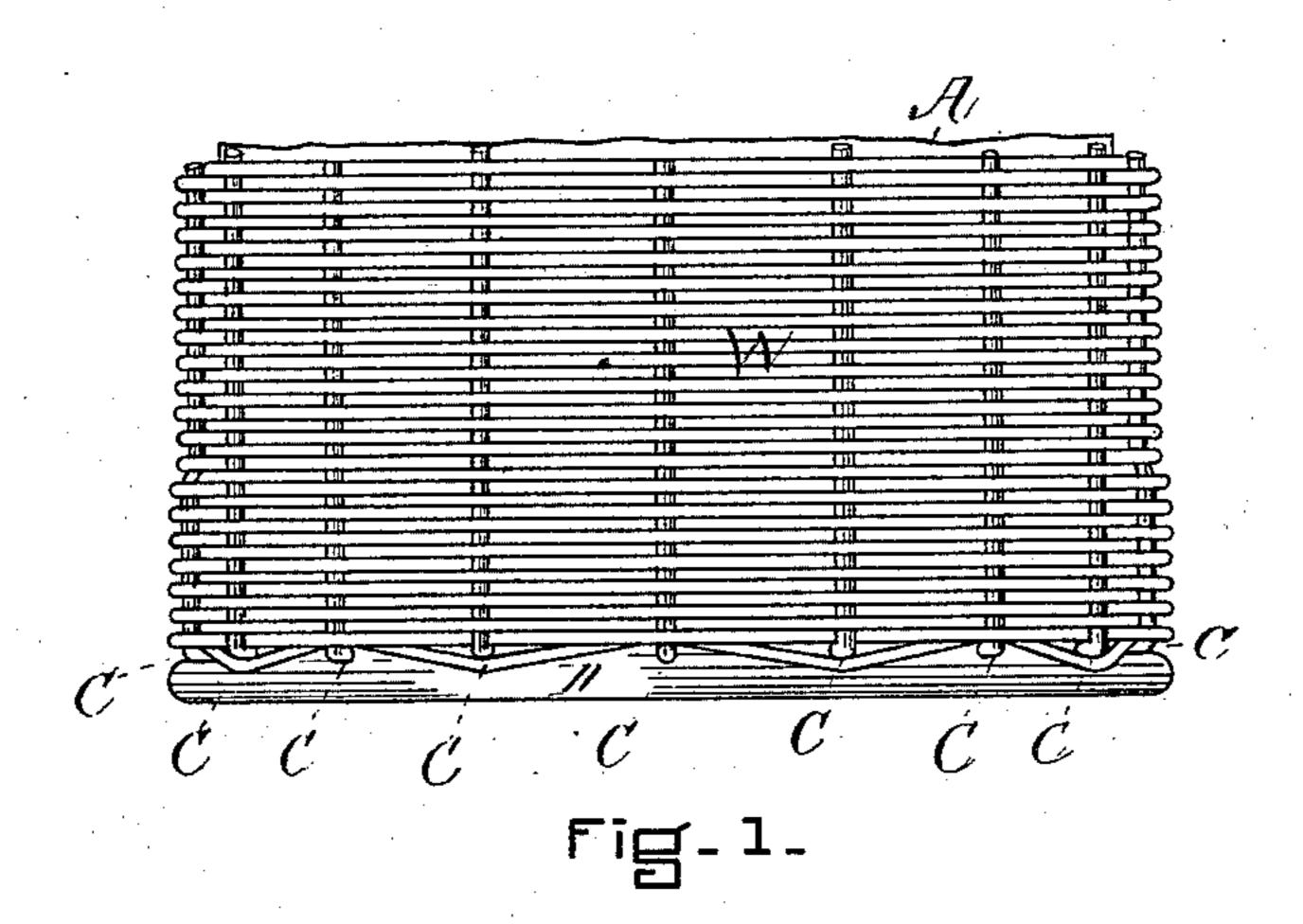
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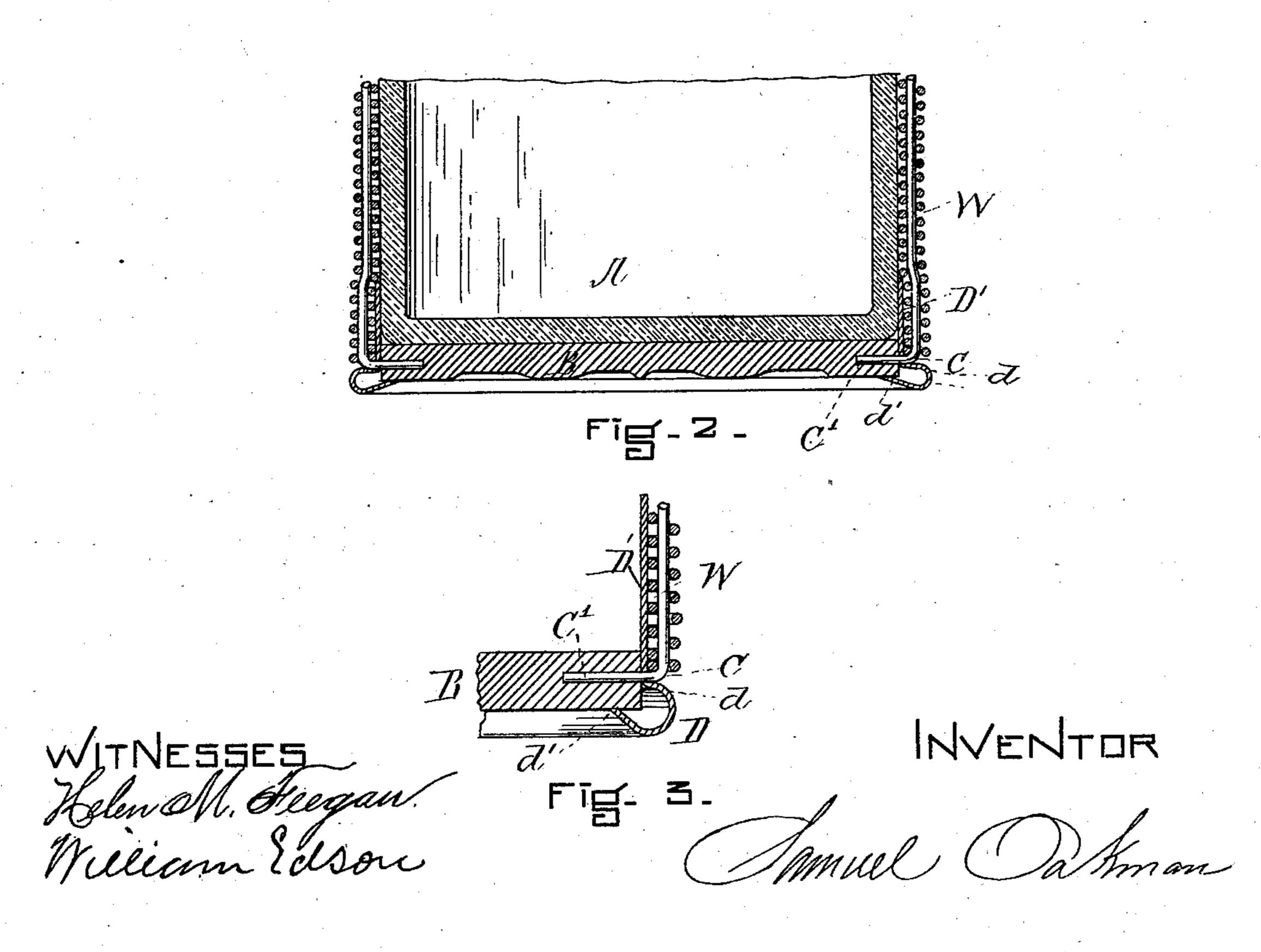
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Samuel Oakman, of Melrose, in the county of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Coverings for Bottles, of which the following is a specification.

