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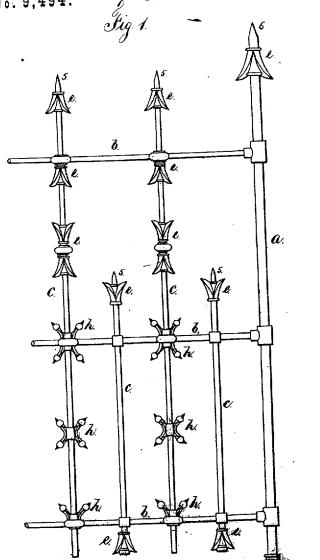
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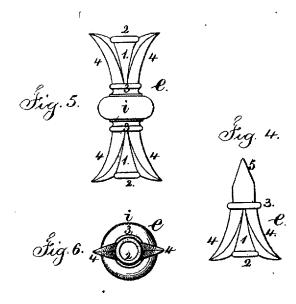
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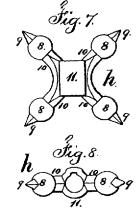
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## DESIGN FOR IRON FENCES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, John B. Wickersham, of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, have invented or produced a Design for Iron Railings, of which the following is a specifica-

In the drawing, Figure 1 represents a portion of a panel of iron railing according to my ornamental design, and the other figures show some of the details in separate views.

The post a, rails b b, and pickets c are of usual character, with the exception of the ornaments applied to the same. The principal ornament made use of consists in a cylindrical body, 1, with rings 2 and 3 at the respective ends, spreading-leaf ornaments 4 4 at opposite sides of such cylinder 1. This ornament is shown in larger size in elevation, and plan view in Figs. 2 and 3, and is marked e upon Fig. 1. In some instances the points 44 stand upwardly, as in Figs. 2 and 3, and in other instances they point downwardly, as in Fig. 4. This ornament e is made double in Figs. 5 and

6, with a ball ornament uniting the parts, as at i, or the ball i may be used with a single ornament, e, at the junction of the rails and pickets. The ornament h, shown in larger size in elevation and plan, Figs. 7 and 8, is composed of balls 8, with spike terminations 9 set upon the arms 10, which project from the cylindrical hub 11. These are used upon the pickets, either in pairs or with four points, as illustrated in Fig. 1.

I claim as my invention or production— 1. The design of the ornamental iron fence,

as shown in Fig. 1 of the drawing.

2. The design of the ornament e for an ironfence picket, substantially as described and

Signed by me this 21st day of April, A. D.

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