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[54] **TAPE DISPENSER**

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Figures 1 through 6 prototype model dating more than one year prior to the filing date of the present application (photographs).

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Figures A and B (photographs) correction tape dispensers sold more than one year prior to the filing date of the present application.

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The ornamental design for a tape dispenser, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tape dispenser, showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a right side vertical view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a left side vertical view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a front vertical view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,
FIG. 7 is a rear vertical view thereof.

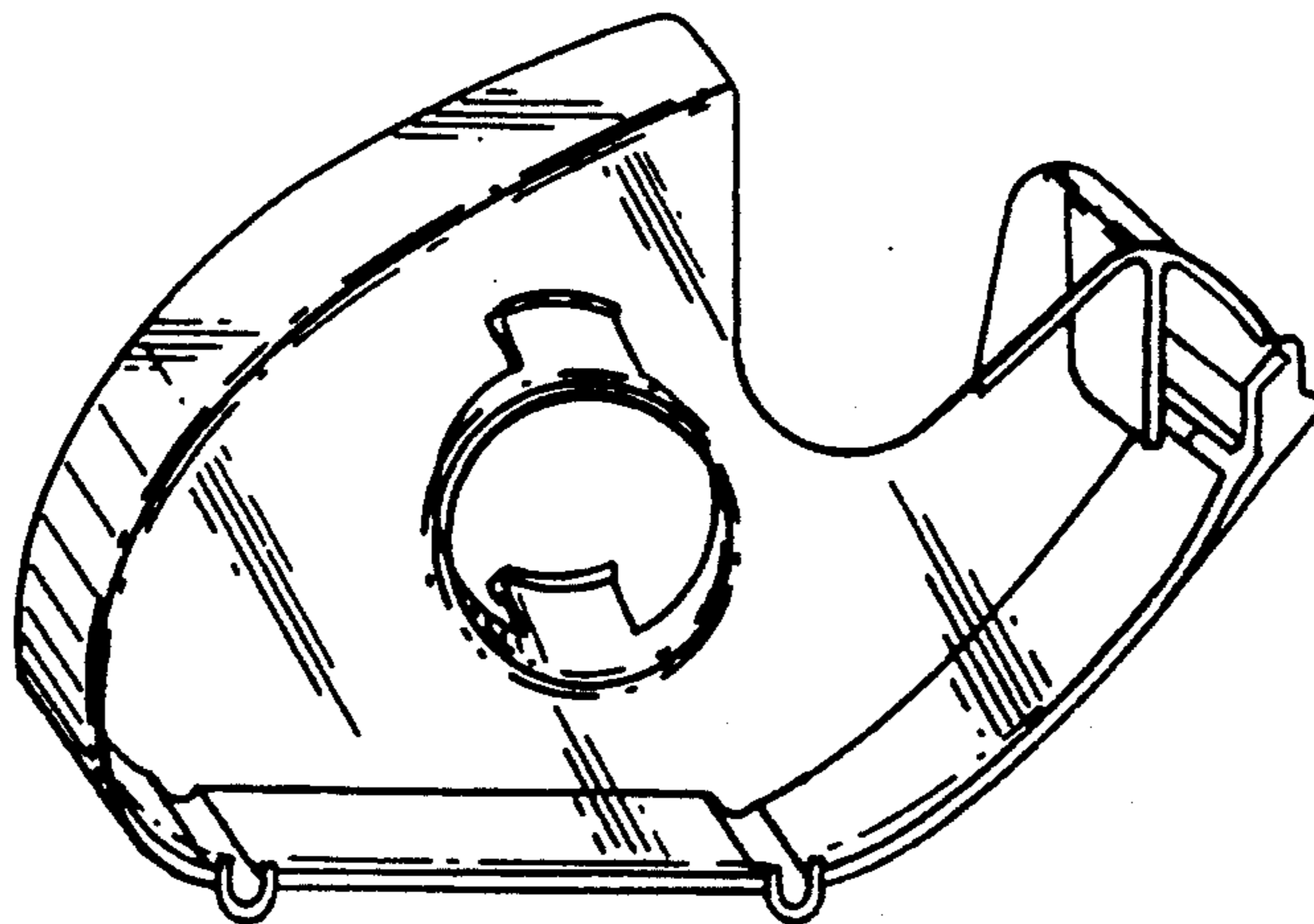


Fig. 1

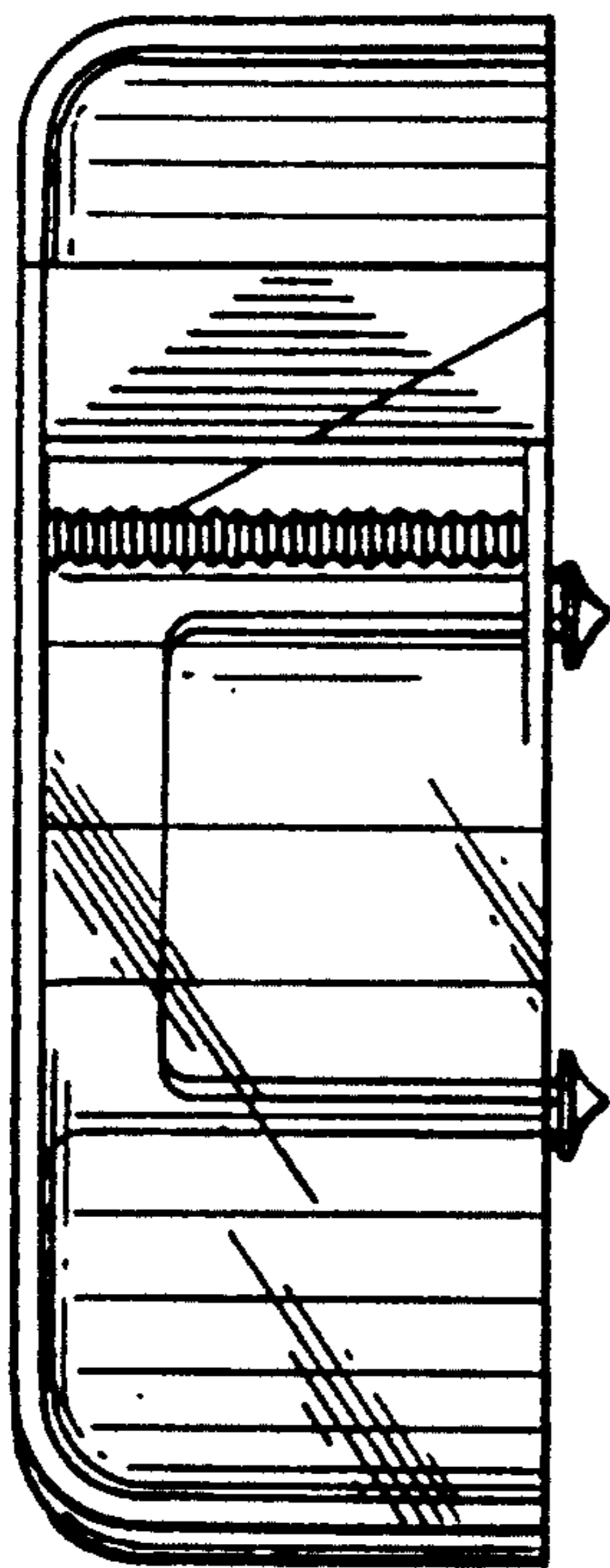
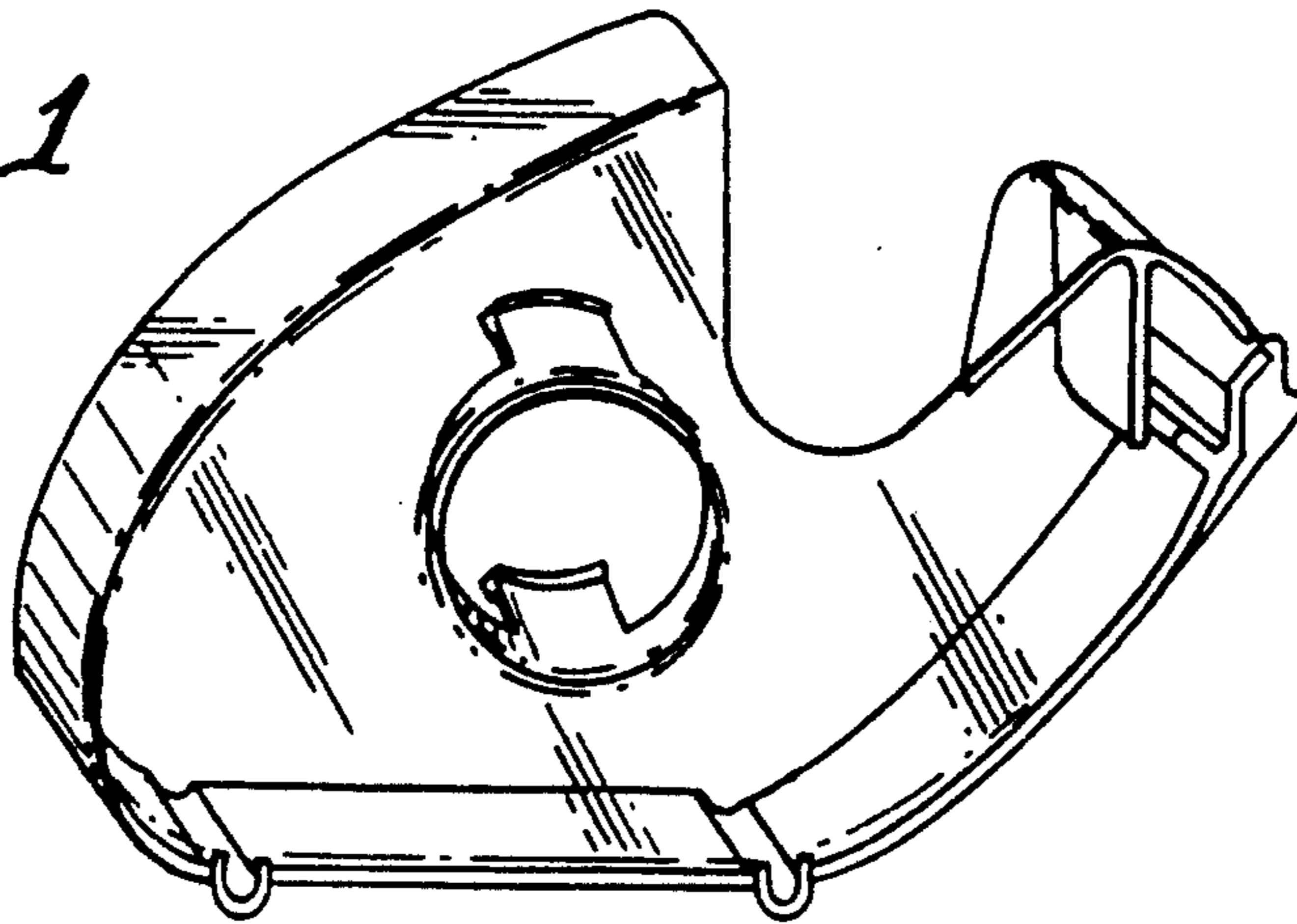


