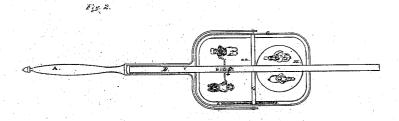
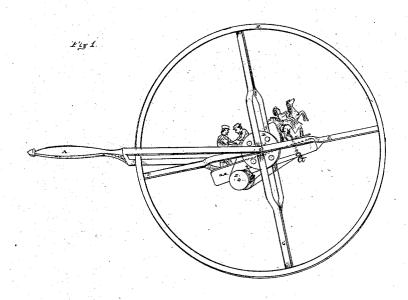
## C.L. Taylor, Toy Hoop. No. 102,988. Patented May 10. 1870.





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## TOY HOOP.

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

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CEBRA L. TAYLOR, of Norwich, in the county of New London and State of Connecticut, have invented a so-called Novelty Hoop, designed to give healthful exercise and amusement to children; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the same, reference being had to the annexed drawings making a part of this specification.

Figure 1 is a side view, elevated.

Figure 2 is a top view.

A represents a bifurcated handle of a trundling hoop.

B represents such a hoop.

C C represent spokes of said hoop, and so constructed as to form an open box or oblong frame, at and near the center of the diameter.

a a represent a platform, placed within the open box formed by the spokes.

D represents a pulley inside the box or frame, and made fast to the spokes, so as to be driven by the motion of the hoop.

E represents a smaller pulley, belted to D, and

turning a shaft which is suspended from the platform a a.

If represents a double pulley on the same shaft with E, one belt from which drives the pulley f, rising from the platform  $a_{-7}$ , the other belt driving the pulley G.

H represents a ar platform, rising above a part of the platform a, and resting on a shaft driven by the pulley G.

I denotes images or figures, of any sort or kind, placed upon the platforms, and moving with the motion of the hoop, as designed.

I claim as my invention—

The combination and arrangement of the open spoked hoop, the furcated handle, the shaft, the driving-wheel, and the toys or automata, with their operative mechanism, to be actuated by such wheel, as set forth.

CEBRA L. TAYLOR.

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