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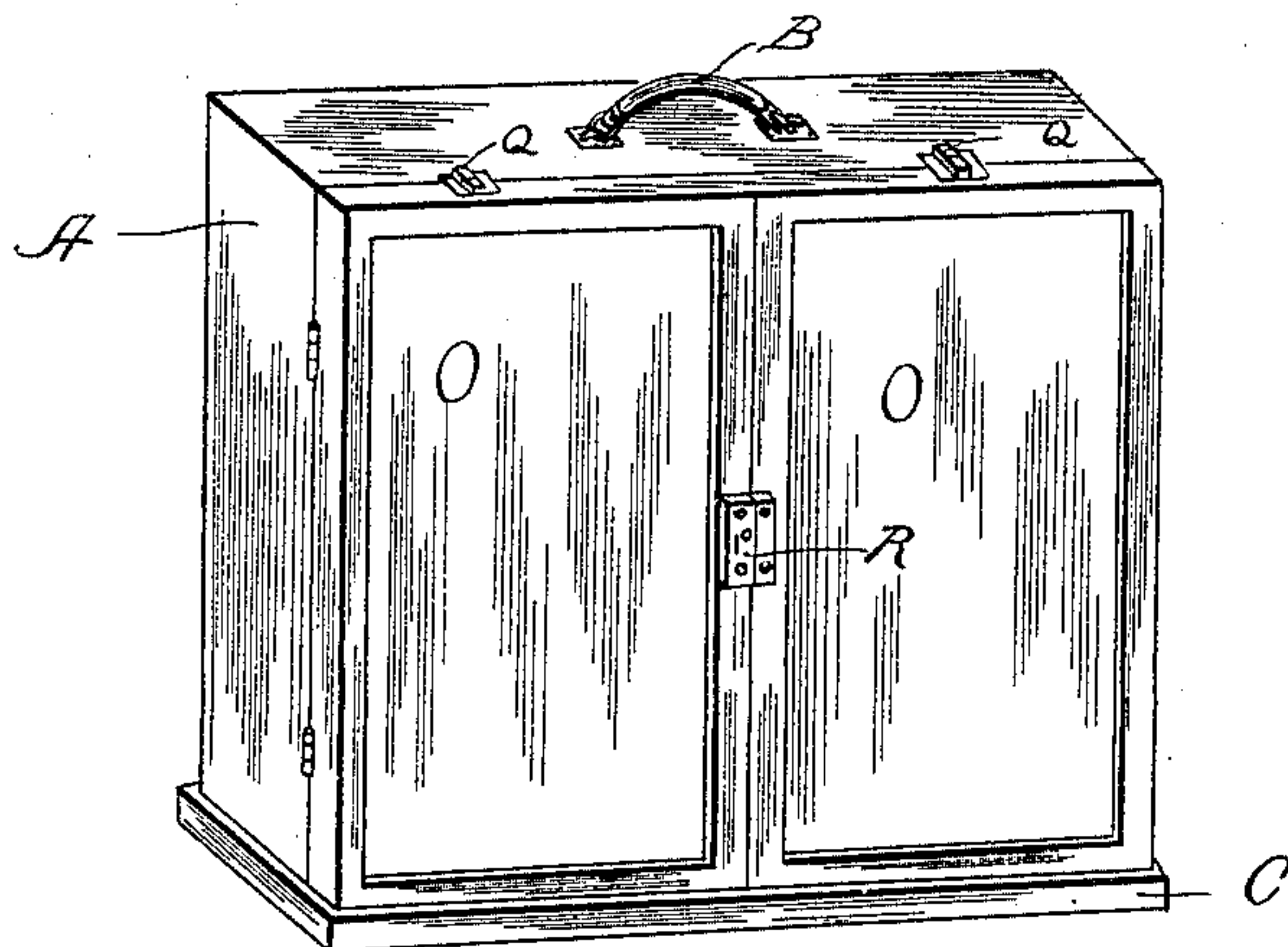
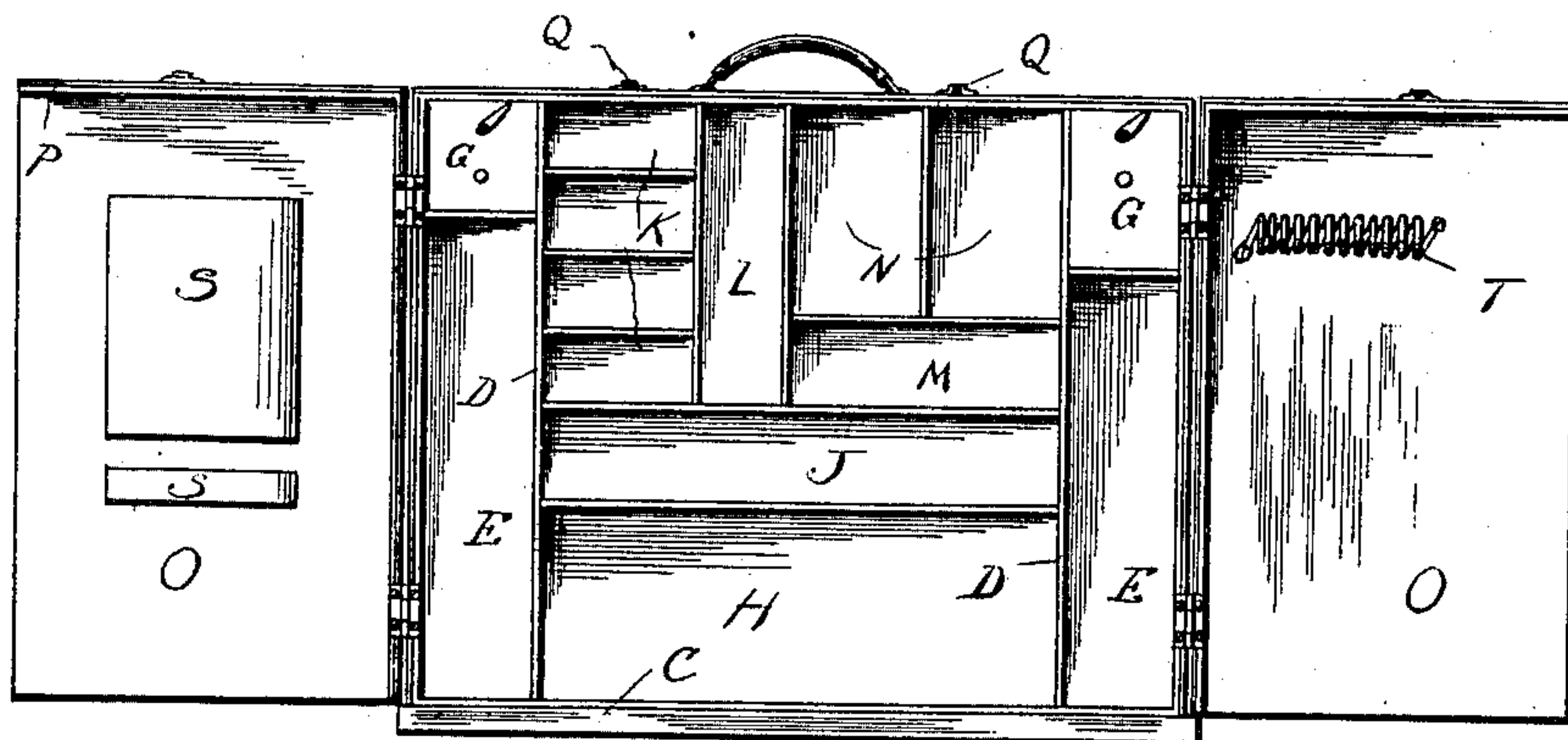


