

[54] ARTICLE OF FLATWARE

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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for an article of flatware, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of an article of flatware showing my new design as embodied in a fork; FIG. 2 is a side elevational view from the right of FIG. 1; FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view of FIG. 1; FIG. 4 is a cross-sectional view taken on line 4—4 of FIG. 1; FIG. 5 is a cross-sectional view taken on line 5—5 of FIG. 1; FIG. 6 is a cross-sectional view taken on line 6—6 of FIG. 1; FIG. 7 is a front elevational view of an article of flatware showing my new design as embodied in a spoon, the rear view of the handle portion being similar to FIG. 3; and FIG. 8 is a side elevational view from the bottom of FIG. 7. The sides opposite the handle portion shown in FIGS. 2 and 8 are mirror images of the respective sides shown. The distinguishing feature of my new design for an article of flatware resides in the handle configuration.

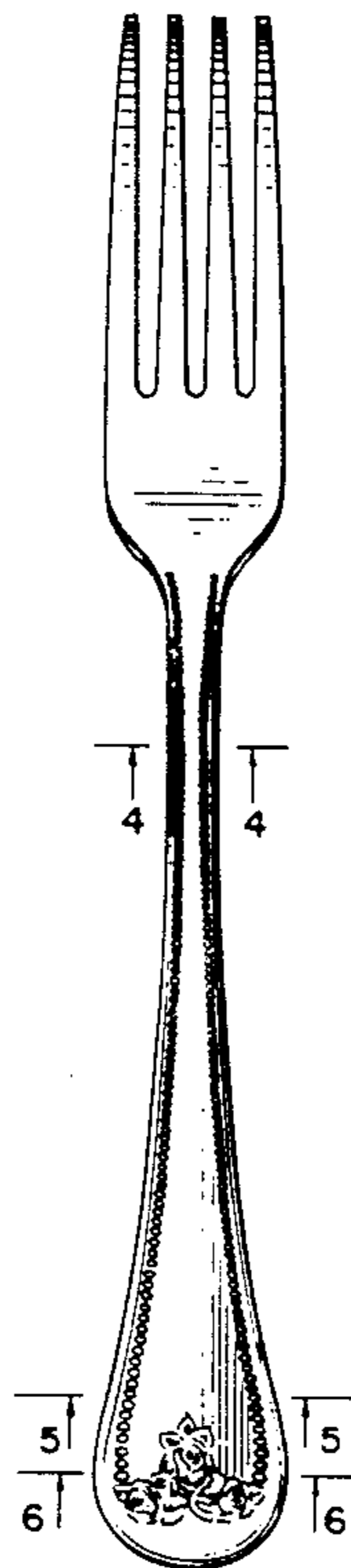


FIG. 1

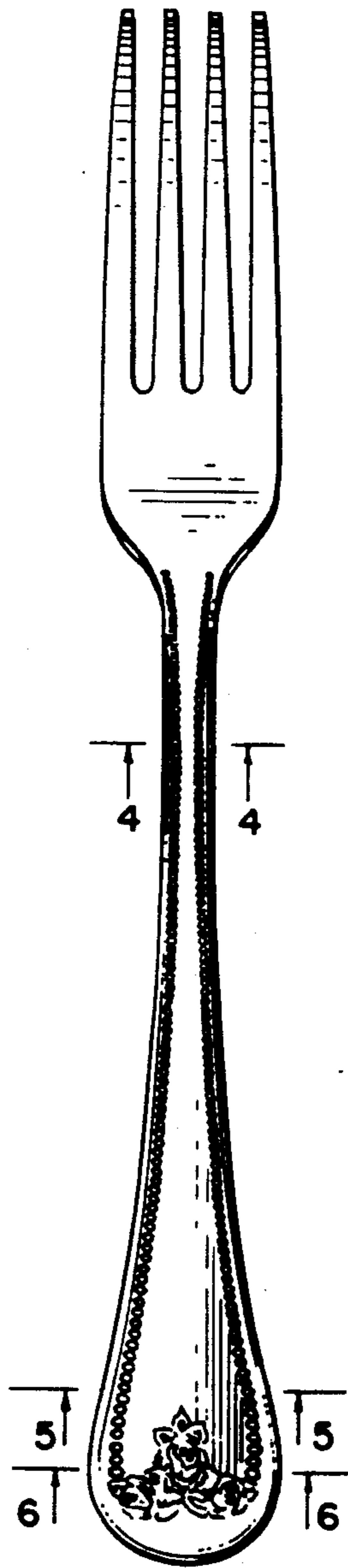


FIG. 2



FIG. 3



FIG. 4



FIG. 5



FIG. 6



FIG. 7

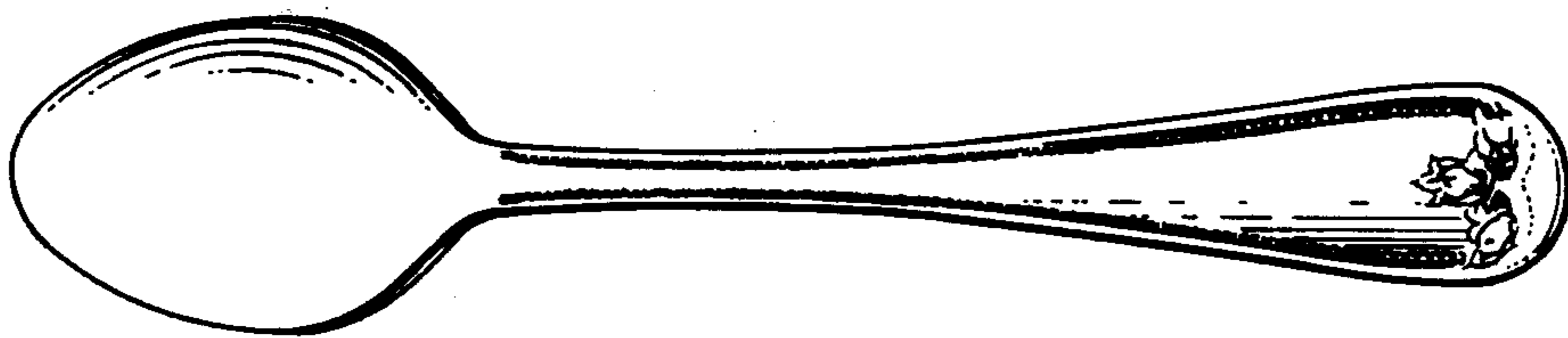


FIG. 8

