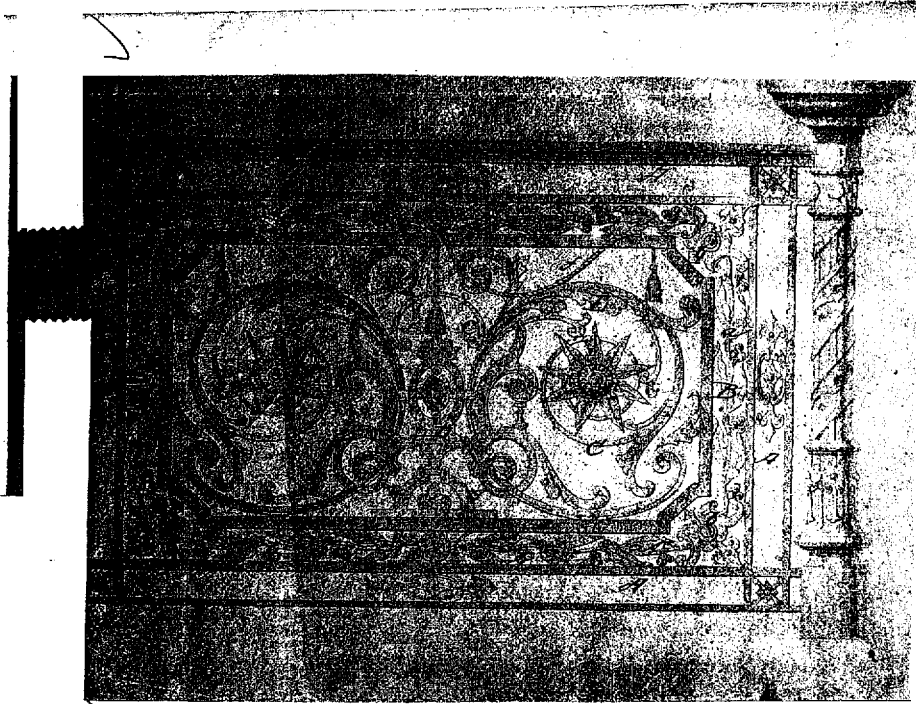


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM TWEEDDALE, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings and State of New York, have invented a new and original Design for Railing, of which the following is a specification:

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

The design has reference to an ornamental railing, and consists mainly of an oblong panel with outer bands or frames, of which the inner band has laurel twigs, inclosing the innermost panel, with central ornament and symmetrical volutes, terminating in sunflowers.

Referring to the illustration, A represents the outer intersecting rods or frame of the oblong panel of my railing, which rods form the connection with suitably-ornamented posts. The outer rods A are provided at the corners, and midway between the same, with appropriate scroll ornaments.

The outer rods or frame A inclose a band, B, of oblong shape, which is filled up with laurel twigs *a*, that are arranged symmetrically to corner shields *b*, and small rosettes *d*, at the center of the longer horizontal sides.

The laurel band B incloses an interior panel, C, which is cut off at the corners for the shield-shaped ornament *b*. In the panel C are arranged, intertwining with and extending from a central buckle and scroll-shaped ornament, D, to the sides, two symmetrical volute-shaped branches or scrolls, E, that carry at their interior end rosettes E', in the shape of sunflowers.

A cord and tassel, *e*, are suspended from the top rosettes *d* to the top of the central ornament D, while also two cords, *f*, with end tassels, are hung in graceful symmetrical curves from the same rosette *e*, above the volutes, and over the inclosing-frame, down at the upper corners of the inner panel C.

The railing presents a striking and elegant appearance, with a rich and abundant, yet tastefully-disposed, ornamentation.

I claim as my invention—

1. The design for a railing, composed of outer intersecting rods A, an inner laurel ornamented band or frame, B, and an innermost panel, C, with center ornament D, volutes E, having terminal sunflower rosettes E', substantially as shown and described.

2. The design for a railing, having an inner band, B, inclosing the center panel, with laurel twigs, that extend symmetrically between shield-shaped ornaments *b* at the corners, along the sides, and from the same to central rosettes *d*, at the upper and lower sides, substantially as shown and described.

3. The design for an interior center panel of a railing, composed of a buckle and scroll ornament, C, at the center, ornamental volutes E, with terminal sunflower rosettes E', intertwining therewith, and the cords and tassels *e* and *f*, suspended from a top rosette, *d*, substantially as shown and described.

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