom of the body is permitted, and that either portion of the overalls—legs, body, or apron—can be used independently of the other.

What I claim is—

The overalls formed of the pants A, having the waistband *a*, provided with projecting ends *a'*, and having the seat cut away, and of the body B, provided with arms *b*, neckband *b'*, and body-band *b*², substantially as shown and described.

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

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