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[54] **EARPHONE**

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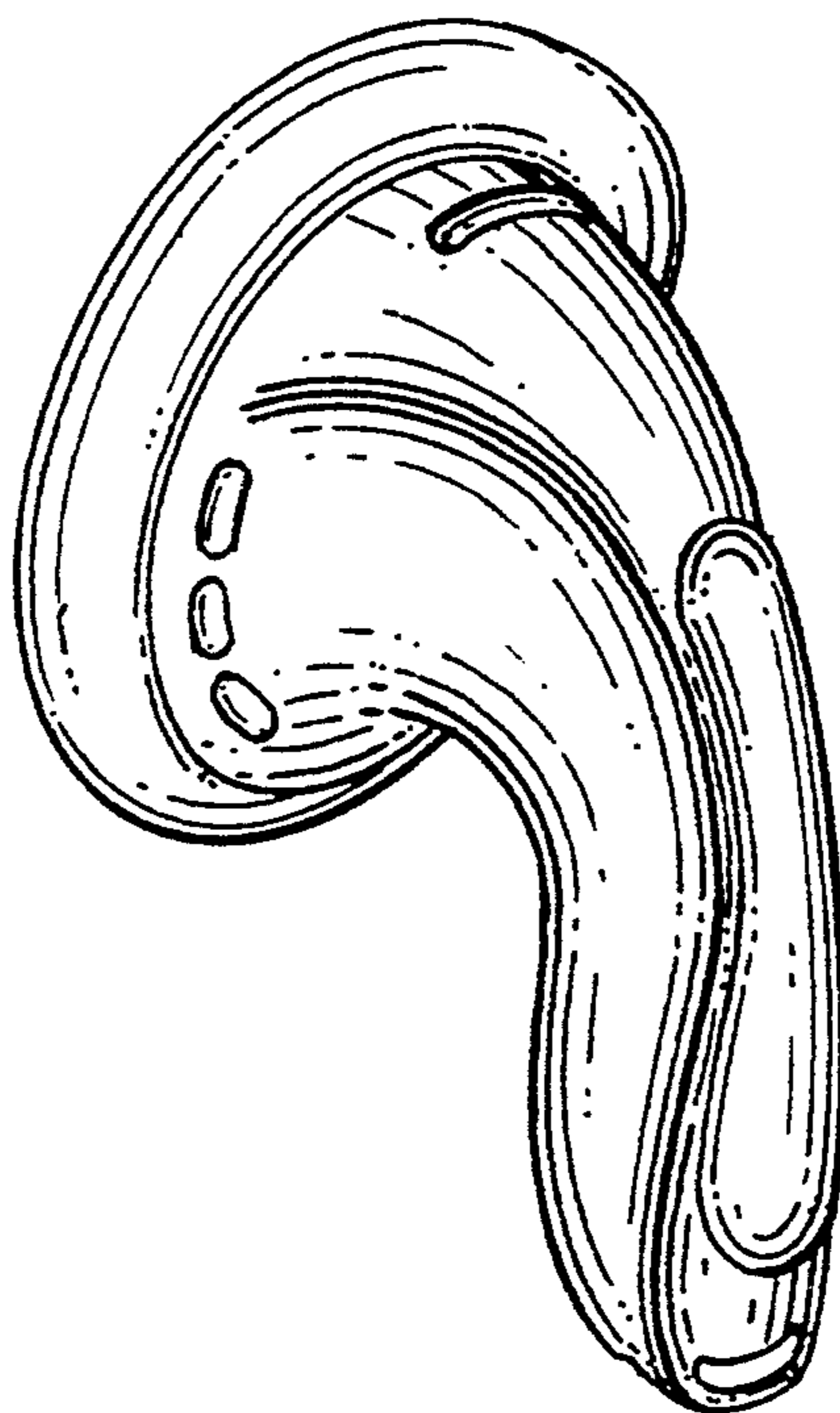
