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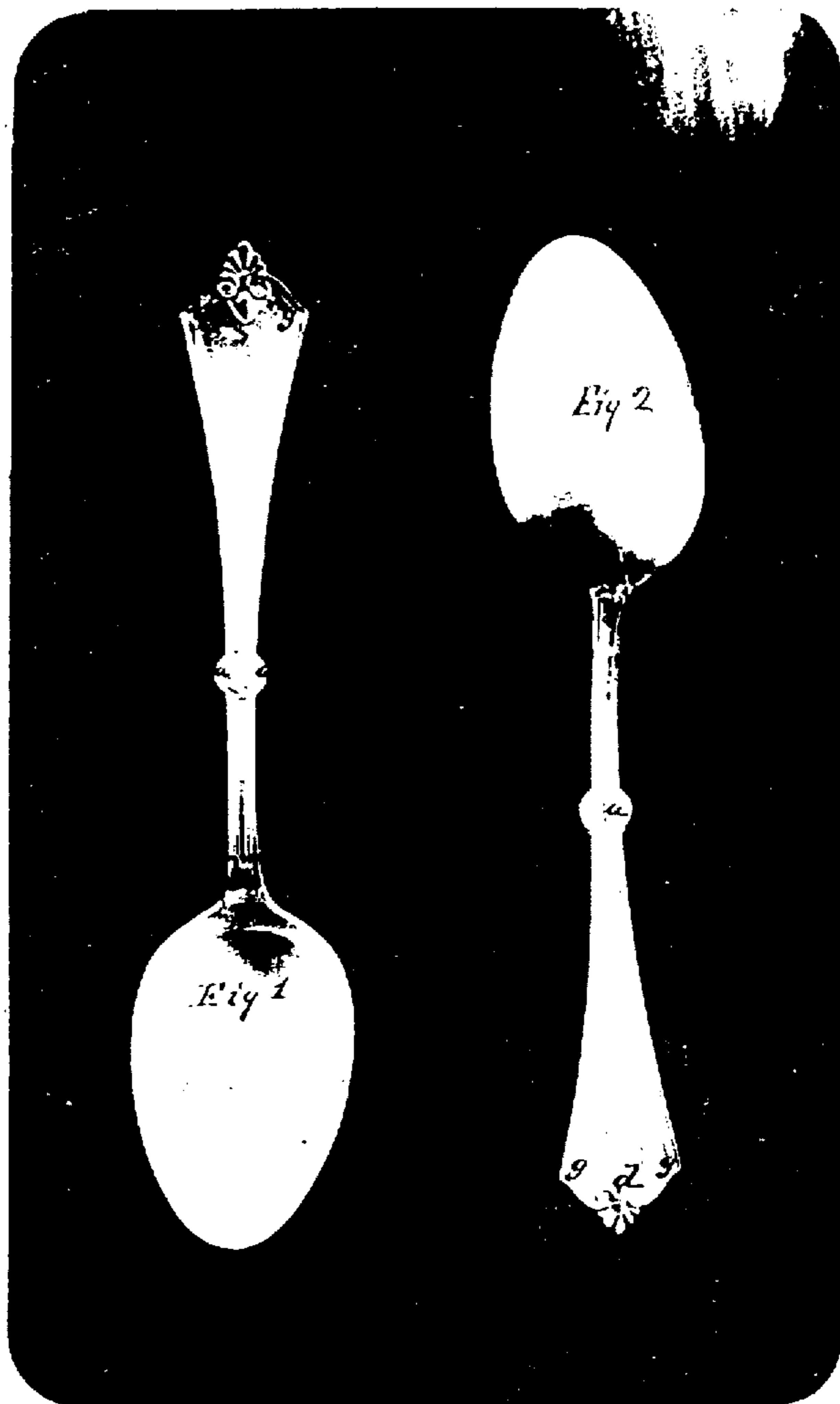
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GEORGE WILKINSON'S

Rosellé Design for the Handle of Spoons, Forks and other Table Ware.

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GEORGE WILKINSON, OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND, ASSIGNOR TO THE
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Design No. 2,999, dated April 7, 1868.

DESIGN FOR A FORK OR SPOON-HANDLE CALLED "ROSETTE."

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

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that I, GEORGE WILKINSON, of the city and county of Providence, and State of Rhode Island, have originated a new Design for Articles of Silver, and other metals and plated ware, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying specimens or drawings, making part of this specification; that is to say, for a design, called the "Rosette," for the handles of spoons, forks, and other table-ware and implements, of which—

Figure 1 is a view of the front side of the said design, and

Figure 2 is a view of the back side of the same.

Similar letters indicate corresponding parts in both figures.

The outline or shape of the handle which forms the principal feature of my said design may be described as a flat stem, gradually widening from a circular plate, *a*, near the middle, towards the end, with a slight curvature of the sides, and terminating abruptly at the widest part at *g*, and surmounted by the outline of two scrolls and the Grecian ornament, *d*.

The said handle is ornamented with fluted beads or threads at the edges on either side, and the circular plate *a* is ornamented with a rosette, or like figure.

Claim.

I claim the design for the handles of spoons, forks, and other table-ware and implements, substantially as set forth and shown.

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