My invention pertains to the art of incasing bottles with wicker-work, and relates, particularly, to the base of the casing, said base serving both as a bottom for the casing and for the purpose of holding the "posts" of the wickerwork, the objects being to make a cheap and substantial bottom for the bottle, and to provide a convenient base for holding the posts.

15 I attain these objects by the mechanism illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is an elevation showing a portion of the lower part of a bottle with my casing 20 applied. Fig. 2 is a section of the same. Fig. 3 is a section on a larger scale, showing a portion of the bottom and the side covering of the bottle.

This invention was originally set forth in the specification and drawings of application for patent filed by me February 5, 1881, and eliminated from said specification, in accordance with communication from the Commissioner of Patents, dated May 6, 1881, the patent being dated August 8, 1882, numbered

262,241; subject, "Weaving-Machine for Covering Bottles."

In the drawings, A represents the lower part of the bottle to be covered, and B the base-piece, which may be made of wood, gutta-35 percha, or any other suitable material.

D D' is a sheet-metal band, which passes entirely around the base-piece B, and is formed so as to produce the bead d d', Fig. 3. This bead d d' extends slightly beyond the wicker-40 work and below the base B, so as to form a guard for the lower angle of the casing of the bottle. The part D' of the metallic band extends upward, so as to embrace the lower part of the bottle, as shown in Fig. 2. Each of the 45 posts C of the wicker-work passes through the metallic band D D' well into the base-piece B, as indicated at C', Figs. 2 and 3. The wicker-work W is woven in the usual manner, either by hand or machine.

I claim—

The combination of the base-piece B and metallic ring D D', provided with perforations, into which the lower ends of the post C are inserted, with the said posts C, substantially 55 as described, and for the purpose set forth.

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