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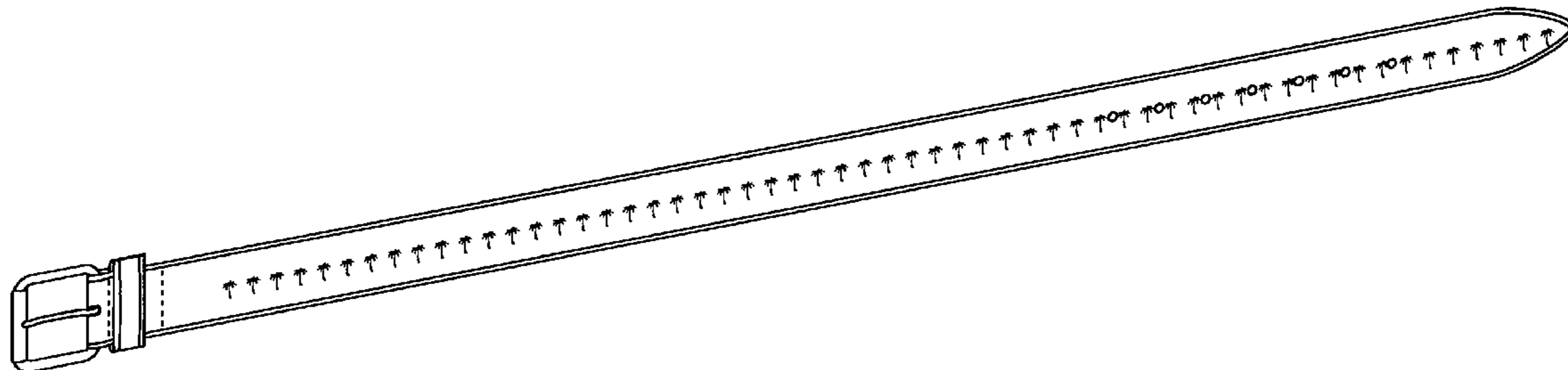
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a belt, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view for a belt;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a bottom planar view thereof, the top planar view is a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a left-side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a right-side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 7 is a front elevational view of the belt with ends connected together; and,  
FIG. 8 is a rear elevational view of the belt with ends connected together.

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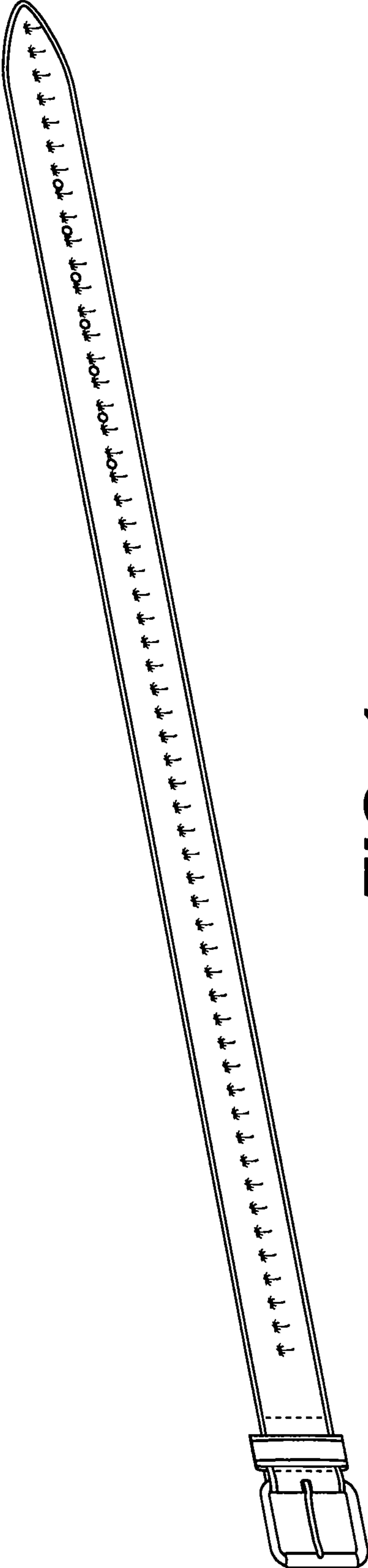
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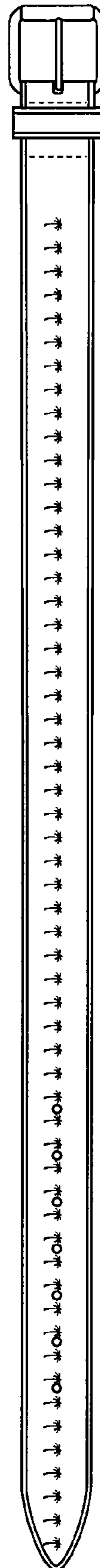
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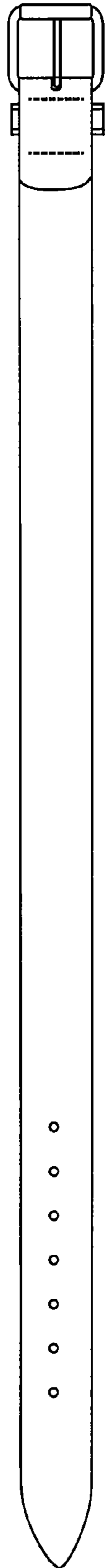
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**FIG. 1**



