

[54] **CONTAINER TO BE USED AS A VASE, MUG, OR THE LIKE**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a container to be used as a

vase, mug or the like, substantially as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a container to be used as a vase, mug, or the like illustrating my new design;

FIG. 2 is a side elevational view taken from the right of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a front elevational view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a side elevational view taken from the left of FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of the design of FIG. 1;

FIG. 9 is a front elevational view of FIG. 8, the rear is identical to that shown in FIG. 5;

FIG. 10 is a side elevational view taken from the right of FIG. 8, the opposite side is identical to that shown in FIG. 4;

FIG. 11 is a top plan view of FIG. 8;

FIG. 12 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 8;

FIG. 13 is a perspective view of a third embodiment of the design shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 14 is a front elevational view of FIG. 13, the rear being identical to that shown in FIG. 5 with the exception of the handle;

FIG. 15 is a side elevational view taken from the right of FIG. 13, the opposite side is identical to that shown in FIG. 4;

FIG. 16 is a top plan view of FIG. 13;

FIG. 17 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 13.

The cross-line shading on the outer surfaces of the container represents simulated denim fabric.

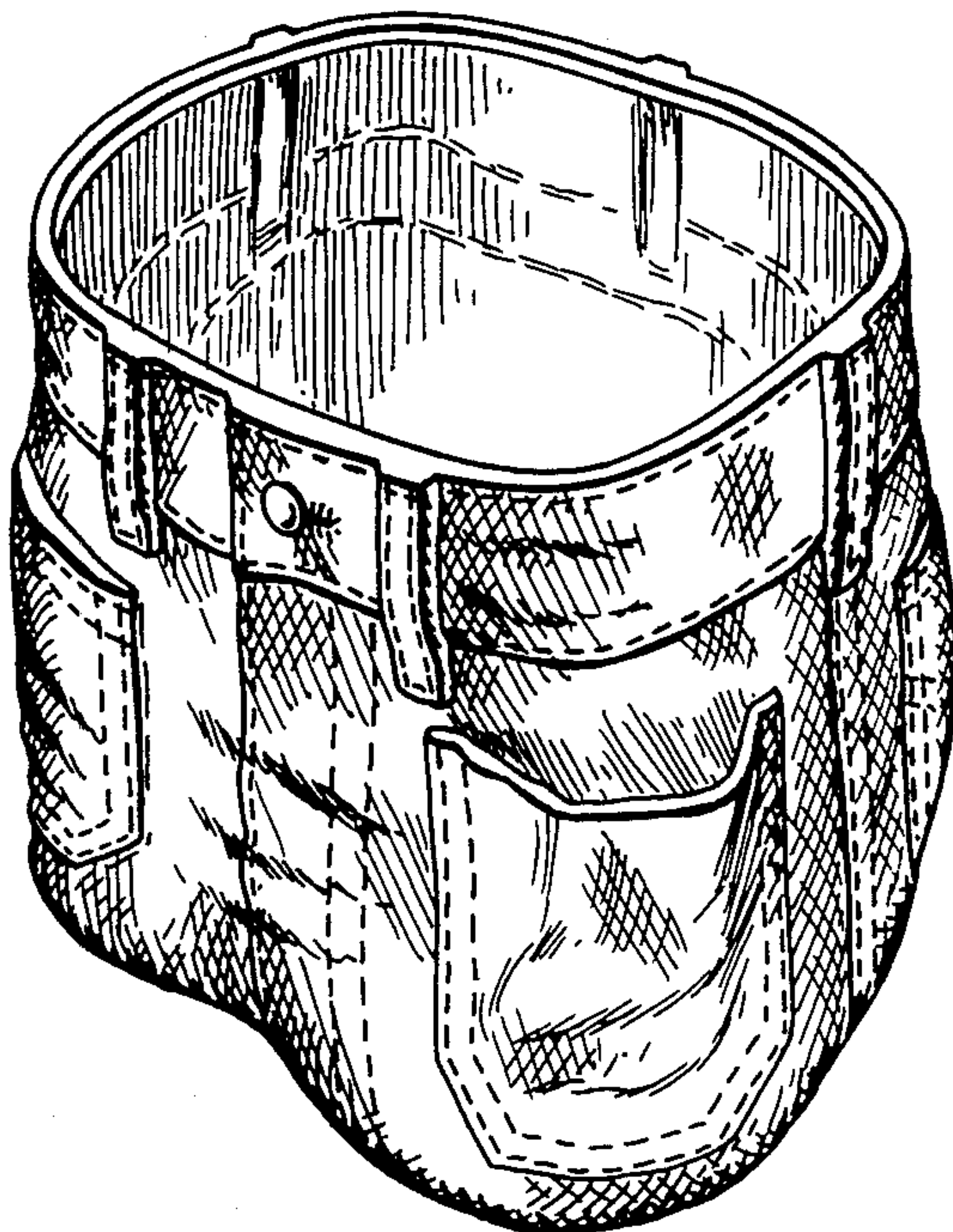


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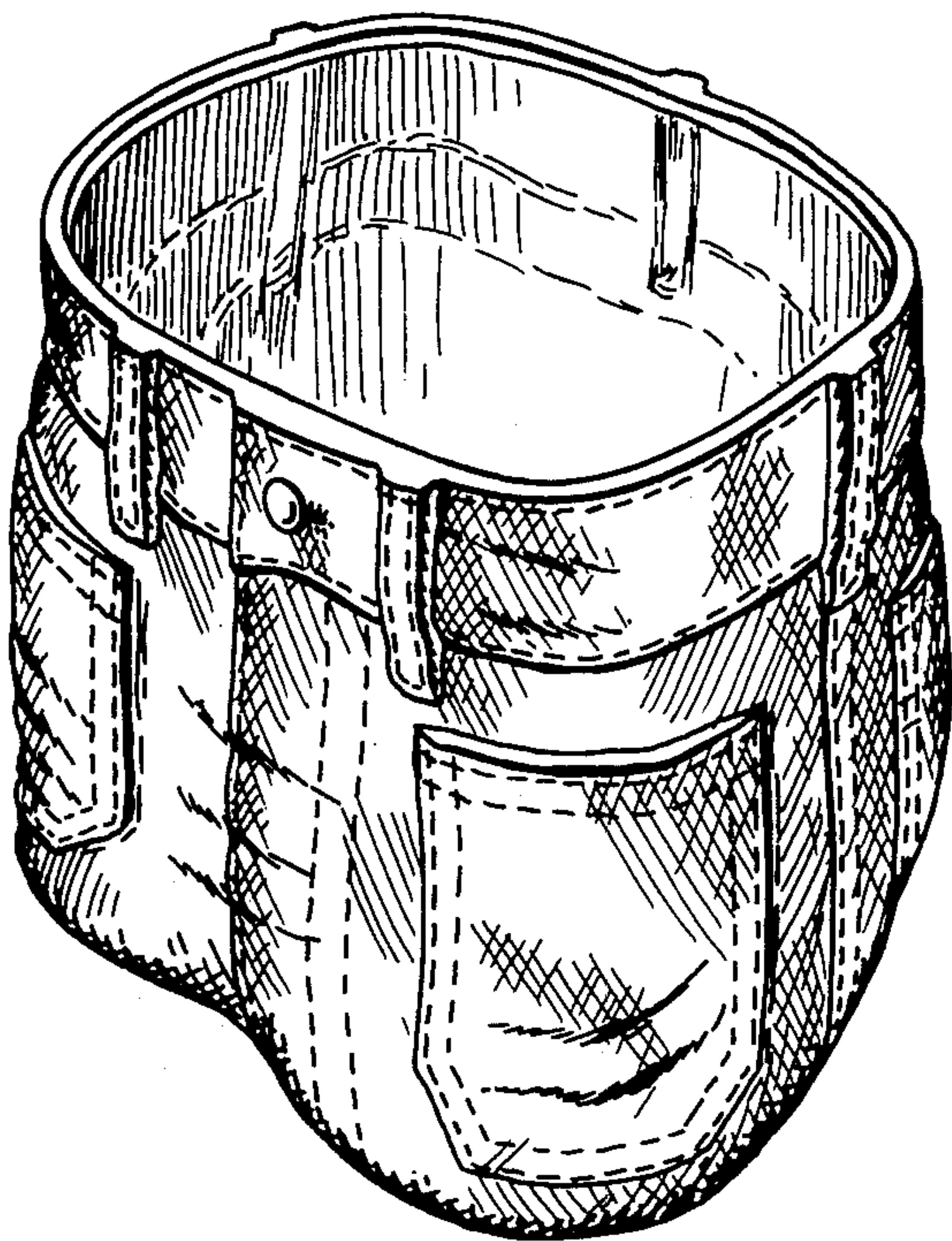


