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[54] **TOY BUILDING BLOCK**

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### [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a toy building block, substantially as shown and described.

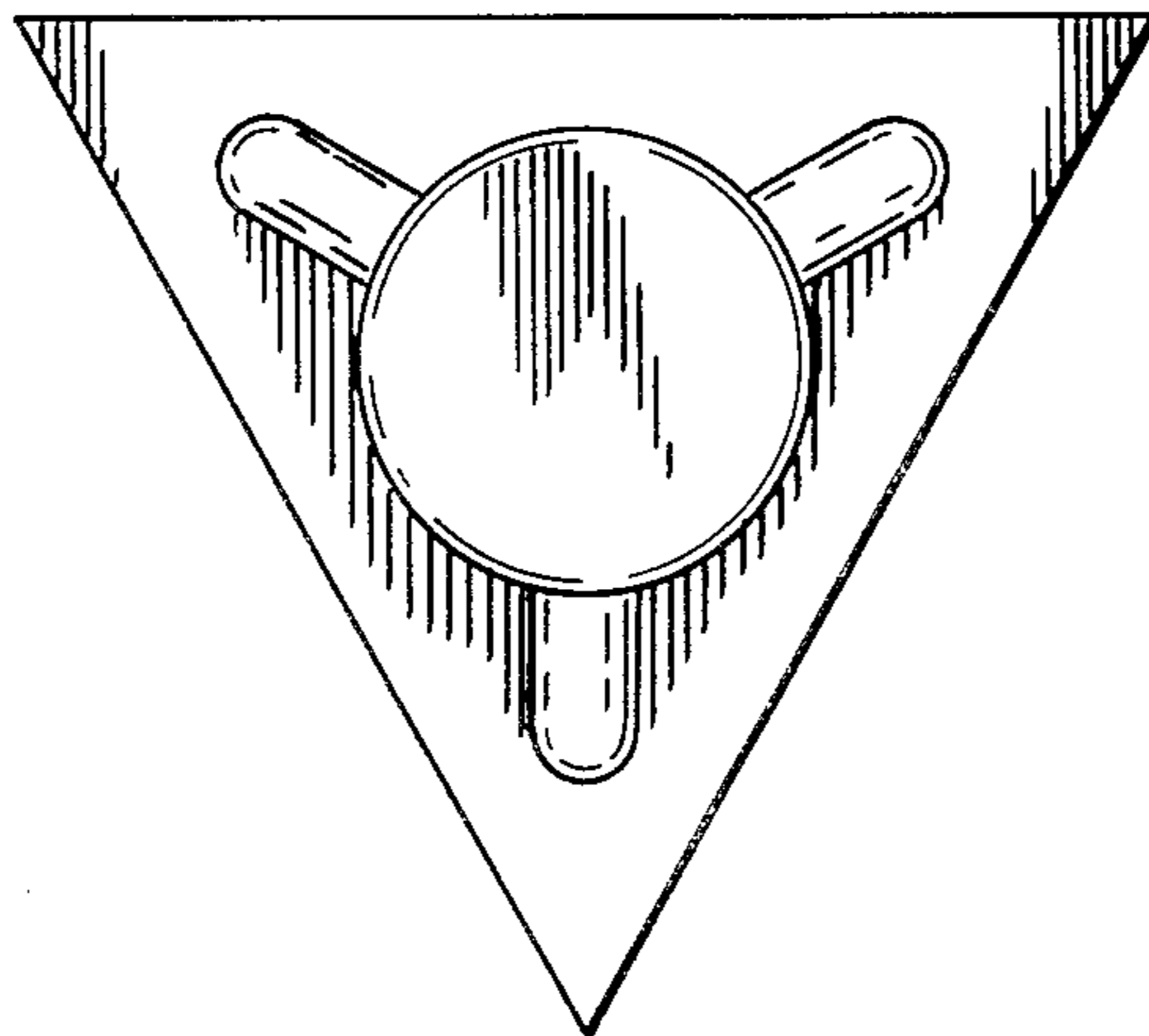
### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a toy building block showing our new design;  
FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view;  
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view;  
FIG. 4 is a side elevational view; and  
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof.

