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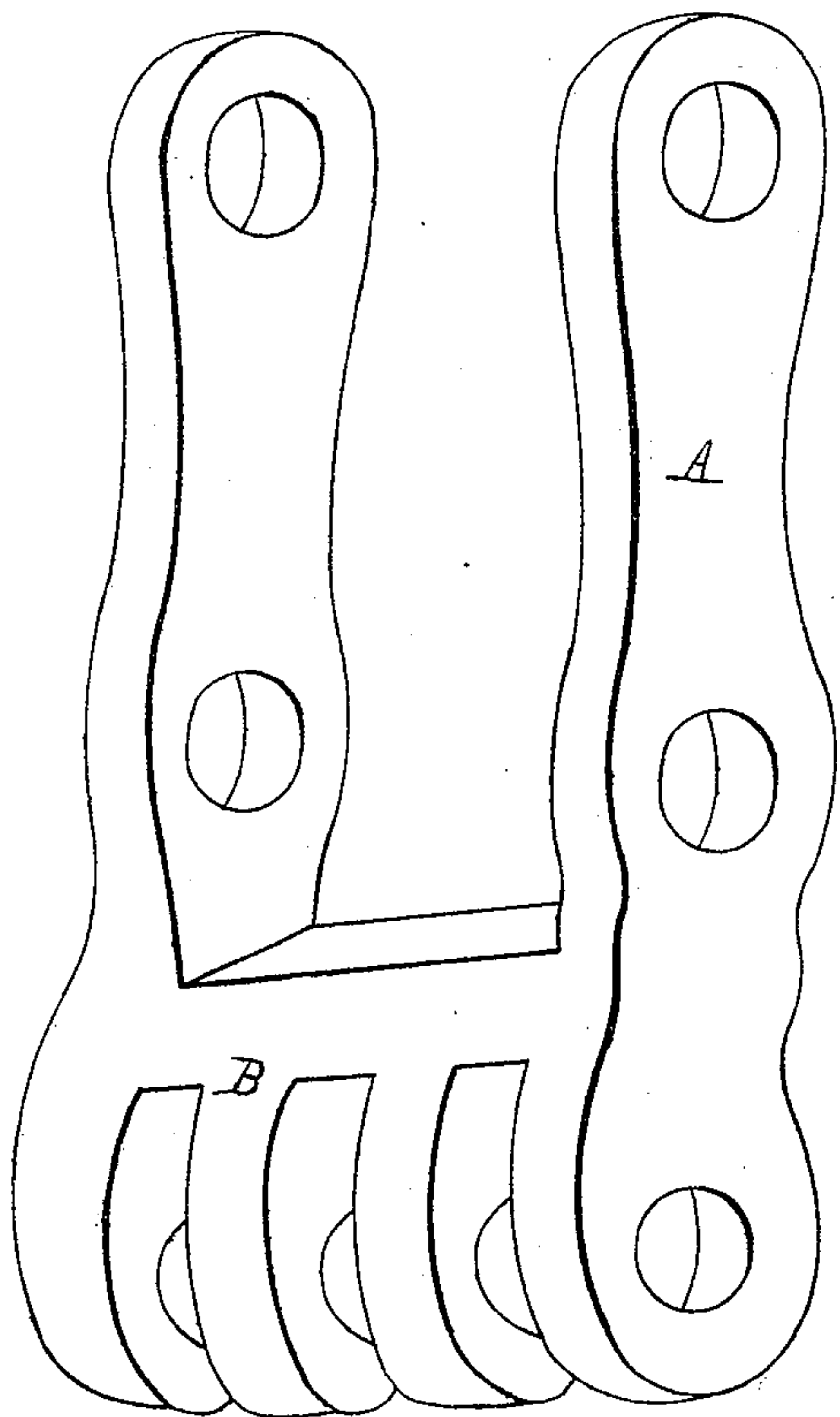


