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DISPLAY HOLDER FOR JEWELRY.

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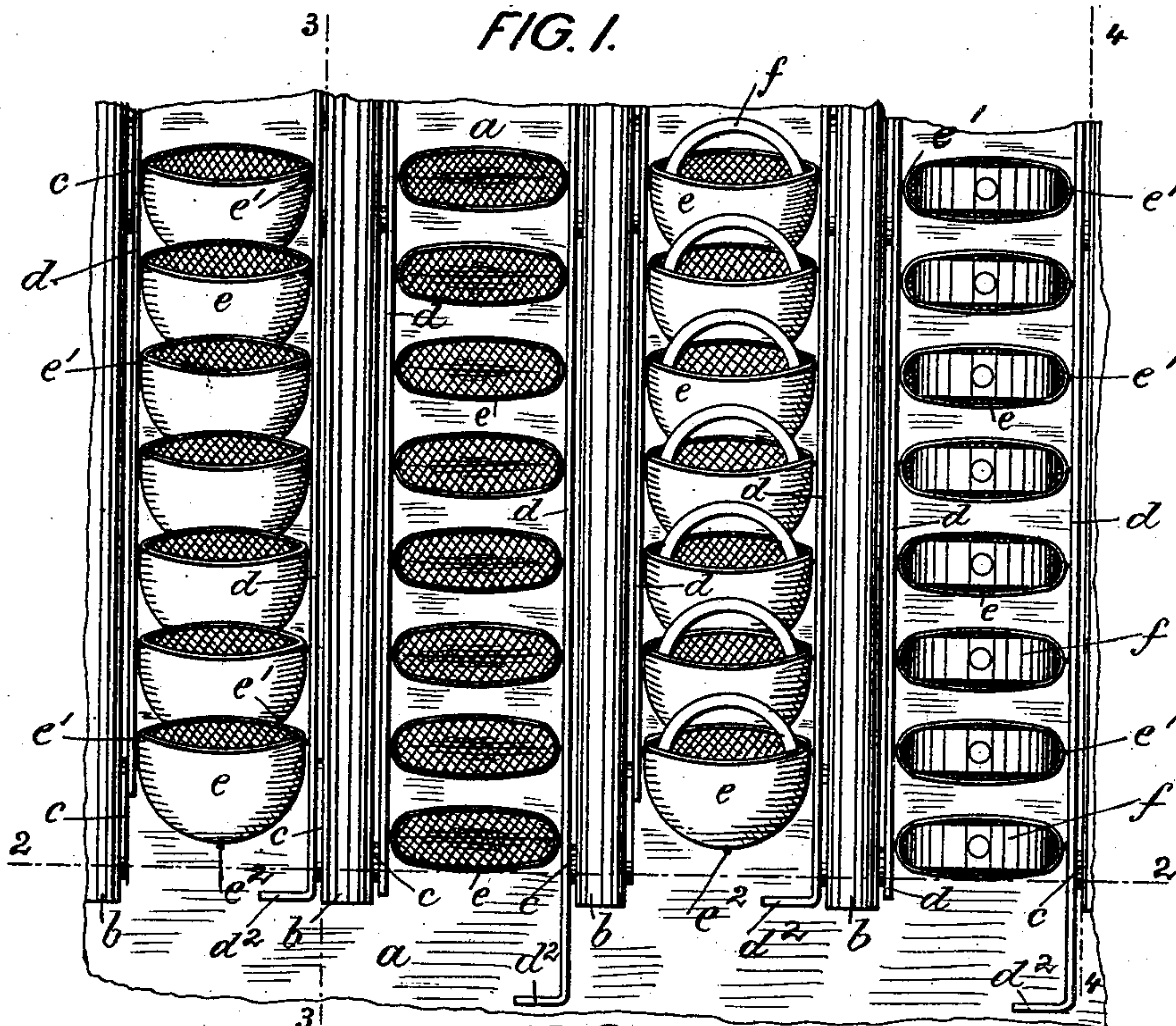


FIG. 2.

