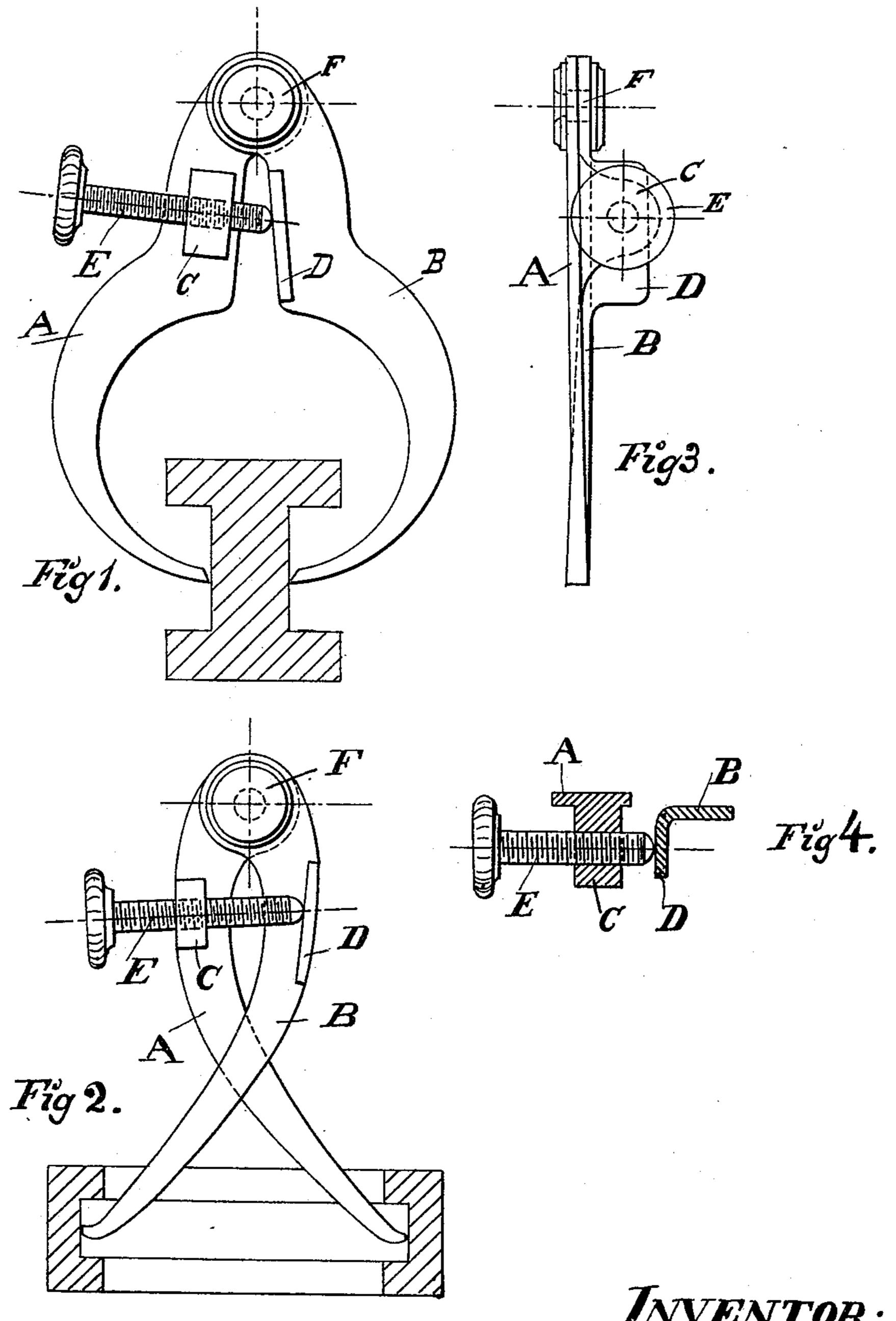
## K. P. DAHLSTROM.

CALIPERS.

No. 351,363.

Patented Oct. 26, 1886.



WITNESSES: In Mosh INVENTOR: Land Dahlstrom.

## United States Patent Office.

KARL P. DAHLSTROM, OF TAUNTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

## CALIPERS.

SPECIFICATION forming part of Letters Patent No. 351,363, dated October 26, 1886.

Application filed May 8, 1886. Serial No. 201,511. (No model.)

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, KARL P. DAHLSTROM, a subject of the King of Sweden, residing at Taunton, in the county of Bristol and State of Massachusetts, have invented a new and useful Improvement in Calipers, of which the following is a specification.

The object of the invention is to provide a convenient means of obtaining a dimension in cases similar to those indicated in the accompanying drawings—as thickness of metal in an I-iron fastened at both ends or inside central diameter of an eccentric strap. I attain this object in the manner illustrated in the drawings furnished, in which—

Figure 1 is a front view of the calipers when used for outside measurements; Fig. 2, a front view of the calipers when adapted for inside measurements; Fig. 3, a side view looking on the head of the screw E; and Fig. 4 a horizontal section of the instrument through the screw.

Similar letters refer to similar parts through.

out the several views.

A and B are the legs of the calipers. To leg A is attached a lug, C, either forged solid with the leg, as shown in Fig. 4, or made as a separate piece and secured to the same. On

leg B is a projection, D, to correspond with lug C. Through lug C is tapped a hole, in which works a screw, E, cut with a fine thread, 30 the end of which is in contact with lug D when the instrument is closed. The legs operate on a journal, F, with running fit.

The following is the mode of operating: The points of the legs are applied where the dimension is desired, and thereafter the screw E is turned until it comes in contact with the projection D. The leg B is afterward swung back, the caliners removed from the leg.

back, the calipers removed from the object, and when leg B is again brought down to the 40 end of the screw E the dimension can be ascertained.

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

The combination, with a calipers, of a screw, as E, tapped into and through a lug, as C, on one leg and abutting against a projection on the other leg, substantially as and for the purposes set forth.

KARL P. DAHLSTROM.

Witnesses:

E. D. Godfrey,

E. L. Crossman. .