

- [54] **ELEMENT OF A SHOE UPPER**
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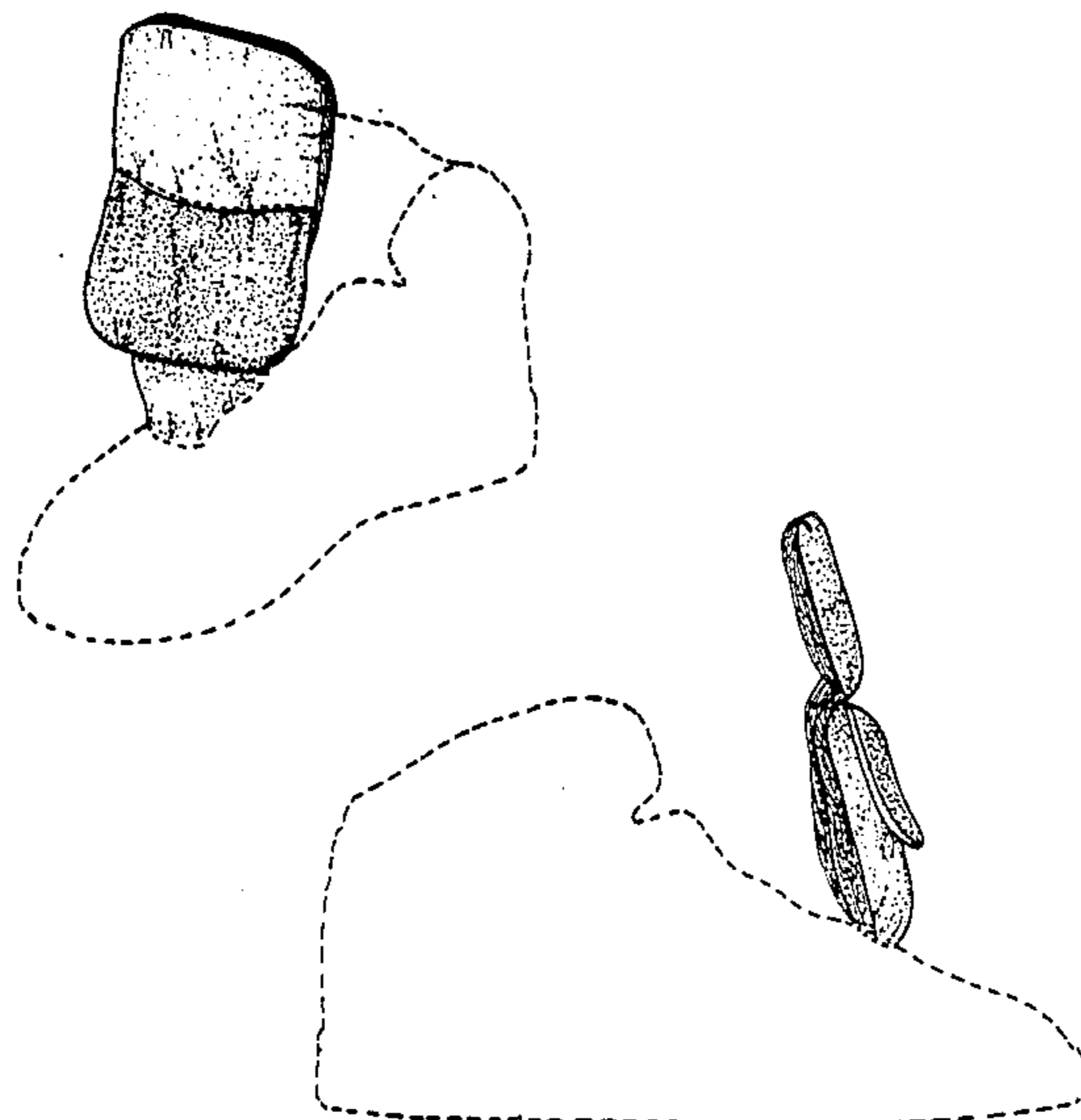
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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an element of a shoe upper, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a left side elevational view of an element of a shoe upper with a portion of the element folded down showing my new design;
 FIG. 2 is a right side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view of an element of a shoe upper shown in FIG. 1 with the portion of the element in an unfolded position;
 FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a front elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a right perspective view of the element of a shoe upper shown in FIG. 1 with a portion of the element folded down;
 FIG. 8 is a left elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 9 is a front elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 10 is a right perspective view of the element shown in FIG. 7 with the portion of the element in an unfolded position;
 FIG. 11 is a right side elevational view thereof; and
 FIG. 12 is a front elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 13 is a right perspective view thereof showing only the claimed subject matter.



