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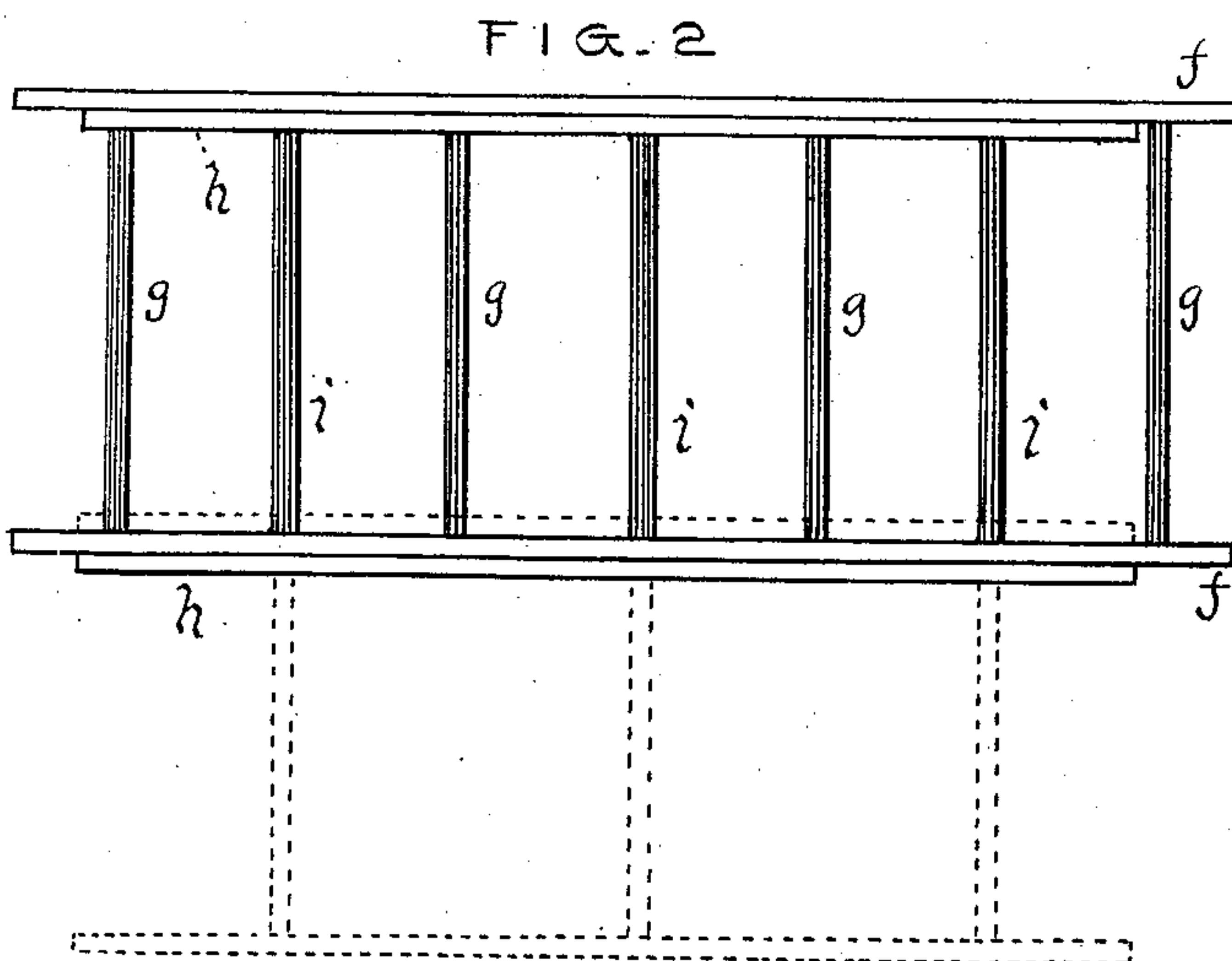
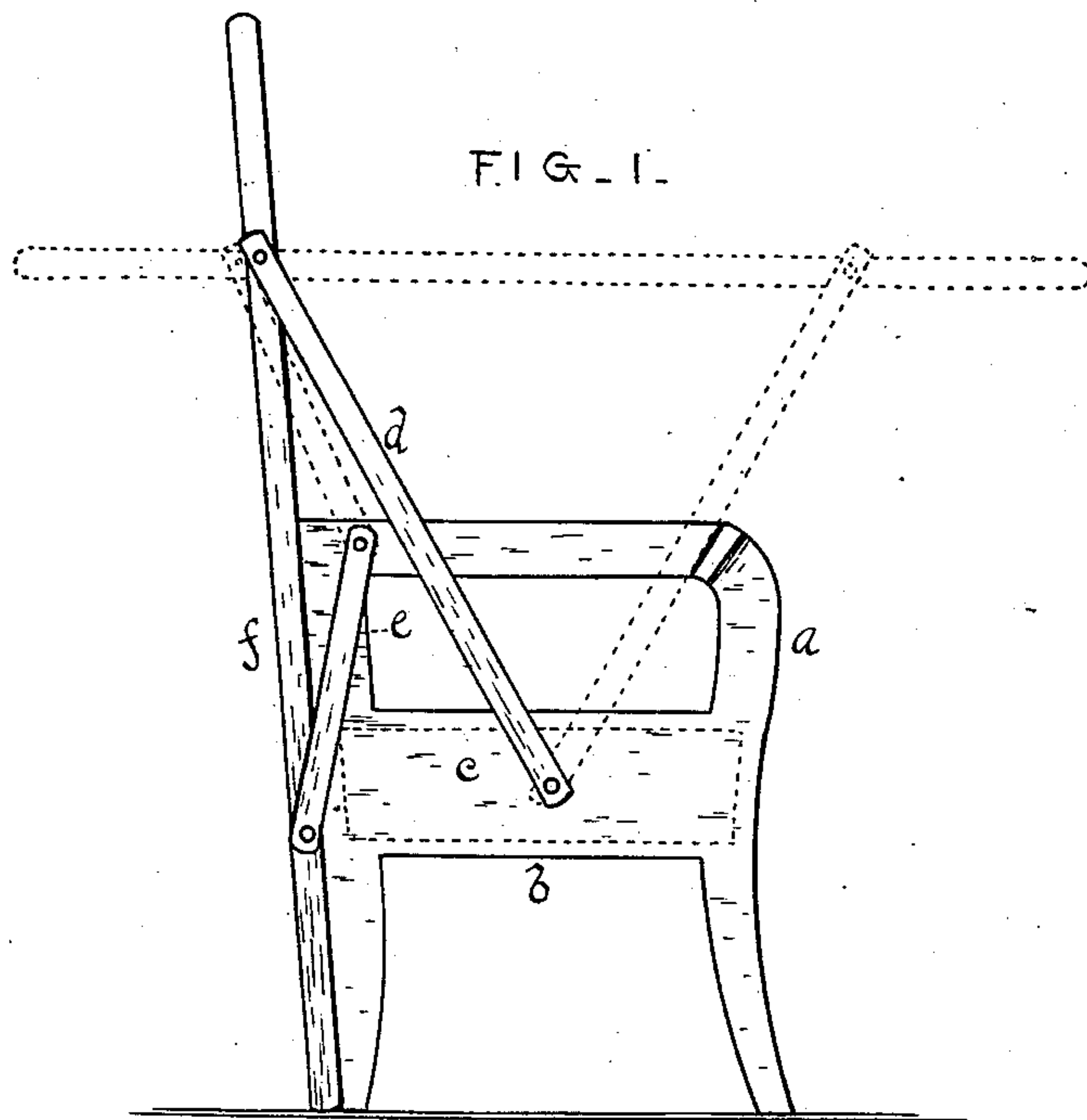
