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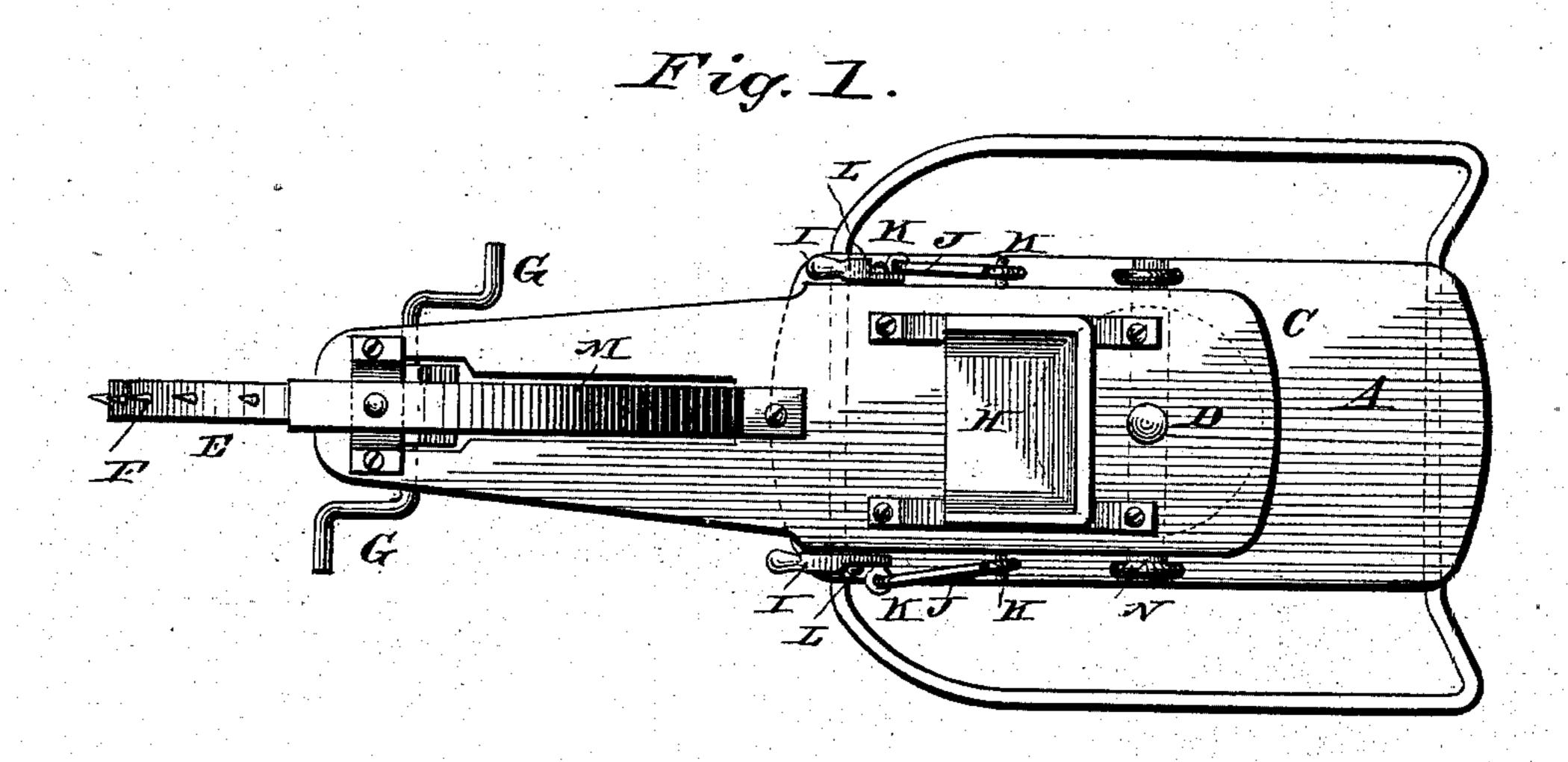
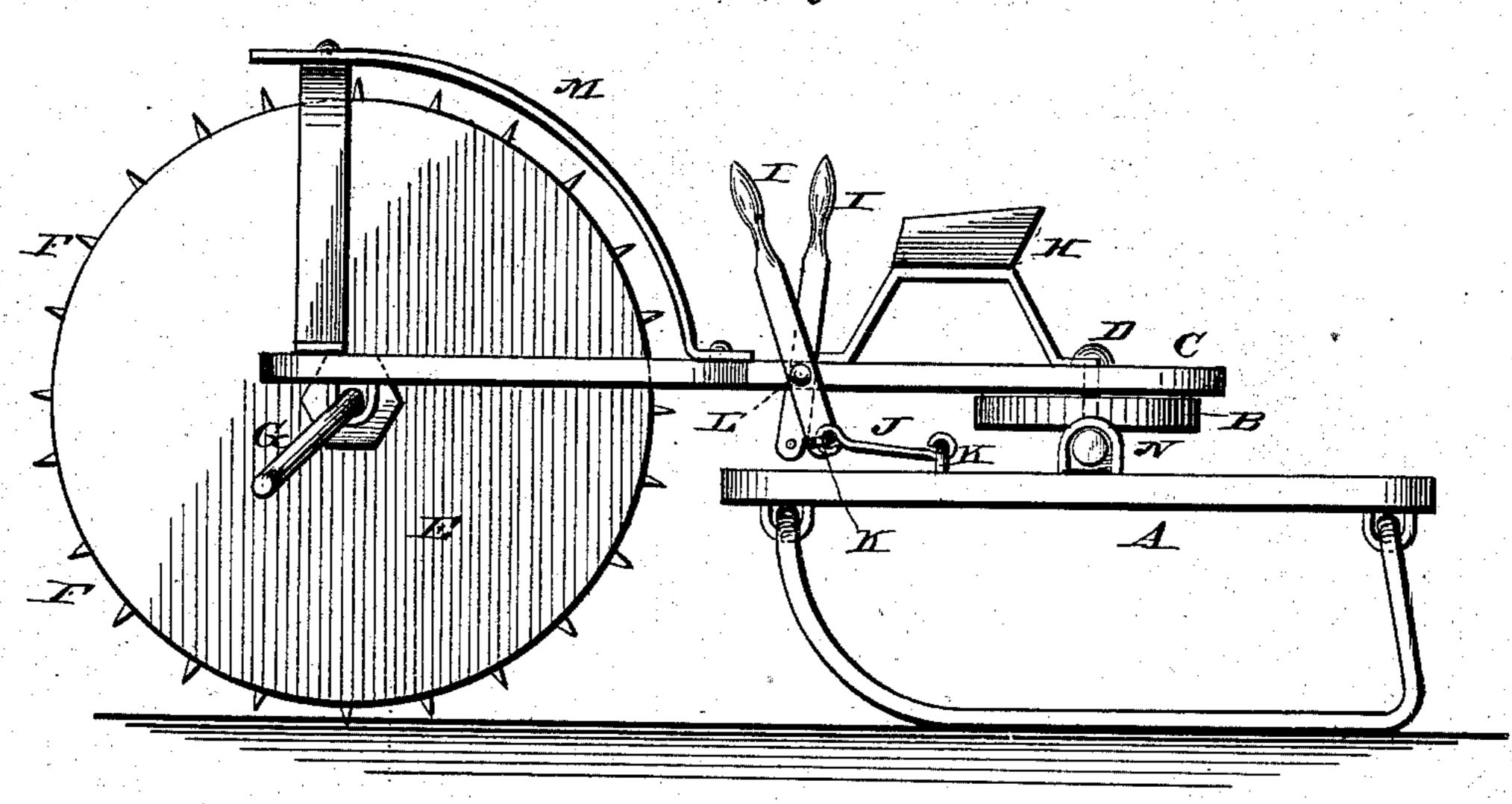