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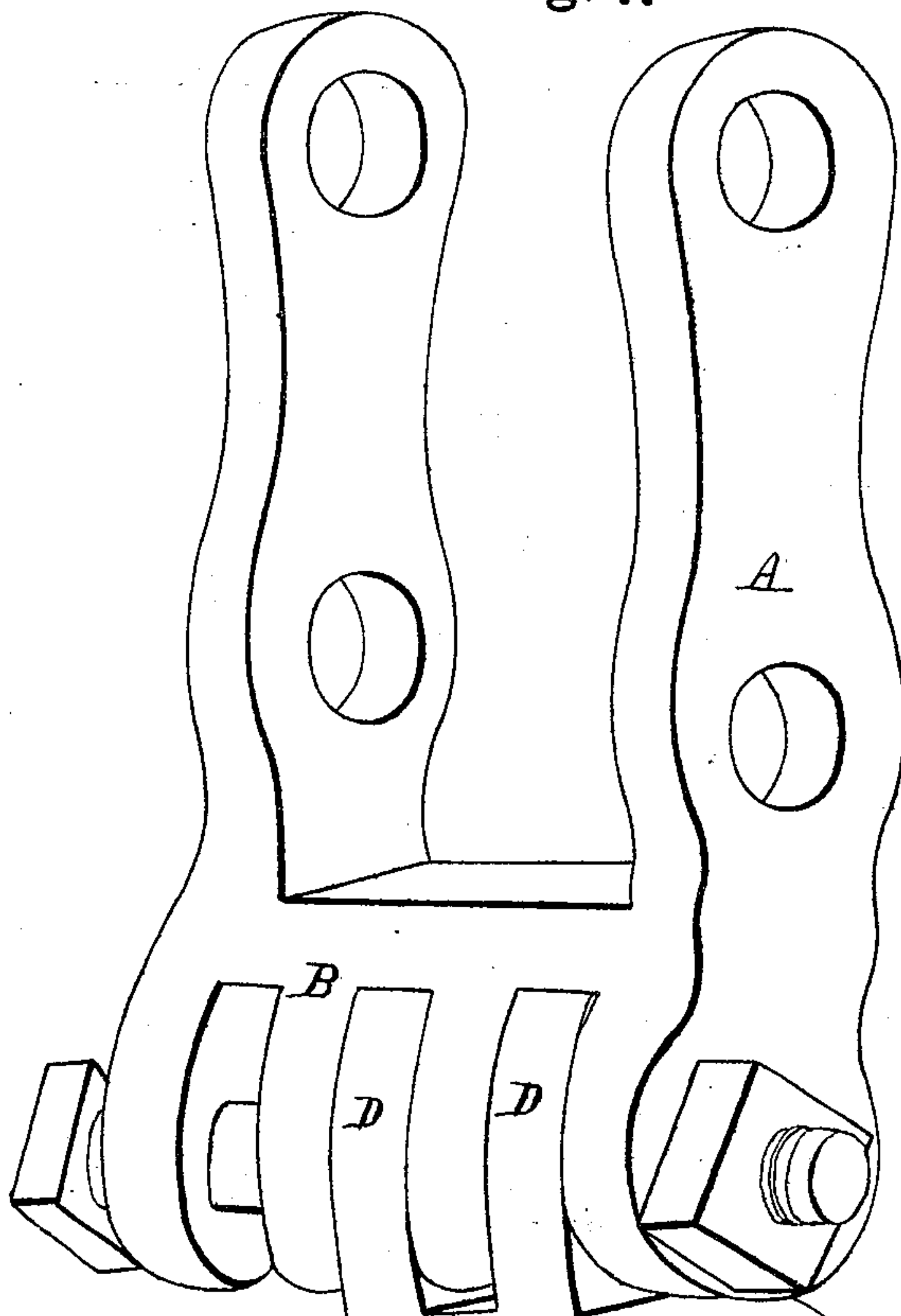
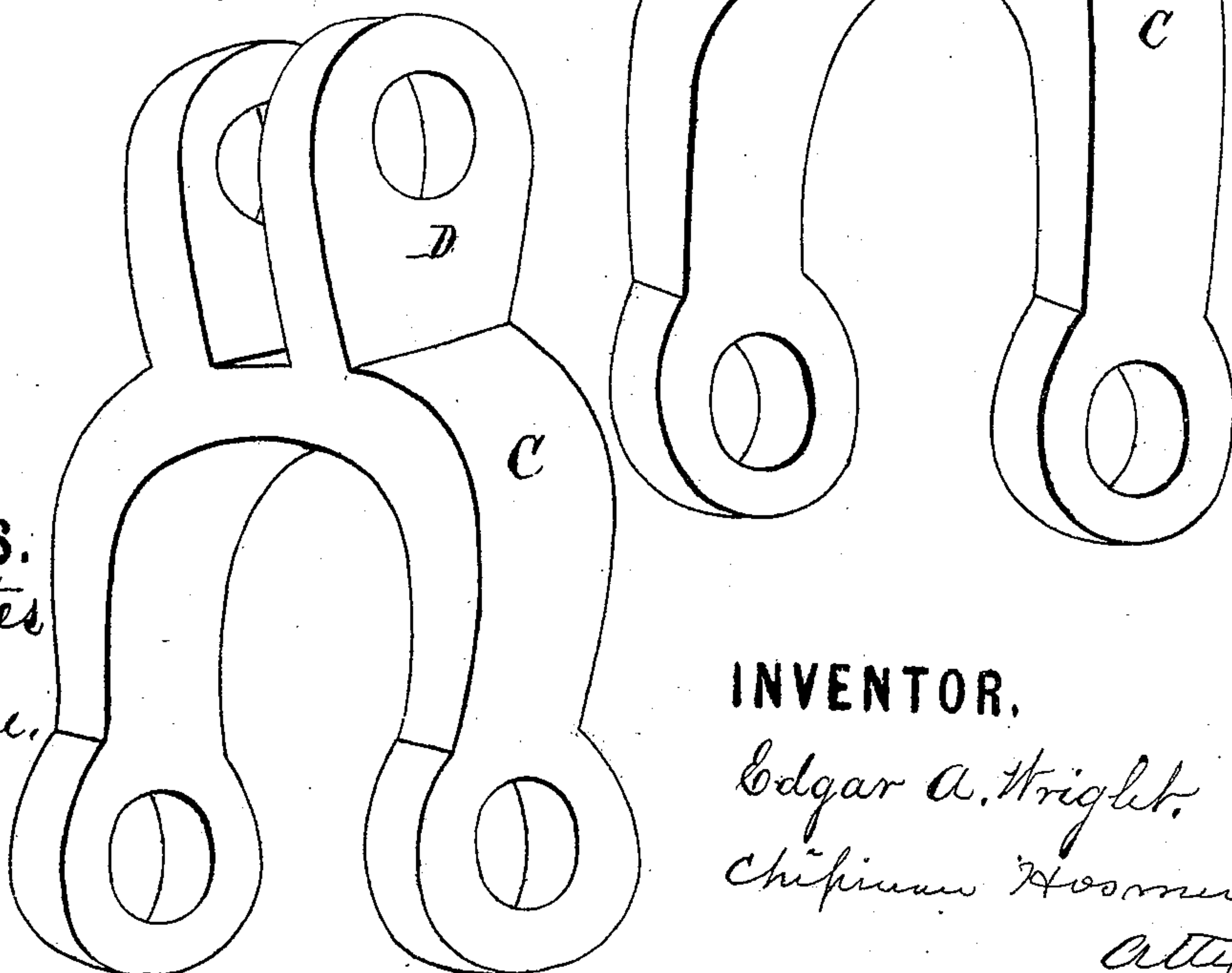


