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CLAIM

The ornamental design for a bootee, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

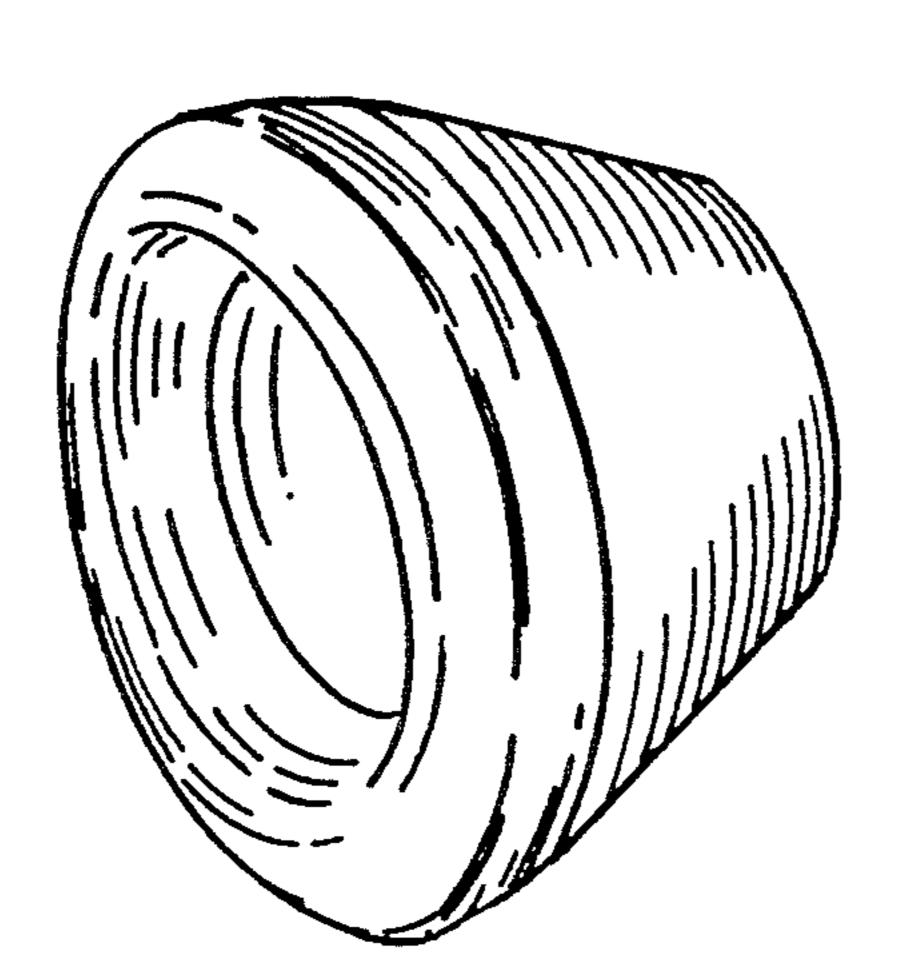
FIG. 1 represents a view of a silicone rubber substance called a "bootee", a static resistant cushion which covers a 18" door knob to a 2" door knob, FIG. 1 slips over door knob to the diminsions of a total of 2" wide and 1/16'' thick to $\frac{1}{4}''$ thick and $1\frac{3}{4}''$ long;

