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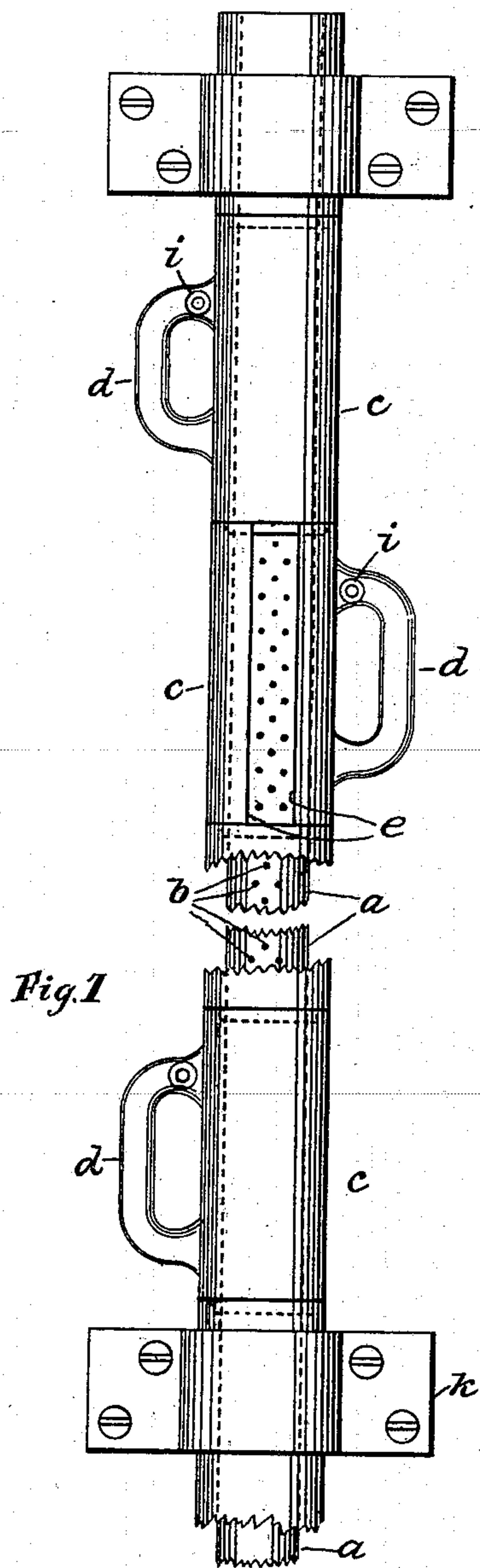