Fig. 3.



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## IMPROVEMENT IN PLOW-CLEVISES.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

I, EDGAR ALFRED WRIGHT, of Fort Madison, Iowa, have made a new and useful Improvement in "Plow-Clevises," of which the following is a specification:

My invention relates to clevises; and consists in the novel construction of a clevis with a series of perforated and projecting flanges, and adapting thereto an auxiliary clevis, the whole being so arranged as to hold the whiffletree firmly in a horizontal position upon a draw-bar while allowing full play horizontally, as hereinafter described.

A of the drawing represents my main clevis, which is constructed in the usual manner, except that I add to the front end thereof a series of perforated and projecting ears or flanges, marked B. The letter C represents an auxiliary clevis having flanges or ears, marked D, upon its rear end, adapted to fit closely within the ears B of the main clevis, and to be held in position by a bolt, nut, and screw, in the manner shown in Fig. 1.

The main jaws of this auxiliary clevis are

adapted to receive and hold the whiffletree. The whiffletree has an opening through its front side and at its longitudinal center, and when in position an ordinary draft-bolt is passed through said main jaws and through the whiffletree, thereby holding it securely and firmly between said jaws on a line parallel with the draw-bar or plow-beam, and at the same time allowing fair play therefor horizontally.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The improved clevis herein described, constructed with the main clevis A having flange B, and the auxiliary clevis C having flanges D, substantially as and for the purpose specified.

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