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## ICE-VELOCIPEDE.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Elliott H. Funk, of Sturgis, in the county of St. Joseph and the State of Michigan, have invented certain new 5 and useful Improvements in Snow and Ice Velocipedes; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 represents a top or plan view of the velocipede. Fig. 2 represents a side view

of the same.

A is a sled or sleigh that may be made in

any suitable manner.

B is an oscillating turn-table for the purpose of letting the runners pass up over a rise in the road or down in a gutter, and work sidewise, either right or left, as a means for directing the course of the velocipede.

C is a platform attached to the turn table B

by a king-bolt, D.

E is a propeller-wheel with chisel-point spurs F, for the purpose of clutching into the ice or snow and preventing the wheel from turning without pulling its load.

G G is a crank to be propelled by the feet

of the operator.

30 H is a seat that may be made in any suitable manner for the operator.

I I are levers for the purpose of guiding the velocipede.

JJ are iron rods that are connected to the

sled by staples and eyes K K K K.

The operation is as follows: By pulling the left-hand lever I it throws the front end of sled A to the right, giving the velocipede a left-hand course. By the operator pulling the right-hand lever I it throws the front of the 40 sled A to the left, giving the velocipede a right-hand course.

L is the bolt that attaches the levers I I to

the platform C.

M is a fender for the propeller-wheel E. Having explained the nature of my invention to the best of my knowledge, what I claim is—

The chisel-point-spurred wheel E, levers I I, the iron rods J J, with their connections to 50 staples K K, and oscillating turn-table B, in combination with sled A, as hereinabove set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my own I affix my signature in presence of 55 two witnesses.

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