

DESIGN.

J. R. REED.
Coffin-Screws.

10,410.

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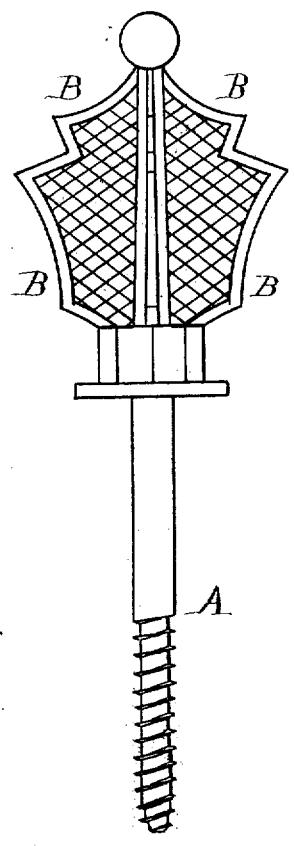


Fig 1

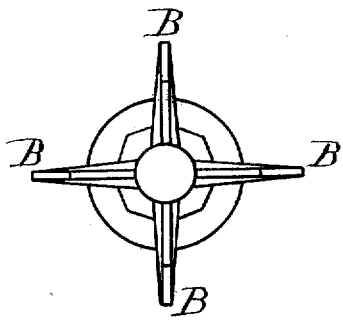


Fig 2

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DESIGN FOR COFFIN-SCREWS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOHN R. REED, of Westfield, county of Hampden and State of Massachusetts, have originated and designed a Pattern for Cover-Screws for Coffins, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, making part of this specification.

Figures 1 and 2 represent my cover-screw.

A is the threaded screw. B B B B are the wings of the head, four in number in this instance; but they may consist of three or five, since the effect or appearance would not be very materially changed so long as more than two or less than six wings are shown, the an-

gular connection between the wings being thus substantially maintained. The exact outline of the wings may also be somewhat varied, and the effect remain substantially the same, so long as the upper portions of the wings are increased in diameter over the lower portions.

What I claim as my invention, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The design for cover-screws for coffins, having more than two and less than six wings on their heads, shaped substantially as represented in the drawing.

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