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 Match-Lighting Attachment to Hats, &c.
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Fig. 1.

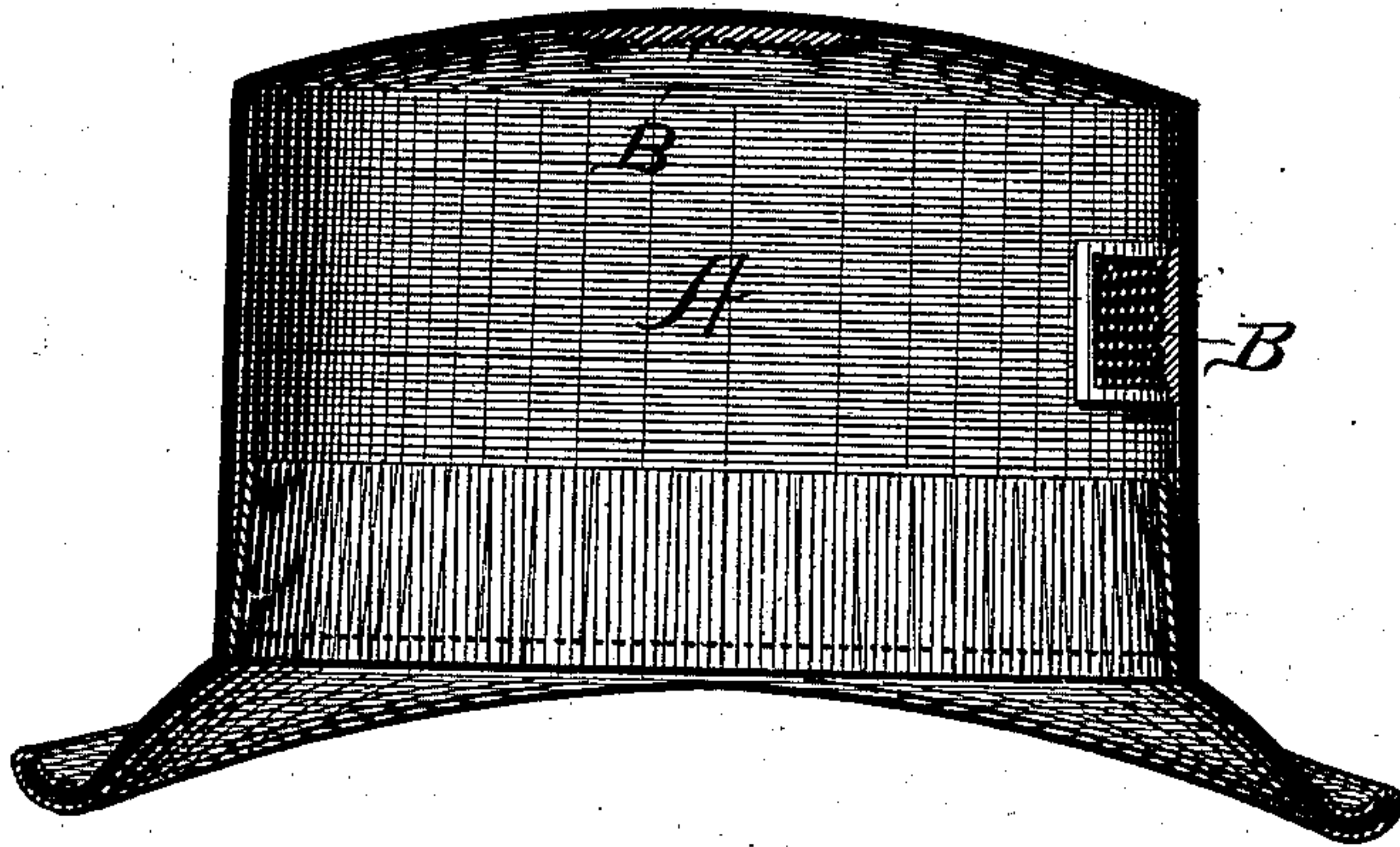


Fig. 2.

