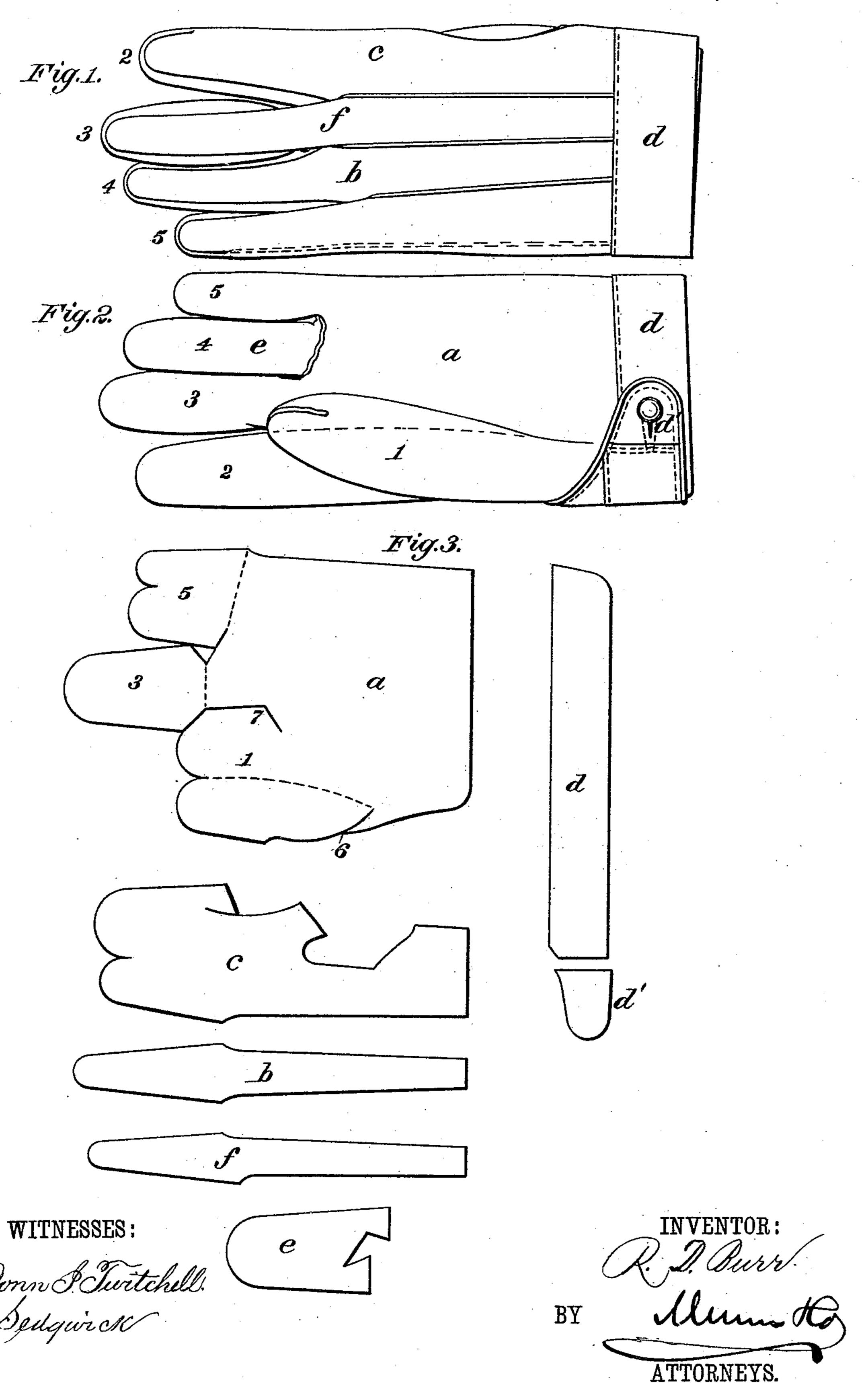
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GLOVE.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Remus D. Burr, of Kingsborough, in the county of Fulton and State of New York, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Gloves, of which the

following is a specification.

The invention consists in extending the palm of a glove to form the little finger, thumb, and front and sides of middle finger, an obtuse10 angled cut being made from the base of the middle finger to the opening of the thumb, as hereinafter described. These features I will describe more particularly with reference to the accompanying drawings, wherein—

Figure 1 is a view of the glove at the back. Fig. 2 is a view of the front. Fig. 3 shows the

separate pieces forming the pattern.

Similar letters of reference indicate corre-

sponding parts.

Referring to Fig. 3, the principal piece, a, of the pattern consists of the front or palm with the thumb-piece 1, middle-finger piece 3, and little-finger piece 5. The whole thumb and little finger are formed by the pieces 1 and 5, while the piece 3 forms the front portion and sides of the middle finger, the back portion of that finger being formed by the forgette b, inserted as shown in Fig. 1, and extending to the wrist. The piece a is cut at 7, which cut forms a seam from the base of finger 3 to the opening of the thumb.

The forefinger 2 is formed by the piece c, Fig. 3, which is of a shape and size to form the whole finger, uniting to the thumb and palm-piece a on the cut 7 in front, and extending to the wrist-piece d at the back, so that there is but a single seam in the forefinger

itself, which seam is at the back.

The third finger 4 is formed by the piece e

and forgette f, the piece e forming the front and 40 sides of the finger, and is united at the base of the finger to the palm-piece a, as seen in Fig. 2. The forgette f also extends to the wrist.

The wrist-piece d may be a single curved piece when no opening is required, or it may 45 be in the form shown and fitted with the button-hole piece d', that laps when buttoned, as shown in Fig. 2. In this case a short cut, 6, is made in piece a at the base of the thumb, which forms a continuation of the wrist-open-50 ing when the glove is made up.

The construction described furnishes a very serviceable glove on account of there being no

seams between the fingers.

The pattern may be made in more pieces, if 55 desired—that is, the back of the finger 5 may be a separate forgette instead of being formed with the piece a, or the pieces 1, 3, and 5 may be separate, the piece a being cut off, as shown in Fig. 3 by dotted lines. I do not limit my-60 self in that particular.

The side opening for the wrist is an advantage in heavy leather gloves used by brakemen and others, as the front of hand and wrist is protected, and the opening is not in a position where it is liable to catch on projections.

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

In a glove, the palm portion a, extended to 70 form the finger 5, thumb 1, and the front and sides of the middle finger 3, with the cut 7 from the base of finger 3 to the opening of the thumb, substantially as shown and described.

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