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Fig. 1.

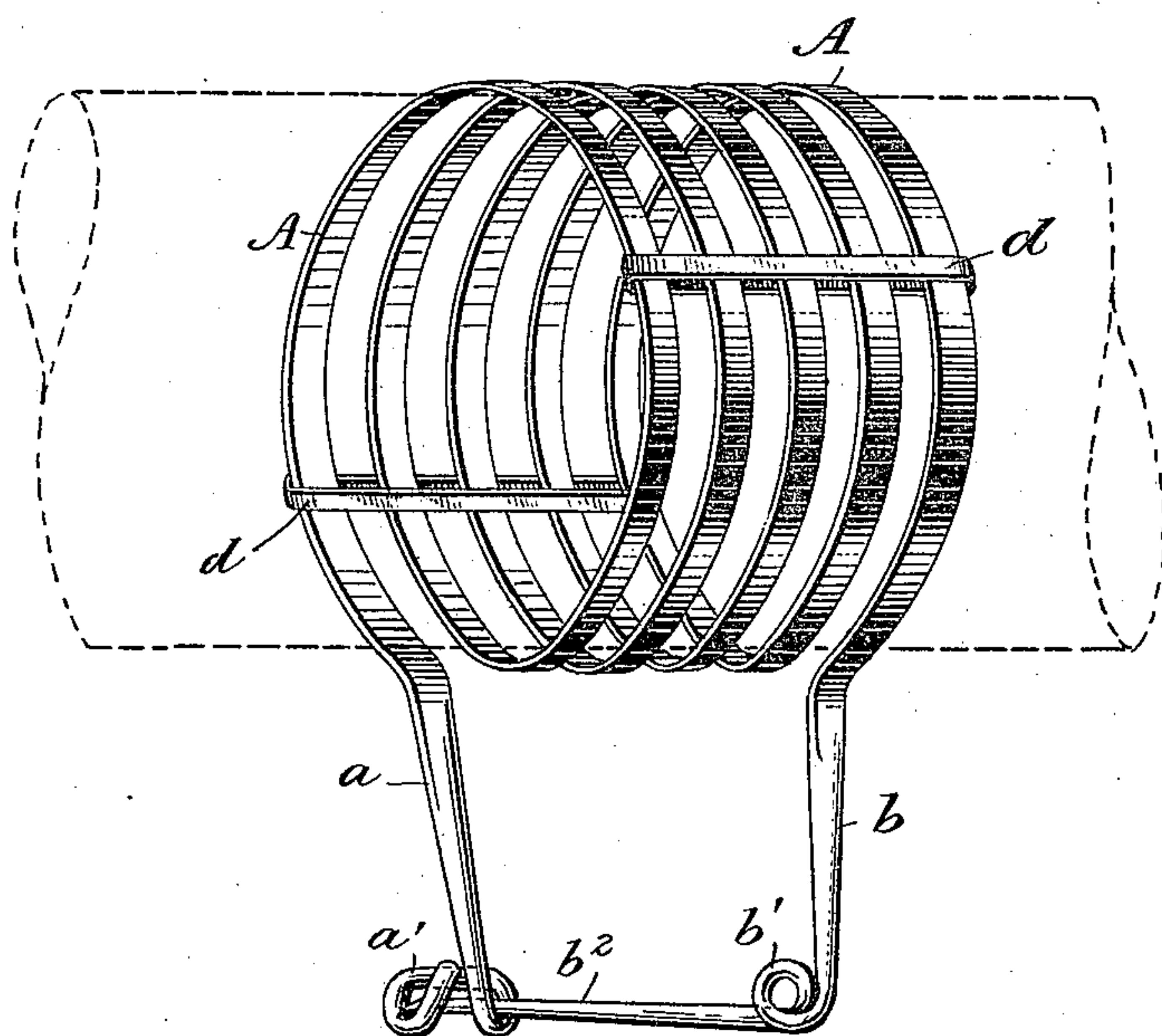
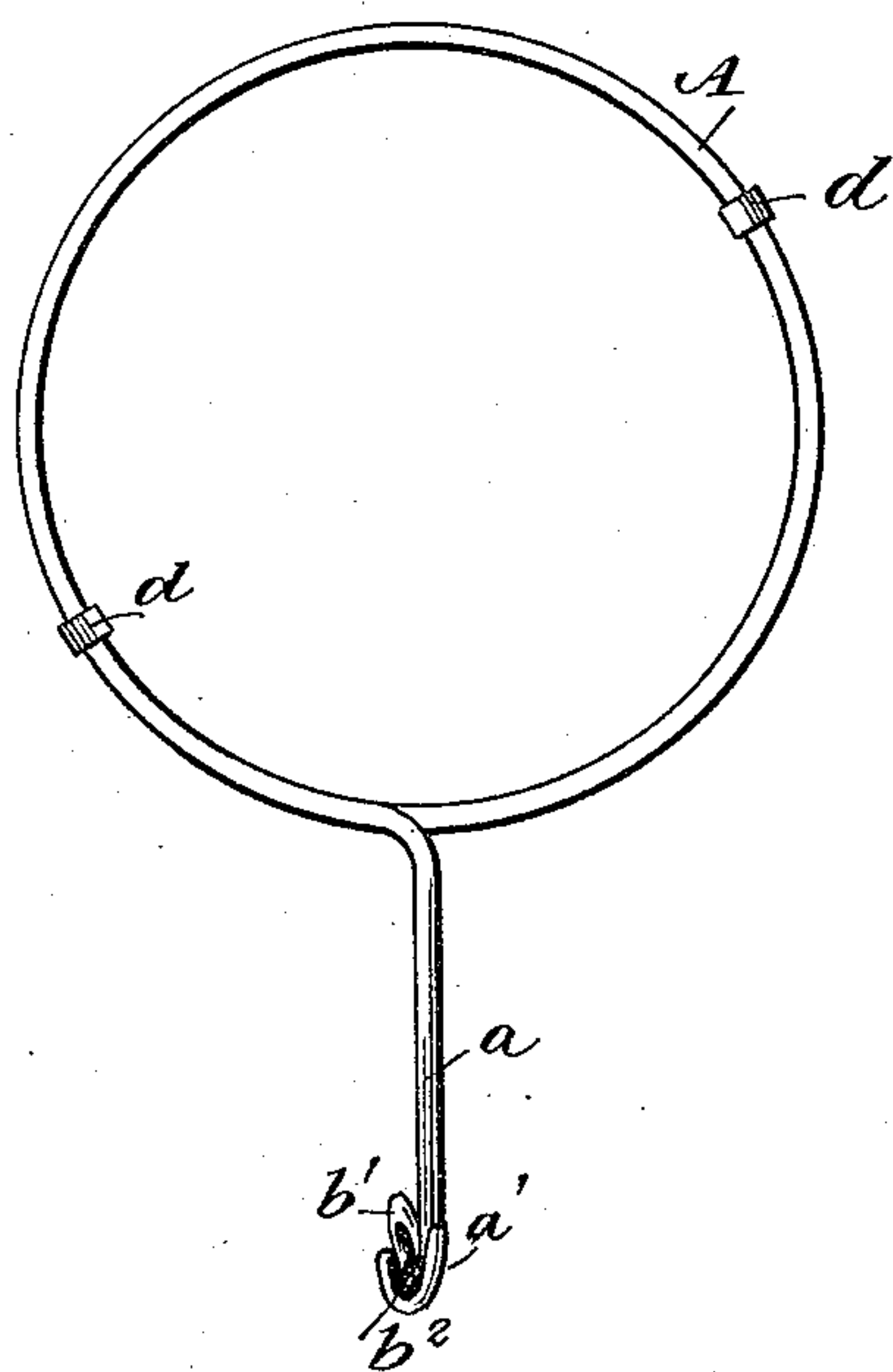