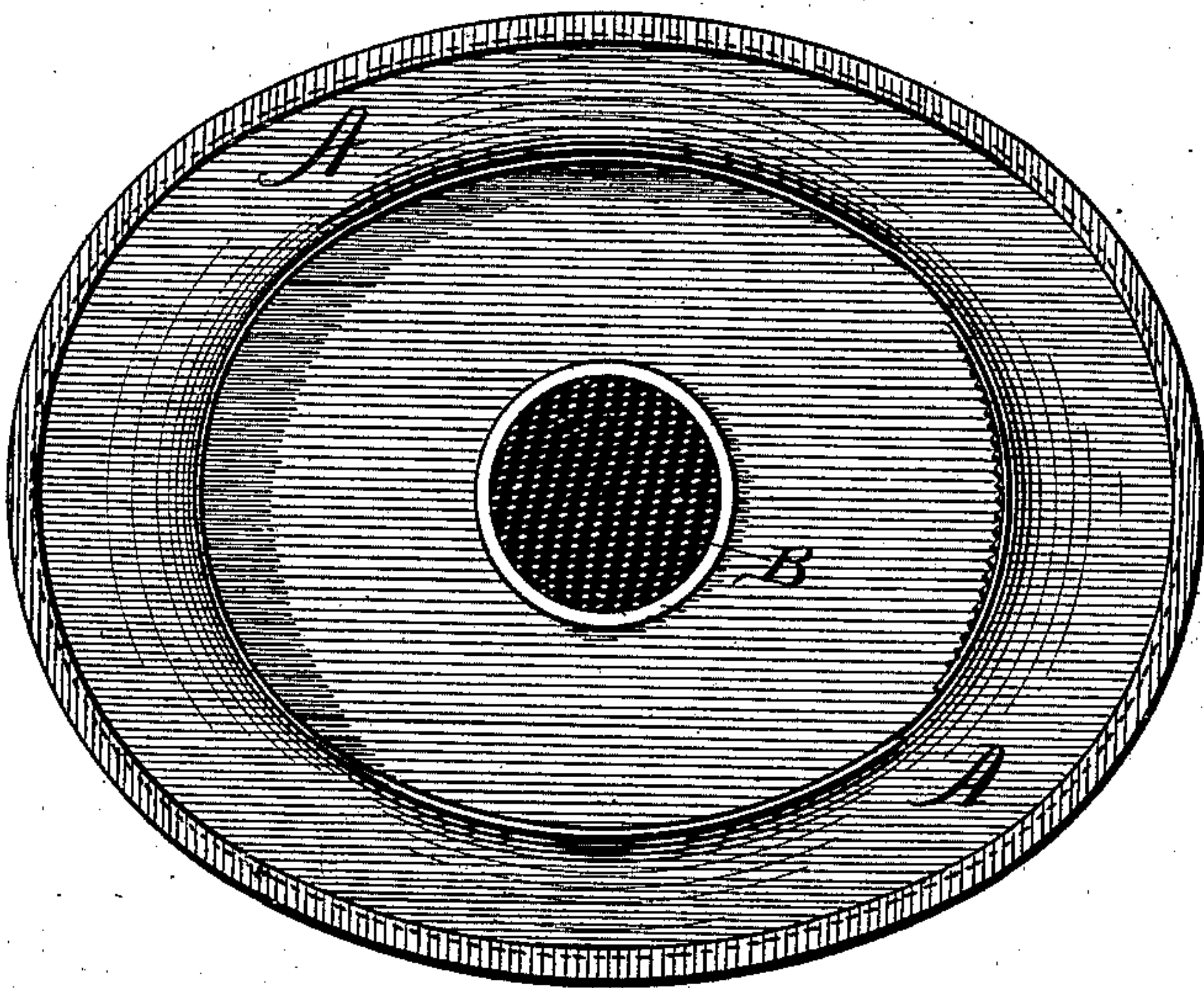
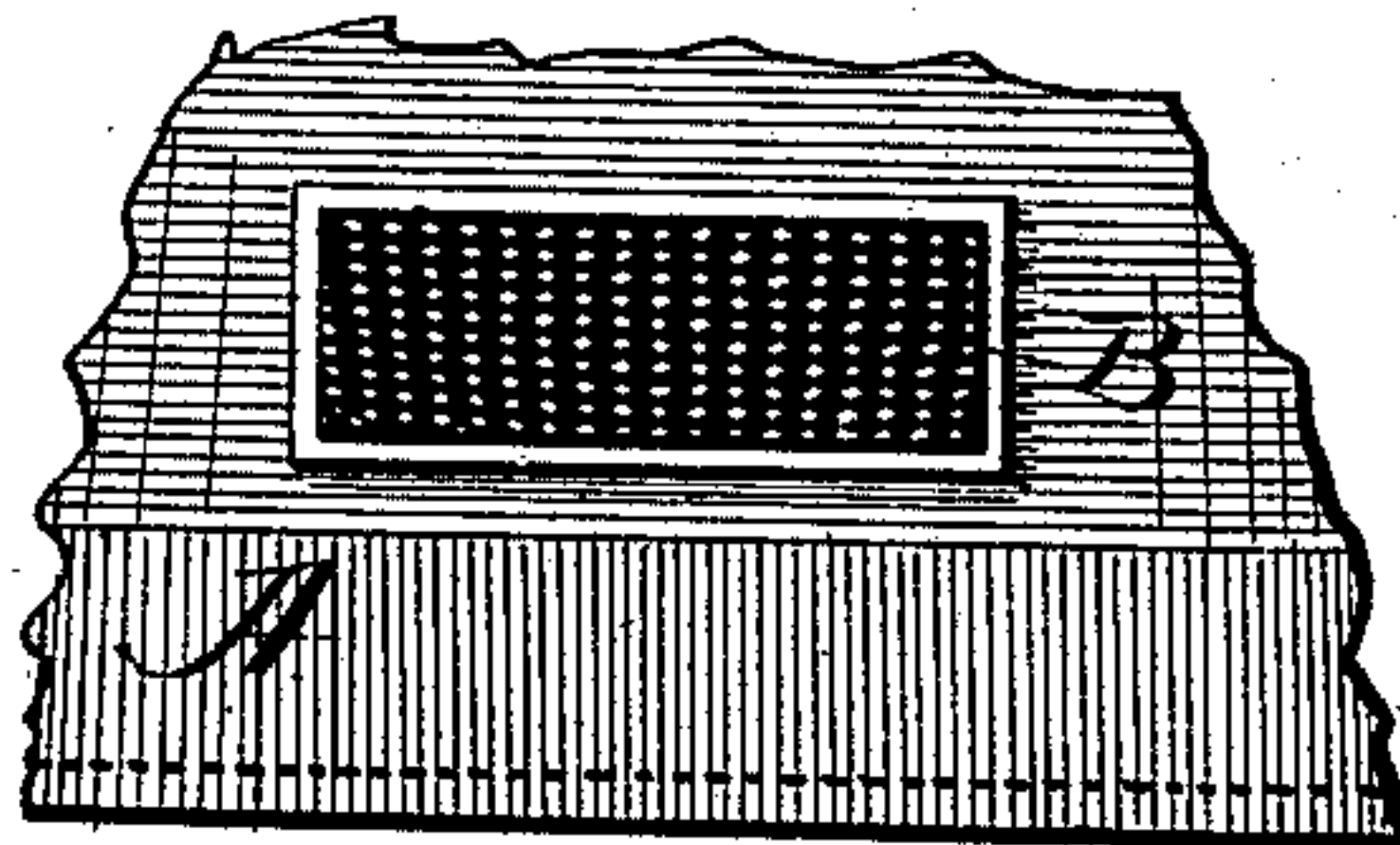


