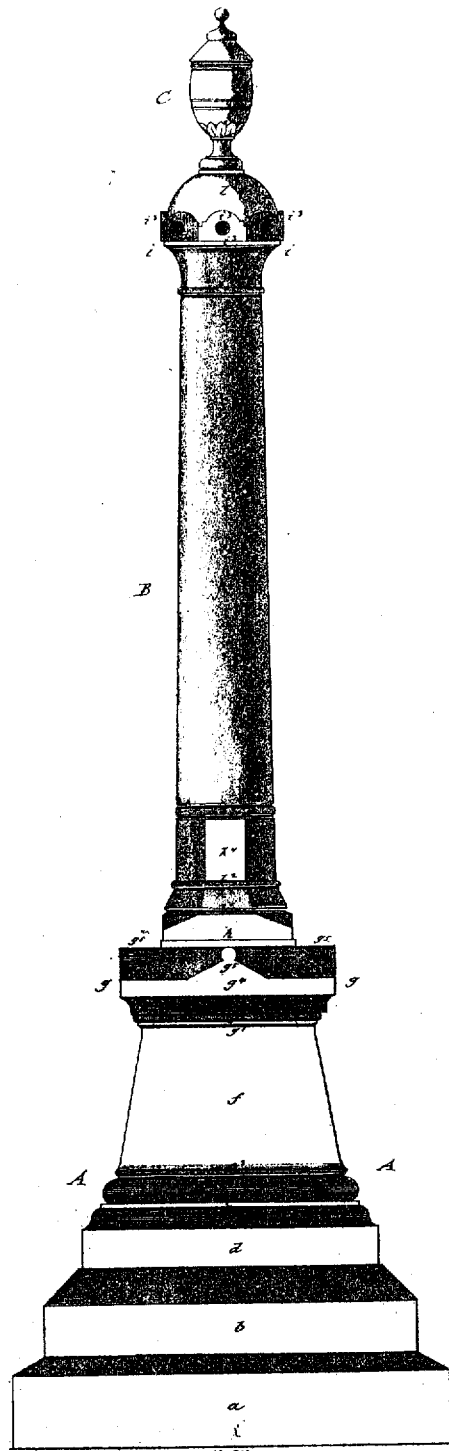


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DESIGN FOR A MONUMENT.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JAMES MORGAN, of Brooklyn, county of Kings, and State of New York, have invented a Design for a Monument, of which the following is a specification:

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

The invention refers to a design for a grave-monument; and consists, essentially, of a base with surmounting column and top vase, as more fully described hereafter.

In the drawing, A represents the base of my monument; B, the column, and C the surmounting vase. The base A consists of several steps, *a b d*, that diminish in size, and are connected by tapering intermediate parts *a' b'*. The top step *d* is connected, by an ogee molding, *e*, small step *e'*, convex molding *e''*, and convexo-concave shoulder *e'''*, with the middle section or trunk *f* of the base, which is tapering toward the upper end, supporting a heavy top part, *g*. The top part *g* of the base A is made of a narrow projecting step, *g'*, small convex molding *g''*, concave molding *g'''*, and square part *g''''*, with central raised ridge and round top *g'''''*, projecting from the tapering main portion or step *g''''''*, on which the column B rests. The column B has a square base-step, *h*, with corners cut off at suitable inclination,

that form the connection of the vase-step with the octagonal lower part of the column, composed of a groove, *h*, inclined step *h''*, concave molding *h'''*, upright shaft-section *h''''*. Above the octagonal section is a round countersunk molding, *h''''''*, from which the plain shaft-section extends to the capital *i*. The capital *i* rises, by a plain convex band, *i'*, concave molding *i''*, and step *i'''*, from the shaft, and is cut out with rounded-off battlements *i''''*, having central rosettes, being surmounted by a hemispherical cap, *l*, on which the top vase C, of suitable form, is placed, crowning thereby the column.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

The design for a monument, consisting of a base, A, formed of connected base-steps and moldings, trunk *f*, and enlarged top part, with tapering upper step, of a column, B, with square base-step, octagonal lower section, plain shaft, and capital, with rounded-off battlements, hemispherical cap, and surmounting vase, substantially as shown and described.

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