

G. Carver,
Scrubbing Brush.

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Fig. 2.

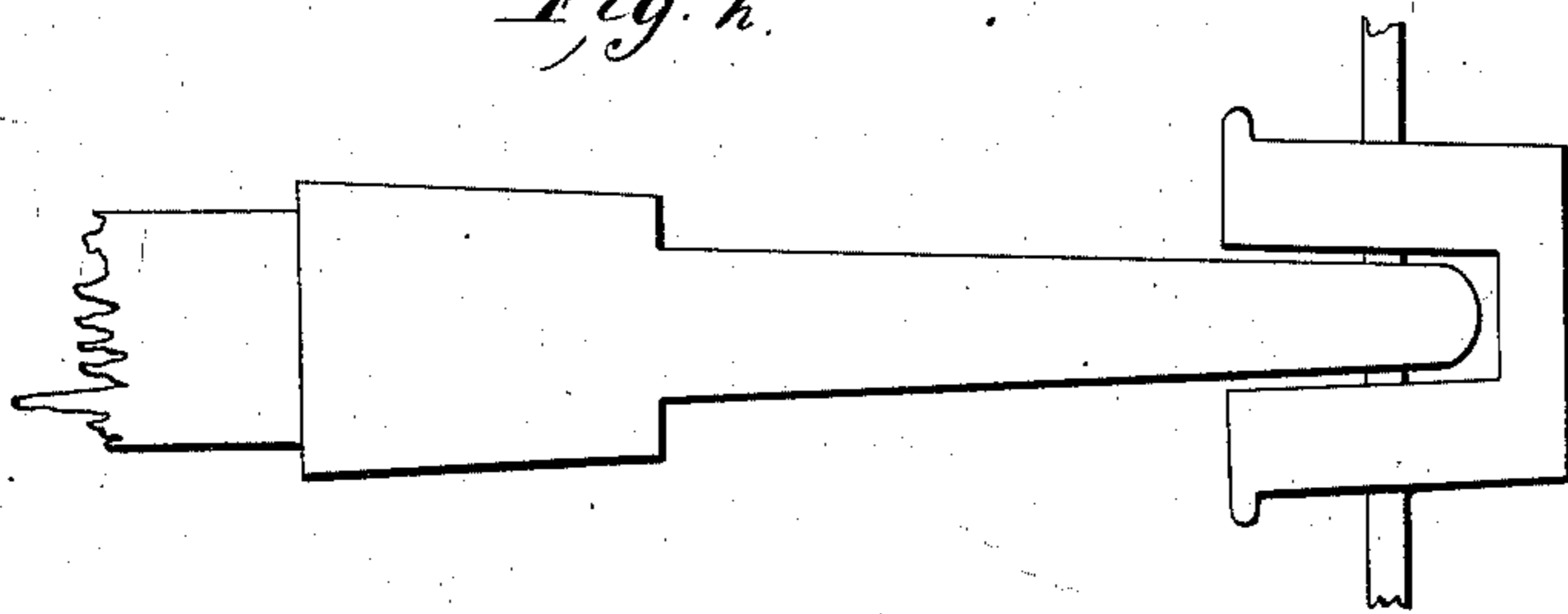


Fig. 1.

