

[54] TIRE

[75] Inventor: Roger C. Cottrell, Greenville, S.C.
[73] Assignee: Michelin Recherche et Technique,
Fribourg, Switzerland
[**] Term: 14 Years
[21] Appl. No.: 236,623
[22] Filed: Aug. 24, 1988
[52] U.S. Cl. D12/143
[58] Field of Search D12/141-143;
152/209 R, 209 D

[56] References Cited
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS
D. 228,889 10/1973 Boileau D12/142
D. 251,187 2/1979 Mirtain et al. D12/143
D. 261,380 10/1981 Amarger D12/143
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS
988326 7/1979 United Kingdom .

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

1987 Tread Design Guide, p. 174, Firestone UT-2000
Tire, third row down from top, right side of page.
1987 Tread Design Guide, p. 269, Oliver Spread Axle
Tire Tread, top left side of page.
Tire Design Guide, 1988, p. 135 XZA Tire.
Tire Design Guide, 1987, p. 185, XZU Pilote Tire.

Primary Examiner—James M. Gandy
Attorney, Agent, or Firm—Finnegan, Henderson,
Farabow, Garrett & Dunner

[57] CLAIM
The ornamental design for a tire, as shown and de-
scribed.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tire showing my new
design, it being understood that the tread pattern is
repeated throughout the circumference of the tire, as
shown schematically by solid lines, the opposite side
being substantially the same as that illustrated;
FIG. 2 is an enlarged fragmentary end elevation view
thereof.

