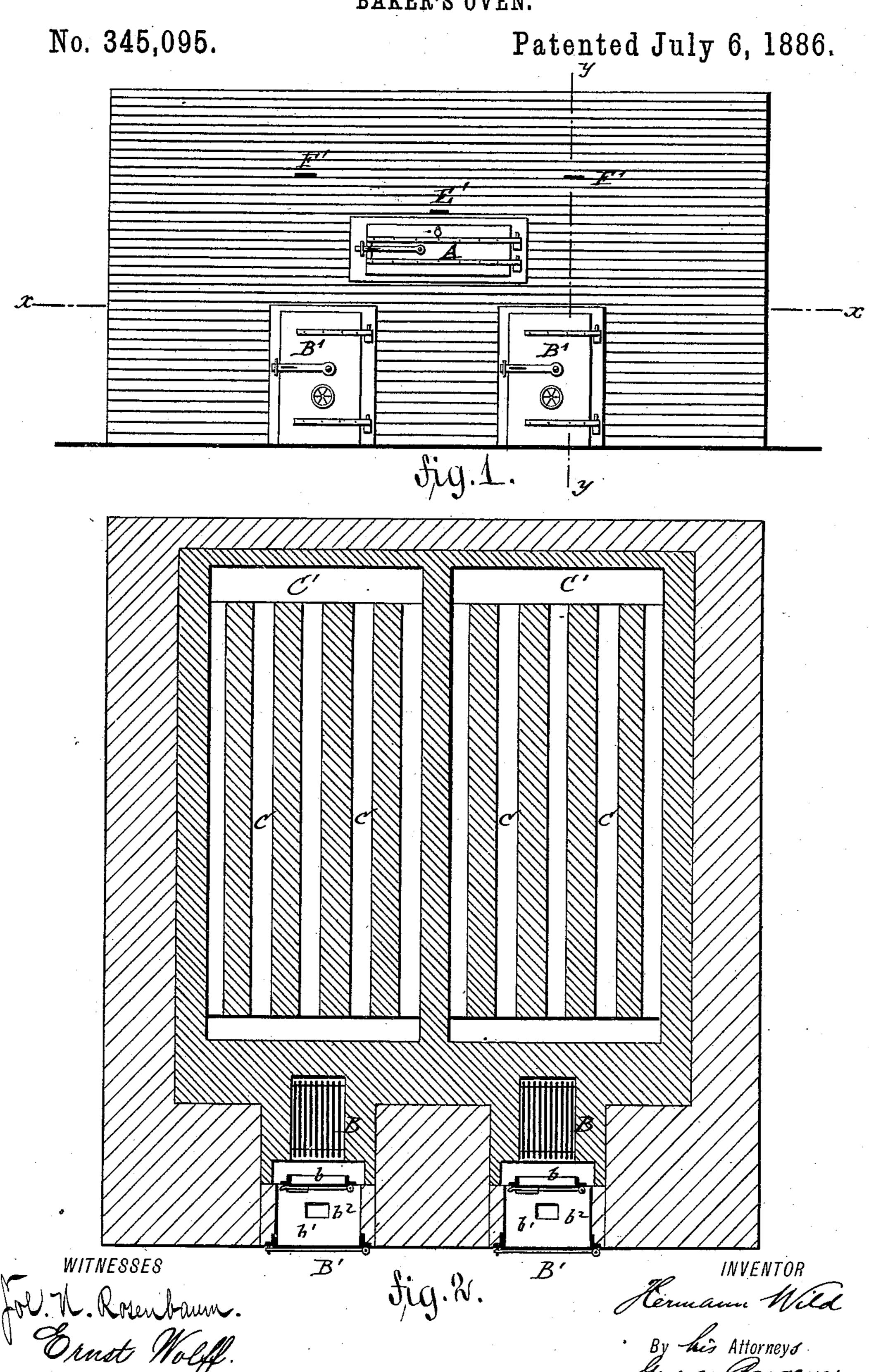
