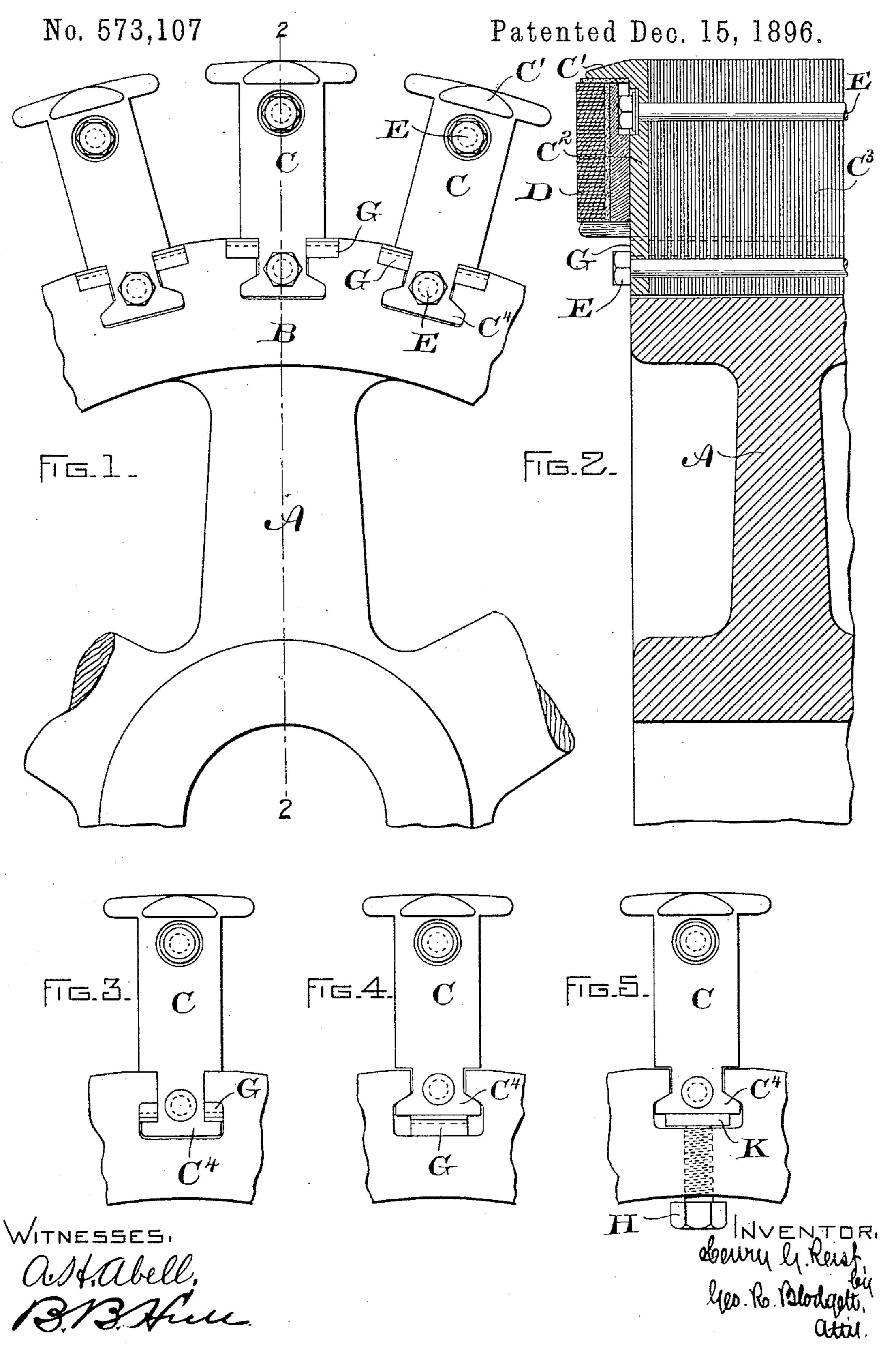
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SECURING FIELD-MAGNET POLES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Henry G. Reist, a citizen of the United States, residing at Schenectady, in the county of Schenectady, State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Securing Field-Magnet Poles, (Case No. 426,) of which the fol-

lowing is a specification.

My invention relates to securing pole-pieces to to revolving field-magnet structures, particularly in alternating-current dynamos, where the field-magnet poles are made of assembled laminations of sheet-iron. To this end I make the laminations with a dovetailed tenon 15 upon the ends, so that when they are assembled the pole-piece may be slipped sidewise into the field-magnet structure. I then insert keys, so as to take up any lost motion between the pole-piece and the field-magnet, 20 the end plates of the poles being provided with overhanging lips or flanges which serve to retain the field-magnet coils in place. I may then remove any field-magnet coil or any pole-piece without removing the field-25 magnet structure as a whole.

It is manifest that the invention may take a number of forms, all embodying the same general characteristics. Some of these forms I have illustrated in the accompanying draw-

30 ings, in which-

Figure 1 is a side elevation of one form of my invention, Fig. 2 a section on the line 2 2 of Fig. 1, and Figs. 3; 4, and 5 side elevations of modifications, all, however, embracing the

35 same general idea.

In Fig.1, A is the field-magnet spider. Bis its outer rim, which may or may not be laminated. C C are the field-magnet poles, composed of a body of laminations C³ and end plates 40 C², having overhanging flanges C′ for securing the field-magnet coils D in place. Bolts E E compress the parts, so as to make each pole-piece a solid structure. The bottom of each pole-piece is formed with a dovetailed

tenon C⁴, and keys G G serve to take up any 45 lost motion or play between the parts.

In Fig. 3 I show substantially the same device, except that the dovetailed tenon is replaced by another of different form.

In Fig. 4 the keys G are inserted below the 50 pole instead of between the shoulder upon the pole and the revolving spider or field-magnet structure, while in Fig. 5 the key K is supplemented by a bolt or set-screw H, locking the pole in place.

It is manifest that any of these forms come within my invention, which embodies such a mode of attachment as would permit the sidewise removal of any one of the pole-pieces without affecting the rest of the magnetic 60 standards.

structure.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States, is—

1. The combination with a revolving field-magnet structure, of pole-pieces separated 65 from each other, and arranged on the periphery of said field-magnet structure, said pole-pieces being composed of laminated material, and being dovetailed into the periphery of said revolving structure, and means 70 for taking up the play of the parts.

2. The combination with a revolving field-magnet structure, of pole-pieces projecting from the periphery of said field-magnet structure and separated from each other, said 75 pole-pieces being each composed of a bundle of laminæ, and outside clamping-plates, the several parts being bolted together, the pole-pieces being dovetailed to the periphery of said revolving structure, and keys for taking 80 up the play of the parts, as herein set forth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 22d day of August, 1896.

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