Fig. 2.



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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, LEOPOLD WEIDENFELD, of Broken Bow, in the county of Custer and State of Nebraska, have invented a new and  
5 Improved Combined Curtain-Pole Ring and Pin, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

My invention relates to that class of rings and pins that are used to suspend curtains, 10 portières, lambrequins, and other draperies from horizontal poles.

The invention will first be described, and then specifically pointed out in the claims.

Reference is to be had to the accompanying  
15 drawings, forming a part of this specification, in which similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts in both the views.

Figure 1 is a perspective view of the device as applied to a pole, the pole being indicated  
20 by dotted lines; and Fig. 2 is an end view of the device.

The part A which encircles the pole is made of spring metal, and is in the form of a helix. It may be composed of any desired number  
25 of rings; but in practice I find five, as shown in the drawings, a convenient number. The two end portions *a b* of the spring or helix A project downwardly, the end *a'* of the part *a* is turned up, so as to form a clasp, and the  
30 part *b* is bent and given one coil at the part *b'*, so as to give sufficient spring to the end *b<sup>2</sup>*, which is formed into a pin which may be retained by the clasp *a'*. In practice the helix A is placed upon a pole, and the pin *b<sup>2</sup>* is  
35 passed through the fabric to be suspended, and the end is retained by the clasp *a'*.

The helical portion A of the device is clasped by two flattened rings or bands *d*, which prevents the same from spreading and allowing  
40 the pin *b<sup>2</sup>* to be released from the clasp *a'*; but one band will answer the purpose by placing it immediately above the ends *a b*.

It will be observed that the form above described will give the device great strength,

and the pin *b<sup>2</sup>* will be long enough to take 45 firm hold of the suspended fabric, so that it will not be easily torn away.

The device may be made of any suitable material and in various sizes, so that it may fit a small rod or a larger pole. 50

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

1. A curtain-pole ring and pin comprising a tubular body in the form of a helix, the material of the helix at the ends of the tubular body being formed into a catch or clasp and a pin, respectively, the said pin extending longitudinally along the under side of the helix to the said catch or clasp, substantially as 60 set forth.

2. The herein-described curtain-pole ring and pin, consisting in a tubular helical body A, adapted to slide on a pole and having integral longitudinally-aligned depending arms 65 *a b* at the opposite ends of the body, the arm *a* being formed with an integral catch or clasp *a'* at its lower end, and the arm *b* having an integral coil *b'* at its lower end, and a longitudinally-extending pin *b<sup>2</sup>*, integral with said 70 coil and adapted to engage said clasp or catch at its free end, substantially as set forth.

3. A curtain-pole ring and pin comprising a tubular body in the form of a helix, the material of the helix at the opposite ends of the body being projected downwardly to form the longitudinally-aligned arms, a catch or clasp at the lower end of one arm and a pin at the lower end of the other arm adapted to engage with its free end the said catch or clasp, and 80 a longitudinal clasp connecting the end coils to prevent expansion of the helix and disconnection of the pin and clasp or catch, substantially as set forth.

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