Fig. 1

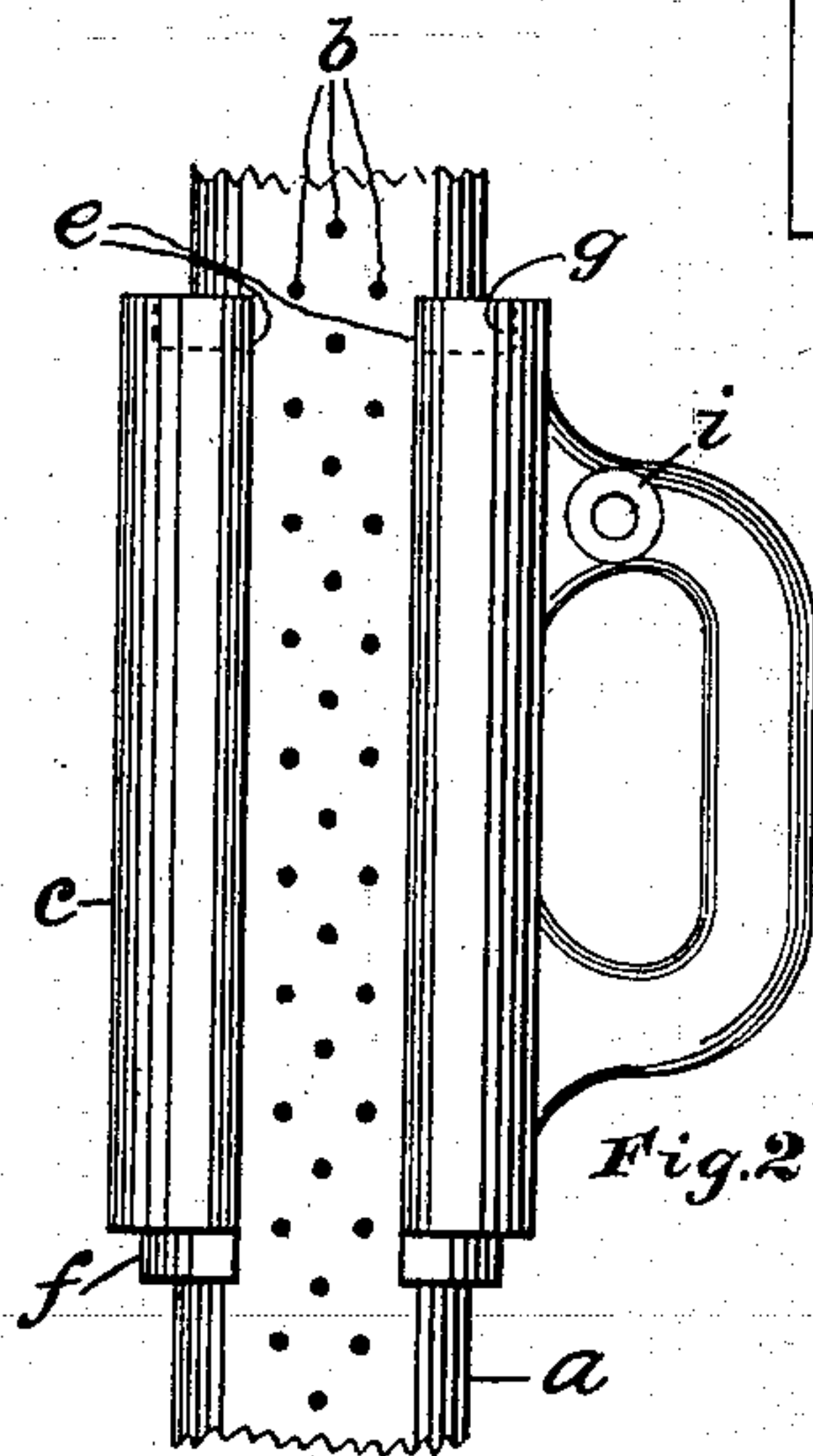


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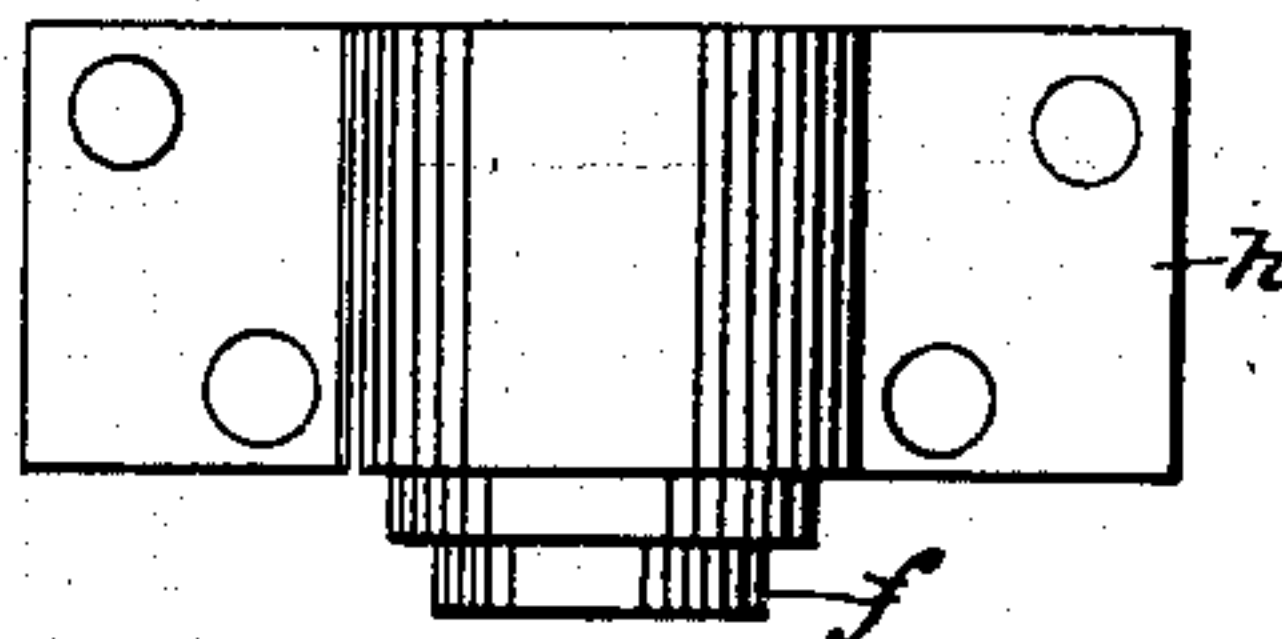


