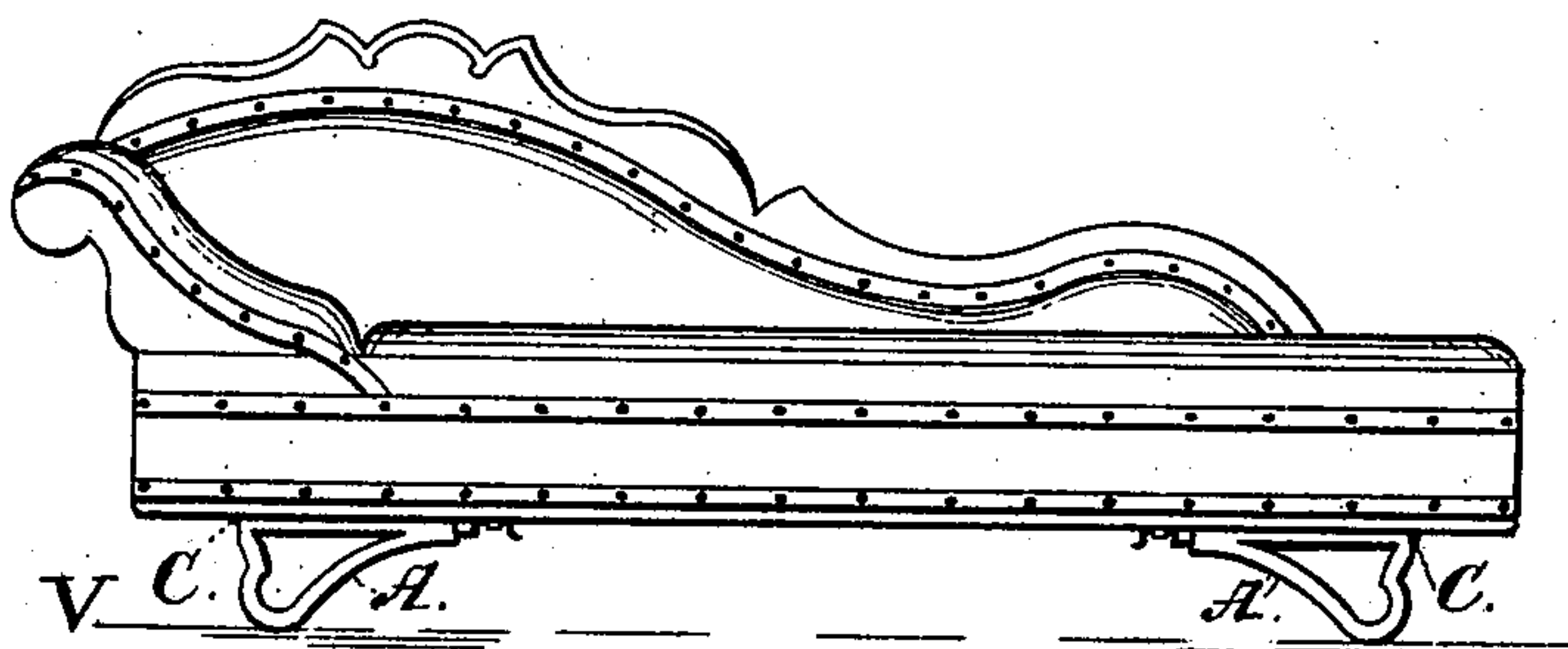


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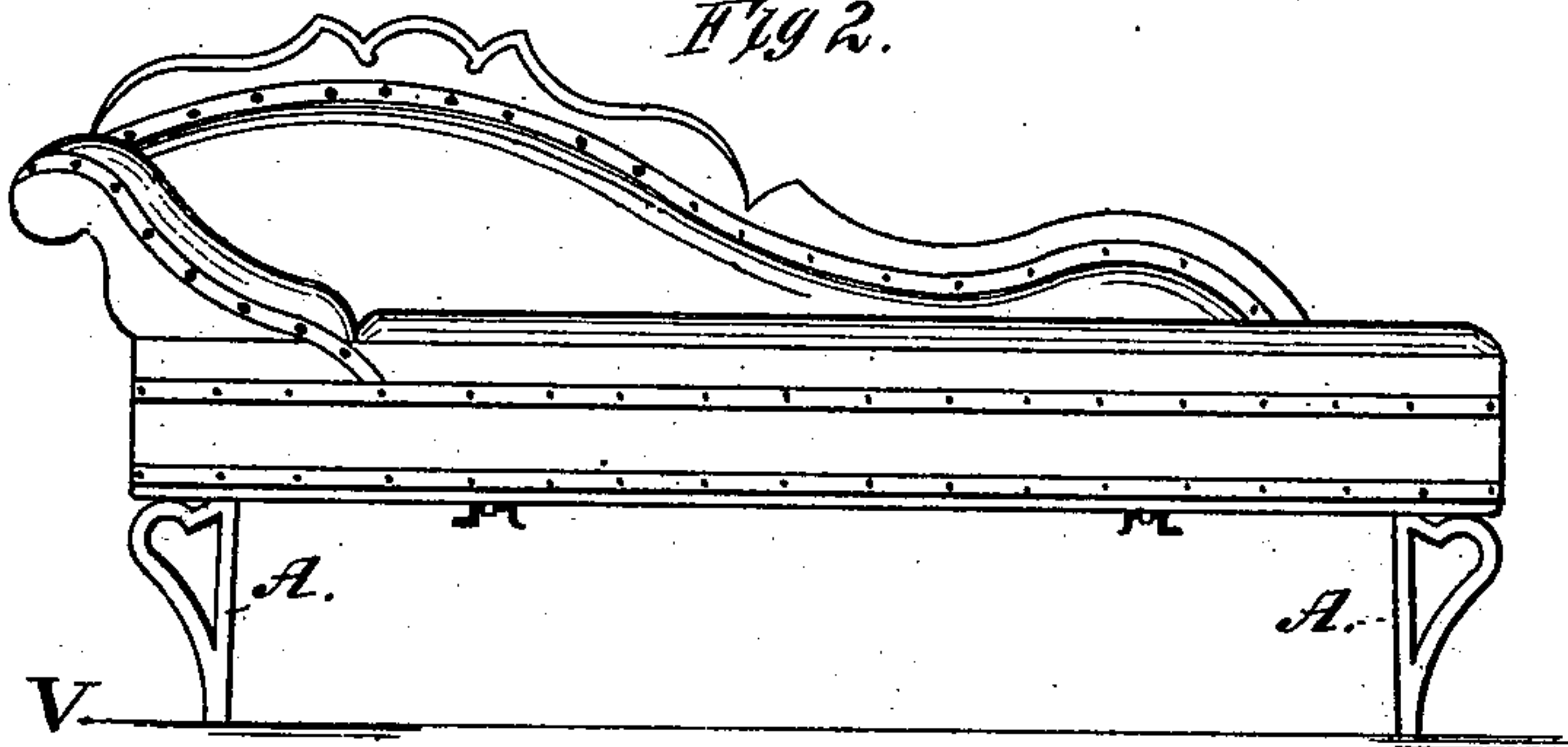
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*Fig 1.*



*Fig 2.*



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## IMPROVEMENT IN SOFA-BEDSTEADS.

Specification forming part of Letters Patent No. **167,680**, dated September 14, 1875; application filed March 13, 1874.

*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, RICHARD S. McENTIRE, of Burlington, State of Iowa, have invented an Improved Bed-Lounge, of which the following is a specification:

The object of my invention is to produce a lounge of an easy, agreeable height to sit upon, and combining therewith a ready means of raising it above the floor to common bed height, that, when required for a bed, it may be more comfortable and healthful for the occupant by reason of the atmosphere being purer at a moderate elevation than near the floor. To facilitate the elevating of the lounge I use folding, jointed, or extension feet.

In the amended drawing, Figure 1, the foot A is folded or shut up, and the lounge rests quite near the floor V. C is the hinge. In Fig. 2, the foot A is extended, whereby the lounge is elevated or placed at bed height.

I claim as my invention—

The combination, with a lounge, of the hinged folding feet A, substantially in the manner and for the purpose set forth.

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