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[54] **SPLASH PROOF VENTED LID**

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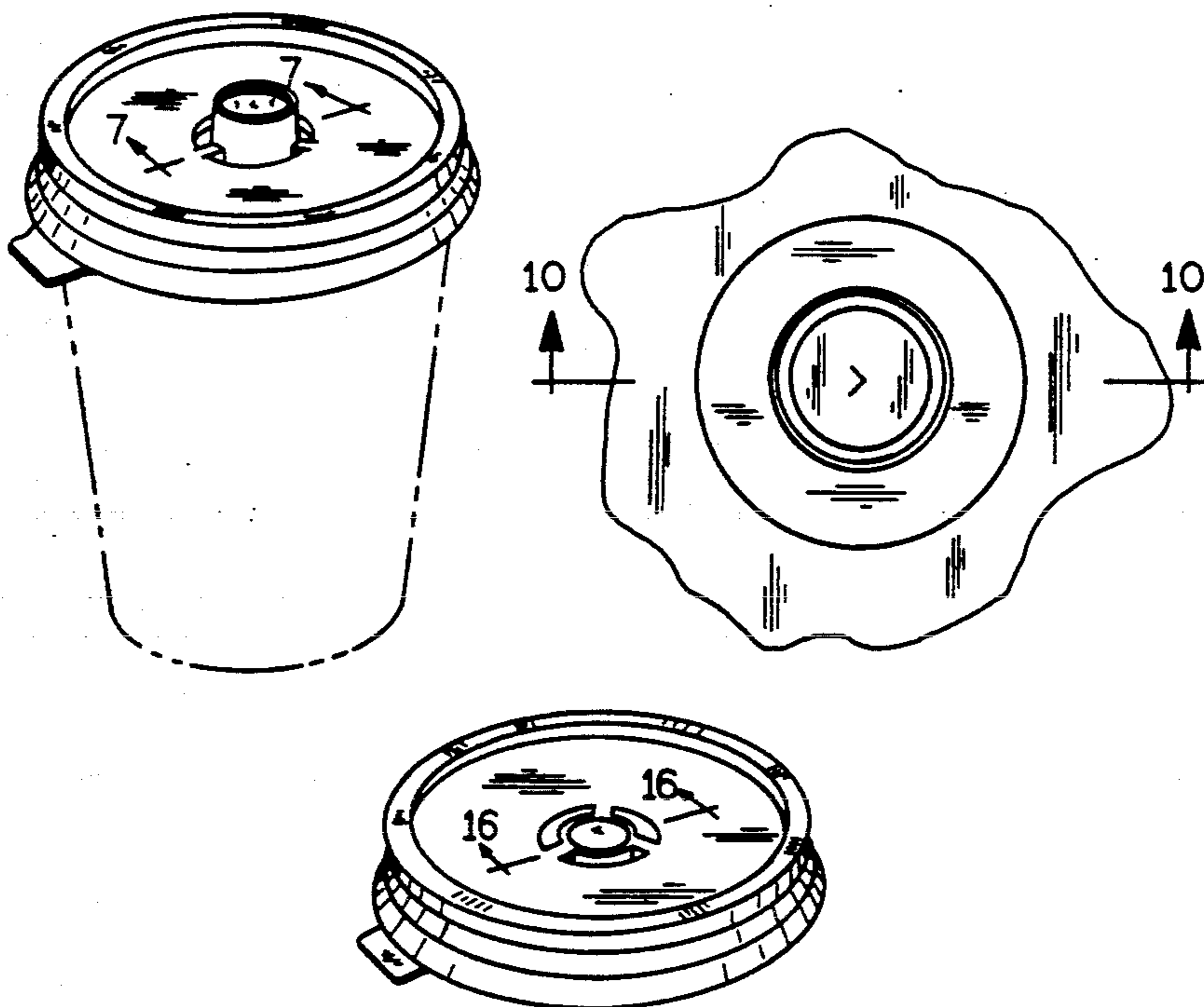
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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a splash proof vented lid, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a splash proof vented lid showing our new design;  
 FIG. 2 is a bottom perspective view thereof;  
 FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof;  
 FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;  
 FIG. 5 is a side elevational view thereof;  
 FIG. 6 is an enlarged sectional view taken on the line 6—6 of FIG. 4;  
 FIG. 7 is an enlarged partial sectional view taken in the direction of the arrows along line 7—7 in FIG. 1;  
 FIG. 8 is an enlarged partial top plan view of a second embodiment of FIG. 1, shown broken away for clarity of illustration;  
 FIG. 9 is an enlarged partial bottom plan view of FIG. 8;  
 FIG. 10 is an enlarged partial sectional view of FIG. 8, taken in the direction of the arrows along line 10—10 of FIG. 8;  
 FIG. 11 is a top perspective view of a third embodiment of FIG. 1;  
 FIG. 12 is a bottom perspective view of FIG. 11;  
 FIG. 13 is a top plan view of FIG. 11;  
 FIG. 14 is a side elevational view of FIG. 11;  
 FIG. 15 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 11; and  
 FIG. 16 is an enlarged partial cross sectional view of FIG. 11, taken in the direction of the arrows along line 16—16 of FIG. 11.  
 The broken lines showing a container in FIG. 1 are for illustrating environmental use only.



