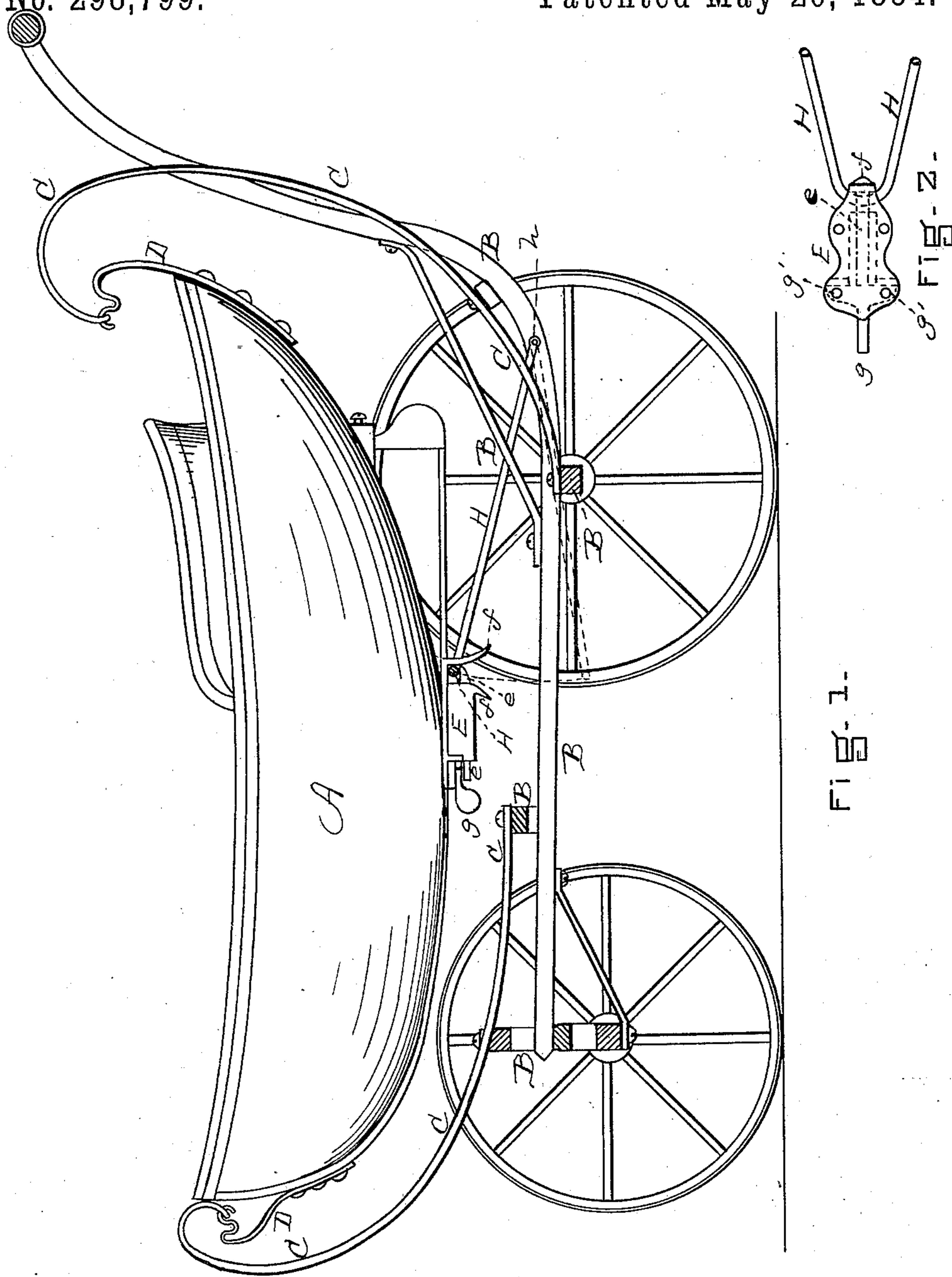


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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, CHARLES W. TROW, of Wakefield, in the county of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, have invented new and  
5 useful Improvements in Carriages for Infants and Dolls, of which the following is a specification.

In the accompanying drawings, in which similar letters of reference indicate like parts,  
10 Figure 1 is a side elevation of an infant's or doll's carriage embodying my invention, the frame being shown in longitudinal vertical section. Fig. 2 is a plan view of the latch or lock detached.

15 A represents the carriage-body, and B the frame.

C C are springs, shaped somewhat after the fashion of a C-spring, having their lower ends secured to the frame B beneath the body, and extending upward, as shown, at the head and foot of the carriage-body, and terminating in hook shape. Supporting-rods D D, of hook shape, pass through suitable openings near the free ends of the springs C, and are rigidly secured to the opposite ends of the body A.  
20 The springs C not only provide a very gentle and easy motion for the carriage as it passes over an uneven surface, but they allow the body to swing laterally, so that the carriage  
25 may be used as a crib.

The carriage-body may be held stationary,

if desired, by means of the locking device E, secured to the bottom thereof, and provided with the spring-bolt *e*, guides *f*, and thumb-piece *g*. An arm, H, preferably but not necessarily of the shape shown, is pivoted at *h* to the frame B, and is adapted to be swung up into the latch or lock E and caught by the bolt *e* thereof, being guided into position by the guides *f*. To release the arm H, the thumb-piece *g* is pushed one side, and, being fulcrumed at *g'* and secured to the bolt *e*, withdraws the latter.  
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Any suitable locking device may be used which is adapted for the purpose.  
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When the arm H is not in use, it can rest easily on the frame or on a rest constructed for the purpose.

Having thus fully described my invention, what I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—  
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In an infant's or doll's carriage, the combination, with a laterally-swinging carriage-body provided with a latch or locking device, of an arm extending from the frame and adapted to catch in said locking device, substantially as and for the purpose described.  
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