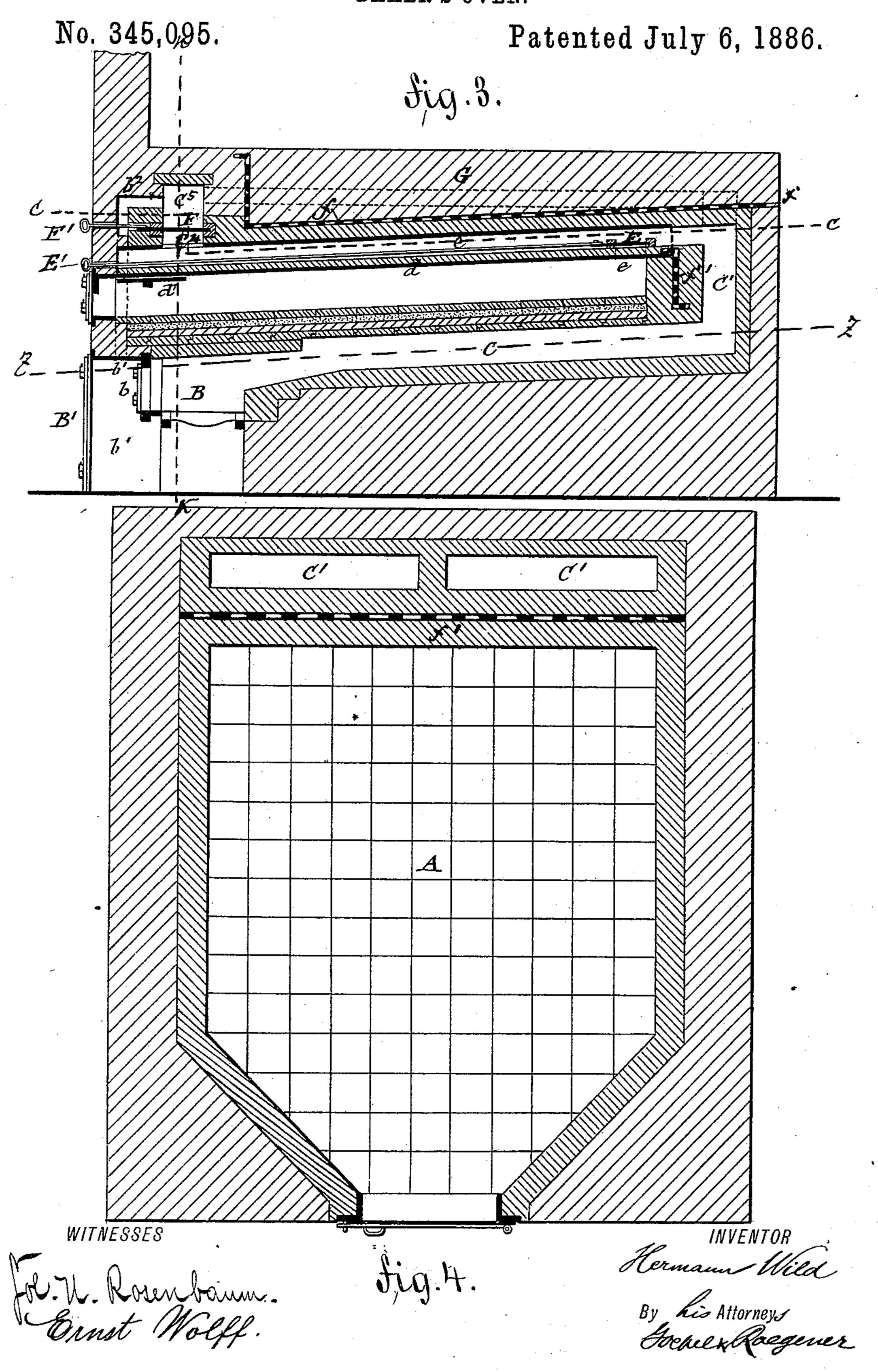
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