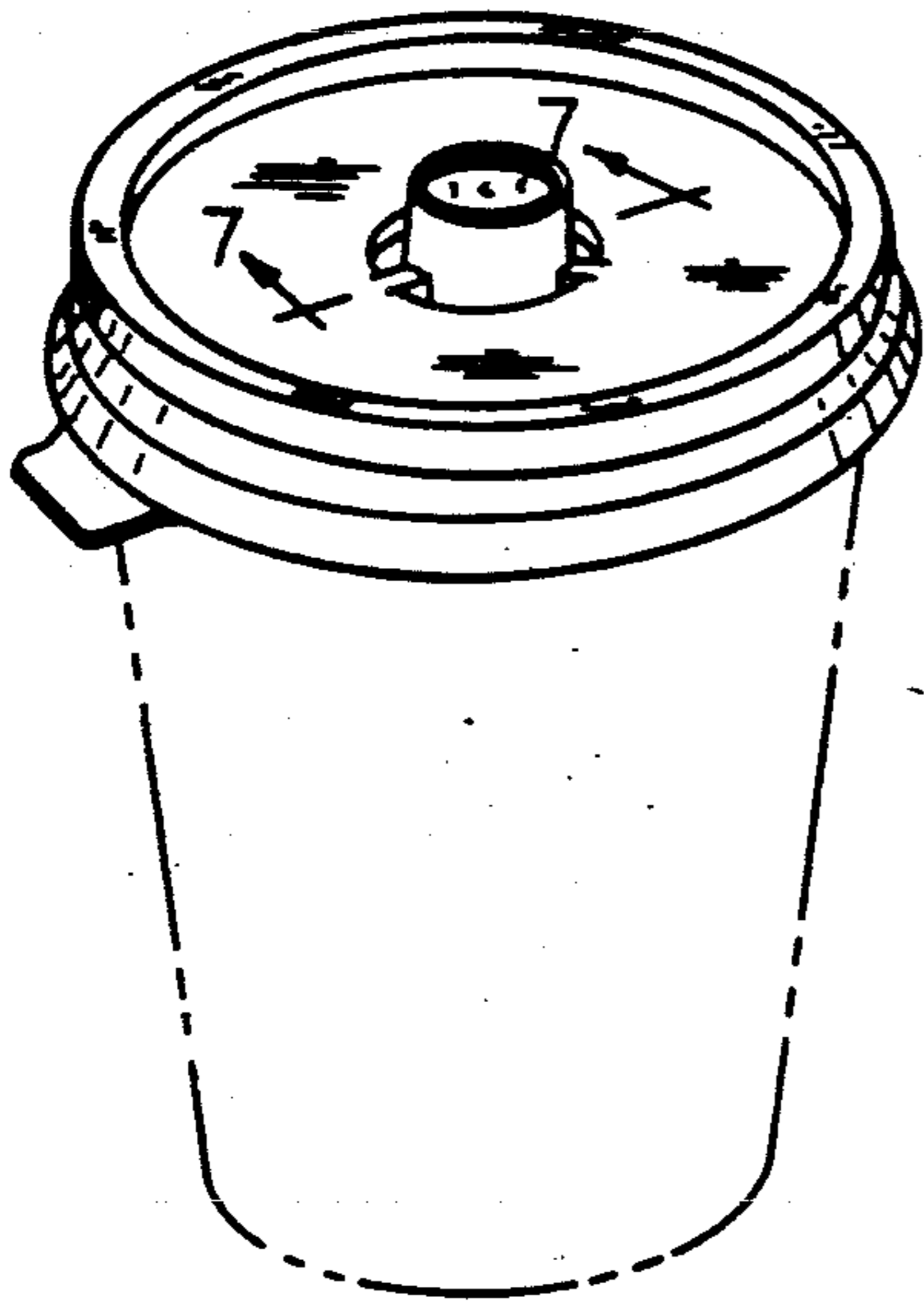


FIG. 1

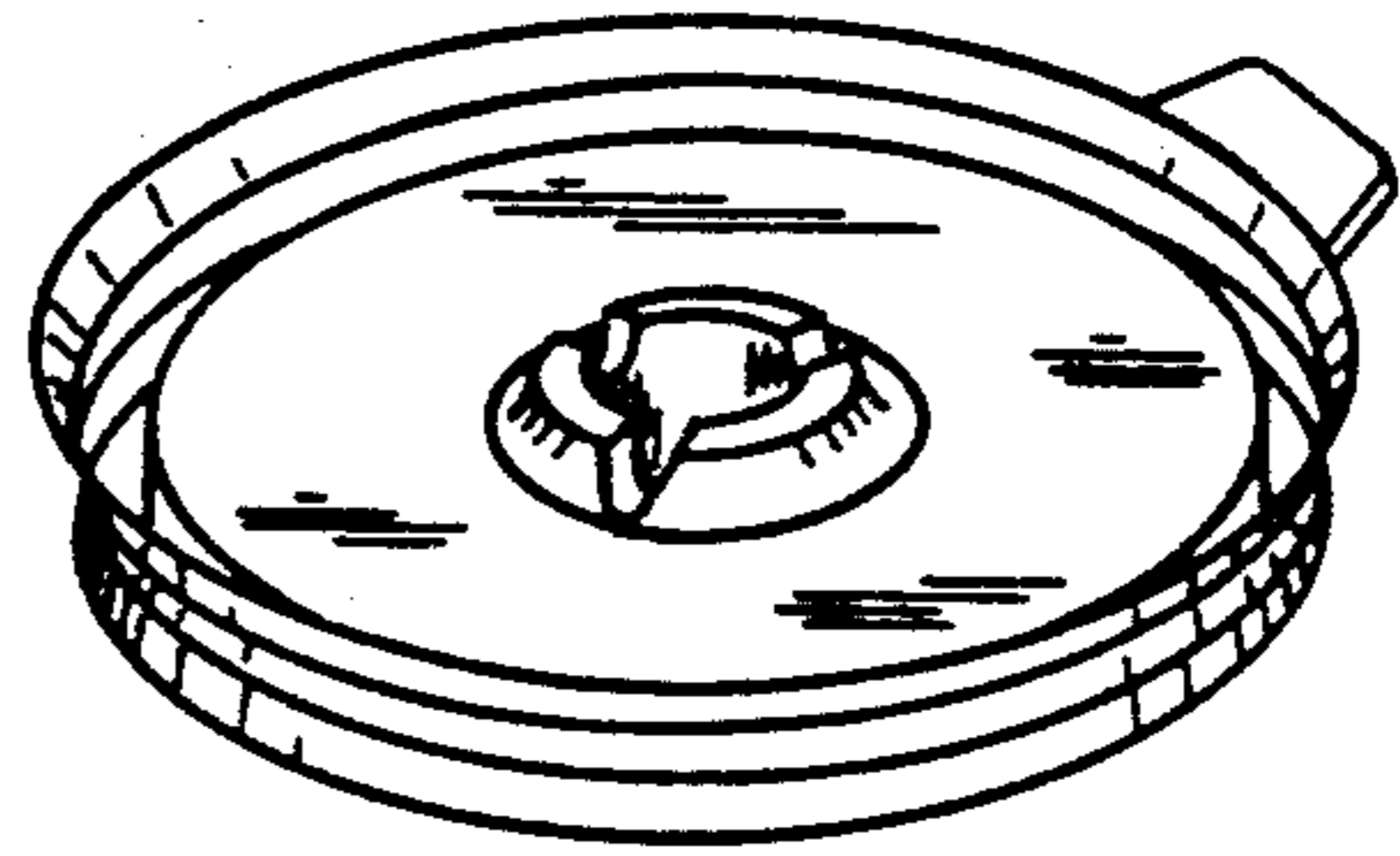


FIG. 2

