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Corner Fastenings for Wagon-Boxes.

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Fig. 1.

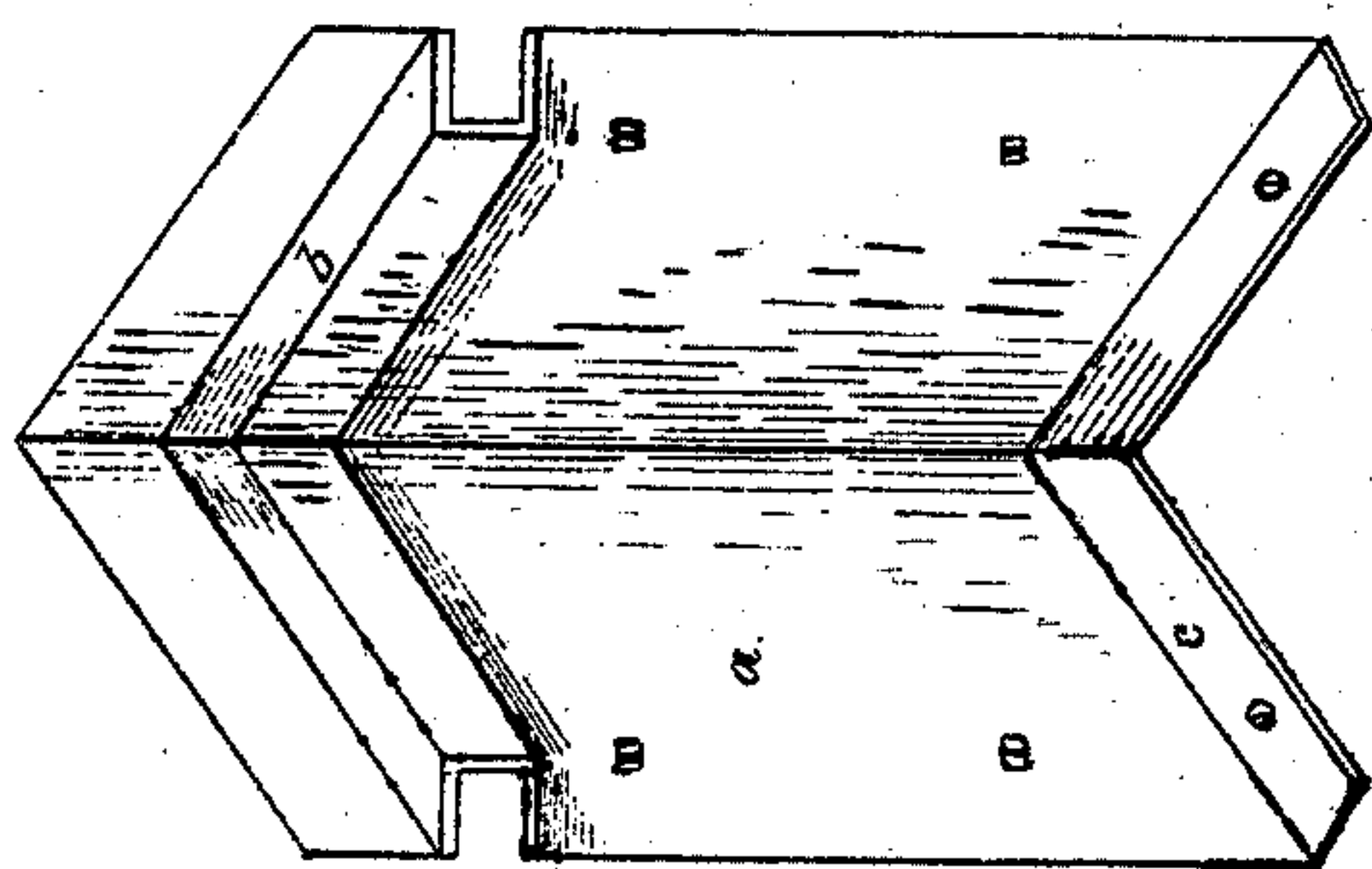


Fig. 2.