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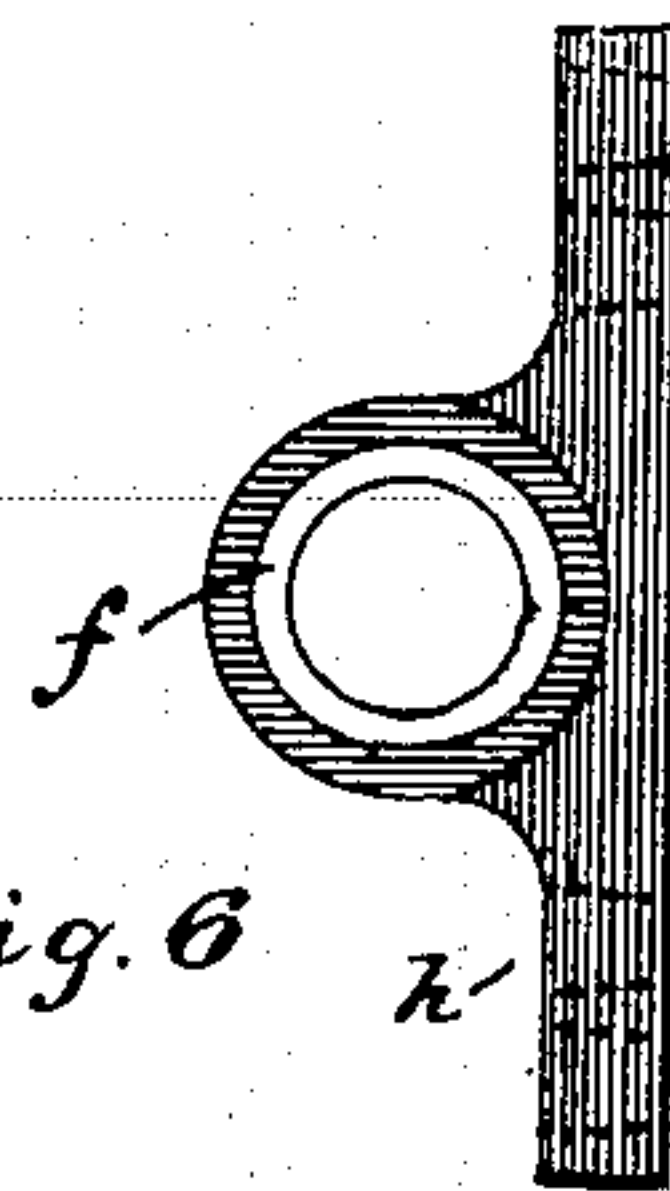


