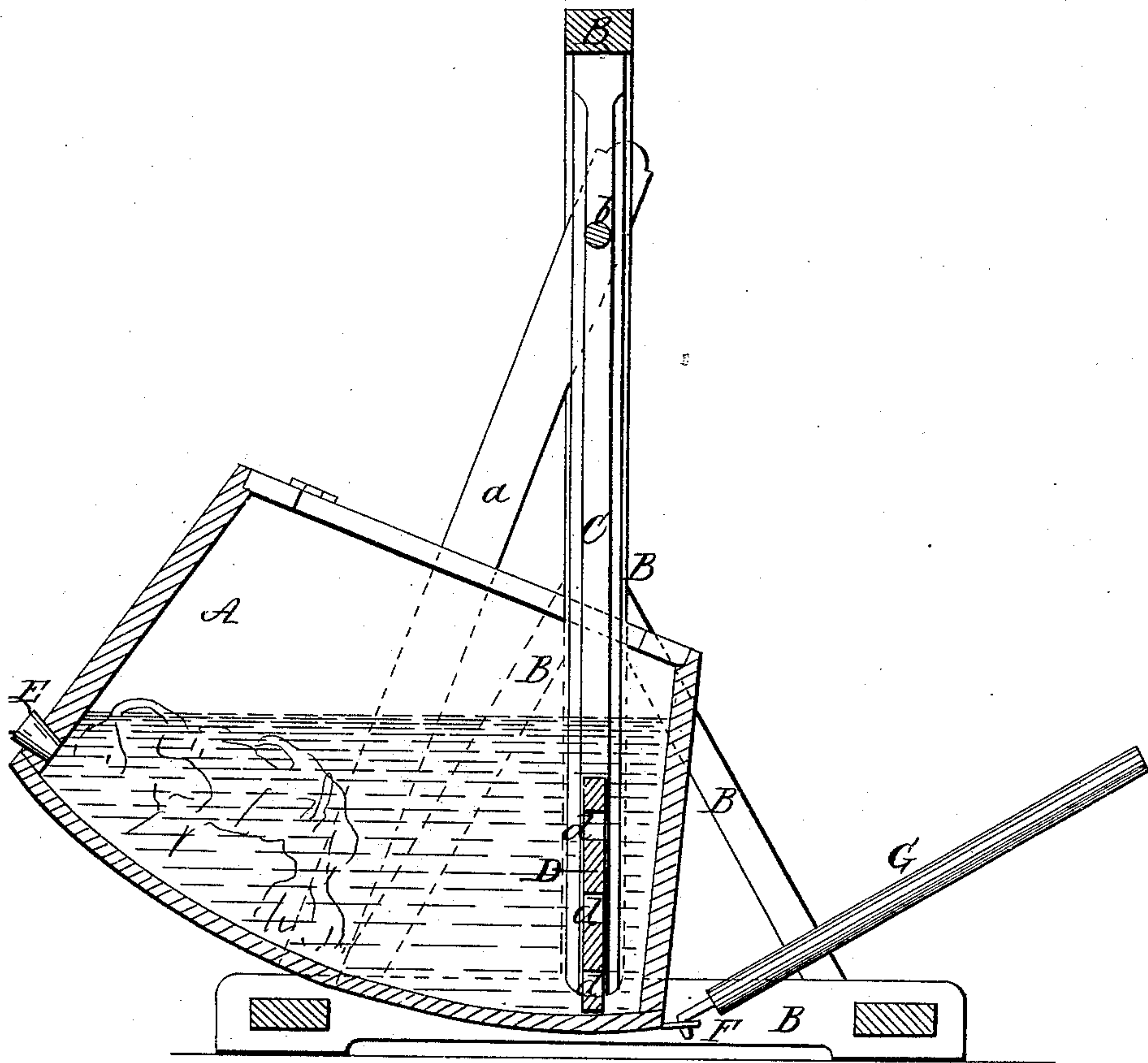


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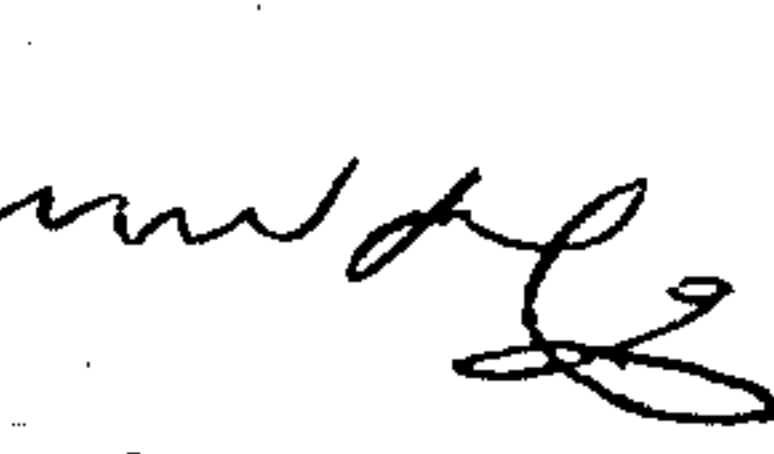
Washing Machine,

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IMPROVED WASHING-MACHINE.

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TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, ELIJAH Y. BOYCE, of Middlebury, Addison county, Vermont, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Washing-Machines; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, which will enable others skilled in the art to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings forming part of this specification.

This invention relates to an improved washing-machine, and consists in a fixed standard, provided with a dasher, standing in a swinging box. The accompanying drawing is a vertical section of my improved washing-machine.

A A is a trough or box, swinging freely by the standards *a* from the cross-bar *b*, in the supporting or gallows-frame B. C is a standard, immovably fixed to the frame B, and having at its foot the dasher D, provided with holes *d* for the passage of the water. The foot of the dasher D does not touch the bottom of trough A, but allows the latter to swing freely. E is a plug, which, on being removed, allows the escape of the water from the trough A, and F is an eye, one on each end of the trough, into which the lever G hooks to swing the trough.

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

An improved washing-machine, consisting of the frame B, stationary dasher C D, box A, bar *a*, rod *b*, eye F, and lever or rod G, all constructed, arranged, and operating as described and specified.

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