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WAITER FOR GAME-TABLES.

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Fig: 1.

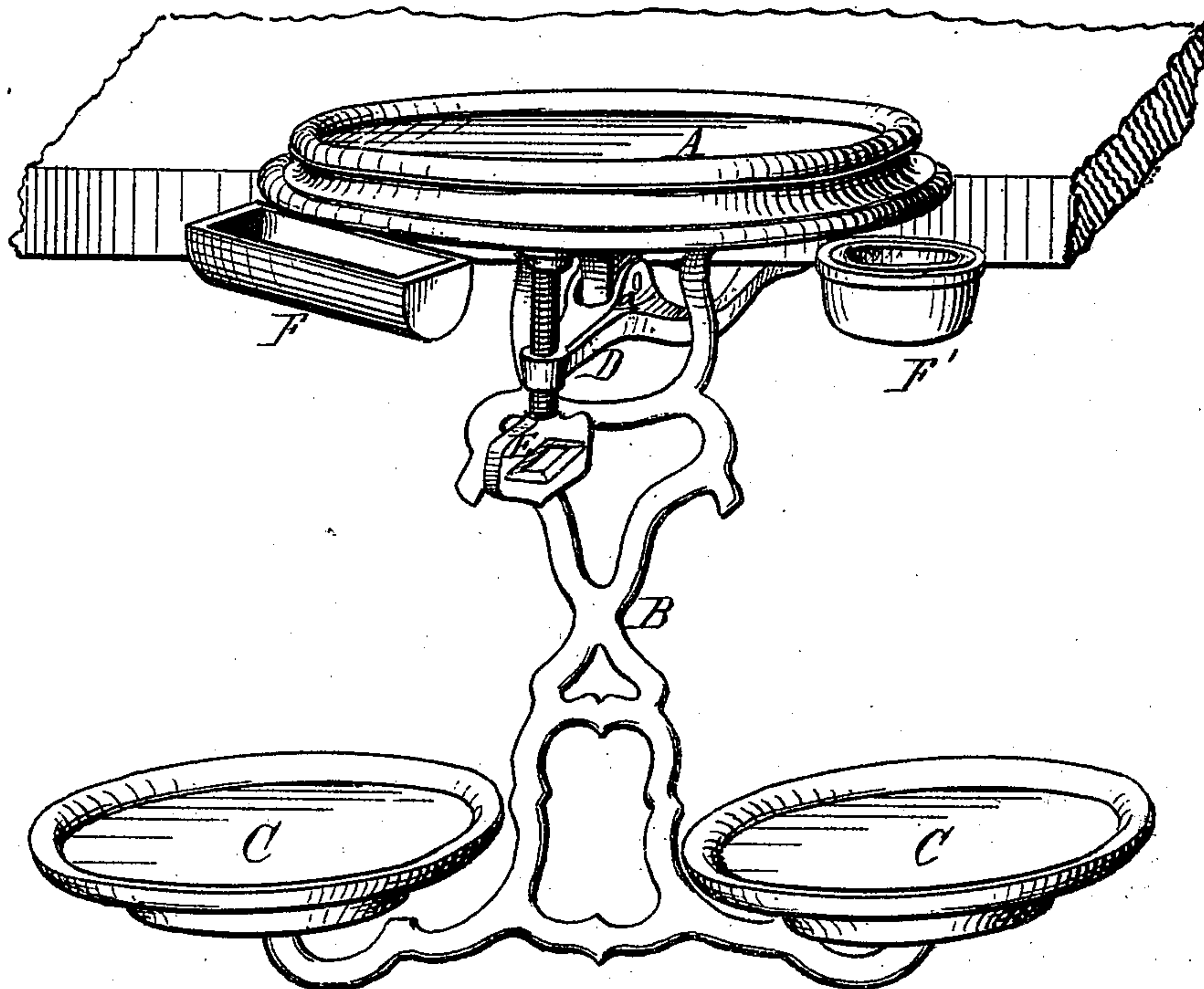
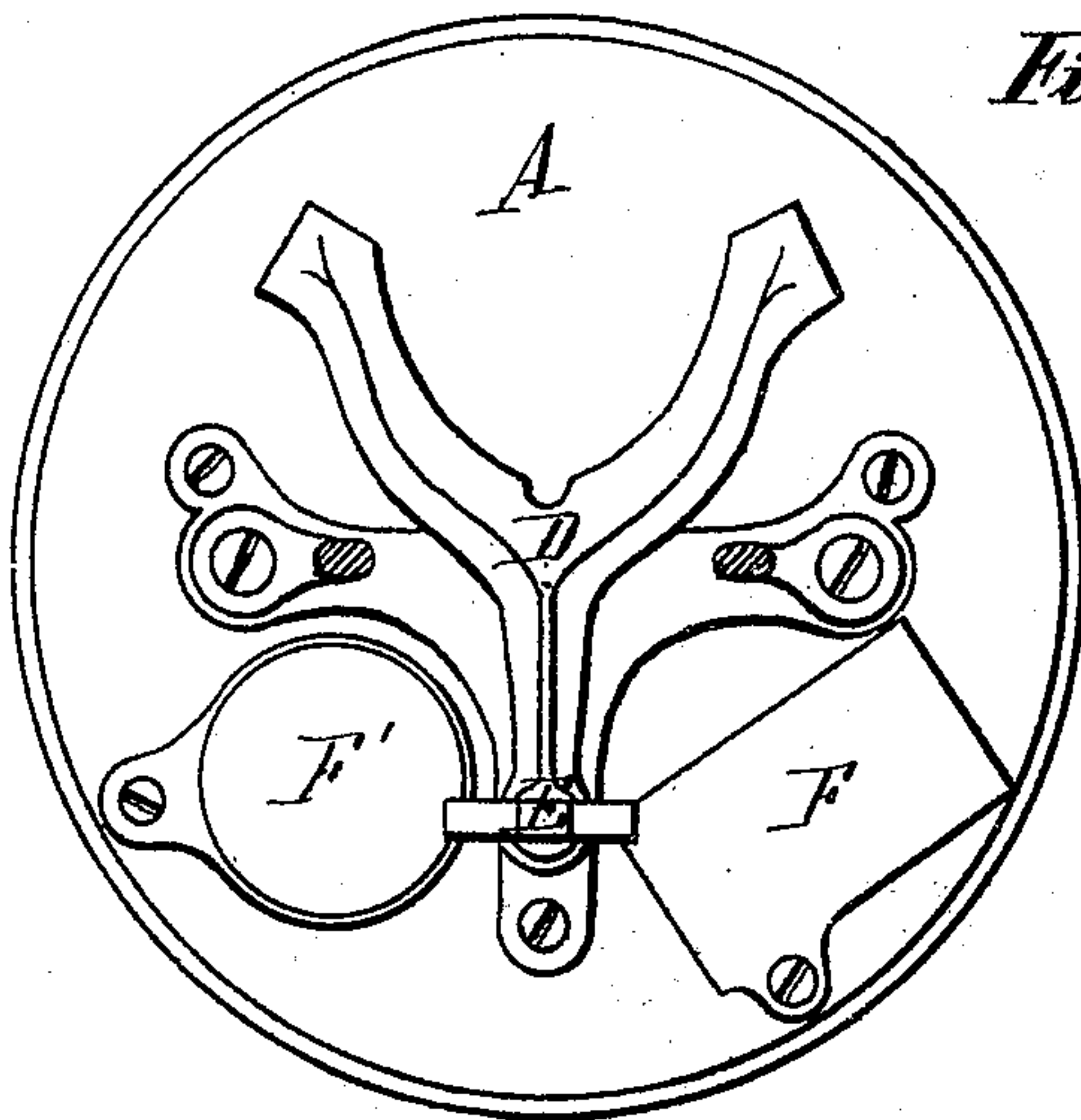