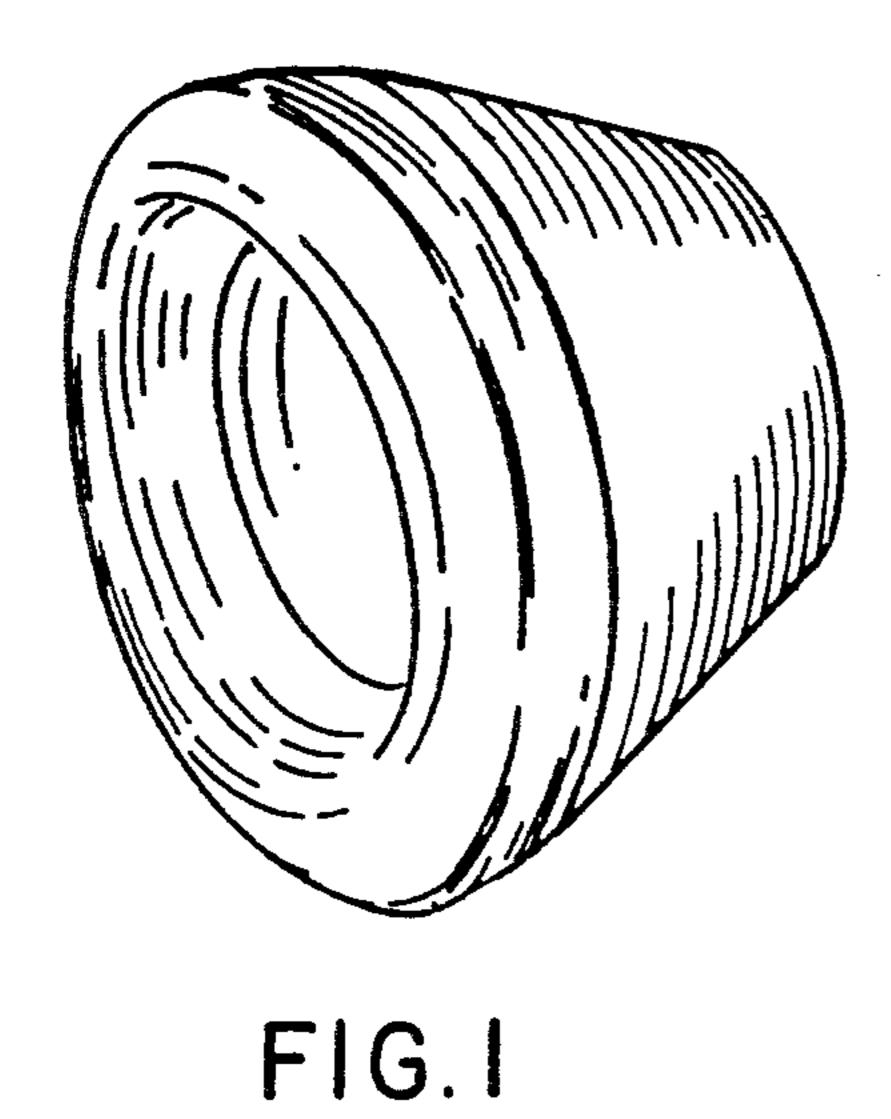
The depth of the cushion is ½" deep with a \gracer{g}" radius leading to the inside of the bootee, to the door knob lock, thustly the bootee serves as a cushion, preventing an indentation on any wall surface;

FIG. 2 illustrates the front view of the cushion. A basic 1\frac{3}{2}" opening with a width of 2" round;

FIG. 3 simply illustrates the cushion forming a cover over the door knob creating a complete new form over the standard door knob therefore becoming a round door knob. FIG. 3 is $2\frac{1}{4}$ " wide by $1\frac{3}{4}$ " long, the angled dimensions are 1/16'' to $\frac{1}{8}''$ thick. The front of cover is ½" in depth from the face of any standard door knob; and,

FIG. 4 illustrates the look of the "bootee" on the door knob at a front view, which is $2\frac{1}{4}$ " round.





