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Paper-Hangers' Table.

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Fig 1

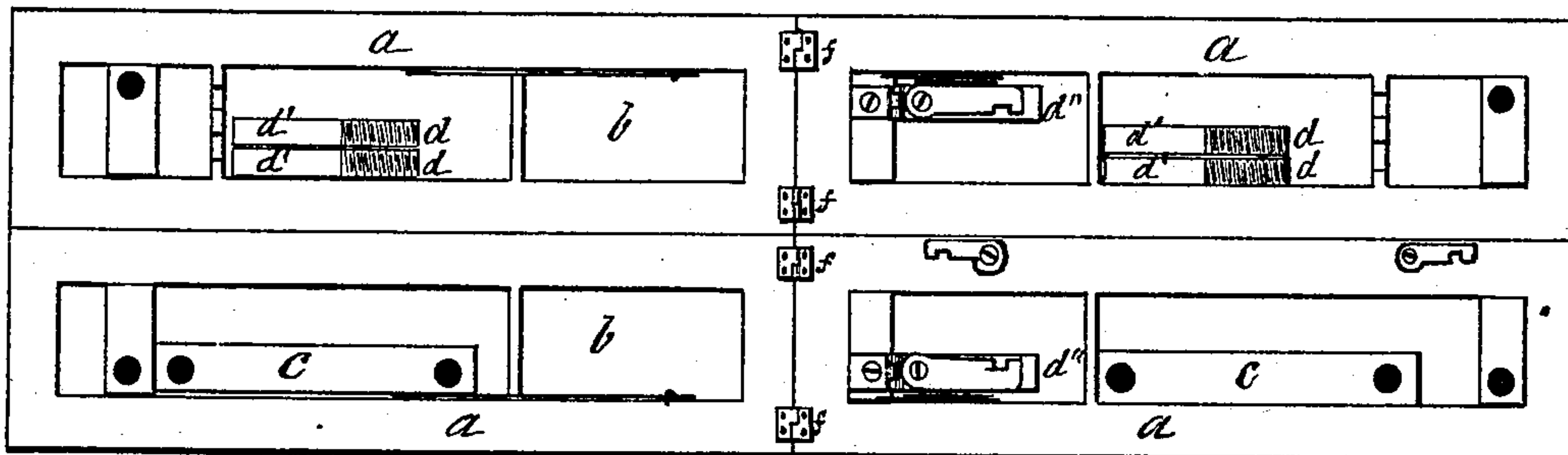


Fig 2

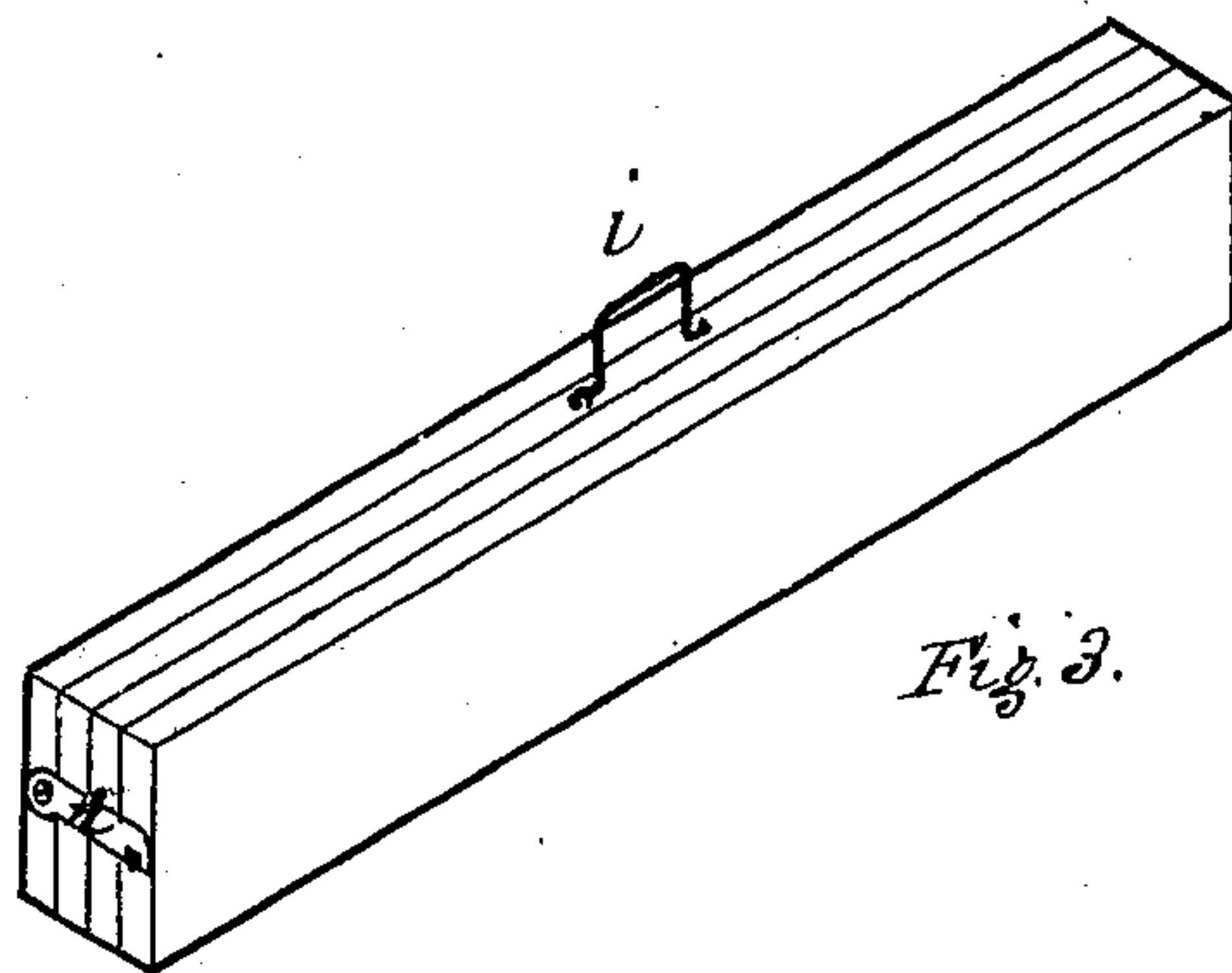
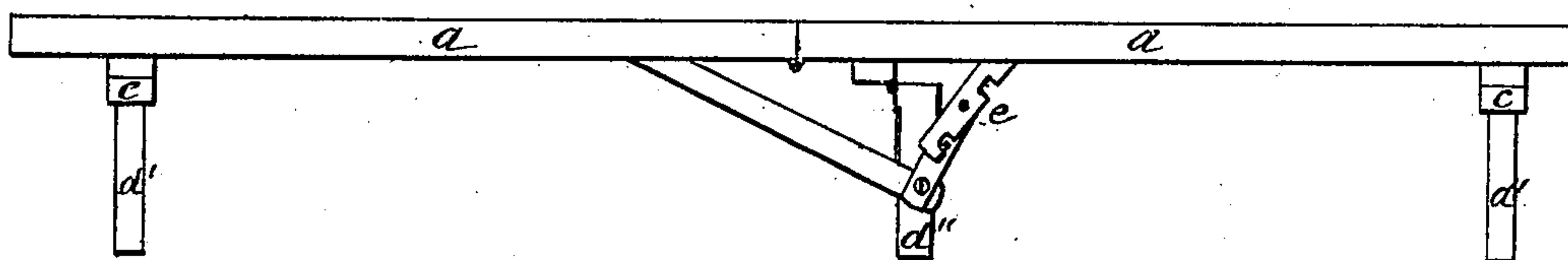
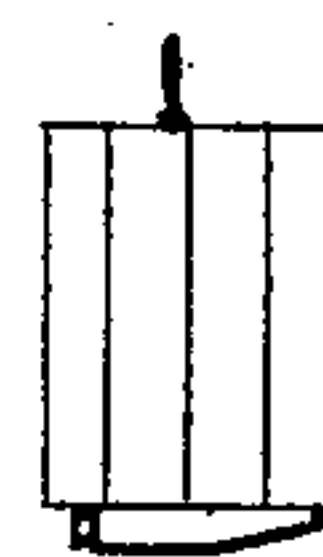


