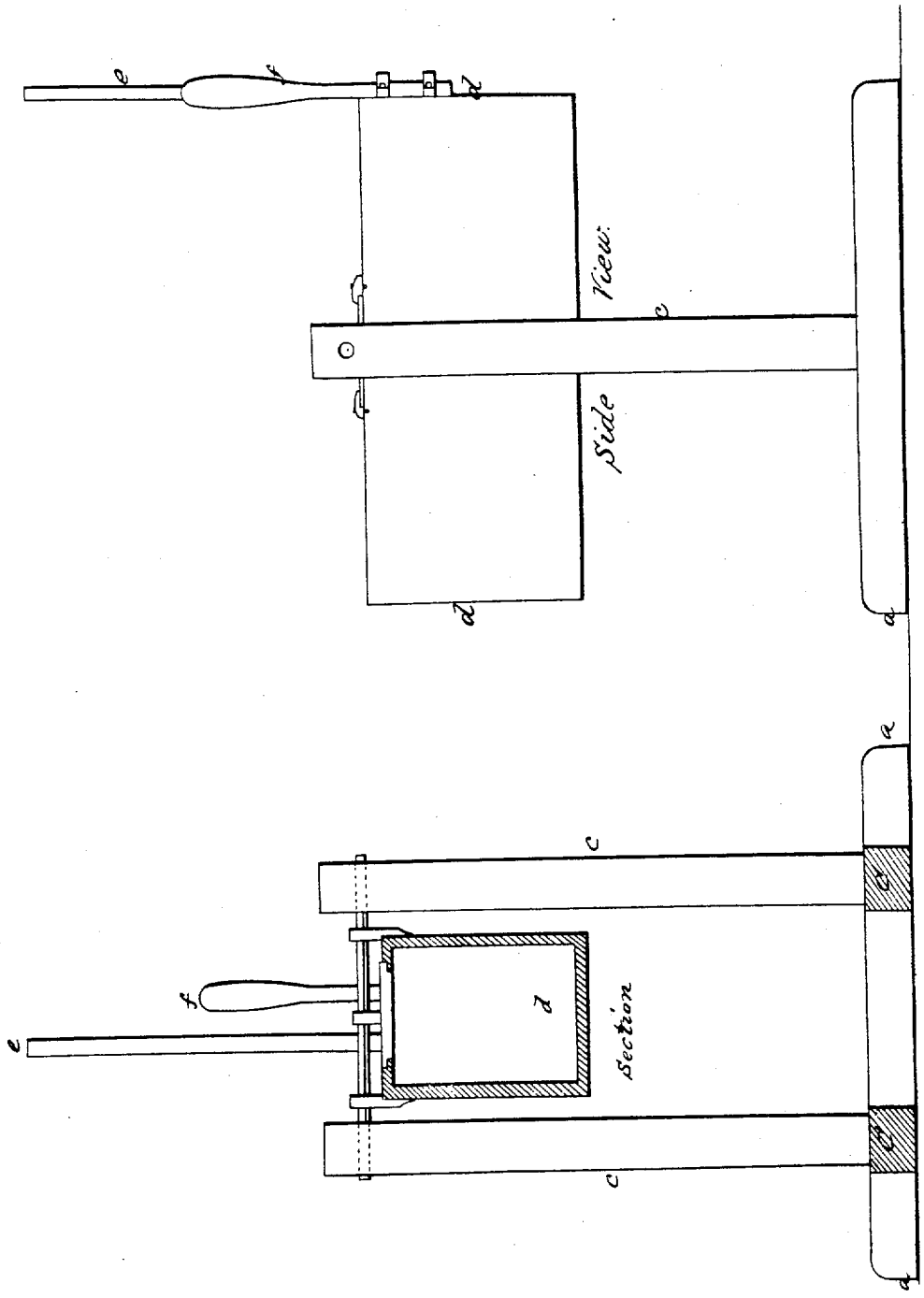
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The schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same containing a description in the words of the said Samuel Clark, himself of his improvement in the Churning Machine

To all to whom these presents Shall come

Be it known that I Samuel Clark of Parkman in the County of Somerset, & State of Maine, have invented a new and useful improvement, in a Churning Machine and that the following is a full and exact description of the construction & operation of the said Machine as improved by me,

about two and a half feet long two inch pieces of square timber for sills

First make two sills, to gather the sills the sills are framed about fifteen inches apart. then make a mortis on the upper side of the sills in the centre these are to receive a post in each, about two and a half feet long, standing erect near the top of these posts are a perforation through each post, then a box is made two and half feet long of pine or hard wood boards, this box is about ten inches wide and twelve inches deep - the box is put together water tight an aperture is made in the top of the box in the centre about six inches square to receive the cream a cover or lid is made to to correspond with the aperture & is fastened by two buttons that are affixed on the two corners of this aperture - a pin or handle is fixed in the centre of the cover, to remove it by - four perforations are made in the cover to give circulations of air to the cream if found necessary, two cleets are attached on one side of the box forming sockets near the centre of the box, a small post is made, and

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one end enters those sockets standing erect, this stick is about two feet long, in the centre and on each side of the box that the upper edge are a cleet fastened in a erect position with three perforations in each of them, a pin is fixed into each of those cleets, - two cleets are made forming sockets and fastned at one end of the box - on the top of the box on the same side of the box that the upright post is fixed to a handle, is made and fixed in those cleets - the box is then hung up to those upright posts above described in the frame by the pins described on each side of the box and is so shaped as occasion may require - Opperation is by taking hold of the upright piece attached to the box - or the handle placed to the end of the box its opperation by tipping it each way allmost perpendicular, the improvement that I claim is the manner of hanging it & its opperating end ways, a perforation is made through the end of this box to draw the butter milk off

Samuel Clark,

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