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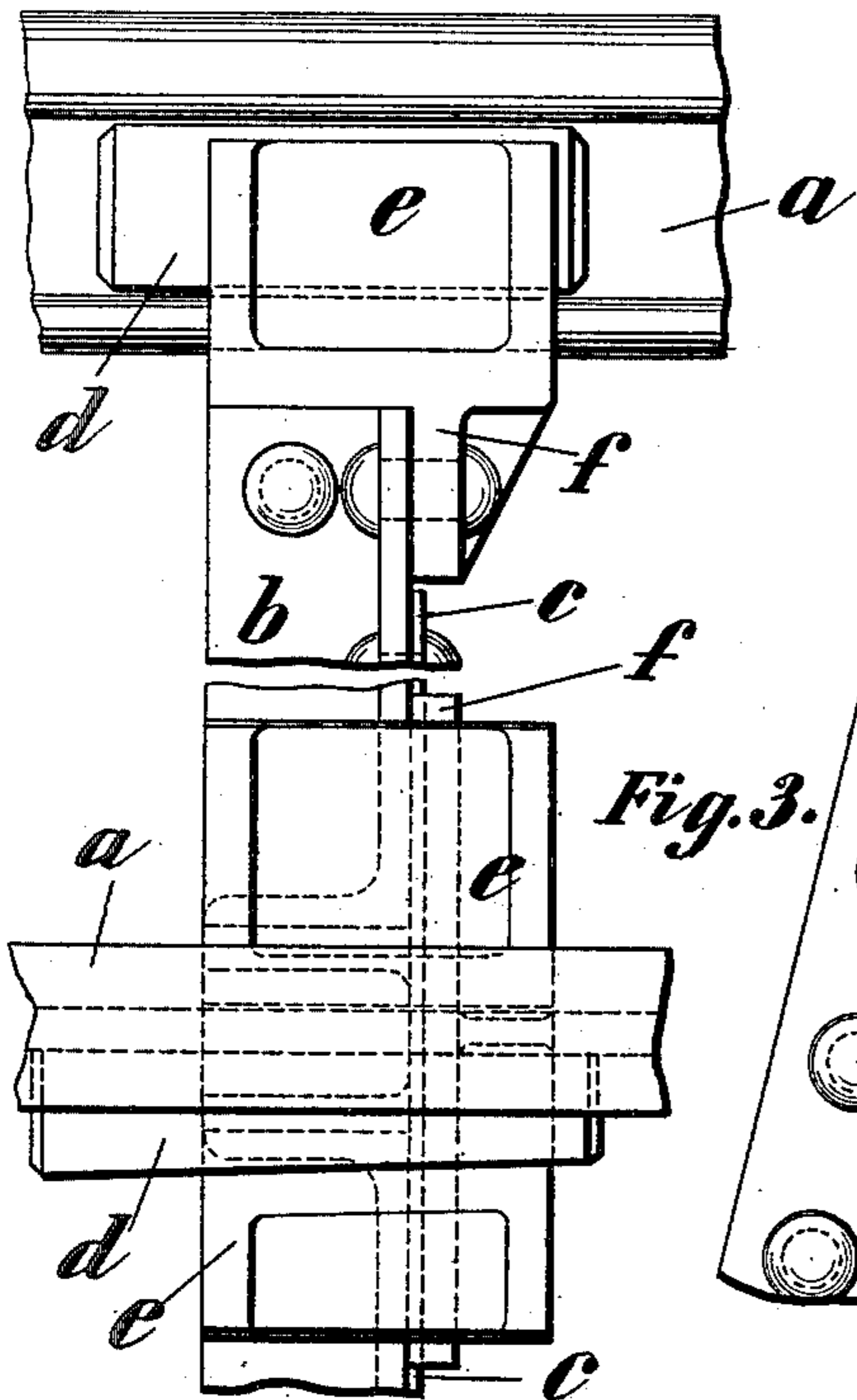
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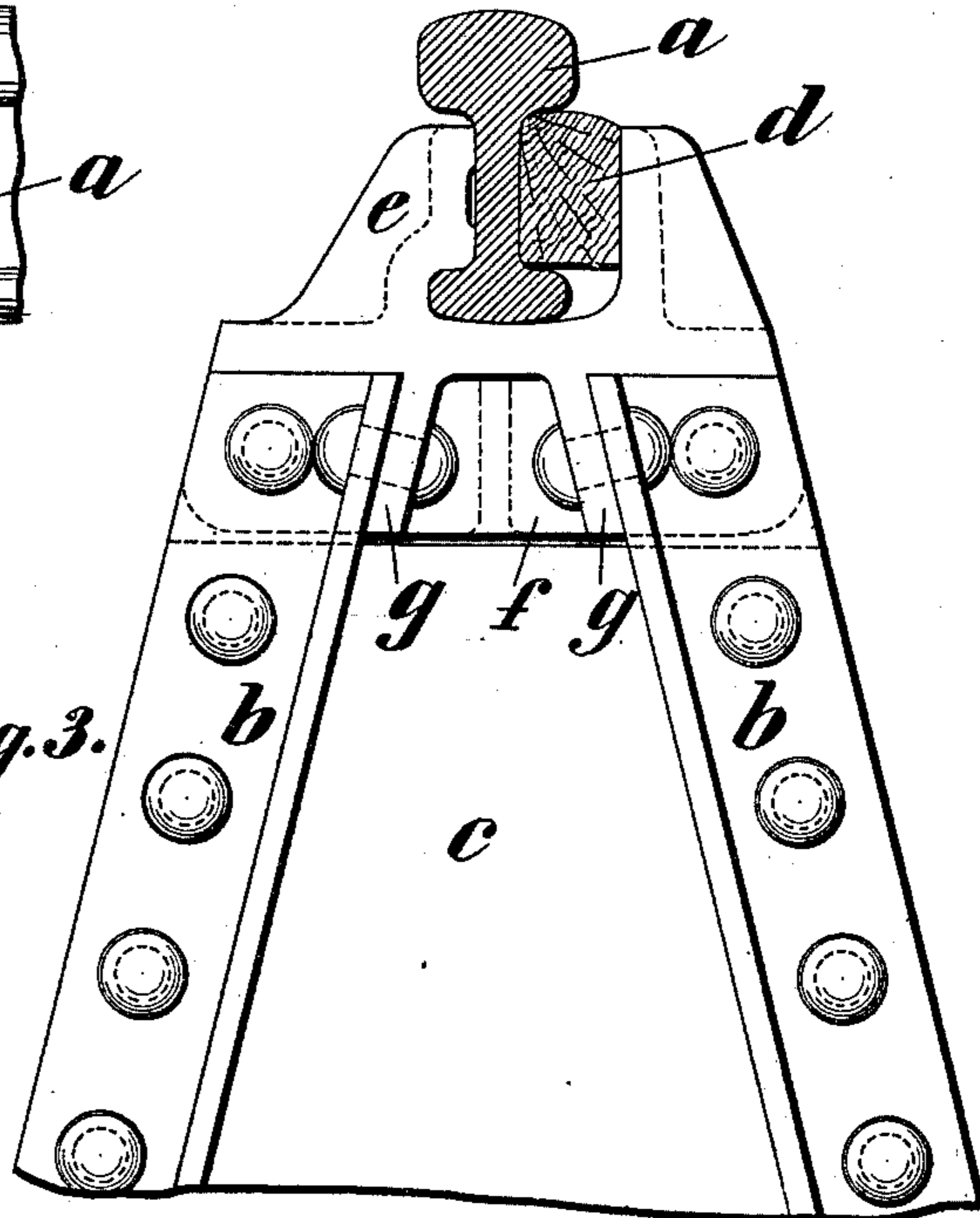
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*Fig.1.*