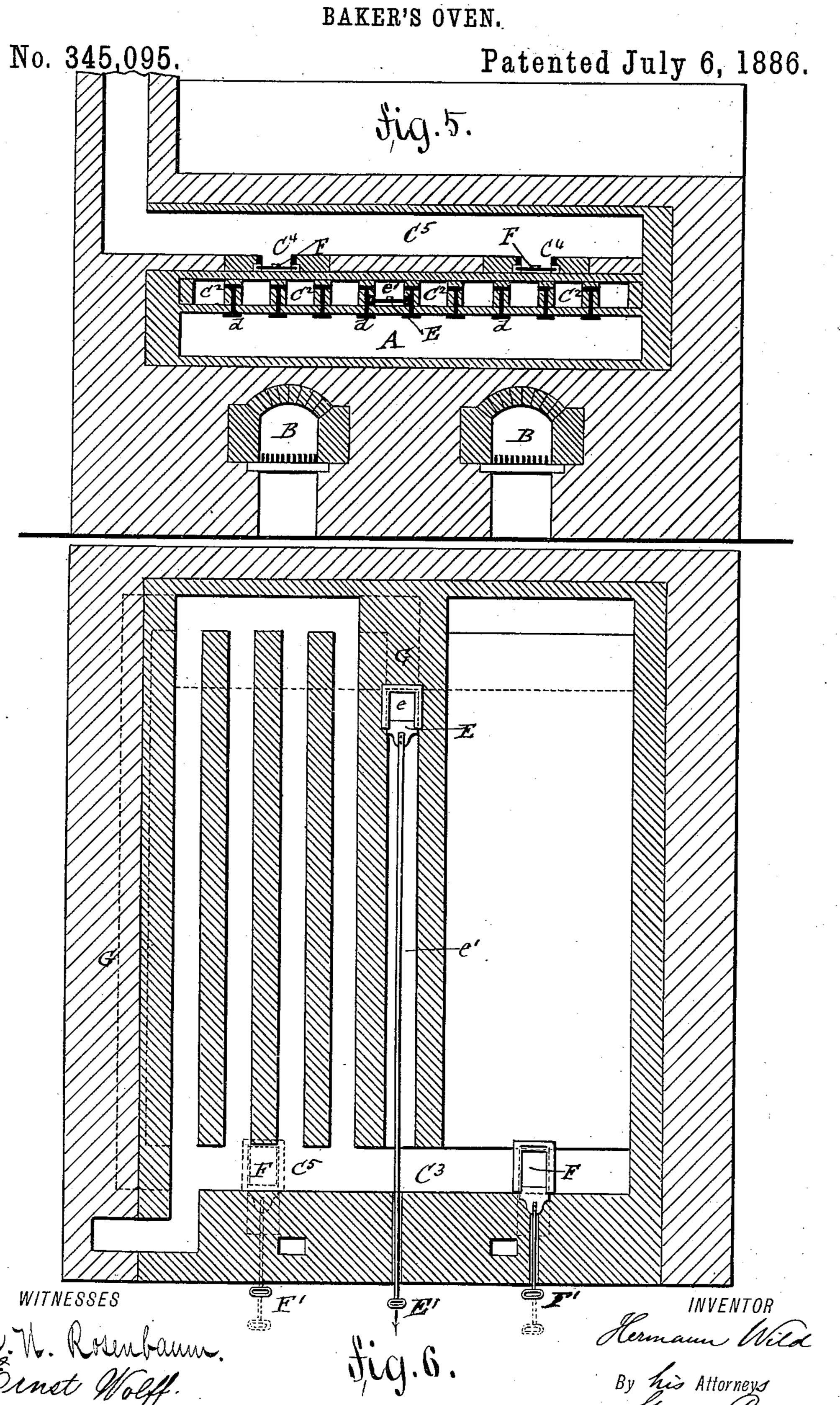