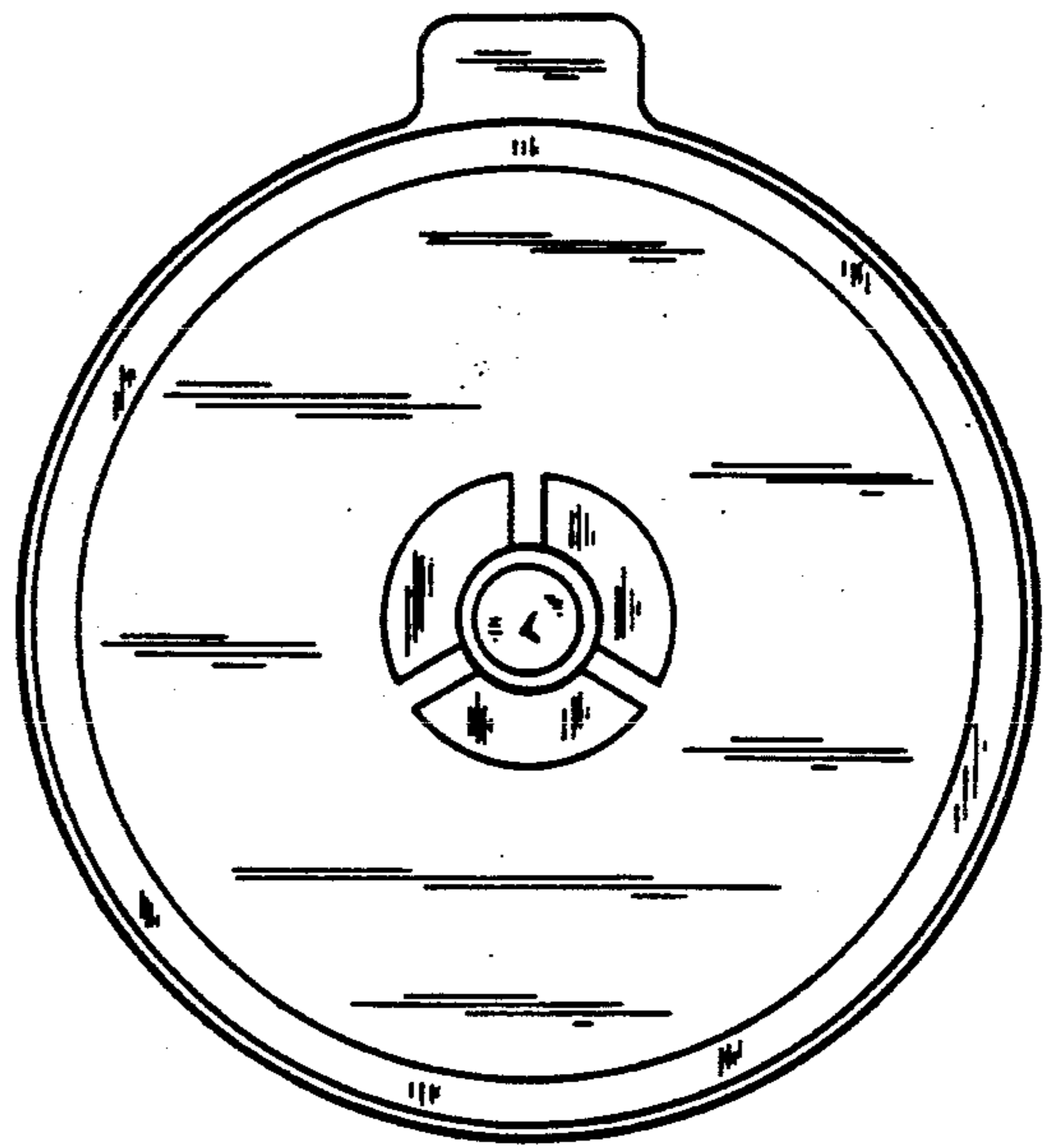


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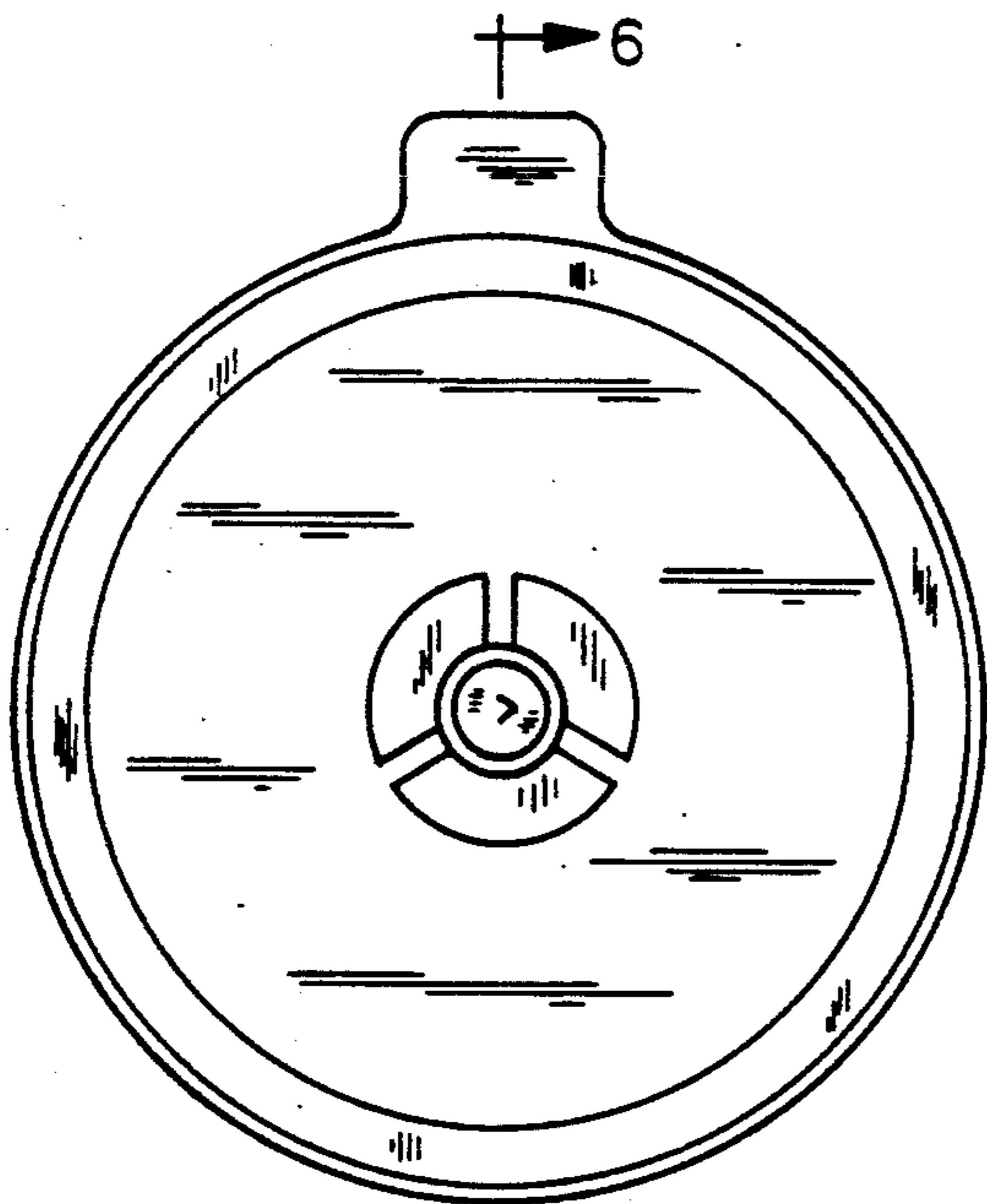


