

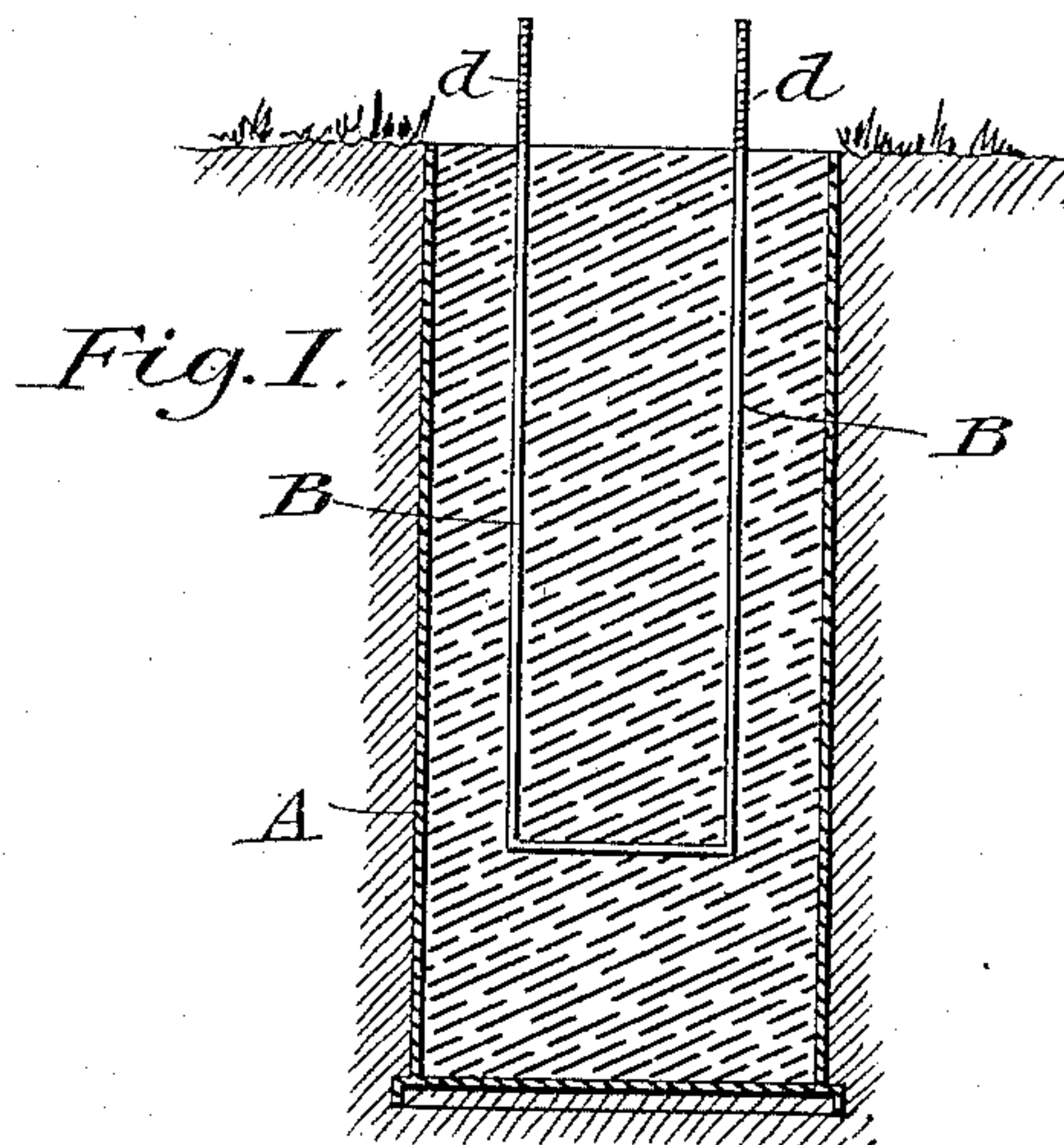
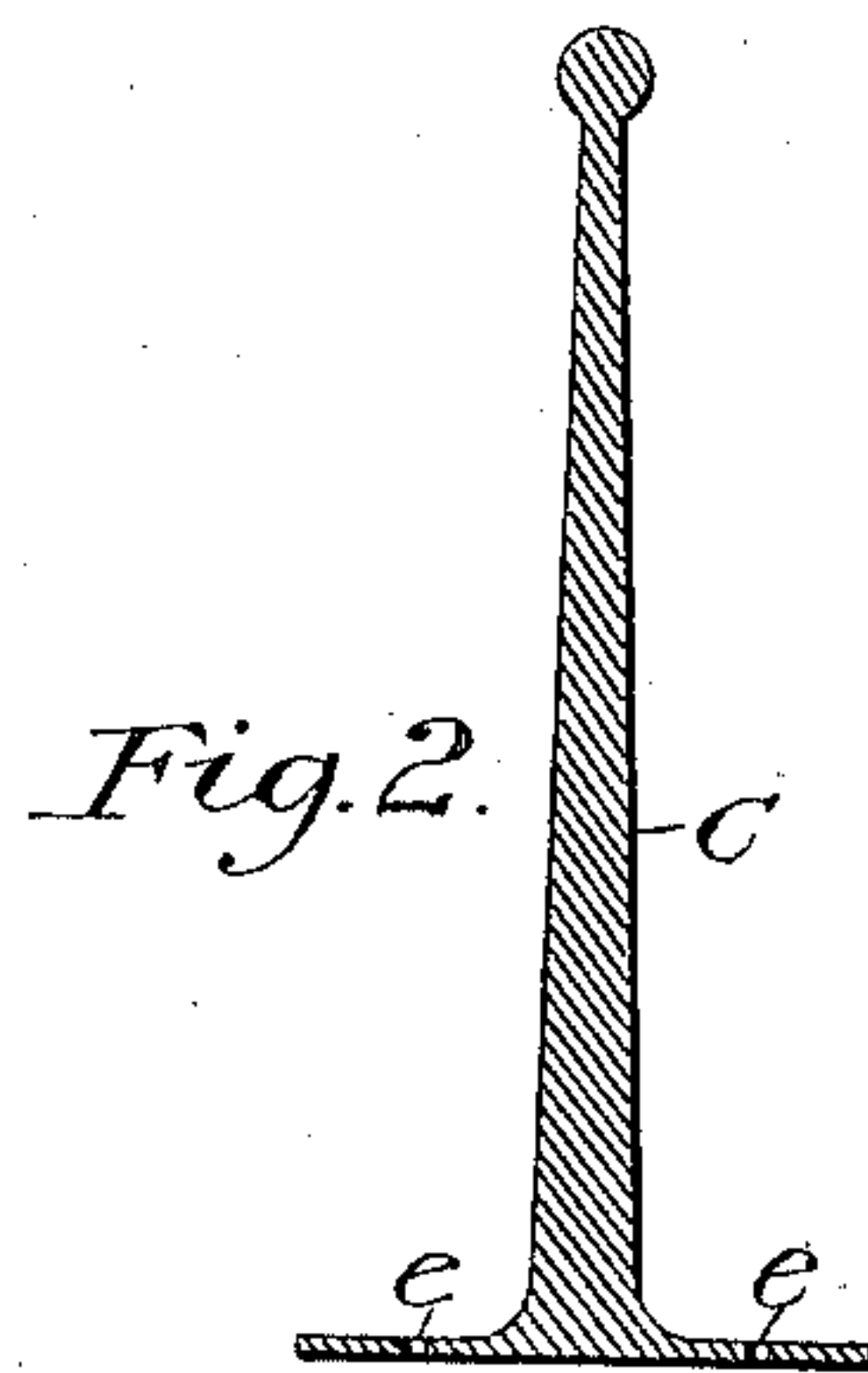
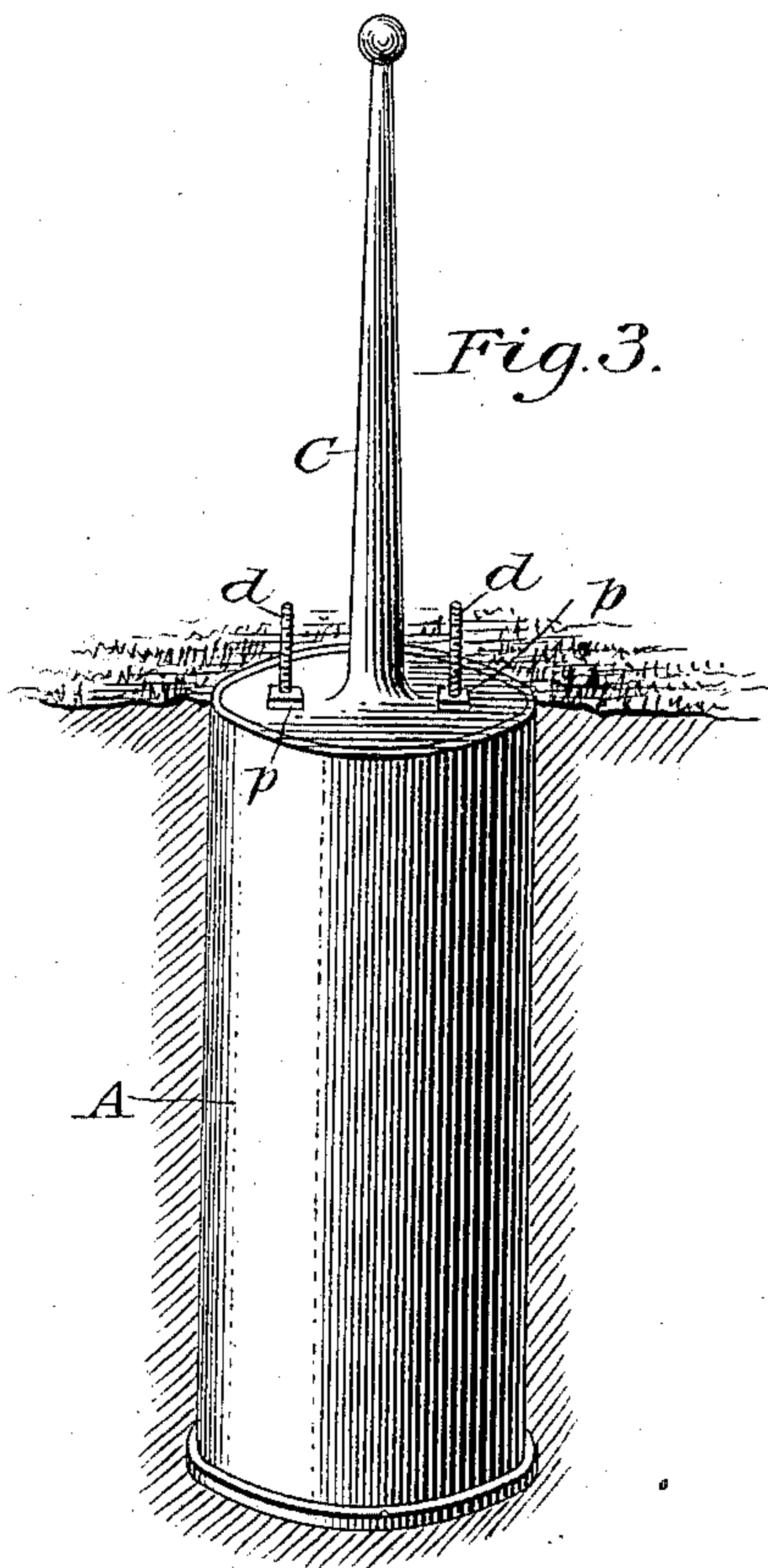
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE CRAINE, a citizen of the United States, residing at Fairfield, in the county of Jefferson and State of Iowa, have invented a certain new and useful Improvement in Fence-Posts and other Posts Set in the Ground; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, which will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same.

My invention relates to improvements in posts to be set in the ground, and the object of my invention is to provide a durable and useful post. I attain this object by the combination of the following parts, illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a vertical sectional view of my improved base. Fig. 2 is a similar section of the post. Fig. 3 is a view of the post complete set in the ground.

A represents a cylindrical tile filled with concrete, in which is embedded a metal stirrup,

B, having threaded ends *dd*. I prefer to make this of wrought-iron and about the shape shown in the drawings.

C is the post proper, which has a broad flanged base provided with holes *ee*, through which the threaded ends *dd* of the stirrup pass, and on these ends are nuts *pp*, for securing the post to the base.

My post is not liable to decay, and is made of substantial rigid material.

What I claim is—

The post herein described, consisting of the tubular part A, composed of tile, the filling of concrete, in which is embedded the metal stirrup B, having projecting screw-threaded ends *dd*, and the upper part, C, having a broad perforated and flanged base secured by means of the nuts *pp*, all constructed and arranged substantially as described and shown.

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