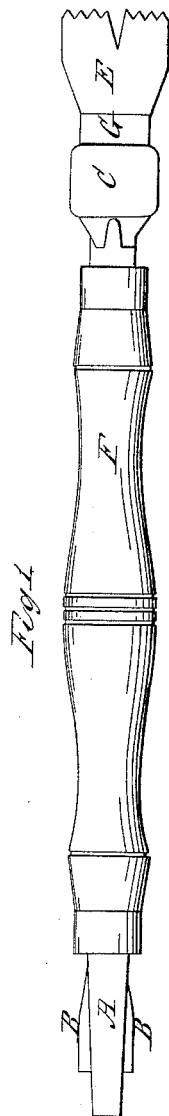


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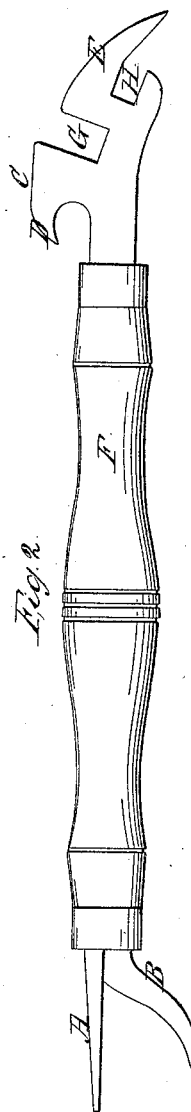
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IMPROVEMENT IN HAMMERS.

Specification forming part of Letters Patent No. **49,898**, dated September 12, 1865.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOSEPH H. LITTLEFIELD, of Cambridge, in the county of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, have invented new and useful improvements in an article for domestic use, consisting of a screw-driver and stove-cover taken at one end, and a tack-hammer, nail-hook, carpet-stretcher, tack-puller, and two wrenches at the other end, and these two ends connected by a suitable handle; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full and exact description of the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, forming a part of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 is a plan view, looking upon the flat surface of the hammer-face C and various other parts; Fig. 2, a side view of the same.

Letter A represents the screw-driver; B, stove-cover; C, face of the hammer; D, the claws of the hammer or nail-hook; E, carpet-stretcher and tack-puller; F, the handle; G, a wrench; A, another small wrench.

The nature of my invention consists in the arrangement and combination of parts.

To enable others skilled in the art to make

and use my invention, I will describe its construction and mode of operation.

I make the screw-driver of steel, the other parts of malleable iron. Its use will be readily comprehended by the drawings, my intention being in making it a stove-cover taker to have it always at hand in the kitchen, so the person doing the work about the house shall always be provided with a small hammer, a screw-driver, a carpet-stretcher and tack-puller, nail-hook to draw nails with, and also two small wrenches, which combined must be of great use in taking down and putting up window-curtains, laying down carpets, and doing many other things about the house, also valuable for many mechanical purposes of various descriptions.

I claim—

The within described implement, constructed substantially as described, as a new article of manufacture.

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