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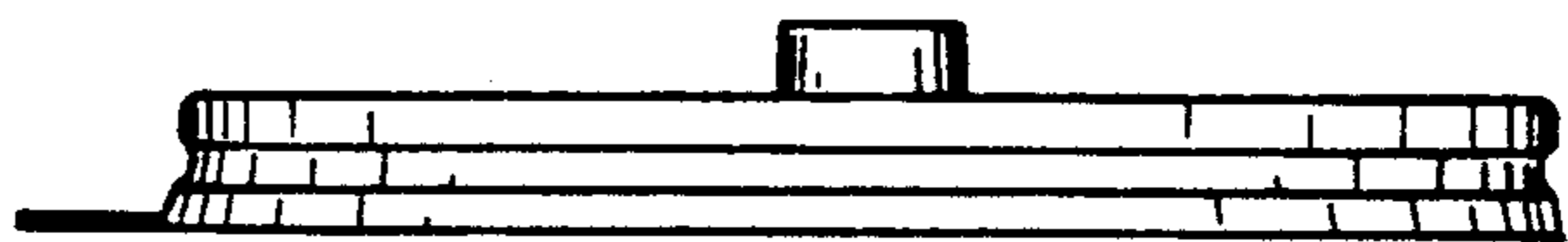
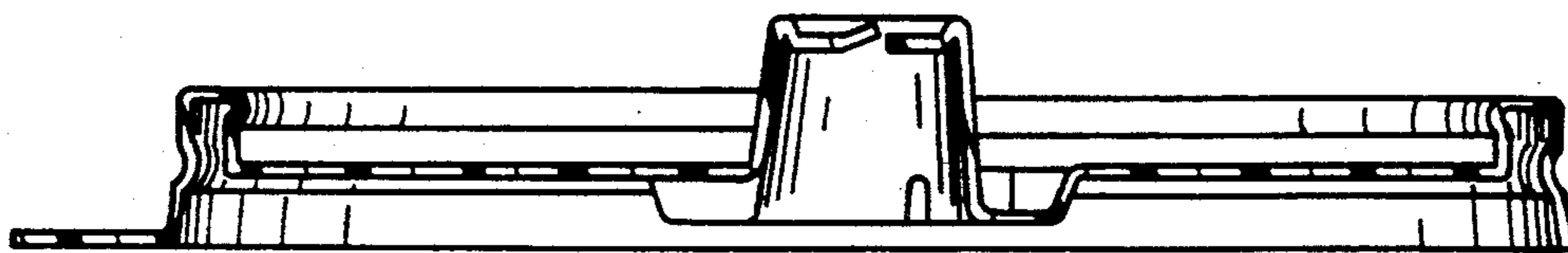
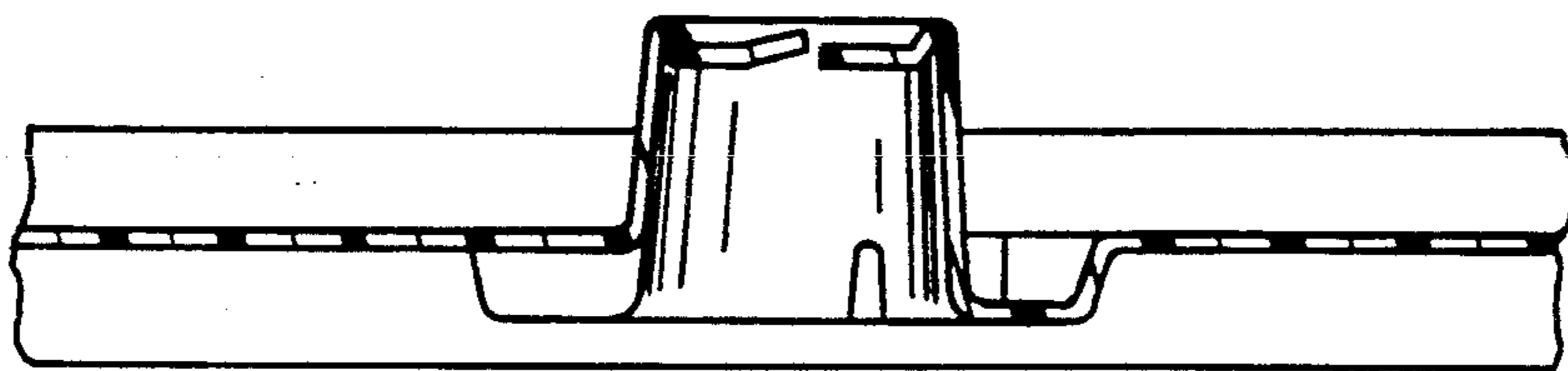


