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DESIGN FOR A TUREEN-HANDLE.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JAMES H. ALEXANDER, a citizen of the United States, residing at Philadelphia, in the county of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, have invented a certain new and useful Design for Tureen Handles; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, which form part of this specification, in which—

Figure 1 is a plan view of the handle complete. Fig. 2 is a rear elevation of hand-bar, and Fig. 3 is a vertical transverse section of hand-bar.

My design for a tureen-handle relates to the hand-bar and the ear thereof; and it consists in the ornamental configuration of outline and surface, as hereinafter described and specifically claimed.

Referring to the accompanying drawings, A represents the hand-bar, and B the ear or bracket, the hand-bar having curved extensions or pendants C C, which connect it with the part B. The hand-bar is of peculiar configuration, having two inclined sides, a a', and a curved bottom, a'', so that in cross-section or in end view it is triangular, the two sides a a' being straight and the bottom a'' curved. The ornamentation of the side a, which is the outer

side, consists of two parallel edge lines, d d', between and touching which is a zigzag line, e. The surface on which the zigzag line is formed has vertical milled lines f, and in each bend of the zigzag line there is a dot 35 or circle, g. The ornamentation of the side a' consists of two parallel edge lines, h h, the surface between the same being sunken and having milled vertical lines i traversed by a two-branched vine or tendrils, k k. The bracket has a marginal line, l, and the surface or space m inside this line is sunken and stippled. On this stippled surface are three curled or looped lines, n n and o, one for each of the rivet-holes p p p, which said lines encircle. 40

What I claim is—

The design herein described and shown, the same consisting of a combined tureen handle and ear, the hand-bar of the handle having parallel edge lines, a milled sunken surface 50 upon which are a zigzag ridge and intercalated dots or circles, as shown.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing I have hereunto set my hand this 16th day of January, 1886.

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