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Improvements in Gloves

We, G. WADDINGTON & SON LIMITED, a British Company, of The Leather Works, Cottingham Road, Newland, in the City and County of Kingston-upon-Hull, and JAMES LARTER GOLD, a British Subject of the said Company's address, do hereby declare the nature of this invention to be as follows:—

The present invention relates to gloves of the type used by cyclists, motor-cyclists and drivers of vehicles when exposed to the atmospheric elements.

According to the present invention a waterproof cover is provided on the glove over that portion thereof which extends over the area of the back of the hand and the back of the fingers, said cover when in position permitting complete freedom of displacement of the fingers.

It will thus be seen that the glove of the present invention possesses the advantages of the usual form of waterproof mittens without the disadvantages of the latter, namely hindrance of movement of the user's fingers.

Preferably the waterproof cover is secured to the back of the glove from the wrist up the sides of the glove to a position substantially in line with the knuckles, whilst the rest of the cover remains free with the exception of a connection between the opposite end of the

cover and one of the fingers, substantially in the region of the tip thereof. Preferably the connection is to the tip of the middle finger of the glove and is detachable, a tab on the finger or cover having a press stud connection with the cover or the finger respectively. It will thus be seen that when the cover is in position perfect freedom of movement of the fingers laterally within the cover and forwardly thereof is possible whilst complete movement of the thumb is also possible as in the usual form of glove.

If desired, the width of the cover may be slightly greater than the effective width of the fingers in order to overlap these when the fingers are in the extended but closed position.

If desired, the wrist end of the glove may have the usual gauntlet extension, which preferably is waterproof both in rear and in front of the wrist.

The waterproof cover may be of any desired material, but preferably consists of a rubberised fabric.

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COMPLETE SPECIFICATION

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The present invention relates to gloves of the type used by cyclists, motor-cyclists and drivers of vehicles when exposed to the atmospheric elements.

According to the present invention, the area of the back portion of the glove, including the fingers, is shrouded by a cover which is permanently connected at one end to the glove, such as by stitching, and is secured at its other end to the tip of one of the fingers thereby allowing freedom of lateral and forward displacement of the remaining fingers relatively to the cover.

When the outer surface of the backing or cover is of waterproof material, it will be seen that the glove of the present invention possesses the advantages of the usual form of waterproof mittens without

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