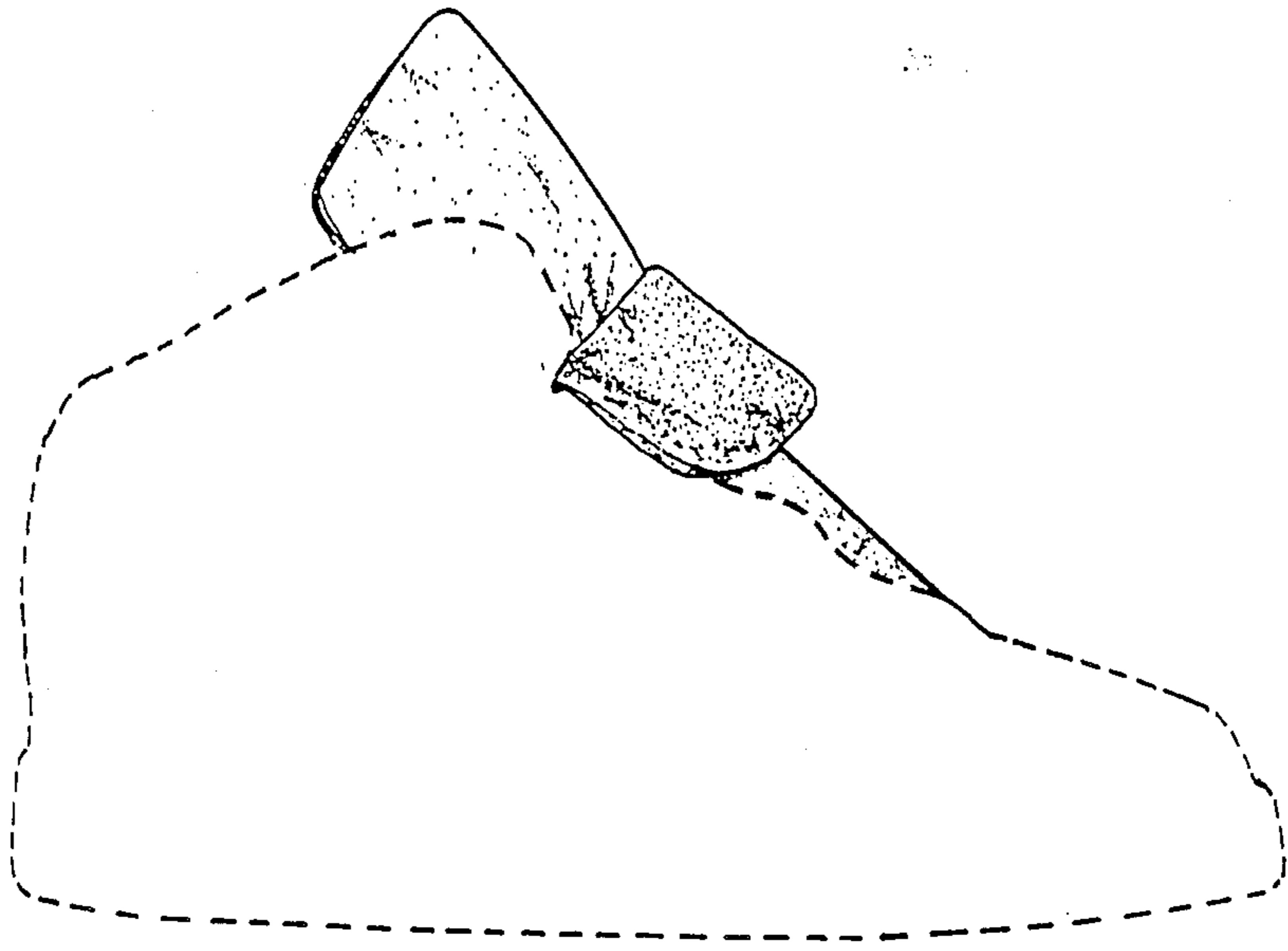


FIG. 1

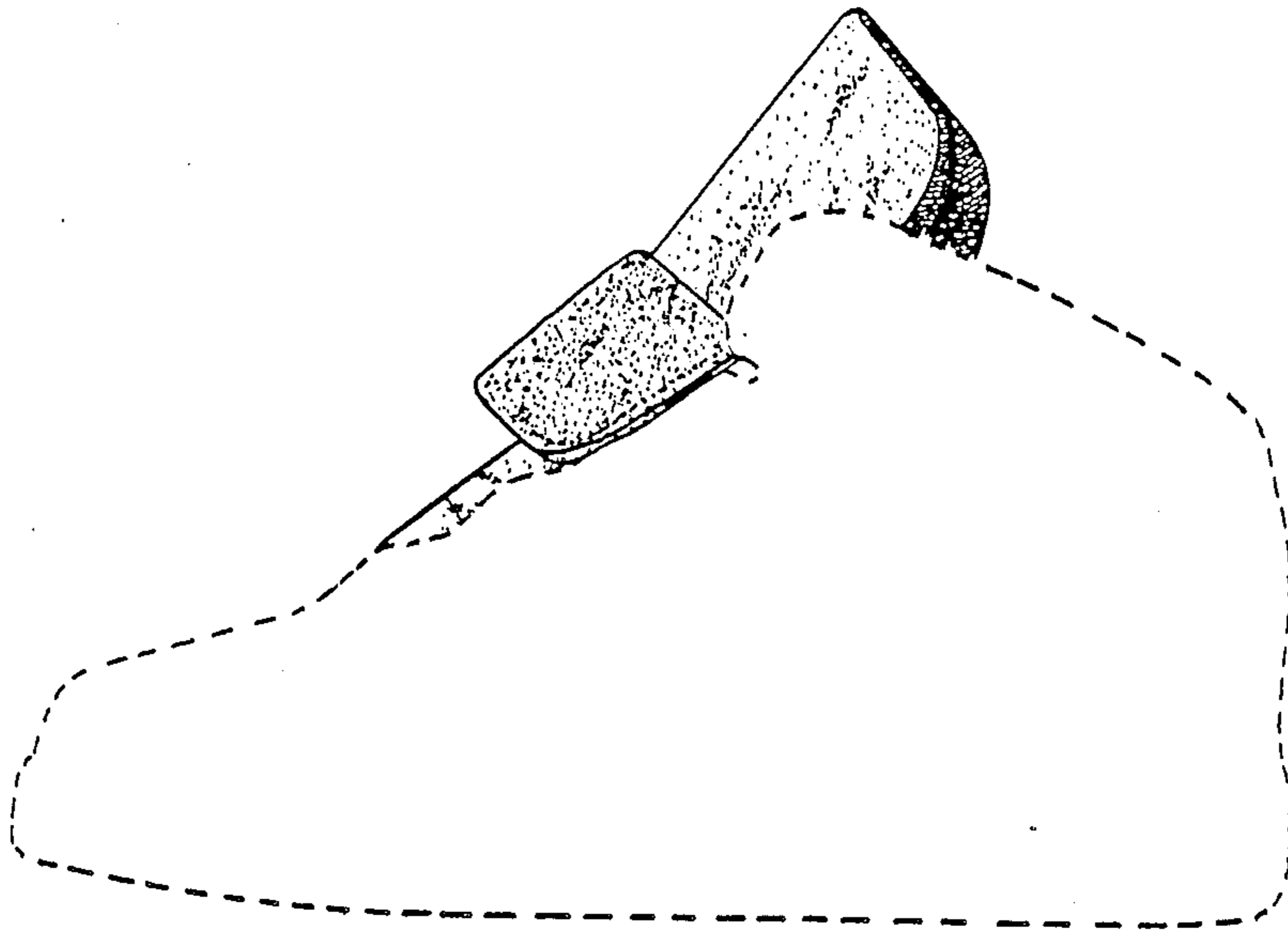


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