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- (54) **BALUSTER SHOE**
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(57) **CLAIM** 

The ornamental design for a baluster shoe, shown and described.

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#### DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a baluster shoe shown in its intended use of fixing a baluster to a railing, with the baluster and railing shown in phantom for environmental purposes only and forming no part of the claimed invention;
FIG. 2 is a first side elevation view thereof;
FIG. 3 s a front elevation view thereof
FIG. 4 is a rear elevation view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a second side elevation view thereof
FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof with the webbing shown in phantom for illustrative purpose only and forming no part of the claimed invention; and,
FIG. 8 is a perspective view of the baluster shoe.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



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