

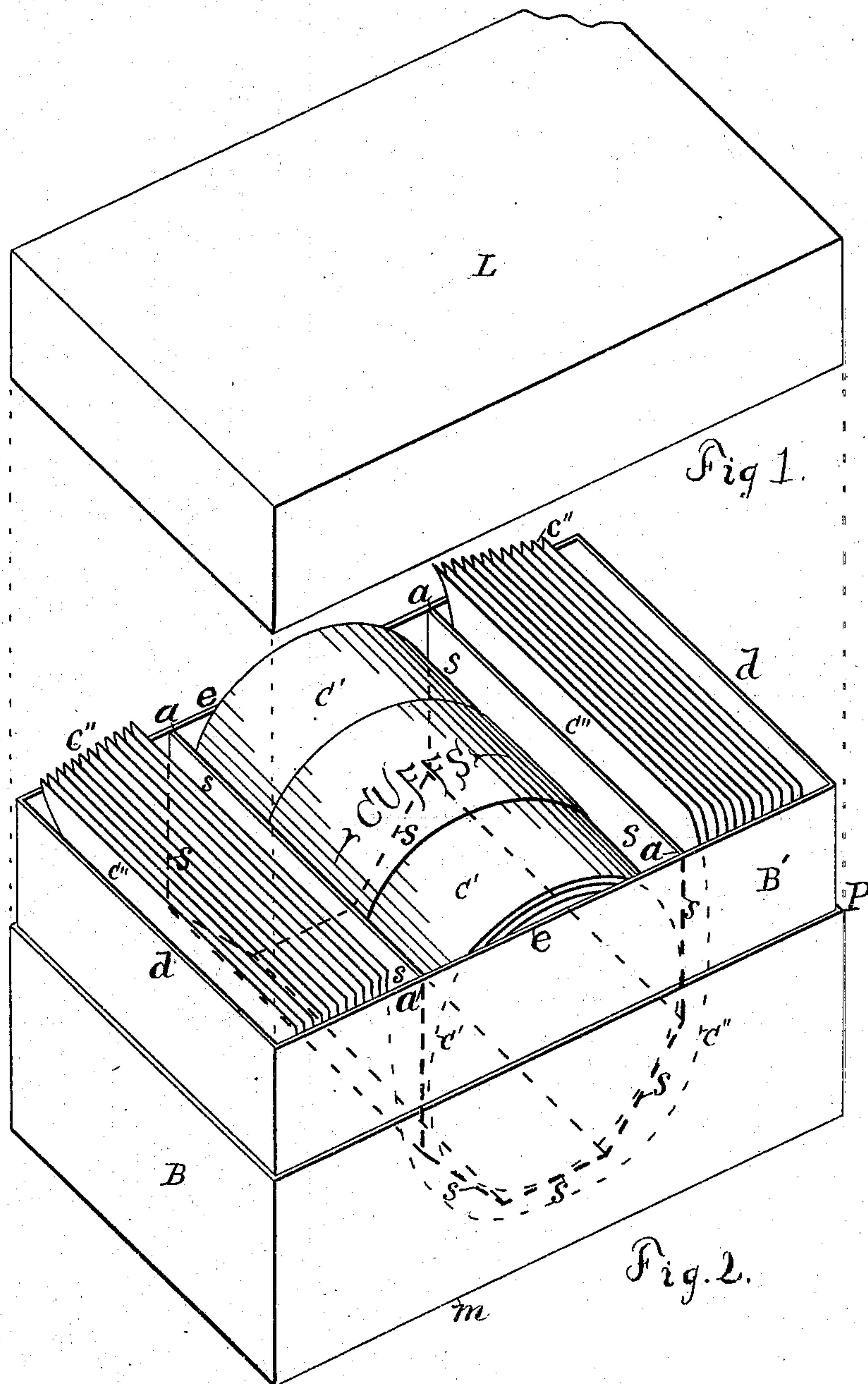
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## CUFF-BOX.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, ISAAC P. TURNER, of the city of Troy, county of Rensselaer and State of New York, have invented a new and  
5 useful Improvement in Cuff-Boxes, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to constructing the interior of a cuff-box body to receive and contain the cuffs; and my invention consists in  
10 forming in the interior of box by means of a partition or partitions a central inclosure which does not extend downwardly to the bottom of the box proper, and so as to produce between the central inclosure and the interior walls  
15 and bottom of the box another inclosure having two end openings, which connect at the bottom beneath the central inclosure and between it and the usual bottom of the box, the object of the improvement being to form  
20 two inclosures, so that the central one may contain a curled and strapped package of cuffs, and the other inclosure extending from the ends of the box beneath the central inclosure and around it to receive a loose package of  
25 cuffs, which may be easily removed and shown to a purchaser without breaking a package.

In the accompanying drawings, forming a part of this specification, there are two figures illustrating my invention, and to designate the  
30 same parts of the box the same references are used.

Figure 1 shows in perspective the cover removed from the box, a portion of the cover being omitted for marginal room. Fig. 2 illustrates in perspective the box-body and the  
35 position of the cuffs within the inclosures, portions of the dividing-partition being indicated by dotted lines.

The several parts of the box are designated

by letters of reference and their applied construction described as follows.

The letter B indicates the box-body; P, the cover-stop; L, the cover.

The letter S designates a semicircular, or nearly so, partition, which joins the sides of the  
45 box at *a a a a*, and passes downwardly and angularly inwardly from its ends, which are flush with the sides of the box. This partition does not descend to the bottom of the box, which is designated at *m*. The sides of the  
50 box are indicated at *e e* and the ends at *d d*. The partition S thus placed forms, with that portion of the sides which it incloses between the points *a a a a*, the inclosure C', open at the top, and the exterior of the partition S forms,  
55 with the remainder of the sides, with the ends and bottom of the box, the inclosure C'' which has an end opening at each end of the box that connect beneath the bottom of the central inclosure, C', and between it and the box-  
60 bottom. This partition S may be made of one or more pieces, may be rectangular or curved, or made as shown, and in either case will produce the same relative division of space.

Having thus described my invention, what  
65 I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

A cuff-box body formed or provided with the semicircular, or nearly so, partition S, for  
70 dividing the box into two compartments for displaying inclosed cuffs both curled and loose, substantially as shown and described.

Signed at Troy, New York, this 15th day of October, 1881.

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