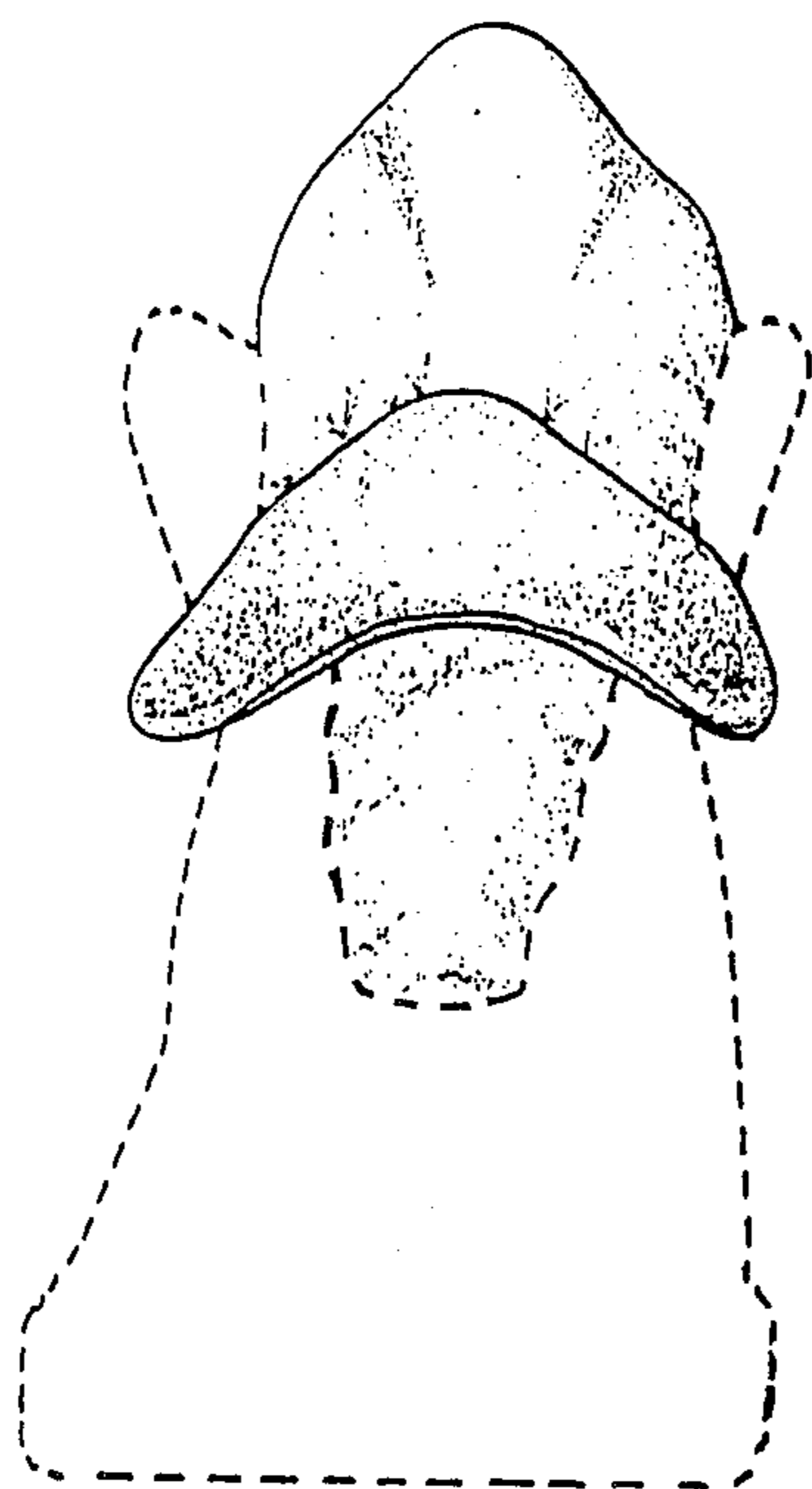


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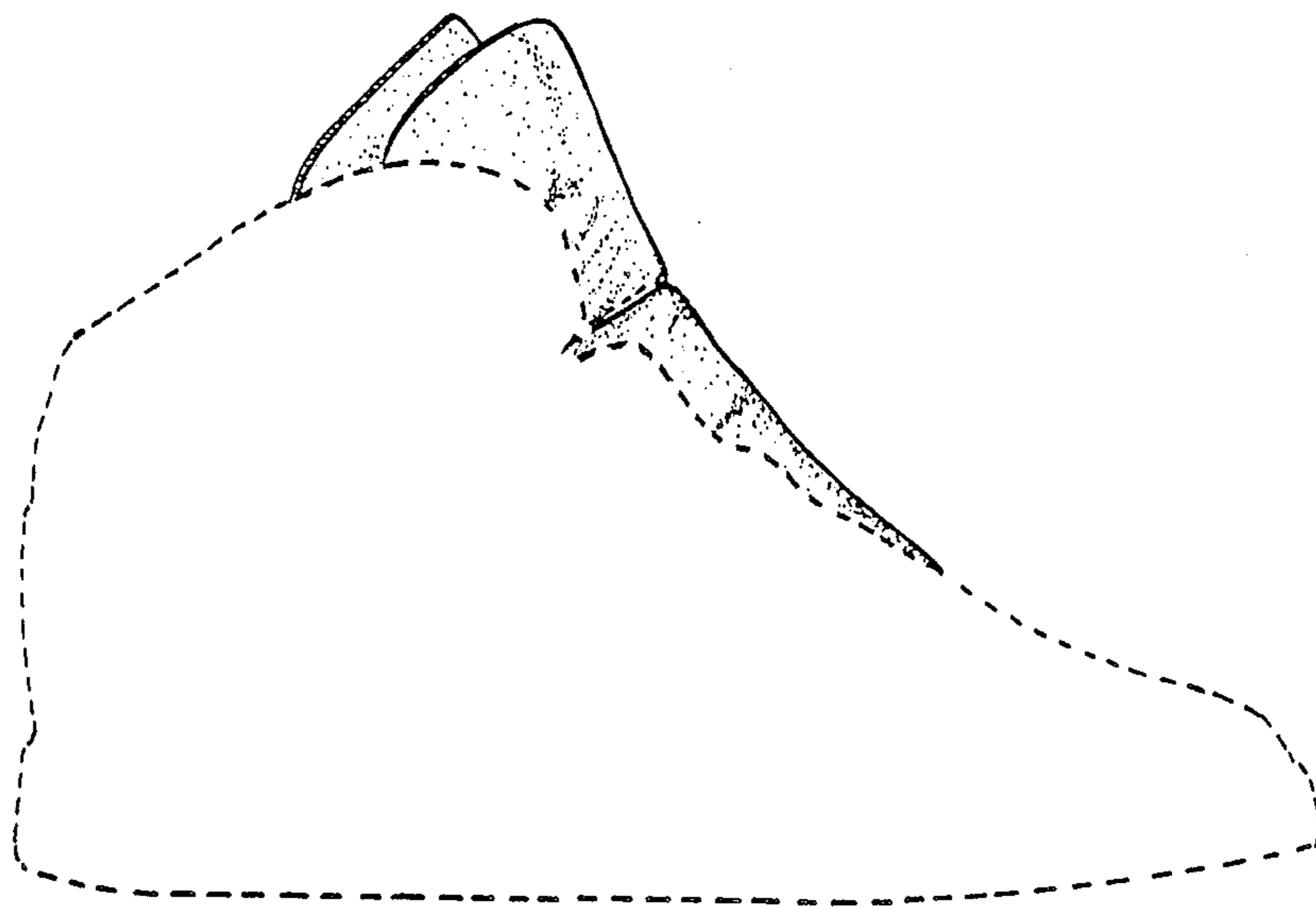