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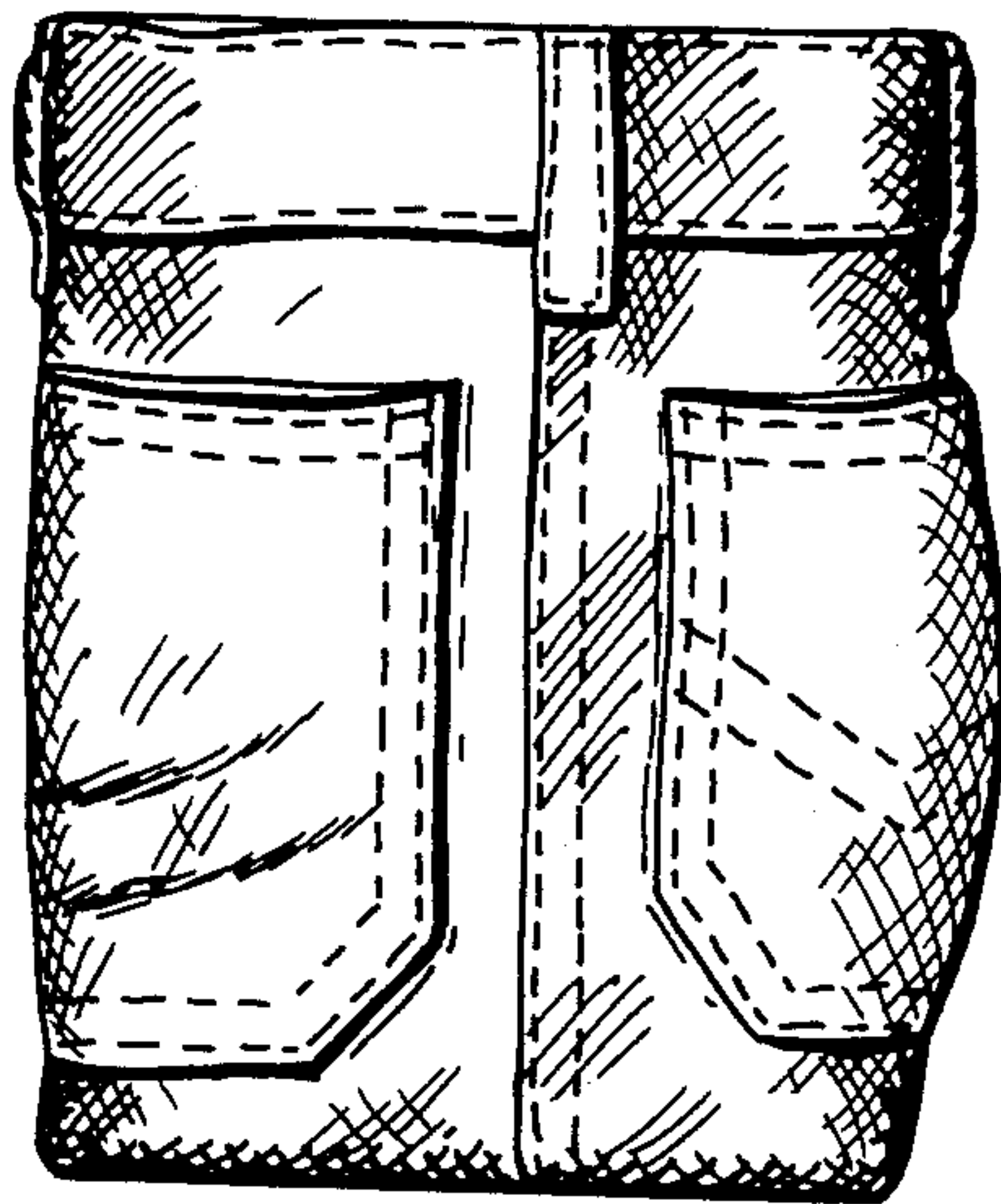


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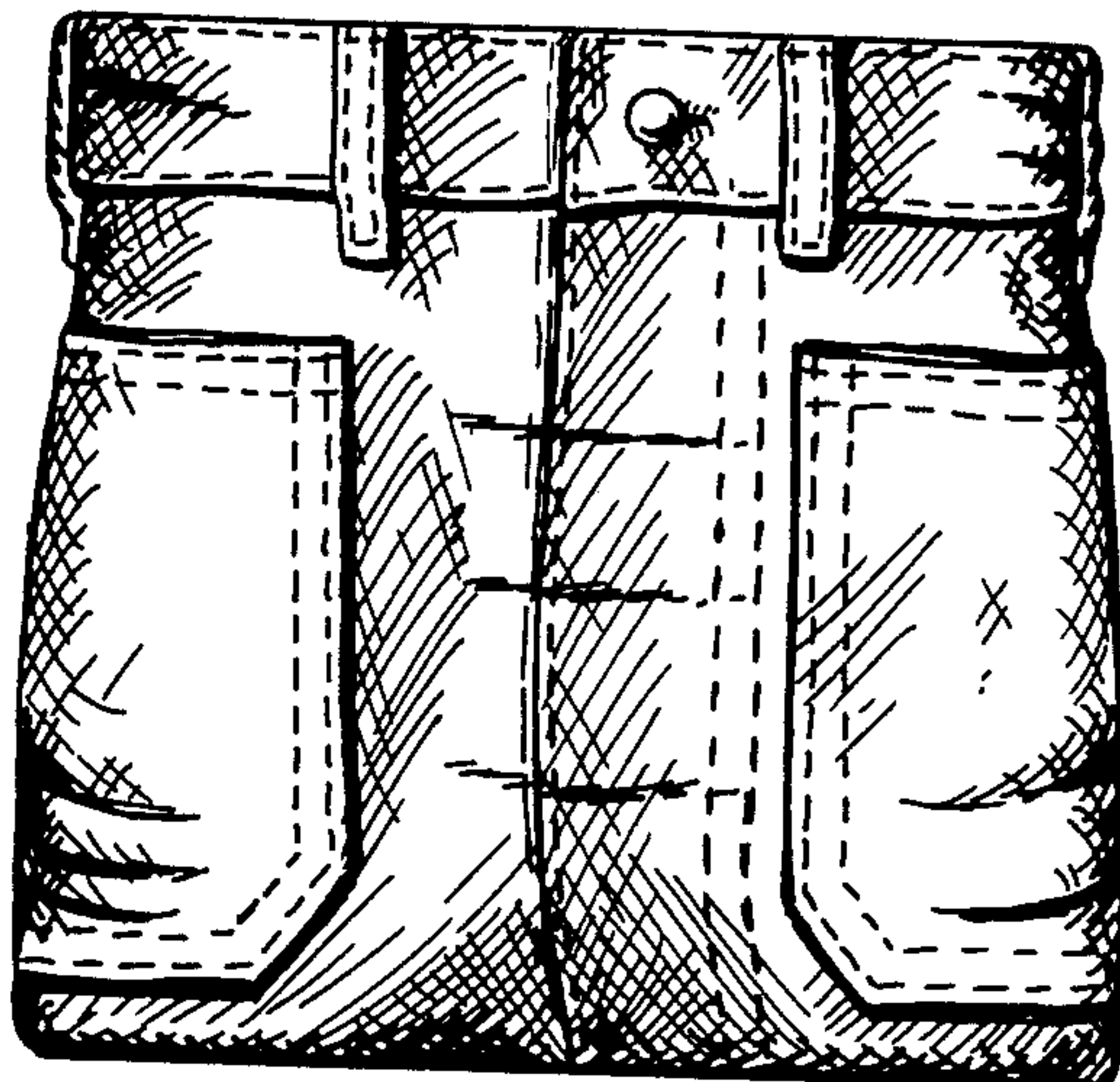


