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STOVE OVEN.

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Fig. 1.

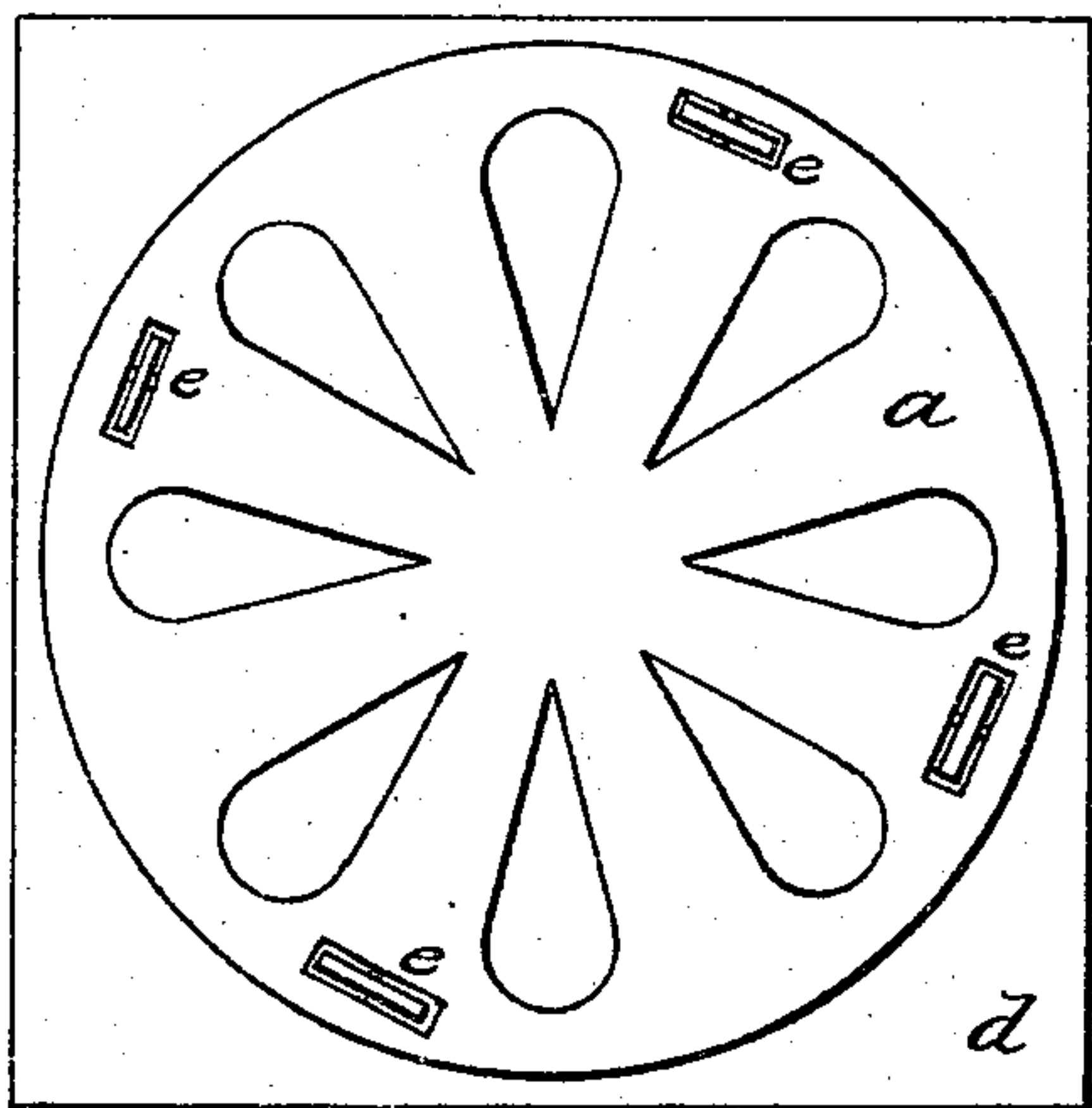
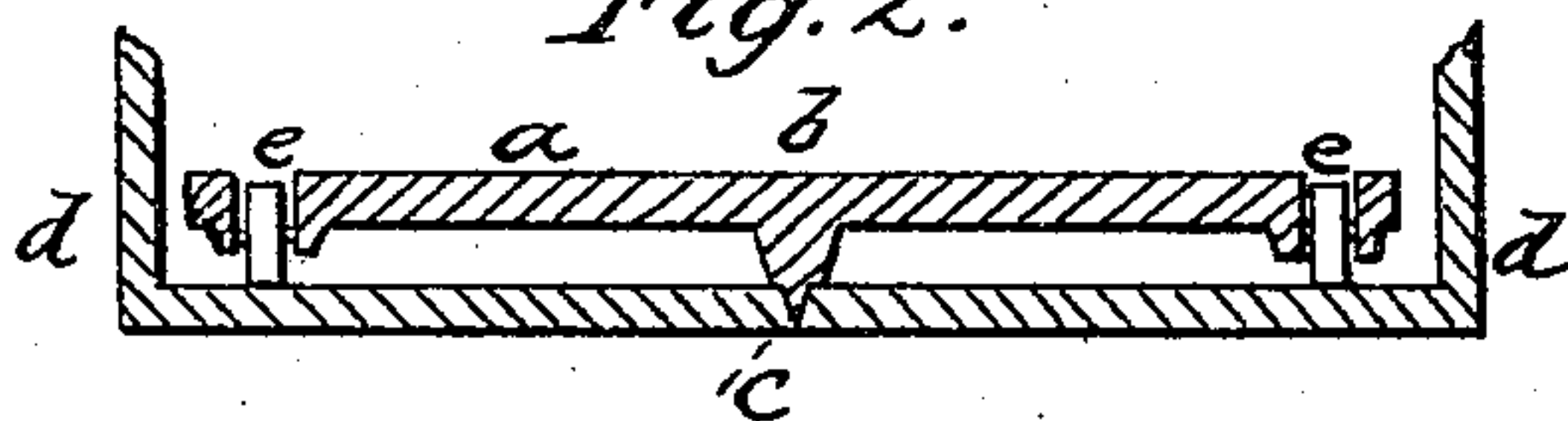