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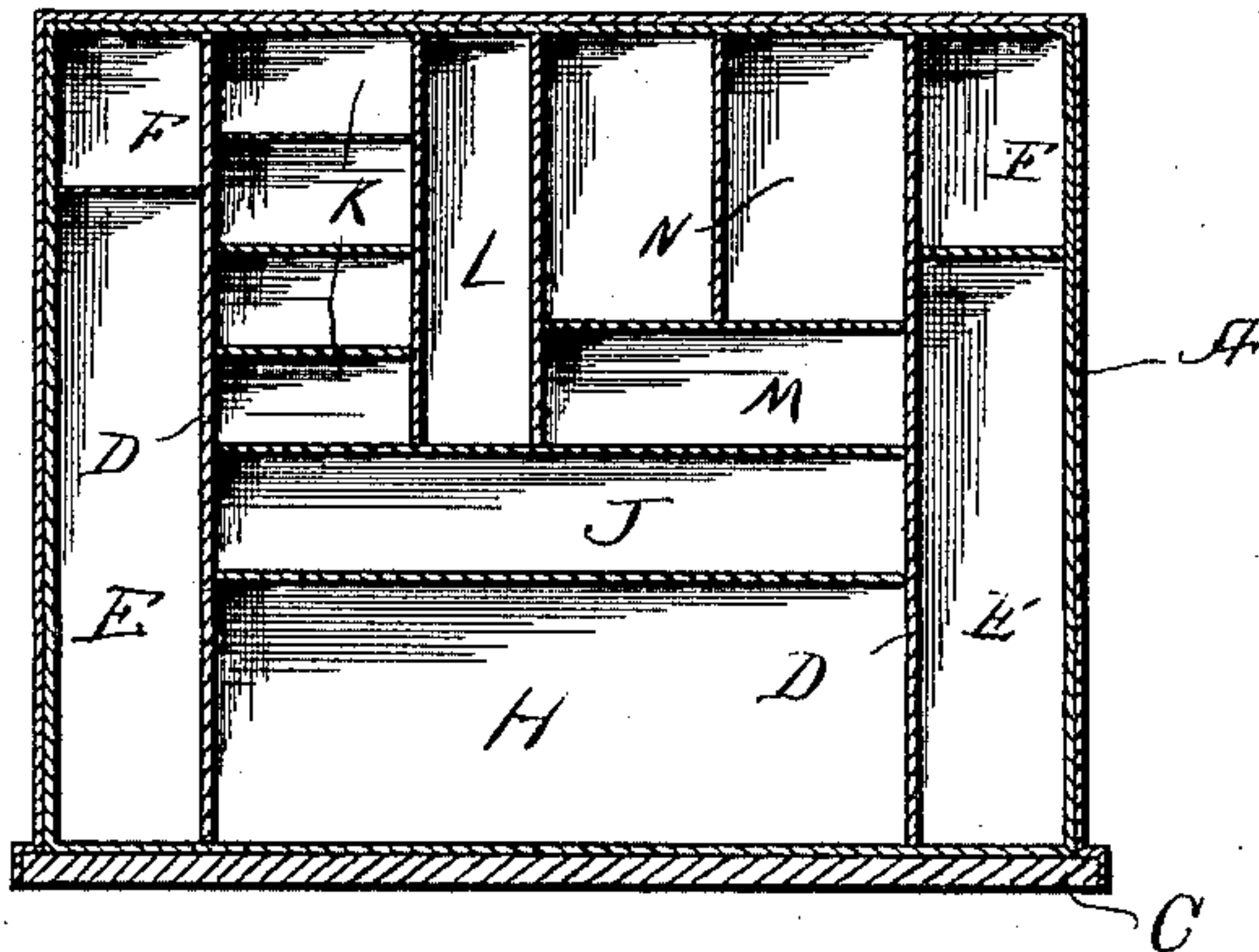
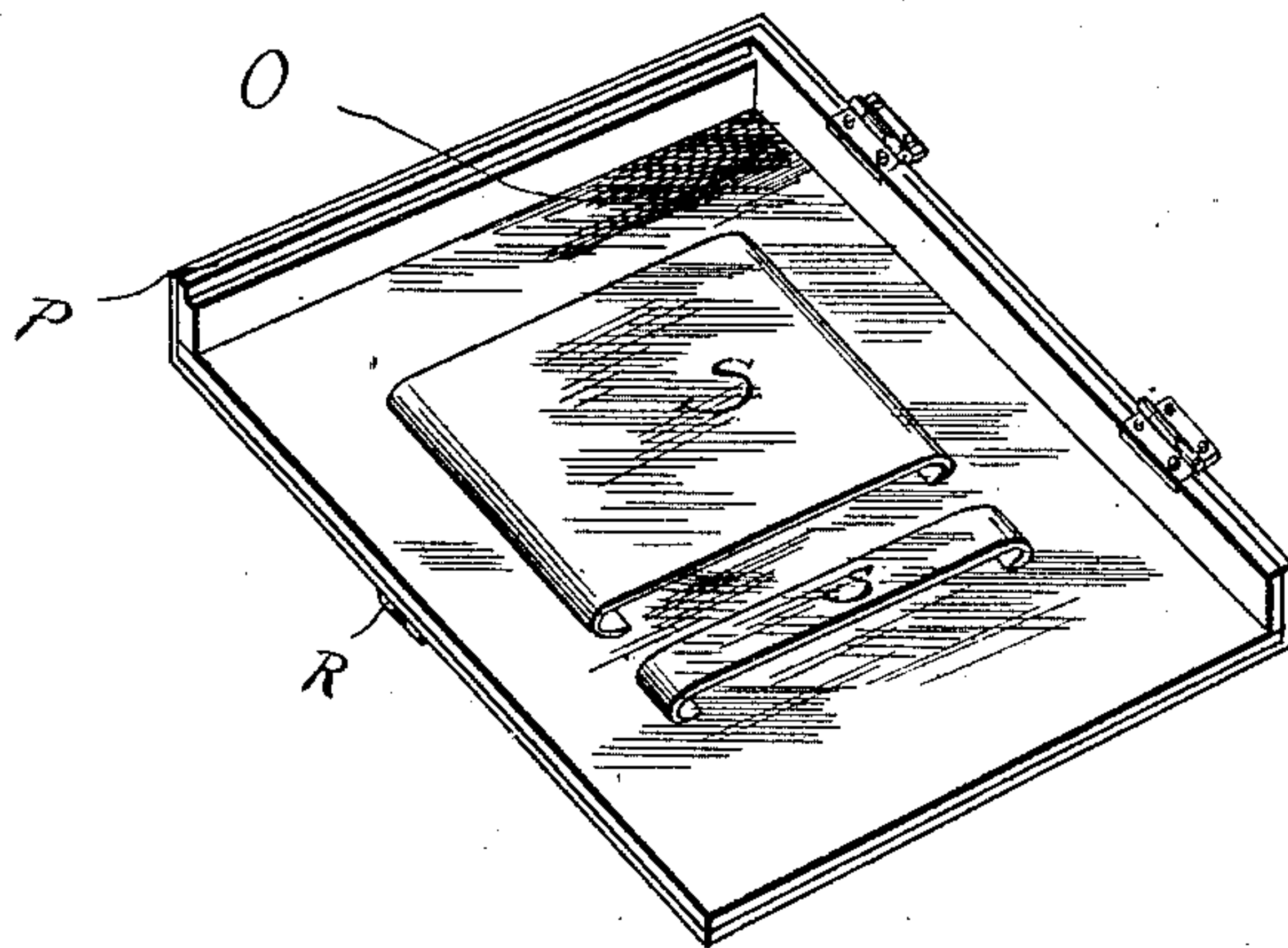


