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[54] TUB RIM

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Undated drawings of a Kohler Co. bathtub with a terraced rim, admitted prior art.
 Two undated pages of a Duker ad for a Rio Grande oval bathtub, admitted prior art.
 An undated Kallista ad showing a Kalligraphos bathtub, admitted prior art.

An undated Simca ad showing a bidet and a water closet, admitted prior art.

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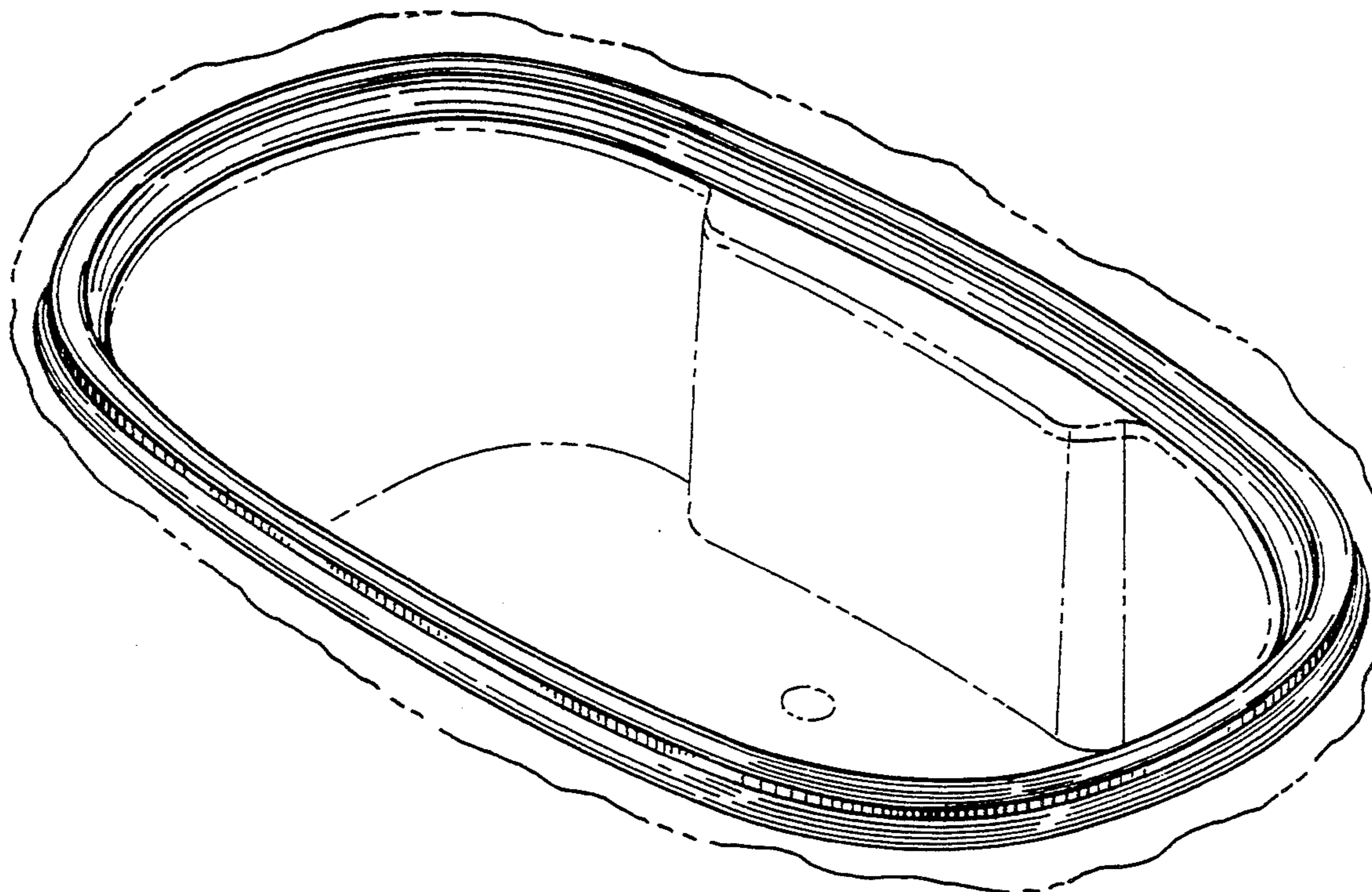
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tub rim, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view taken from the top, front and right side of a tub rim embodying my new design; FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof, the rear being the same as the front; FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof, the left side being the same as the right side; FIG. 5 is a cross-sectional view taken on line 5—5 of FIG. 2; FIG. 6 is a cross-sectional view taken on line 6—6 of FIG. 2; and, FIG. 7 is an enlarged cross-sectional view taken on line 7—7 of FIG. 2.

