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Fig. 1.

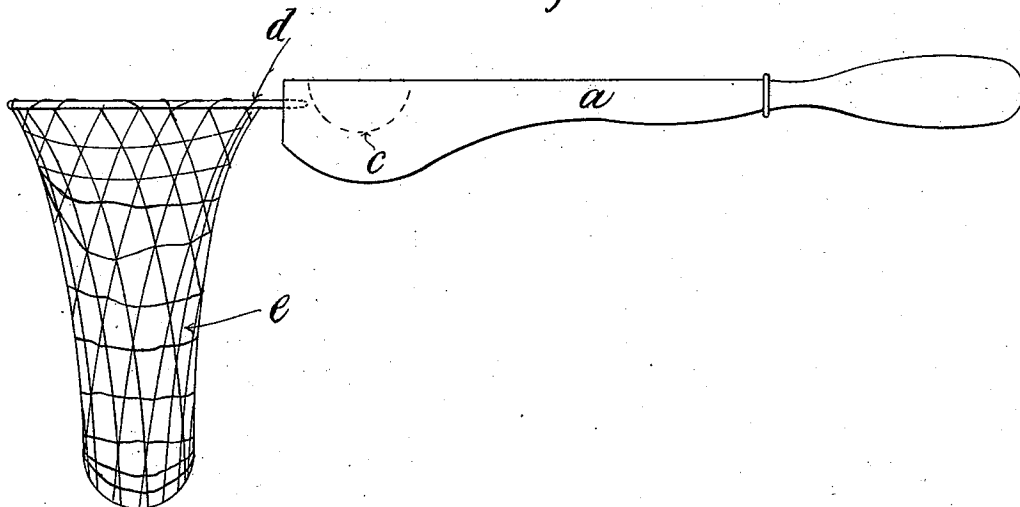
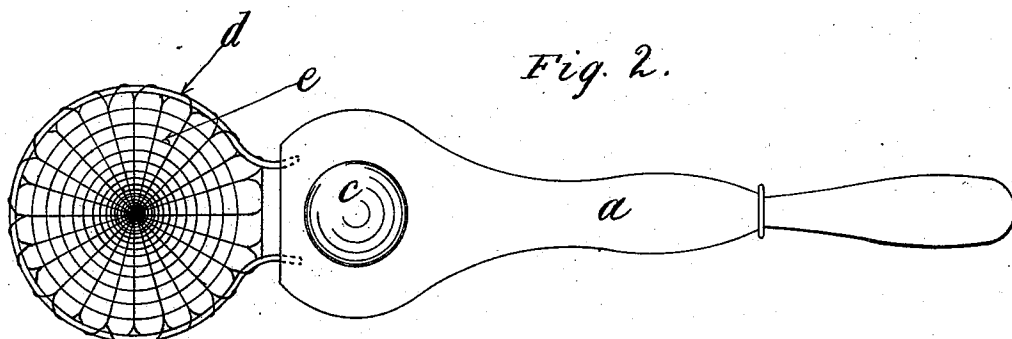


Fig. 2.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM LAWRENCE, a subject of the Queen of Great Britain, and a resident of Folkestone, in the county of Kent, England, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Toys for Games, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact specification.

This invention relates to an improved toy for use when playing a game of bat and ball and the same is constructed in the following manner, reference being had to the accompanying drawings.

Figure 1 shows a side elevation of my invention; Fig. 2 plan of same.

a is a block of wood, shaped as shown, having a handle *b* at its taper end and an indentation *c* at its enlarged end. At the extremity of this piece of wood is secured a rim of wire *d* to which is connected a bag or net *e*.

The toy is used as follows: The ball is placed in the indentation *c* and the player

throws the ball to his opponent, who has a similar device to that shown, who endeavors to catch the ball in the bag or net *e*, after which he similarly returns the ball and so on.

What I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

In toys a block of wood one end of which is tapered to a handle, the other end is enlarged and provided with an indentation *c*, a rod or bar carrying a net *e* said rod being attached to a block of wood substantially as described and shown.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing I have hereunto set my hand this 28th day of April, 1893.

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