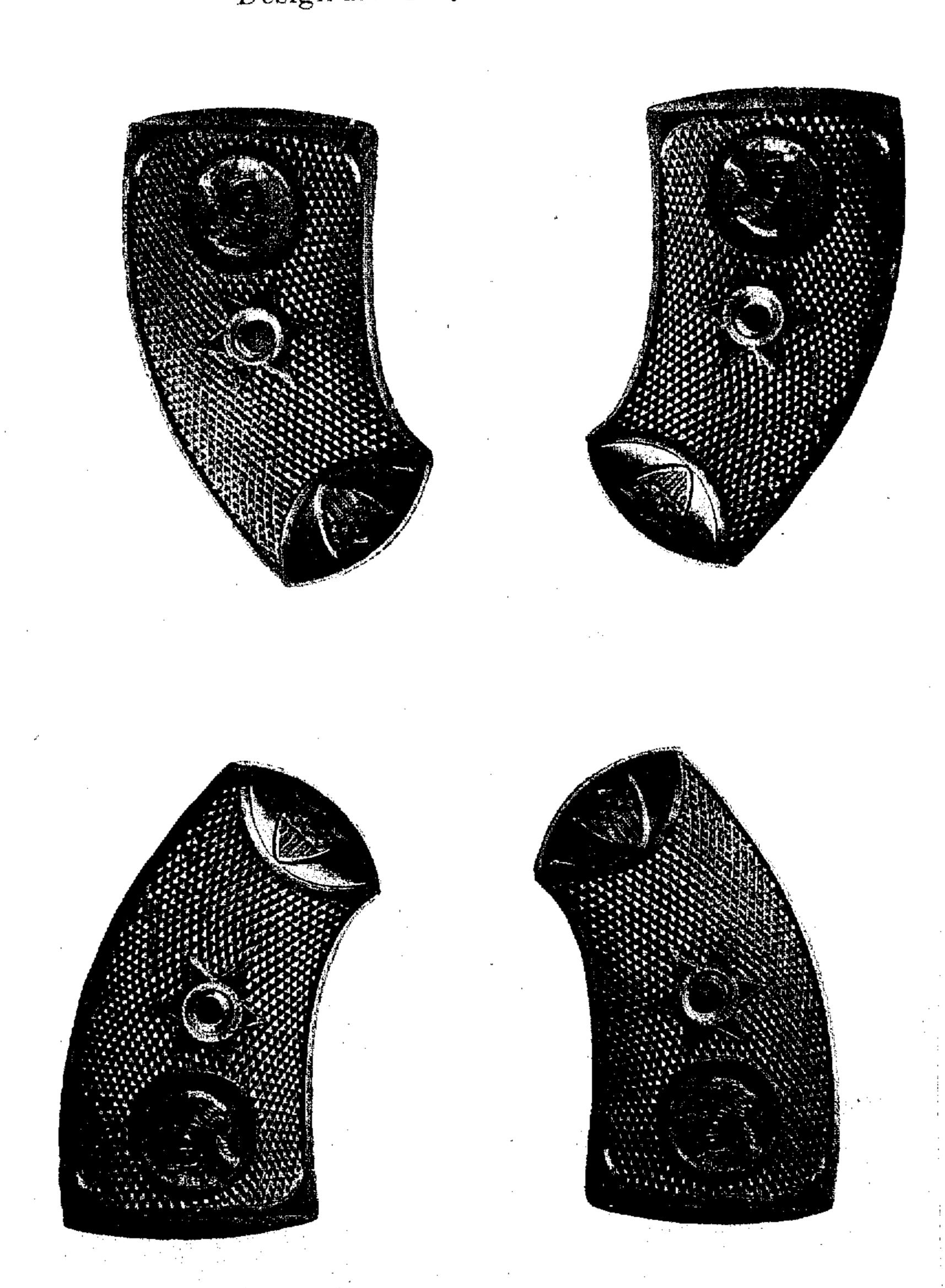
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## DESIGN FOR PISTOL-HANDLES.

Design No. 11,202, dated May 20, 1879



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM H. BLISS, of Norwich, in the county of New London and circled by a raised plain rim, and located at State of Connecticut, have originated and de- the lower end of the handle, substantially as signed an ornamentation of a Pistol-Stock, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying photographic illustration, making part of this specification.

A represents the stock or butt of a pistol; a, a medallion portrait, encircled by a raised rim. b is a star around the rivet-opening, and c is a shield.

I am aware that a medallion for portraits has been used for ornamentation of pistolstocks, and this I do not, broadly, claim.

What I do claim as my invention is—

1. The design for ornamentation of a pistolstock, composed of medallion portrait endescribed, and illustrated in the accompanying photograph.

2. As a design for the ornamentation of a pistol-stock, the combination of the medallion portrait encircled by a raised rim, and located at the butt-end of the stock, the star-encircled rivet-hole, and the shield upon the beveled upper end, all as described, and shown in the accompanying photographic illustration.

WM. H. BLISS.

Witnesses:

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