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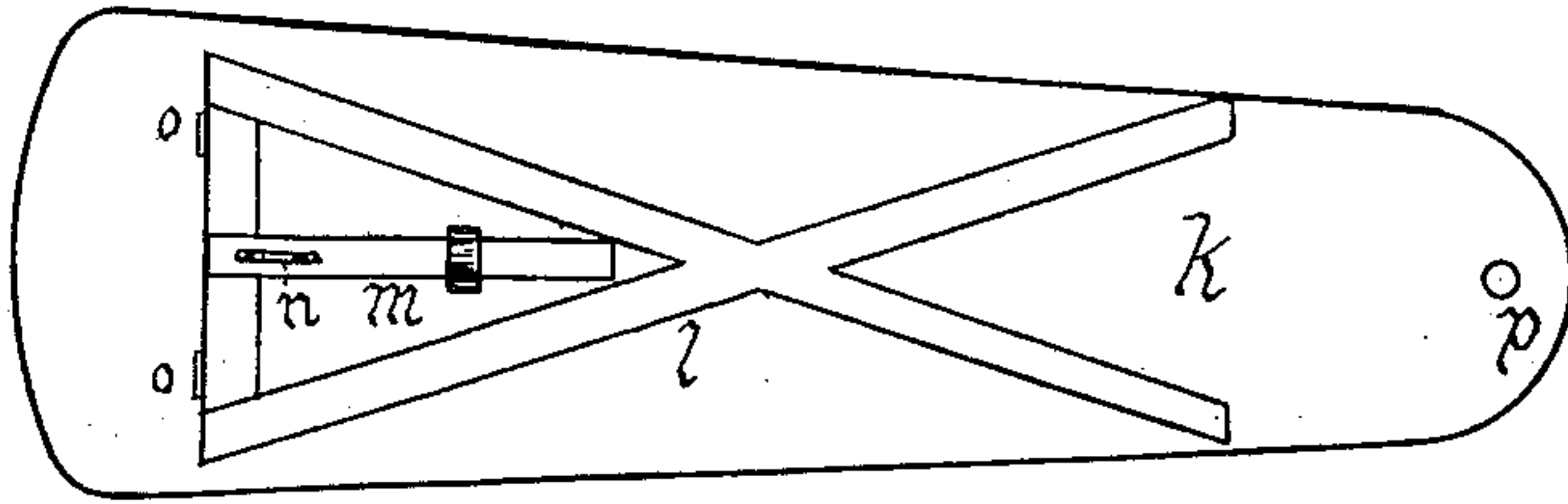


