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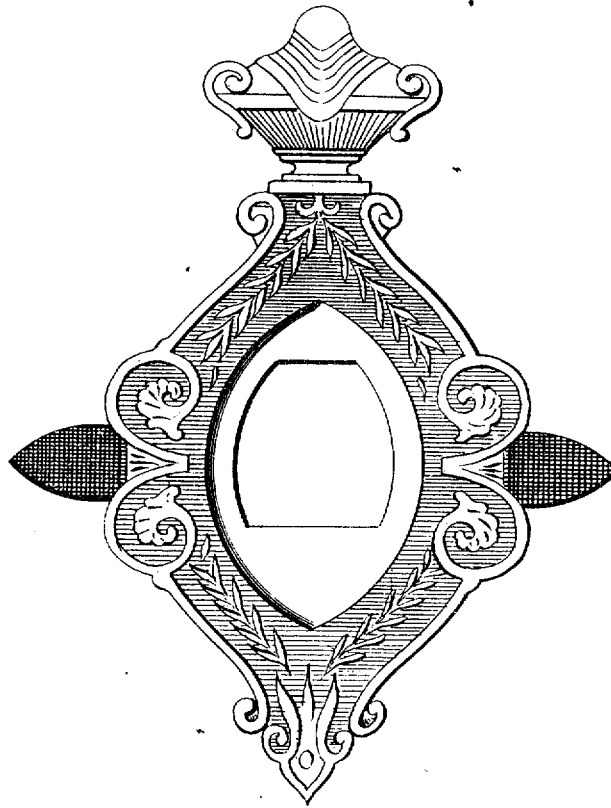
DESIGN.

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COFFIN-HANDLE SOCKETS.

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DESIGN FOR COFFIN-HANDLE SOCKETS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM M. SMITH, of West Meriden, in the county of New Haven and State of Connecticut, have invented a new Design for Coffin-Handle Socket; and I do hereby declare the following, when taken in connection with the accompanying drawings, to be a full, clear, and exact description of the same, and which said drawings constitute part of this specification, and represent a front view.

This invention relates to the base of a coffin-handle socket—that is to say, the ornamental plate onto which the socket proper is set; and the design consists in the peculiar configuration of this base, as shown in the accompanying illustration, and hereinafter described.

The general outline of the socket is of diamond form, the top surmounted with the representation of an urn, this urn, as a surmounting ornament of the socket, constituting the principal feature in this design. The side angles are each finished with a pair of scrolls, turning from the center outward, with a tip ornament resting thereon. The upper and

lower angles terminate in a scroll from each side toward the point, and turning outward, with a tip resting thereon, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

I do not wish to be understood as broadly claiming a diamond-shaped socket, as such I am aware is shown in the patent granted to me November 9, 1875, No. 8,791.

I claim—

1. The design for coffin-handle socket, consisting of the representation of an urn surmounting the base of the socket, as described, and shown in the accompanying illustration.

2. The design for socket-base herein described, consisting of a diamond form, the side angles of which consist of two outwardly-turning scrolls, with a tip resting thereon, and the upper and lower angles terminating in a scroll, from each side turning outward, and an ornamental tip resting thereon, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

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