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[54] **STEP BUMPER HITCH WITH HITCH PLATE OPENINGS**

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The ornamental design for a step bumper hitch with hitch plate openings, as shown.

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### DESCRIPTION

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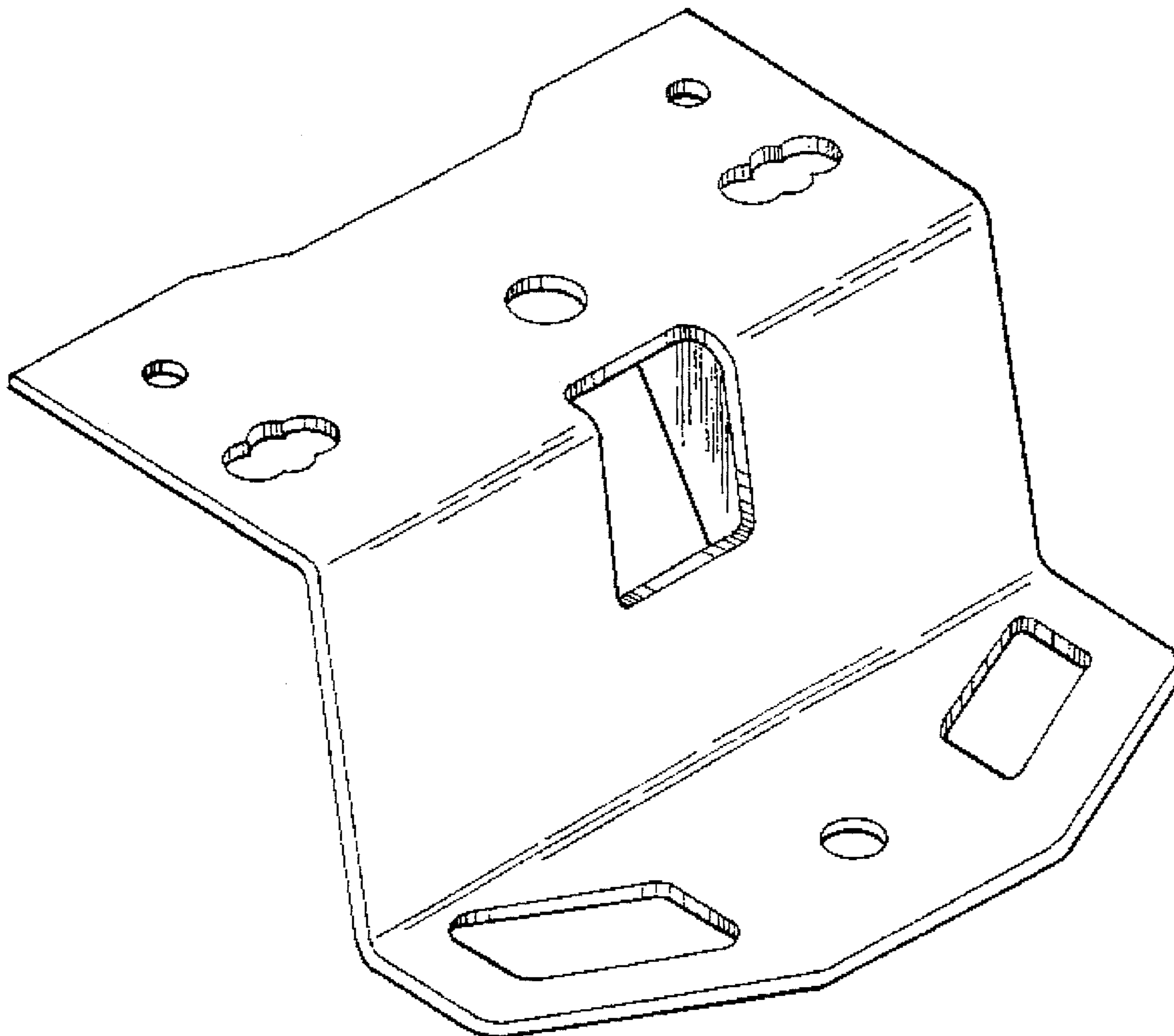
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the step bumper hitch with hitch plate openings of the present invention;  
FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view, the right side elevational view being substantially a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; and,  
FIG. 6 is a front elevational view thereof.

