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PROVISIONAL SPECIFICATION.

## Improvements in Lenses.

We, ARTHUR WARMISHAM, a British Subject, and KAPELLA LIMITED, a British Company, both of 104, Stoughton Street, Leicester, do hereby declare the nature of this invention to be as follows:—

This invention relates to objectives for photography or projection, and especially to the type comprising four members separated by air spaces, the two outer members being simple and convergent, 10 and the two inner members being compound and divergent and presenting their outer surfaces of weaker curvature toward the median air space. The object of this invention is to provide objectives of said 15 type having effective working aperture F/1.5 and improved approximation to anastigmatically flat field of semi-angle 12° or more. This object we attain according to the present invention by 20 forming each divergent member with a

convergent cemented contact surface of deeper curvature than either of its outer surfaces.

Preferably the front divergent member approximates to a concave-plane form, while the rear divergent member is of meniscus shape.

Dated the Twenty-third day of August, 1929.

ARTHUR WARMISHAM, KAPELLA LIMITED.

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Secretary.

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## COMPLETE SPECIFICATION.

## Improvements in Lenses.

We, ARTHUR WARMISHAM, a British Subject, and Kapella Limited, a British Company, both of 104, Stoughton Street, Leicester, do hereby declare the nature of this invention and in what manner the same is to be performed, to be particularly 35 described and ascertained in and by the following statement:—

This invention relates to objectives for photography or projection, and especially to the type comprising four members to the type comprising four members 40 separated by air spaces, the two outer members being simple and convergent, and the two inner members being compound and divergent and presenting their outer surfaces of weaker curvature toward the median air space. The object of this invention is to provide objectives of said type having effective working aperture F/1.5 and improved approximation to anastigmatically flat field of semi-angle 50 12° or more. This object we attain according to the present invention by forming each divergent member with a convergent cemented contact surface of

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deeper curvature than either of its outer surfaces.

Preferably the front divergent member approximates to a concave-plane form, while the rear divergent member is of meniscus shape.

Constructions according to this invention comprise only six glasses and eight air glass surfaces, and they are an improvement on the F/1.5 objectives described in British Patent Specification No. 258,092 in respect of field flattening. 65

The invention will now be illustrated by a numerical example of constructional data of an objective and with reference to the drawing.

The notation of the example is that the successive radii of curvature, counting from the front, are called  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ , etc., the sign + denoting that the curve is convex toward the front, and - that it is concave toward the front.

The thicknesses of the lenses are denoted by  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$ , etc., and the axial distances between the surfaces  $R_1$  and  $R_3$ ,

mean refractive index D, as convention-

 $R_5$  and  $R_6$ , and  $R_8$  and  $R_9$ , are denoted by ally employed, and further by the type-Si,  $S_2$ , and  $S_3$  respectively. ally employed, and further by the type-number in Messrs. Chance Brothers' optical glass catalogue.

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Relative aperture F/1.48

10	D			<sup>n</sup> D	V	Messrs. Chance Brothers' Catalogue Type.
	$R_1 + .58615$	T2465	5	1.6230	56.3	6665
15	$R_2 - 2.1483$	S <sub>1</sub> .07	air			
•	$R_38761$ $R_4 + .6500$	$T_2$ .03		1.6220	36.2	361
20	$R_{5} + 23.36$	$T_3$ .11		1.6449	48.3	5902
20.	$R_{s} + 1.2340$	$S_2$ .06	air		-	
	$R_73803$	$T_4$ .15		1.6449	48.3	5902
?5	$R_{8} + .4167$	$T_s$ .03		1.6220	36.2	361
-	$R_0 + .7683$	$S_3$ $.08$	air	-		
30	$R_{10} - 1.4860$	Т15		1.6449	48.3	5902

Having now particularly described and ascertained the nature of our said invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed, we declare that what we

25 claim is:-1. Photographic or projection objectives of the type comprising four separated members, the two outer members being simple and convergent, and the two 40 inner members being dispersive and com-pound, and presenting their outer surfaces of weaker curvature toward the median air space, characterised by each divergent member having a convergent 45 cemented contact surface of deeper curvature than either of its outer surfaces.

2. Objectives as claimed in claim 1 and in which front divergent member is externally of substantially plano-concave form, while rear divergent member is externally of meniscus form.

Dated the Tenth day of April, 1930. ARTHUR WARMISHAM, KAPELLA LIMITED.

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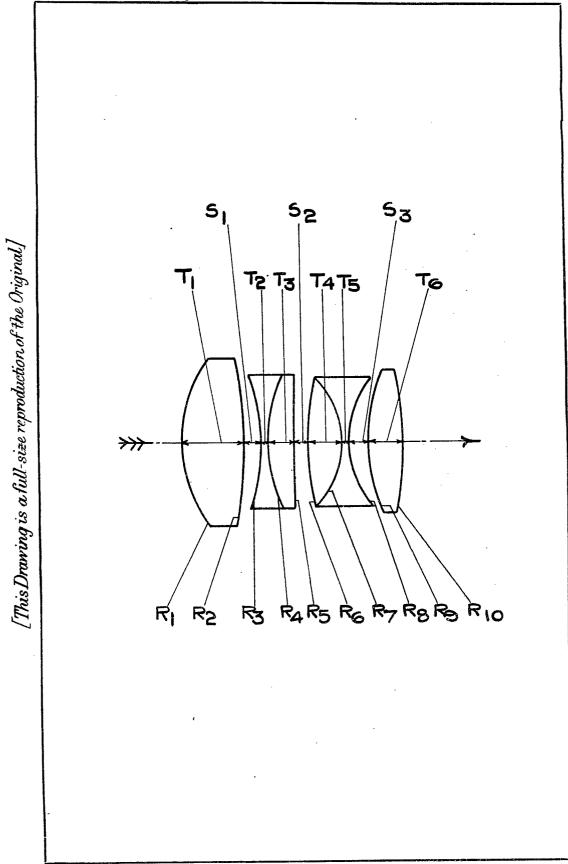
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