Fig. 2

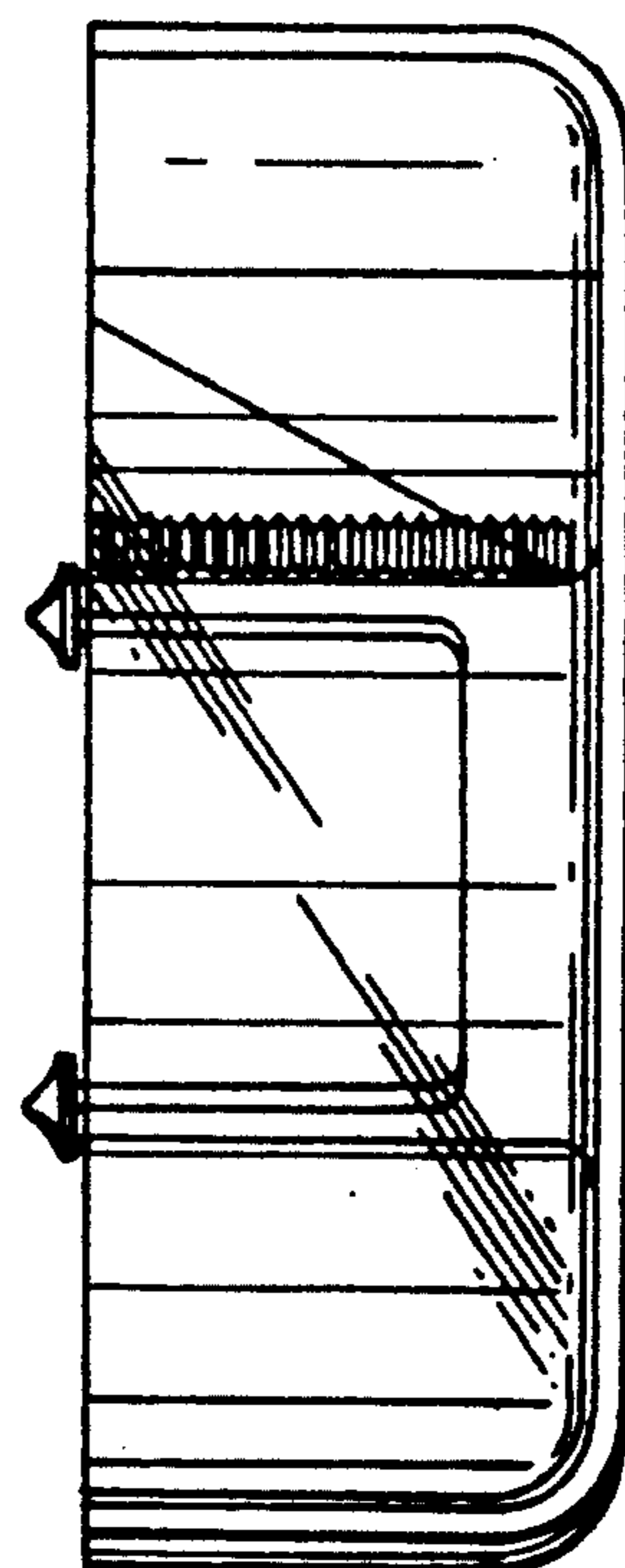


Fig. 3

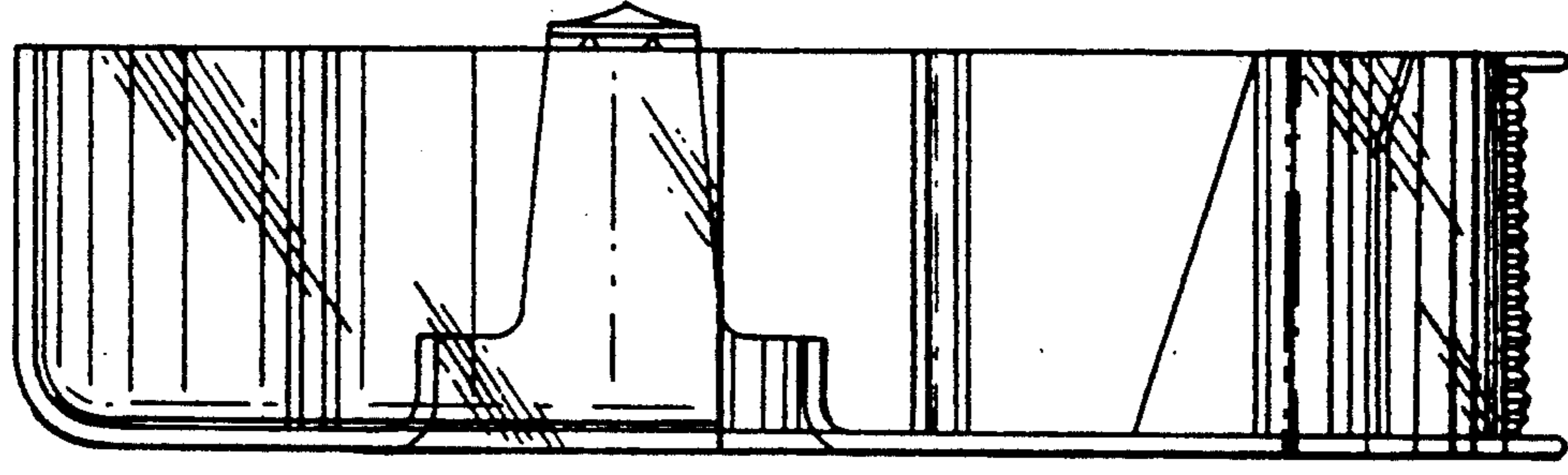


