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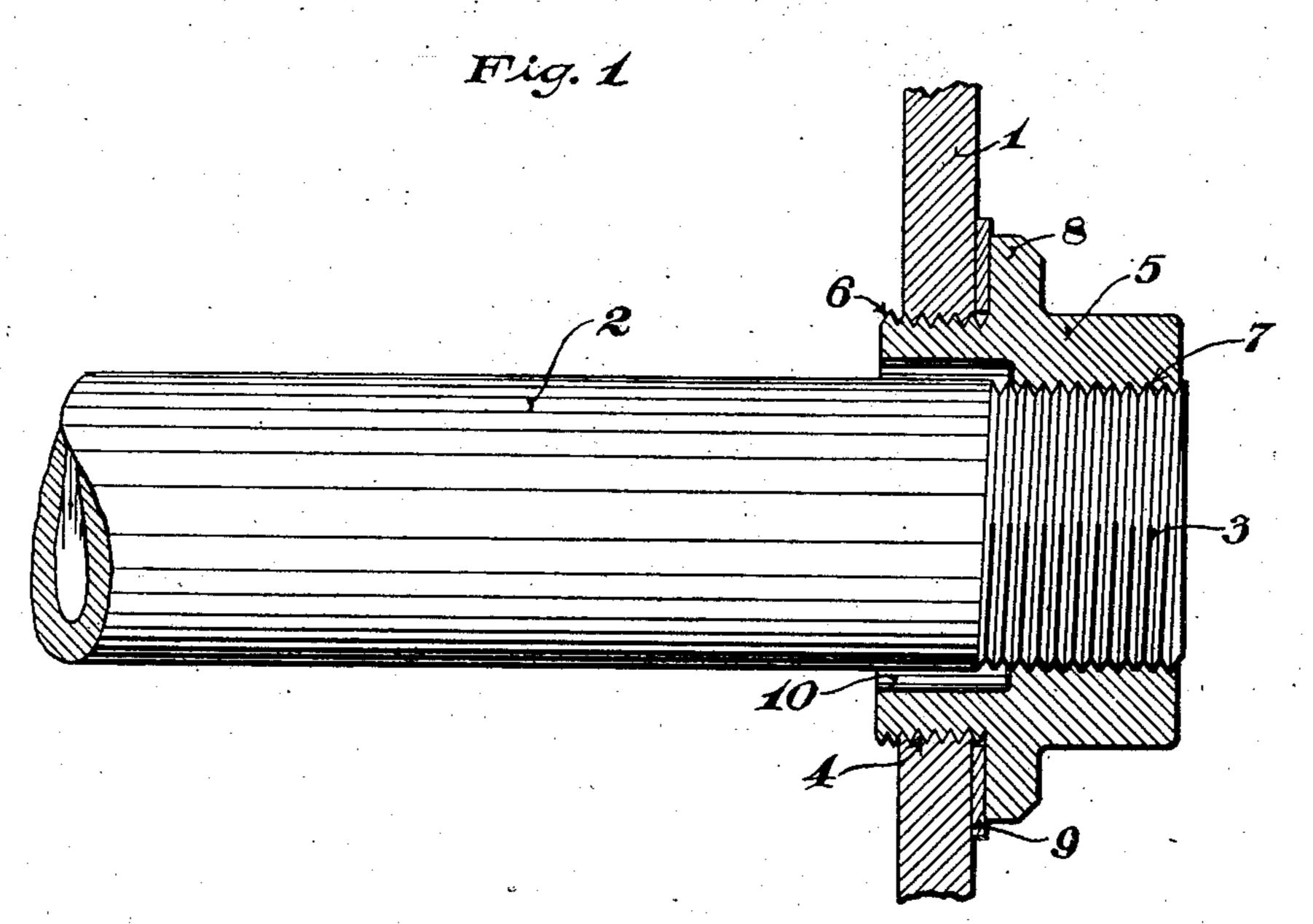
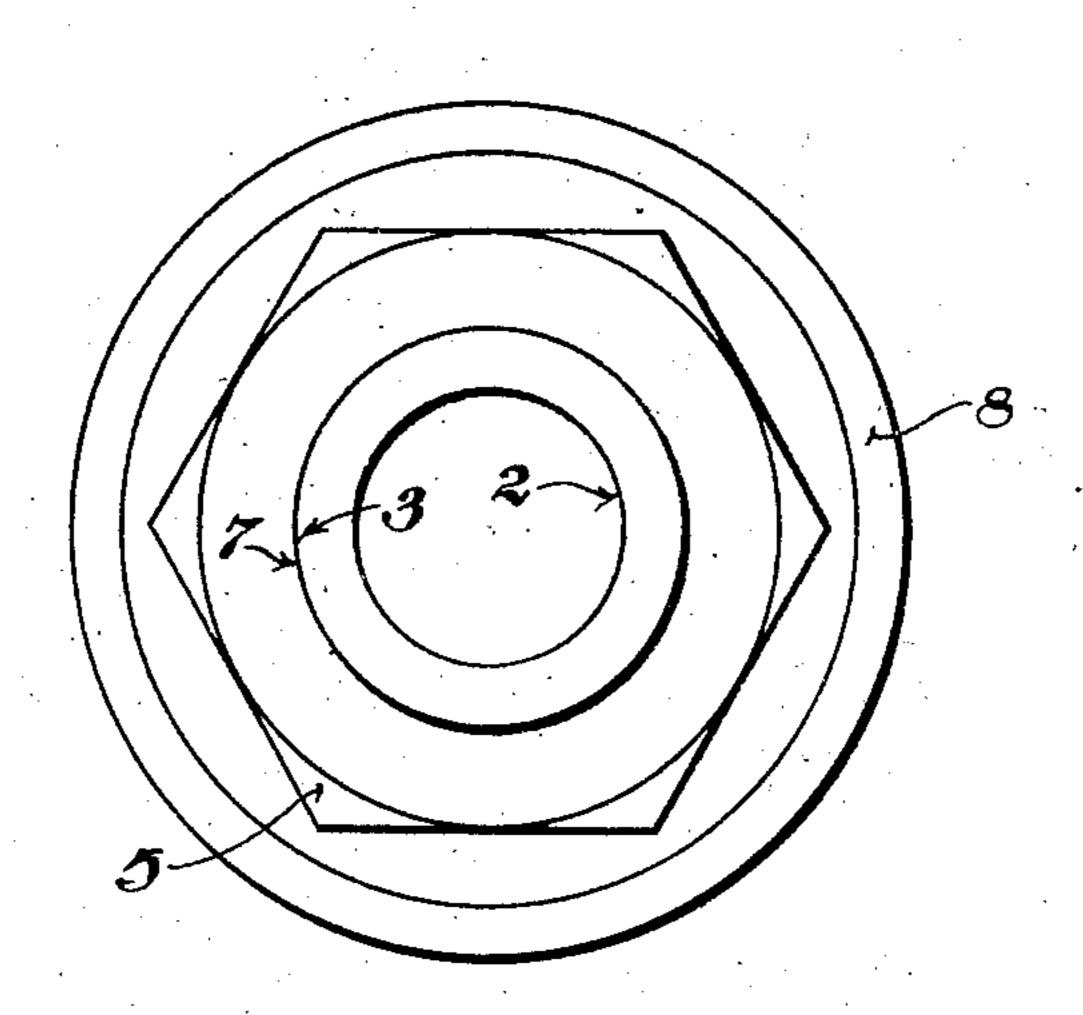