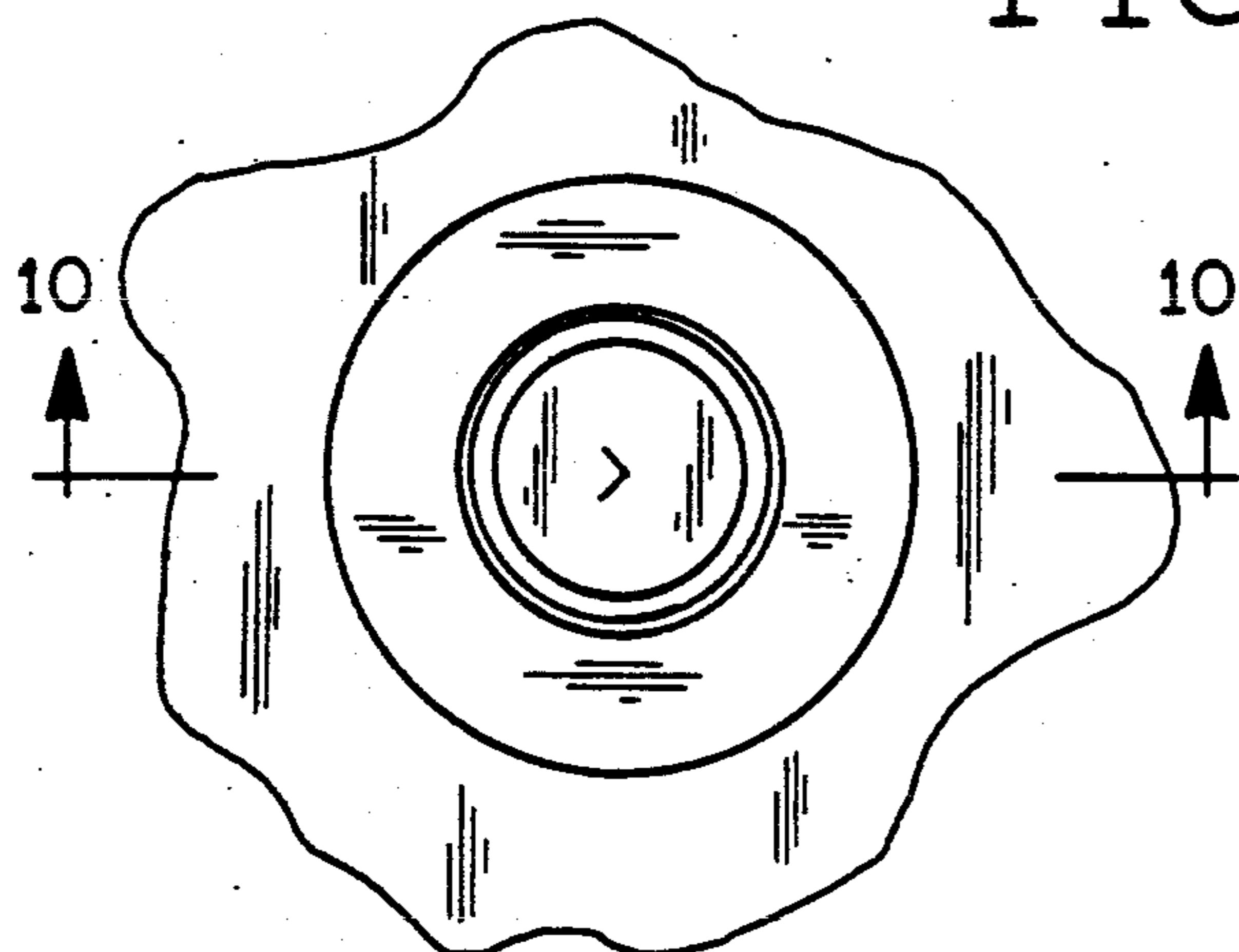
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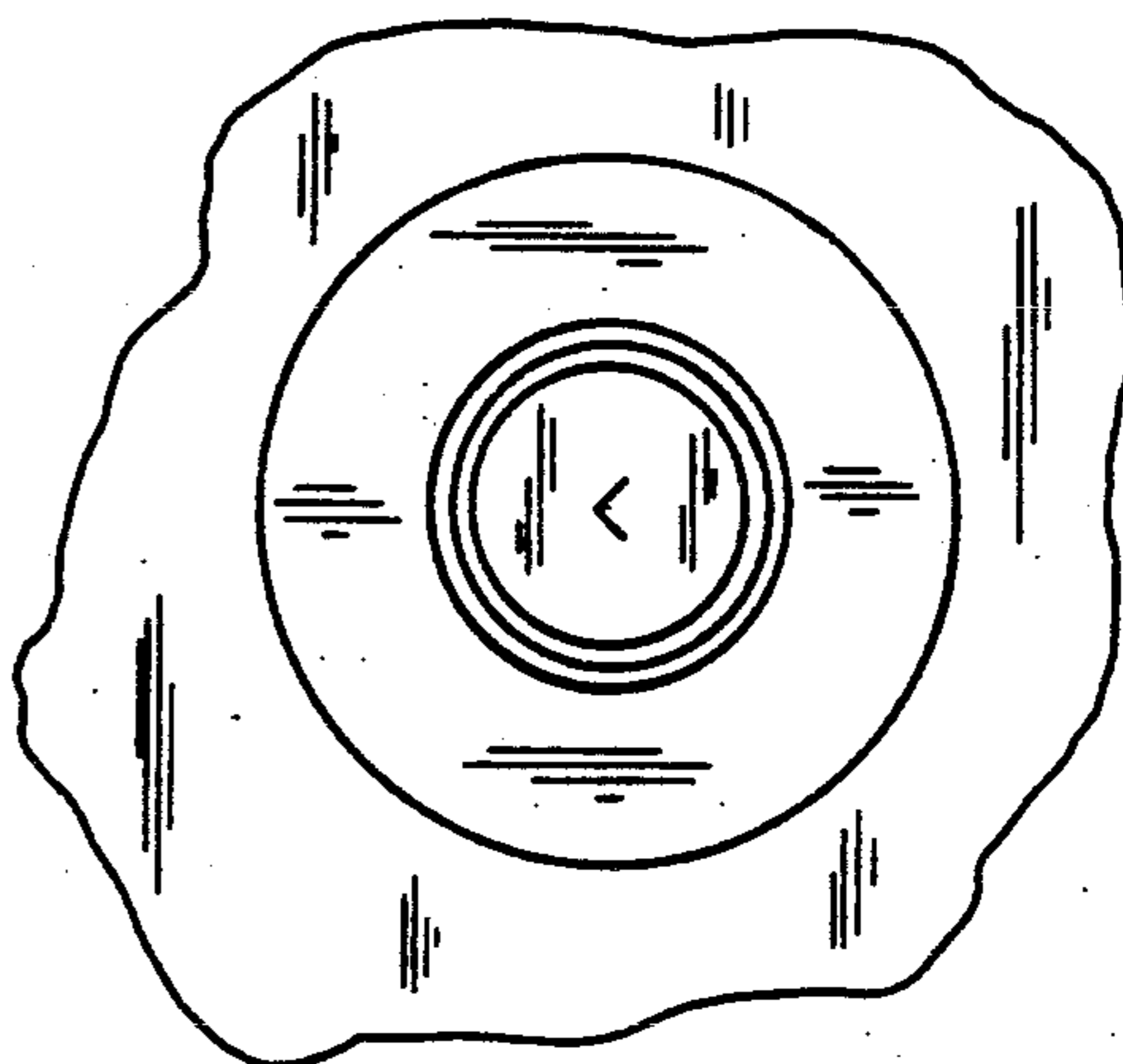
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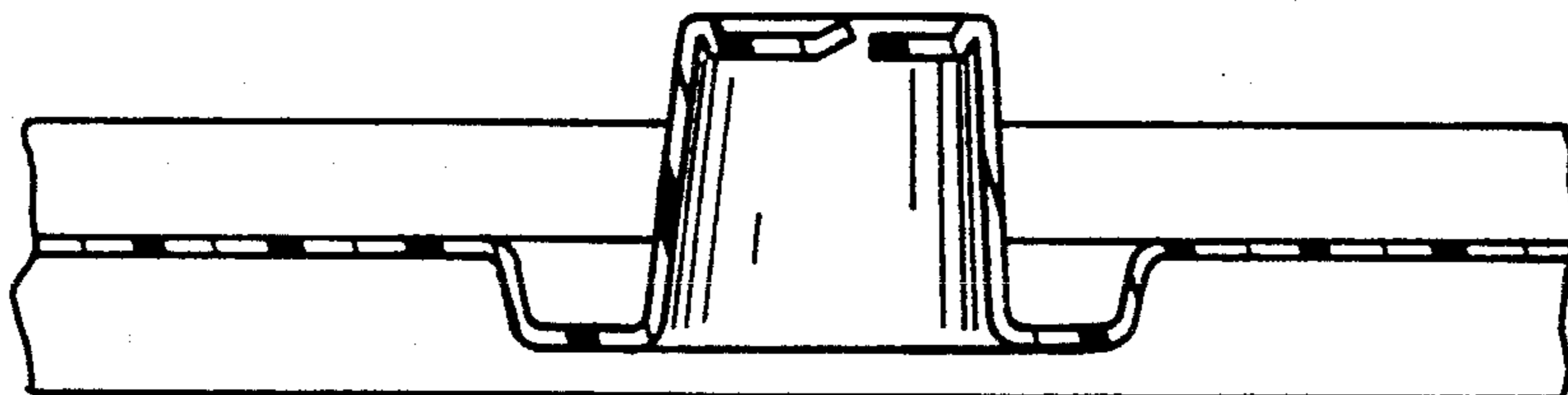
—FIG. 7