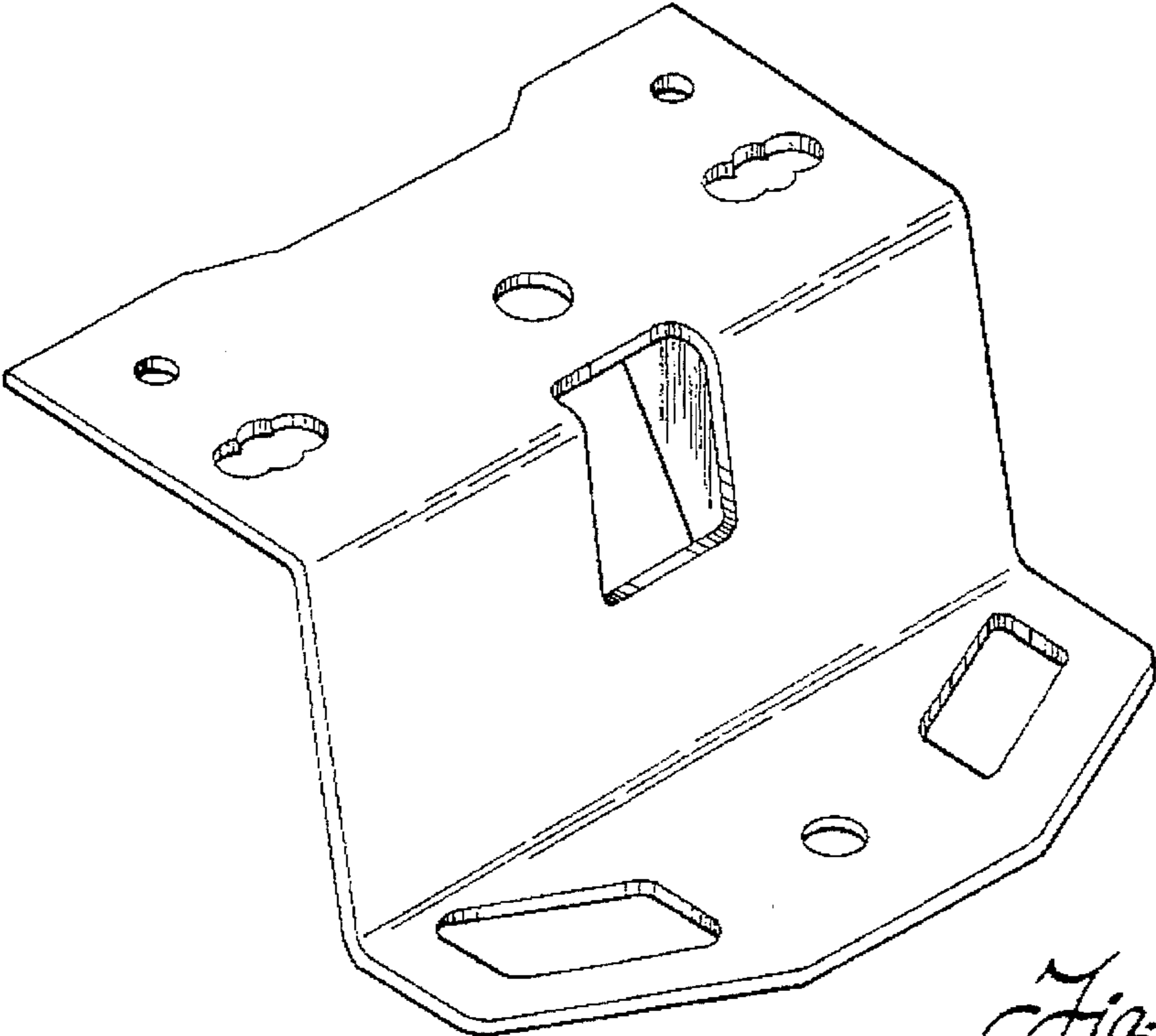
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