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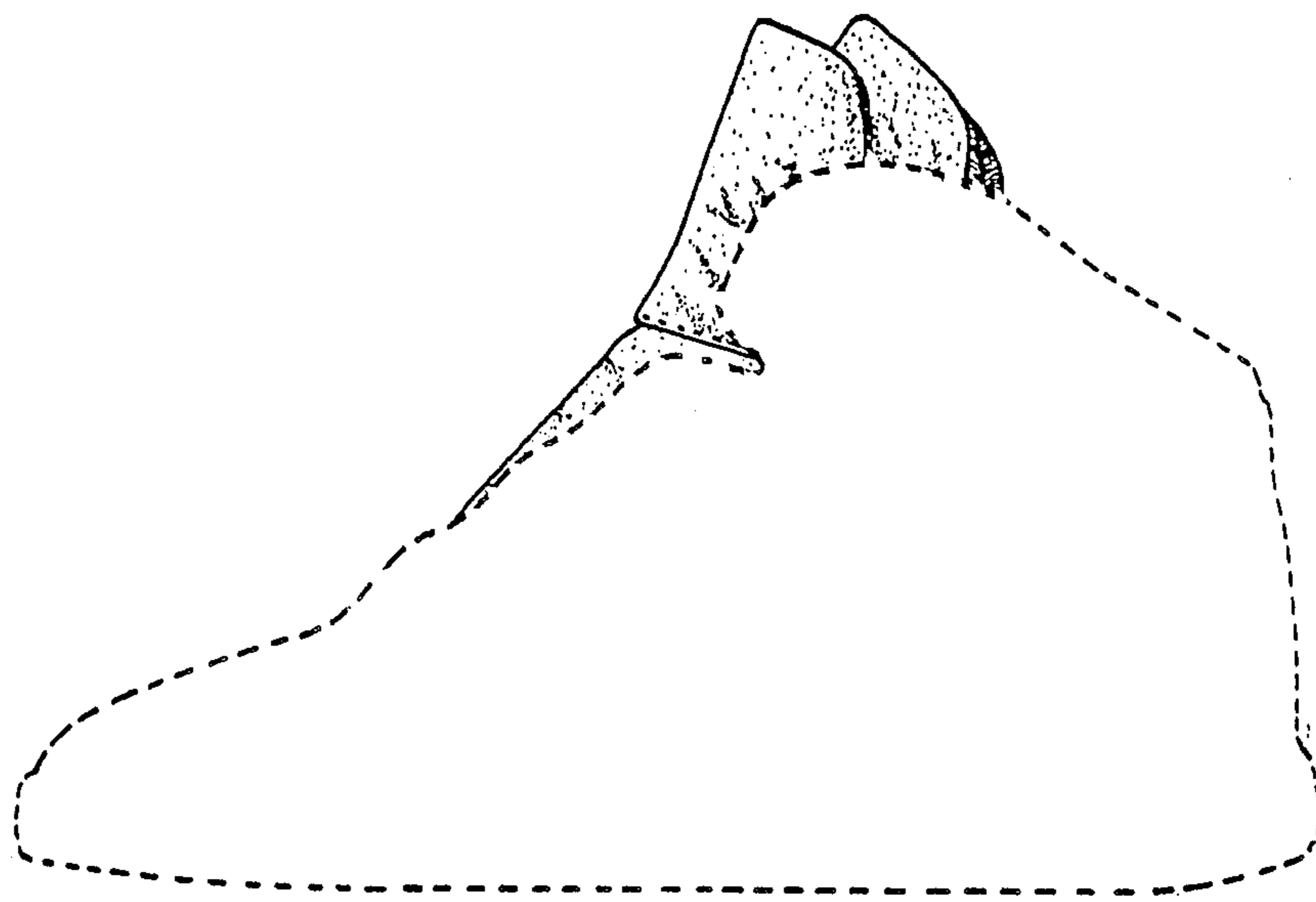


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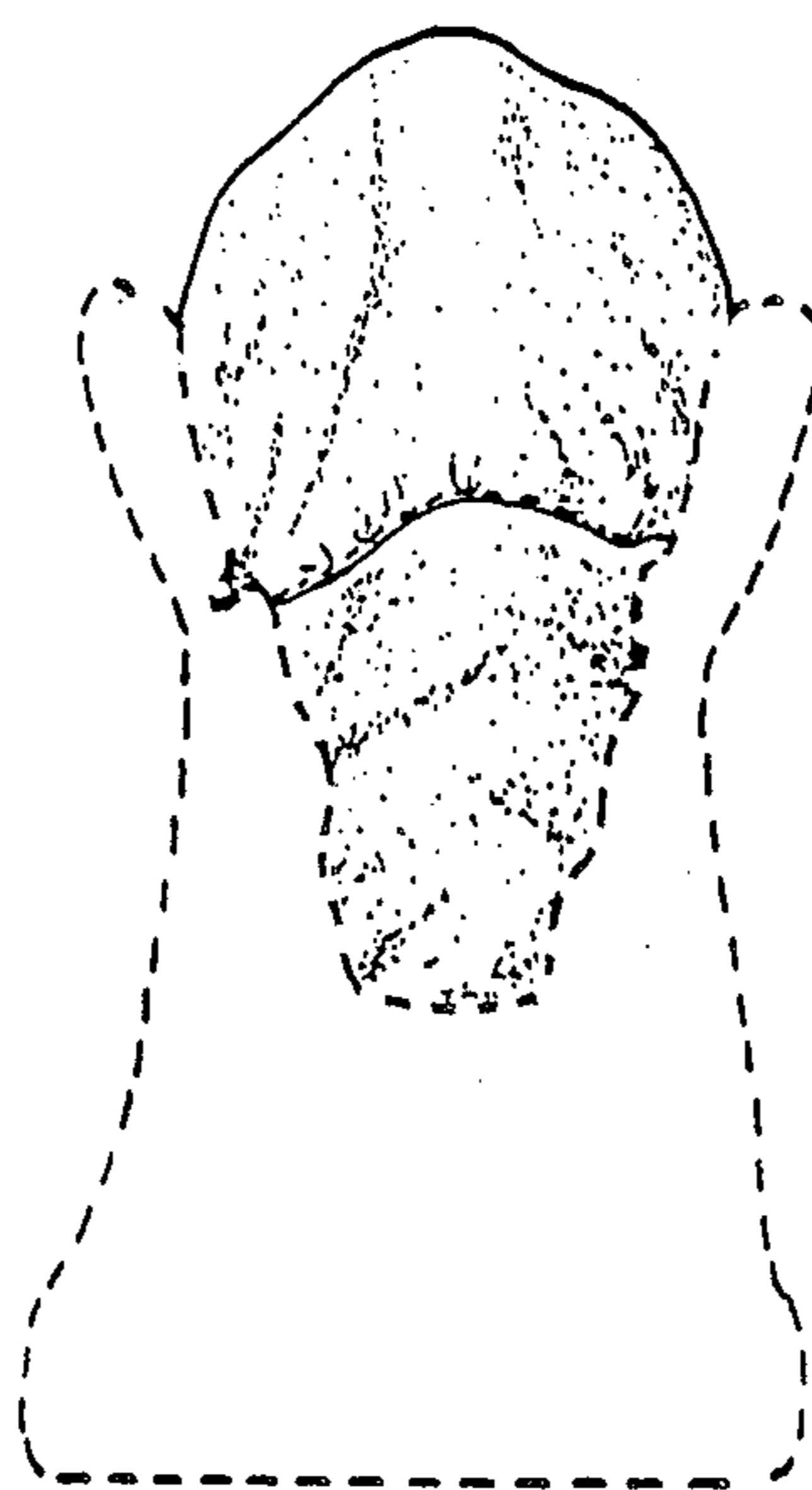