—FIG. 8



—FIG. 9



—FIG. 10



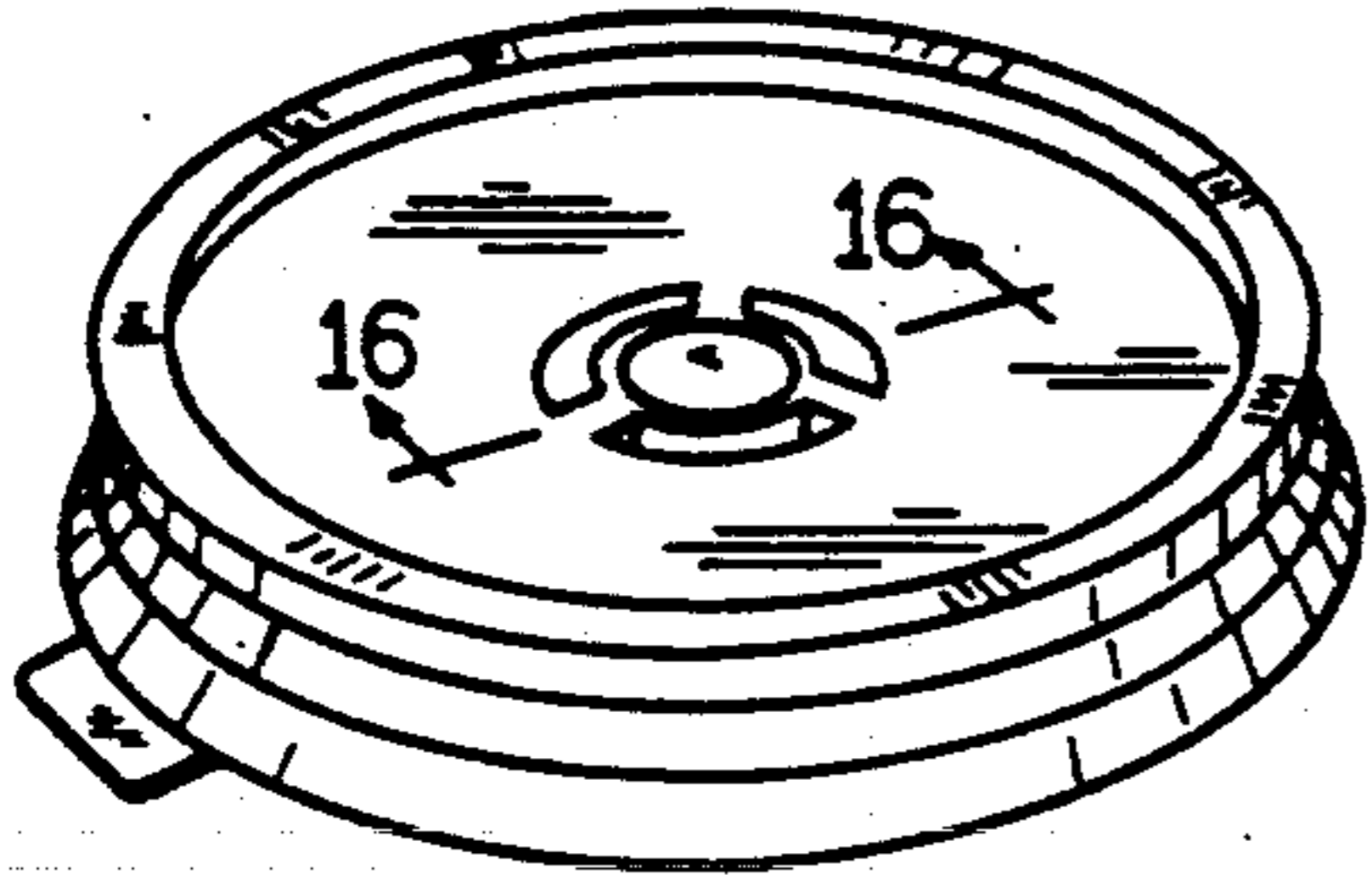


FIG. 11

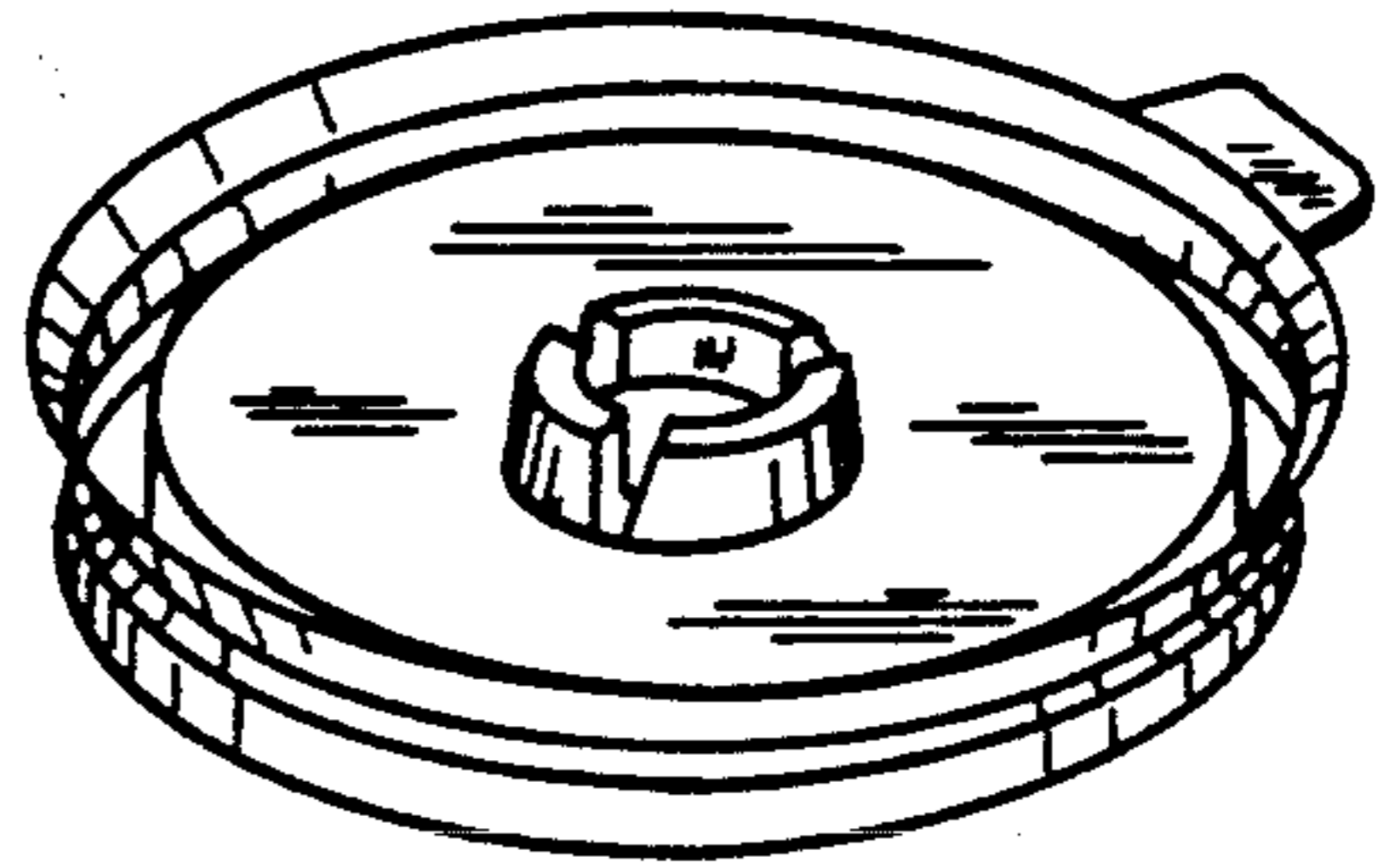