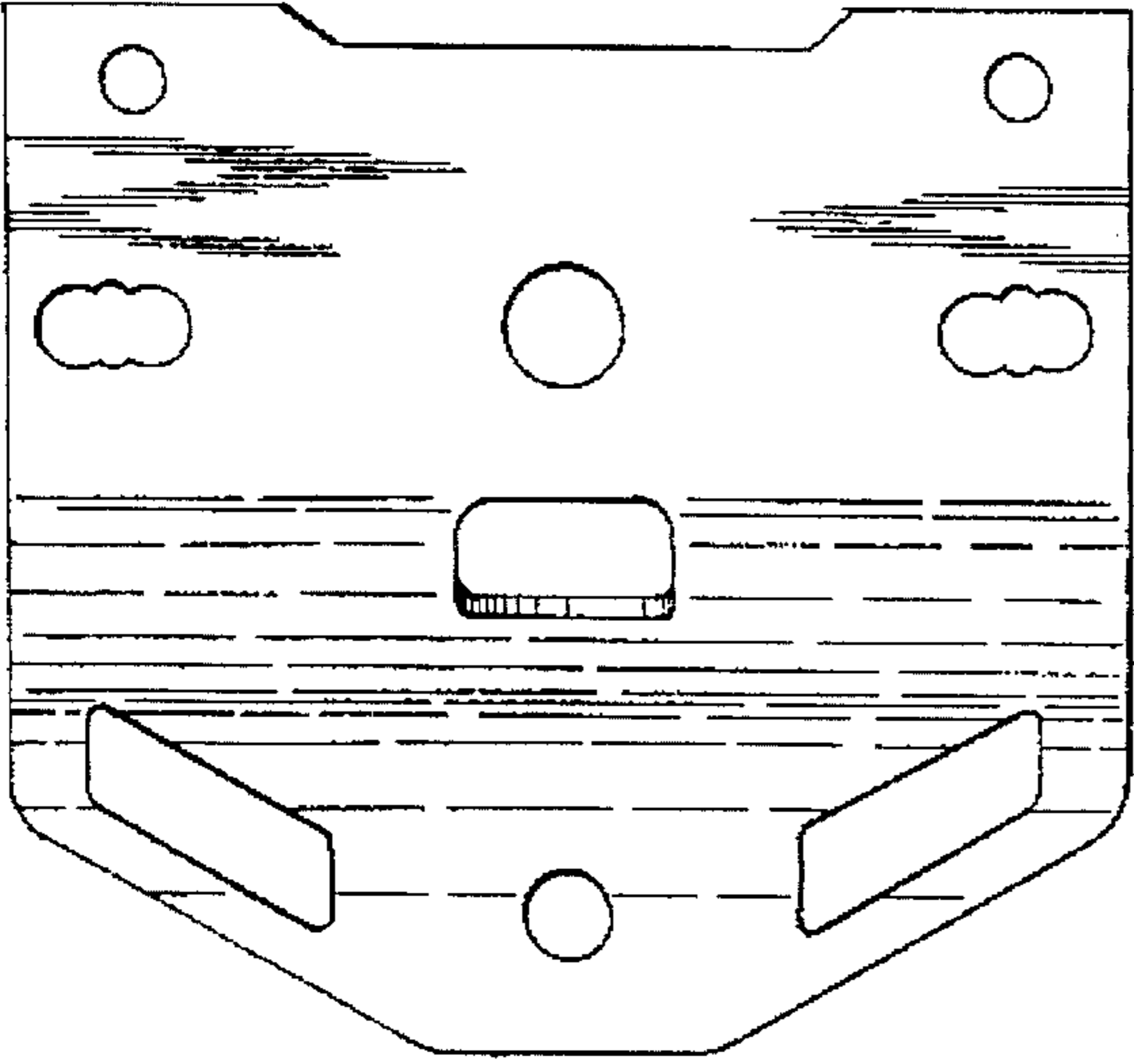
