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[54] **TREAD FOR FOOTWEAR**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tread for footwear, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom plan view of a tread for footwear showing one embodiment of my new design;

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

FIG. 3 is an end elevational view thereof;

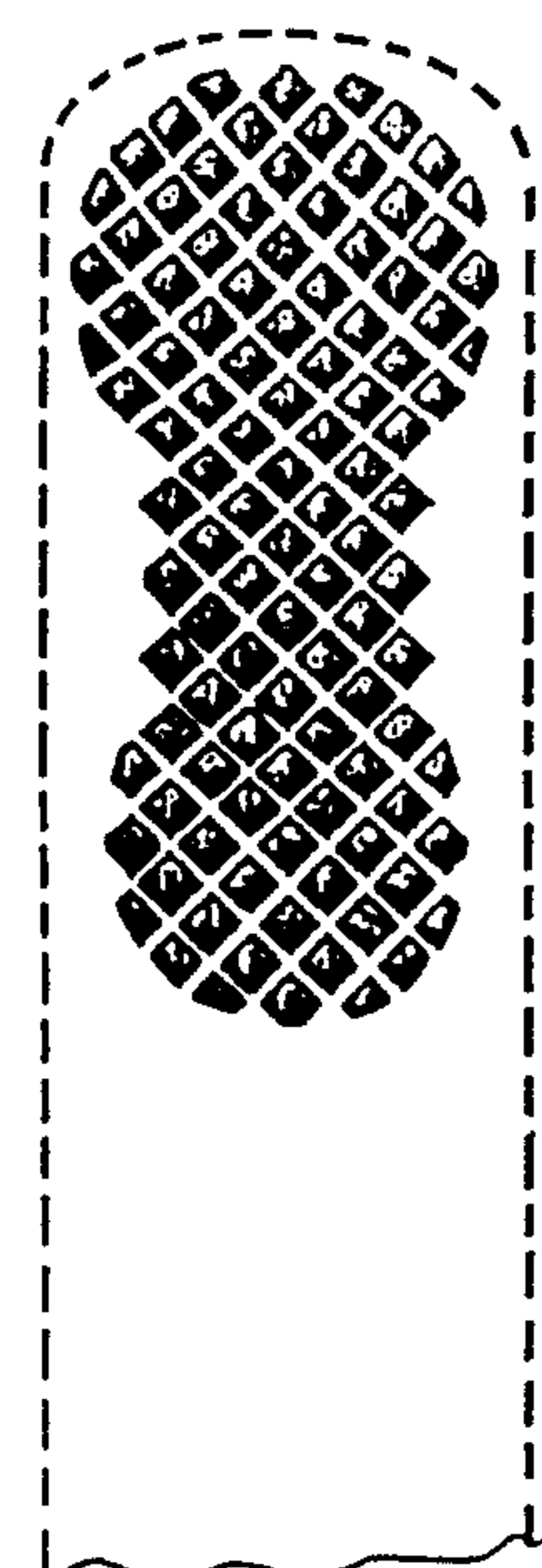
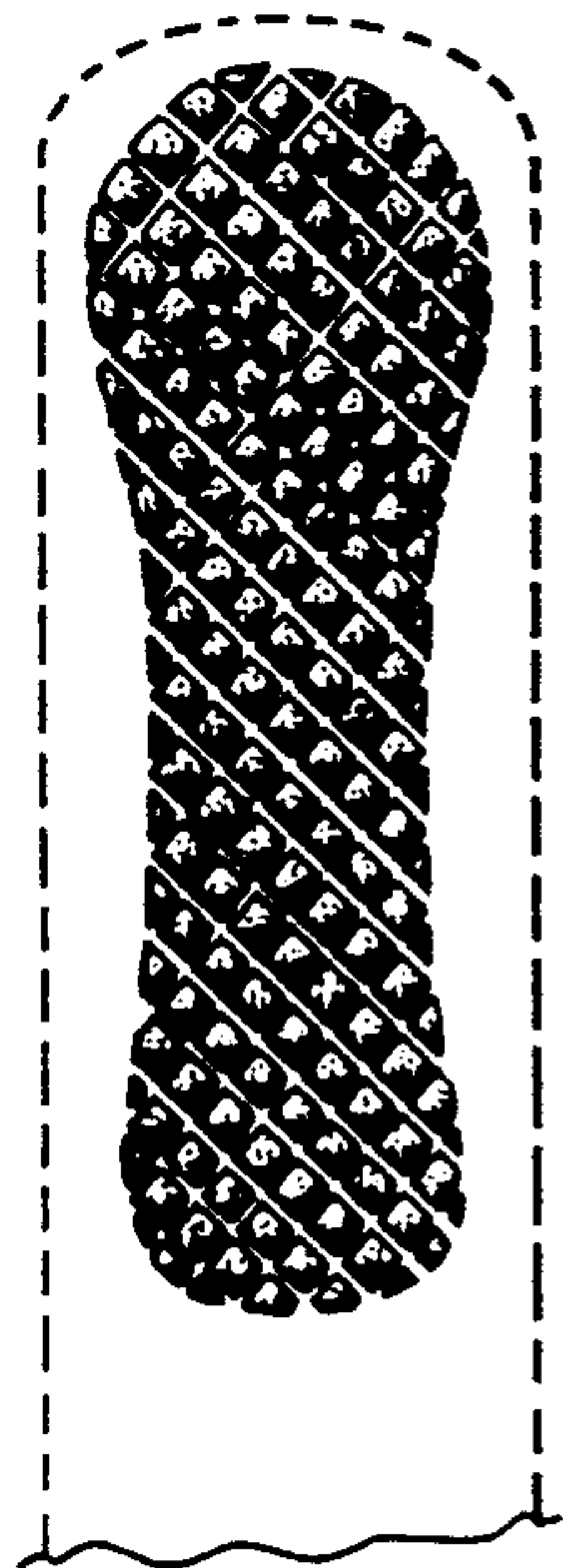
FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view of a tread for footwear showing another embodiment of my new design;