FIG. 12

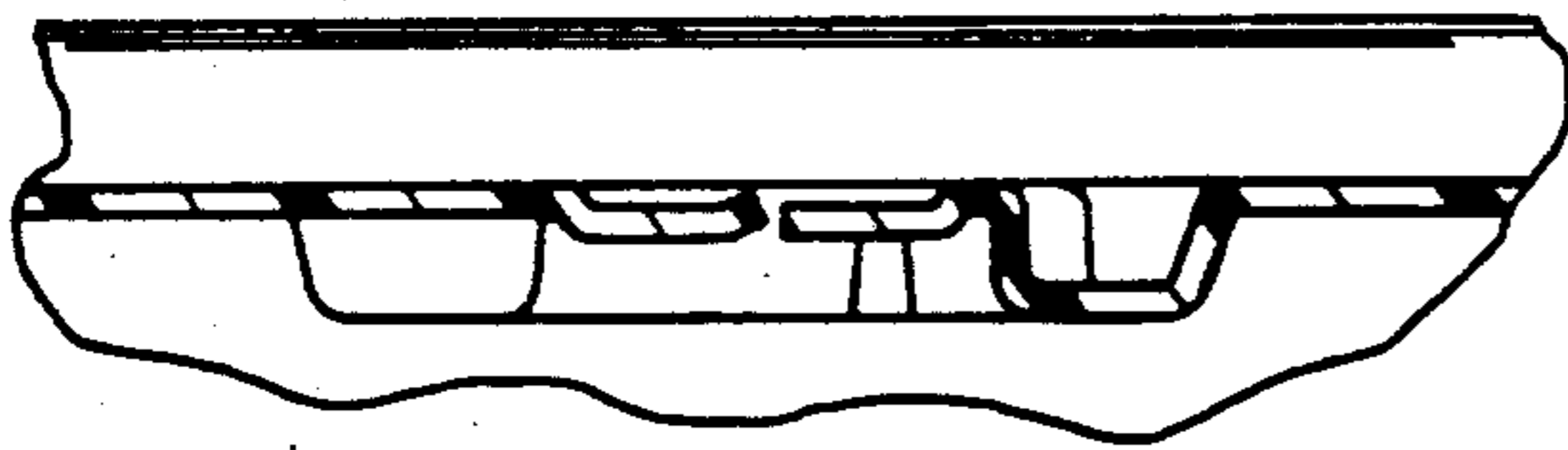


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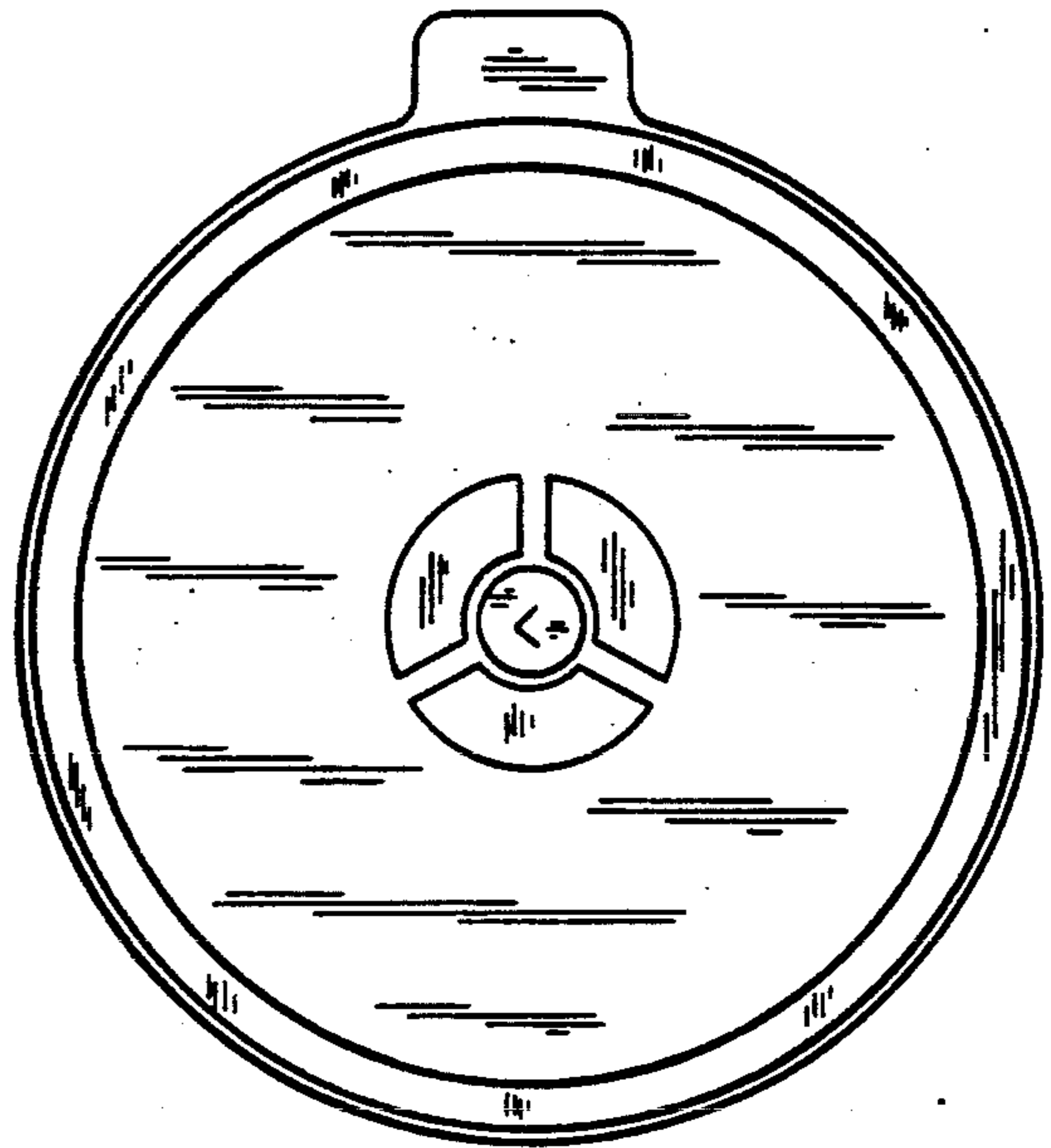


