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[54] **CRECHE IN AN ARTIFICIAL CHRISTMAS TREE WITH ILLUMINATED MINIATURE CHRISTMAS VILLAGE FOREGROUND**

DESCRIPTION

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a creche in an artificial Christmas tree with illuminated miniature Christmas village foreground, as shown and described.

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view showing my new design of a creche in an artificial Christmas tree with illuminated miniature Christmas village foreground;

FIG. 2 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a top view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view of detail of the creche portion of the design;

FIG. 6 is a left oriented perspective view of detail of the creche portion of the design;

FIG. 7 is a right oriented perspective view of detail of the creche portion of the design;

FIG. 8 is a frontal perspective view of detail of the creche and illuminated miniature Christmas village portion of the design;

FIG. 9 is a left oriented perspective view of detail of miniature Christmas village buildings in the left foreground portion of the design; and,

FIG. 10 is a right oriented perspective view of detail of miniature Christmas village buildings in the right foreground portion of the design.

The creche and essential elements of the miniature Christmas village are not visible in rear and bottom views of the tree and village and those views are disclaimed as part of the design.

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FIG. 1



FIG. 2



FIG. 3



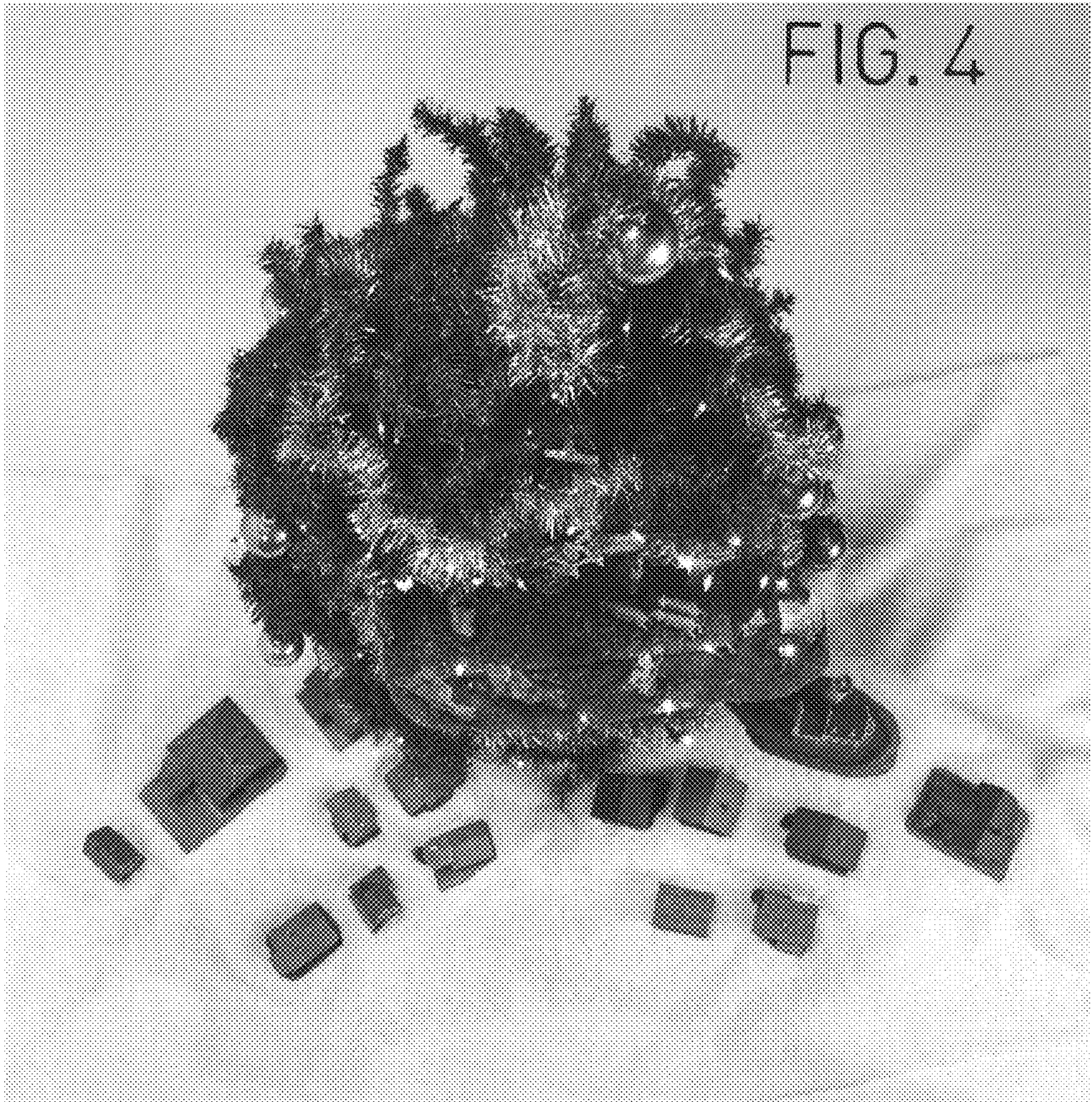






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