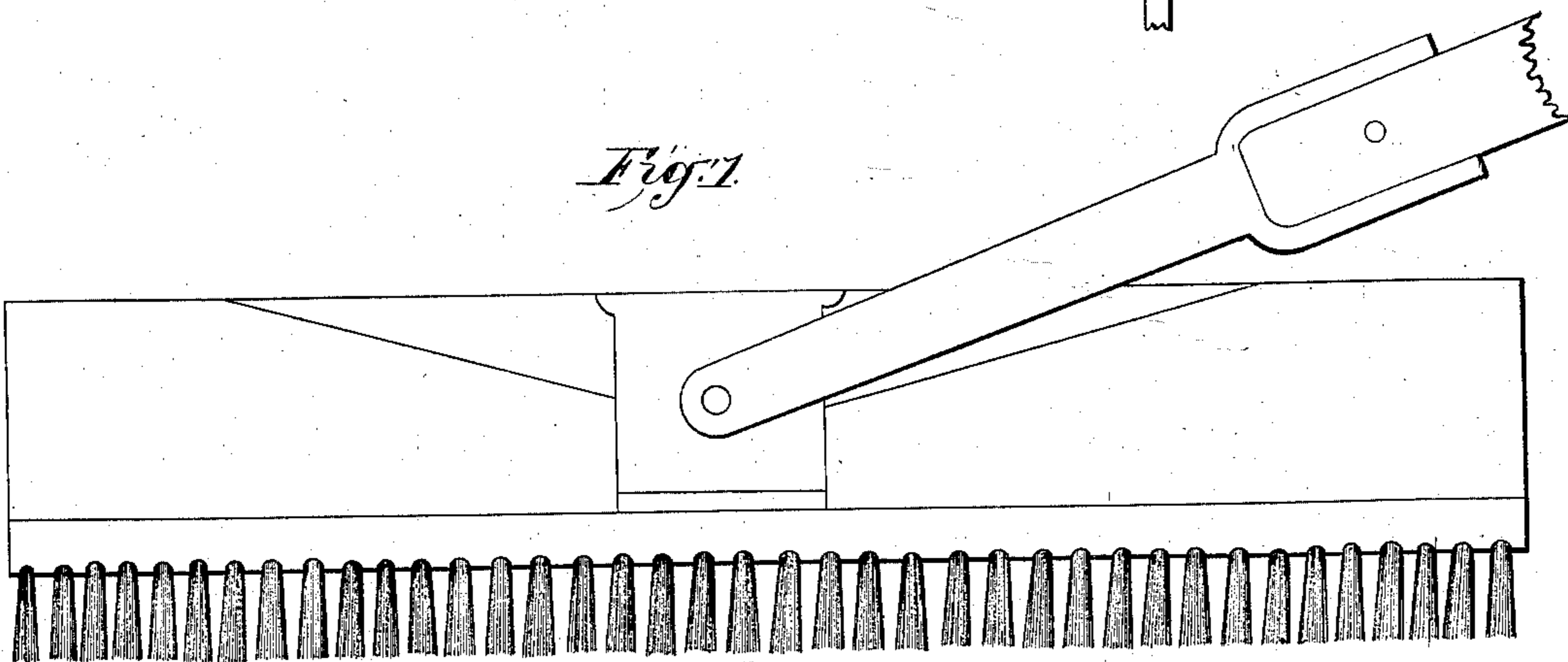
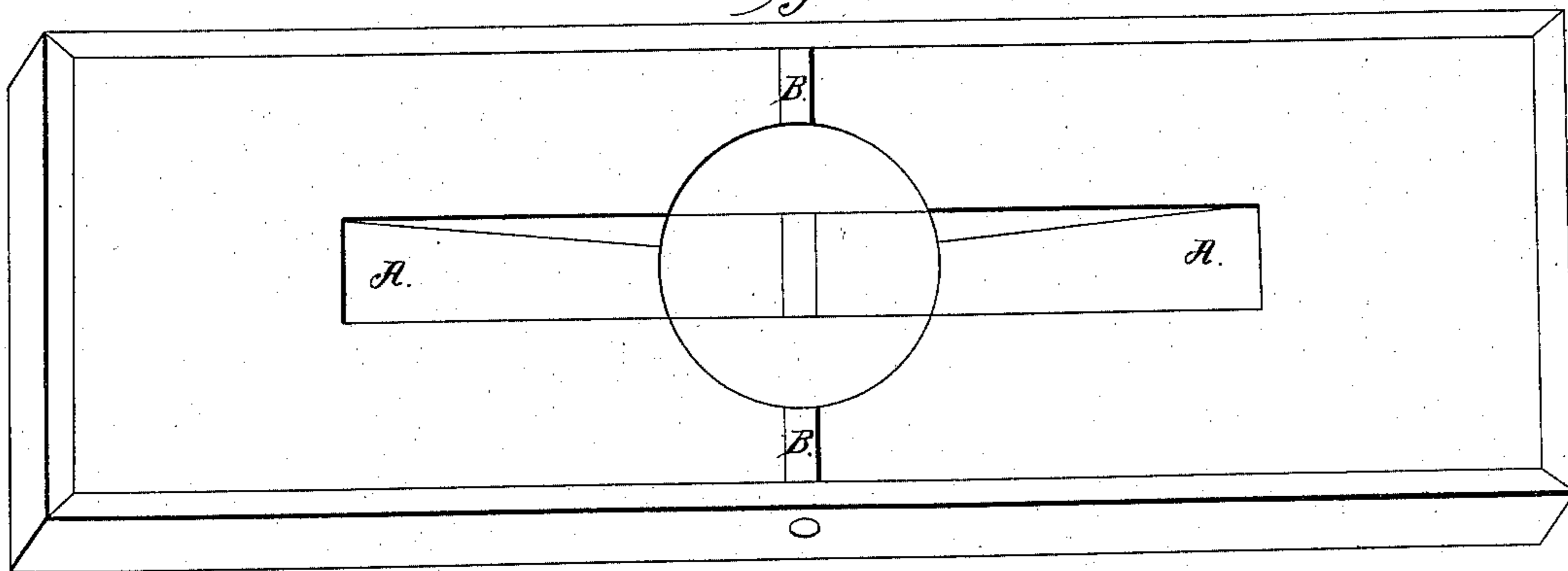


Fig. 3.



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SCRUBBING-BRUSH.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE CARVER, of the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Franklin and State of Pennsylvania, 5 have invented an Improvement in the Manner of Constructing Scrubbing Brushes and Blocks, which improved apparatus I denominate "Carver's Scrubbing Brush and Block;" and I do hereby declare that the 10 following is a full and exact description thereof.

In the accompanying drawing I have given a representation of my invention, No. 1 showing a vertical section of a block, box, 15 socket, and brush, designed for one, two, or more brushes, No. 2 showing the box and socket at full size, which are set in the block by boring a two inch hole, and on passing a piece of wire through the block, 20 box, and socket; said wire secures the block, and box and socket, which are of cast iron, firmly together, and forms the joint and hinge. The drawing No. 3 shows the upper per face of the block intended for a single 25 brush, the brush being made fast to the block by nails or screws. The large longi-

tudinal space in the center of the draft, marked A, A, is a groove, to allow the socket, to which a handle is attached, to work with freedom, as when scrubbing un- 30 der a stove, or other immovable obstruction; the transverse one, marked B, B, shows the direction in which the wire is inserted, which makes the joint and hinge.

Having thus fully described the mode in 35 which I construct the improved scrubbing brush and block, what I claim as my invention, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The application of the joint and hinge to 40 the scrubbing brush and block, whether in, on, or at the side, so as to operate in the manner and for the purpose herein described and set forth.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my 45 hand, this tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four.

GEORGE CARVER.

Witnesses:

JOHN DUNHAM,
BATES SHAFER.