FIG. 13

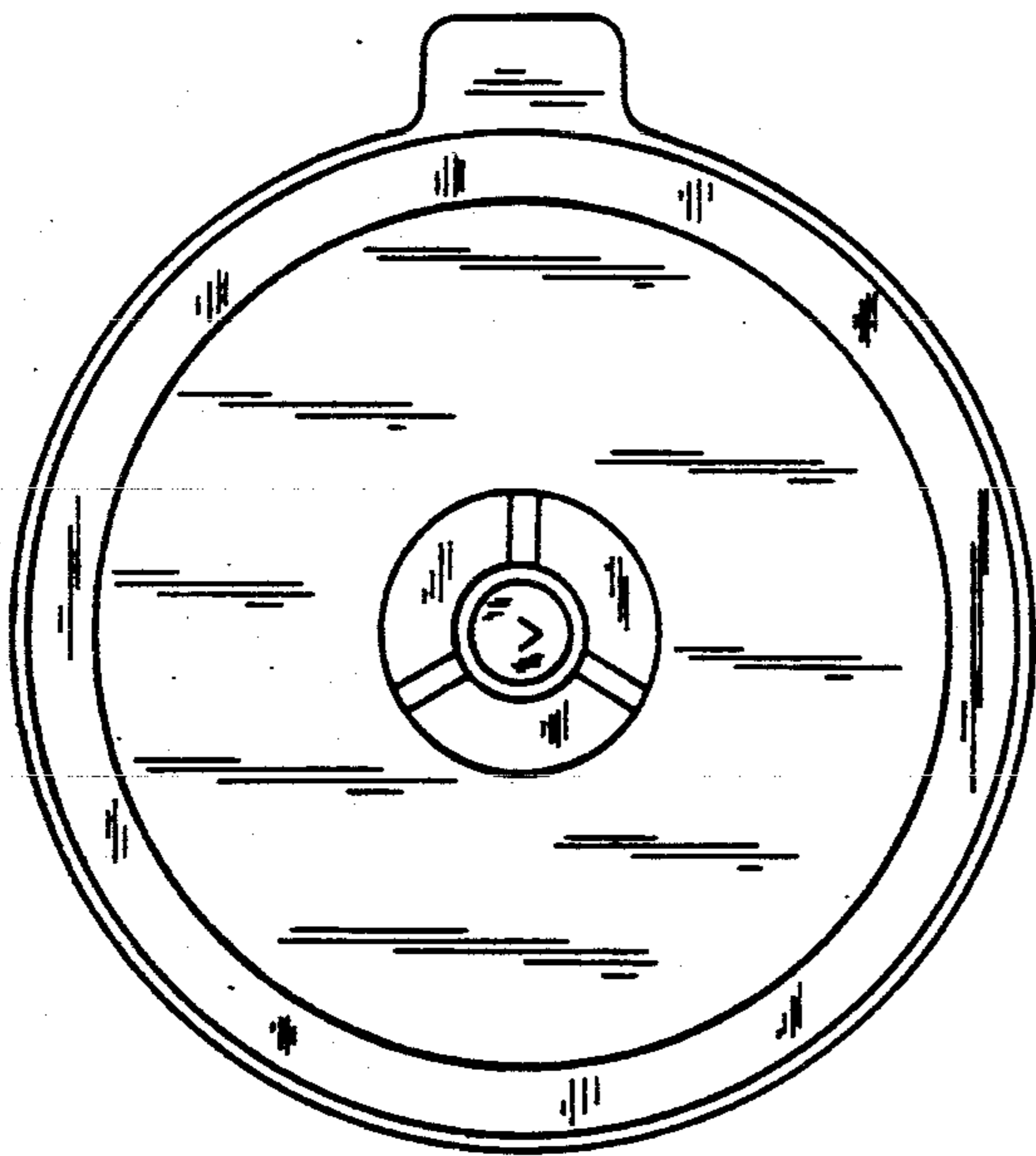


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FIG. 14

