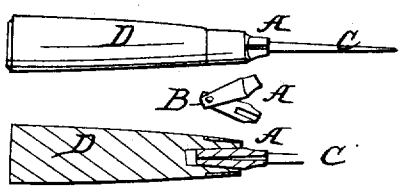
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The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same containing a description of the mode of the said Herrick Aiken's Improvement of his improvement, being a Socket for holding awls & other tools

Be it known that I Herrick Aiken of Bracut Middlesex County & State of Massachusetts, have made an improvement in the useful arts being a Socket, for holding awls, and other tools called "Aikens Awl Socket" which is described as follows.

This Socket is made of Iron, or other metal in two equal parts connected together by a rivet at the small end. Its whole length is 1 1/2 inch. The large end is made square 1/4 inch, the remainder of the length is made round, 1/2 inch diameter in the largest part, and tapered to 3/16ths at the small end. A cavity 3/8ths inch in length and 1/8th inch diameter, is made in the shape of a half square, or half round in each part, in the large end to receive the shank of the tool — The edge, and taper may be varied. The Socket is to be placed in a handle which confines the tool in the Socket

What I Claim as my invention and desire to secure by Letters Patent is the before described Socket for holding awls, and other tools — Eyd 11/46.

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