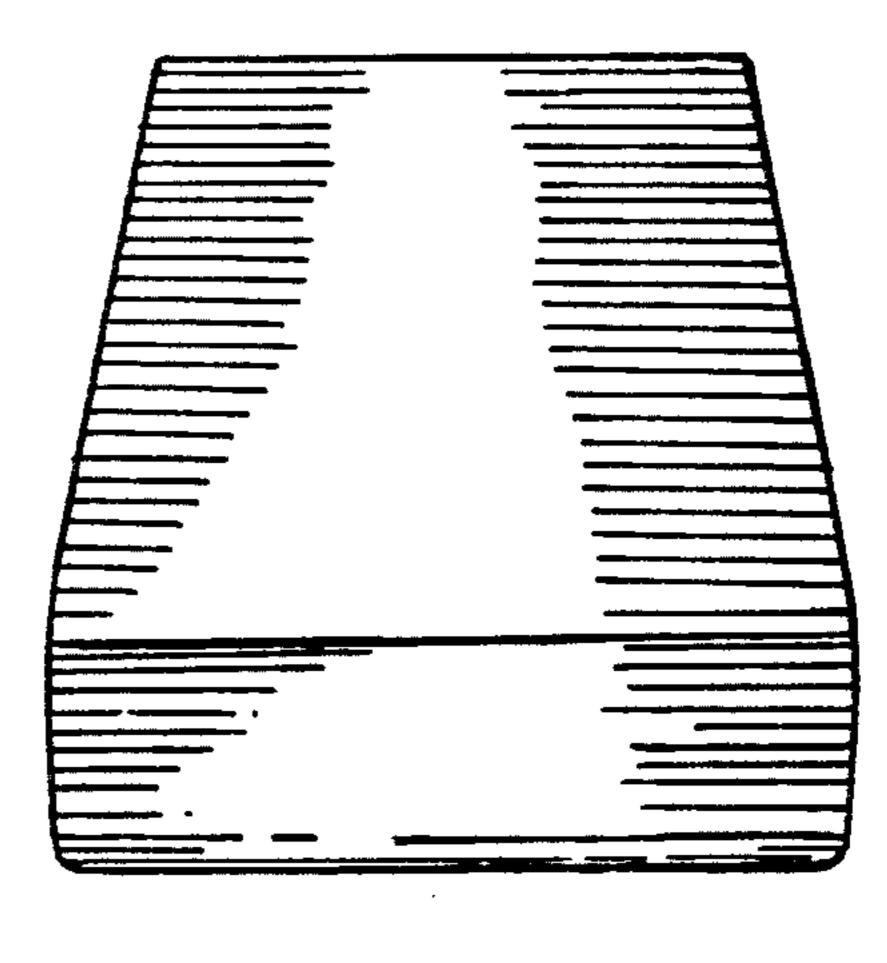
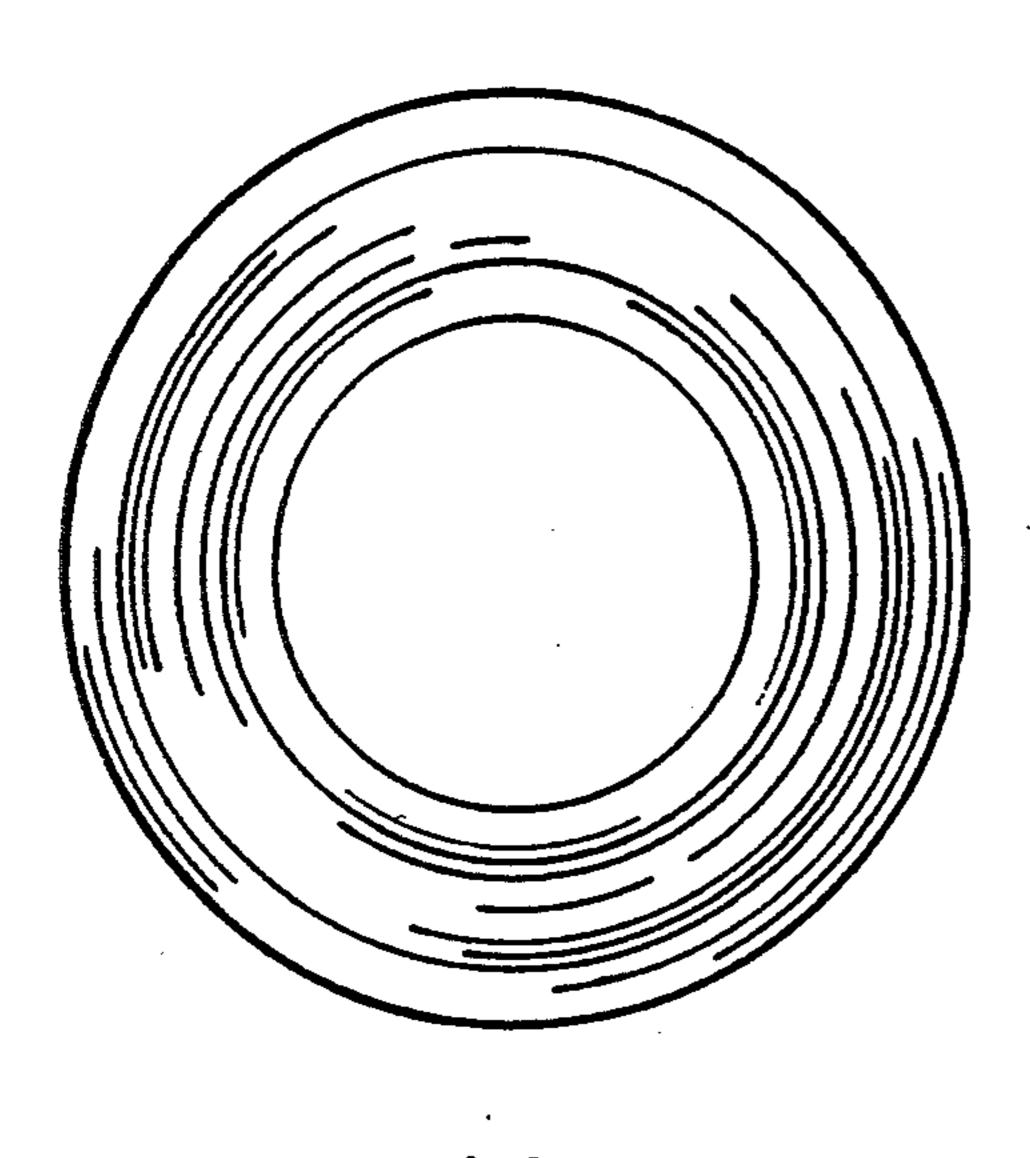