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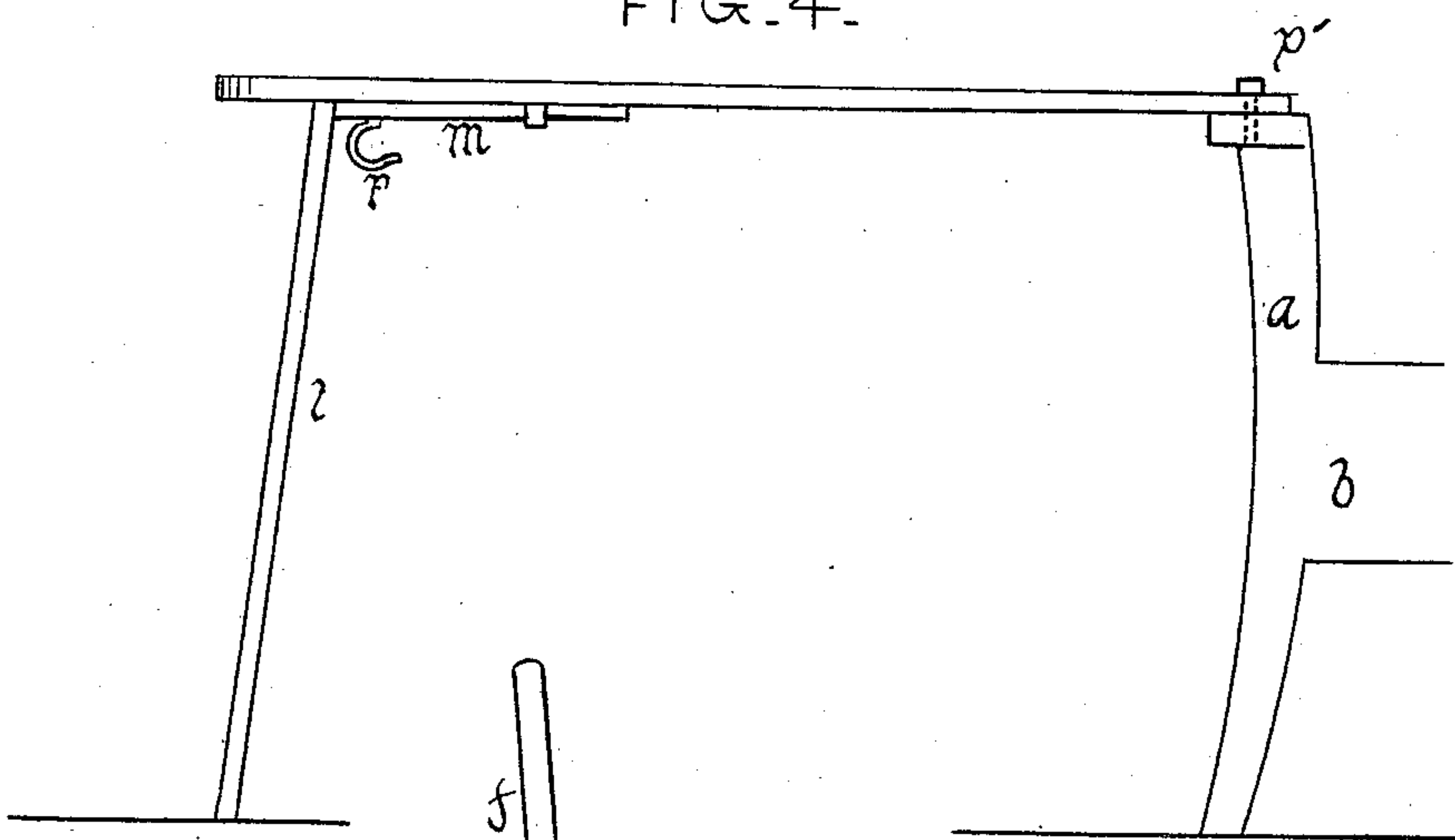
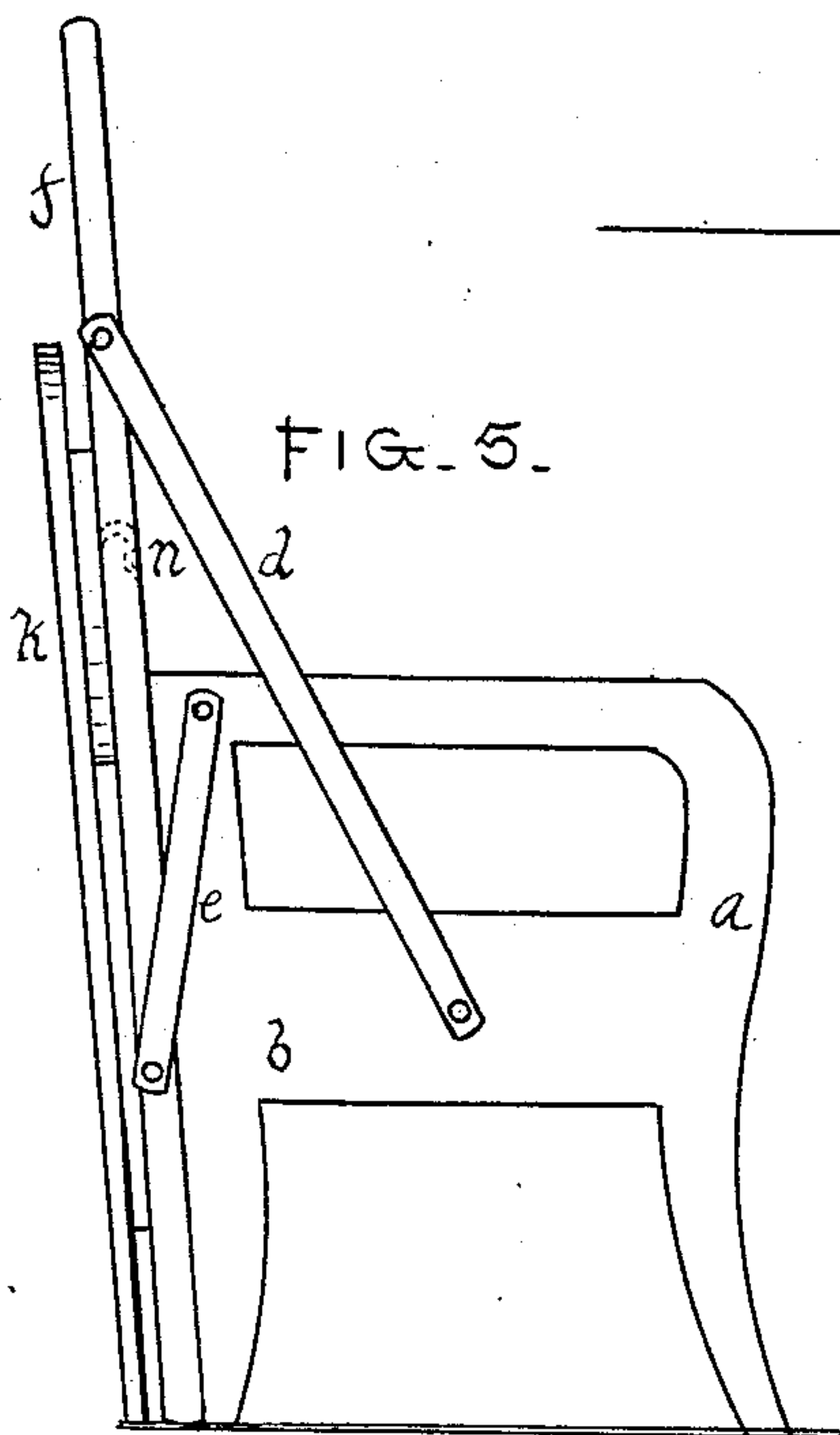


