

[54] **PNEUMATIC TIRE TREAD AND BUTTRESS**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a pneumatic tire tread and  
buttress, substantially as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view, partly schematic, of a  
pneumatic tire tread and buttress embodying my new  
design, it being understood that the pattern is repeated  
throughout the circumference of the tread and buttress,  
as shown schematically by solid lines, and that the but-  
tress pattern is repeated on the opposite side;  
FIG. 2 is an enlarged, fragmentary developmental plan  
view of the tread and buttress of FIG. 1; and  
FIG. 3 is an enlarged sectional view of the tread and  
buttress, taken substantially as indicated by line 3-3 of  
FIG. 2.

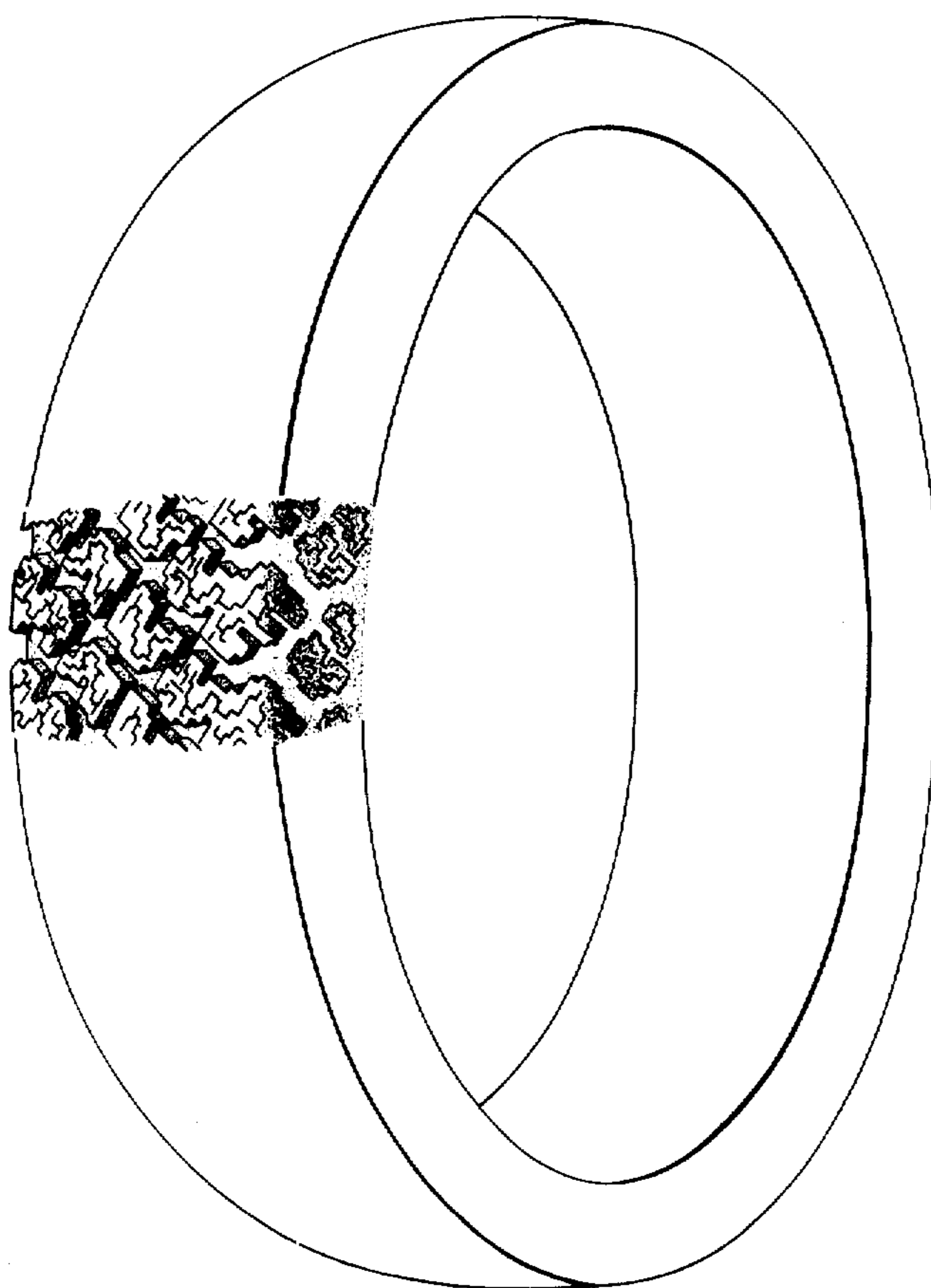


Fig. 1.