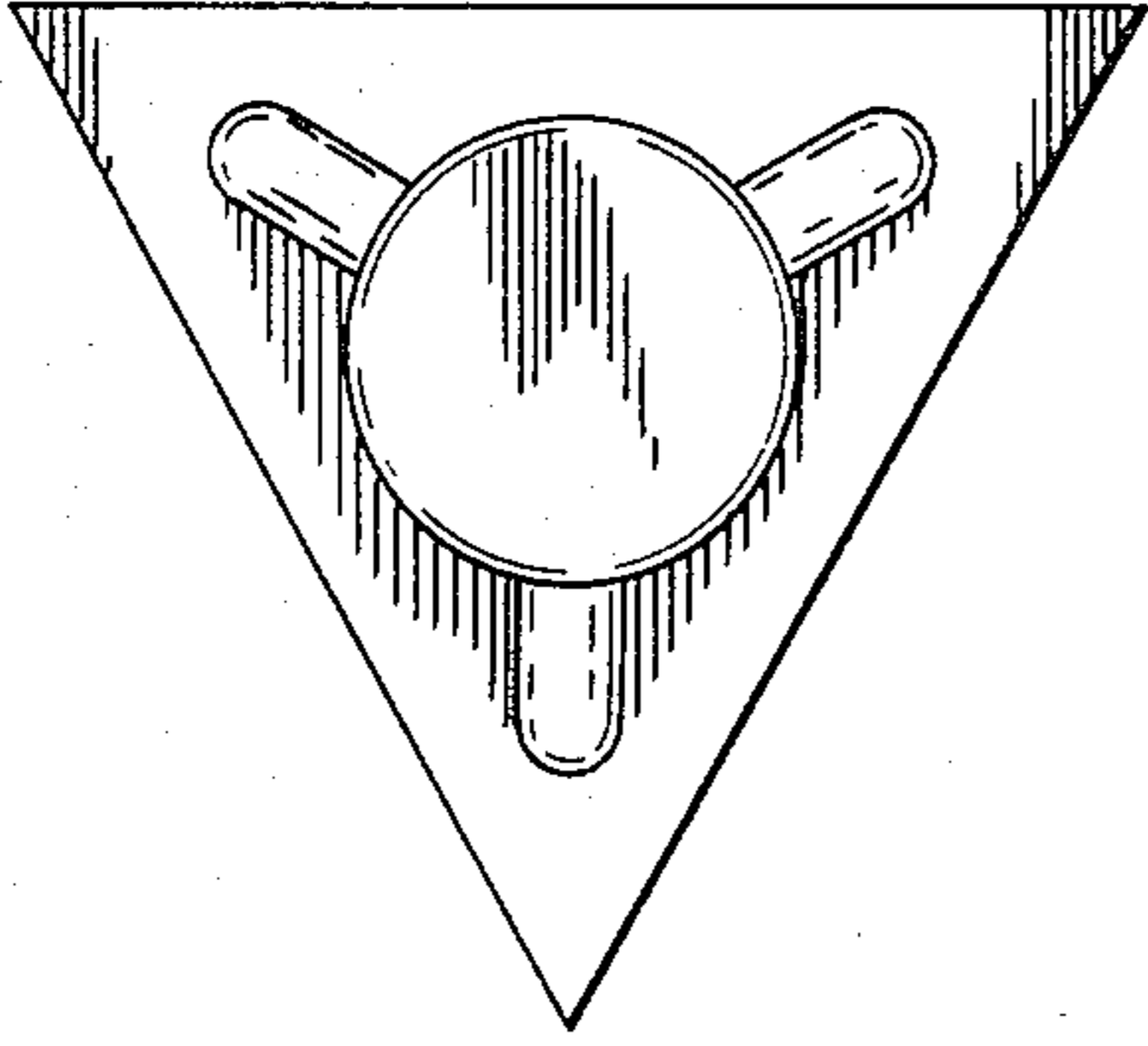
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