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OVAL WALL PLATE (54)

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FIG. 2 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 1. FIG. 3 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 1.

FIG. 4 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 1. FIG. 5 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate FIG. 1 as seen through the plane 5—5 in FIG. 2.

FIG. 6 is a right front perspective view of a second embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having two concentric rings each having a tapered profile around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

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FIG. 7 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 6. FIG. 8 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. **6**.

FIG. 9 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 6. FIG. 10 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 6 as seen through the plane 10–10 in FIG. 7.

FIG. 11 is a right front perspective view of a third embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having two concentric rings each having a tapered profile around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 12 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 11. FIG. 13 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 11.

FIG. 14 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 11. FIG. 15 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 11 as seen through the plane 15–15 in FIG. 12.

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The ornamental design for an oval wall plate, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right front perspective view of a first embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having two concentric rings each having a tapered profile around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 16 is a right front perspective view of a fourth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having two concentric rings each having a tapered profile around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 17 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 16. FIG. 18 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. **16**.

FIG. 19 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 16. FIG. 20 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 16 as seen through the plane 20–20 in FIG. 17.



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FIG. 21 is a right front perspective view of a fifth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring and a flat inner ring, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 22 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 21.FIG. 23 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 21.

FIG. 24 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 21. FIG. 25 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 21 as seen through the plane 25–25 in FIG. 22.

FIG. **46** is a right front perspective view of a tenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of varying width around it circumference, a tapered inner ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 47 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 46.FIG. 48 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 46.

FIG. 49 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 46. FIG. 50 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 46 as seen through the plane 50—50 in FIG. 47.

FIG. 26 is a right front perspective view of a sixth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring and a flat inner ring, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 27 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 26.FIG. 28 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 26.

FIG. 29 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 26. FIG. 30 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 26 as seen through the plane 30–30 in FIG. 27.

FIG. **31** is a right front perspective view of a seventh embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring and a flat inner ring, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 32 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 31.FIG. 33 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 31.

FIG. **51** is a right front perspective view of a, eleventh embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of varying width around its circumference, a tapered inner ring of constant width around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 52 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 51. FIG. 53 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 51. FIG. 54 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 51. FIG. 55 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 51 as seen through the plane 55—55 in FIG. 52.

FIG. 56 is a right front perspective view of a twelfth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of varying width around its circumference, a tapered inner ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets. FIG. 57 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 56. FIG. 58 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 56.

FIG. 34 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 31. FIG. 35 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate FIG. 31 as seen through the plane 35—35 in of FIG. 32.

FIG. **36** is a right front perspective view of an eighth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring and a flat inner ring, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 37 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 36.FIG. 38 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 36.

FIG. **39** is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. **36**. FIG. **40** is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. **36** as seen through the plane **40—40** in FIG. **37**.

FIG. 41 is a right front perspective view of a ninth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having an outer ring of varying width around it circumference, an inner ring of substantially constant width around it circumference, each ring having a tapered profile around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets. FIG. **59** is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. **56**. FIG. **60** is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. **56** as seen through the plane **60—60** in FIG. **57**.

FIG. **61** is a right front perspective view of a thirteenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a flat outer ring of varying width around it circumference, a tapered inner ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 62 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 61.FIG. 63 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 61.

FIG. 64 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 61. FIG. 65 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 61 as seen through the plane 65—65 in FIG. 62.

FIG. 66 is a right front perspective view of a fourteenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of varying width around it circumference, a flat inner ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets. FIG. 67 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 66. FIG. 68 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 66. FIG. 69 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 66. FIG. 70 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate ofFIG. 66 as seen through the plane 70—70 in FIG. 67.

FIG. 42 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 41.FIG. 43 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 41.

FIG. 44 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 41. FIG. 45 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 41 as seen through the plane 45—45 in FIG. 42.

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FIG. 71 is a right front perspective view of a fifteenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of varying width around its circumference, a flat inner ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 72 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 71.FIG. 73 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 71.

FIG. 74 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 71. FIG. 75 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 71 as seen through the plane 75–75 in FIG. 72. FIG. 76 is a right front perspective view of a sixteenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of varying width around its circumference, a flat inner ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and an opening sided and shaped to recieve a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets. FIG. 77 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 76. FIG. 78 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. **76**. FIG. 79 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 77. FIG. 80 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 16 as seen through the plane 80–80 in FIG. 77. FIG. 81 is a right front perspective view of a seventeenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a tapered inner ring of varying width around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets. FIG. 82 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 81. FIG. 83 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. **81**. FIG. 84 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 81. FIG. 85 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 81 as seen through the plane 85–85 in FIG. 82. FIG. 86 is a right front perspective view of an eighteenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a tapered inner ring of varying width around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and standard duplex receptacles for electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 87 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 86.FIG. 88 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 86.

FIG. 89 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 86.

FIG. 90 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 86 as seen through the plane 90—90 in FIG. 87.

FIG. **91** is a right front perspective view of a nineteenth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a tapered inner ring of varying width around its circumference, a central portion flush with the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 92 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 91.

FIG. 93 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 91.

FIG. 94 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 91.

FIG. 95 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 91 as seen through the plane 95—95 in FIG. 92.

FIG. **96** is a right front perspective view of a twentieth embodiment of the design, showing an oval wall plate having a tapered outer ring of substantially constant width around its circumference, a tapered inner ring of varying width around its circumference, a central portion recessed from the inner ring, and an opening sized and shaped to receive a set of decorative duplex electrical plug sockets.

FIG. 97 is a front view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 96.

FIG. 98 is a right side view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 96.

FIG. 99 is an end view of the wall plate shown in FIG. 96; and

FIG. 100 is a cross-sectional view of the wall plate of FIG. 96 as seen through the plane 100—100 in FIG. 97.

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