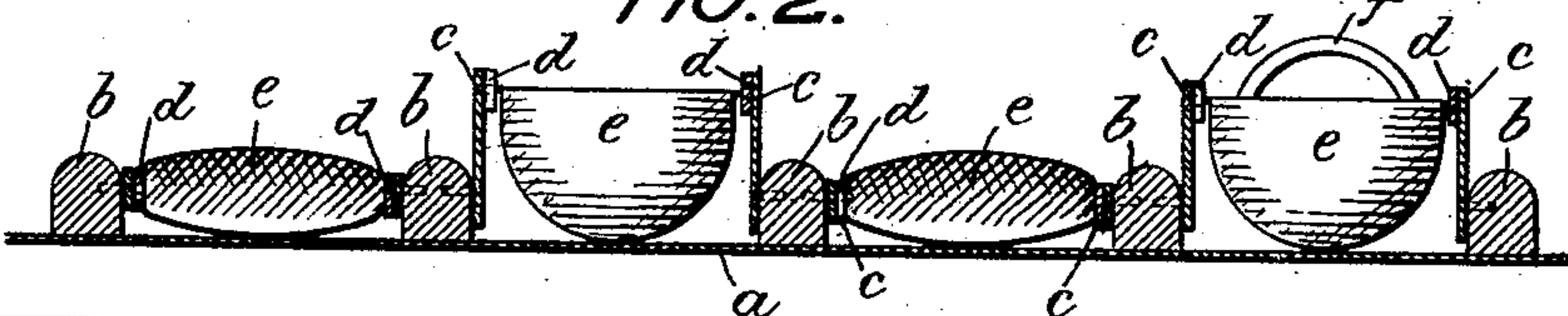


FIG. 5.