FIG. 5 is a side elevational view thereof, the opposite side being a mirror image; and,

FIG. 6 is an end elevational view thereof.

In FIGS. 2, 3, 5 and 6, the treads are continuous over the area indicated by dot-dash line for ease of illustration.

The broken line showing of an article of footwear is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.



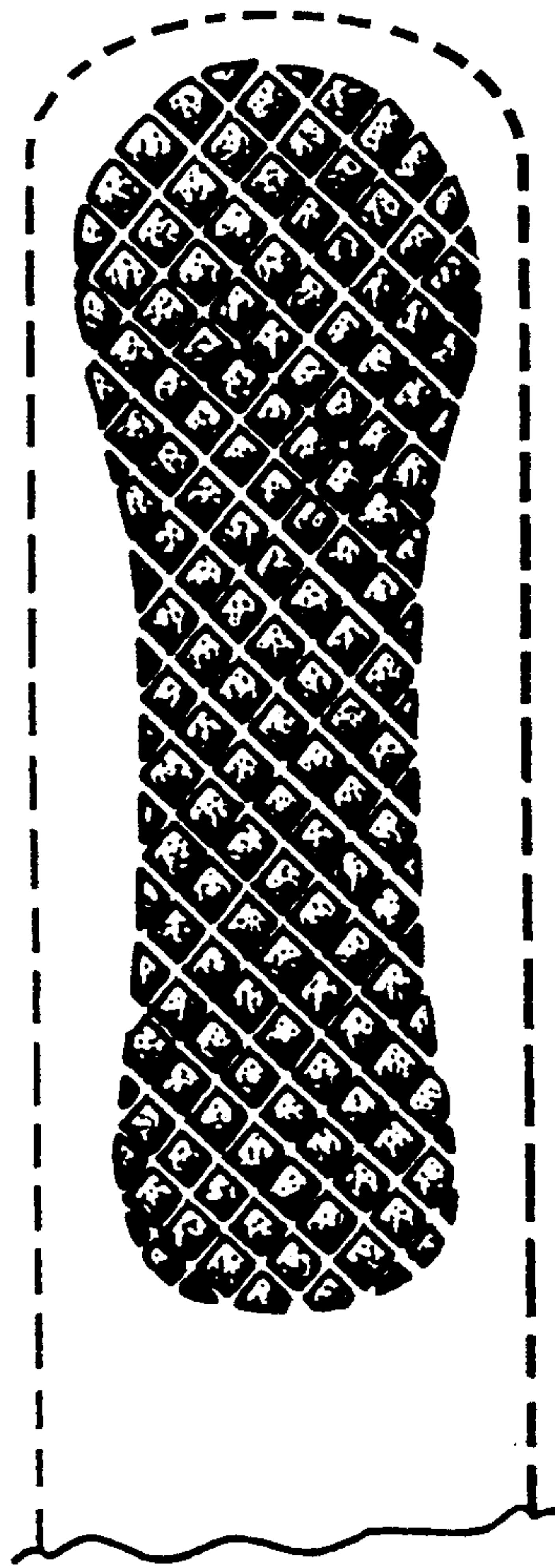


FIG. 1

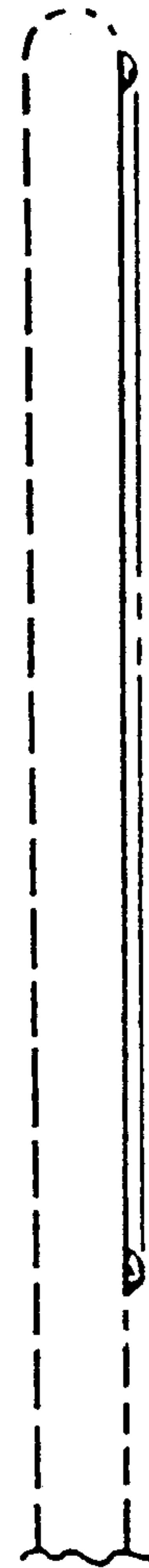