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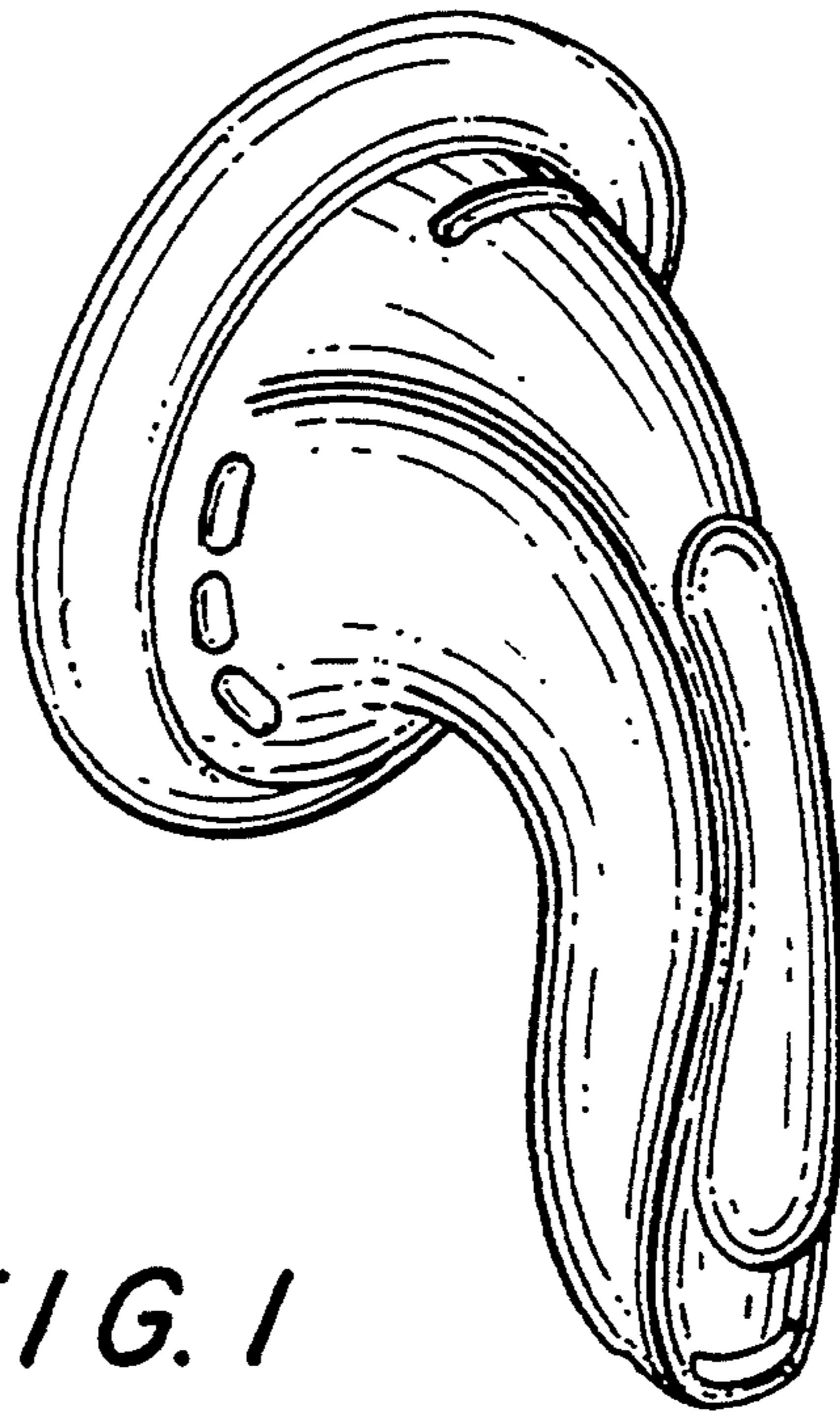
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an earphone, as shown.