**FIG. 2**



**FIG. 3**



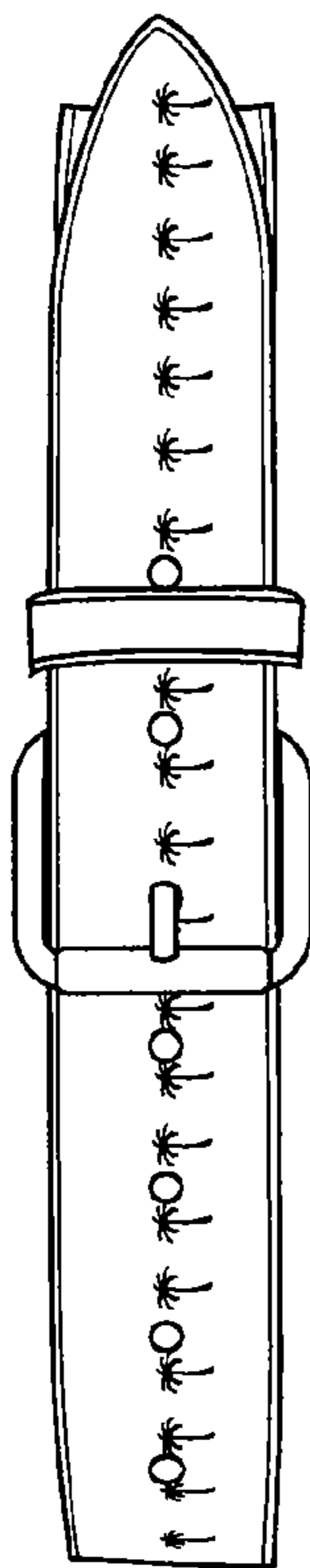
**FIG. 4**



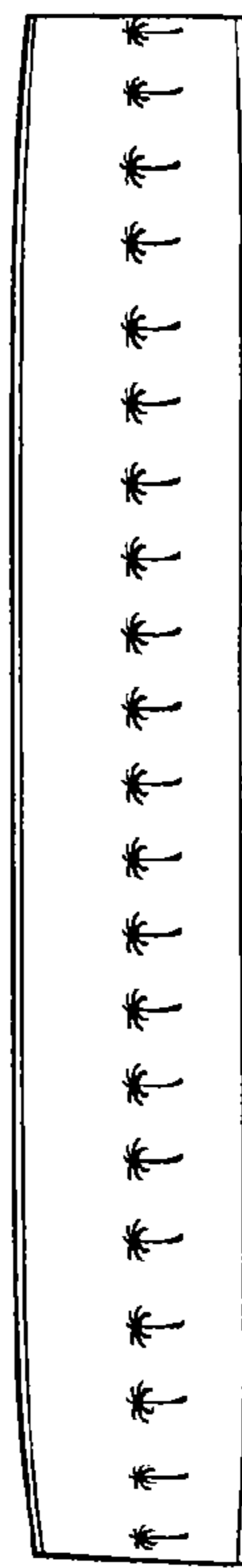
***FIG. 5***



***FIG. 6***



**FIG. 7**



**FIG. 8**