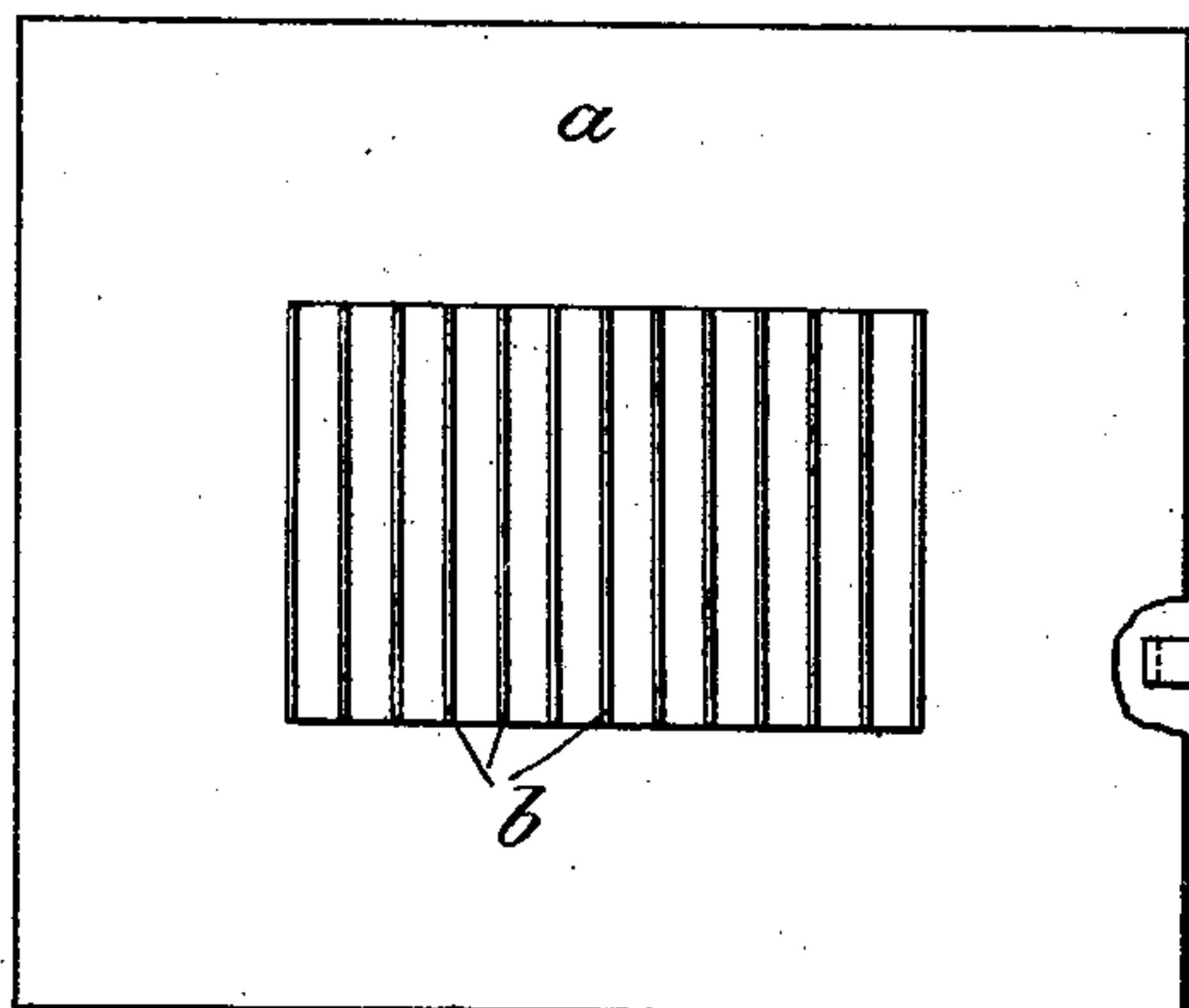


FIG. 3.

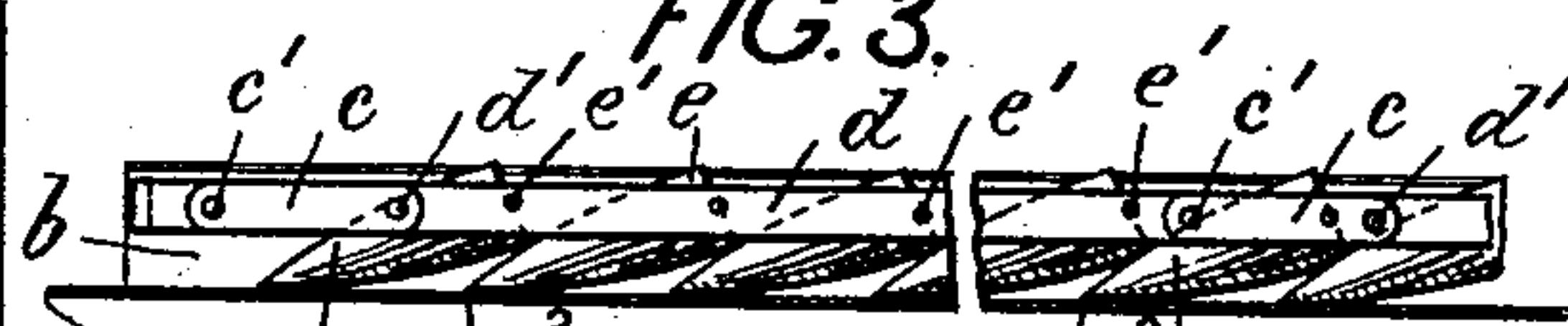
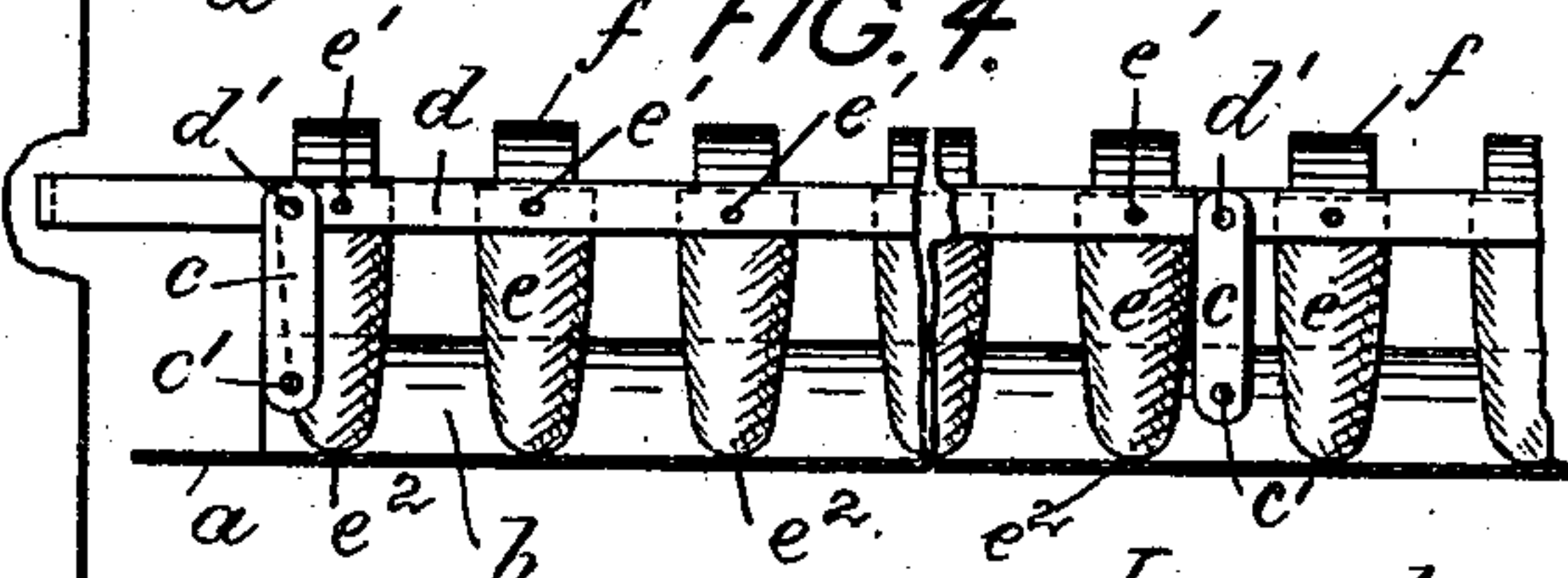


