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- (54) **DOOR OPENER LEVER**
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Baldwin Decorative Architectural Hardware; copyright 1986; lever 5115.\*

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#### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is an isometric view of a door opener lever showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is an isometric view of FIG. 1; shown at a different angle;

FIG. 3 is a top view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a front view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a bottom view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a left side view of FIG. 1; and,

FIG. 7 is a right side view of FIG. 1.

The broken lines are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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Fig. 3

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Fig. 6