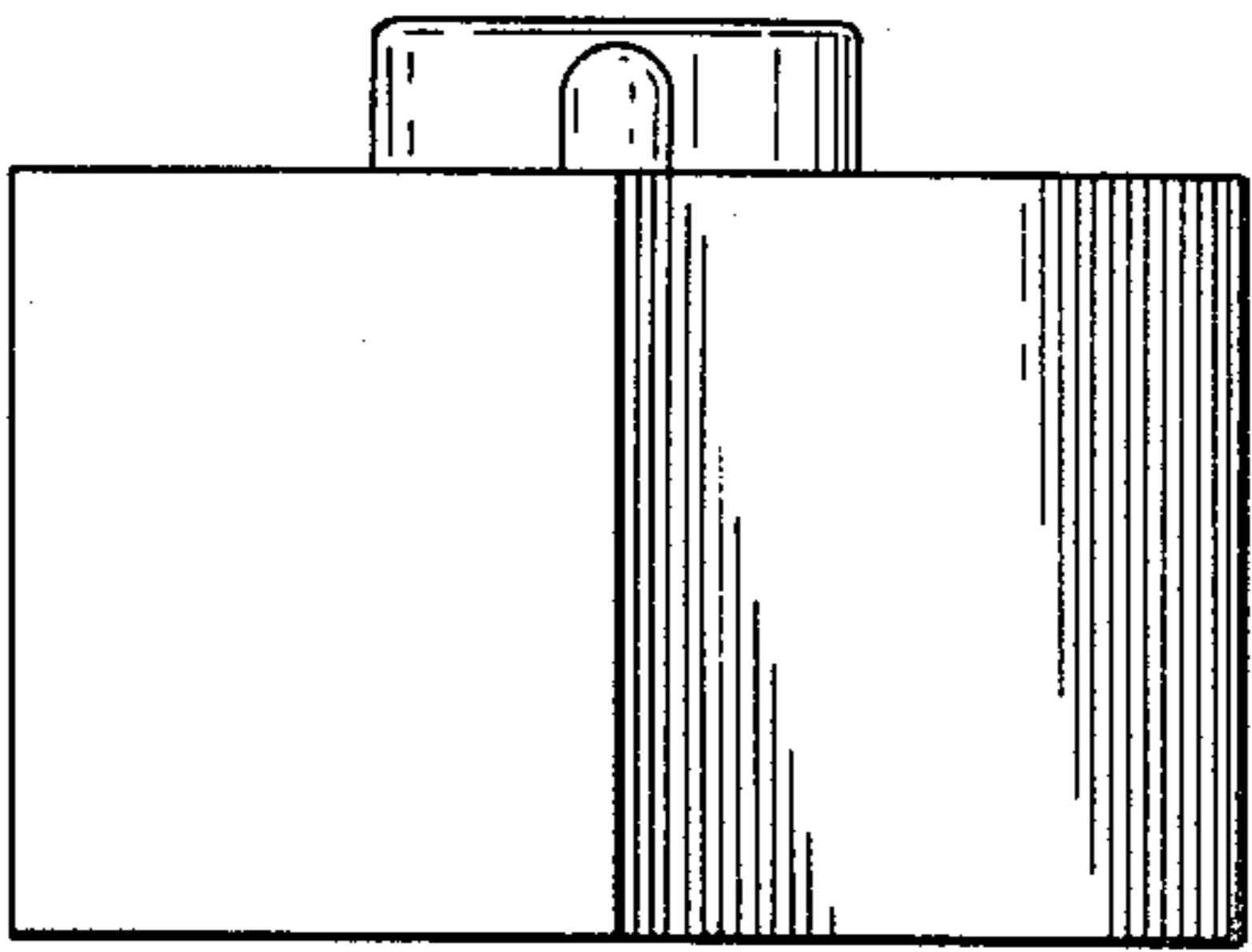