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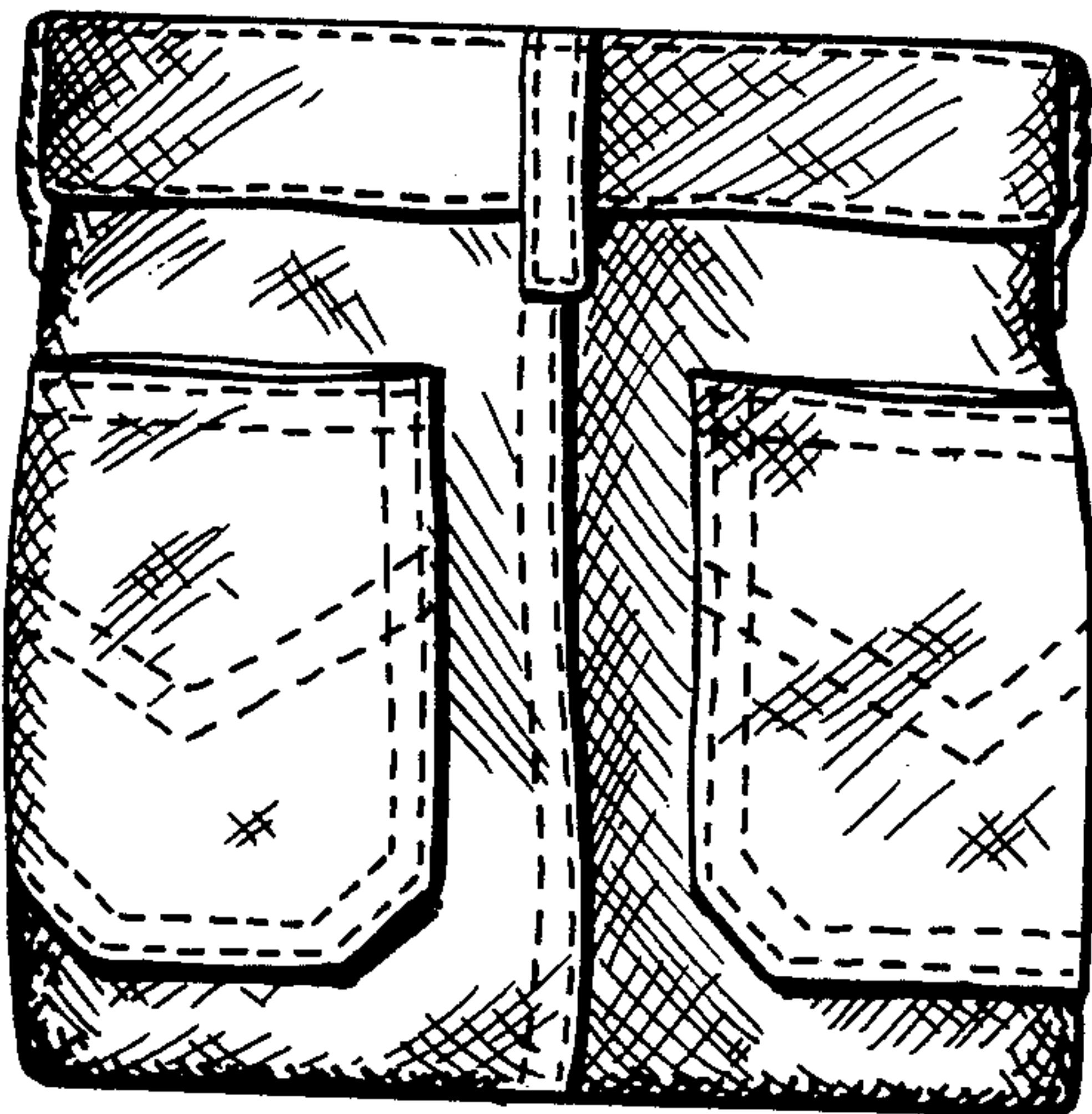


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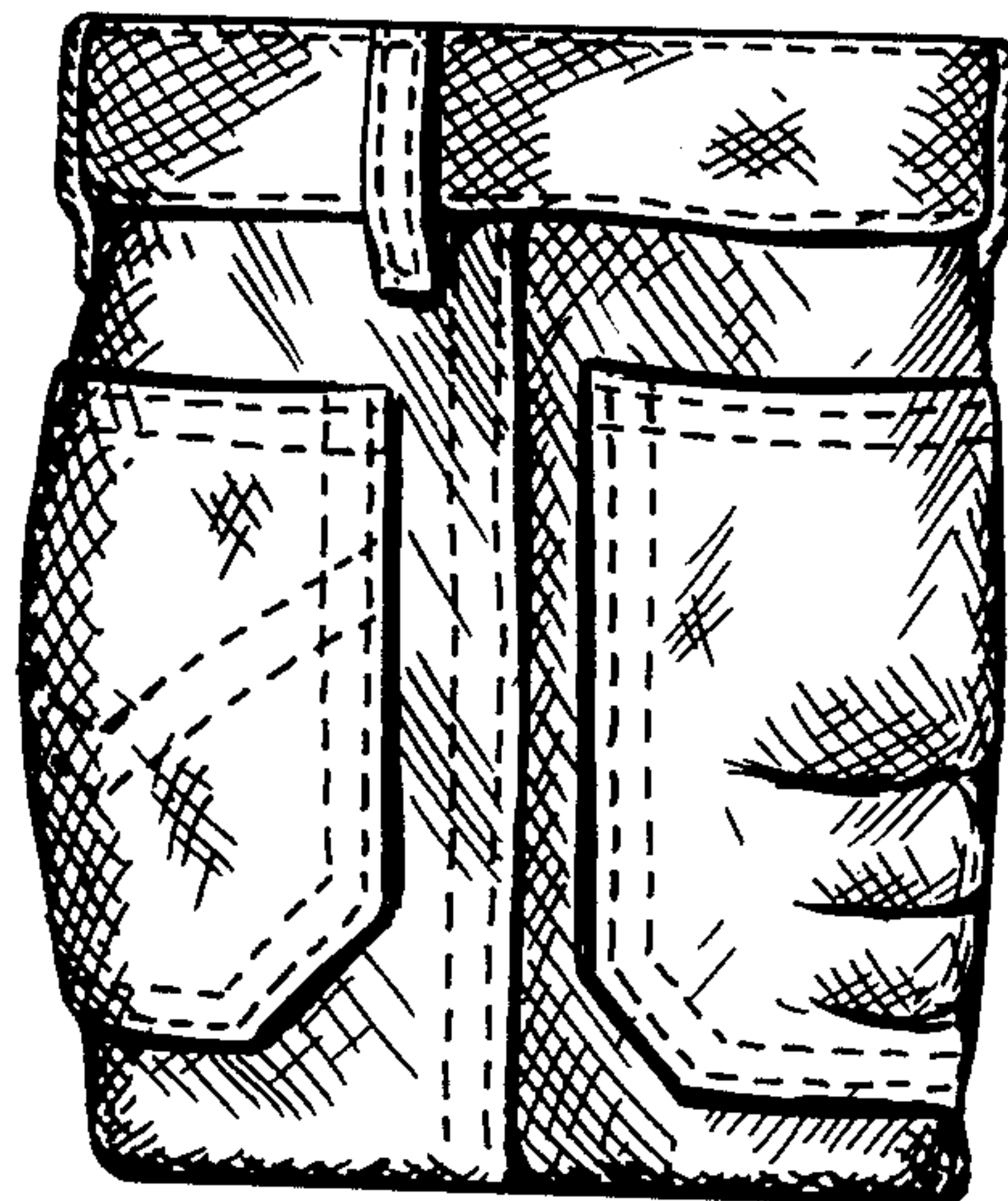


