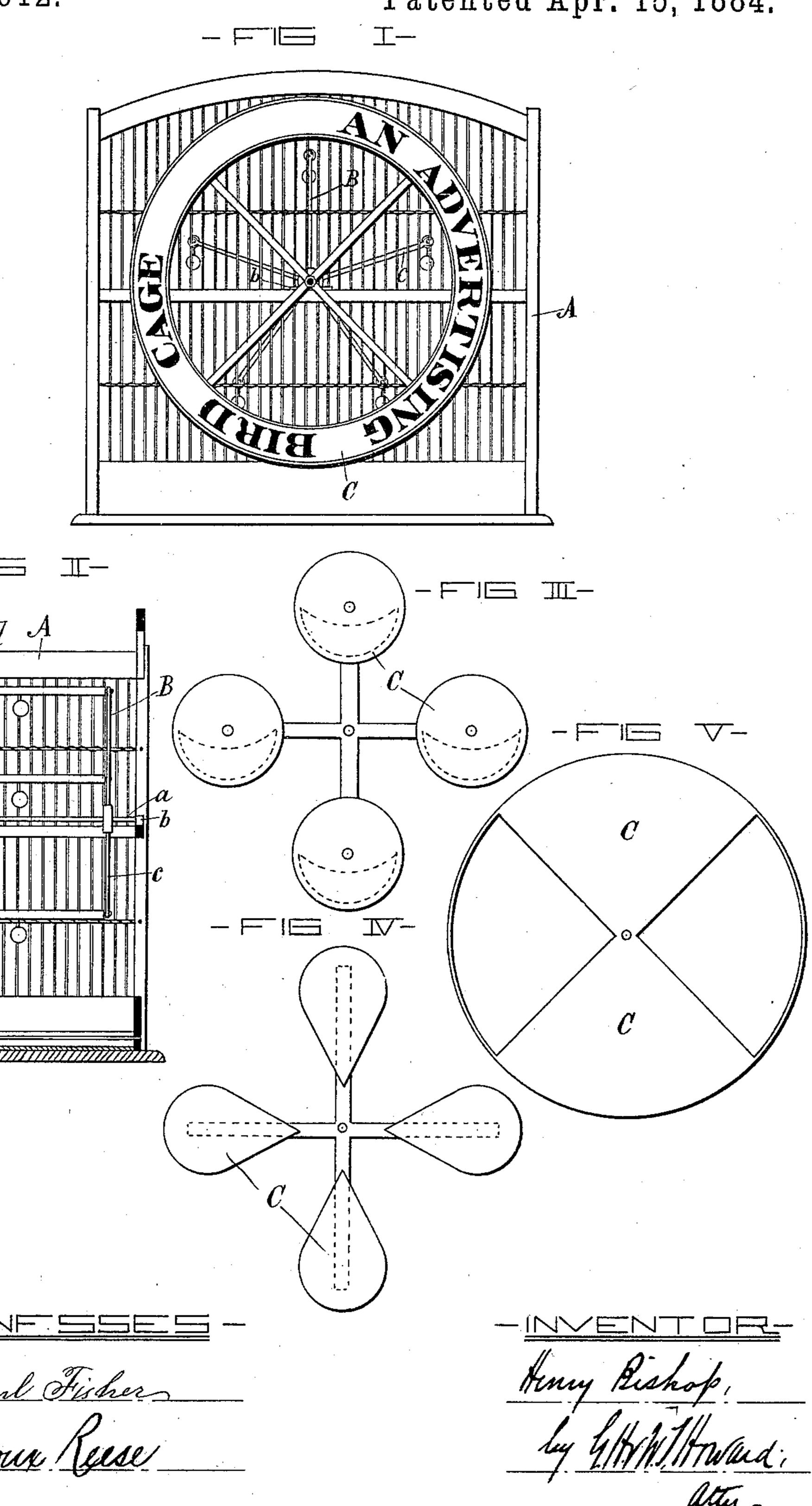
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Henry Bishop, of the city of Baltimore, and State of Maryland, have invented certain Improvements in Advertising Bird-Cages, of which the following is a specification, reference being had to the drawings forming a part hereof.

This invention relates to certain improvements in that class of closed bird-cages which are provided with a revoluble perch located within the cage, which is rotated as birds alight thereon; and it consists in means whereby the cage is adapted for advertising purposes, as will bereinafter fully appear.

In the said drawings, Figure I is an exterior front view of the advertising bird-cage. Fig. II is a transverse section of the same. Figs. III, IV, and V illustrate modifications in the construction of the advertising-disk.

A is the closed cage, and B the revoluble perch located within the cage, consisting of the central spindle, a, which rests in bearings b, the arms c, and the counterpoised and independently revoluble bars d.

c, Fig. I, is an annular plate or disk secured to a hub, e, and situated outside of the cage and on a short piece of shaft, f, which forms

a part of the main spindle a. The plate C has an annular space adapted for advertisements, which space is occupied in the drawings with 30 the words "An Advertising Bird Cage."

In Fig. III each arm is provided with an independently-counterpoised disk having an advertising-space. In Fig. IV the disks are fastened rigidly to the arms, and in Fig. V the 35 space between two sets of arms is closed and adapted to receive the advertisement.

From the foregoing it will be understood that the movement of the advertising disk or plate will attract attention to the advertise- 40 ment thereon.

I claim as my invention—

An advertising bird-cage consisting of a closed cage, A, a revoluble perch, d, located within the cage, and a disk, C, situated out- 45 side the cage and having a space adapted to receive advertisements, the disk being secured to the revoluble spindle a of the perch, substantially as specified.

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