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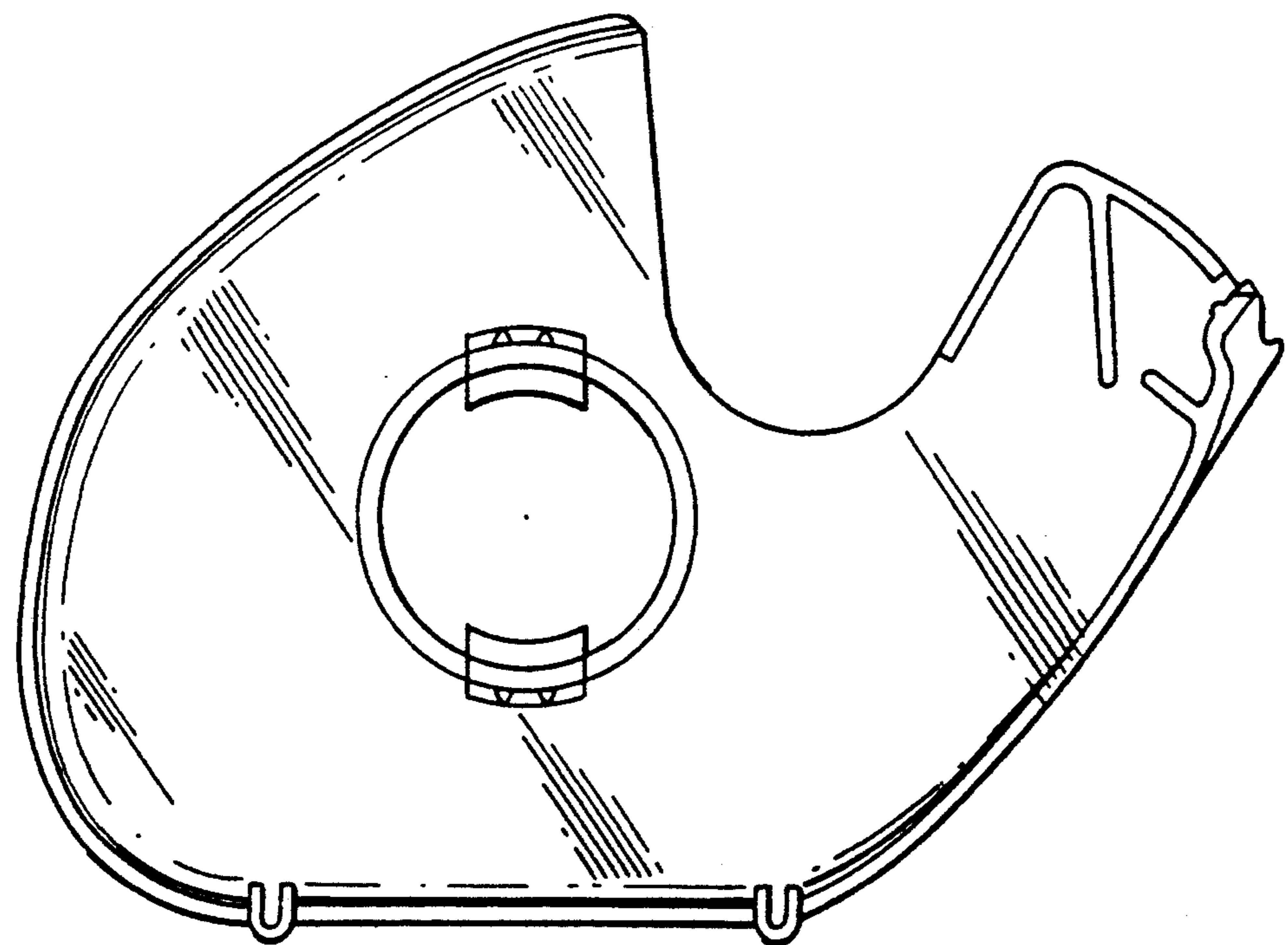