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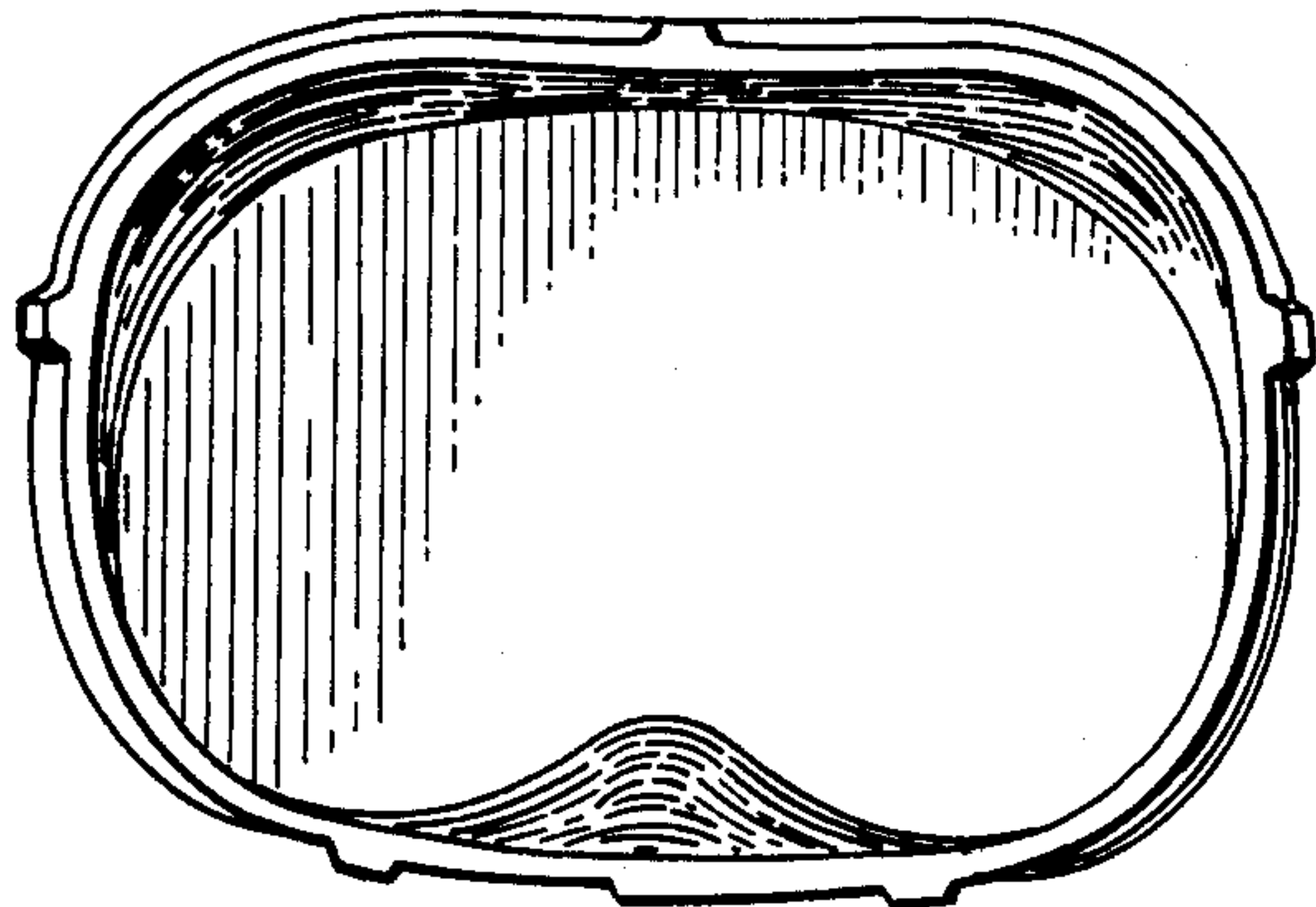


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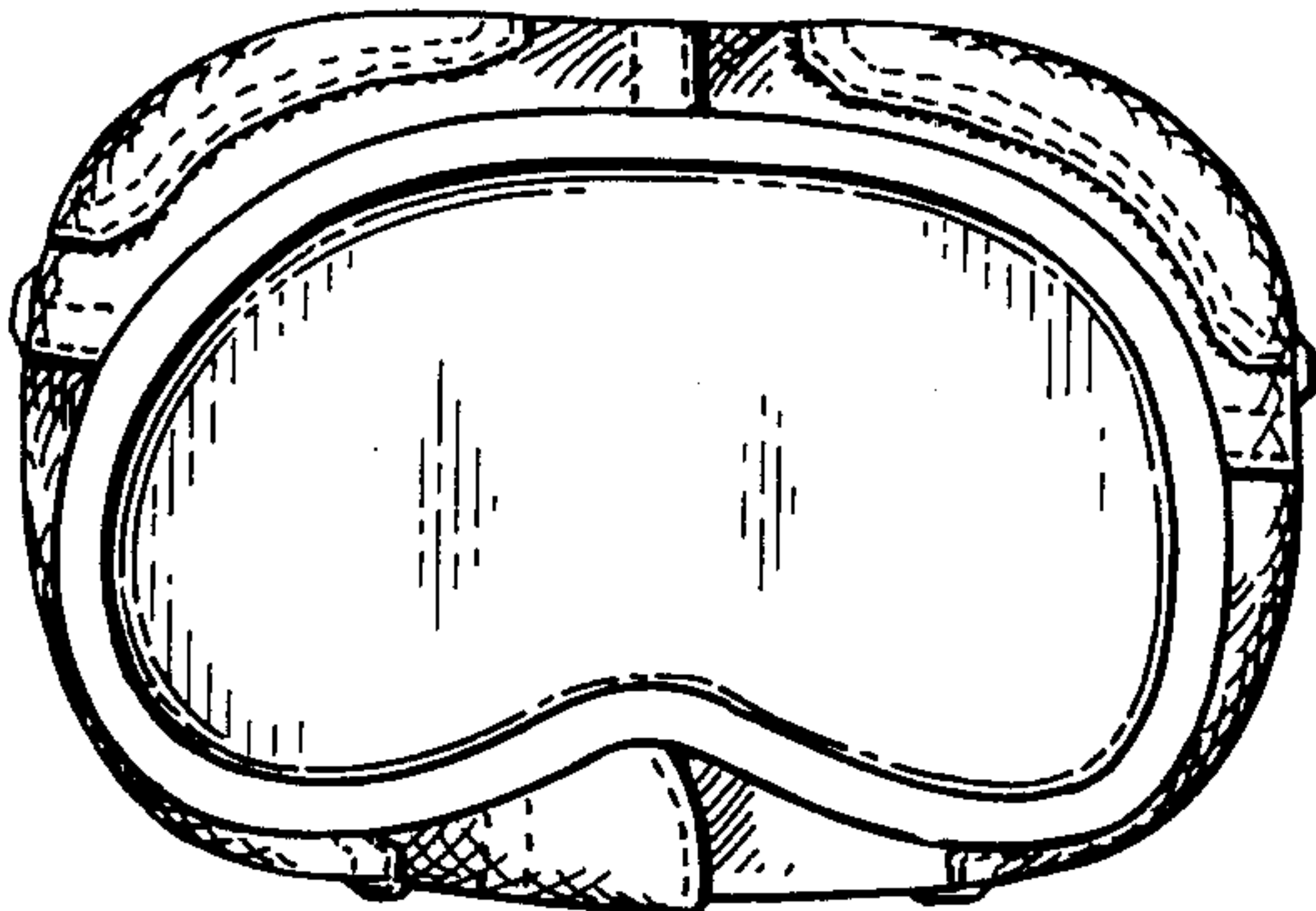


