CLAIMS

1. A device to be used in a state of a lid member being detachably attached to a container for storing a graft, the device comprising:

a lid member for sealing the container; and

an annular member for forming a first space by being interposed between the lid member and the container,

wherein a second space is formed between the lid member and an inside surface of the container,

wherein the lid member includes a top part and a protruding part extending downward from the top part,

wherein the protruding part has an outer diameter smaller than the inner diameter of the container, so that the second space is formed between the protruding part and the inside surface of the container when the lid member is attached to the container,

wherein the annular member is made of elastic material, and

wherein the annular member has an outer diameter substantially the same as or slightly larger than the inner diameter of the container and the inner diameter of the annular member is smaller than the outer diameter of the protruding part.

2. The device according to claim 1, further comprising a sealing member interposed between the container and the

lid member.

3. The device according to claim 1 or 2, further comprising a protective member interposed between the annular member and the lid member to protect the first space.

4. The device according to claim 3, wherein the protective member is flexible.

5. The device according to claim 3 or 4, wherein the protective member and/or the lid member is water repellent.

6. The device according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein the graft is a sheet-shaped cell culture.

7. The device according to claim 6, wherein the sheet-shaped cell culture is a laminate.

8. The device according to any one of claims 1 to 7, further comprising ~~A~~a gripping tool comprising:

a cover member; and

a base member,

the gripping tool being configured to press and grip the device ~~according to any one of claims 1 to 7 from above and below~~.