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[54] **FINGER BOARD FOR A GUITAR**

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Corel Word Perfect Characters Version 6.1 for Windows.  
(Brace Character), Apr. 1996.

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a finger board for a guitar, as shown.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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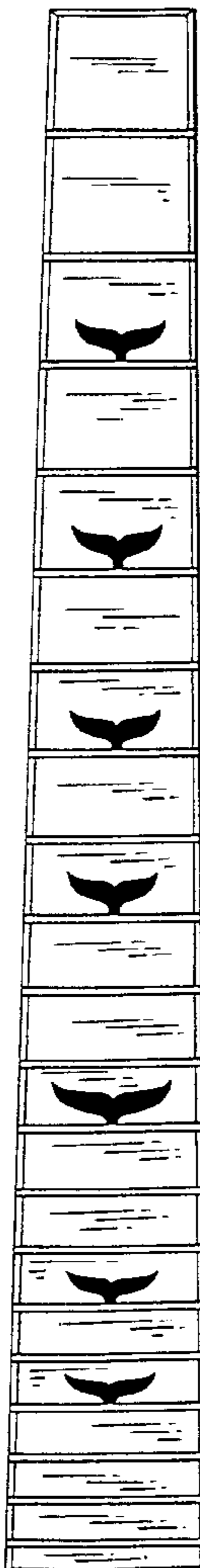
FIG. 1 is a front view of the finger board for a guitar showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a side view thereof, the other side view being a mirror image;  
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a top view thereof; and,  
FIG. 5 is a bottom view thereof.

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**1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet**



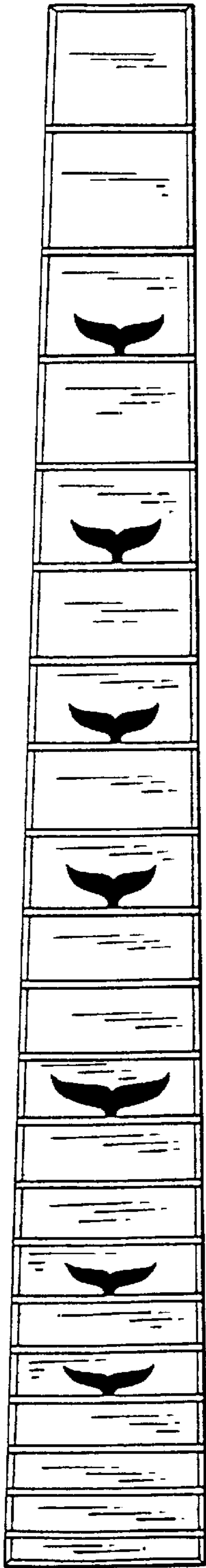


FIG. 1

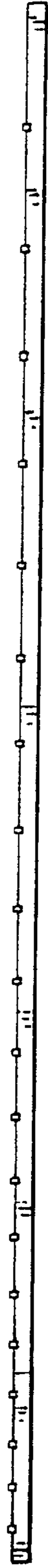


FIG. 2

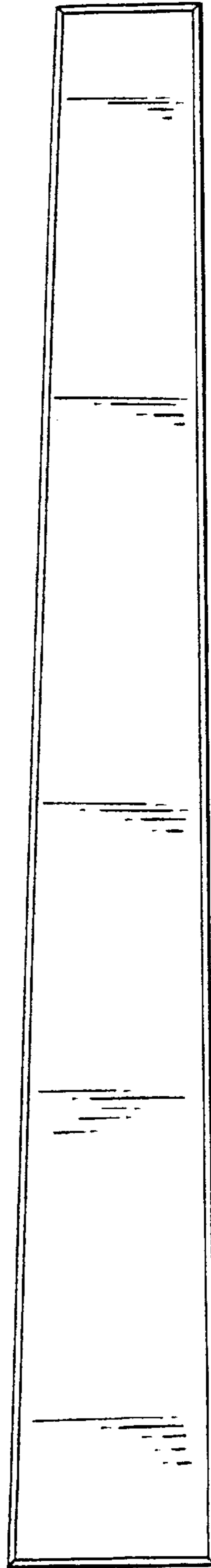


FIG. 3

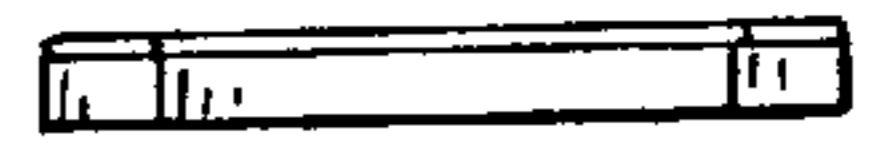


FIG. 4

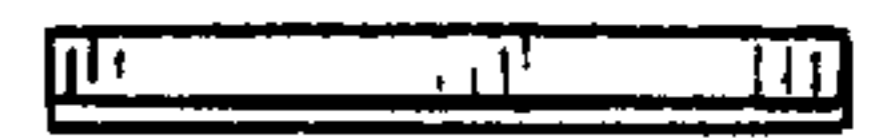


FIG. 5