Fig. 2



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, OLE C. Borgen, a citizen of the United States, residing at Sharon, in the county of Steele and State of 5 North Dakota, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Detachable Boiler-Flues; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, such as will enpertains to make and use the same.

My invention has for its object to provide an improved detachable boiler flue, and to this end it consists of the novel devices and combinations of devices hereinafter de-

scribed and defined in the claim.

In the accompanying drawings, which illustrate the invention, like characters indicate like parts throughout the several views.

Referring to the drawings, Figure 1 is a view partly in plan and partly in vertical section showing a flue applied to a flue sheet in accordance with my invention; and Fig. 2 is an end elevation of the flue and coupling removed from the flue sheet.

The numeral 1 indicates the flue sheet and the numeral 2 the flue. The flue 1 is threaded at one end, as shown at 3, and the flue sheet 1 is provided with a threaded seat 30 4, through which the threaded end of the

flue projects.

A coupling 5, having external threads 6 at its inner end, for engagement with the threaded seat 4 of the flue sheet 1, and having internal threads 7 at its outer end for engagement with the threaded end 3 of the flue 1, permits the coupling 5 to be screwed into the seat 4 of the flue sheet 1 and onto the threaded end 3 of the flue 2.

The coupling 5 is provided, at its external intermediate portion, with an annular flange 8, between which flange and the flue sheet 1 a pliable gasket or packing 9 is interposed

to insure a steam tight joint between the coupling 5 and the flue sheet 1. The outer 45 end of the coupling 5 is formed angular, or like a nut, so that it may be readily turned by the use of a wrench. The bore of the coupling 5, at its inner end, is increased in diameter to form a chamber 10 between the 50 flue 2 and the coupling 5, when the coupling 5 is screwed onto the flue 2 and into the seat 4 of the flue sheet 1.

By reference to Fig. 1, it will be noted that the chamber 10 extends from the rear 55 toward the front of the coupling 5 a distance beyond the outside of the flue sheet 1, thus permitting the free circulation of water around the flue 2 beyond the outside of the flue sheet 1. The chamber 10 also prevents 60 that portion of the coupling 5 between the flue sheet 1 and the flue 2 from binding, thus permitting the coupling 5 to be easily removed from its operative position.

What I claim is:

The combination with a flue sheet having a threaded seat, of a flue having a threaded end projecting through said flue sheet, a coupling having a projecting annular clamping flange and internal and external threads 70 permitting said coupling to be screwed into said seat and onto the threaded end of said flue and the bore of said coupling being increased in diameter at its inner end to form a chamber around that portion of the 75 flue which lies in the plane of the flue sheet, and a gasket clamped between said clamping flange and the adjacent face of the flue sheet, substantially as described.

In testimony whereof I affix my signature 80 in presence of two witnesses.

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