Fig. 3.



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MATCH-LIGHTING ATTACHMENT TO HATS, &c.

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To all whom it may concern :

Be it known that I, FRANKLIN L. CLARK, of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster and State of Pennsylvania, have invented certain
5 new and useful Improvements in Match-Lighting Attachments to Hats, &c.; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, which will enable others skilled in the art to which it ap-
10 pertains to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters of reference marked thereon, which form a part of this specification.

This invention relates to an improved at-
15 tachment for hats, caps, and other like articles; and it consists in the construction and arrangement of parts, as will be hereinafter more fully set forth, and pointed out by the claim.

20 In the annexed drawings, Figure 1 is a longitudinal section. Fig. 2 is a bottom view, and Fig. 3 is a detail.

In the drawings, A represents a hat, to the inner side of which is attached a piece of any
25 rough material B. This material may be attached to any part of the inside of a hat, cap, or other article of head-wear.

There is often great difficulty experienced

in lighting a match for the purpose of ignit-
ing a cigar, cigarette, or pipe in the open air, 30
and in some instances it is impossible. By my arrangement of providing a piece of rough-
ened material upon the inside of a hat the
match may be lighted upon it and the wind
kept off by the sides of the hat, thereby al- 35
lowing the cigar, &c., to be ignited without further trouble.

The device is very simple in arrangement, but it provides a means that has long been
needed of igniting the articles mentioned, and 40
one that is always ready for use and not liable to get out of repair.

Having thus fully described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by
Letters Patent, is— 45

As a new article of manufacture, an article of head-wear having secured upon its inside
a piece of roughened material, for the purpose
set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as 50
my own I have hereto affixed my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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