FIG. 2

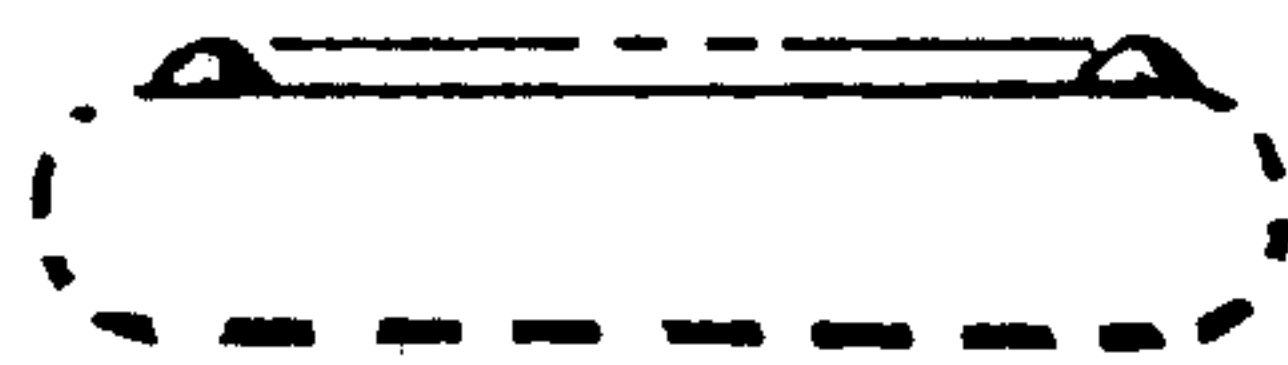


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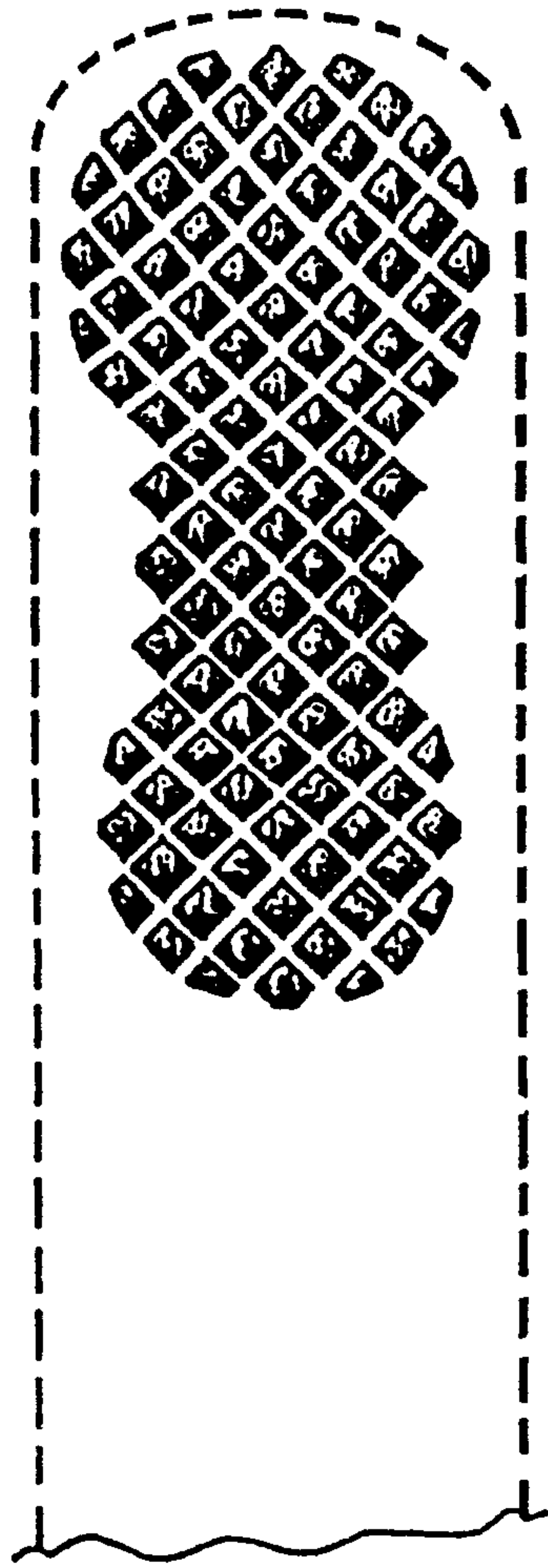


FIG. 4



FIG. 5

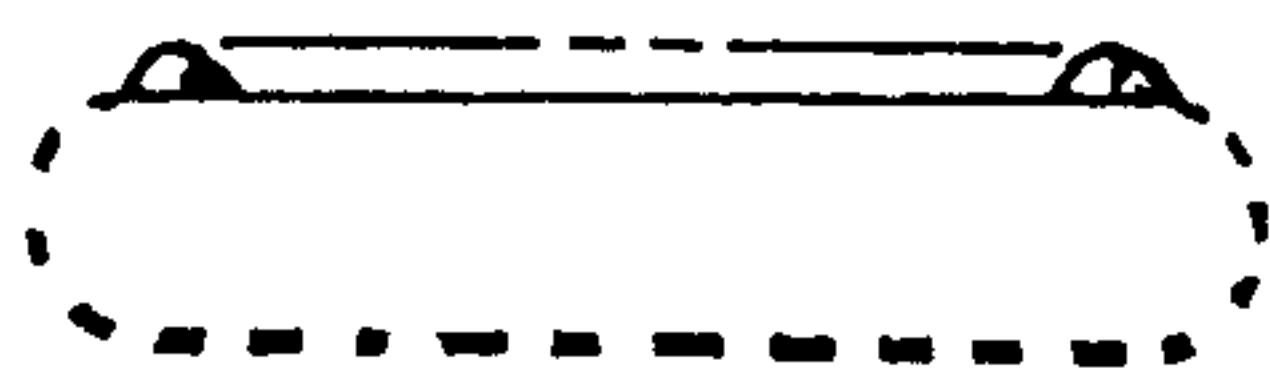


FIG. 6