The fragmentary broken line representations of a portion of a bathroom island surrounding the tub in FIG. 1, and of a tub body in FIGS. 1, 2, 5, 6 and 7 are for the purpose of illustration only and form no part of the claimed design.



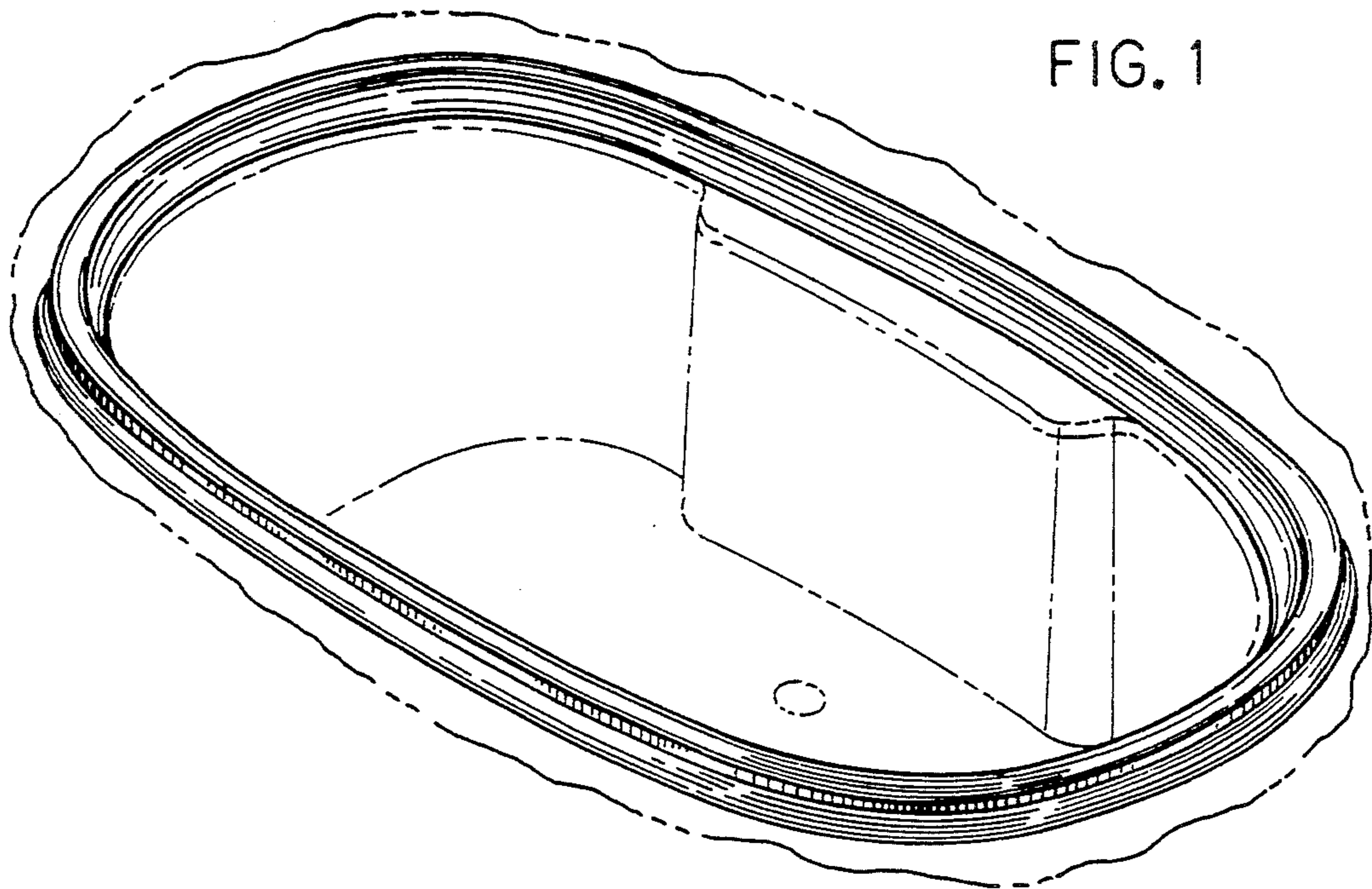


FIG. 2

