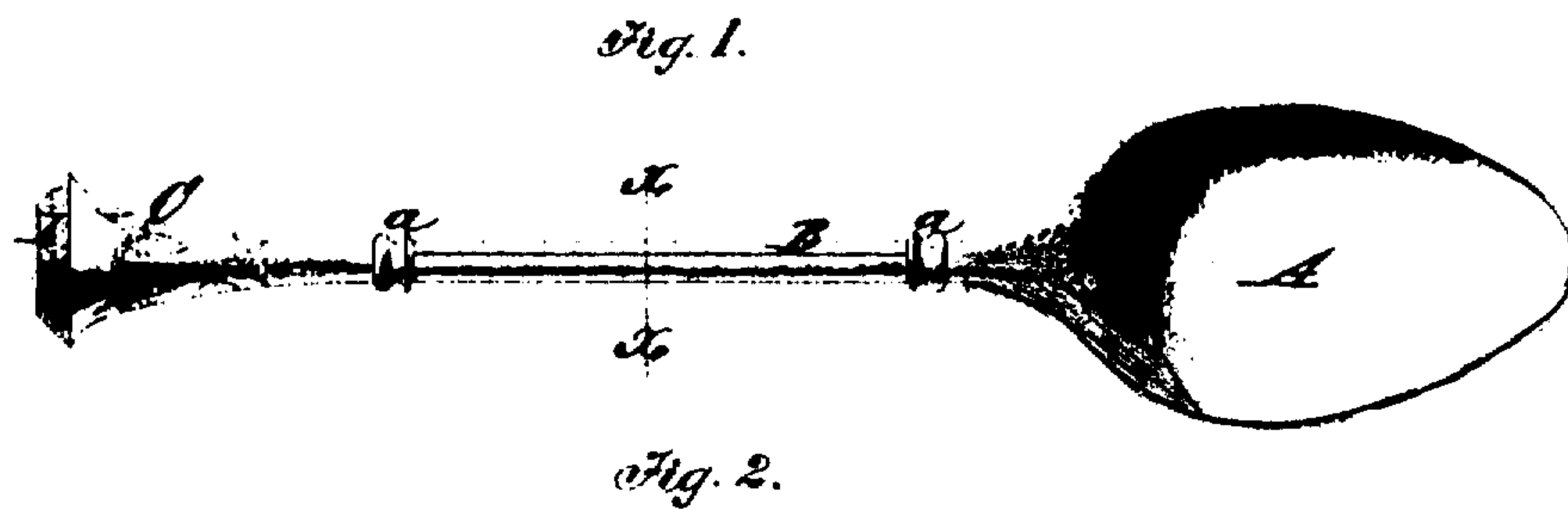


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## DESIGN FOR A SPOON-HANDLE.

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The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

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### TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, JAMES BINGHAM, Jr., of Philadelphia, in the county of Philadelphia, and State of Pennsylvania, have originated and designed a new Pattern for Spoons, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, making part of this specification.

This invention relates to a new and original design for a tea and table-spoon, which is described as follows:

In the accompanying sheet of drawings—

Figure 1 is a front view of a spoon constructed according to my improved design.

Figure 2, a transverse section of the same, taken in the line *x x*, fig. 1.

Similar letters of reference indicate like parts.

A represents the bowl of the spoon, which may be of the usual form, and B is the stem or handle portion, which is of fluted cylindrical form, and has a fillet or bead *a* at each end of the fluted or corrugated portion. The form of the flutes or corrugations is shown clearly in fig. 2. The handle or stem B terminates in a head, C, of flaring or bell shape, with bevel *b* at its end, as shown clearly in fig. 1.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

The design for a teaspoon herein shown and described.

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