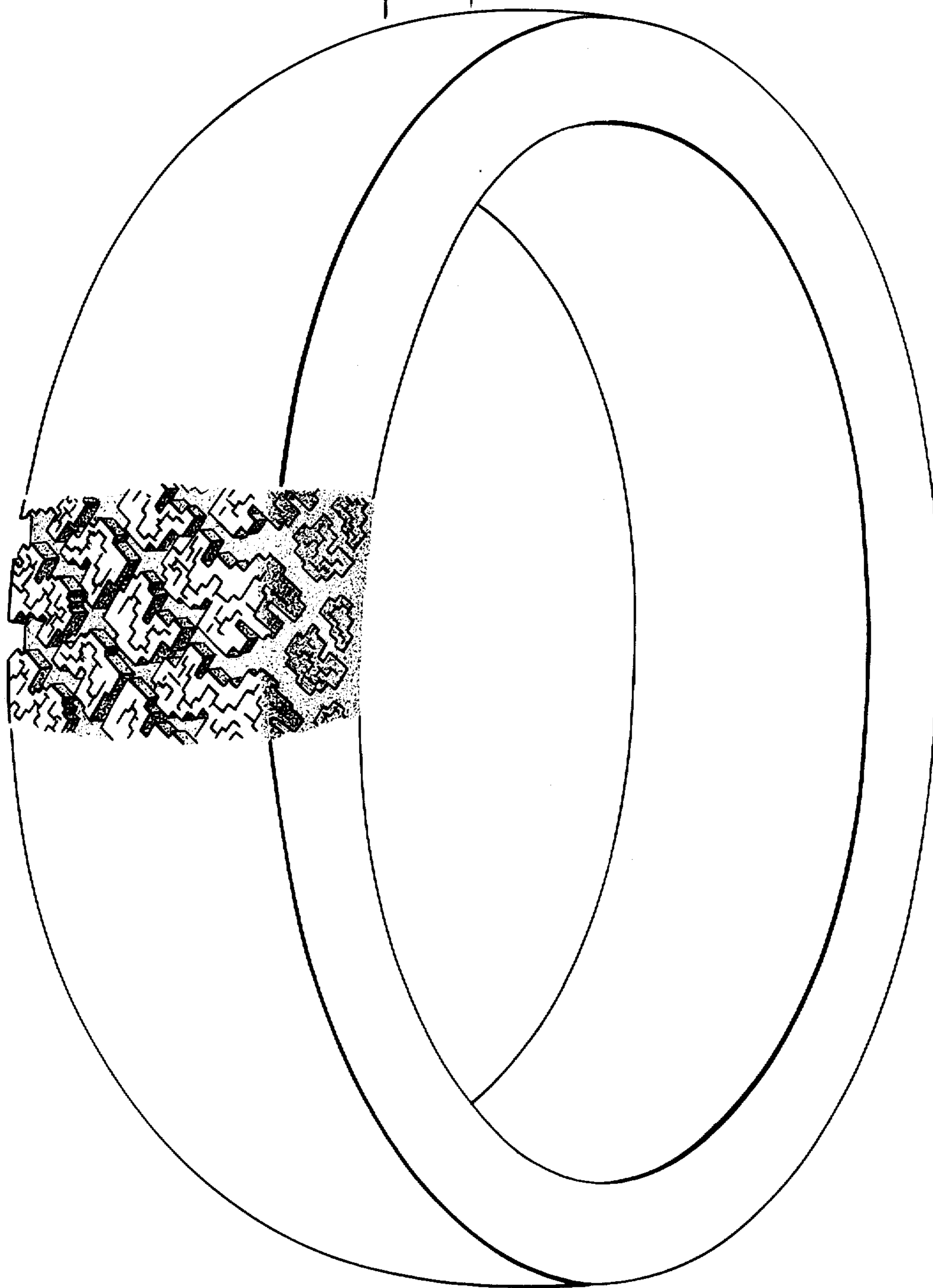
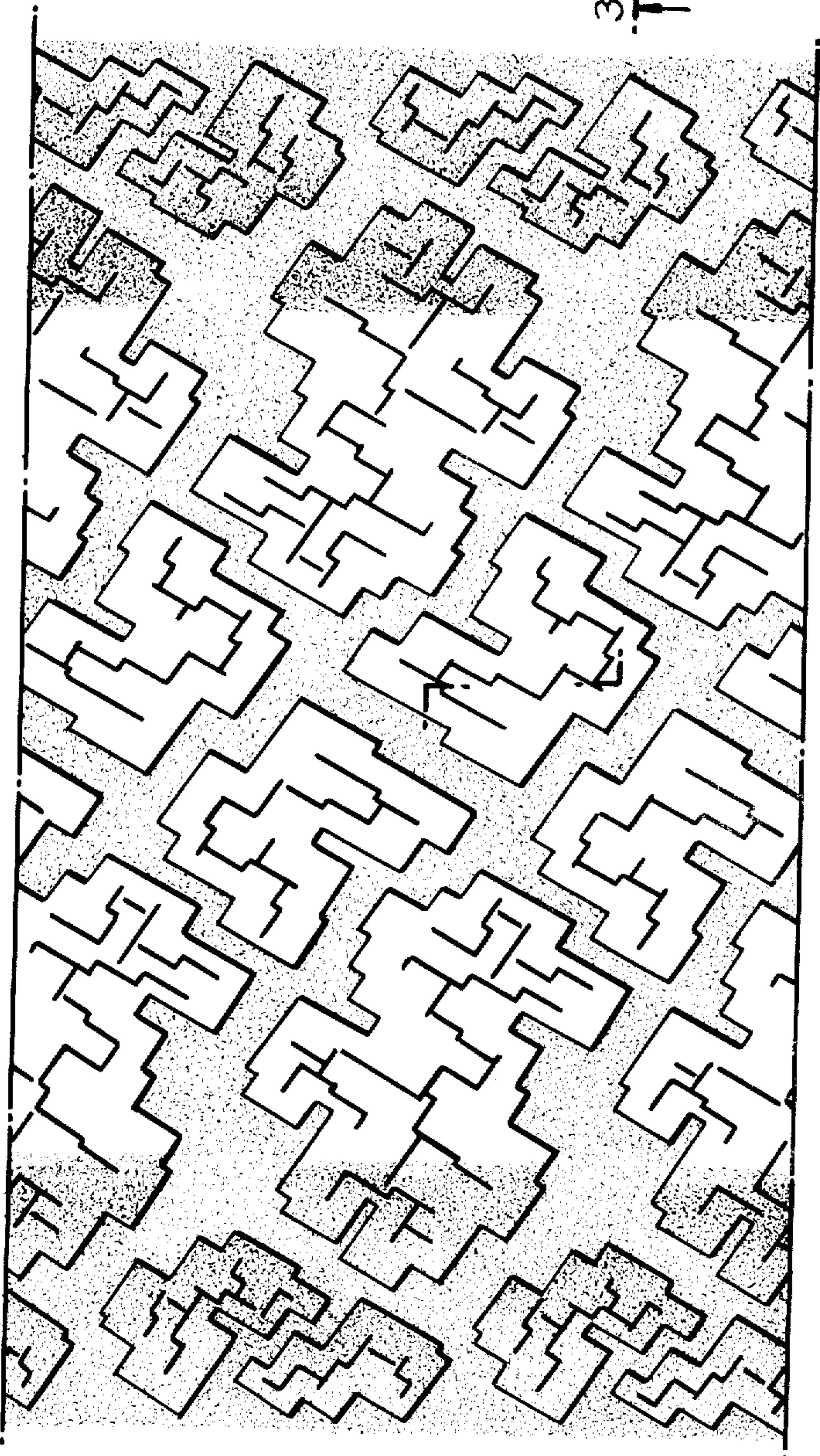


