

BLOTTER HOLDER.

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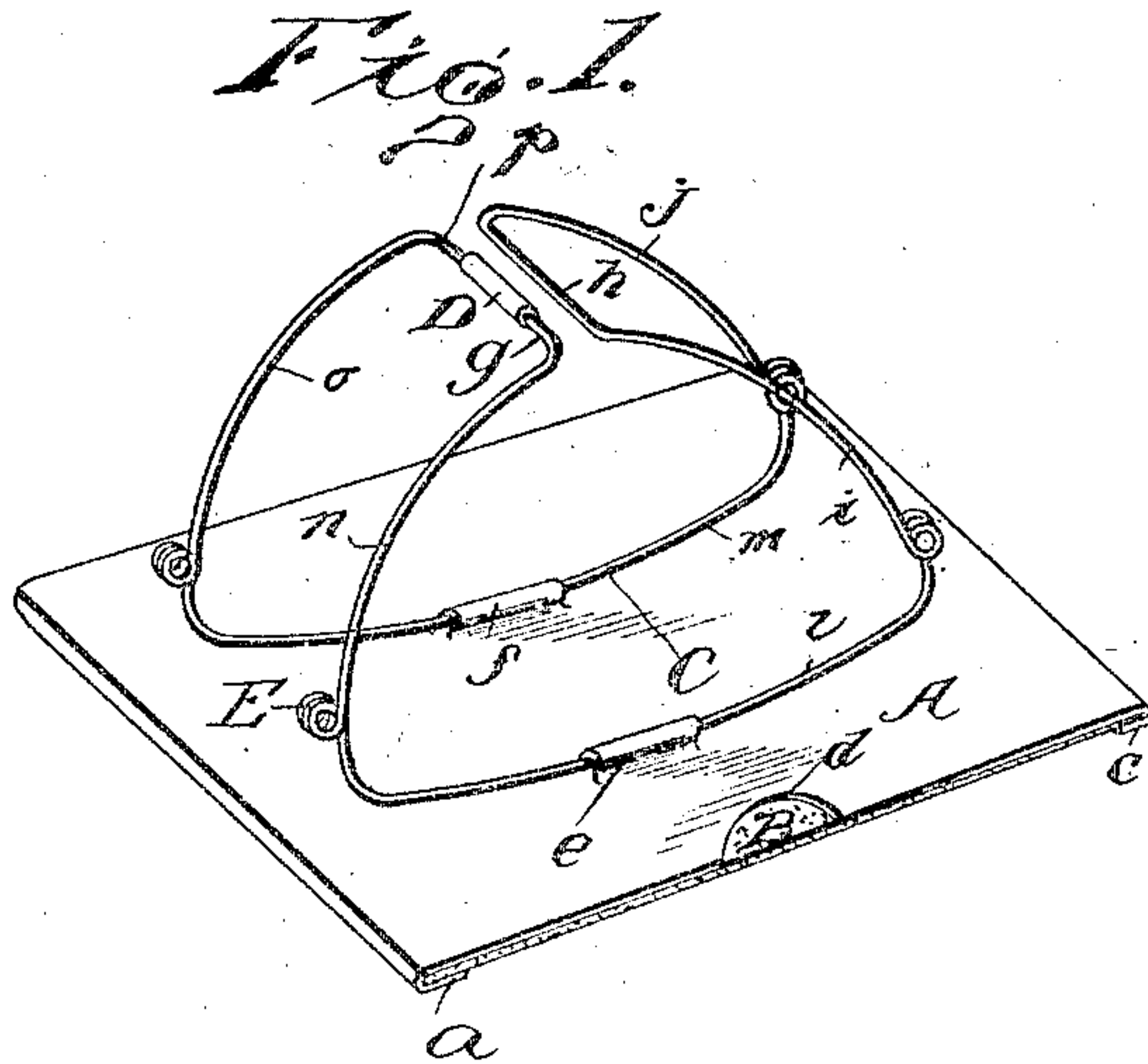


