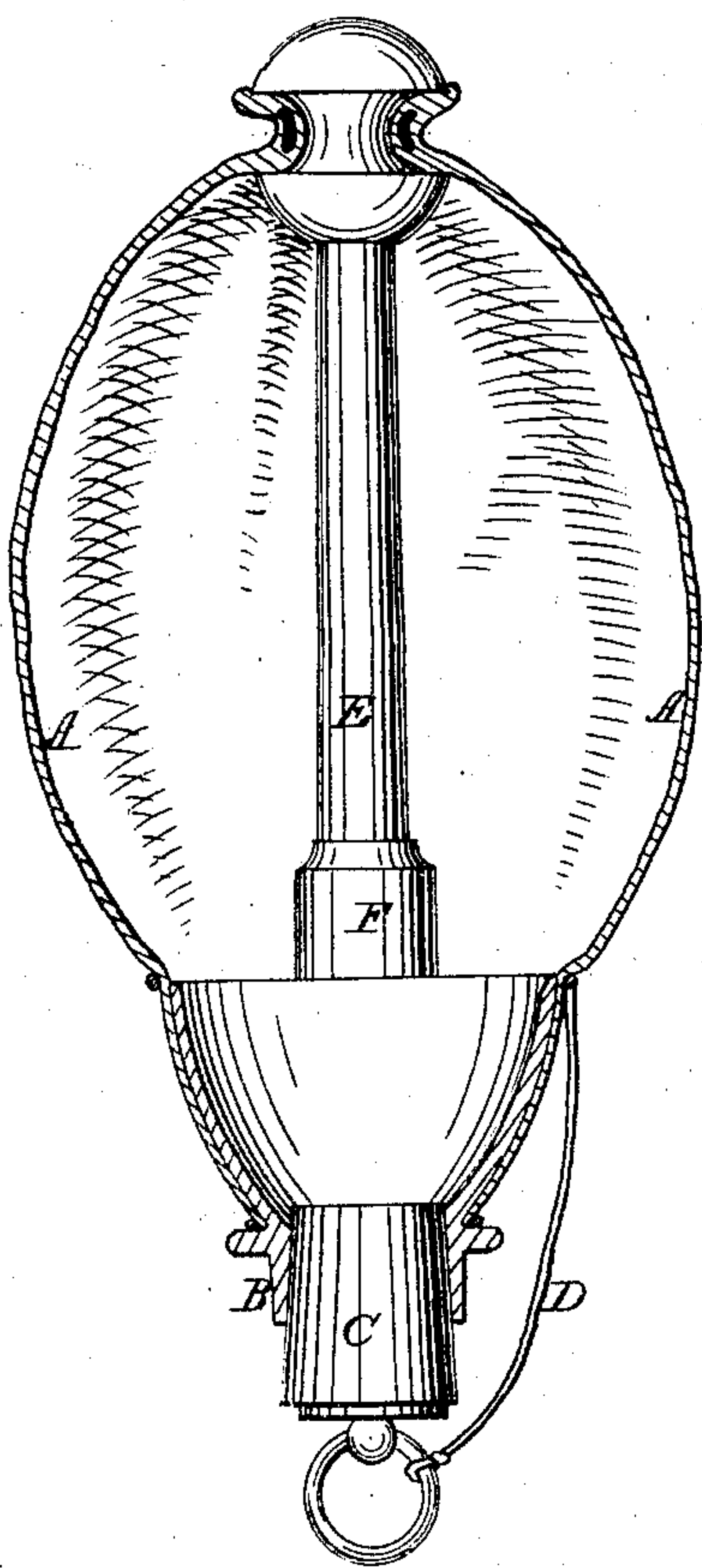


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*Tobacco Pouch.*

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## IMPROVEMENT IN TOBACCO POUCHES.

*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, WINFIELD S. SIMS, of Newark, in the county of Essex, and State of New Jersey, have invented a new and improved Tobacco Pouch; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, which will enable those skilled in the art to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, forming part of this specification.

The present invention consists in combining with a tobacco pouch a device by means of which a pipe can be charged with the tobacco contained in the same, the combination of the two being such that while they will each serve their purpose or object independently of the other, they form only one article. In the accompanying plate of drawings my improved tobacco pouch is illustrated, the figure being a central section through the same, in the direction of its length.

A, in the drawings, represents the tobacco pouch, which, in the present instance, is made of leather, but may be made of any other material ordinarily used therefor, such as India rubber, cloth, &c. B, the nozzle or spout for filling the pouch with tobacco or discharging it therefrom; this spout being stopped or closed by means of a stopper, C, hung to the bag or pouch by a string, D. E, a rod secured in lower end of bag or pouch A in any proper manner so that it will not become detached therefrom, which extends into the pouch for a portion of its length, and is provided with a head, F, upon its inner end, of suitable shape and size to play or move nicely through the nozzle or spout of the pouch when the stopper has been removed therefrom. By this headed rod E or rammer a pipe, C, can be filled with tobacco from the pouch in a most easy and expeditious manner, by simply setting the pouch by its nozzle or spout upon the bowl of the pipe, allowing the tobacco to pass into it, when, bringing the rod E to bear against it, it can be "rammed," or forced, or pressed down into the bowl to any degree desired, care being taken that the rammer is retained in the spout of the pouch before removing it from the pipe-bowl, or otherwise tobacco would escape from the pouch. In conclusion, it may be here observed that, for convenience in charging a pipe with tobacco, my improved pouch is of a great advantage, as it enables it to be done without danger of soiling the hands or clothes, &c.

I claim as new; and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

A tobacco pouch provided with a rod, E, or its equivalent, substantially as and for the purpose described.

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