Fig. 2.



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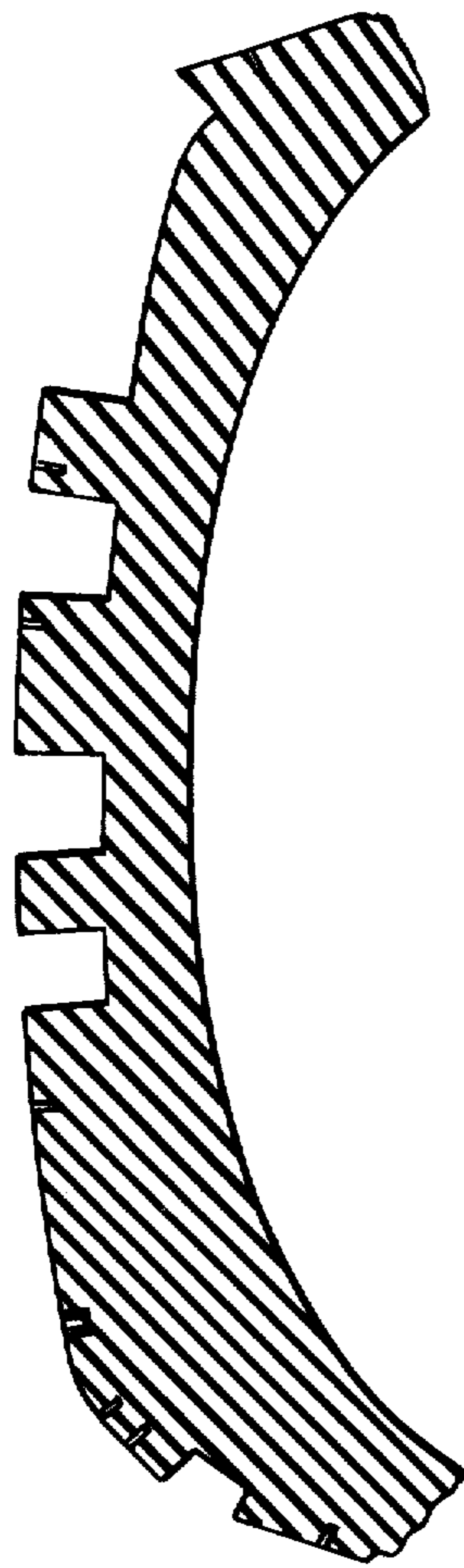


Fig. 3.