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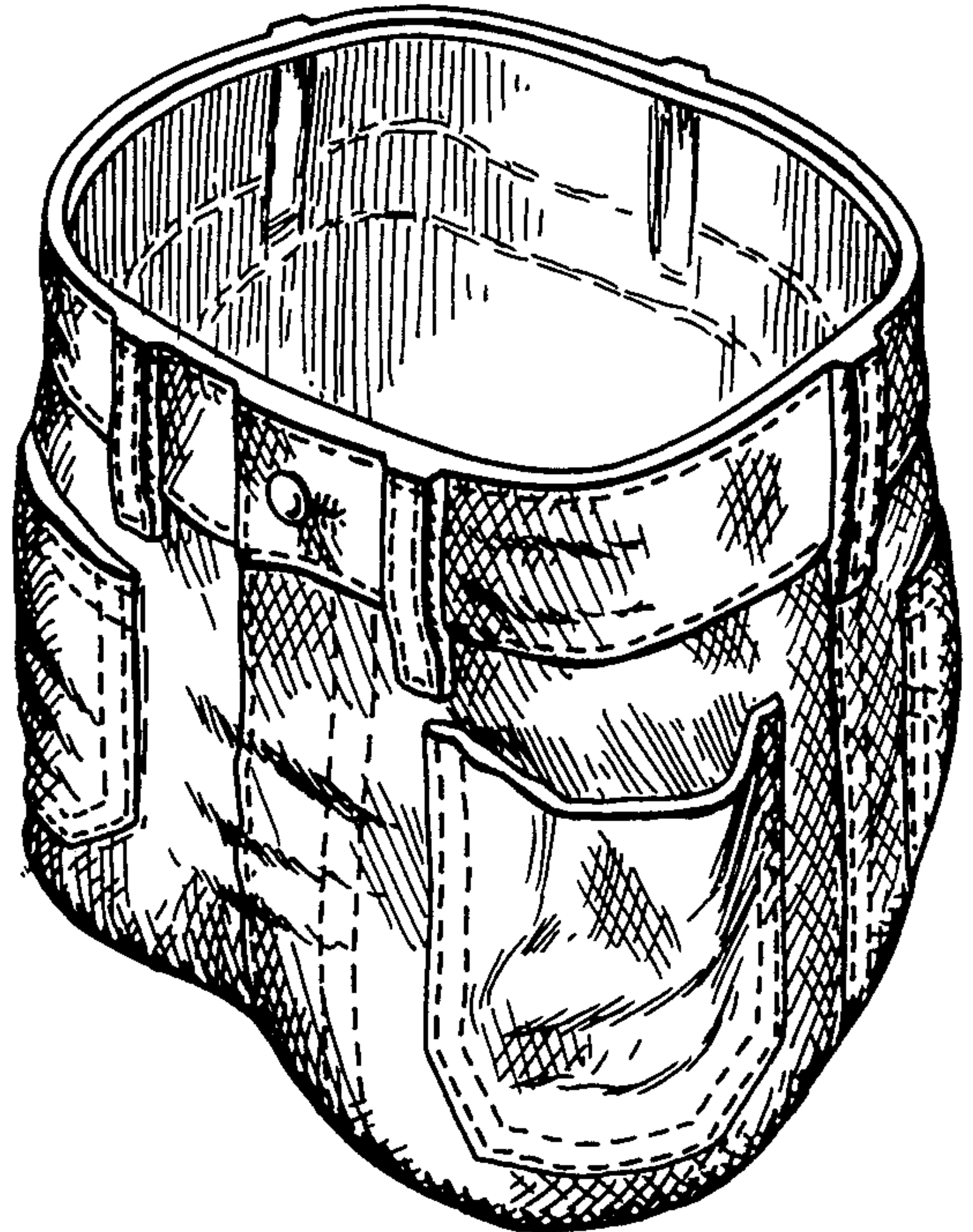


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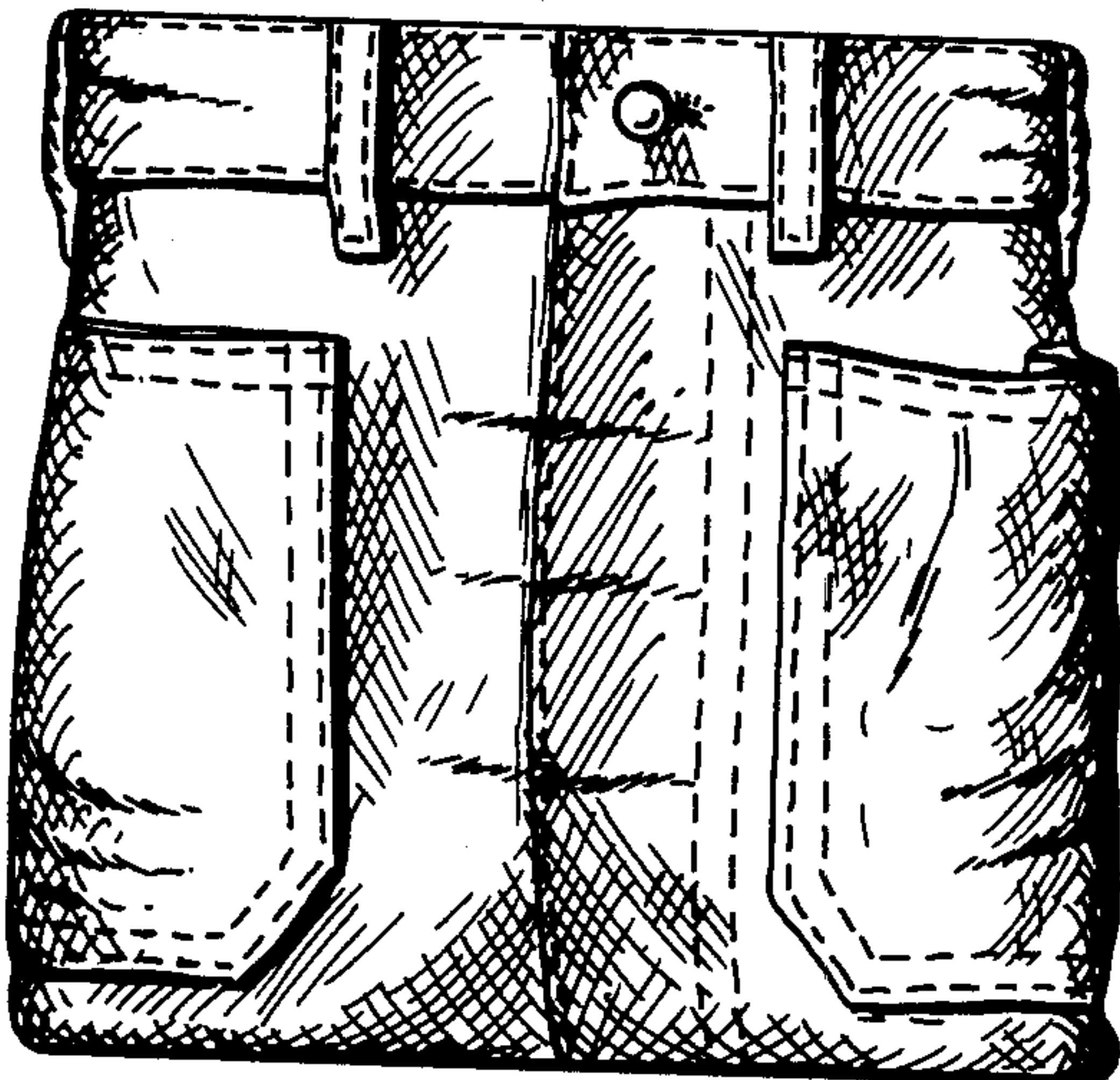


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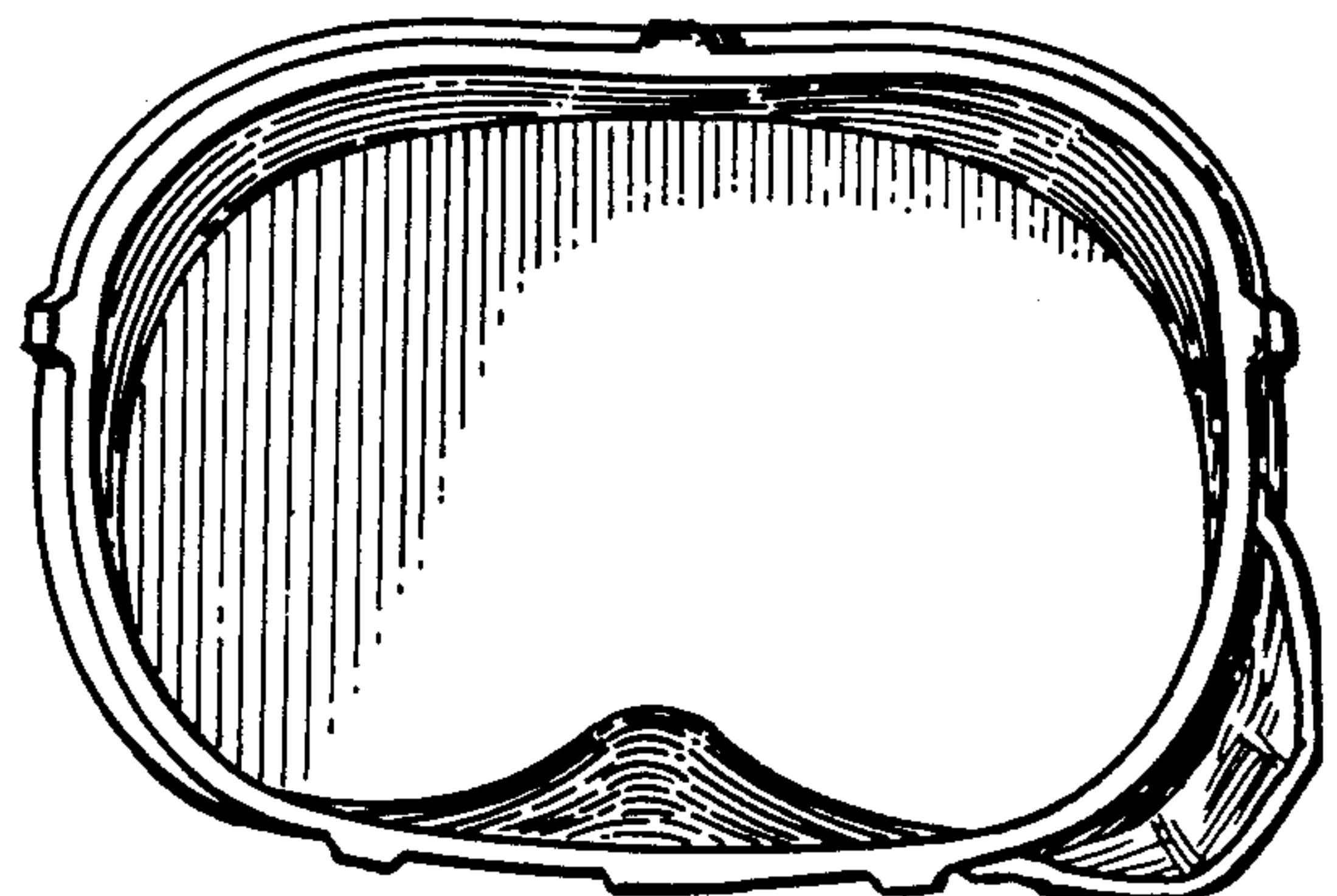