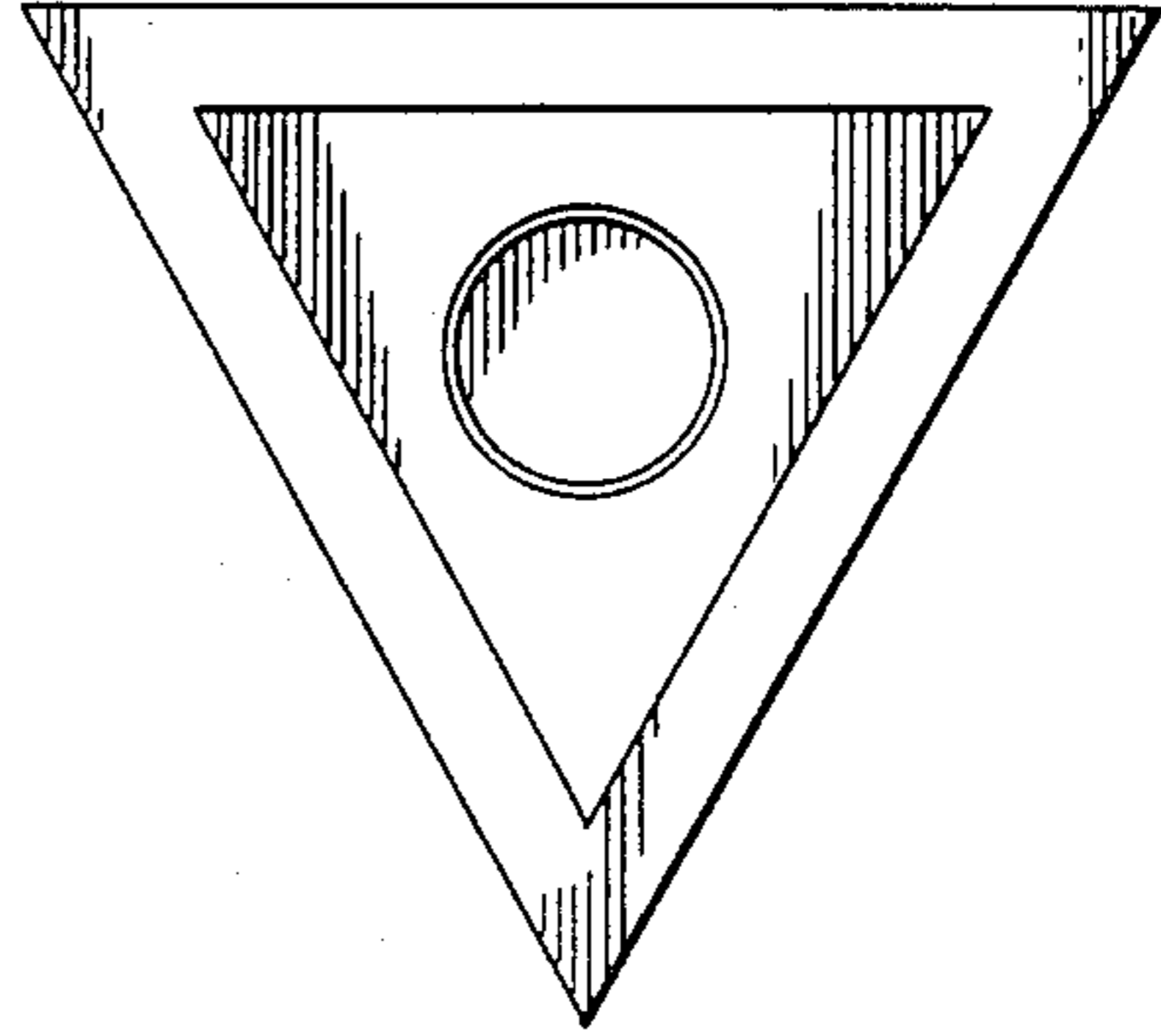
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