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[54] **BALUSTER**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for the baluster as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a baluster. The overall design

of the gazebo, shown in broken lines, is not part of the claimed design.

FIG. 2 is a front perspective view thereof.

FIG. 3 is a front elevation view of the baluster shown in FIG. 2. The rear elevation is essentially identical.

FIG. 4 is a side elevation view of the baluster shown in FIGS. 2 and 3. Both side elevation views are essentially the same.

FIG. 5 is a top view thereof.

FIG. 6 is a front perspective view of a second embodiment of my invention.

FIG. 7 is a front elevation view of the baluster shown in FIG. 6. The rear elevation is essentially the same.

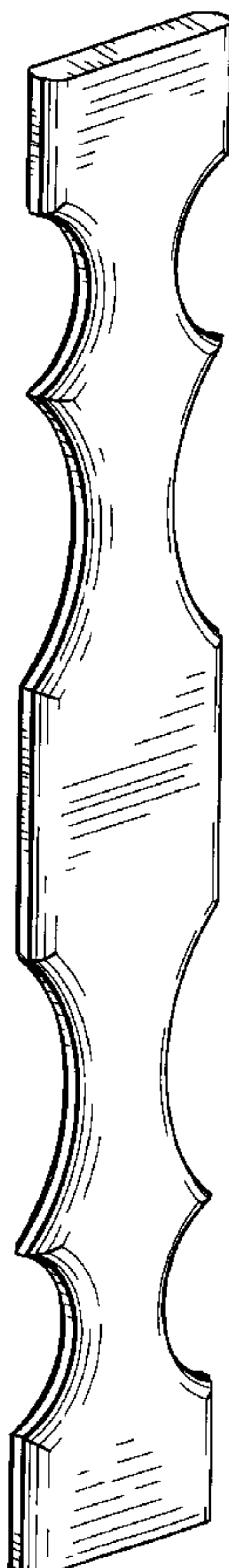
FIG. 8 is a side elevation view of the baluster shown in FIGS. 6 and 7. Both side elevation views are essentially identical.

FIG. 9 is a front perspective view of a third embodiment of my invention.

FIG. 10 is a front elevation view of the baluster shown in FIG. 9. The rear elevation is essentially identical; and,

FIG. 11 is a side elevation view of the baluster, shown in FIGS. 10 and 11. Both side elevation views are essentially identical.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