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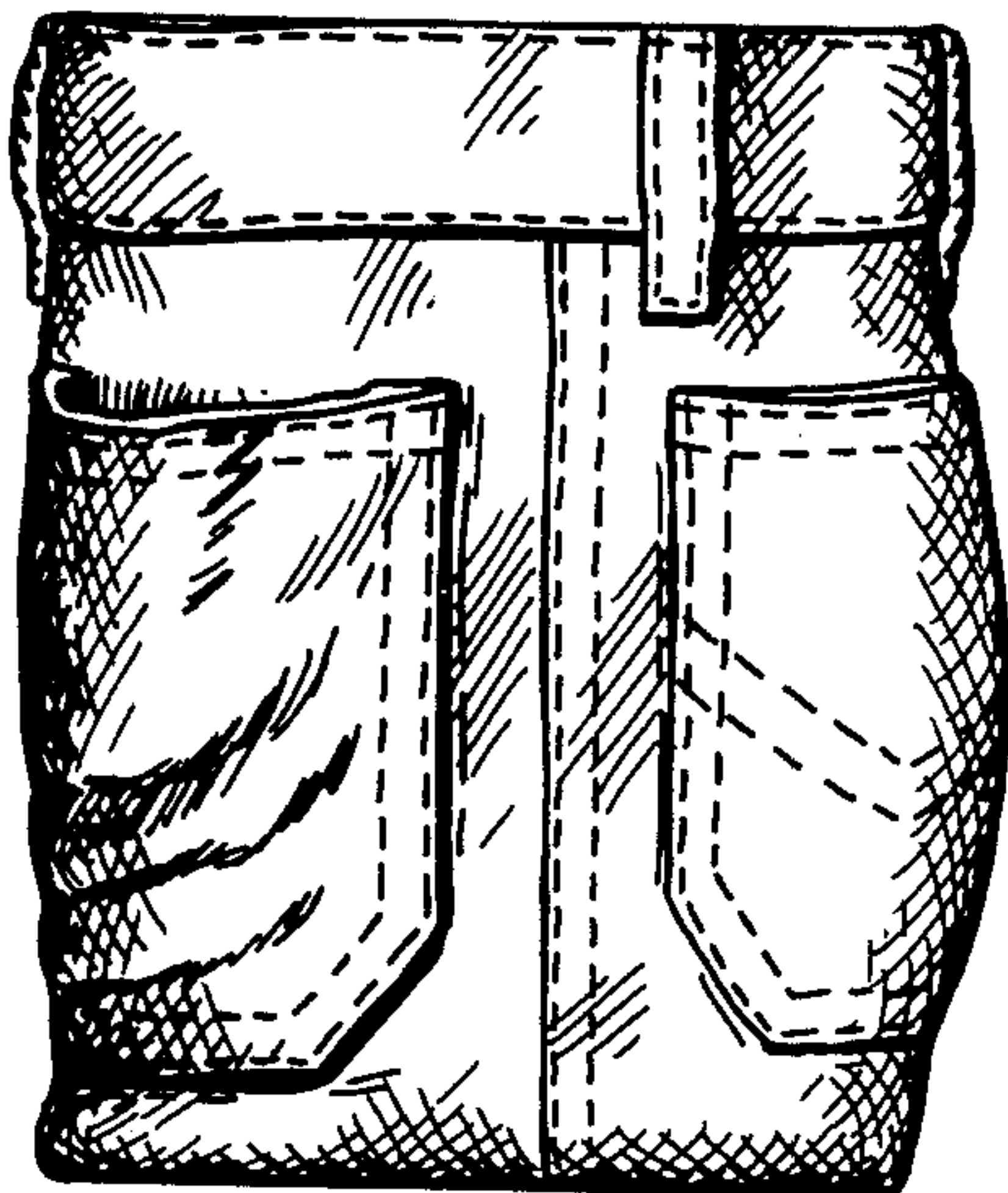


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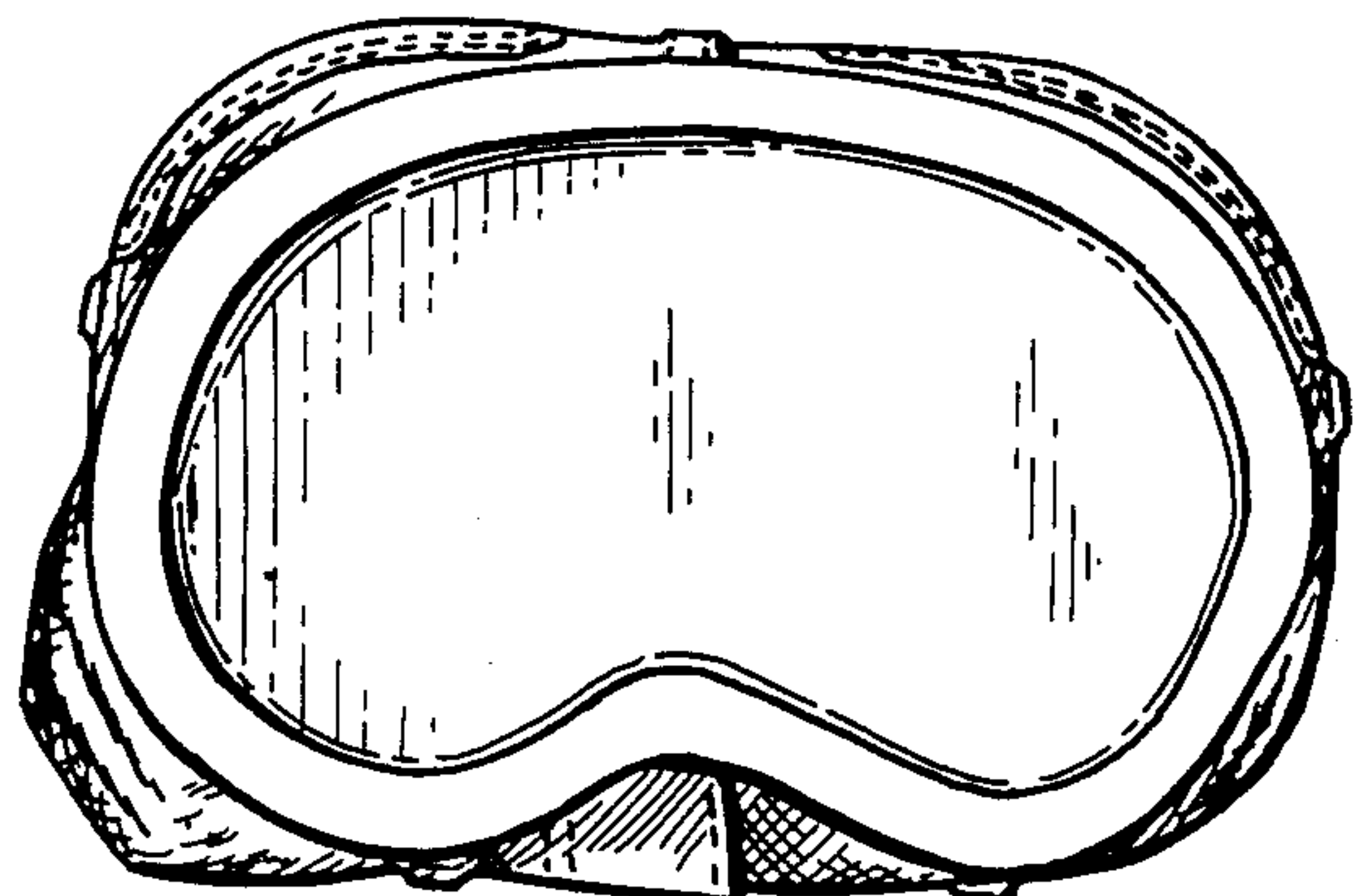