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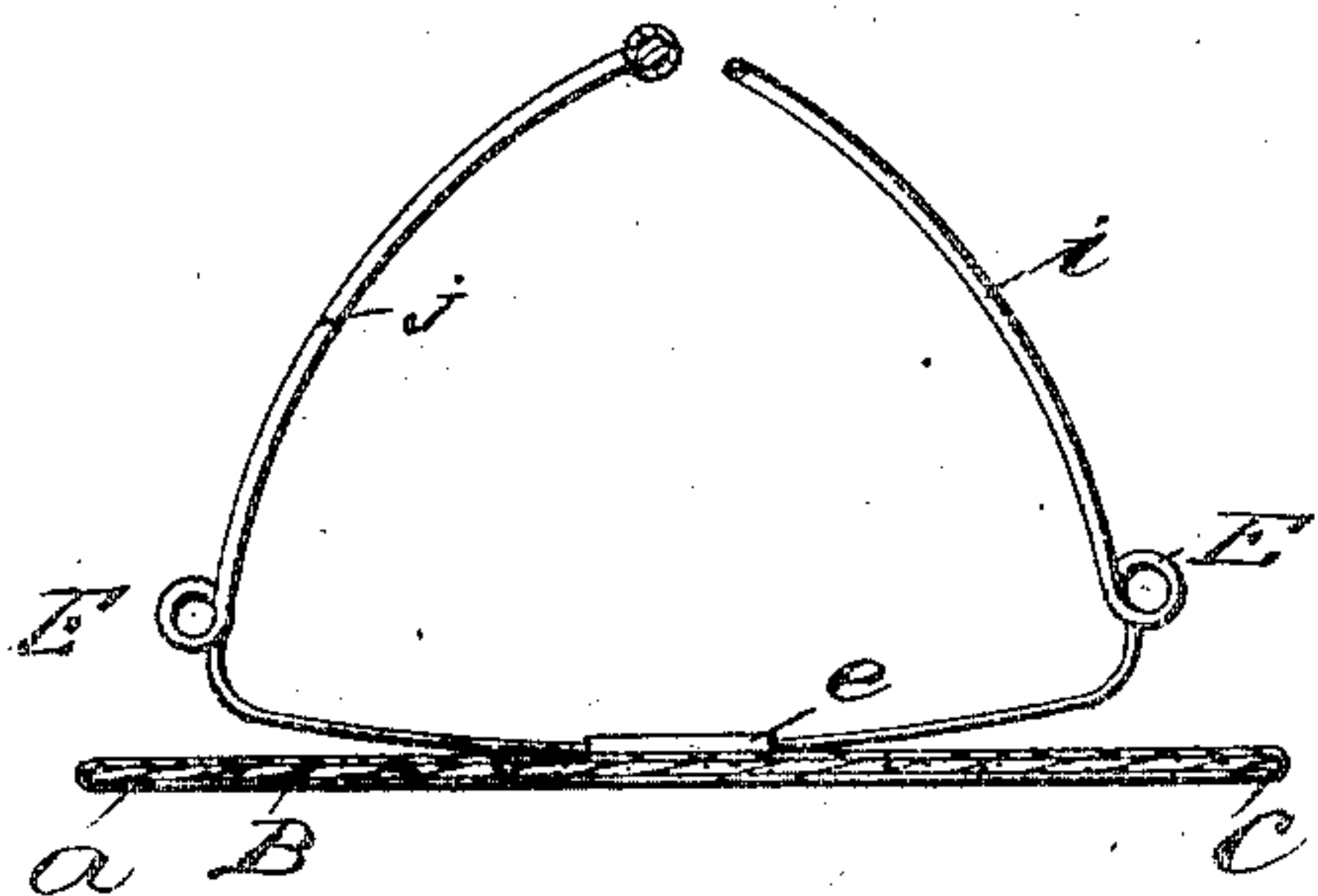


