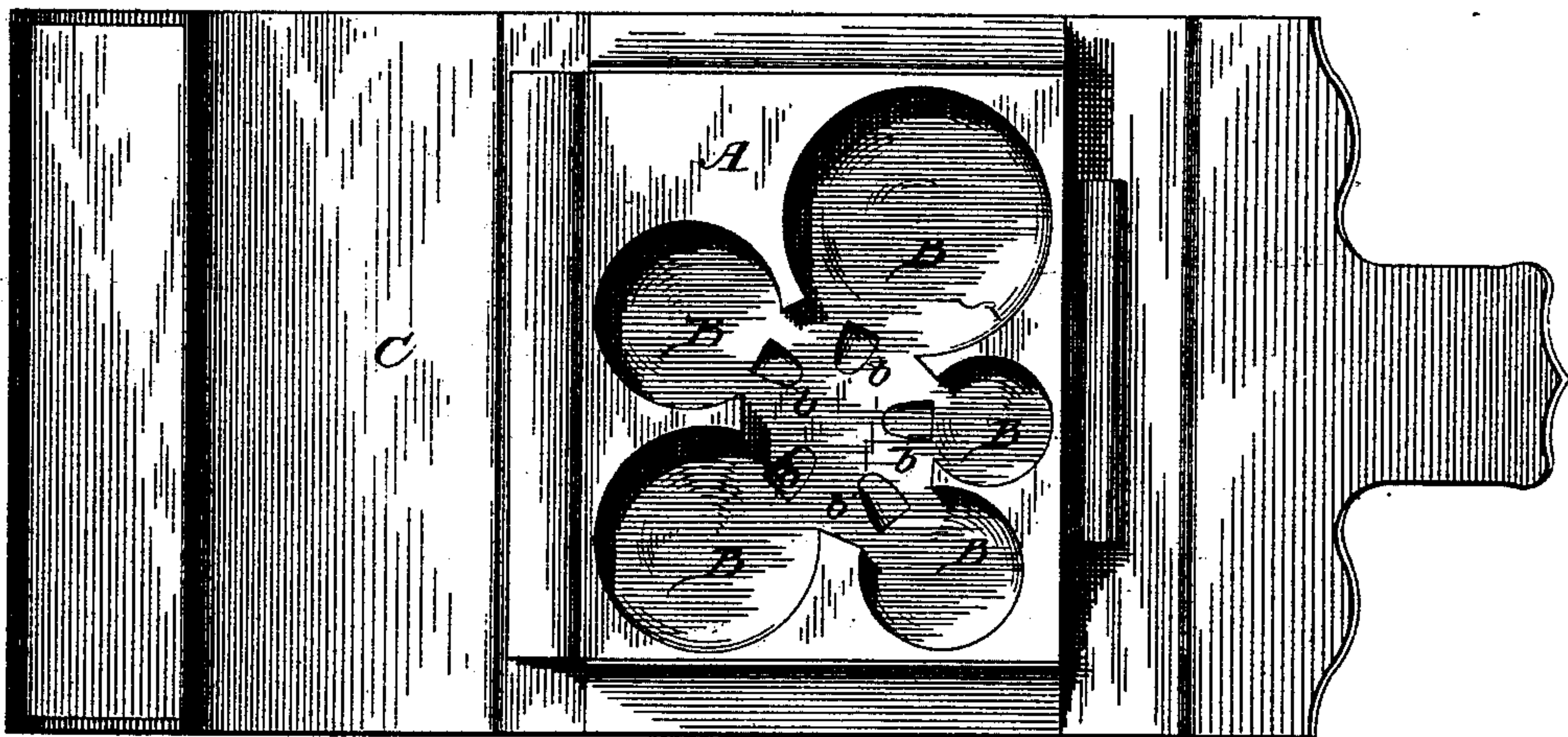


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM H. ELLERY, of Burlington, Iowa, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Coin-Purses, of which
5 the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in coin-purses; and it consists more particularly in the novel arrangement of compartments to hold the coin, and in the combination thereof
10 with any ordinary purse or pocket-book, all as will now be more fully set out and explained.

The figure shown in the drawing is a view of the face of the tray, with the purse or pocket-book half-opened to show the same.

15 In the drawing, A is a coin-tray, rectangular in shape, provided with the compartments B B B B B, adapted to different-sized coins opening into a common space. Before the opening of each compartment in the floor of
20 the tray is a slot, *b*, for the insertion of the finger end to lift the coin.

C is intended to represent any ordinary purse or pocket-book with the usual provision for reception of papers, notes, money, &c., to or upon which purse or pocket-book the tray
25 A may be in any convenient way suitably attached.

I know that coin-trays with compartments suited to different-sized coins are in use, and this I do not broadly claim.

What I claim, and desire to secure, is—

A purse or pocket-book, C, provided with a coin-holder, A, having different-sized compartments B, opening into a central space, and with a slot, *b*, adjacent to each, substantially
35 as described.

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