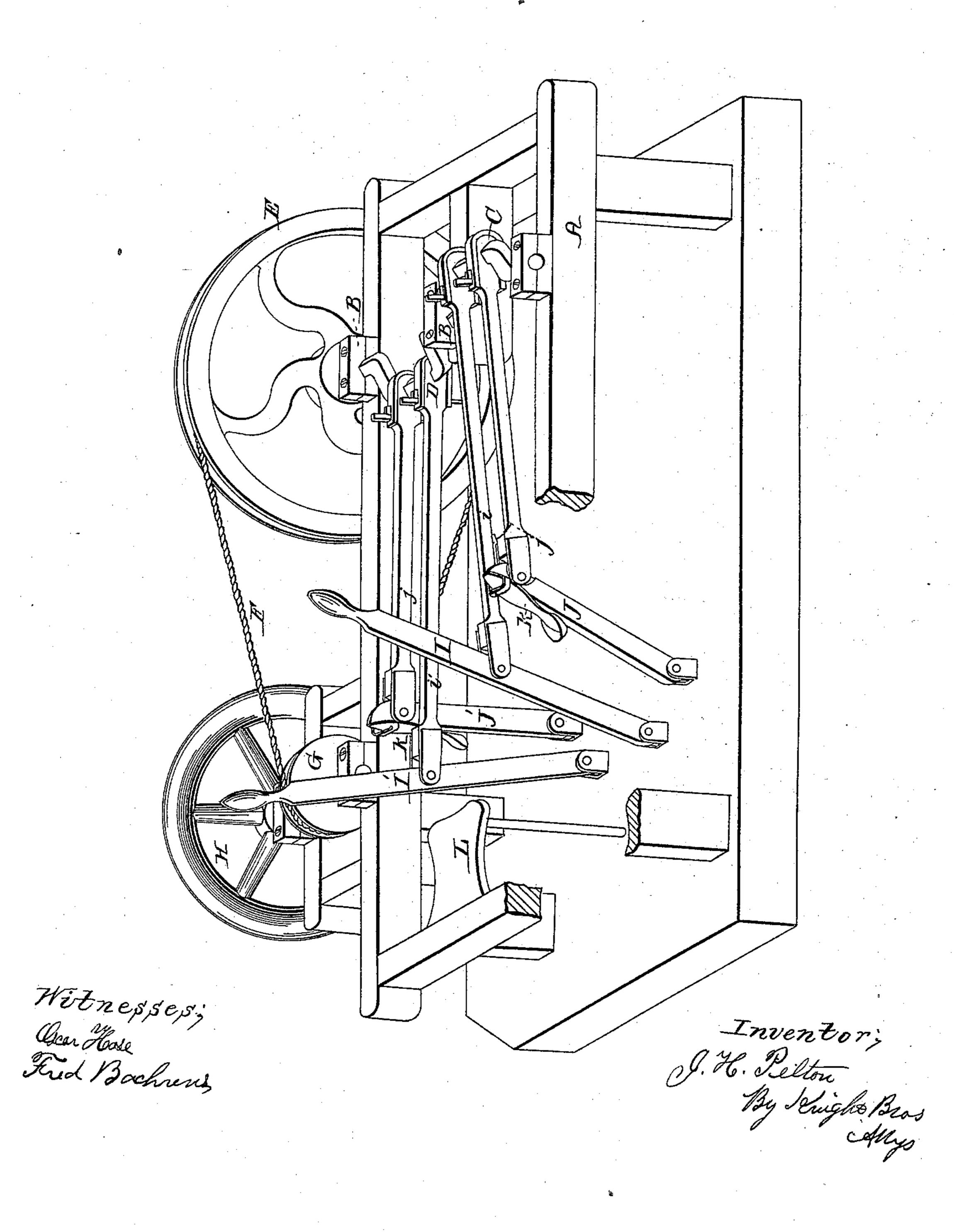
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### IMPROVEMENT IN MECHANICAL MOVEMENT.

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

#### TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, Joseph H. Pelton, of Cleveland, in the county of Bradley, and State of Tennessee, have invented a new and useful Mechanical Movement; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, which are made a part of this specification.

This invention relates to an arrangement of levers and treadles which avail both hands and both feet of

the operator for the propulsion of a crank-shaft or other mechanical device.

A is a frame bearing a horizontal shaft, B, having cranks C D and a scored pulley, E, from which a belt, F, passes to another scored pulley, G, whose shaft carries a fly-wheel, H. I I' are levers for the right and left hands respectively, and J J' are levers for the corresponding feet, and which levers are connected by pitmen i i' and j j' with the aforesaid cranks C and D. K are foot-rests upon the levers J J'. L is a seat for the operator.

In operation the hand and foot-levers on the right are thrust forward, while those on the left hand are drawn back, and vice versa, an operation that brings every muscle of the operator to bear on the work, and

enables the foot-lever on one side to serve as an abutment for the hand-lever on the other side.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The arrangement of hand and foot-levers I I', and J J', pitmen i i j j', and doubly-cranked shaft B, for the purpose set forth.

In testimony of which invention I hereunto set my hand.

JOSEPH H. PELTON.

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