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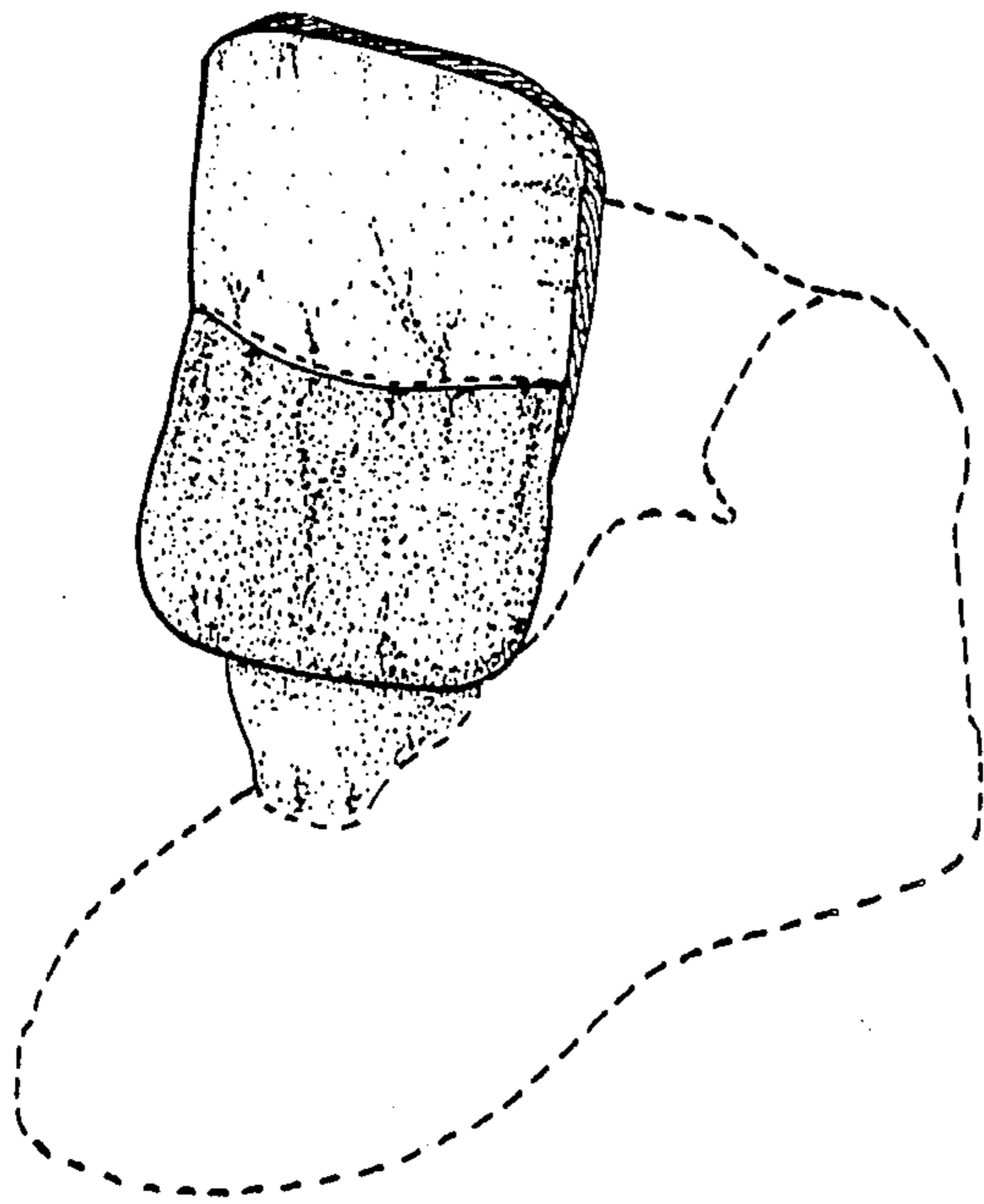


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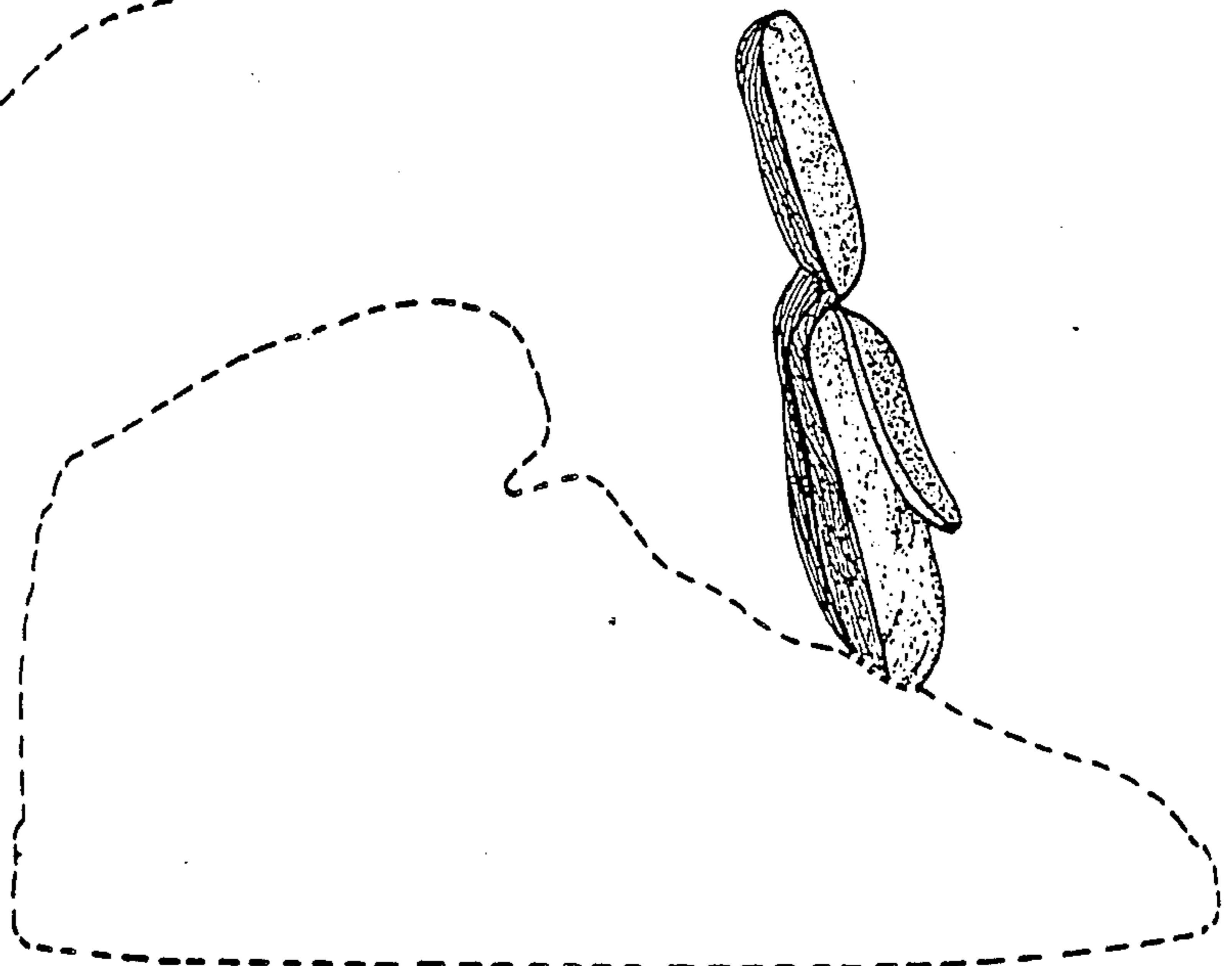


