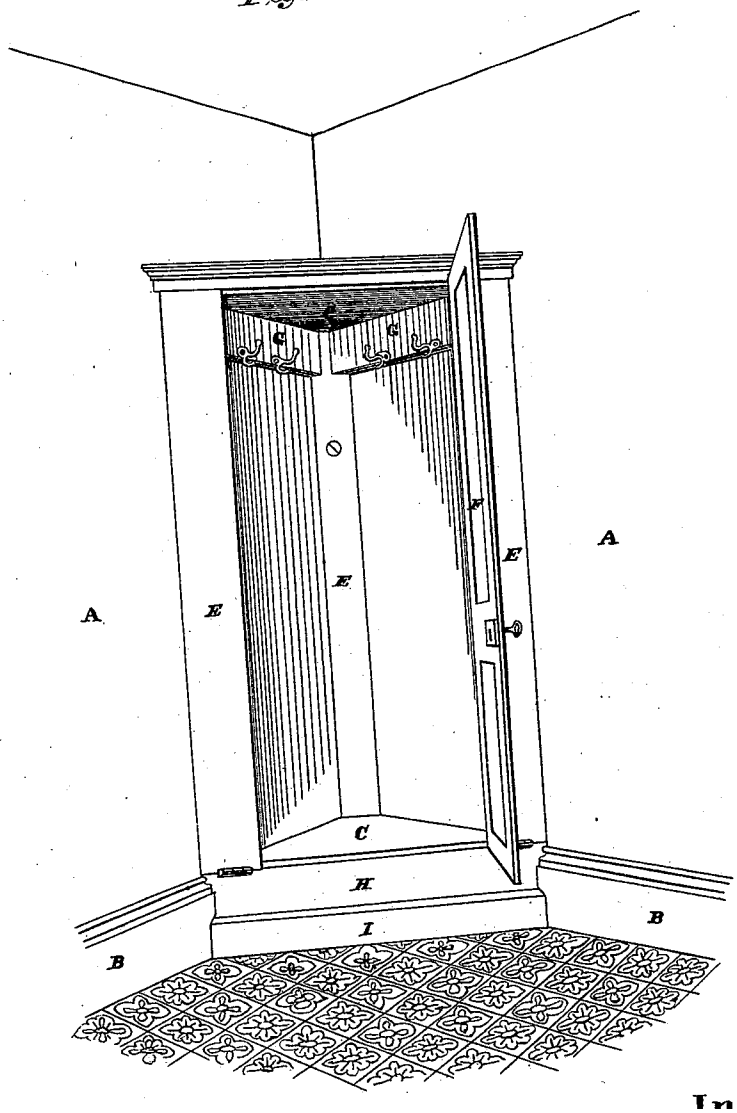
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Wardrobe.

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Fig. 1.



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IMPROVEMENT IN WARDROBES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, MICHAEL DOYLE, of the city and county of San Francisco, and State of California, have invented an Improved Wardrobe or Clothes-Guard; and I do hereby declare the following specification to be a full, clear, and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawings.

My invention relates to a novel construction for a clothes-guard or wardrobe which may be both fixed and portable; and it consists in the detail of construction hereinafter described and claimed.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 is a front elevation of the wardrobe. Fig. 3 is a horizontal cross-section. Fig. 2 is a perspective view of the wardrobe removed from the wall.

A A are the walls of a room, forming an angle, as shown, and B is the base-board.

In the formation of my clothes-guard I employ two triangular pieces, C C, having the angle D slightly obtuse, so as to insure a fit in any corner which may be selected. These pieces form the top and bottom of the device, and are united by the narrow vertical boards or strips E E, one fitting into the corner, while the others serve as casings for the door F. A short strip, G, is secured at the top upon each of the sides, so as to be along the wall of the room, inside the wardrobe, and these strips support hooks upon which clothing is hung. The lower triangle C rests upon or just above the base-board B, and as this varies in depth in different rooms, I have made a hinged door or flap composed of two parts, H and I, which serve to cover the space below the floor of the wardrobe. These parts may be adjusted by screwing them together, so as to make a deep or shallow door and fill the depth of any base-board.

The edges of the vertical strips and casings E and the ends of the flap-door are beveled, so that the device may be symmetrically fitted to its place. As there is always a stud or upright in the corner of every room, it will be easy to secure my portable guard or wardrobe by a single screw, which passes through the rear strip E into the stud, thus making it a fixture for the time.

