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BAG TIE.

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FIG. I.

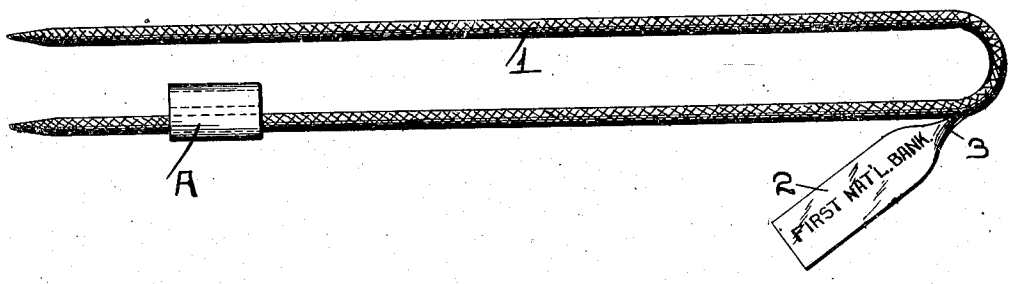


FIG. II.

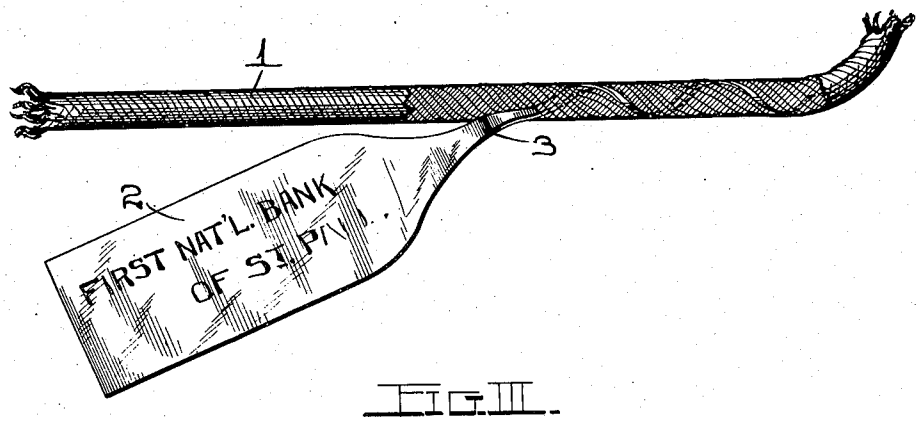
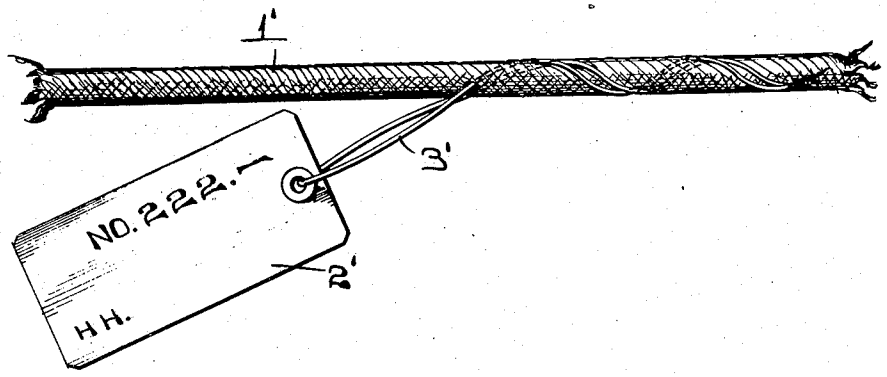


FIG. III.



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, MILFORD E. JEWETT, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at Keokuk, in the county of Lee and State of Iowa, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Bag-Ties, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying drawing, forming part of this specification.

My invention relates to a tie for closing the mouths of money bags or for application to packages of other descriptions and it has for its object to provide in connection with a tie of this character a tag or label produced as an integral part of the tie and adapted to bear an inscription designating the place at which the package was originally tied and sealed in the usual manner, whereby the tag or label serves as a safe guard to prevent the substitution of a new tie by a dishonest person after opening the package without the fact of the package having been opened being detected.

This application is a division from my application for U. S. Letters Patent filed March 21, 1907, Serial No. 363,748 for improvement in safety money bag sealing devices.

Figure I is an elevation of my improved tie. Fig. II is a view partly in elevation and partly in longitudinal section of a fragment of the tie including its tag or label. Fig. III is a similar view to Fig. II showing a modification.

1 designates my bag tie which is preferably made of a piece of cord of textile material but which may be made of any other material that is susceptible of being woven.

2 designates a tag or label that may be of any desirable material, for instance fabric, and which is provided with a connecting piece 3 that is attached to the tie by weaving it thereinto as illustrated in Fig. II, whereby the tag is rendered an integral part of the tie and cannot be withdrawn or separated therefrom.

In Fig. III I have shown a modification in which 1′ is the tie, 2′ the tag and 3′ the connecting piece which is made separate from the tag which is applied to it in a manner so that the parts cannot be separated and which connecting piece, preferably in the form of wire or cord, is interwoven into the tie in a manner to prevent its being withdrawn or separated therefrom.

The tag or label constituting a part of my bag tie is designed to bear an inscription or inscriptions of any desirable nature, such as the name of a bank or other concern by which the tie is applied to a money bag for the purpose of holding it in a closed condition and sealed in such condition by the application of a suitable seal, such as indicated at A, Fig. I to the tie.

I claim:

The combination with a package tie, of a tag having a connecting piece interwoven into said tie, substantially as set forth.

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