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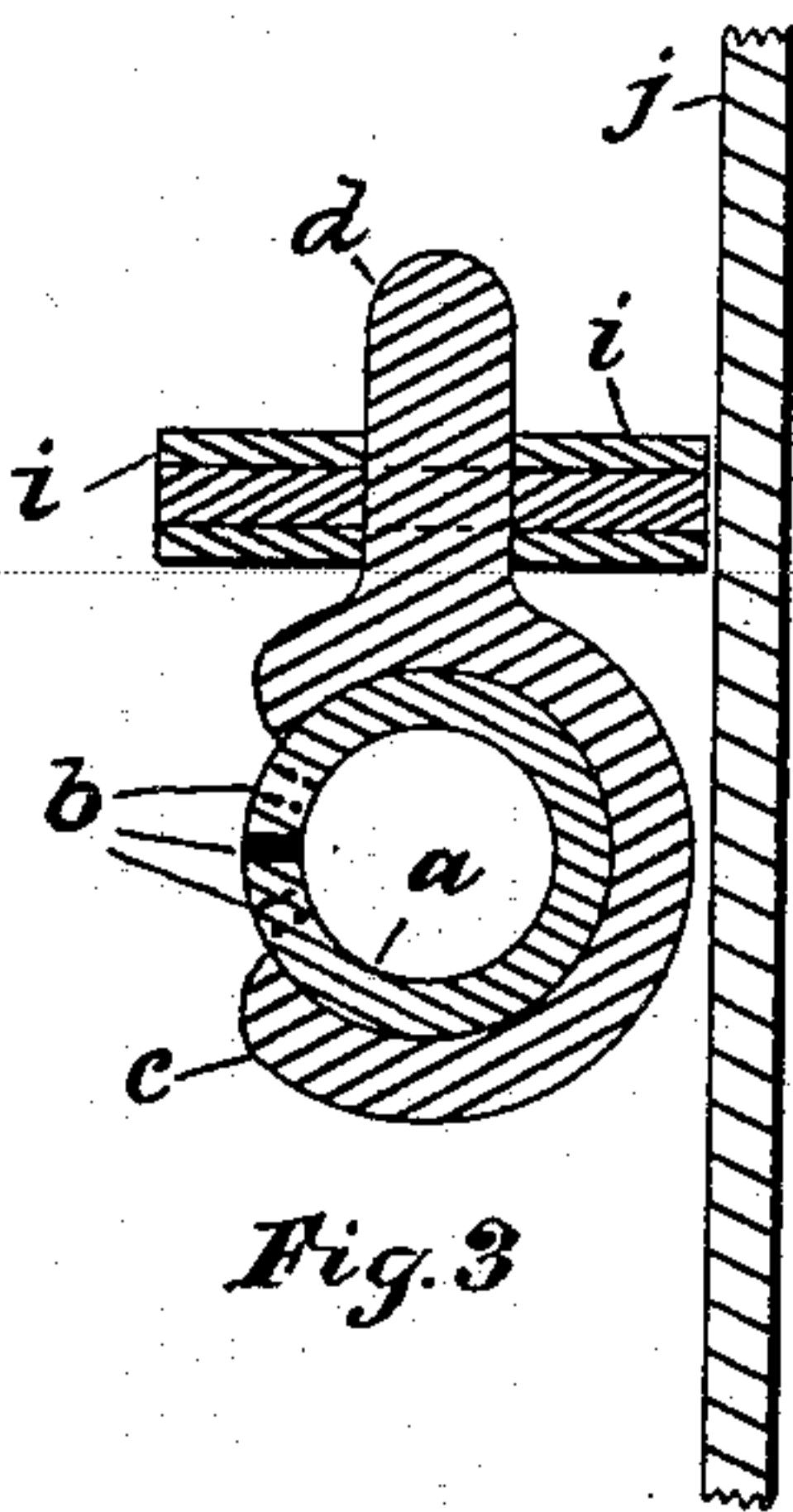


