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## DESIGN FOR SPOONS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HENRY W. HIRSCH-FELD, of West Meriden, in the county of New Haven and State of Connecticut, have invented a new Design for Spoon; and I do hereby declare the following, when taken in connection with the accompanying drawings and the letters of reference marked thereon, to be a full, clear, and exact description of the same, and which said drawings constitute part of this specification, and represent a front view.

This invention relates to a design for the handle of spoons and forks, and like articles of table service; and it consists in the peculiar configuration, as more fully hereinafter

described.

In representing this design the handle is shown as applied to a spoon, but it will be understood that it is equally applicable to forks and like articles.

Starting from the bowl or body, the handle

extends to a boss, a, and from there gradually expands in a curved line, terminating in a segmental form, with a tip in the center, giving to the end the appearance of a crown.

The upper end of the handle is ornamented to clearly define the segment of a circle, and give to that end the appearance of a crown, as shown in the accompanying illustration.

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The herein-described design for spoon and fork handles, consisting in the outwardly-curved sides, terminating in a segment of circle form, with a central tip, the said segment of a circle being clearly defined in ornamentation, and representing a crown, all as shown in the accompanying illustration.

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