

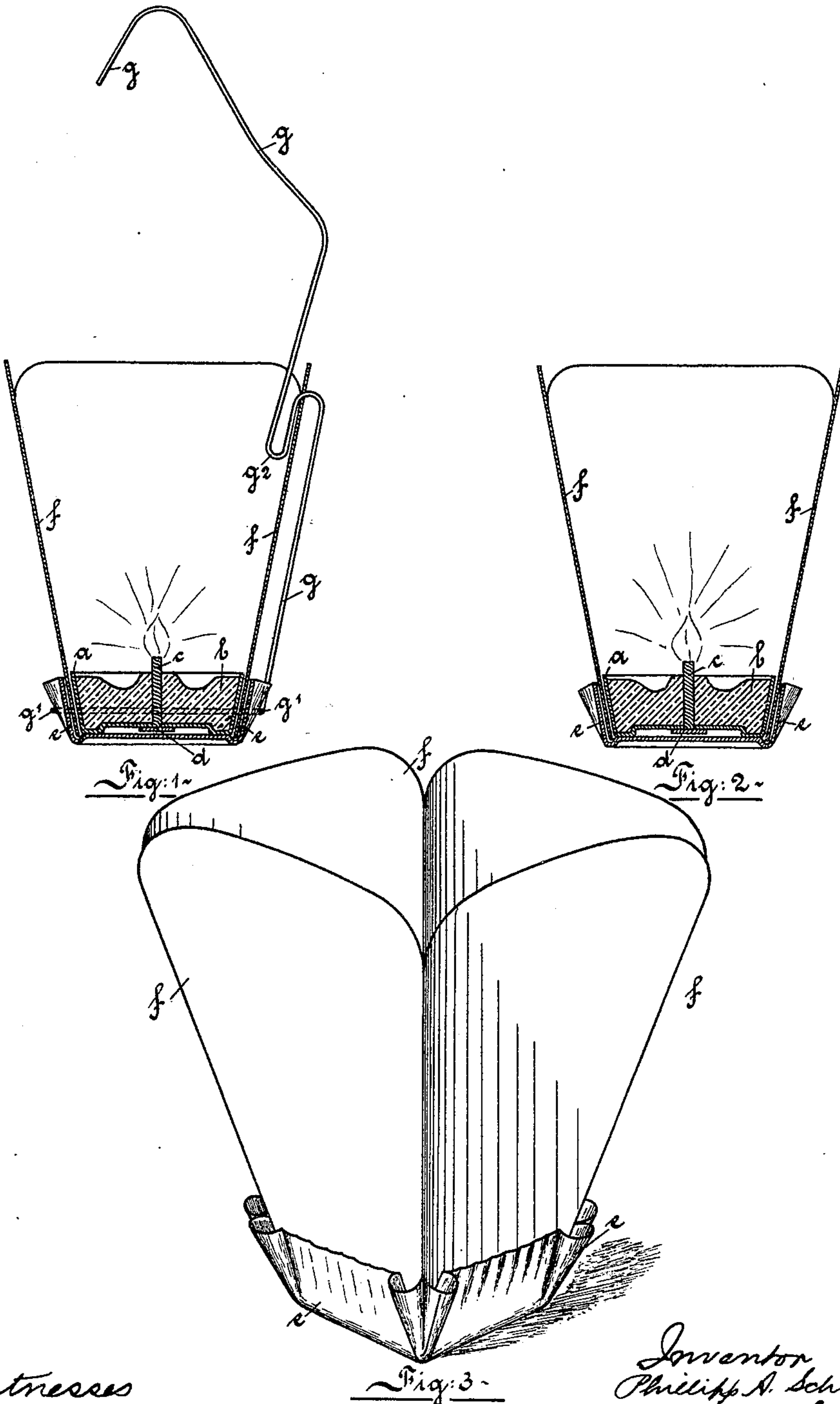
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## ILLUMINATION-LAMP.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, PHILIPP ADAM SCHNEIDER, residing at Mentz, Germany, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Illumination-Lamps, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to illumination-lamps, and is directed more particularly to that class of lamps which are designed to be used in illumination after the manner of Chinese lanterns.

My invention consists in the illumination-lamp possessing the features pointed out hereinafter in the claims.

My invention will be understood by referring to the accompanying drawings, showing an embodiment thereof, in which—

Figure 1 is a vertical section through the lamp, showing the same as a hanging lamp; Fig. 2, a similar lamp, as a stand-lamp; and Fig. 3 is an isometric view of the illumination-lamp shown in Fig. 2, the same being a stand-lamp—that is to say, a lamp which stands upon its own base and is specially adapted for use upon a window-sill, where a series may be employed placed side by side.

In the drawings, *a* is a cup or vessel, preferably polygonal in horizontal section, which cup contains a candle *b*, of any suitable combustible material, provided with a wick *c*.

*d* is a plate secured to the bottom of the cup *a*.

*e* is an outer cup surrounding the cup *a*.

A lantern-body *f* is interposed between the two cups and, as shown in the present instance, is frictionally held between said cups, and consists of leaves of different colors for the different sides of the lamp. This lantern-body, however, may be made of any desirable material; but I prefer to make it of transparent paper or different-colored gelatin or the

like. The lantern-body may be perforated, if desired, to obtain greater effect and may exhibit alternate dark or light sections.

The parts just described constitute a stand-lamp—that is to say, a lamp which will stand upon its own base, as shown in Fig. 1. If it is desirable to produce a hanging lamp, the cup *a* is provided with a loop *g'*, to which a hanger *g* is attached. This hanger is preferably formed of wire and provided with a downwardly-extending bend *g''*, which extends over the edge of the lantern-body, at the corner thereof, and down into the interior of the lamp.

It will be readily observed that the illumination-lamp just described may be suspended by the hanger.

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

1. In an illumination-lamp, the combination of an outer cup *e* an inner cup *a*, a lantern-body *f*, having its lower edge inserted between the cups *a* and *e* and held in place by frictional contact with the said cups and a candle *b* contained within the inner cup *a*, the flame of the said candle being visible through the lantern-body, substantially as described.

2. In an illumination-lamp, the combination of an outer cup *e*, an inner cup *a* contained within the said outer cup and provided with a candle, a lantern-body *f* having its lower edge entered between the outer and inner cups and held in place by frictional contact with the said cups and a hanger *g* for hanging or suspending the lamp.

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