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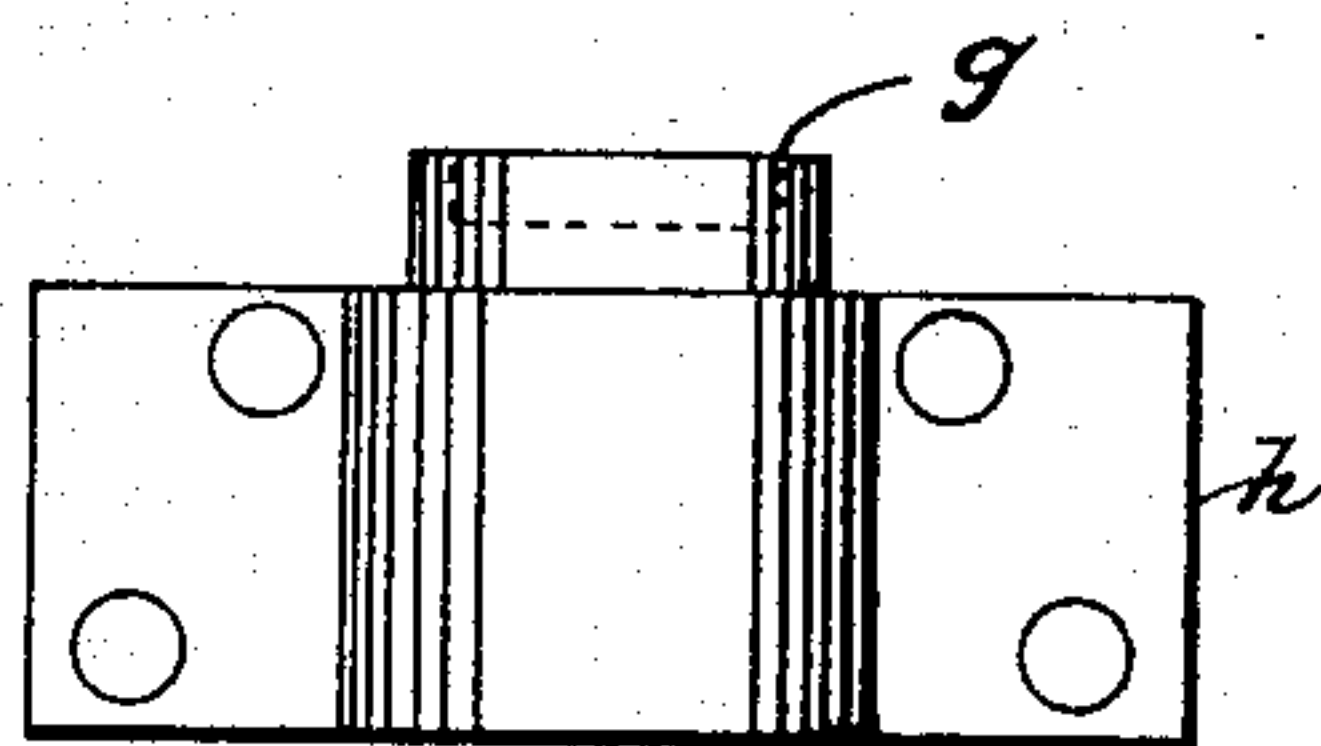


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, EMIL JENDIS, a citizen of the United States, residing at Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, have
5 invented certain new and useful Improvements in Shower-Baths, which are fully set forth in the following specification, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, forming a part thereof, and in which—

10 Figure 1 shows my said new device in elevation with parts broken away. Fig. 2 shows a fragment of a foraminated pipe with a longitudinally-split sleeve, leaving the water-passages fully open. Fig. 3 shows a transverse sectional end view of said device. Figs.
15 4 and 5 show upper and lower end pipe-holders, respectively. Fig. 6 shows Fig. 4 in section.

Like letters of reference denote like parts.

20 The object of my invention is to provide a ready means whereby a vertical spray-pipe to a bath may have any of its jets cut off in whole or in part at pleasure for the complete control of the hygienic effect on the person. To
25 attain said desirable ends, I construct my said new device in substantially the following manner, namely: I provide a vertical pipe or pipes *a*, pierced with a series of jet-holes *b* in axial lines, so as to form a narrow longitudinal band or strip of holes *b*, from which the
30 watersprays horizontally. Said pipe or pipes,

which are of the full height of a tall person, are covered with sections of longitudinally-slotted rotatable sleeves *c*, each provided with a handle *d*, to which is attached on each side
35 a check or stop *i*, whereof the end strikes against the wall *j*, which is the wall of the bath-chamber. Said longitudinal slot *e* is slightly wider than the band or strip of holes *b*, and said sleeves are fitted into each other
40 end for end by annular collars *f* and corresponding sockets *g*, and the ends of said pipe are held by straps *h*, which are fitted to the side of the wall *j*, and the intermediate parts
45 of the pipe are held by straps *k*. The handles *d* are relatively placed at right angles to the slot *e*. By means of this construction any set of jets, high or low, or all of them, may be opened to give their desired effect on the
50 patient.

What I claim is—

The combination with a pipe longitudinally jetted on one side and held by supports *h*, *g*
h, *f* at its ends, of longitudinally-slotted sleeves with handles to said sleeves and wall-
55 stops to said handles, substantially as specified.

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