*Fig.2.*



*Fig.3.*

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## RAIL-SUPPORT FOR SINGLE-RAIL RAILWAYS.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, FRITZ BERNHARD BEHR, a citizen of England, residing at Southend House, Twickenham, in the county of Middlesex, England, have invented a certain new and useful Improved Rail-Support for Single-Rail Railways, (for which I have applied for a patent in Great Britain, dated May 15, 1900, No. 8,971,) of which the following is a specification.

My invention relates to an improved support for the rail of a single-rail railway, as I shall describe, referring to the accompanying drawings.

Figure 1 is a side view of part of the rail and support. Fig. 2 is a transverse section of the rail and key, with front view of the upper part of the support. Fig. 3 is a plan.

The rail *a* is carried on trestle-frames having inclined sides *b*, of angle iron or steel, secured together at the top by a plate *c*, riveted to them. The rail is held by a key *d* in a chair *e*, which rests on the top of the trestle and has a downwardly-projecting flange *f*, which is riveted to the front faces of the trestle-bars, and has also two other flanges *g*, which are inclined and project down between the trestle-bars, to the inner webs of which they are riveted.

Having thus described the nature of this invention and the best means I know of carrying the same into practical effect, I claim—

1. A support for a railway-rail, consisting of a trestle, a chair for supporting the rail, and a vertical and a pair of inclined flanges formed integral with said chair and adapted to be secured to said trestle.

2. A support for a railway-rail, consisting of a trestle, a chair for supporting the rail, a key for securing the rail in position, and a vertical and a pair of inclined flanges formed integral with said chair and adapted to be secured to said trestle.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand in presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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