Fig. 2.



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IMPROVEMENT IN STOVE-OVENS.

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, RALPH C. WHITEHOUSE, of Boothbay, in the county of Lincoln, and State of Maine, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Stove-Ovens; and I hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description thereof, which will enable others to make and use my invention, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, forming part of this specification; in which—

Figure 1 is a top plan of my invention.

Figure 2 is a vertical section of a portion of a stove-oven and of my improvement.

I am aware of an improvement, now patented, in bakers' ovens, which consists of a turn-table, with a base, the whole to be placed in a baker's oven, to save the trouble of pushing the articles to be baked into the extreme inner end of the oven, and which is intended to be kept slowly revolving.

I do not claim a revolving turn-table broadly, even when applied to an oven, but the purpose of my invention is different from this.

I employ a table, *a*, with a pivot, *b*.

I drill a small hole, *c*, in the bottom of the stove-oven *d*.

Near the periphery of the plate *a*, I attach certain trucks, *e*, to preserve the evenness of the table.

By drilling the hole *c*, the table can be applied to any stove-oven.

The purpose of the table is to enable the user of the stove to move any article to be baked to the hottest part of the oven, and to withdraw therefrom the articles already cooked. For instance, if one part of oven bakes better and faster than another, then, by properly attending to the table, the equal cooking of all the articles can be secured without the trouble of removing one dish and putting another in its place, and proceeding in this way with the entire contents of the oven, as is necessary with the present form and construction of stove-ovens. With my invention, a single turn of the table will accomplish this purpose.

I desire to disclaim the devices shown in the patent referred to, which has a different purpose and operation from mine.

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

The improvement in stove-ovens, herein set forth, consisting of the table *a*, with pivot *b*, and trucks *e*, together with the hole *c*, as and to operate for the purposes herein set forth and described.

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