

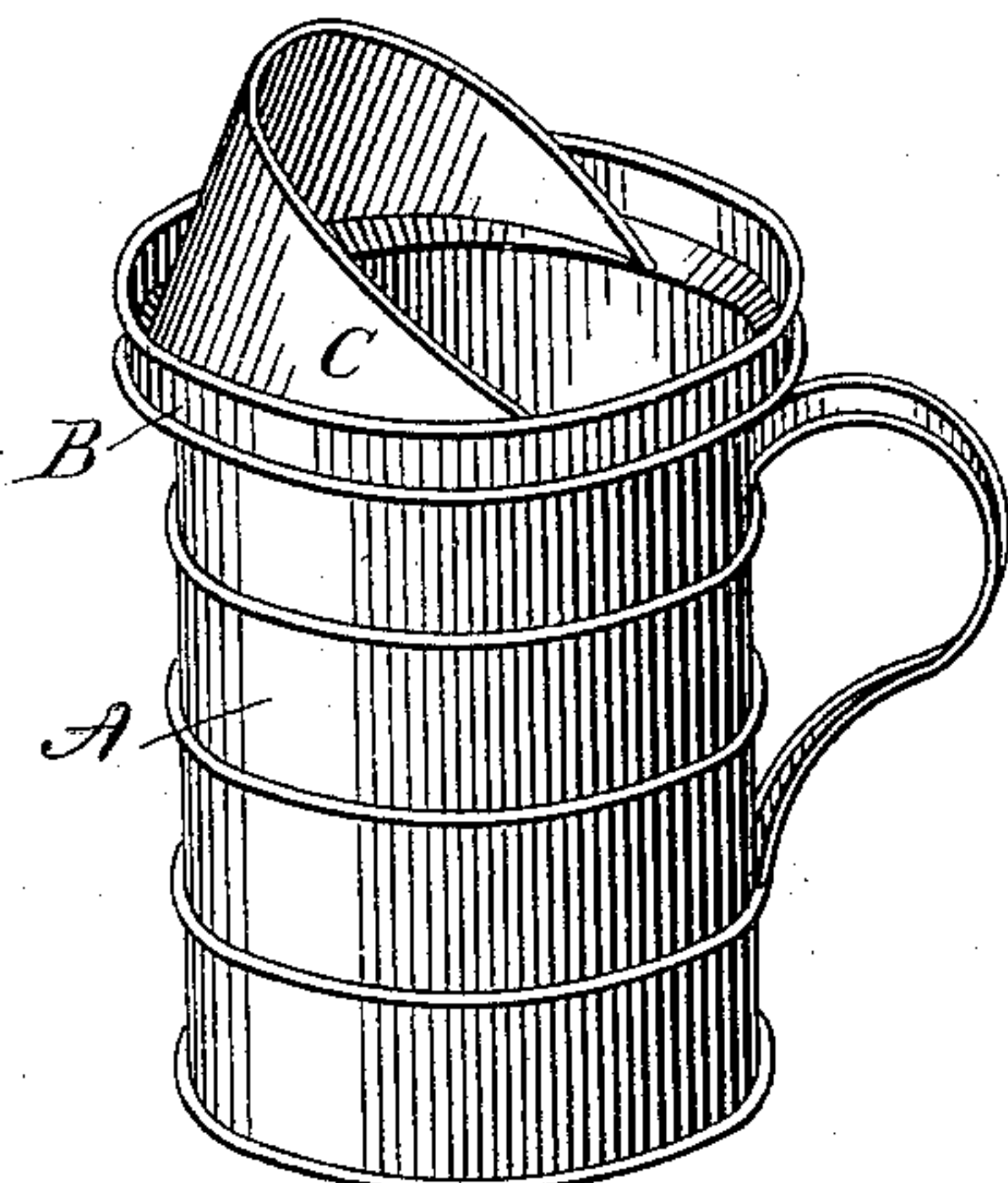
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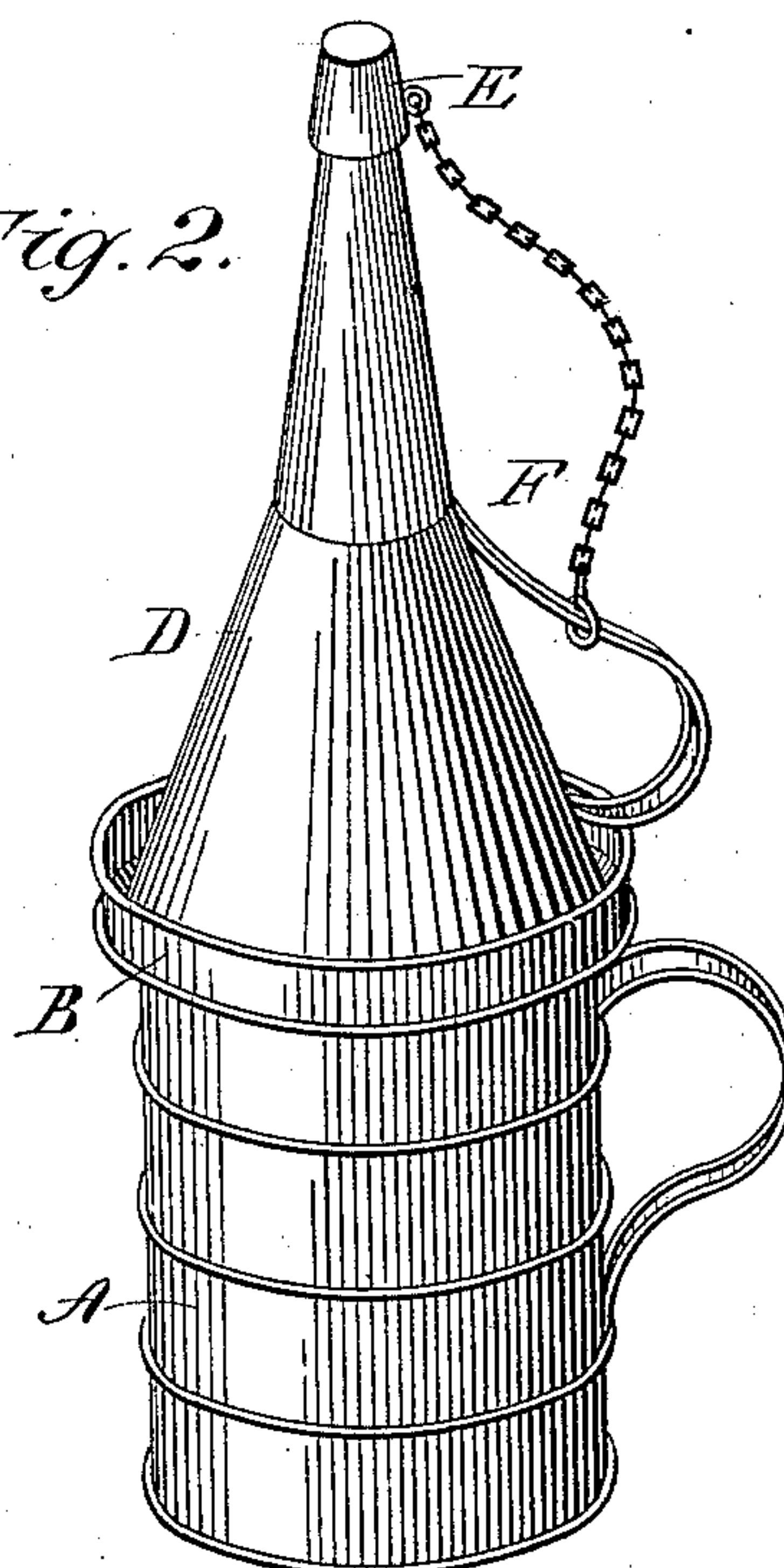
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*Fig. 1.*



*Fig. 2.*



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## SIRUP MEASURE AND FUNNEL.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, JAMES J. VAN KERSEN, of Kalamazoo, in the county of Kalamazoo and State of Michigan, have invented certain Improvements in a Fly-Close Sirup Measure and Funnel, of which the following is a specification.

In the accompanying drawings, forming part of the specification, Figure 1 is a partial perspective view. Fig. 2 illustrates my whole invention.

A, Fig. 1, designates a common sirup-measure with a standing rim, B, round about the upper edge to hold a funnel, and the measure is also provided with a bevel-spout, C, toward the inside.

D, Fig. 2, designates a common funnel, as cover on the improved sirup-measure, provided with a stopper, E, fastened by chain or wire, F to the funnel. Upon taking off the stopper E

the funnel D and measure A are ready for use in the common way.

Having thus described the construction and use, I will indicate in the following clauses what I claim and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States—

1. As a new manufacture, the improved measure A, having the beveled edge or offset surmounted by the perpendicular rim B and the conical lip or spout C, substantially as shown and described.

2. In combination with the measure A, having rim B and conical spout C, the funnel-cover D, formed to fit within the rim and inclose the conical spout, substantially as shown and described.

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