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(57)**CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tree support, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a low-angle perspective of a tree support, showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view, thereof;

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view, thereof;

FIG. 4 is an elevational view of the right-hand side, thereof;

FIG. 5 is an elevational view of the left-hand side, thereof;

FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view, thereof;

FIG. 7 is a front elevaional view, thereof;

FIG. 8 is perspective view, thereof, showing the article a lowered, retracted position, the broken line representation of a short tree and the ground surface beign included solely for illustrative purpose, forming no part of the claimed design; and,

FIG. 9 is a perspective view, as in FIG. 8, but showing the article in a raised, extended position, the broken line representaion of a tall tree and the ground surface being included solely for illustrative purpose, forming no part of the claimed design.

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