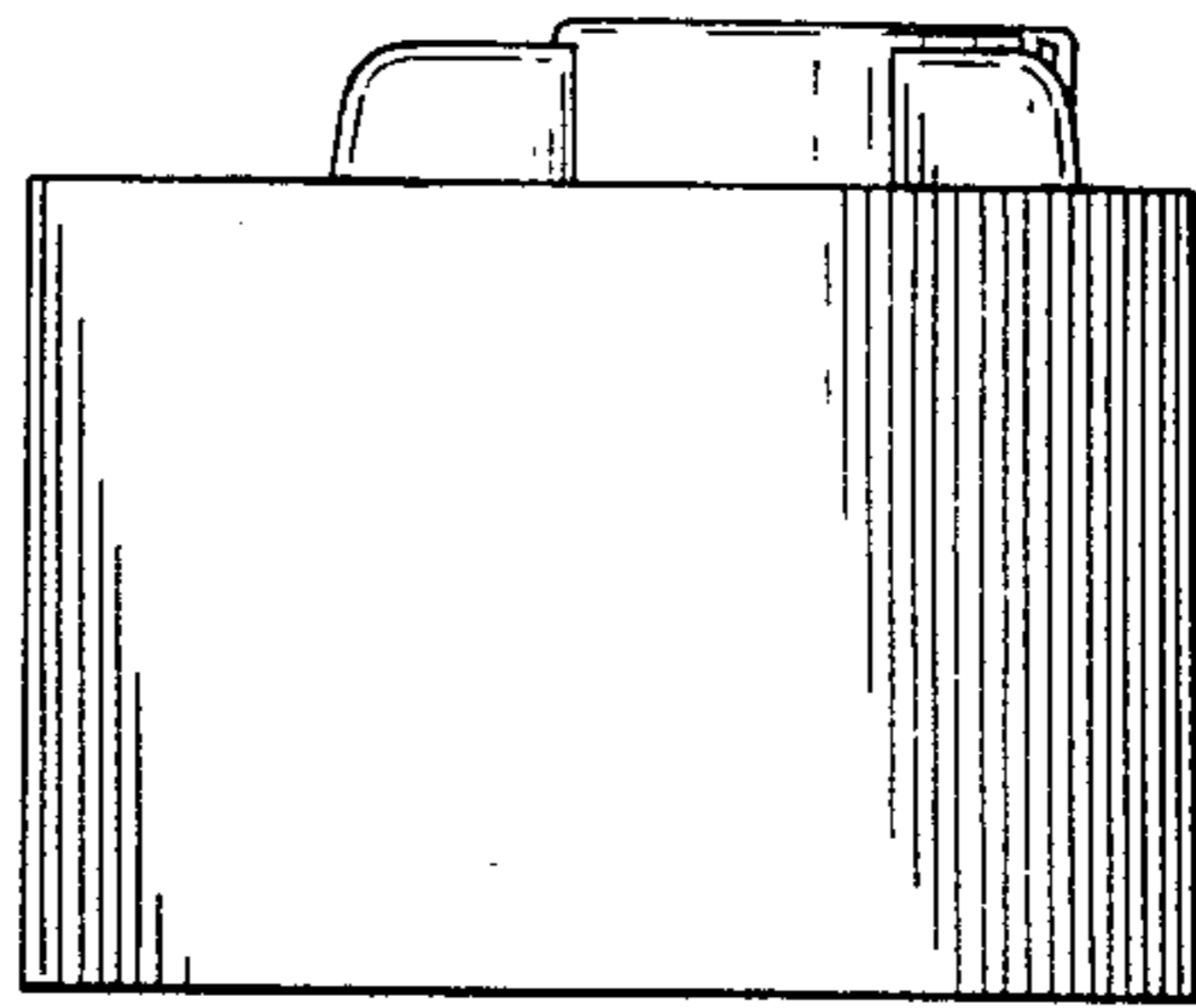
*FIG. 1*



