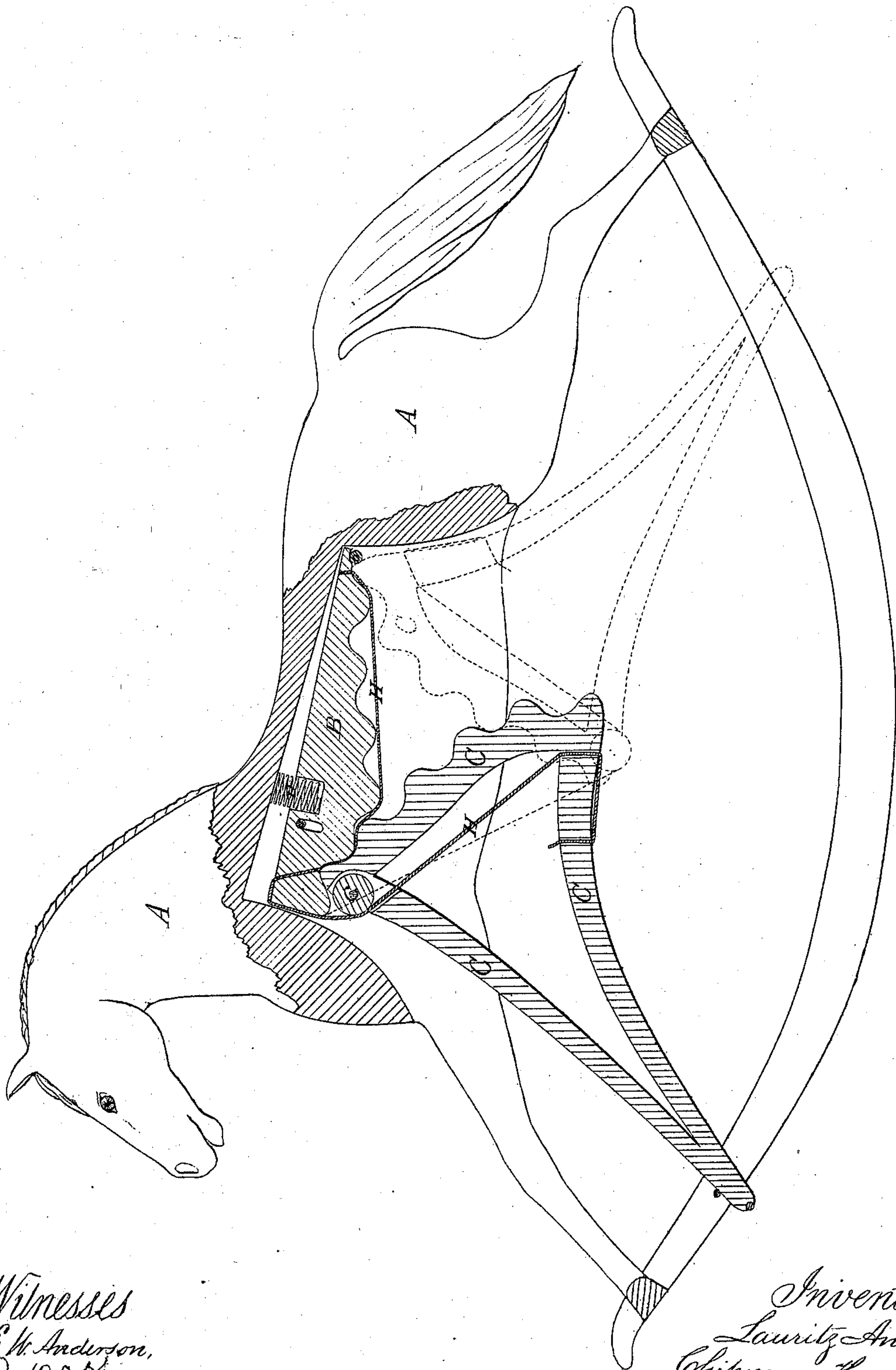


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## IMPROVEMENT IN A HOBBY-HORSE.

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, LAURITZ ANDERSON, of Chicago, in the county of Cook, and State of Illinois, have invented a new and valuable Improvement in Jumping Ponies; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the construction and operation of the same, reference being had to the annexed drawings, making a part of this specification; and to the letters and figures of reference marked thereon.

Figure 1, of the drawings, is a representation of my invention.

My invention relates to rocking-horses, and

It consists, mainly, in attaching to such horses devices by which a jumping motion is secured therefor.

The letter A, of the drawings, represents a rocking-horse, constructed in the usual manner, but with a portion of its body cut out, in the form of a slot, to admit the devices hereinafter described.

The letter B represents a plate with a corrugated bottom, attached to the body by pins *a*, and spring D, in the manner shown.

The letter C is a triangular frame, with an escaloped upper bar, adapted to the corrugations of plate

B, and a roller, *c*, for operating the elastic cord next mentioned.

The letter H represents an India-rubber cord, attached at its upper end to the rear end of plate B. It passes under the corrugations of said plate, and upward through an opening therein, and over the front end thereof, from whence it passes around the pulley *c*, and is made fast at its opposite end in the side of frame C, in the manner shown.

To operate my device, the boy rocks the horse in the usual manner, and in addition to rocking it, will leap along the ground.

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

The improvements in a rocking-horse herein described, consisting of the plate B, frame C, pulley *c*, spring D, and elastic cord H, constructed and arranged to operate substantially as specified.

In testimony that I claim the above, I have hereunto subscribed my name, in the presence of two witnesses.

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