FIG. 4.



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DISPLAY-HOLDER FOR JEWELRY.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, FREDERICK KAFFEMAN, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of New York city, county and State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Display-Holders for Jewelry, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to a holder for finger-rings and other articles of jewelry which is so constructed that its charge may be readily brought into an upright or an inclined position. In this way the holder may be folded into a small compass when to be carried about, while a full display of its contents will be effected when the holder is unfolded.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 is a plan of a portion of my improved display-holder for jewelry; Fig. 2, a cross-section on line 2 2, Fig. 1; Fig. 3, a longitudinal section on line 3 3, Fig. 1, showing the racks lowered; Fig. 4, a similar section on line 4 4, Fig. 1, showing the racks raised; and Fig. 5, a plan of the holder, on a reduced scale, with the racks omitted.

The letter *a* represents a piece of cloth, rubber, or other flexible wrapping material, to which are firmly attached a number of uniformly-spaced stiff parallel ribs *b*, the whole constituting a base. To the ribs *b* are pivoted at *c'* the lower ends of links *c*, to the upper ends of which are pivoted at *d'* a series of longitudinal rails *d*. These rails are placed along both sides of all inner ribs, but along

the inner sides only of the two outermost ribs. Between each pair of adjacent rails *d* are suspended a number of transversely-placed flat pockets *e*, adapted to hold the finger-rings or other jewelry *f*. These pockets are connected at both sides to the rails *d* at *e'* and at their bottom to the cloth *a* at *e''*. Each set of rails, together with its pockets, constitutes a rack which may be readily folded, Fig. 3, or raised into an upright position, Fig. 4. When folded, the racks are lowered and the rings are closely packed against the wrapper, so that the latter may be readily rolled up and carried about. When raised, the rings will all be held in an upright position, to properly display their heads, gems, and setting. To facilitate the manipulation of the racks, one of each pair of rails *d* is provided with a handle *d''*.

What I claim is—

A display-holder for jewelry, composed of a flexible wrapper, a pair of parallel ribs secured thereto, a pair of rails, links for pivotally connecting the rails to the ribs, and a series of transverse jewelry-holders arranged between and pivotally connected to both of said rails, substantially as specified.

Signed by me at New York city, New York, this 27th day of February, 1902.

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