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Fig. I.

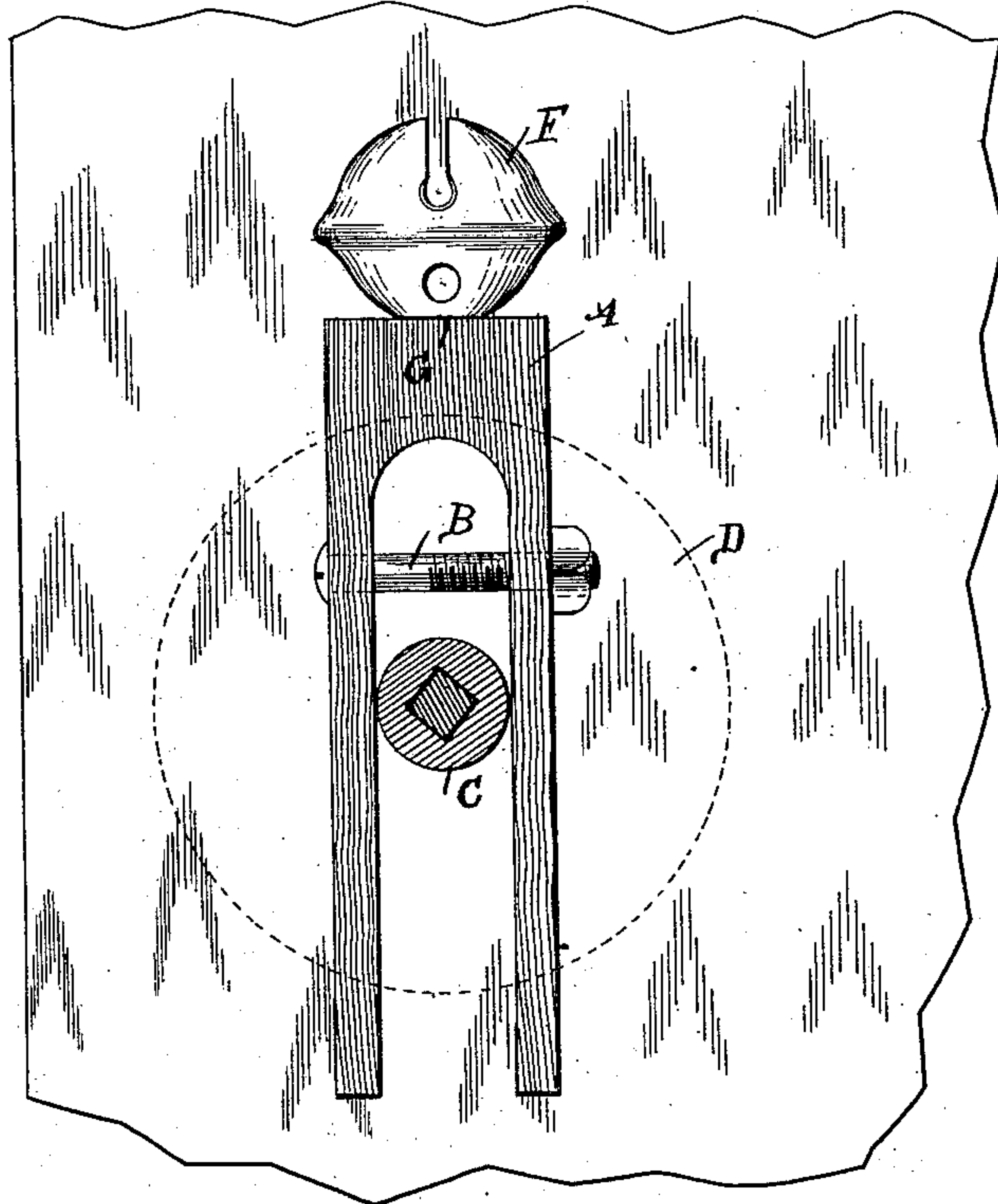
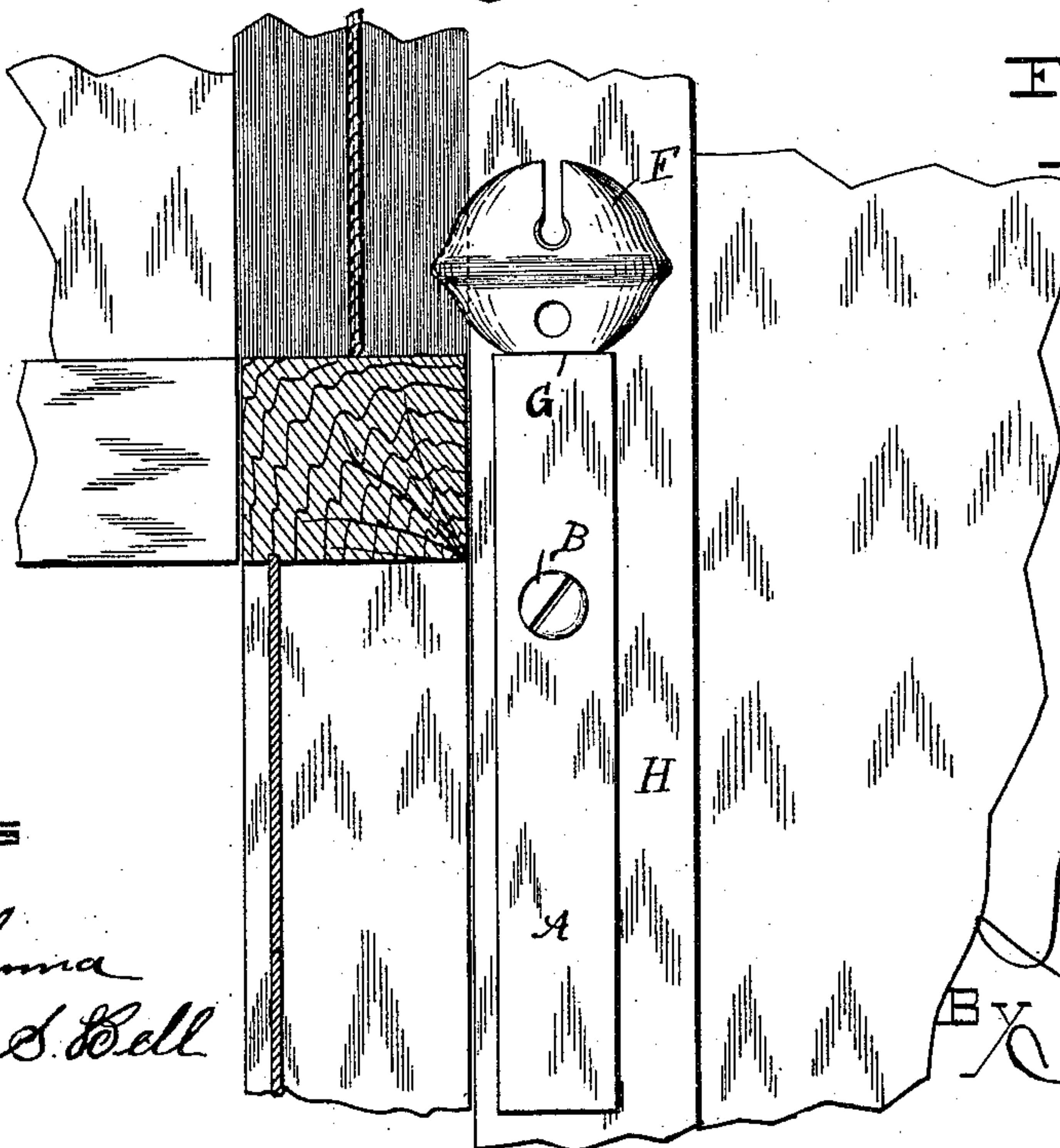