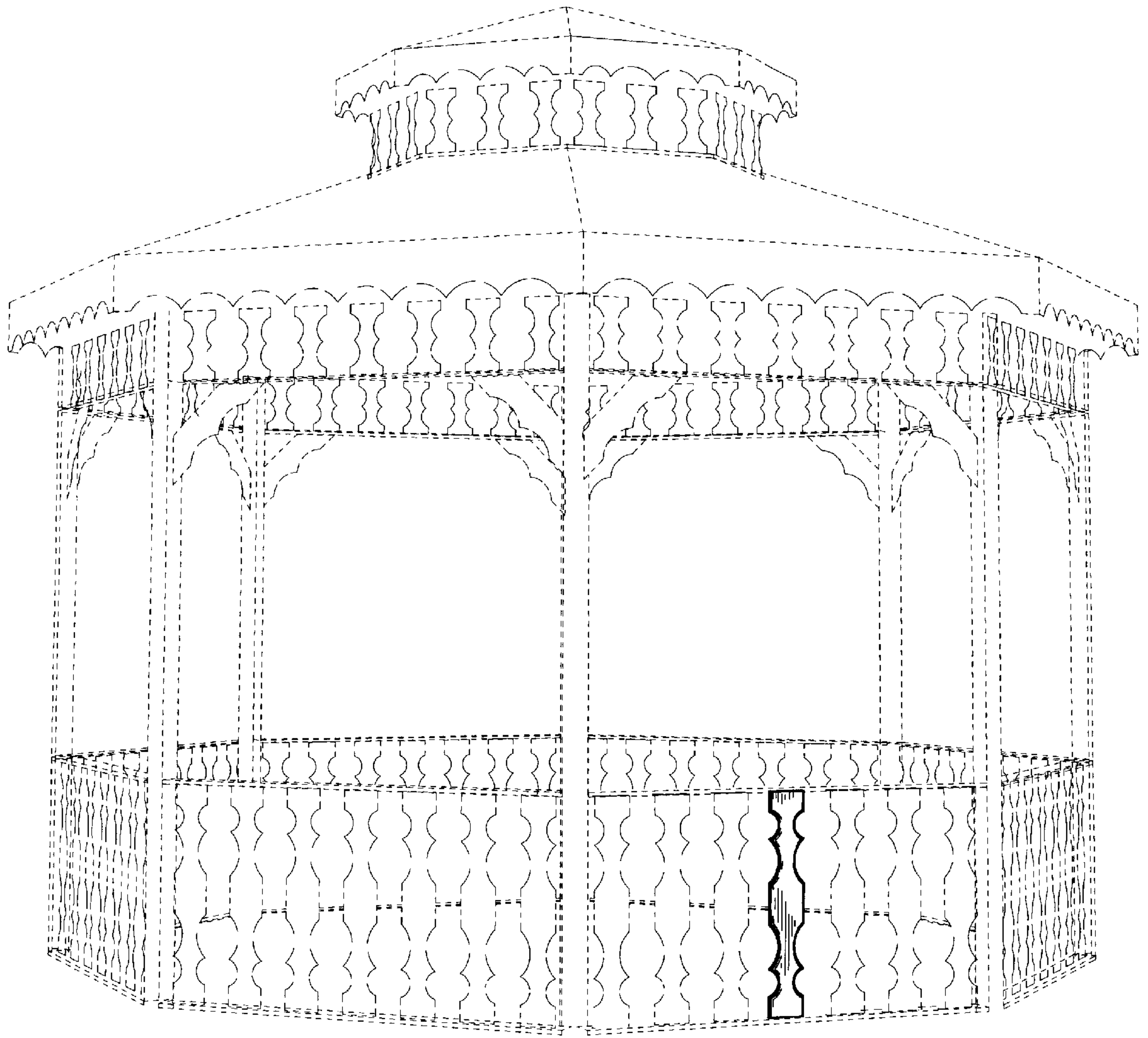


Fig.1

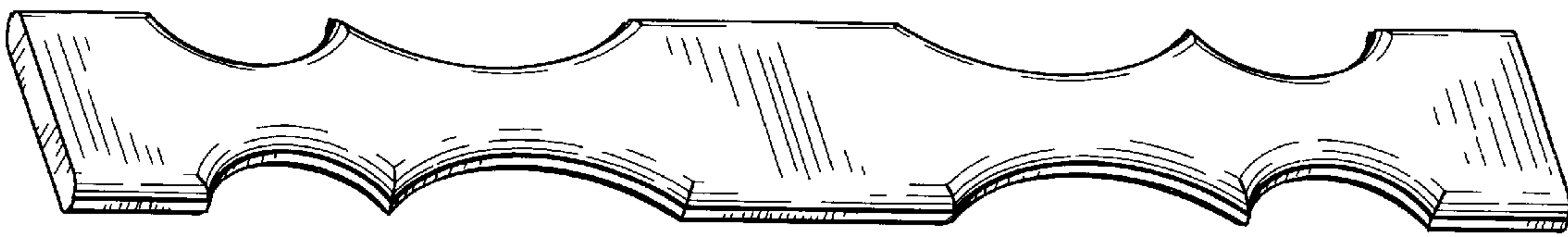


Fig.2

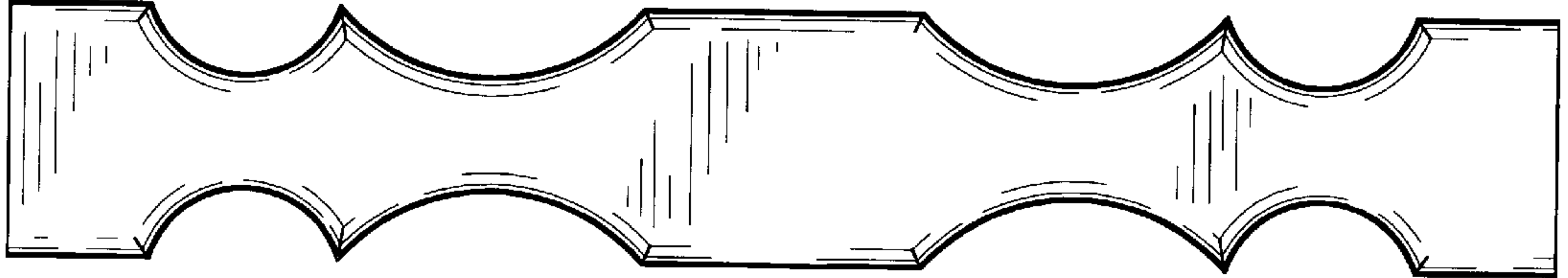


Fig.3

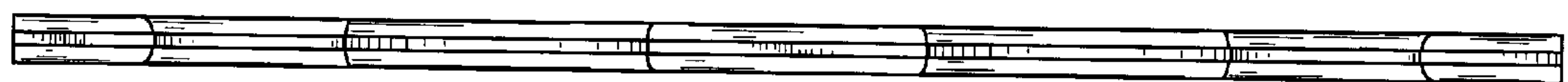


Fig.4



Fig.5

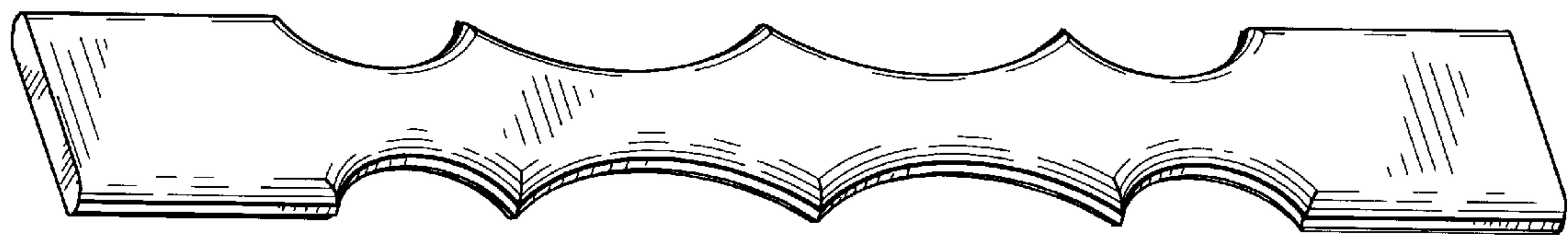


Fig.6

