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Spring Bed-Bottom.

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Fig. 1.

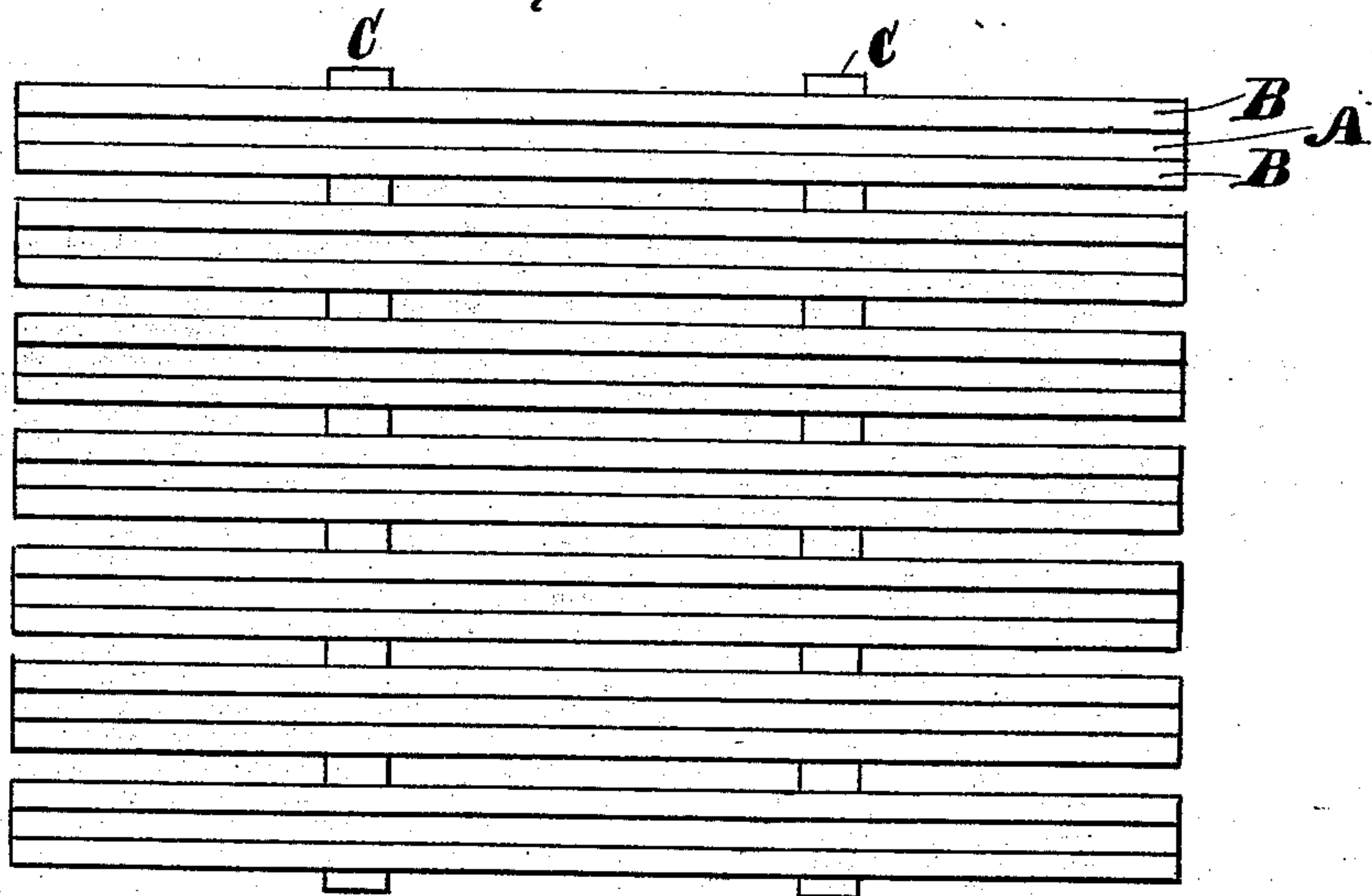


Fig. 2.