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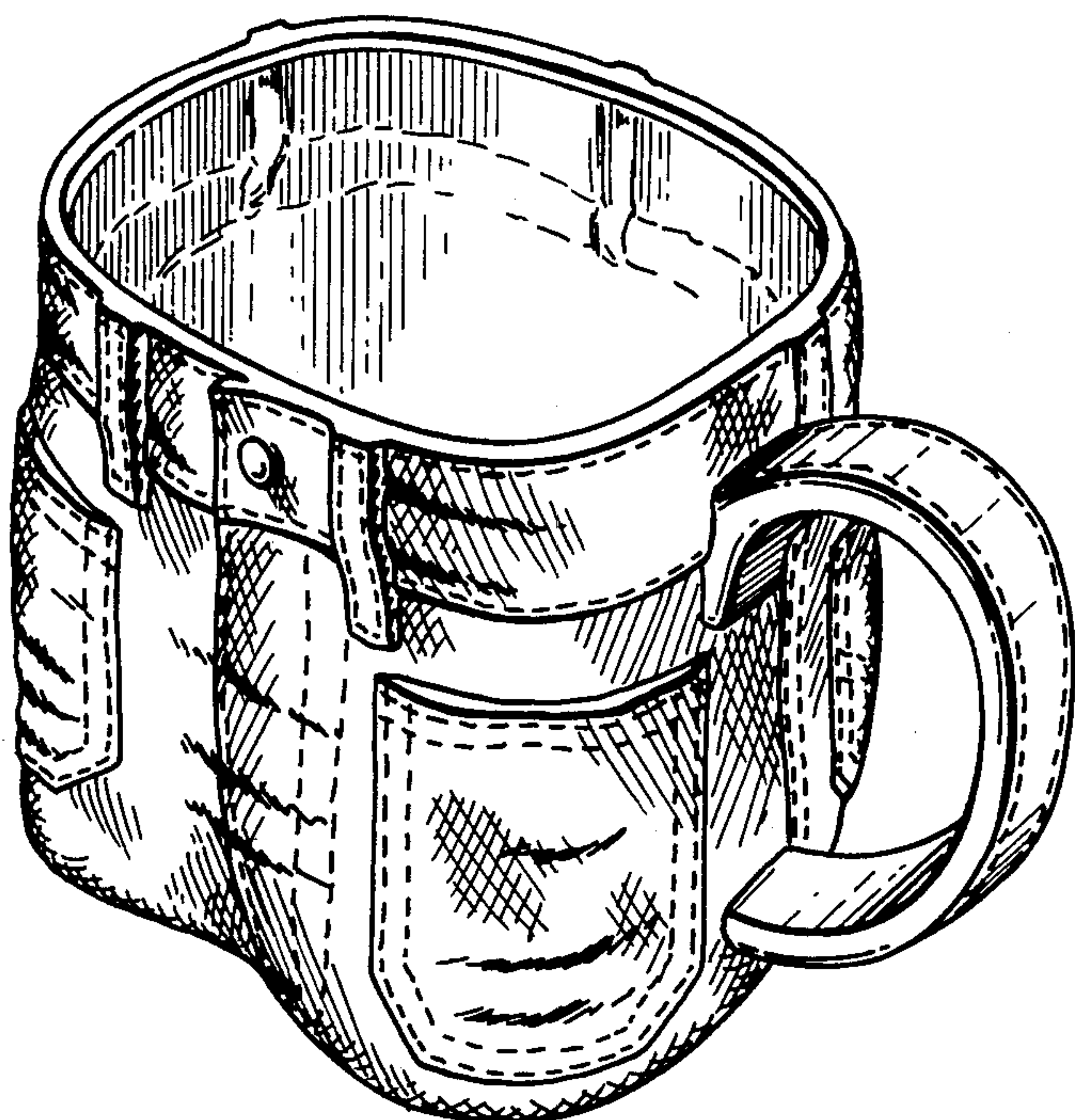


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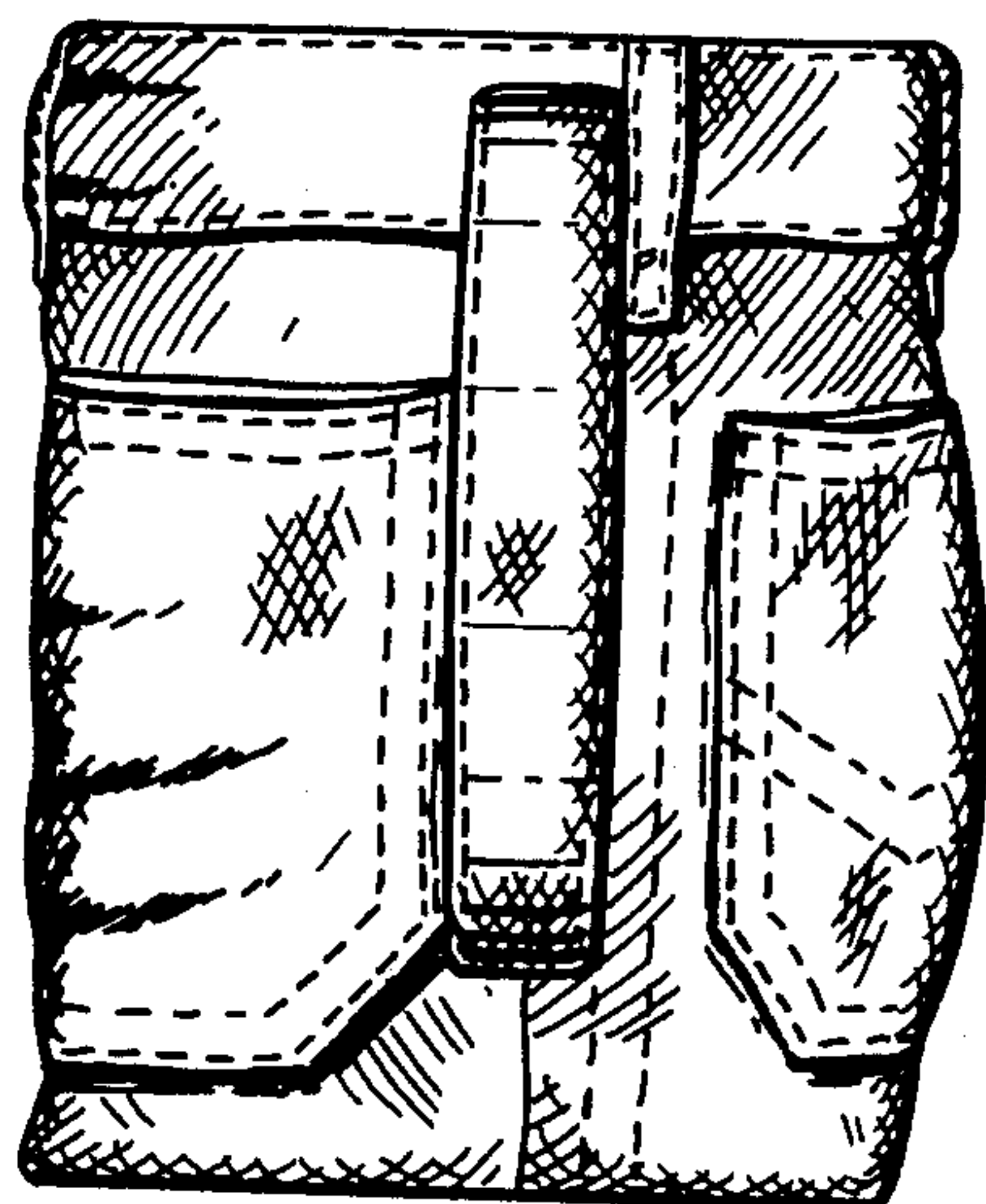


