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[54] TACO SHELL

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### [57] CLAIM

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The ornamental design for a taco shell, as shown and described.

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### DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a top perspective view of a taco showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a side elevational view thereof, the undisclosed side being a mirror image;

FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 4 is an end elevational view thereof, the undisclosed end being a mirror image; and,

FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof.

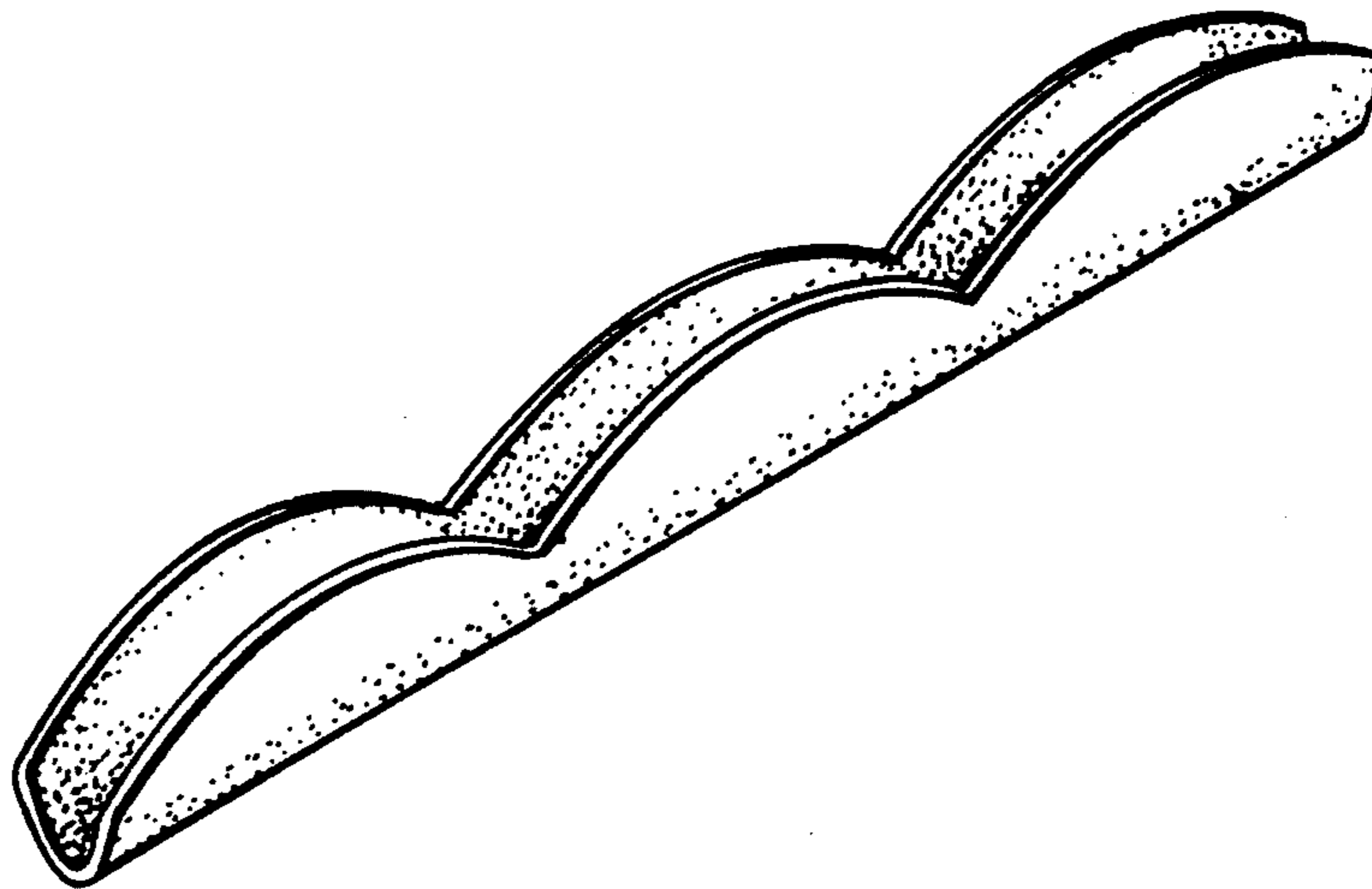


FIG. 1

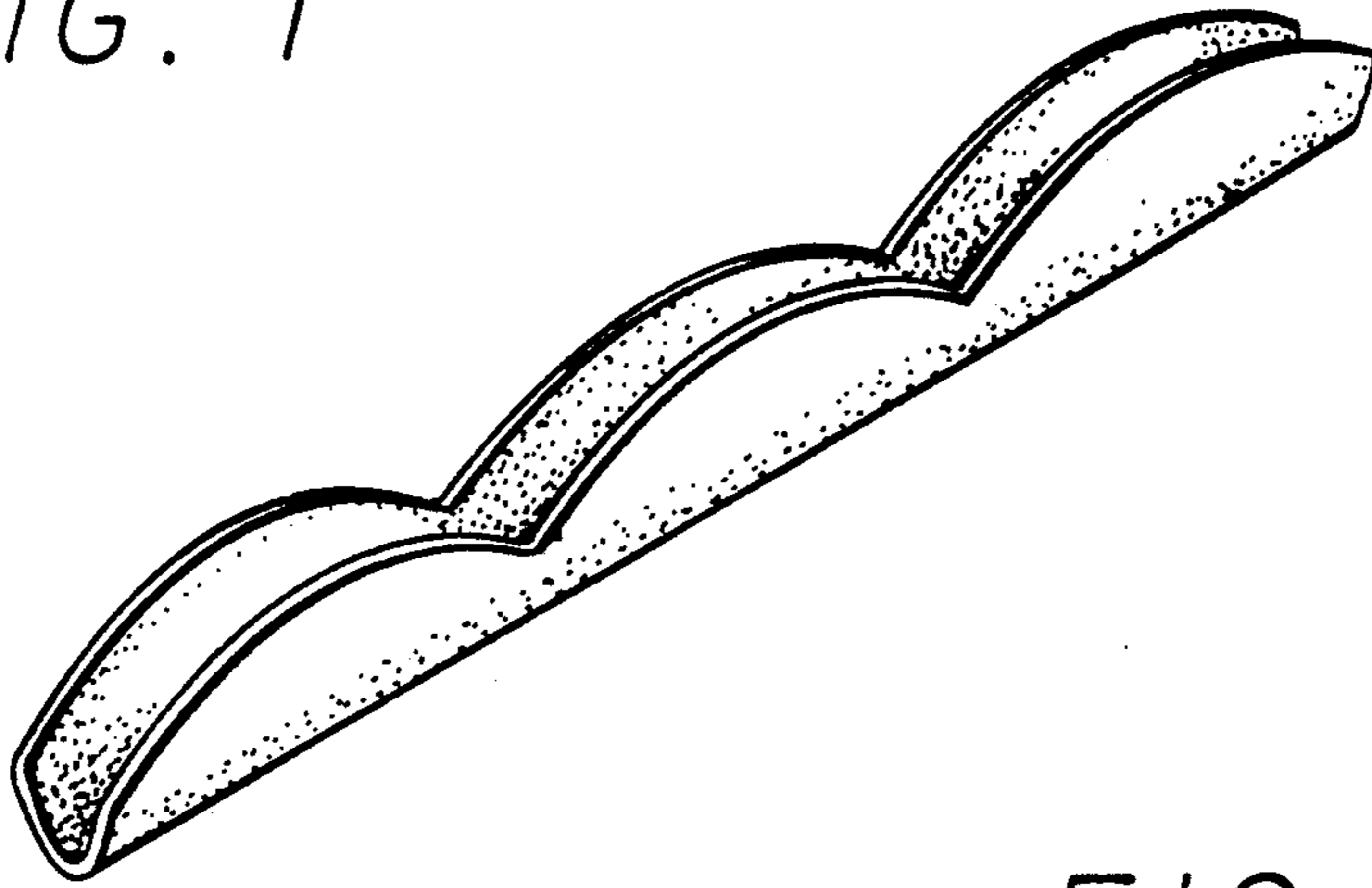


FIG. 2

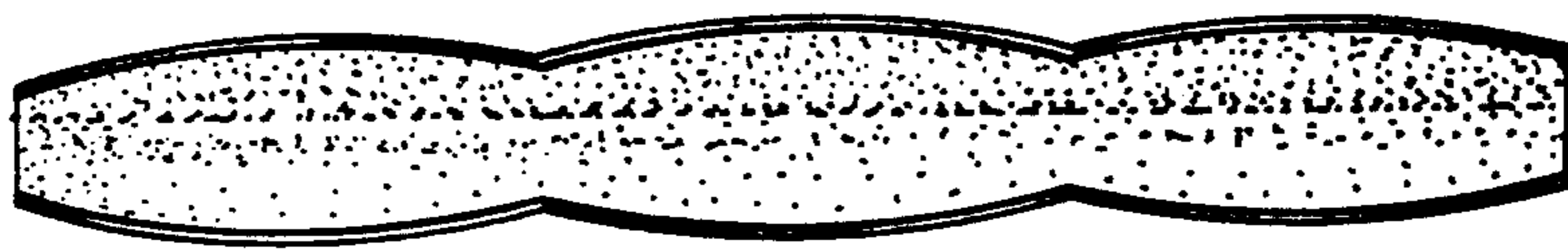
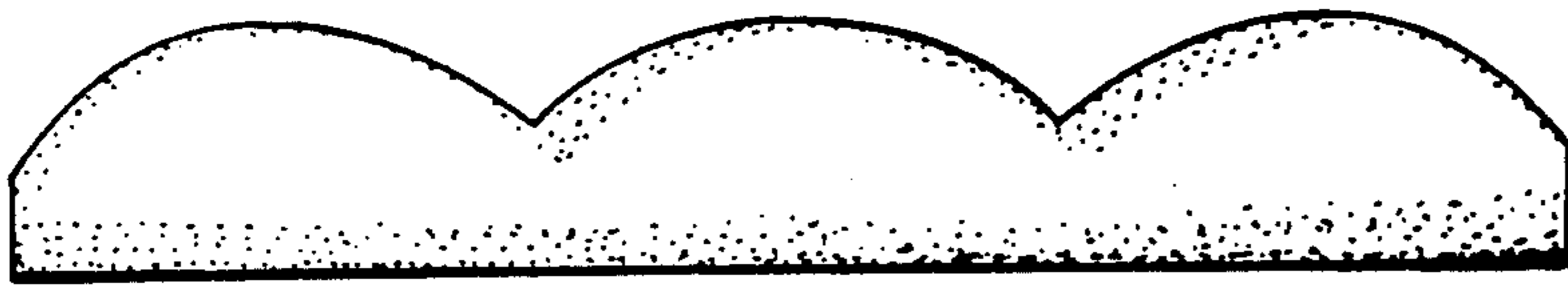


FIG. 3

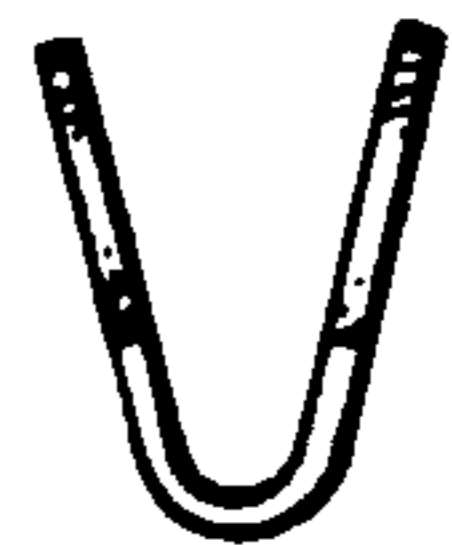


FIG. 4

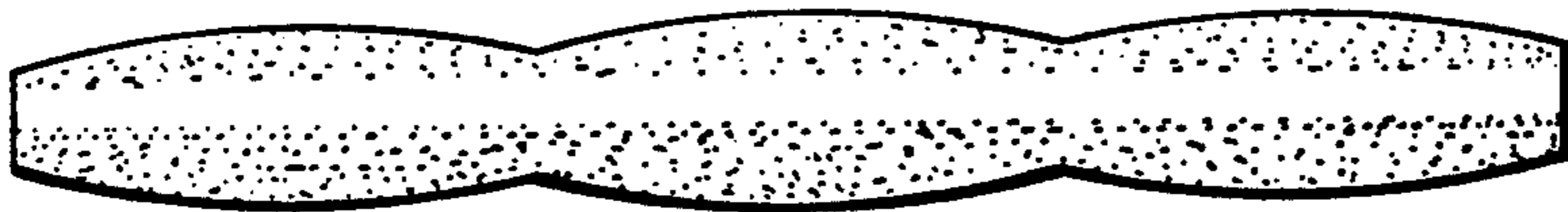


FIG. 5