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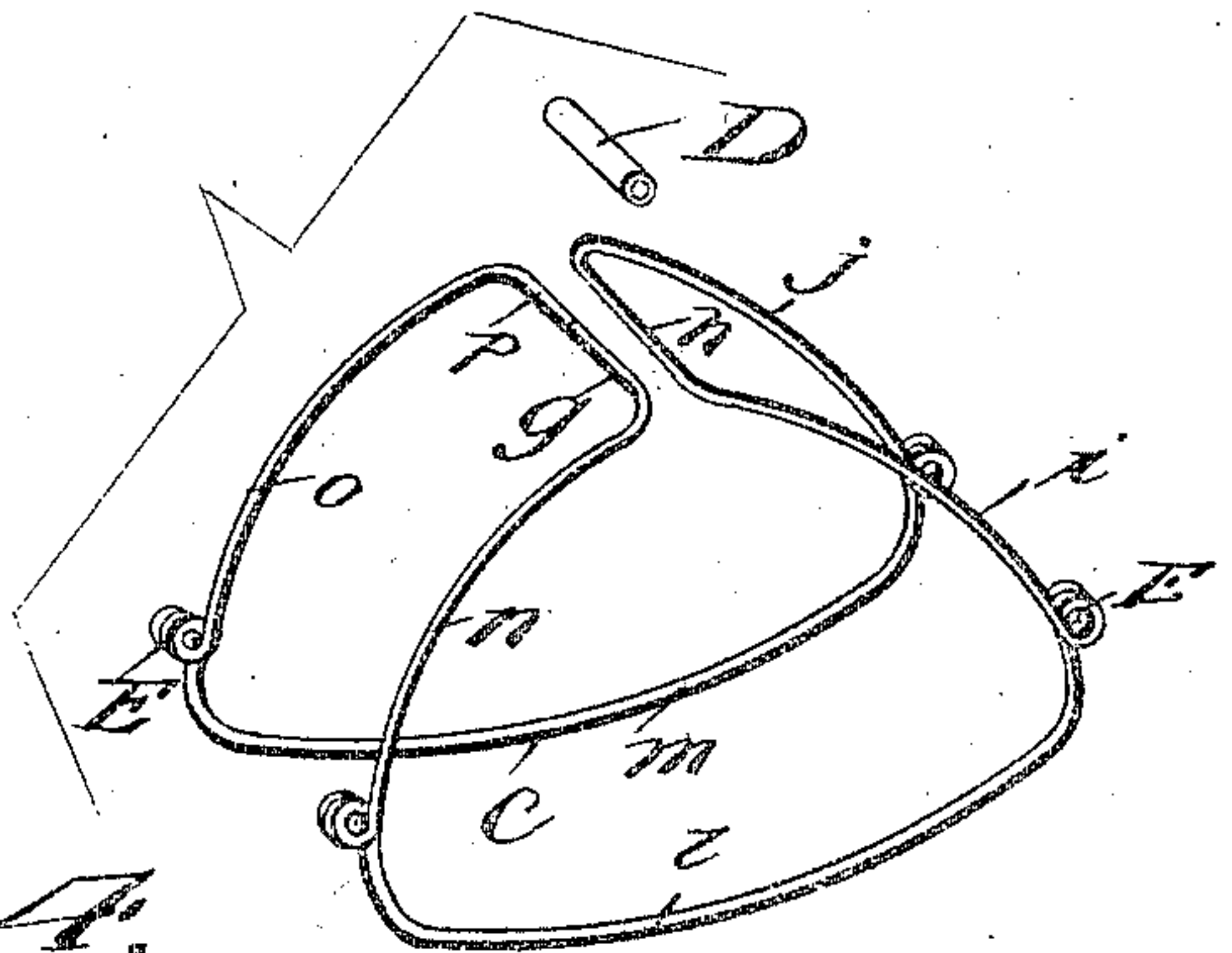
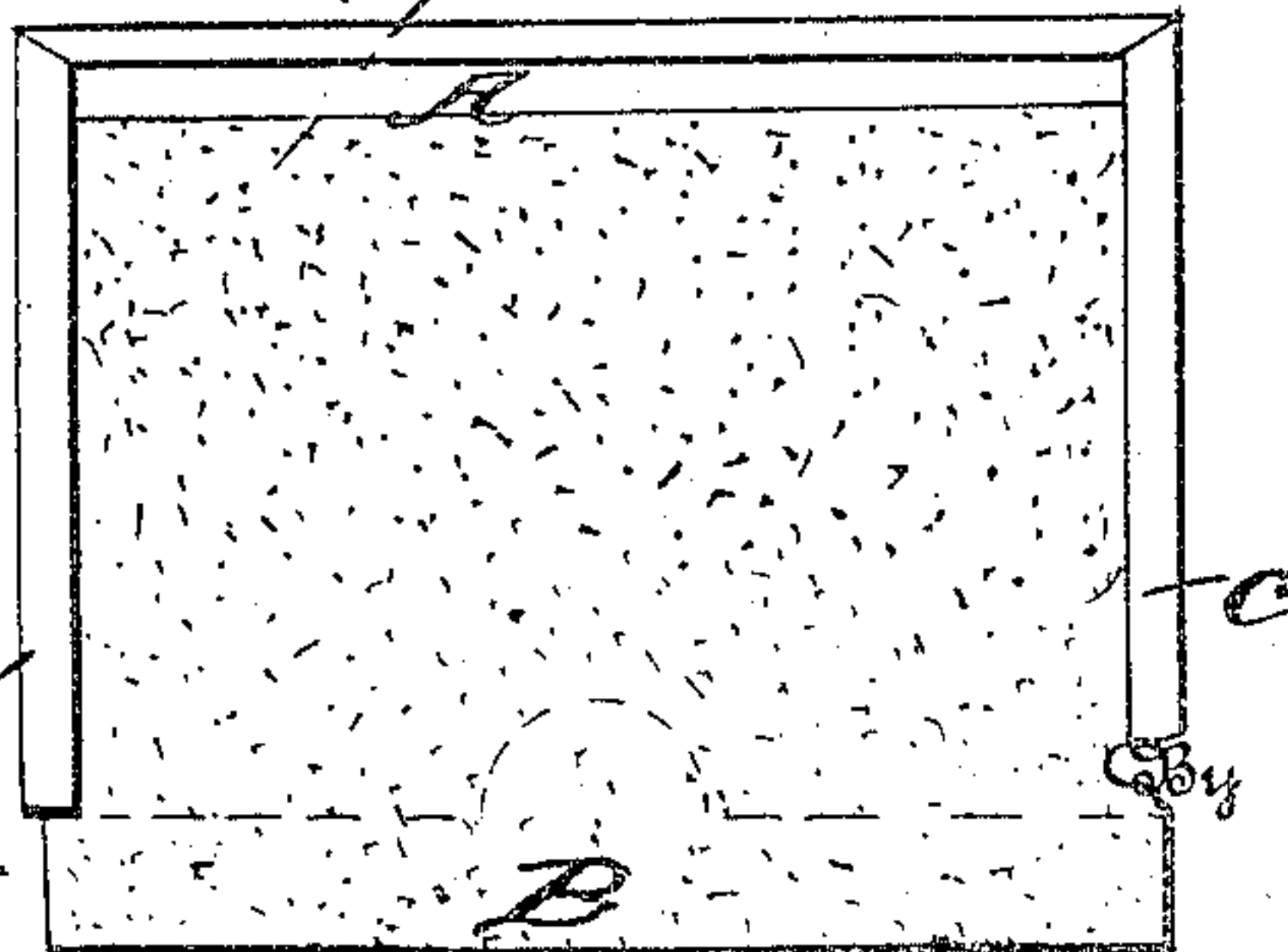


