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AX.

No. 16,631.

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Fig. 1.

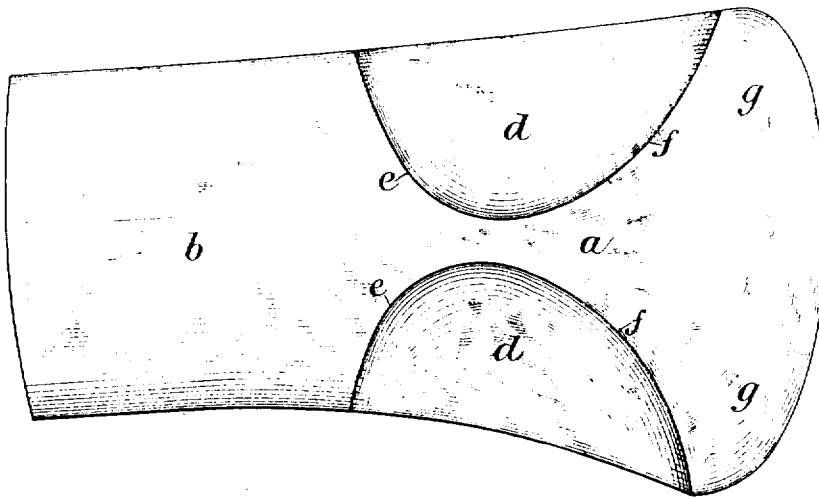
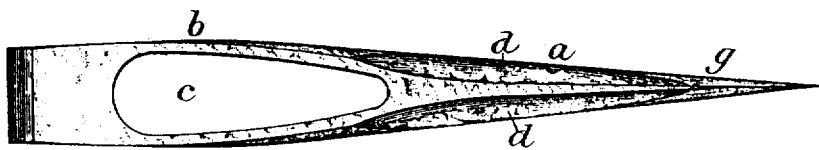


Fig. 2.



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DESIGN FOR AN AX.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, THOMAS BAKEWELL, of Sewickley, in the county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, have invented a new and original Design for Axes; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description thereof.

My design for axes consists of double concave bevels, having opposed circular edges on each side of the blade of the ax.

The drawings show, in Figure 1, a side view, and in Fig. 2 an edge view, of an ax of my new and original design. Here *a* indicates the blade, and *b* the poll in which the eye *c* is made. Extending in from each edge of the blade is a concave bevel, *d*, having a circular edge, *e f*, running from the end of the bit *g* to a point opposite the forward edge of the eye *c*. The concave bevels *d* approach near to each other at the middle of the blade. The concavity of the bevels, which merge into the

surface of the blade on curved lines, gives a remarkably light, graceful, and handsome appearance to the side of the ax, which does not detract from the idea of strength, and the sides converge toward each other at the edges (see Fig. 2) in handsome curved lines, which are due to the concave bevels, and add greatly to the beauty of the ax.

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

The design for axes, consisting of concave bevels with circular edges on the sides of the blade and extending in from the opposite edges thereof, as herein shown and described.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 13th day of January, A. D. 1886.

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