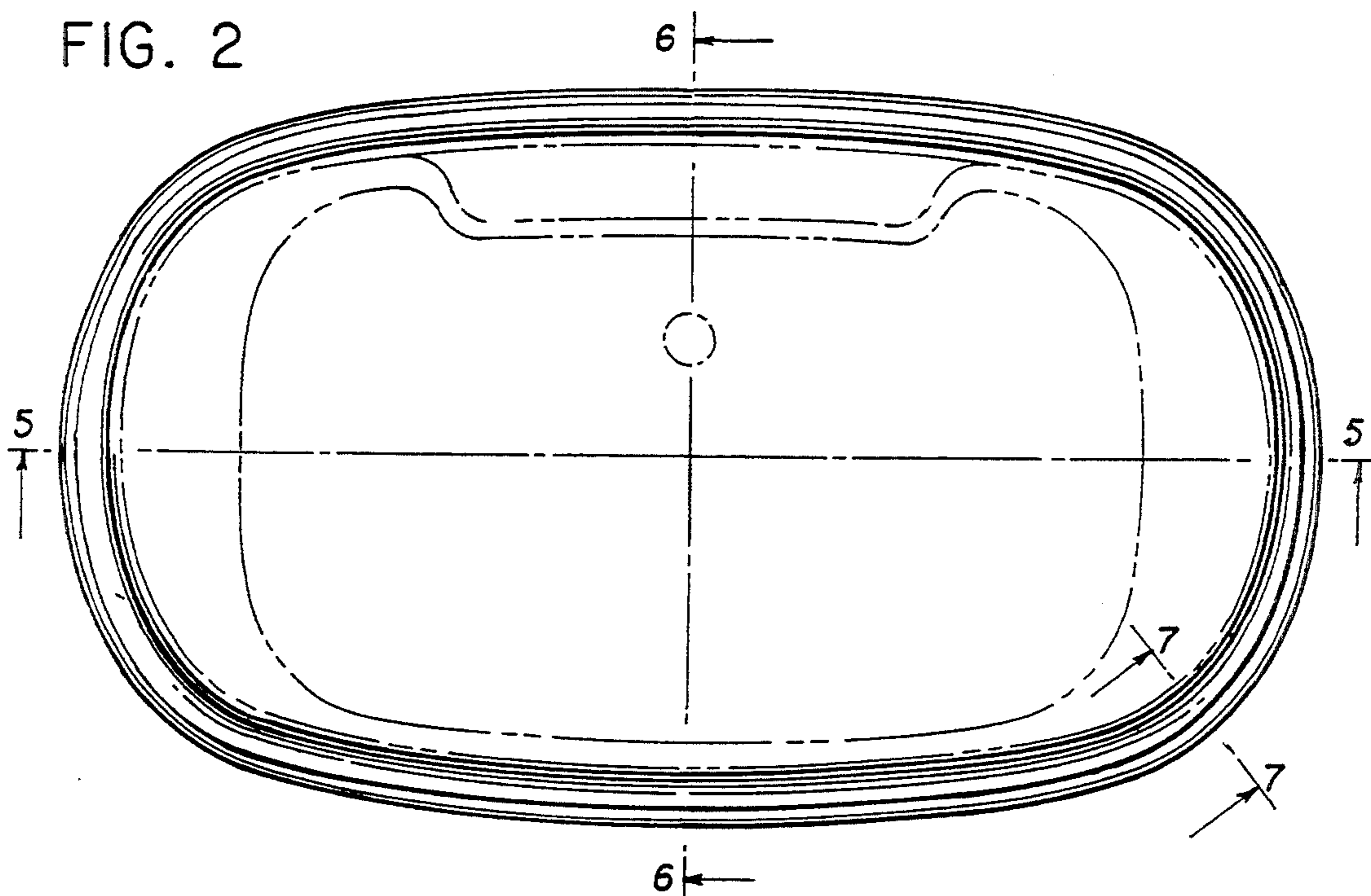


FIG. 3



FIG. 4

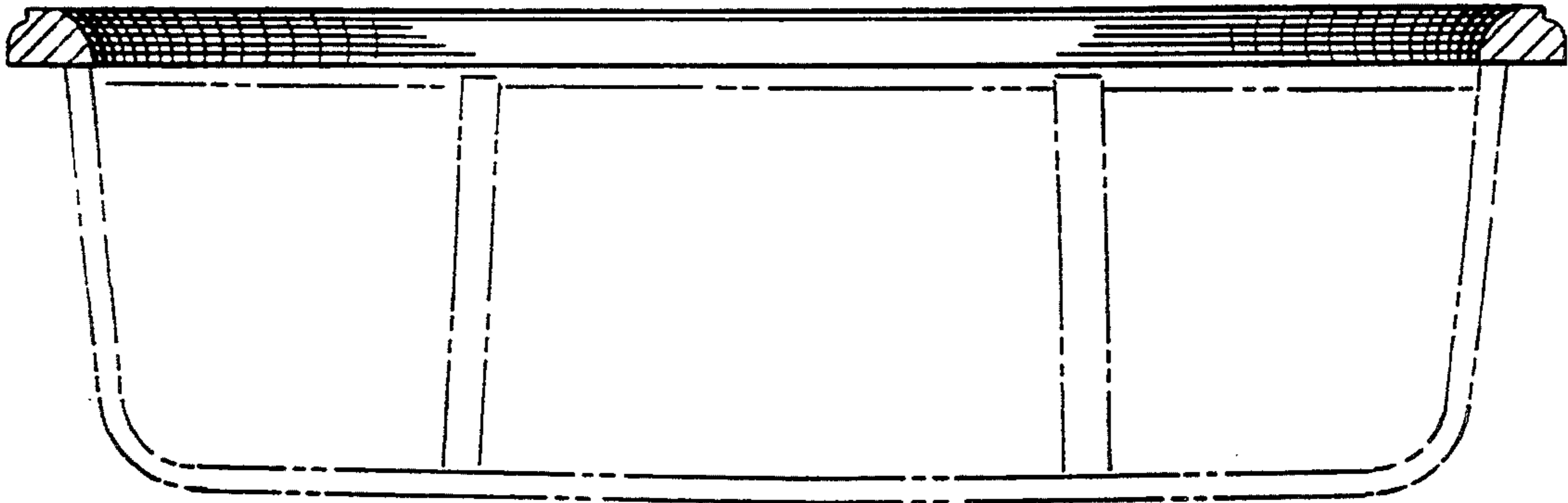
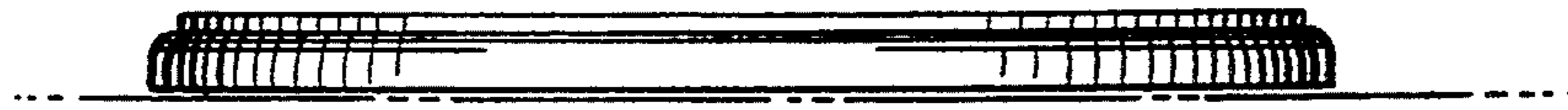


