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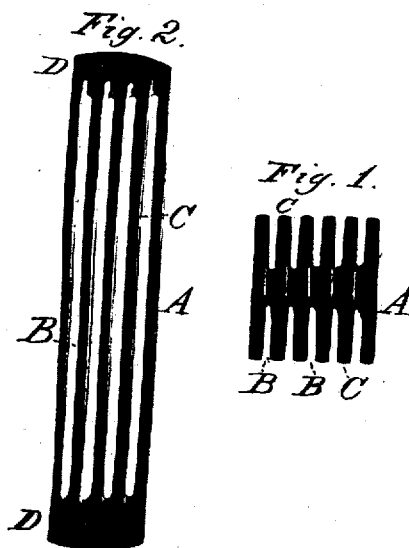
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## DESIGN FOR BRACELETS.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, **IGNATIUS RICE**, of New York city, N. Y., have invented a Design for Bracelets, of which the following is a specification:

The nature of my design is fully represented in the accompanying photographic illustration, to which reference is made.

Figure 1 represents a wide plain band, of gutta-percha, hard rubber, horn, gold, silver, or other suitable material, bent in the form of a hoop to encircle the wrist, and having for the greater part of its length, or commencing near each end, a series of longitudinal cuts or spaces, and so arranged as to present, when in wear, the appearance to the eye of the observer of several distinct bracelets. Fig. 2 represents the band so cut out or spaced as it would appear before being bent.

A is the body or band; B B B, the spaces; C C C, the narrow or intermediate portions or bands representing the separate bracelets, as before referred to; and D D, the solid ends.

Having described my invention, what I claim is—

The design for a bracelet composed of the broad plain band A, having the spaces B, intermediate narrow portions or bands C, and solid ends D, the whole, when in wear, having the appearance of several distinct bracelets, substantially as described, and shown in the accompanying illustration.

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