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DESIGN FOR A MONUMENT.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, ALONZO M. BUCHANAN, of Moberly, in the county of Randolph and State of Missouri, have originated a Design for Head-Stones or similar Monuments; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying photographs, which form a part of this specification.

A represents the head-stone or monumental stone, which may be of any suitable shape or configuration, and rests upon a base, B. C is a central medallion for the inscription of the name and date, &c.; and this consists of an oval shield, surrounded by a cord, c, represented as passing through loops or perforations *b*, made in projecting parts of the shield on four sides thereof, and terminating in two tassels, *a a*, one on each side of the projection

b', within which the cords are supposed to cross each other.

What I claim as my invention is—

The design for a medallion for head-stones and other monuments, consisting of a central raised shield, C, having projections *b b'*, and surrounded by an ornamental cord, *c*, represented as passing through said projections, and having its ends crossed within the lowermost of these, substantially as described, and shown in the accompanying photograph.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my own I have hereto affixed my signature in presence of two witnesses.

ALONZO M. BUCHANAN.

Witnesses:

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