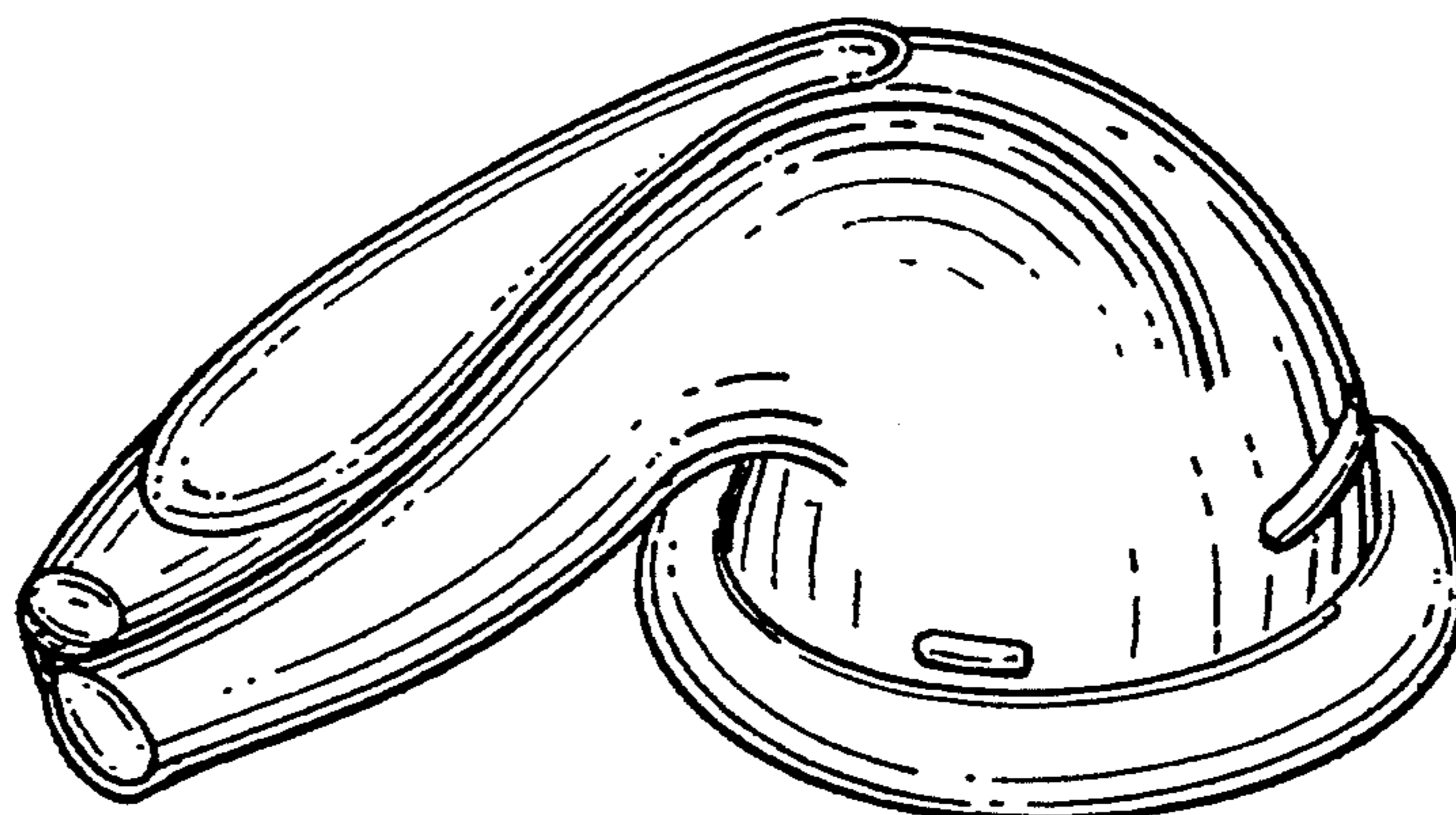
**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top, rear and right-side perspective view of an