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(54) **SURFACE PATTERN FOR AN ABSORBENT PAPER**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for surface pattern for an absorbent paper, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

The FIGURE is a top plan view of a surface pattern for an absorbent paper, it being understood that the broken lines define a portion of the absorbent paper and indicate that the pattern continues indeterminately in one or more directions and repeats uniformly throughout the length and width of the absorbent paper. The broken lines form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



