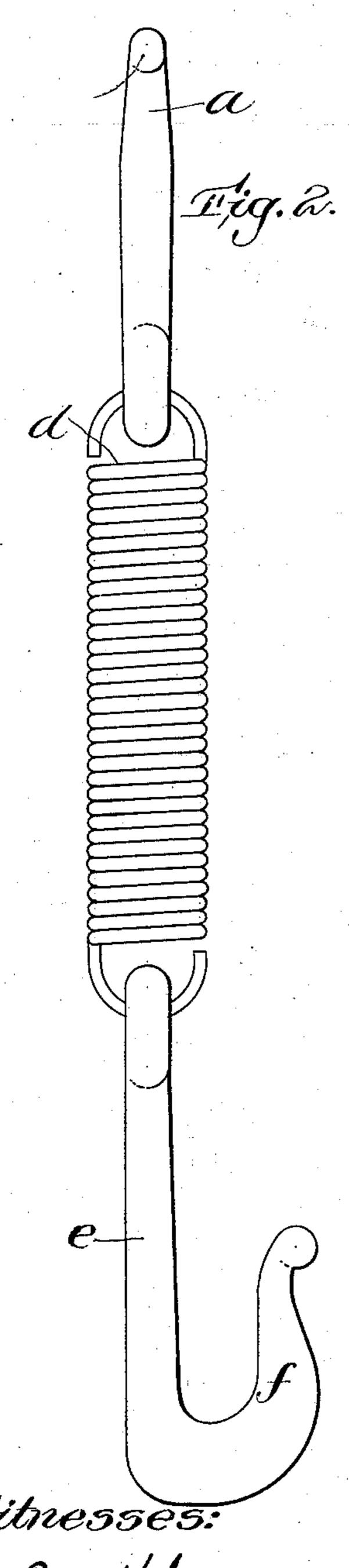
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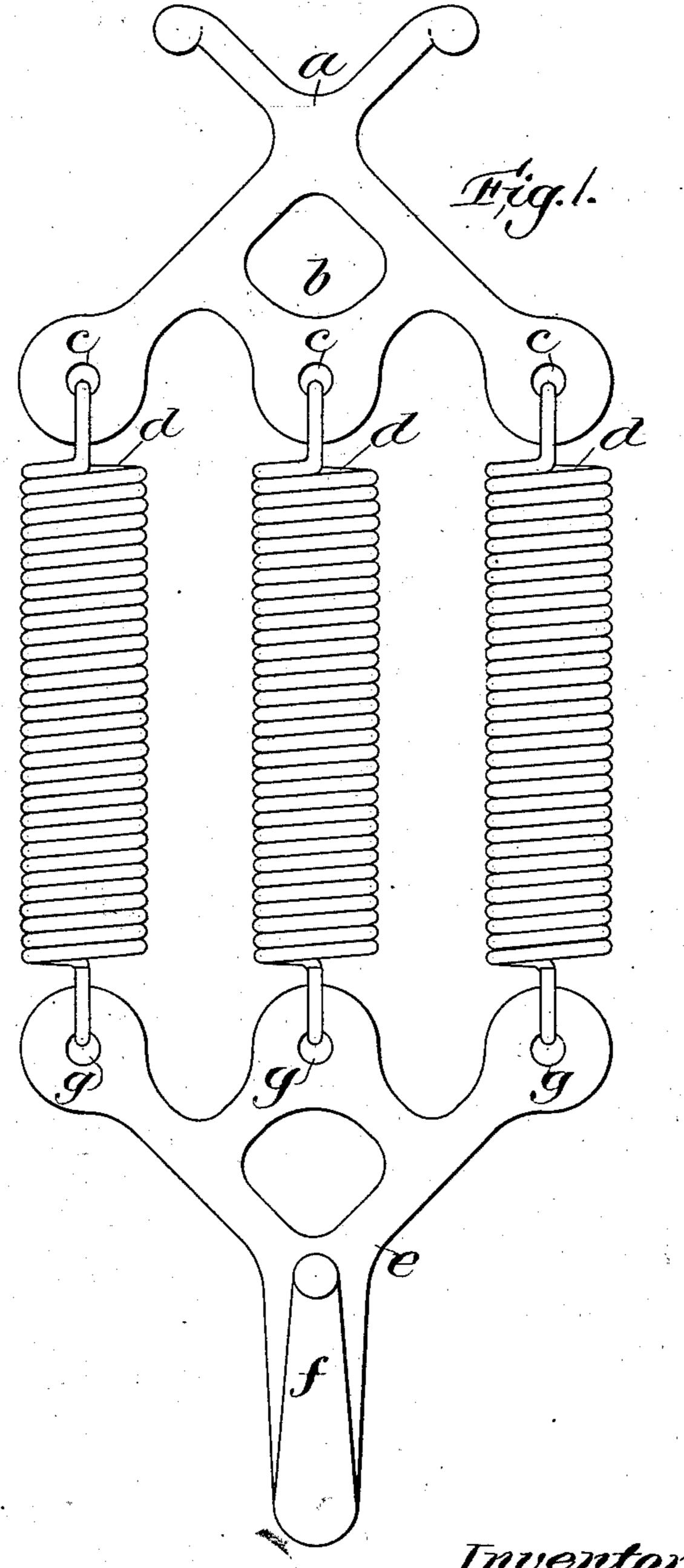
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, LANGDON WASHINGTON Moore, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk | the extremities of a hammock are provided. and State of Massachusetts, have invented 5 a new and useful Improvement in Yielding Slings for Hammocks, of which the following is a specification, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure 1 is a front elevation of my new ro sling. Fig. 2 is a side elevation of my new

sling.

My invention has for its object to provide a simple and cheap sling for a hammock, one which will be yielding, and thereby contrib-

15 ute greatly to comfort by its use.

In the drawings illustrating the principle of my invention and the best mode now known to me of applying the same, a is the upper member, which may be suitably secured to a 20 tree, post, or other convenient support by passing a hook or tie-rope through the eye b. The lower side of the member a is provided with holes c c c, in which are hooked the upper ends of the spiral springs d d d. The 25 lower member e is formed into a hook f at |

its lower extremity, which hook f engages the ordinary eye, loop, or thimble with which The upper side of the member e is provided with holes g g g, into which the lower ends 30 of the spiral springs d d d hook.

My sling is simple, cheap, and efficient for its purpose, and it gives to the hammock the easy restful swinging motion so much desired.

What I claim is—

In a yielding sling for hammocks, an upper member a having an eye b for the attachment of a tie-rope, and three apertures c, c, c for the attachment of springs, in combination with a lower member e having a hook f at its 40 lower extremity, three apertures q, q, g for the attachment of springs, and interposed springs d, d, d, all substantially as and for the purpose specified.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set 45 my hand this 1st day of May, 1900.

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