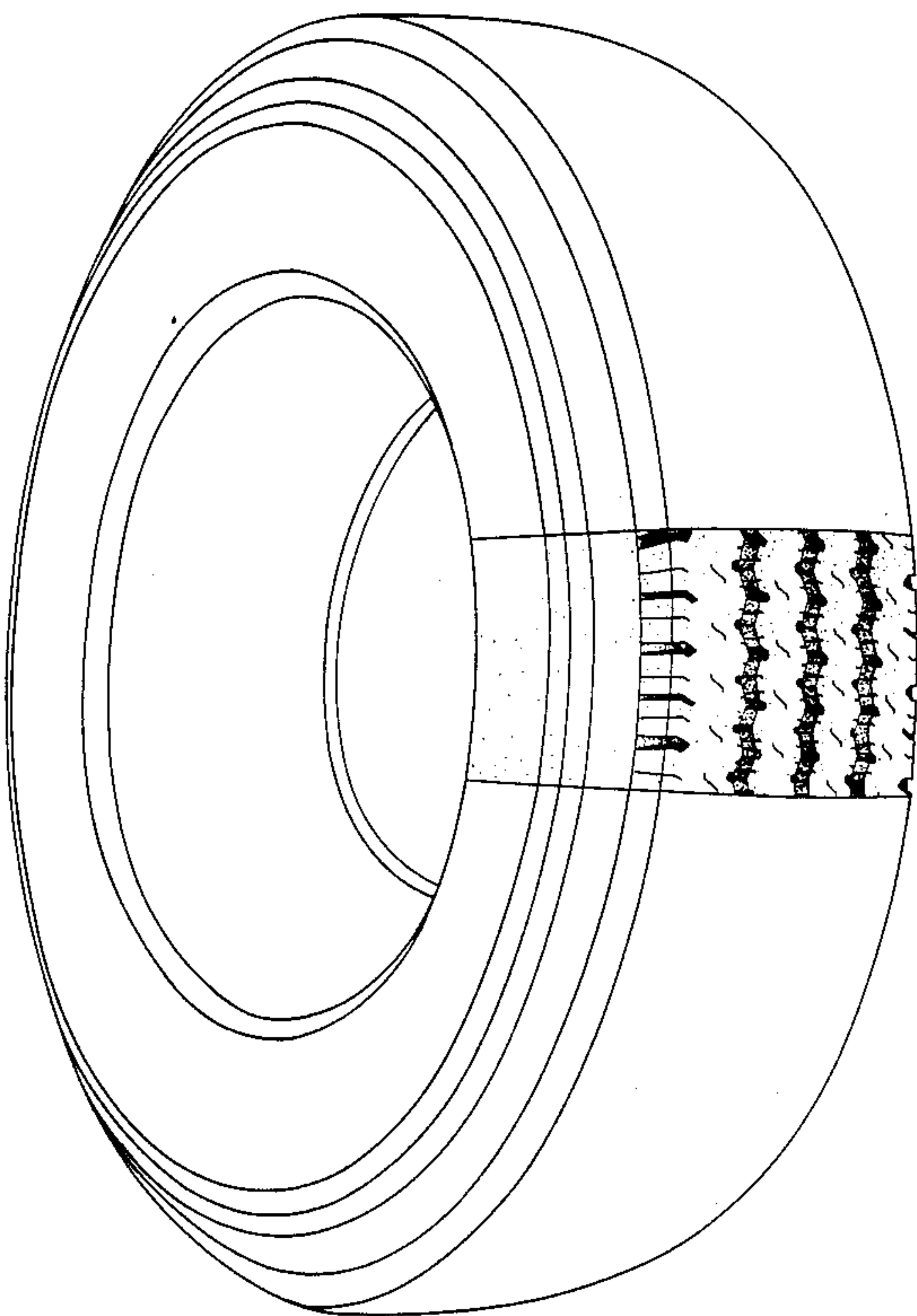


FIG. 1.

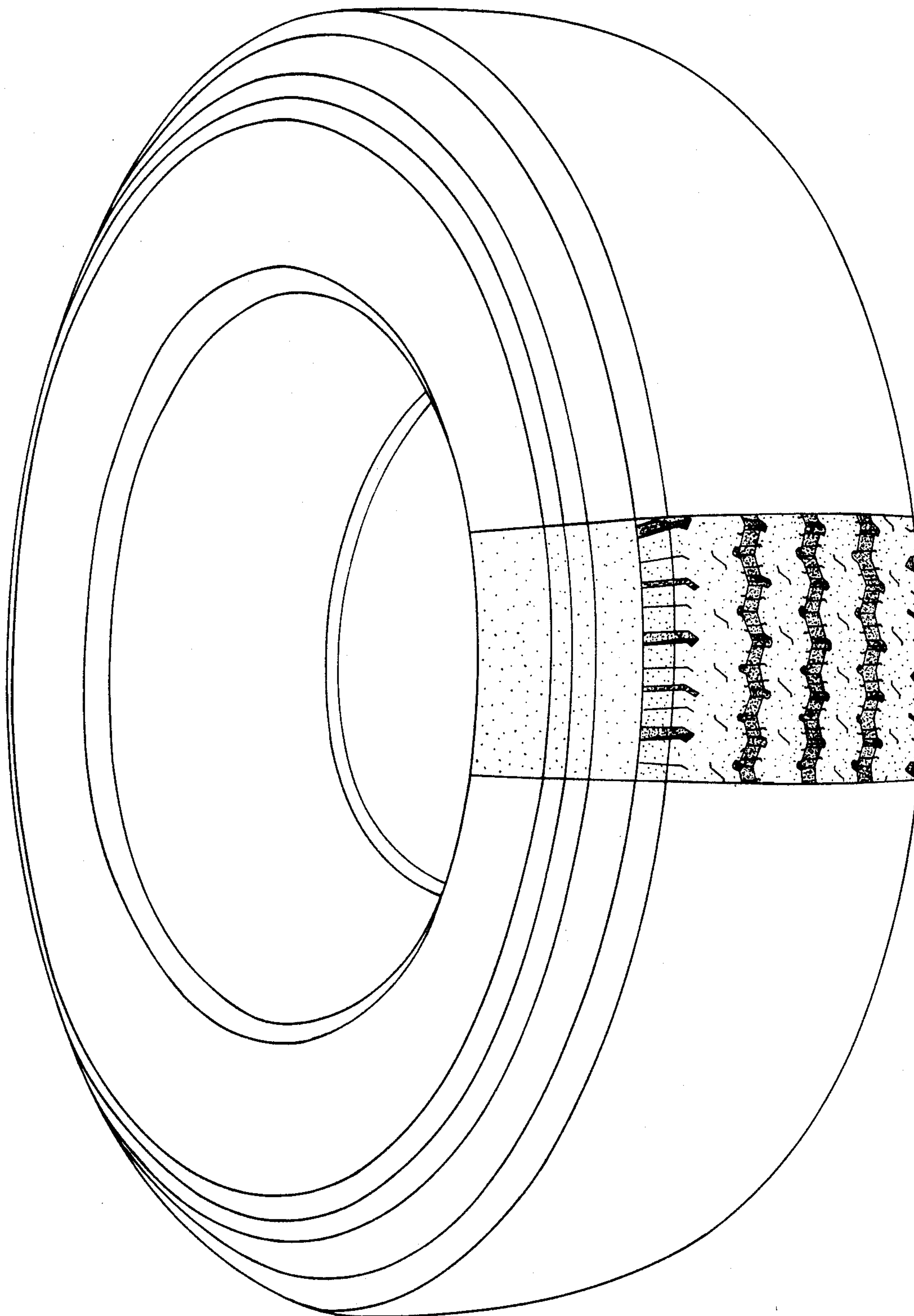


FIG. 2.