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Button Fastening.

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Fig. 2

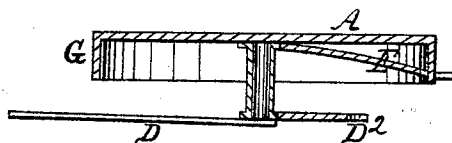
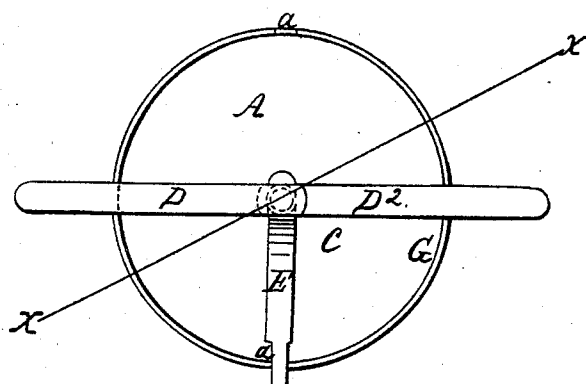


Fig. 1



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STUD-FASTENING.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that we, BENJAMIN MOSER and DAVID YELLOTT, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings, and State of New York, have invented a new and improved "Button-Fastening;" and we do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, which will enable others skilled in the art to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawing, forming part of this specification.

The present invention relates to an attachment to buttons, studs, and other similar articles worn upon clothing, whereby they can be so secured to the clothing as to render it impossible for them to become detached therefrom and thus lost as the clothing is worn. In the accompanying plate of drawings our improved button-fastening is illustrated—

Figure 1 being a view of the under side of a button with our fastening applied thereto, but on a somewhat enlarged scale; and

Figure 2, a section taken in the plane of the line $x x$, fig. 1.

A, in the drawings, represents a button, which may be made of any of the ordinary forms, styles, and shapes, and of any of the materials usually employed for such purpose, whether metal, glass, ivory, bone, India rubber, etc. To the back or under side of the button A our improved fastening, C, is applied or attached, which fastening consists of two similar arms $D D^2$, one, D, of which is stationary, while the other, D^2 , is hung so as to swing around upon the button, and thus be susceptible of being either brought in the same plane with the fixed arm, either above or below the same, according as it is arranged, or to be brought in the position shown in fig. 1, that is, so as to form an extension or continuation and be in the same line with the fixed arm. D, the movable arm being secured or held in either one of the two positions above stated by means of a spring-catch, E, (secured to the movable arm so as to turn with it,) engaging with the notches a at suitable points in the rim G on the back side of the button.

When the button having the fastening attachment above described is to be applied to a garment, the movable arm of the fastening is first to be brought under the stationary arm, when, putting them through the button-hole in the garment, turn the movable arm until it comes into the position shown in fig. 2, where the spring-catch holds it, thus securely fastening the button to the garment, as is obvious without any further explanation.

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

The fastening for buttons, etc., herein described, the same consisting of the arms $D D^2$ and spring or other suitable catch, substantially as specified.

The above specification of our invention signed by us this 19th day of October, 1866.

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