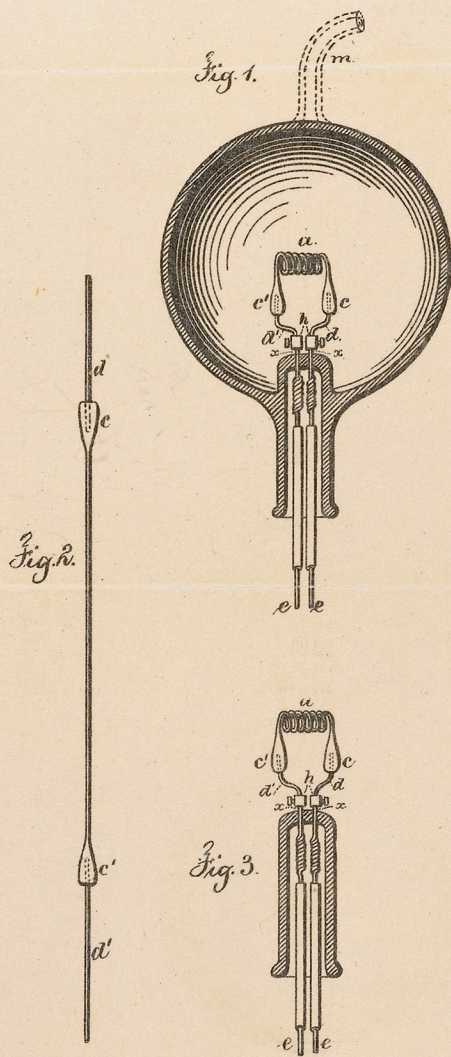


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Patented Jan. 27, 1880.



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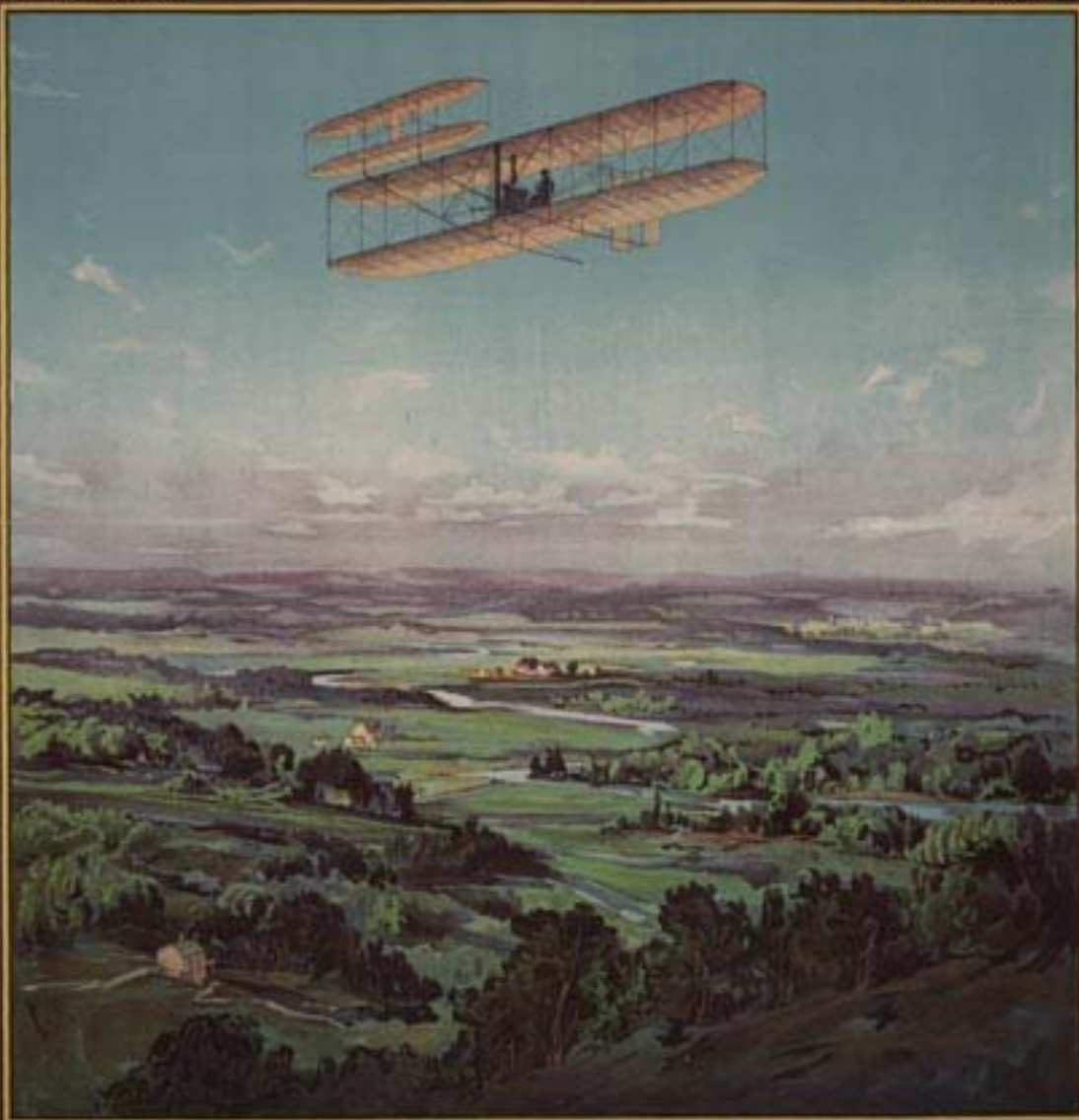


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