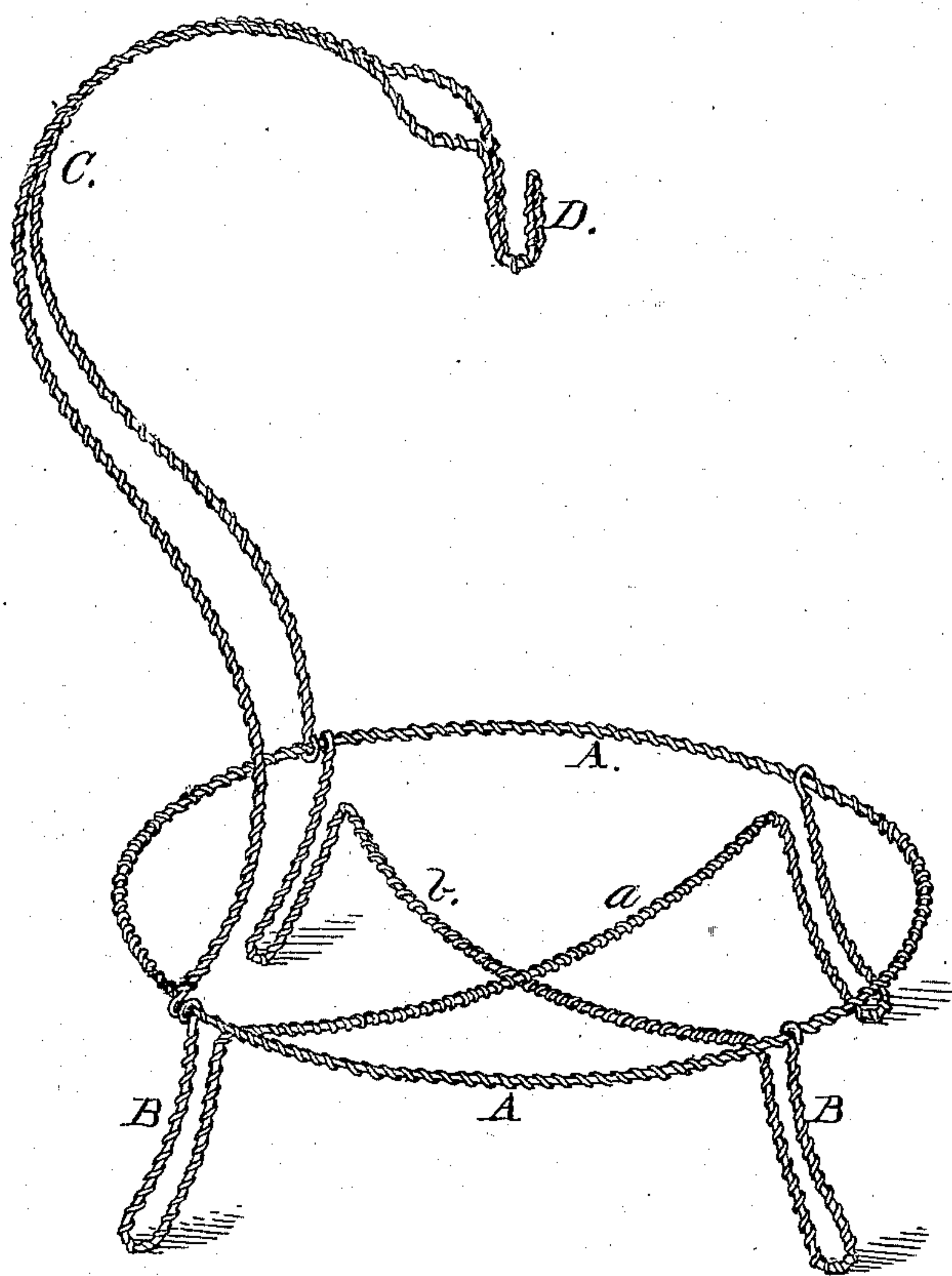


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IMPROVEMENT IN TOILET-STANDS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, DANIEL SHERWOOD, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Toilet-Stands, of which the following is a specification:

Nature and Objects of the Invention.

My invention relates to stands for toilet-uses; and the invention consists in a novel construction and production of a stand as a new article of manufacture, which is cheaply made, highly ornamental, and useful as an article of furniture or ornament.

Description of the Drawing.

The drawing represents a toilet-stand.

General Description.

A represents a ring or hoop of wire, and B the legs or supports, which are composed of pieces of wire *a b*, bent up into suitable shape and attached to the hoop A at right angles to each other, the wires *a b* crossing at right angles at the center of the ring. C represents a

support or hanger, composed of a piece of wire extending up from the hoop A, to which it is attached by both ends, bent into the proper shape, as shown in the drawing, and having a hook, D, formed over the center of the ring A to support a watch or other piece of jewelry.

The space inclosed by the hoop A may be provided with a glass receptacle of any desired color, or covered with leather or other fancy flexible material, which will furnish a receptacle for small articles, such as rings, ear-drops, &c., and part of this surface may have a cushion for pins, &c., if desired.

The stand may be made with or without the suspending hook, as desired.

Claim.

As a new and improved article of manufacture, a stand or holder made of wound wire, constructed substantially in the manner and for the purposes described and specified.

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