FIG. 5

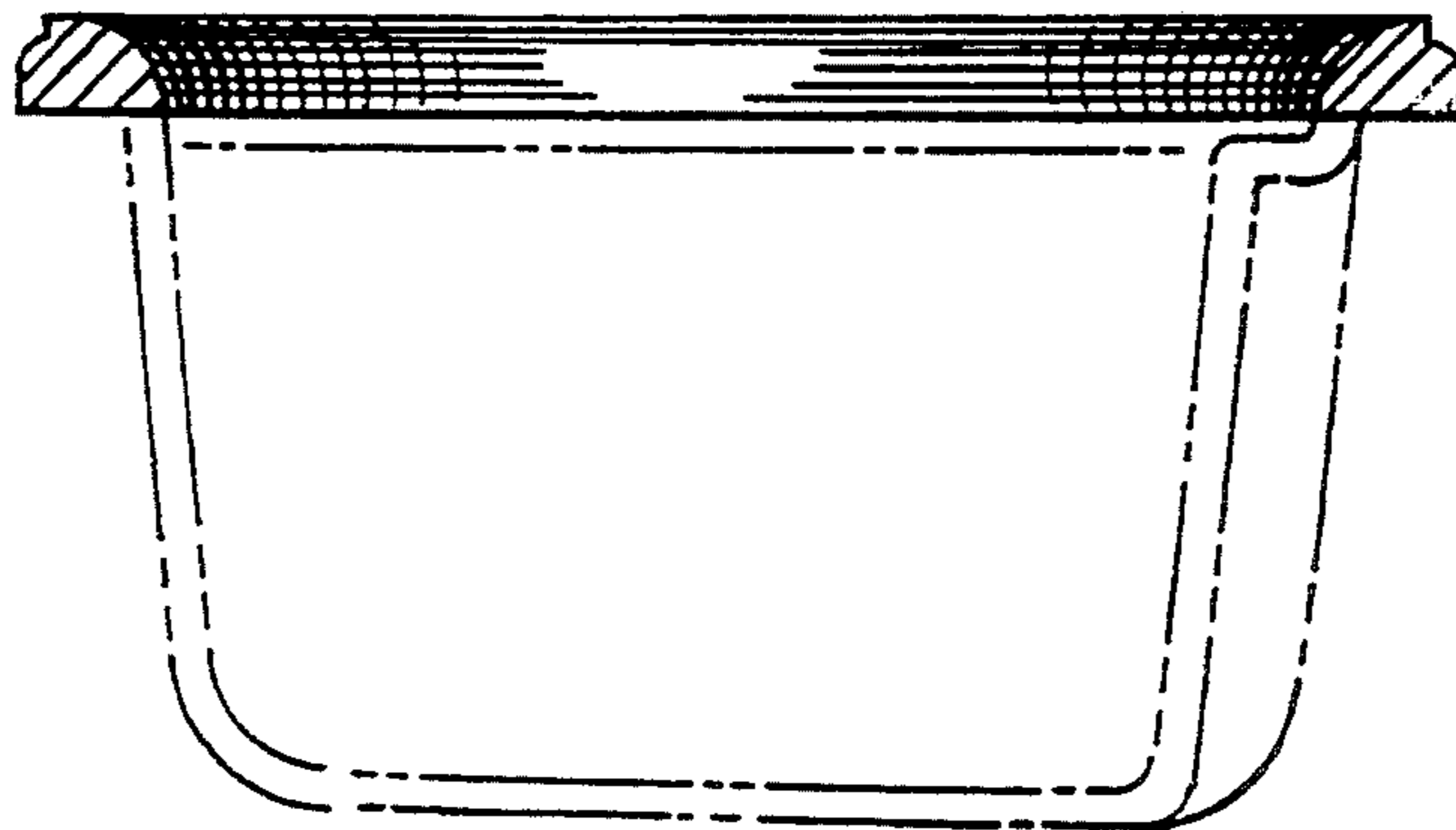


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