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[54] **MOTORCYCLE TIRE**

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The ornamental design for a motorcycle tire, as shown and described

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DESCRIPTION

[51] **LOC (6) Cl.** **12-15**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of our novel motorcycle tire showing our new design, it being understood that the tread pattern is repeated throughout the circumference thereof and the opposite side is the same as that shown;

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FIG. 2 is a front-elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a side-elevational view thereof, the opposite side elevational view being a mirror image thereof; and,

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FIG. 4 is an enlarged fragmentary front-elevational view thereof, showing a detail of the novel tire tread.

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Fig. 1



Fig. 2

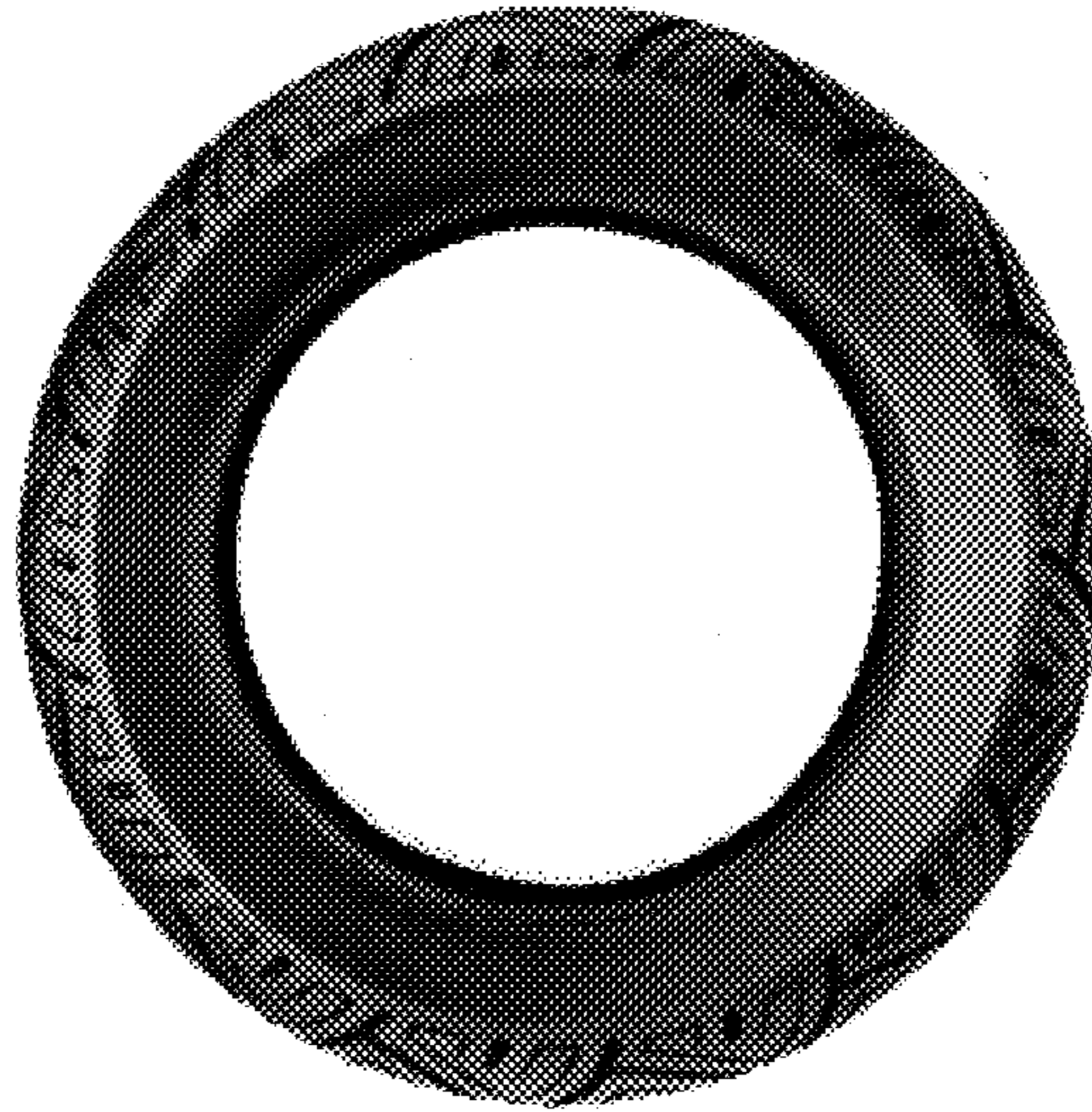


Fig. 3

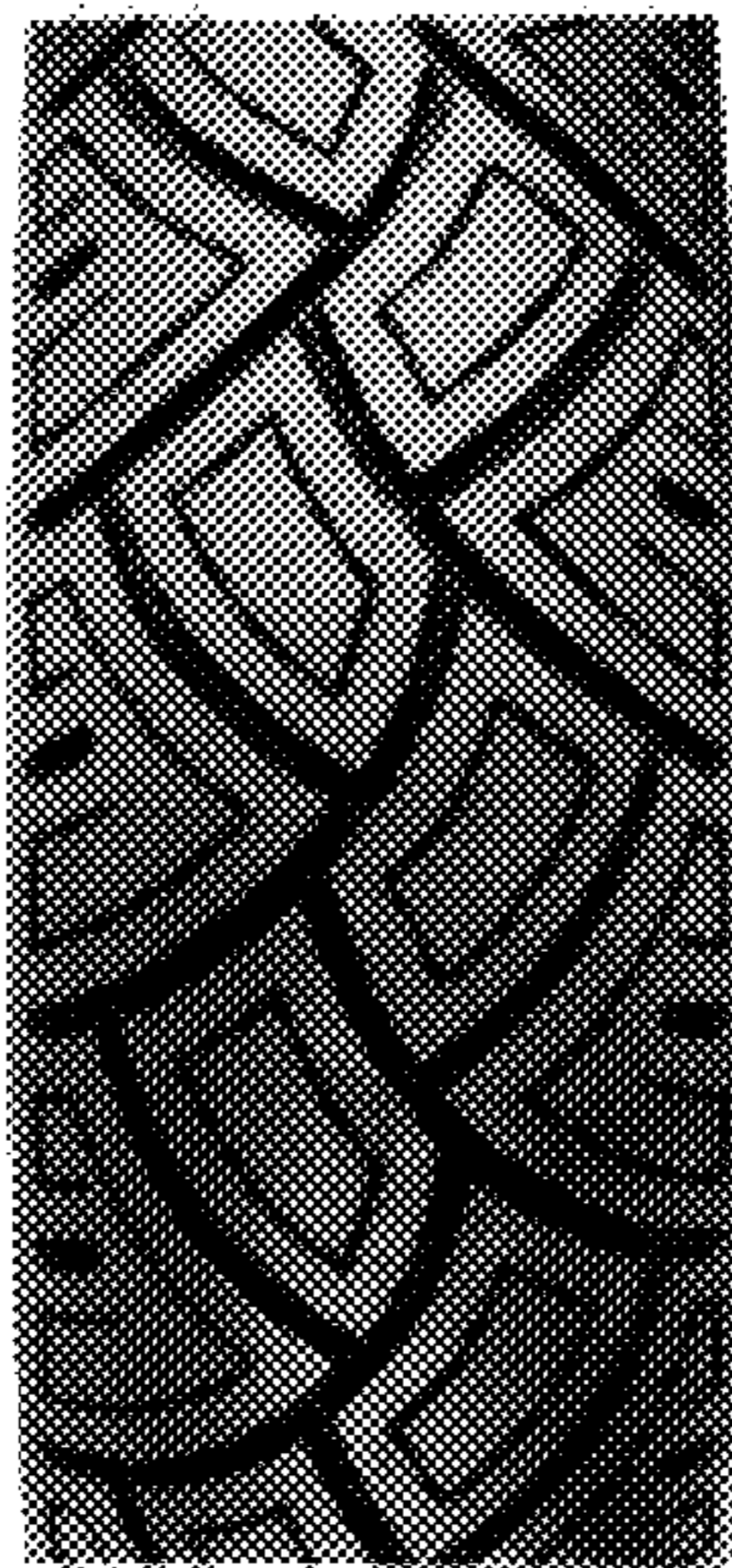


Fig. 4