earphone, showing our new design;  
FIG. 2 is a rear, bottom and left-side perspective view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a left-side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a right-side elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 8 is a bottom plan view thereof.

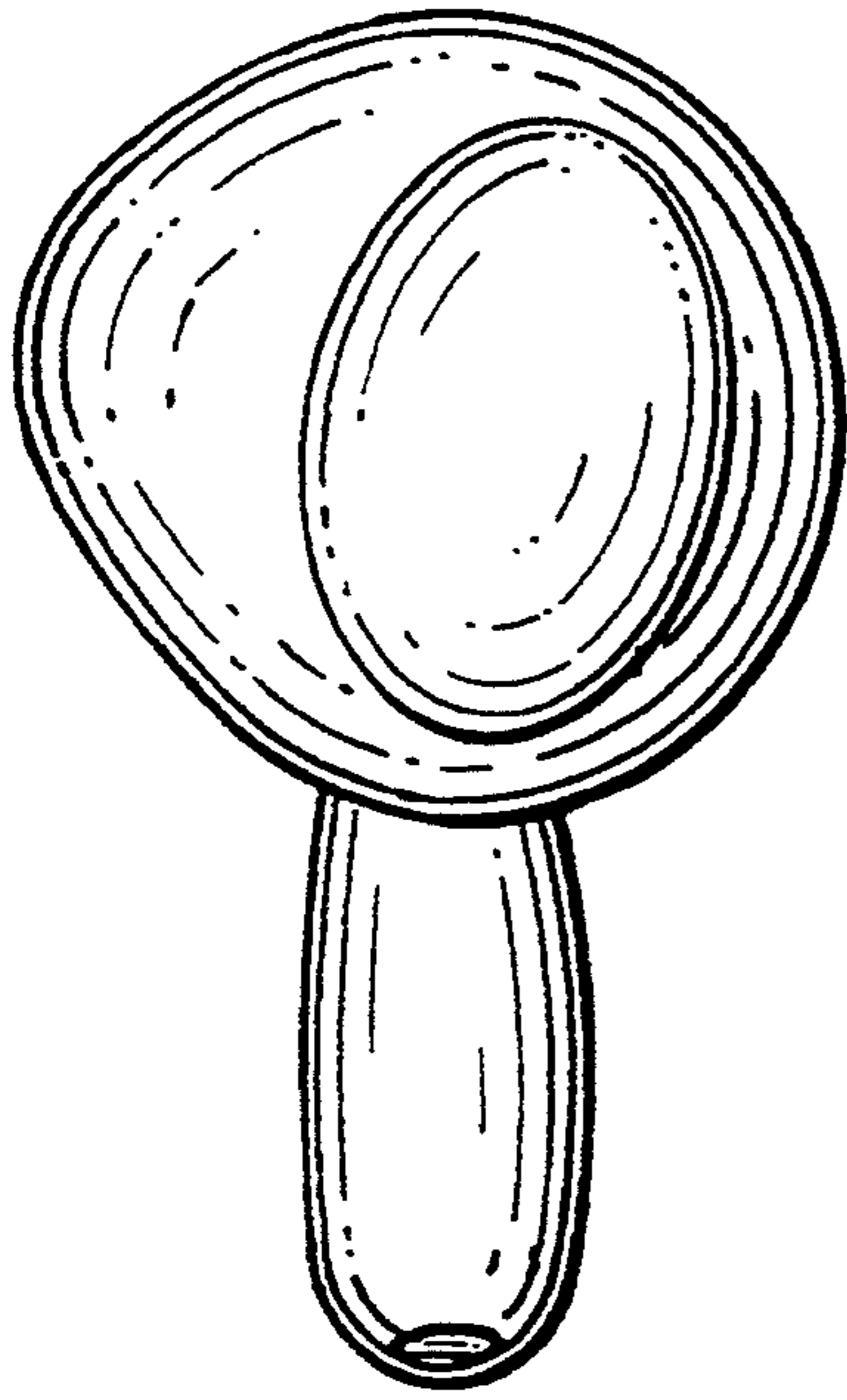




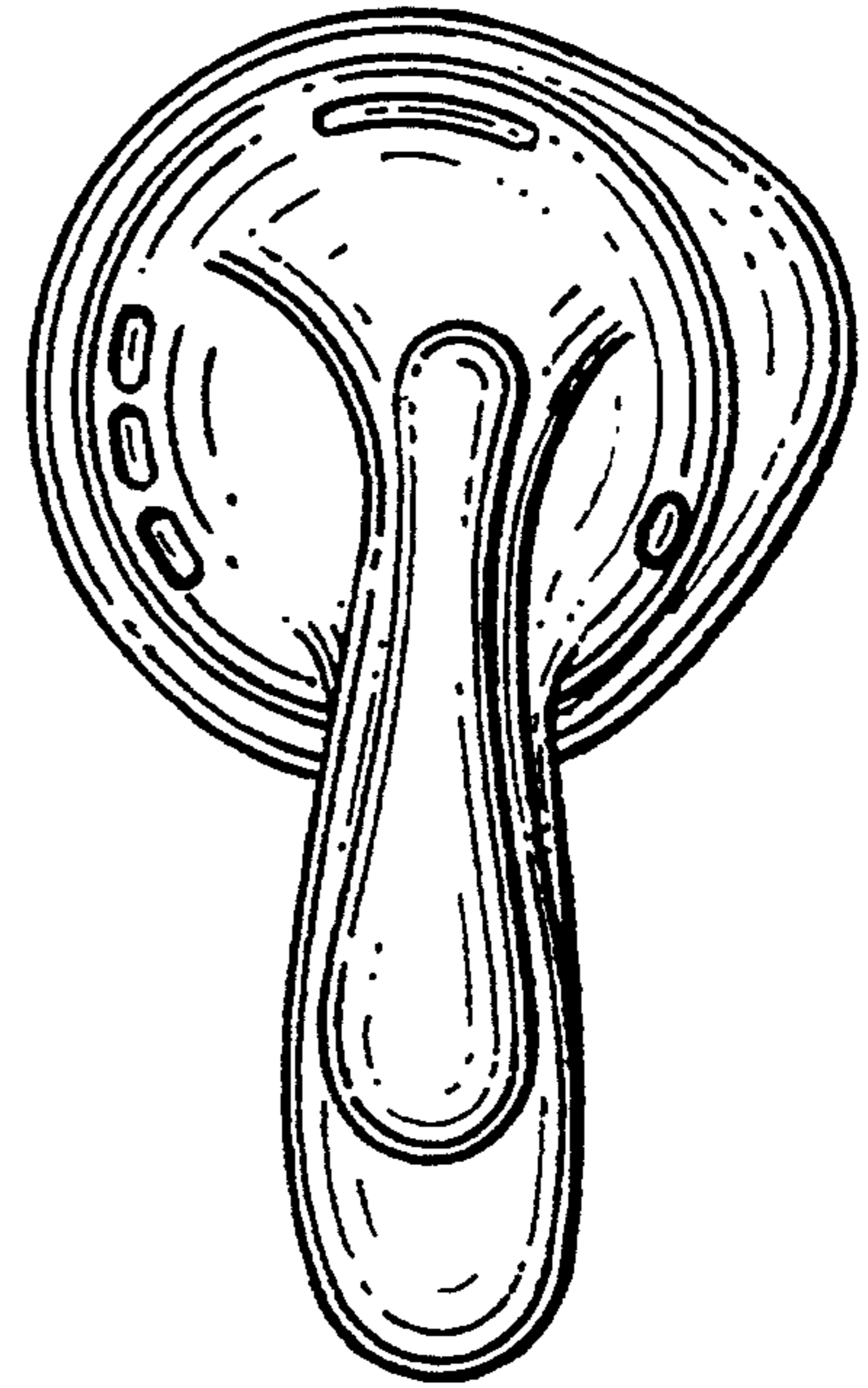
*FIG. 1*



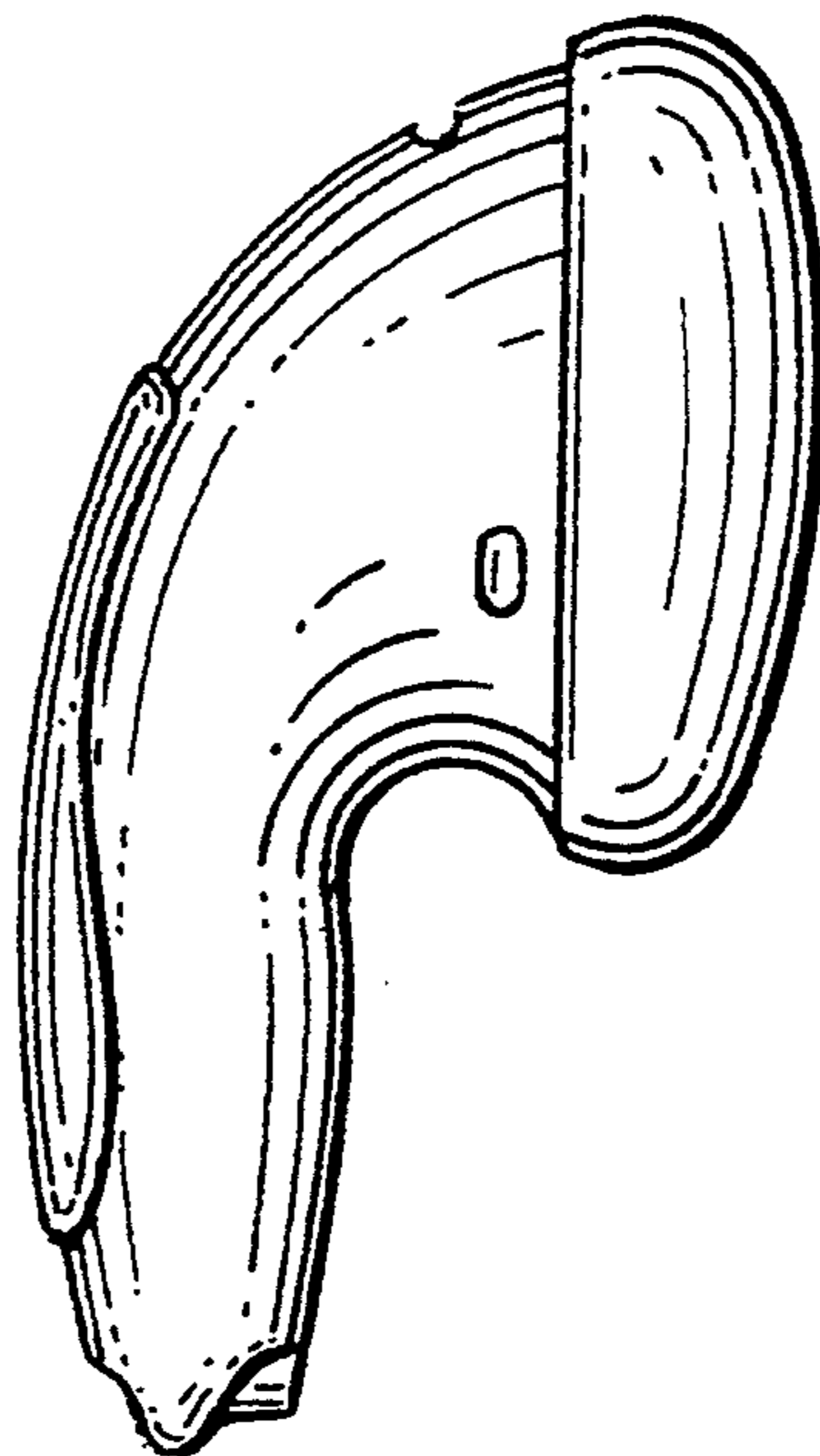