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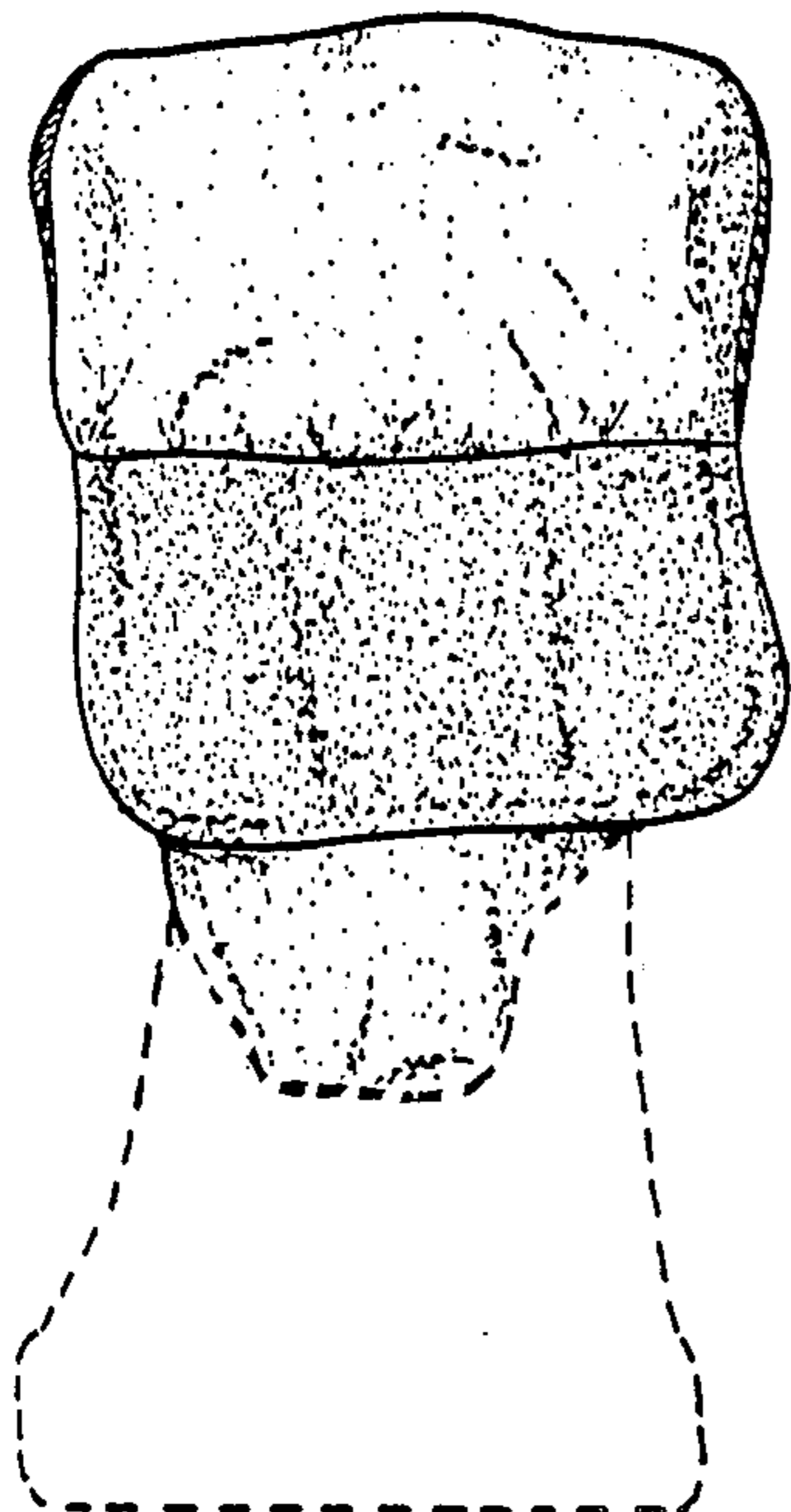


