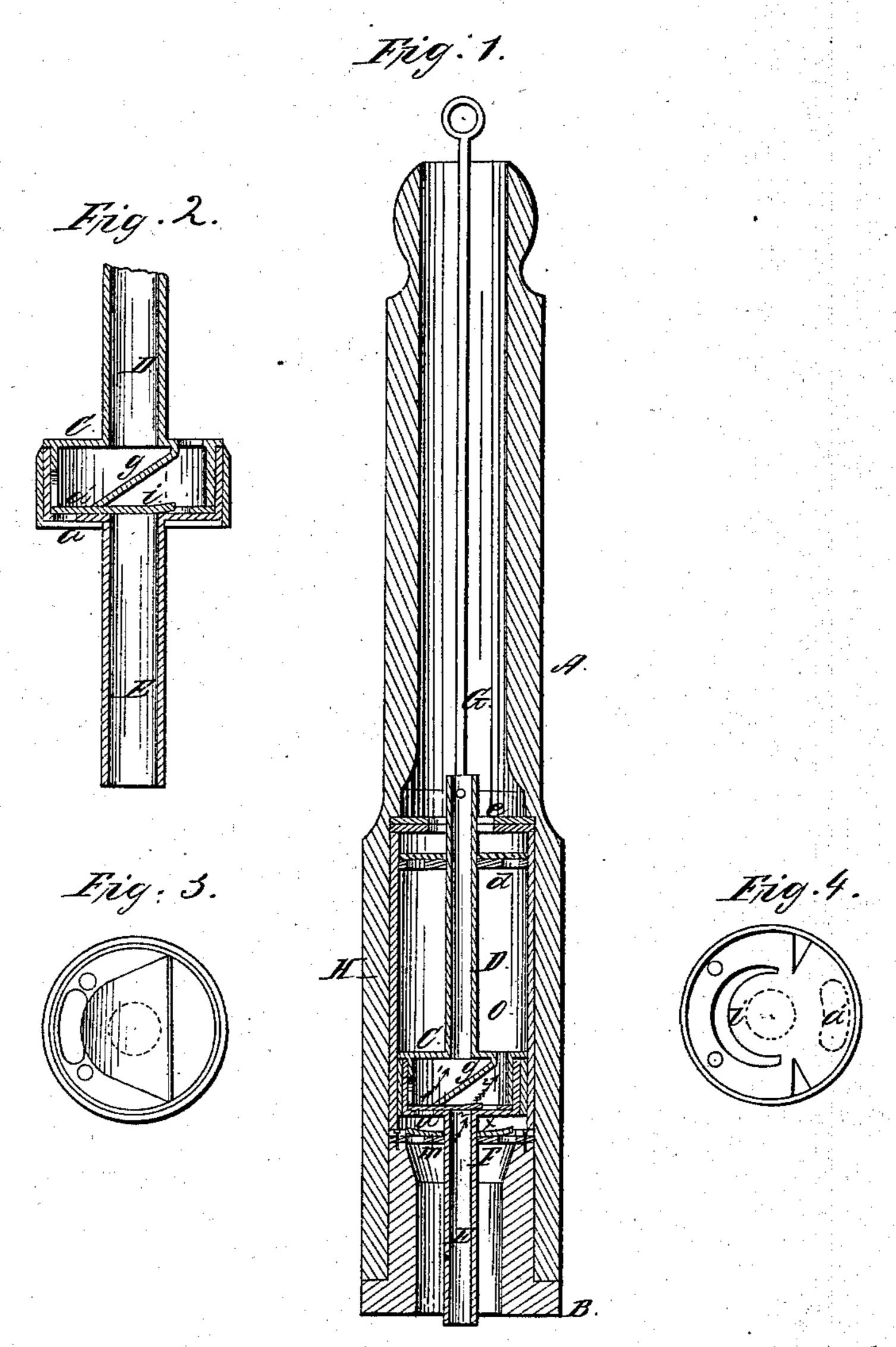
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IMPROVEMENT IN PUMPS.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, John Bean, of Hudson, in the country of Lenawee, and State of Michigan, have invented certain new and useful improvements in "Pumps;" and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters of reference marked thereon.

In the annexed drawings, A represents the pump stock, which is provided, a portion of its length, with a glass lining, H, forming a chamber for the sucker to work in. B represents a lower section of the stock, being formed so as to pass into the lower end of the main stock, and provided with a shoulder which allows it to go in only a certain distance. Between the upper end of this section, B, and the lower end of the lining is a metallic plate, F, which is provided with a hole through its centre, through which passes a pipe, E, and also with holes near its periphery, which, in connection with the leather disk m, lying immediately over them, serve to form valves for allowing water to pass up into the chamber x. C represents a metallic box, which consists of two cups, one made a little smaller than the other, so that, one being placed in the other, they form a box, with a close top and bottom until proper openings are made in them for the passage of water. A pipe, D, passes down, and has its lower end secured in the top of this box, and the pipe E passes up, and has its upper end secured in the bottom of the box. g represents a partition, which divides the box into two parts. a represents an opening in the bottom of the box, which allows water to pass into it from chamber x. i represents a leather plate, which lies in the bottom of the box, forming two valves, one for the opening a, and the other for the top of pipe E. d represents a metallic perforated plate, which is secured in the lining H near its upper end. This plate is covered by a leather disk, forming valves for the perforations, so as to allow water to pass up through said perforations, but not down again. This plate is also provided with a hole at its centre, in which the pipe D fits so as to slide easily up and down. e represents packing at the upper end of the lining H. The box C is surrounded with suitable packing to make it fit snugly in the lining H.

In using this pump, the box C with its pipes is pushed down as far as it will go in the chamber O by means of the pump-rod G, and, as it draws up again in said chamber, the water follows it into chamber x. As it is pushed down (that is, the box,) the water also passes up pipe E, and through valve i into chamber O in the direction of arrow 2. When the box is pushed down again the water in chamber x is forced up through valve at a, and in the direction of arrow 1, up pipe D, and thence into the chamber above plate d. The water in chamber O, as the box works up, is forced through the valves of plate d. It will be seen that there are two sets of valves in this pump. The valves of plate F work in connection with valve at a in the bottom of the box C, and the valve at i works in connection with the valves of plate d. The water from chamber x passes up through valve a and through pipe D, while the water from pipe E and chamber O passes up through plate d.

Having thus fully described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—
1. The box C, constructed as described, and provided with the pipes E and D, substantially as and for the

purpose specified.

2. The box C with its pipes, when used in combination with the valve-plates F and d, substantially as and for the purpose specified.

As evidence that I claim the foregoing, I have hereunto set my hand in the presence of two witnesses.

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