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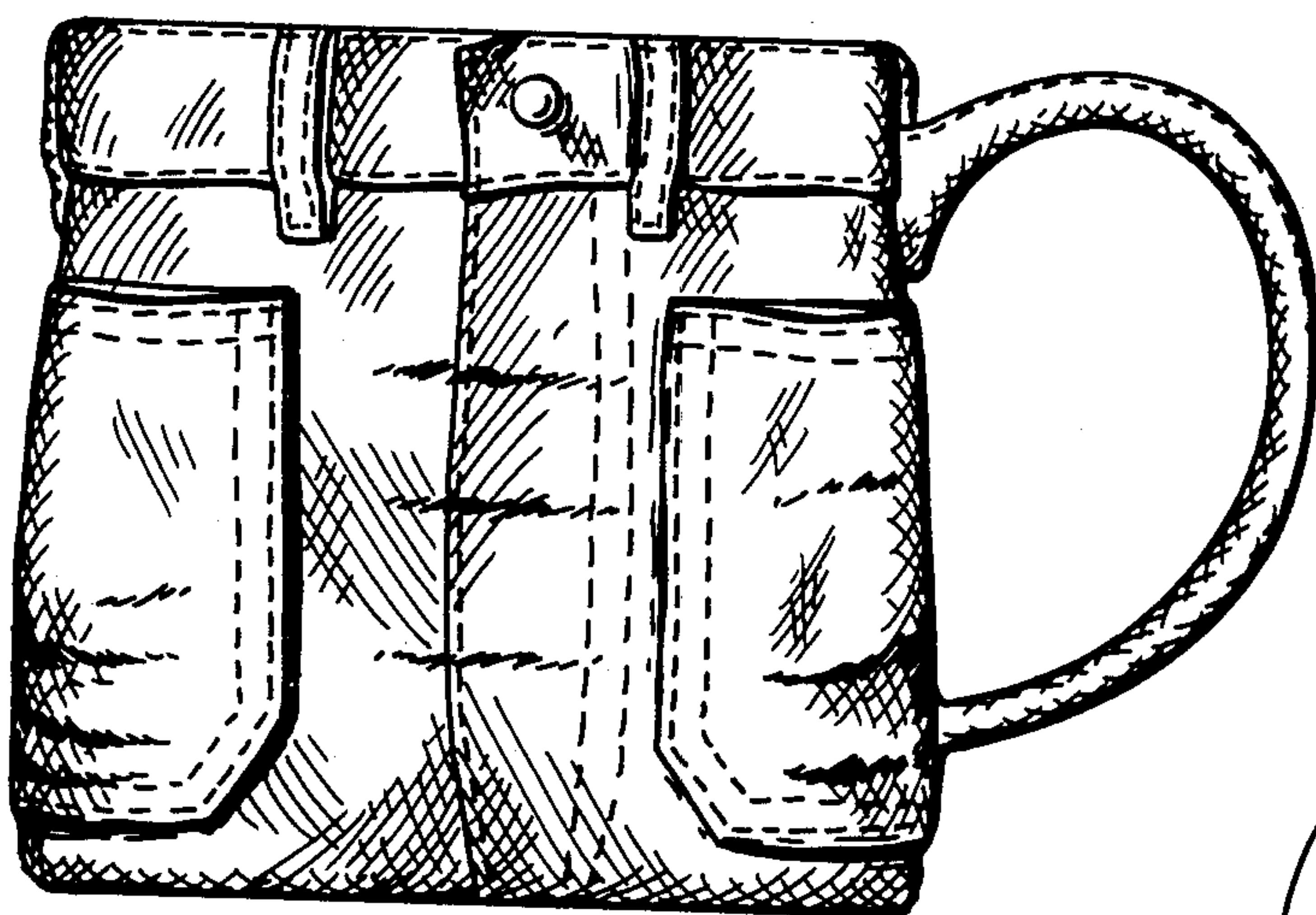


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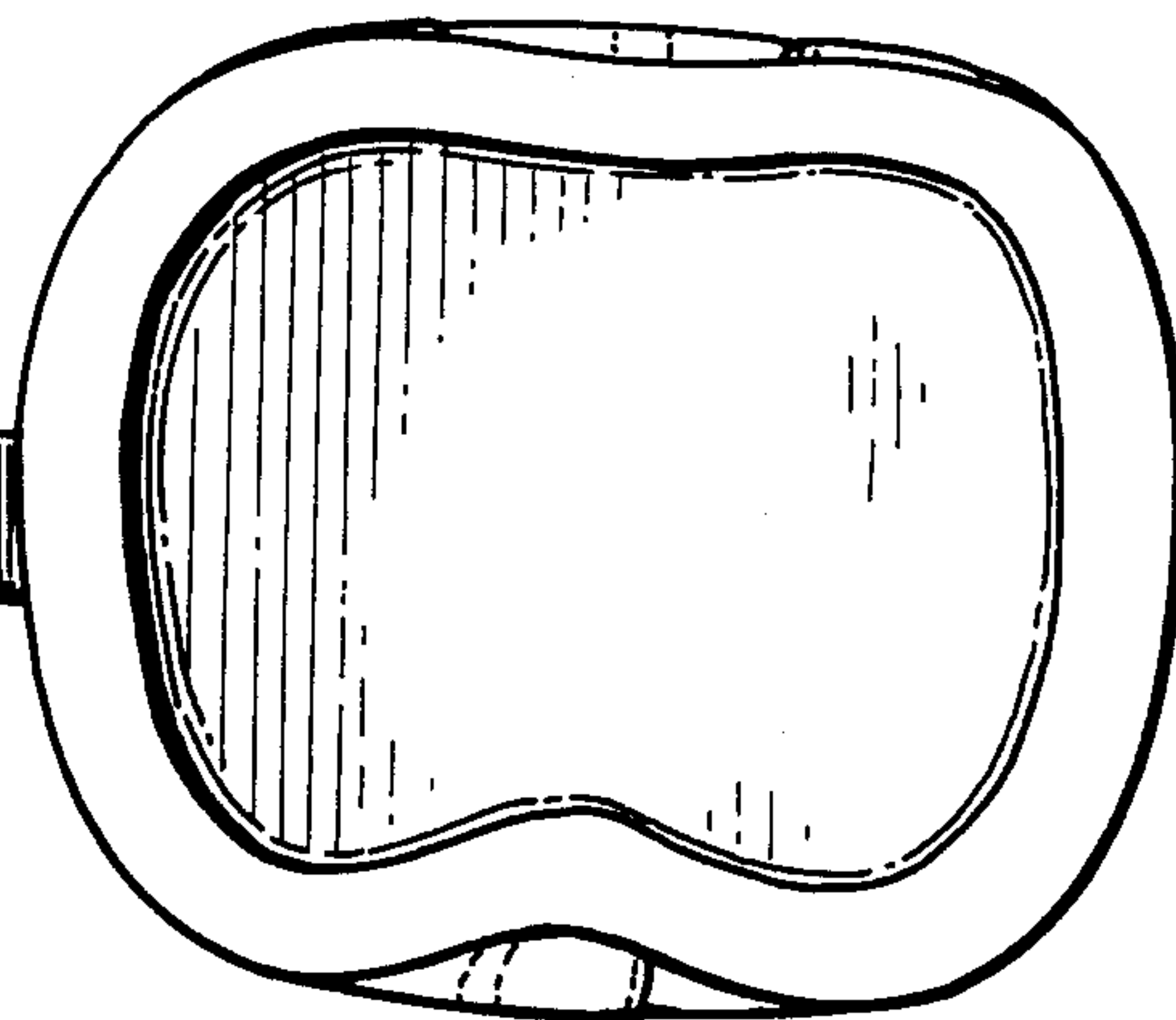


FIG. 16