*FIG. 2*



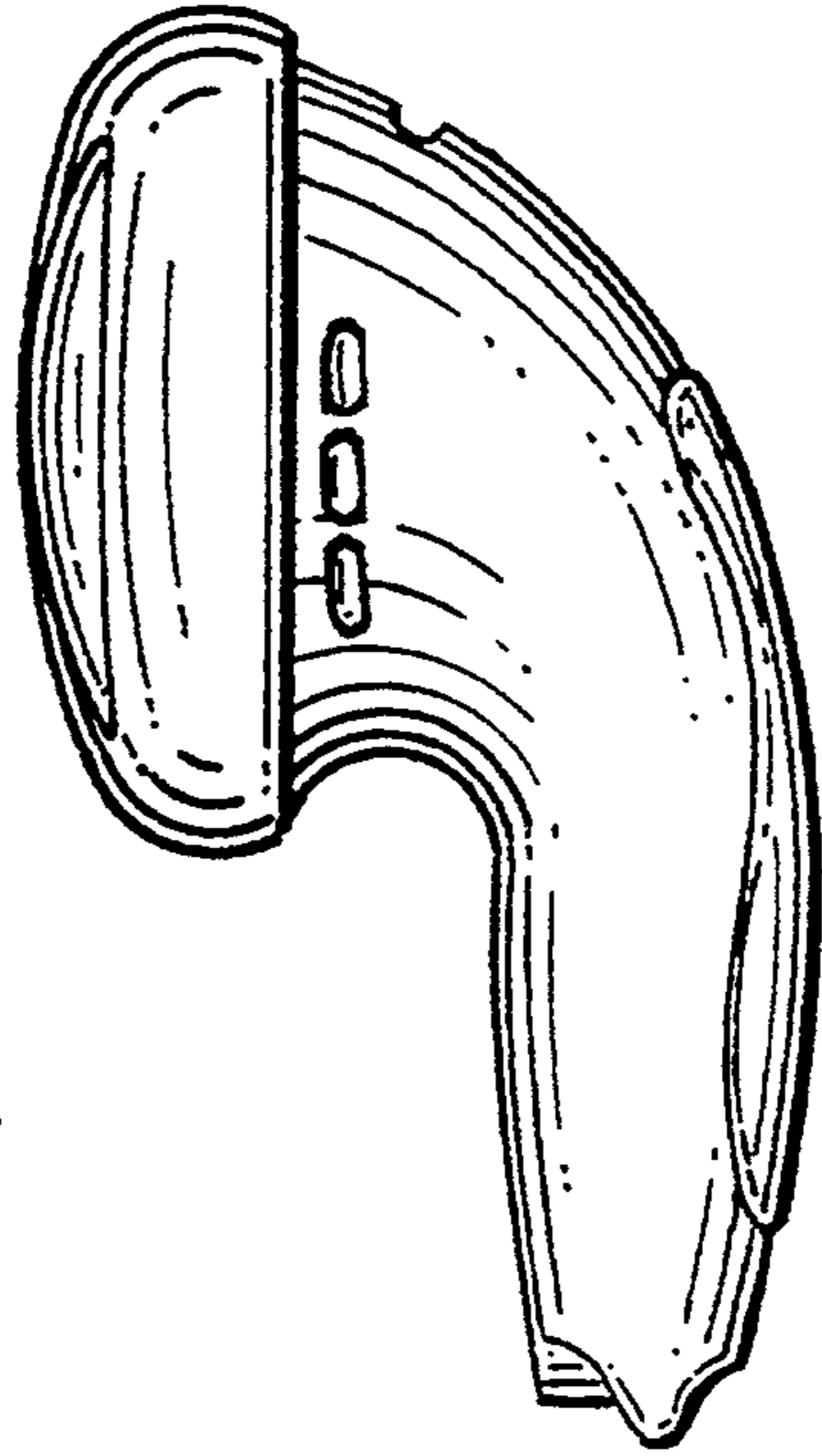
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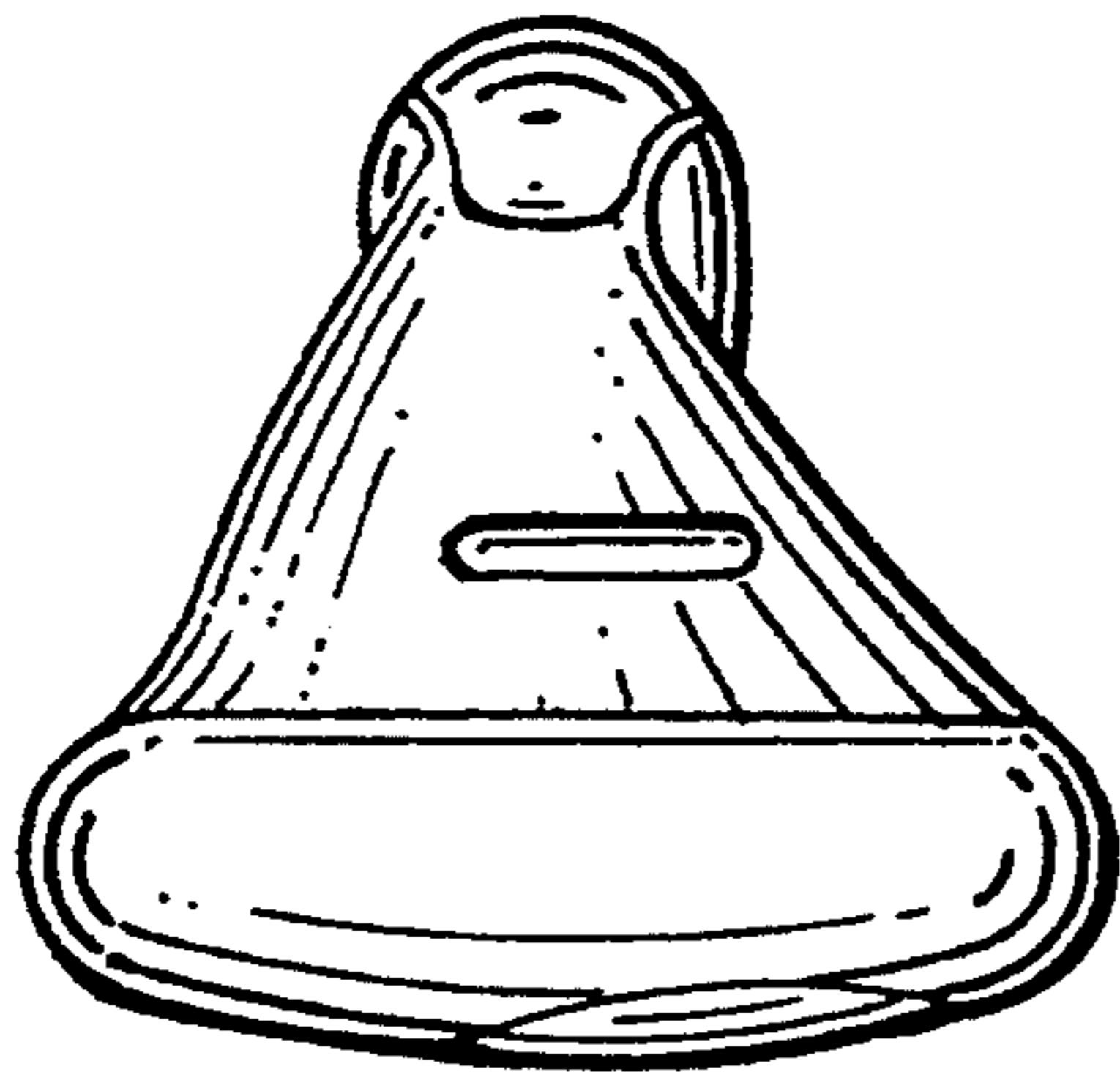