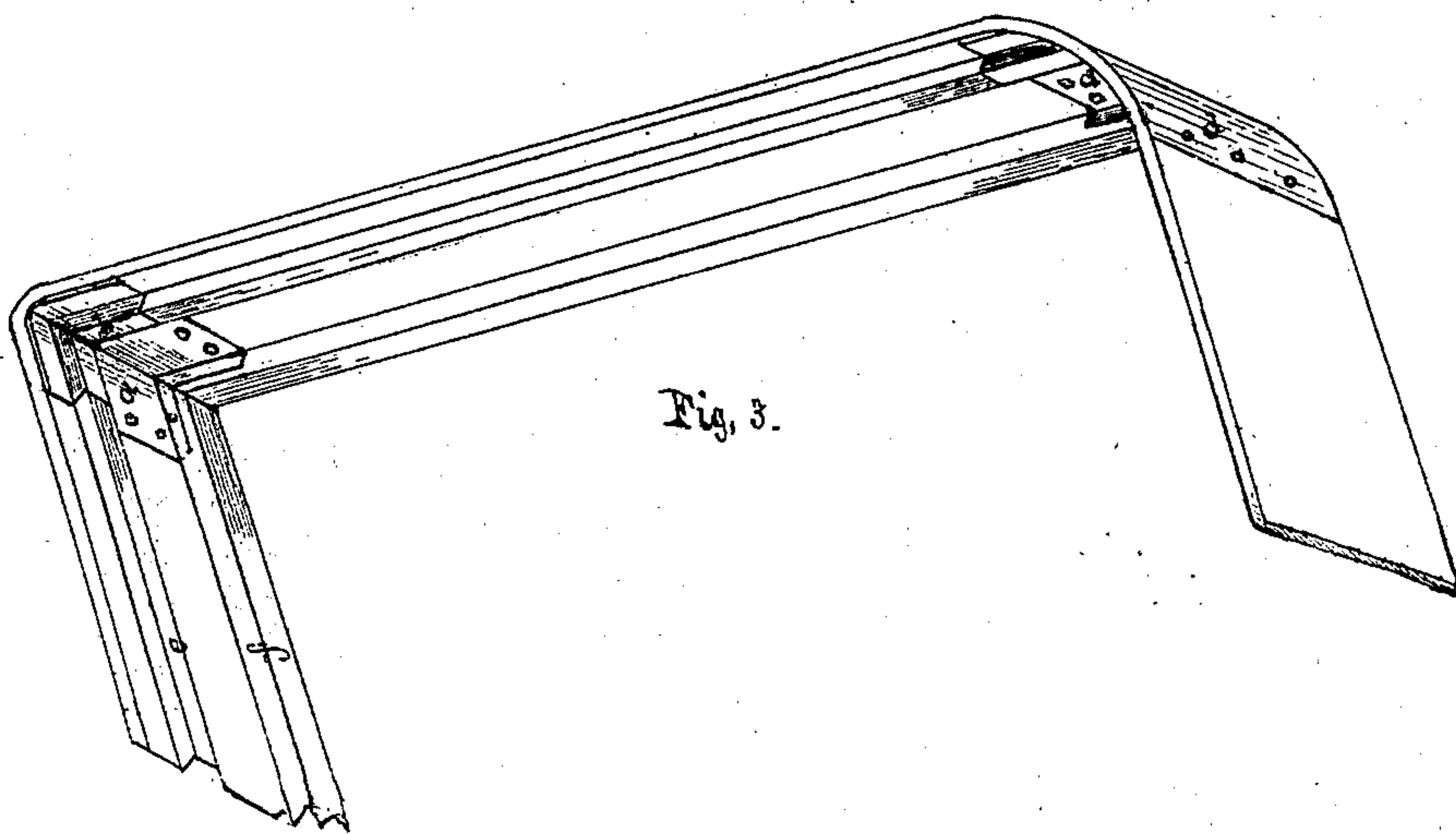
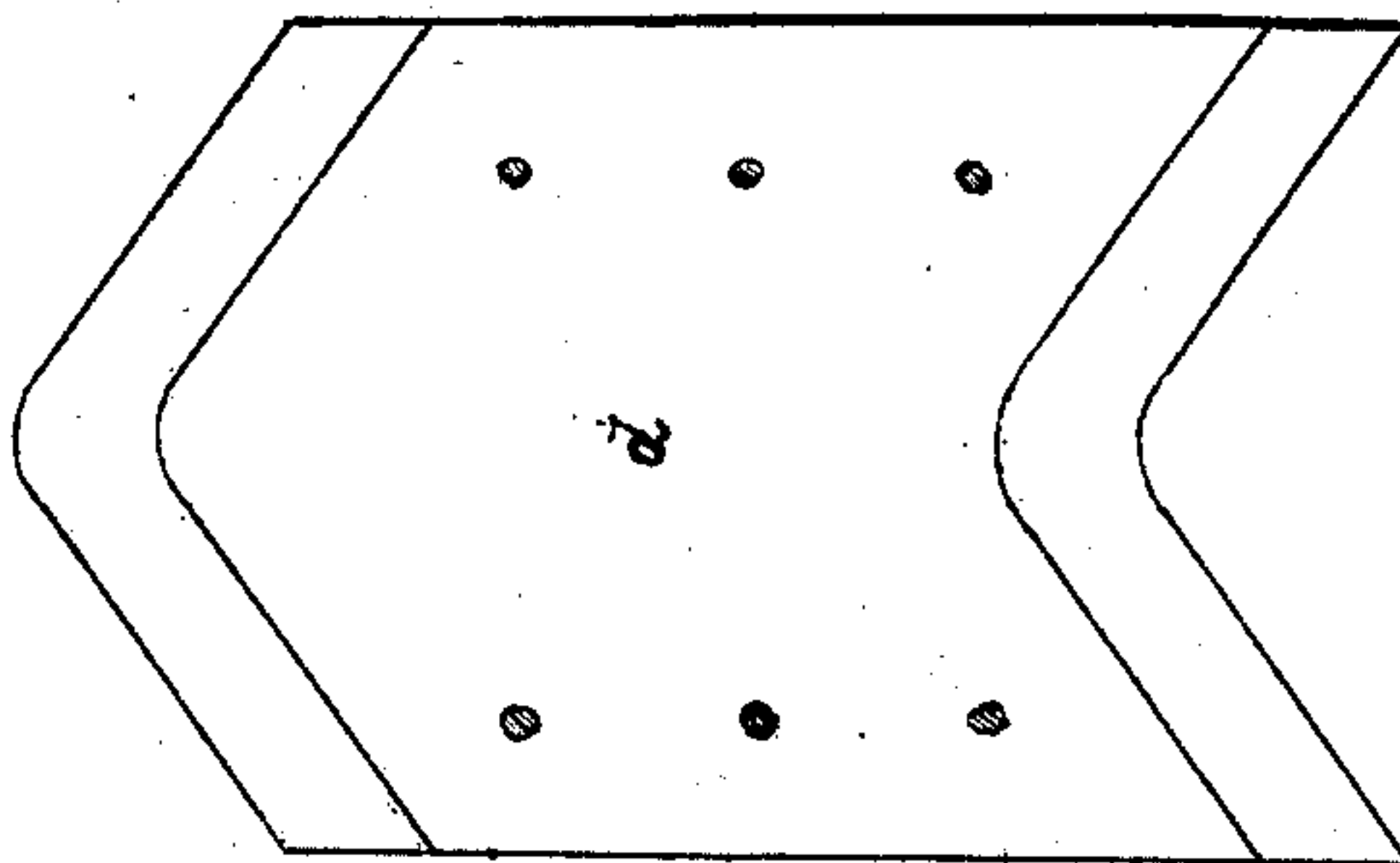


Fig. 3.

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IMPROVEMENT IN CORNER FASTENINGS FOR WAGON-BOXES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JASON W. CRANDALL, of Homer, in the county of Cortland and State of New York, have invented certain Improvements in Box-Corners, of which the following is a specification:

This invention consists in the combination of an inner corner-plate of peculiar construction for wagon-seats, with an outer corner-plate and securing-bolts, as will be fully described hereinafter.

In the drawings, Figure 1 represents a view of the inner plate; Fig. 2, of the outer plate; and Fig. 3 a view of the parts as applied to a wagon-seat.

a represents the inner angle-plate, provided with the flanges *c* and suitable bolt-holes, and also with the peculiar quadrangular projection *b*, which forms a recess for the seat-rail. *d* represents the outer angle-plate, having suitable bolt-holes corresponding with those of plate *a*.

These parts are applied to a wagon-seat, as shown in Fig. 1, and securely united by bolts, the seat-rail resting in the recess of projection *b*, by which means great strength and stiffness are given to the joint.

Having thus fully described my invention, I do not broadly claim the combination of an inner and outer angle-iron having flanges; but

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

The combination of the inner angle-plate having the projection *b*, with a wagon-seat corner having a seat-rail, and the outer angle-plates and securing-bolts, as described.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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