The parts are all put together by screws, so as to be easily dismounted for transportation, and by my method of construction I am enabled to employ the walls of the room to serve as the sides of a clothes-guard or wardrobe, which is at the same time portable, and may be removed without the trouble of packing or transporting sides for it.

I am aware that triangular wardrobes have heretofore been made adapted to fit into the corners of a room, and hence do not broadly claim any one device shown; but,

Having thus described my invention, what I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

A portable clothes-guard or wardrobe composed of the parts C E and the door F, as shown, and provided with the adjustable flap H I, to close upon and fit different base-boards, substantially as herein described.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

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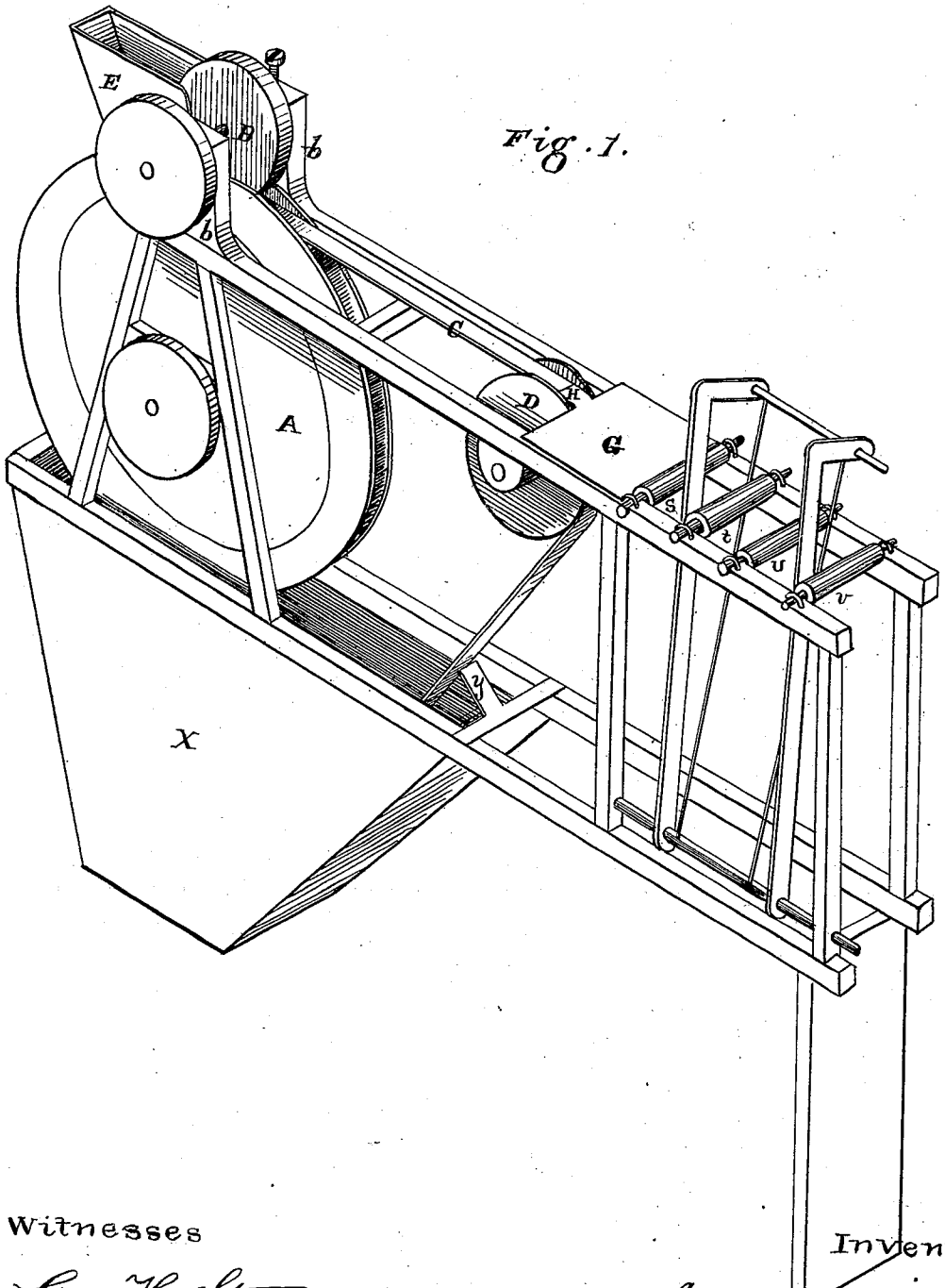
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Fig. 1.



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