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CONVERTIBLE CHAIR.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CATHARINE M. HAMILTON, a resident of the city of Decatur, county of Macon, and State of Illinois, have invented
5 a certain Combined Clothes Rack, Ironing-Board, Cloth-Receptacle, and Chair, of which the following is a specification.

My invention consists in various parts, combinations, and improvements in the construction and arrangement of a combined
10 clothes-rack, ironing-board, cloth-receptacle, and chair, as set forth in detail in the following specification and claims.

In the drawings accompanying and forming
15 a part of this specification, Figure 1 is a side elevation of the chair, cloth-receptacle, and clothes-rack, with the ironing-board detached. Fig. 2 is a plan of the clothes-rack. Fig. 3 is a bottom view of the ironing-board. Fig. 4
20 shows the ironing-board in position for use, with one end resting on the chair. Fig. 5 is a side elevation of my complete device.

a is the frame of the chair. *b* is the bottom of the same.

25 *c* is a receptacle for ironing-cloths formed in the bottom of the chair.

d and *e* are swinging supports for clothes-rack *f*.

30 *k* is the ironing-board, provided with legs, which are hinged to the board at *o o*.

m is a spring that is used to hold the frame *l* open or closed.

n is a hook used to support board *k* in the position shown in Fig. 5.

35 *g* represent the rounds of frame *f*.

h shows an auxiliary frame, provided with rounds *i* and adapted to slide on rounds *g*.

In the position shown in Fig. 5, all the parts of my device are compactly arranged and
40 adapted to be used as an ordinary chair.

To prepare for ironing, the ironing-cloths are removed from receptacle *c*, the ironing-board is disconnected from the clothes-rack, the rack is elevated to the position indicated
45 by dotted lines in Fig. 1, and spread out, as

shown in the dotted lines in Fig. 2, and the board is adjusted as shown in Fig. 4, and secured to the chair-frame by means of pin *p'* passing through hole *p* and a corresponding hole in the chair-frame.

50 The cloth-receptacle *c* (indicated by dotted lines in Fig. 1) may be constructed in any suitable manner, and may be provided with a drawer, with a sliding lid, or with a hinged lid, as may be found preferable.

55 The chair-frame may be constructed after any suitable form, and the construction of the clothes-rack may be somewhat modified without affecting the principle of my invention.

The braces *d* and *e* are arranged in duplicate on opposite sides of the chair.

The extensible portion *h* of the clothes-rack increases the capacity of the same without increasing the bulk of the device when not in operation; and the said extensible portion
65 consists, simply, in a rack-frame provided with sliding bearings in the side of rack *f*.

I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

1. The combination, with a chair-frame, of
70 a clothes-rack, *f*, secured to the chair by means of swinging braces *d e*, adapted to act as a back for the chair, and also adapted to be elevated to a horizontal position above the chair-frame, as and for the purpose set forth. 75

2. The combination of frame *a*, rack *f*, swinging braces *d e'*, and table-top *k*, as and for the purpose set forth.

3. The combination, with a frame, *a*, and swinging supports *d e*, of rack *f g h i*, adapted
80 to be expanded, as set forth.

4. The combination, with frame *a* and rack *f*, of board *k*, provided with folding legs *l*, hook *n*, hole *p*, and connecting-pin *p'*, as and for the purpose set forth.

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