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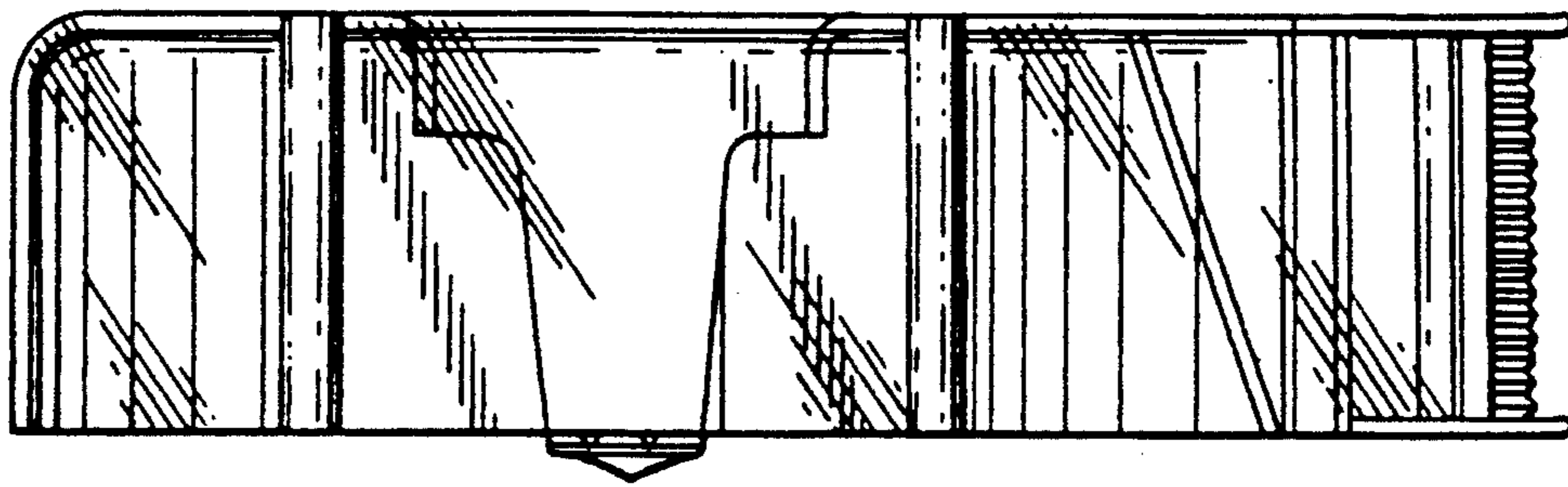