Fig. II.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, LAMBERT B. BATTIN, of Elizabeth, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Burglar-Alarms, of which the following is a specification.

My invention consists of a detachable and adjustable alarm which may be secured to a door or door-knob, or to a window or window-sash, in such a manner that if the door or sash or any part thereof is moved or shifted the alarm will be immediately given.

Referring to the accompanying drawings, which form a part of this specification, Figure I represents my improved device attached to a door-knob, as will be hereinafter explained. Fig. II shows the same construction applied in a slightly-different way to a window-sash.

In the drawings, A represents a fork-shaped piece of wood or metal or other suitable material, and is provided with a screw-bolt B, which extends through the fingers of the fork, locking them together against the knob-shank C of the knob D. The top of the fork A is provided with a flat space which is adapted to occupy a horizontal position when in place, and on this seat rests a detachable bell or alarm F, which, when the knob D is turned, will, by reason of the tipping of the fork A, drop upon the floor and give an alarm. The bell F is provided with a flat portion G,

which corresponds with the seating upon the top of the fork A, and by reason of this construction the parts will be retained in their normal operative positions as long as they remain at rest; but when, as aforesaid, the knob-handle is turned the bell will ring as soon as it is thrown from its seat on the top of the fork. The same construction differently adapted and employed is shown in Fig. II, where the fork A is attached by means of a screw-bolt B or by other suitable means to the window-frame H. As will be seen by referring to this drawing, the said fork is attached to the frame at or near the top of the lower sash in such a position that the bell which sets inwardly toward the sash, so as to extend slightly over it, will be thrown from its seat to the floor when the sash is raised.

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

A support for burglar-alarms, consisting of a fork-shaped body having a bolt passing through its fingers for attaching it to the shank of a knob, and a plane seat on its upper or head end, on which a bell or other article of alarm may be placed, substantially as herein set forth.

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