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FIG. 10

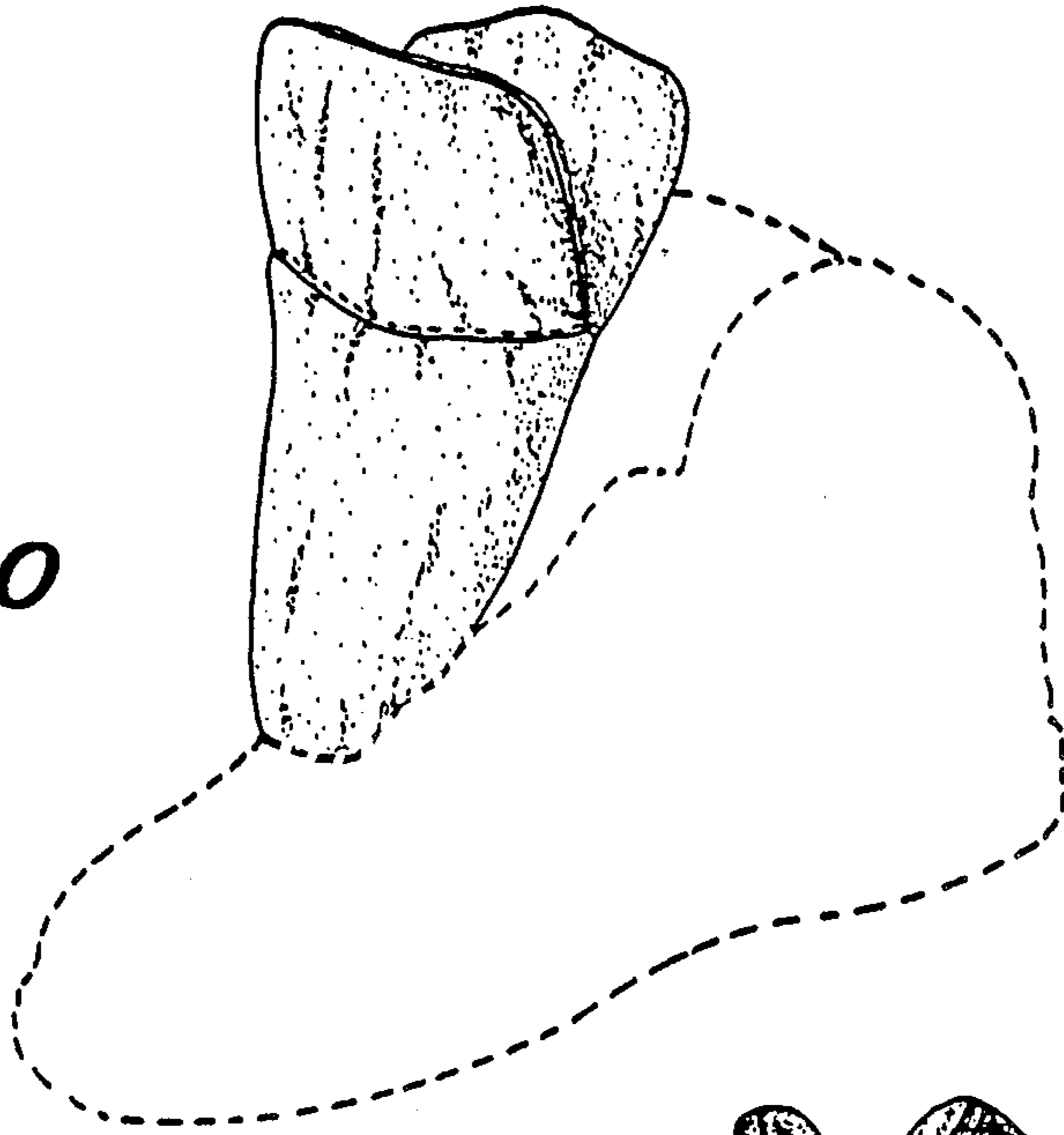


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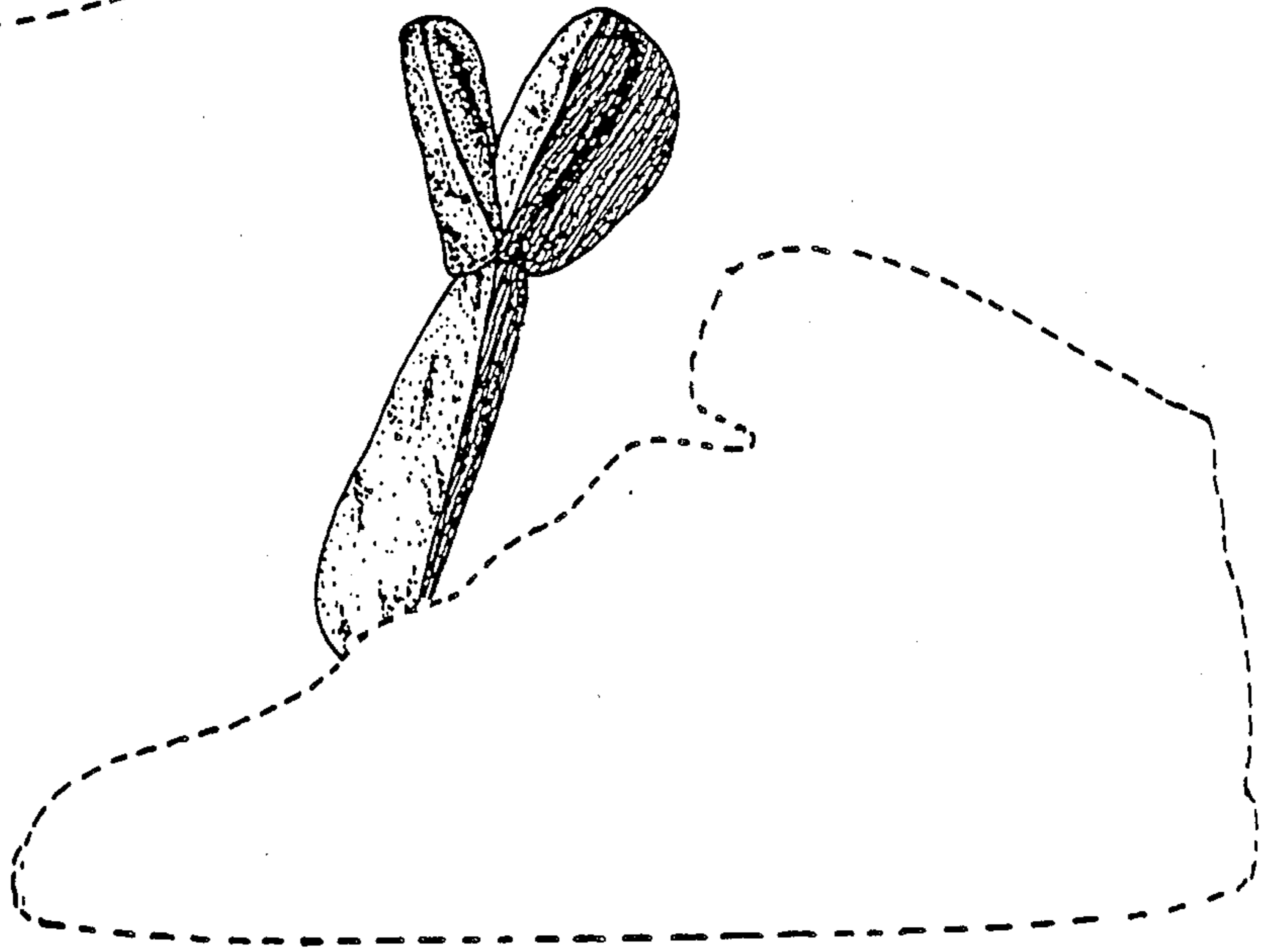