Fig. 6

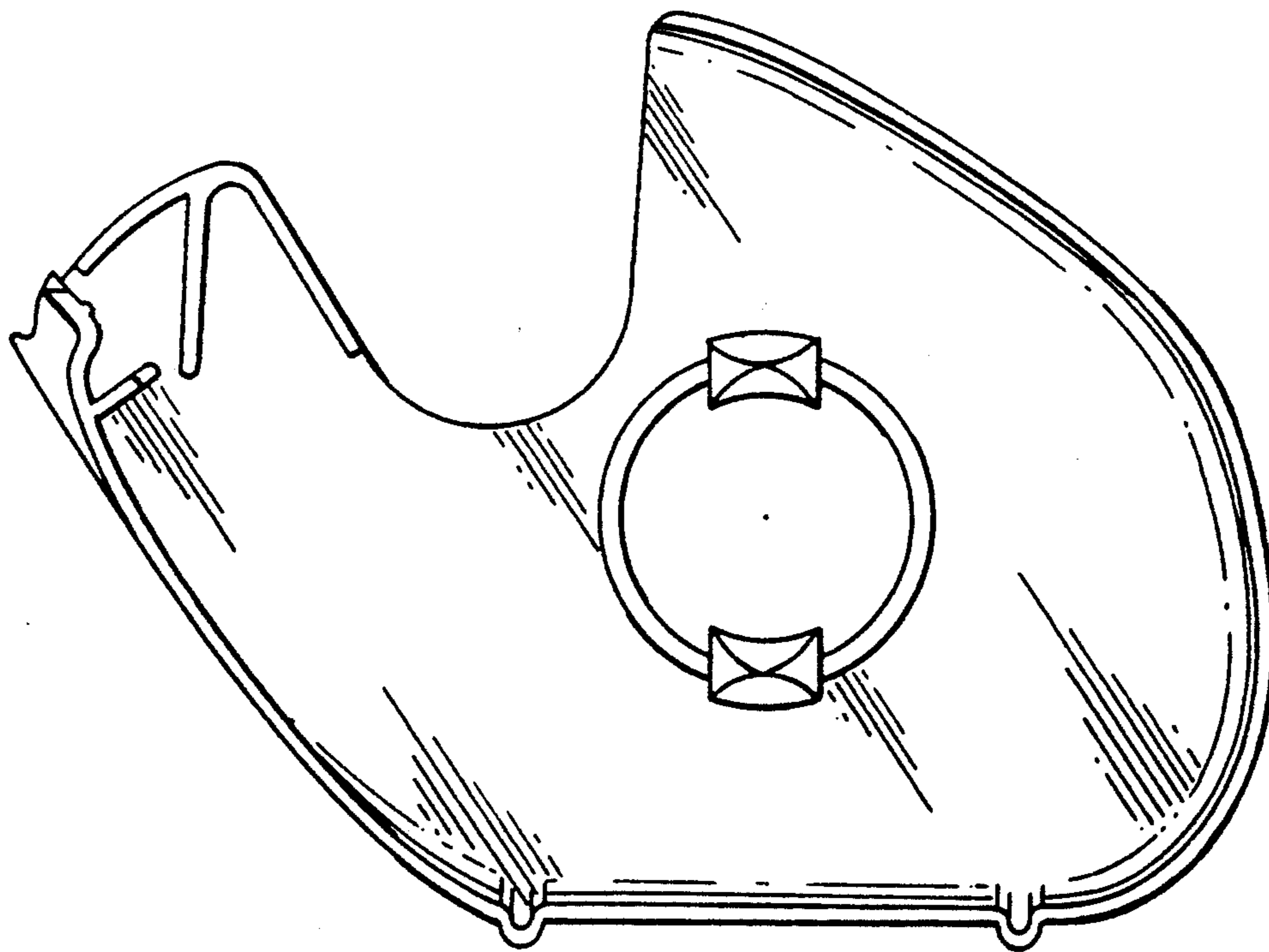


Fig. 7