Fig 3.



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IMPROVEMENT IN PAPER-HANGERS' TABLES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOHN ORGILL, of the city and county of Hartford, State of Connecticut, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Paper-Hanger's Table; and to enable others skilled in the art to make the same, I will proceed to describe, referring to the drawings, in which the same letters indicate like parts in each of the figures.

The object of my invention is to provide a board or table for the use of paper-hangers, and for other purposes for which it may be adapted, which can be folded up into a small compass, to allow of its being easily carried from place to place; and my invention consists of a board or frame-work table, composed of sections hinged together, and provided with legs or supports, having fastening-screws or dowels, and so arranged that they may be folded or inclosed within the table when closed up for transportation.

Figure 1 is a view of the under side of the table, or of the table opened and upside down. Fig. 2 is a side or edge view of the same. Fig. 3 is a view of the whole folded together in small compass to allow its being easily carried from place to place.

a b is a board or frame-work of a table, which is composed of oblong sections, and hinged together so that when open they will present the working-surface of the table. The ends of two of these sections are hinged with loose-joint hinges to the ends of the other two. the edges of which are secured together with close-joint hinges, so that one half of the tables or two sections will close over onto the other half, which are securely attached together, thus forming a box or storage-room for the table-legs, appliances, tools, &c.; also, so that two sections may be easily detached

from the other sections, thus forming a short table, to be used where it is inconvenient to use a table the whole length. *c* are supporting-plates, designed to be placed across the frame-work at each end, having orifices through which the fastening-screws or dowel *d* of the legs *d'* pass into metal nut-plates or frame-work, so that the legs may be quickly and easily secured in the frame-work, and quickly and easily removed and packed in the table-boxing. *d''* are legs hinged to the end of one-half of the table-frame, supported in position when in use by a proper fastening device, as shown at *e*, so that they may be quickly and easily closed down into the boxing. *f* are hinges, and are designed to be loose joint, so that one-half or two sections of the table may be detached, and allow the other half two sections to be used in a small room, or when and where one-half would be more desirable and convenient than the whole. Thus, when no longer wanted for immediate use, the whole may be quickly folded together, inclosing its appendages, tools, &c., into a small compact form, as shown in Fig. 3.

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

1. The combination of folding sections *a b*, with legs *d d'*, and supporting-plate *c*, substantially as and for the purposes set forth.

2. The folding sections *a b*, two or more, in combination with the legs *d d'*, and the supporting-plate *c*, and hinged legs *d''*, all constructed substantially as and for the purposes set forth.

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