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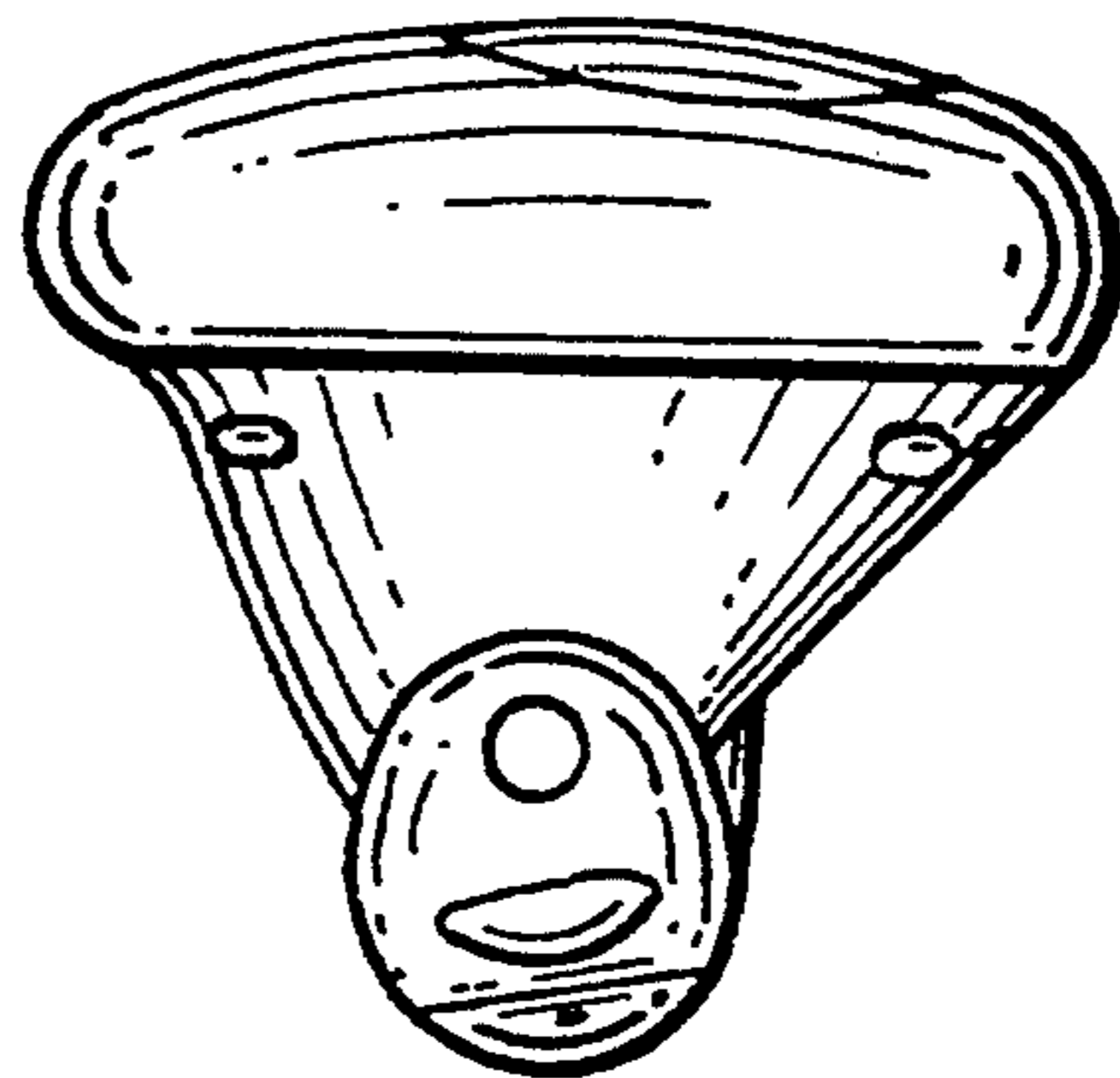
*FIG. 5*



*FIG. 6*



*FIG. 7*



*FIG. 8*