FIG.2



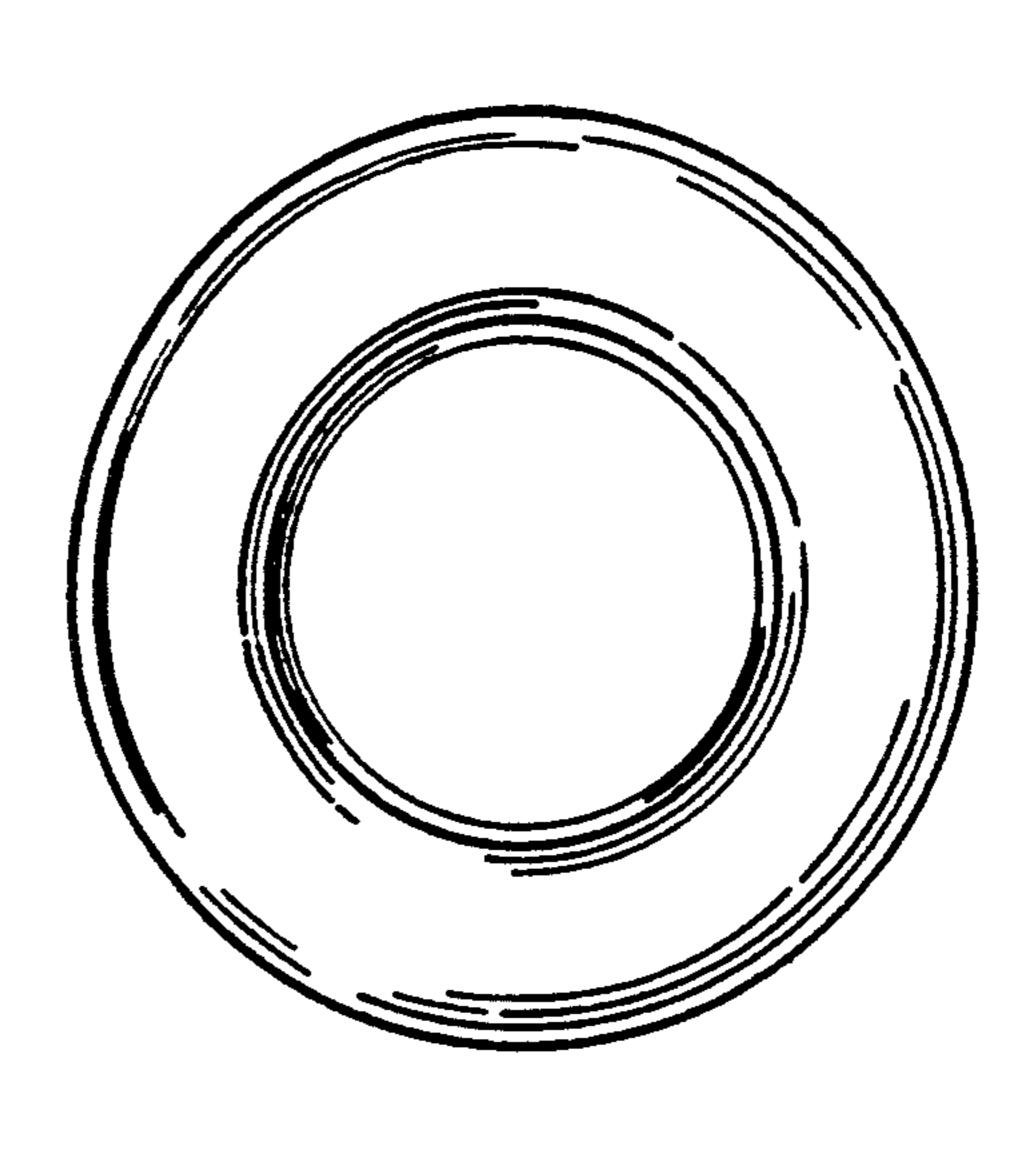


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