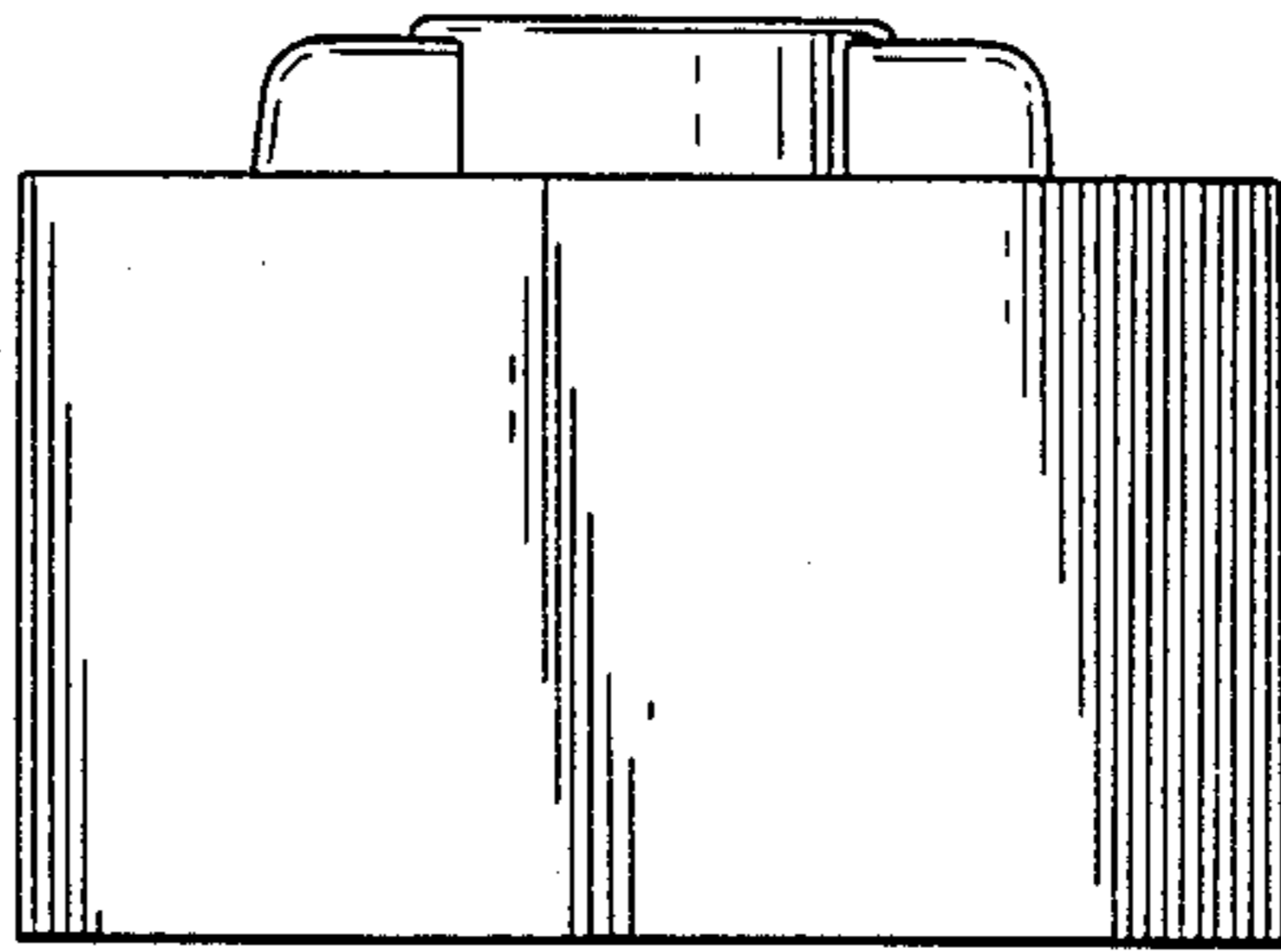
*FIG. 2*



*FIG. 3*



*FIG. 4*



*FIG. 5*