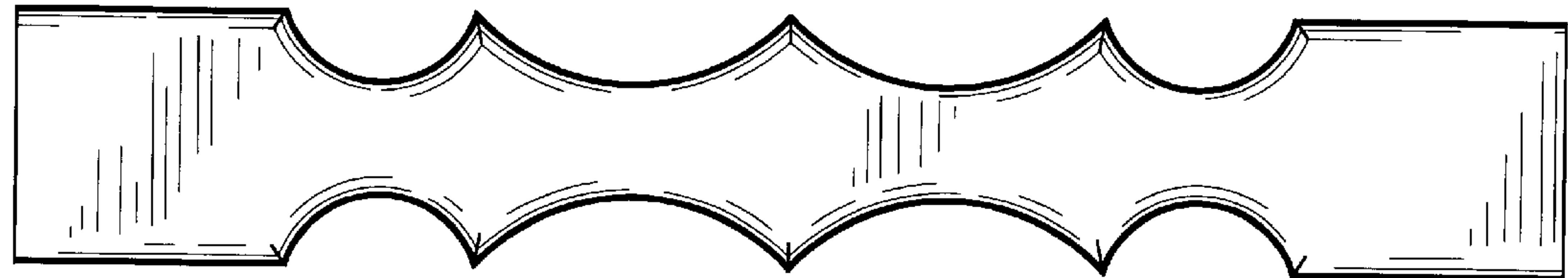


Fig.7

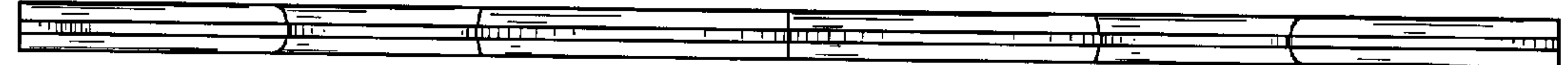


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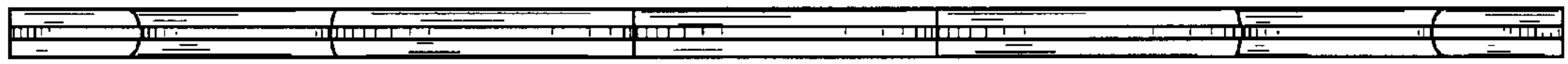


Fig.11

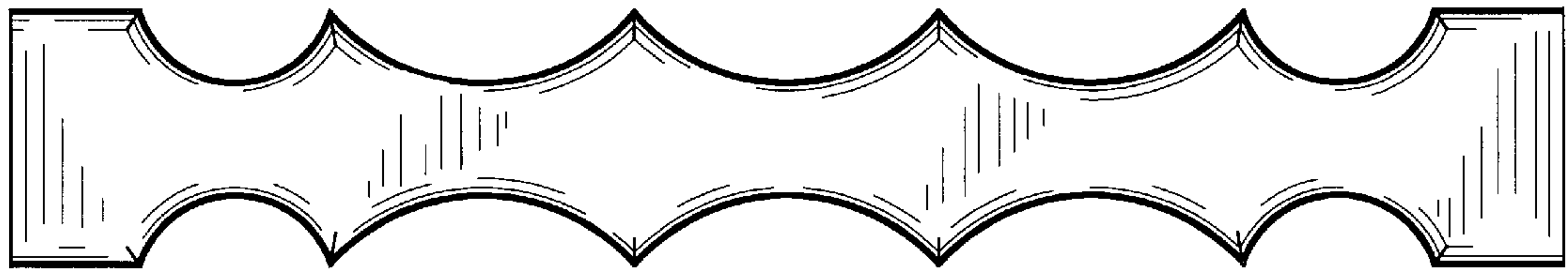


Fig.10



Fig.9