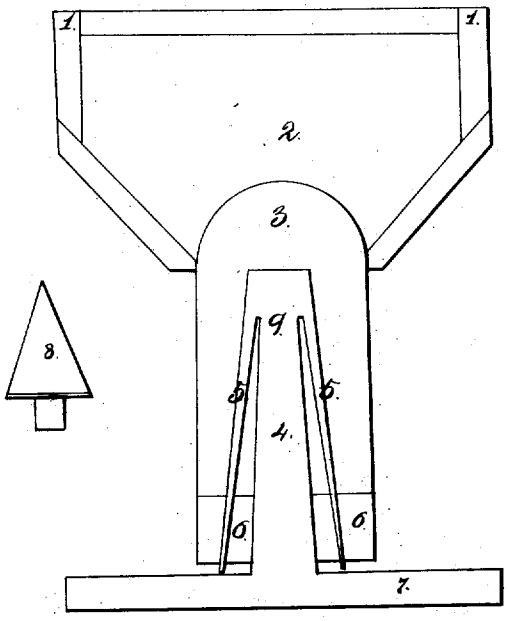
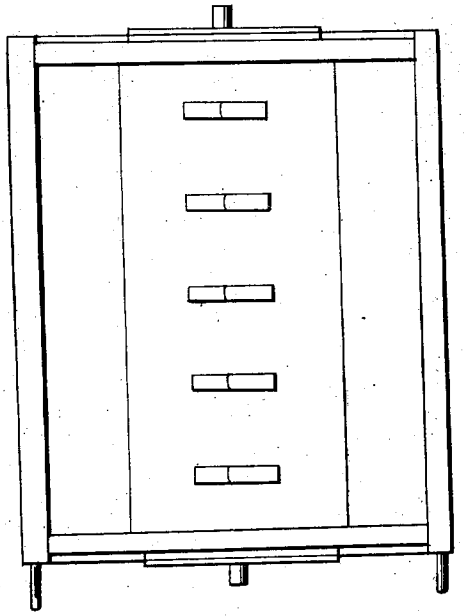
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The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same containing a description in the words of the said Miller D. Mulford himself of his improvement in the washing Machine.

To all to whom these Presents shall come,

Be it known, that I Miller D. Mulford of Bloomfield, in the County of Ontario & State of New York have invented a new & useful machine for washing clothes and that the following is a full & exact description of the operation and construction of said Machine. The Machine may be made in the form of a box or cylinder which is hung on gudgeons & placed in a frame & put in motion by hand, and the motion kept up by spring and balance power, which will be more fully shown by the drawing accompanying this description. Figure 1. shows the handles are put to take, hold of to put the machine in motion, which handles are also necessary to shift the springs represented by figure 5, which springs help to keep the machine in motion, together with weights, which are in the box represented by figure 6, which make the balance power mentioned above. Figure 4, the standard, on which the box or cylinder is hung on gudgeons fastened on each end of the box or cylinder. Figure 7. the sill or bottom of the frame. Figure 8, represents the end of the box in which the clothes are put. Figure 5, the shape of the standards, which are fastened inside of box or cylinder by screws put thro' the ends of the bottom of the box or cylinder. Figure 3 the end of the box containing the weights and is fastened to the end of the cylinder or box in which the clothes are. Figure 9, is where a pin is put through the standard into the board represented by figure 3 for the purpose of holding the machine in any position for taking out or putting the clothes into the box or cylinder.

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