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ARGYLE I. COLE, citizen of the United States, residing at Oberlin, in the county of Decatur and State of Kansas, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Blotter-Holders, of which the following is a specification.

This invention comprehends the construction of an attaching device for securing a blotter in a comfortable and convenient position on the wrist of a person.

For a full understanding of the invention, reference is to be had to the following description and accompanying drawings, in which:

Figure 1 is a perspective view of my improvements, Fig. 2 is a side elevation thereof, Fig. 3 is a perspective view of a wrist attaching member, and Fig. 4 is a bottom plan view of a blotter securing plate.

Corresponding and like parts are referred to in the following description and indicated in all the views of the drawings by the same reference characters.

My improved blotter attaching device comprises a blotter carrying plate A, a wrist engaging spring C, and a removable blotter piece B. Plate A is formed with edge flanges a, b and c and a cut-away portion d. The flanges a, b and c are bent in a common direction so as to form guide-ways for the removable blotter piece B, which is slidably secured on plate A. Flange b may be dispensed with, but it is preferably used, as it limits the movement of the blotter piece B and thereby increases the utility of my improvements by holding the same in a positive position. The plate A is further formed with sleeves e and f, which sleeves are positioned intermediately of the edges of plate A. The plate A is adapted to be secured to a wrist by means of the wrist engaging member C, which is preferably formed of a single piece of wire by being bent so as to form a cross bar h, curved portions i and j, runners

l and m, curved portions n and o and inwardly bent ends p and q. The ends p and q are connected together by means of a sleeve D. The spring C is secured to the plate A by the runners l and m extending through the sleeves e and f. The spring C is preferably formed with coils E which serve to increase its resiliency, and when secured to the plate A, the curved portions i, j, n and o, will project upwardly from the plate A so as to accommodate a wrist.

The spring C may be made of several pieces of material, but is preferably made of a single piece of material, which may be aluminum, brass, tin, steel, celluloid, or other material. A blotter can be quickly applied to the plate A and the spring C can be quickly mounted on a wrist, and when so mounted will not be uncomfortable to the wearer. To remove the spring from the wrist, the curved parts are spread by grasping the plate A and pulling on the same.

The utility of my improvements is clearly evident. In all large offices a great deal of time is lost in looking for blotters, which are not always located at once. By means of my attachment a person is enabled to have a blotter always in a convenient position for use.

What I claim and desire to secure by Letters Patent is:

As a new article of manufacture, the herein-described blotter holder comprising a plate, a blotter carried thereby, and a wrist-engaging member embodying runners secured to said plate, oppositely curved members connected to said runners and arranged in opposite pairs, and connecting bars securing together the ends of corresponding pairs.

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

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