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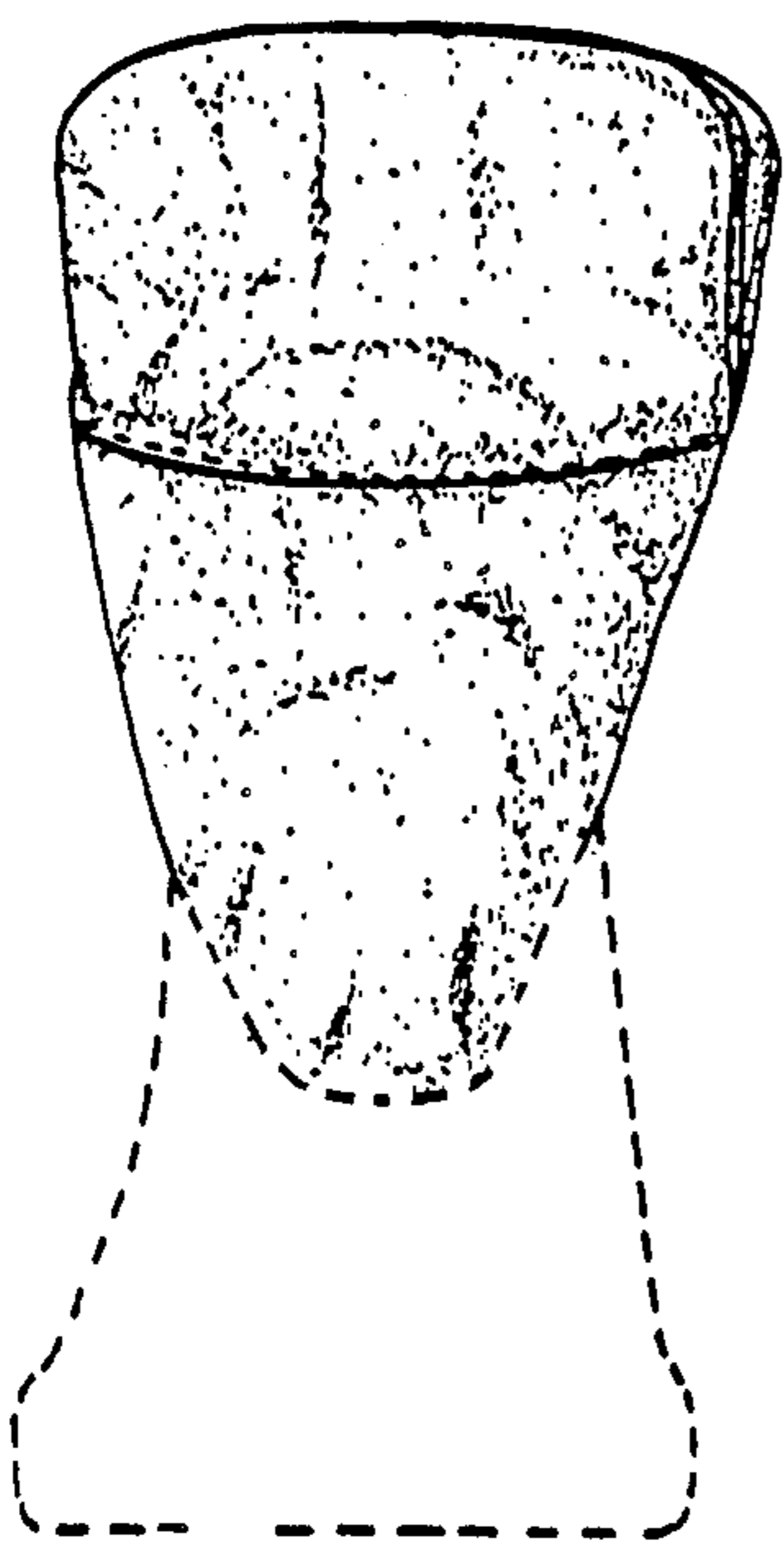
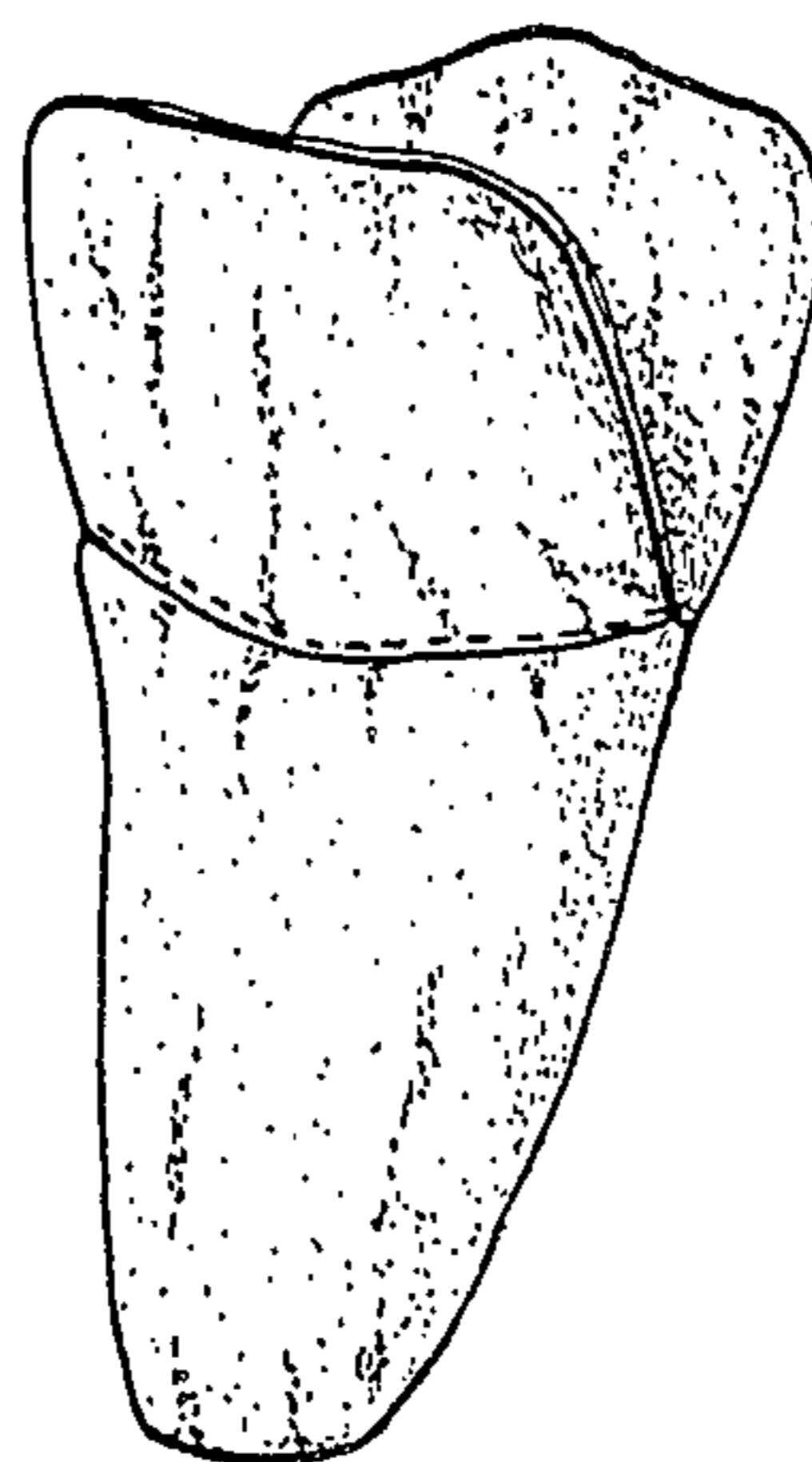


FIG. 13



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