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HERMANN WILD, of Brooklyn, county of Kings, and State of New York, have invented certain new and useful 5 Improvements in Bakers' Ovens, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to a baker's oven with two separate furnaces and heating-flues, whereby the oven is kept at uniform heat at

10 a considerable saving of fuel.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 represents a front elevation of my improved baker's oven. Fig. 2 is a horizontal section of the same on line x x, Fig. 1; Fig. 3, a ver-15 tical longitudinal section on line y y, Fig. 1; Fig. 4, a horizontal section on line z z, Fig. 3; Fig. 5, a vertical transverse section through the baking-chamber; and Fig. 6 is a horizontal section on line c c, Fig. 3.

Similar letters of reference indicate corre-

sponding parts.

Referring to the drawings, A represents the baking-chamber that gradually increases in width from the front opening toward the side 25 walls, and which is lined with fire-bricks in the usual manner. The bottom of the bakingchamber A is formed with tiles of fire-clay, which are laid on a bed of sand that is supported by fire-bricks having overlapping 30 edges. The bottom of the baking-chamber is made sloping toward the front opening, and is heated by means of two separate furnaces, B B, and by two systems of heating-flues, C C, by which the baking-chamber can be quickly 35 heated and kept at a uniform heat. The grates of the furnaces BB are set back from the front doors, B' B', and provided with separate fire-doors b, between which and the front doors spaces b' are arranged, that communi-40 cate by vertical flues b^2 $b^{\bar{z}}$ in the front brick wall with a transverse top flue, C3, leading to the chimney. The flues b^2 ventilate the spaces in front of the grates and their ashpits and carry off the heated air and dust, so as to give 45 less trouble to the hands running the oven.

The longitudinal flues C C run back from the furnaces toward the rear wall of the baking-chamber A, and communicate by vertical rear flues, C', with longitudinal return-flues 50 C2, which are located in the crown of the bak-

ing-chamber, and supported by double Tbeams that rest on a transverse iron plate, d', at the front part of the baking-chamber, and on the transverse rear wall of the same, as

shown in Fig. 3.

The return-flues C² C² are formed of top and bottom tiles of fire-brick, which rest, respectively, on the bases and tops of the double T-beams, and of vertical side-bricks, which cover the webs of the beams, as shown in 60 Fig. 5. The return-flues C² C² form with the beams and tiles described the crown of the baking-chamber and heat the upper part of the same.

The crown of the baking-chamber A is pro- 65 vided in its rear part with a central opening, e, that communicates by a central flue, e', with the transverse top-flue, C³. The opening e is closed by a sliding damper, E, the damper-rod E' of which passes through the front wall 70 of the oven, and has a handle at its outer end, so as to be conveniently operated for admitting the escape of steam and heated air from the baking-chamber through the flue e to the chimney, and relieving the baking-chamber 75 from undue steam-pressure. The return-flues C² C² are open at their front ends and connected by two short vertical flues, C', with a second lateral flue, C⁵, which communicates with the chimney. The vertical flues C¹ are 80 provided with horizontal dampers Fand damper rods F', which extend through the front wall and are operated from the front of the oven. By closing the dampers F F the firegases do not pass through the return flues C² 85 C², but through a central and side top flue, G, directly to the transverse front flue, C⁵, as shown in dotted lines in Figs. 3 and 6. The dampers F are closed when the fire is started in the furnaces and also when the oven is 90 thoroughly heated, so that the heat of the same is thereby regulated to the proper degree of temperature. A layer, f, of asbestus, extends over the bricks that cover the returnflues C² to the rear part of the structure, also 95 a second layer, f', vertically through the rear wall of the baking-chamber, which layers serve to confine the heat in the baking-chamber and prevent the radiation of the same through the top and rear brick walls.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

The combination of a baking-chamber, 5 separate furnaces each having interior and exterior doors, and vertical flues extending through the front wall and connecting the spaces between said doors with a transverse top flue leading to the chimney, substantially 10 as set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed my name in presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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