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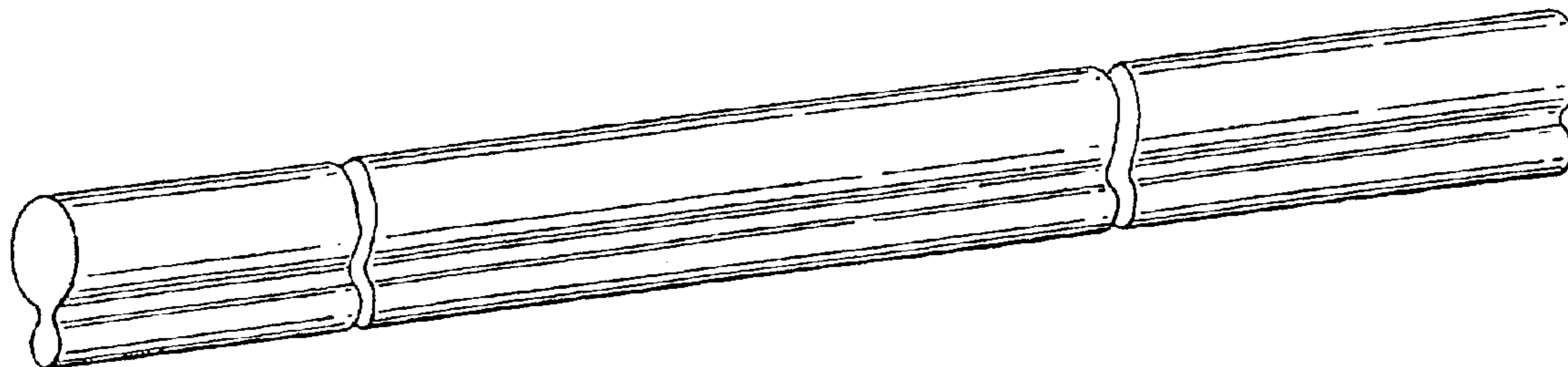
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a masking strip design, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a masking strip design showing the new design;
FIG. 2 is a side view thereof;
FIG. 3 is an end view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top view thereof; and,
FIG. 5 is a bottom view thereof.
In FIGS. 1, 2, 4, and 5, the masking strip design is shown broken away in two places in order to indicate indeterminate length.

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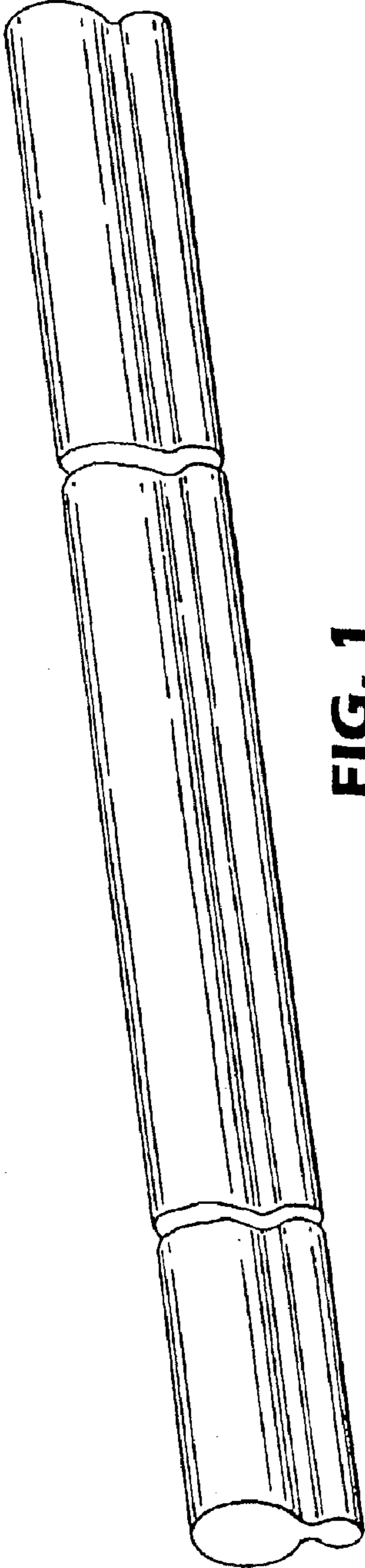


FIG. 1

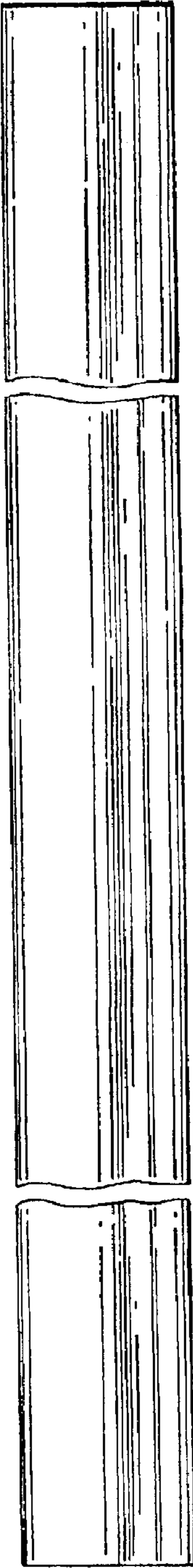


FIG. 2



FIG. 3



FIG. 4

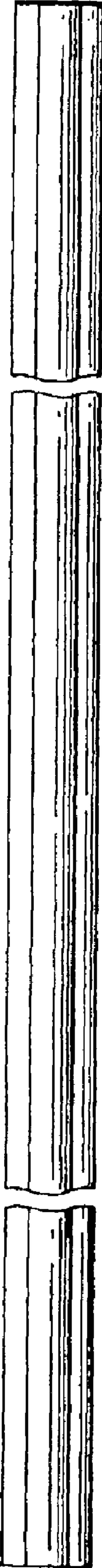


FIG. 5