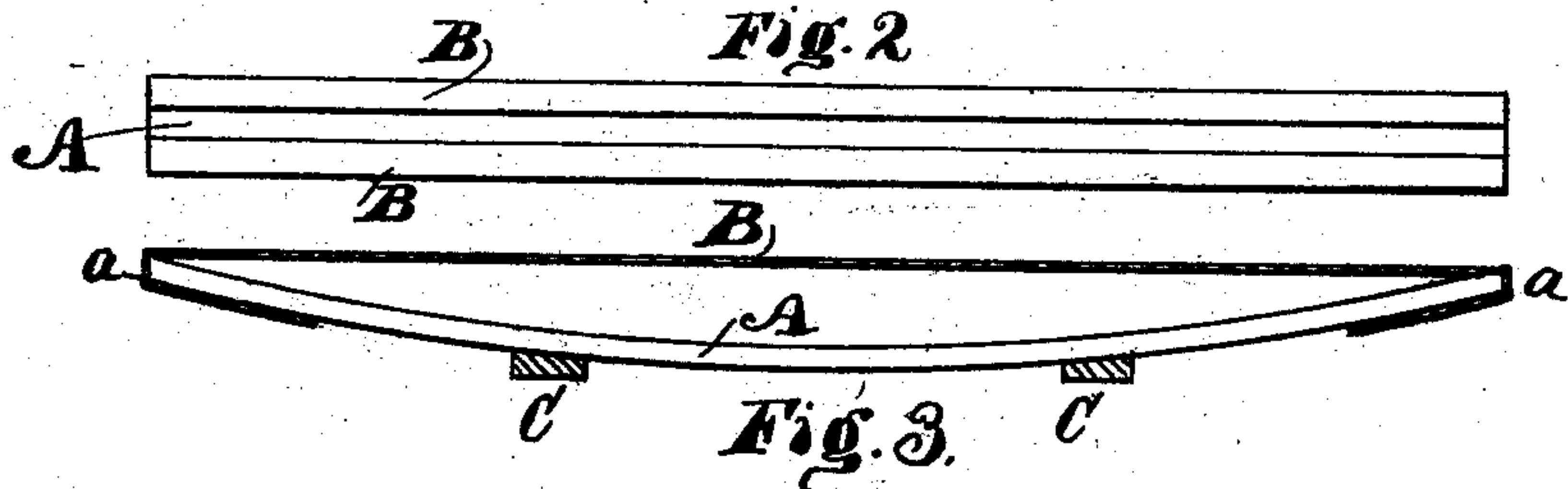


Fig. 3.

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SPRING BED-BOTTOM.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, AMARIAH W. JACKSON, of Indianapolis, in the county of Marion and State of Indiana, have invented a new and
5 useful Improvement in Spring Bed-Bottoms, of which the following is a description, reference being had to the accompanying drawings.

The object of my invention is to provide a
10 cheap, durable, and convenient spring for bed-bottoms.

My invention consists of the new construction and arrangement of devices and the new combination of elements which are deemed essential in my newly-organized spring bed-bottom, as will be hereinafter first fully described
15 in the specification, and then set forth in the claim.

In the accompanying drawings, in which like letters of reference in the different figures
20 indicate like parts, Figure 1 represents a plan view of a series of my improved spring-bed slats united together to form a bed-spring. Fig. 2 is a plan view of one of the slats, and Fig. 3 is a side view of the same.

25 A represents a board of about the length of a bed. Said board is bent as shown in Fig. 3, and secured in this position by one or more

strips of hoop-iron or wire, B, which are stretched across the top and bent around the ends of the slat, as at *a*, and secured by nails, 30 screws, or other appropriate fastenings to the bottom of each end of the bent slat, as shown in Fig. 3, thus forming a slat of great elasticity. Several of these slats thus prepared are united together by the cross-bars C C, so as
35 to form a spring bed-bottom, as in Fig. 1, which is cheap, durable, and strong, and comfortable to lie on.

What I claim as new is—

As an article of manufacture, a spring bed-
40 bottom composed of a series of bent slats, A, having one or more strips of hoop-iron or wire, B, stretched across and secured at the ends of the slats, and the cross-slats C C, made fast to the bent slats, as shown, for the purpose speci-
45 fied.

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

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