

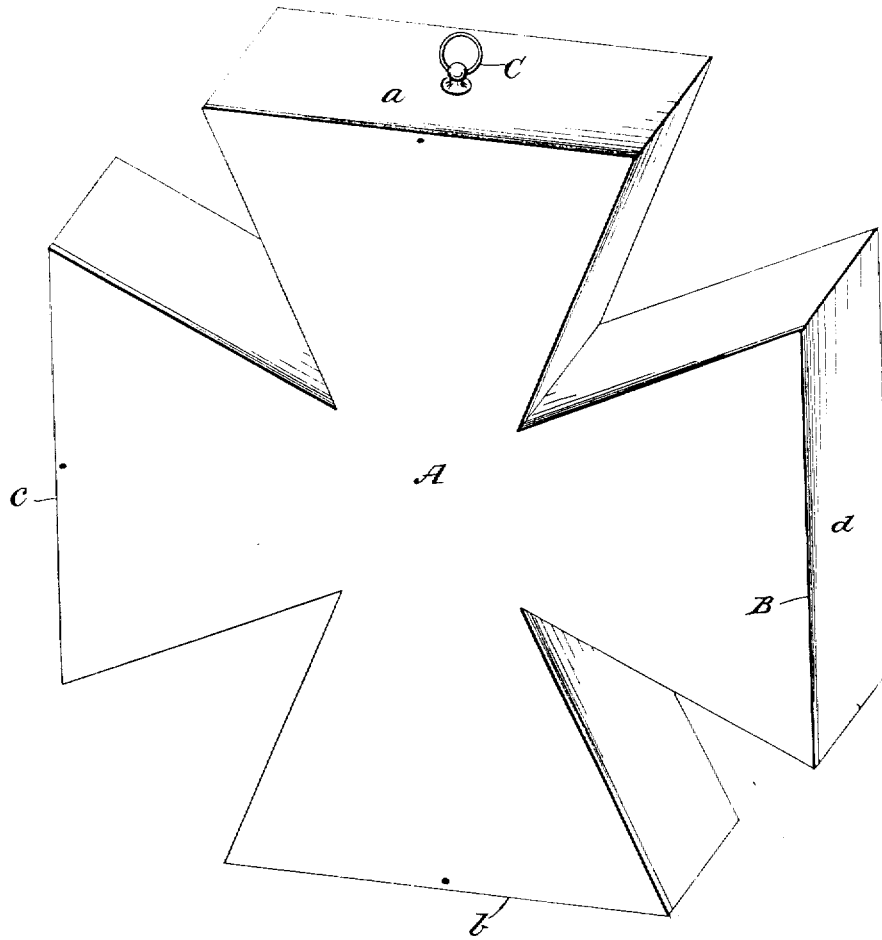
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DESIGN.
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Box.

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DESIGN FOR A BOX.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, MICHAEL I. WELLER, of Washington, District of Columbia, have originated and invented a new and useful Design for Boxes for Cigars, &c.; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, reference being had to the accompanying drawing, forming a part of this specification.

My design has for its object the furnishing to the trade of a box unique and striking in shape, for the purpose of exposing cigars in the show windows and cases, and for other purposes.

The invention consists in a box formed in the shape of a Maltese cross.

The letter A represents a box, which is con-

structed of any suitable material, or a combination of materials, in the shape of a Maltese cross, the ends *a b c d* being parallel and vertical, and the sides inclined, the corners forming acute angles. B represent the cover, and C a ring for suspending the box.

I claim as my invention—

The design for a box substantially as shown and described.

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

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