Fig: 2.



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GEORGE W. MARBLE, OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, ASSIGNOR OF ONE-HALF HIS
RIGHT TO ADOLPH SHOENINGER, OF SAME PLACE.

IMPROVEMENT IN WAITERS FOR GAME-TABLES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE W. MARBLE, of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, have invented an Improved Game-Table Waiter, of which the following is a specification:

My invention has for its object to provide, for the convenience of the players, an attachment to a card or gaming table for holding refreshments, checks, and matches, and a receptacle for cigar-ashes, the device being secured to the edge of the table by a lever-clamp, as more fully hereinafter set forth.

Figure 1 is a perspective view of my device as attached to a card-table, a portion of which is shown. Fig. 2 is a bottom plan of the upper plate and its attachments.

In the drawing, A represents a circular wooden plate, to the under side of which is secured an ornamental cast frame, B, whose lower end is branched into two arms, each of which supports a circular wooden plate, C. D is a forked lever, pivoted to a lug, *a*, pendent from the center of the top of the frame B, and through the end of said lever is tapped a

wing-screw, E, whose upper end bears against the top part of the frame B.

The "waiter" is attached to a card or other table by resting one edge of the plate A on the edge of said table, so as to bring the fork of the lever D under it, and the said fork is caused to clamp the table by depressing the other end of said lever by means of the screw.

The plate A is used for containing checks, and the plates C C wine-glasses, which are always in the way if placed on the table.

To the under side of plate A is secured a swinging match-box, F, and also a swinging cup, F', with a removable bowl for the reception of cigar-ashes.

What I claim as my invention is—

The combination, with the plate A, of the pendent frame B, plates C C, lever D, screw E, box F, and cup F', substantially as and for the purpose set forth.

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