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## CABINET SATCHEL OR GRIP.

SPECIFICATION forming part of Letters Patent No. 668,845, dated February 26, 1901.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, JAMES H. BERRY, a citizen of the United States, residing at Wichita, in the county of Sedgwick and State of Kansas, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Cabinet Satchels or Grips, of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to improvements in cabinet satchels or grips; and the main object of my invention is the provision of a simple, durable, compact, and cheap satchel which is adapted especially for traveling salesmen, physicians, and the like, as the interior of the satchel can be arranged to meet all requirements without departing from the spirit of my invention or detracting from the appearance of the satchel.

To attain the desired object, my invention consists of a cabinet satchel or grip embodying novel features of construction and combination of parts, substantially as disclosed herein.

In the drawings, Figure 1 is a perspective view of the invention with its doors closed. Fig. 2 is a similar view with the doors open. Fig. 3 is a central longitudinal section, and Fig. 4 is a perspective view, of one of the doors detached.

Referring by letter to the drawings, A designates the casing, provided with the handle B and the heavy lower portion or bottom C, whose outer or front edge projects beyond the outer face of the casing's front sides and acts as bottom lap-over edges or flanges for the doors O, which are hinged, so as to swing outwardly to the outer edges of the sides of the casing. Each of these is provided with the lap-over edges or flanges P, the upper ones carrying a catch to engage with the other member Q upon the top of the casing. Secured to the meeting edges of the doors is the lock or catch R to hold the doors more securely together.

Various changes of construction and ar-

range-ment of the interior of the casing may be resorted to without in any way departing from the spirit of my invention or in any way sacrificing any of the advantages thereof; but to show the idea of how the same may be made useful for a traveling salesman I have shown an arrangement of compartments which I shall here describe. Fitting within the casing are the partitions D, which cause the same to be divided into the two side vertical compartments E, the pigeonholes F above these compartments to receive the boxes G, the lower central horizontal compartments J, above which is the series of vertically-arranged horizontal compartments K, the narrow vertical compartments L, and the short horizontal compartment M, above which is the two wide vertical compartments N. Upon the inner sides of the doors are secured the envelop-holders S and the pen and pencil rack T.

From this description, taken in connection with the drawings, it is evident that I provide a very compact, simple, durable, and inexpensive cabinet satchel or grip which is very ornamental and attractive in appearance and efficient and practical in use.

I claim—

A cabinet hand-satchel, comprising a casing, handle and catches; said casing provided with a bottom having a projecting front edge or ledge, a pair of doors provided with upper flanges adapted to overlap when said doors are closed and outer flanges hinged to the sides of the cabinet whereby when the cabinet is closed the projecting bottom or ledge serves as a lower flange for the doors, substantially as set forth and described.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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