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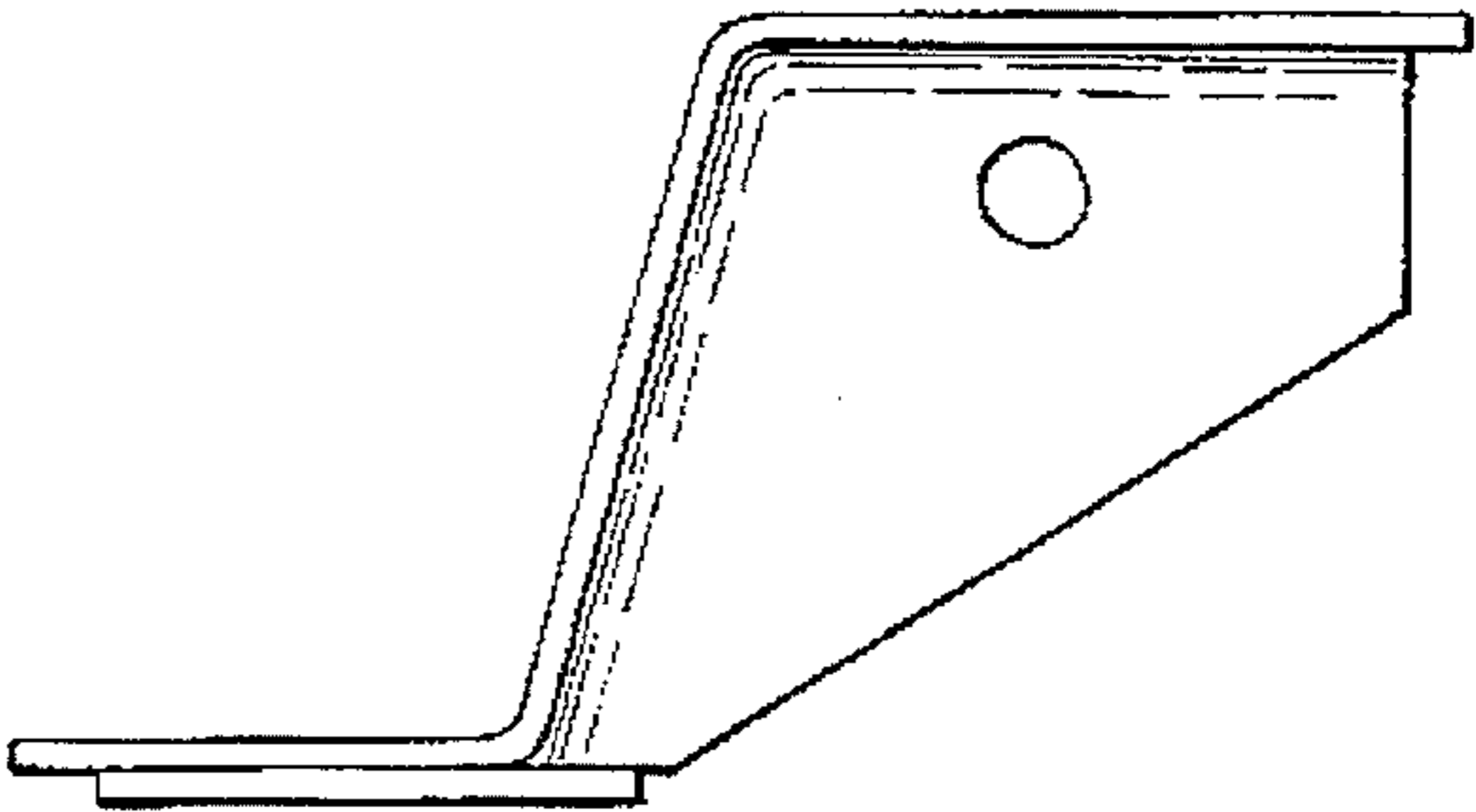




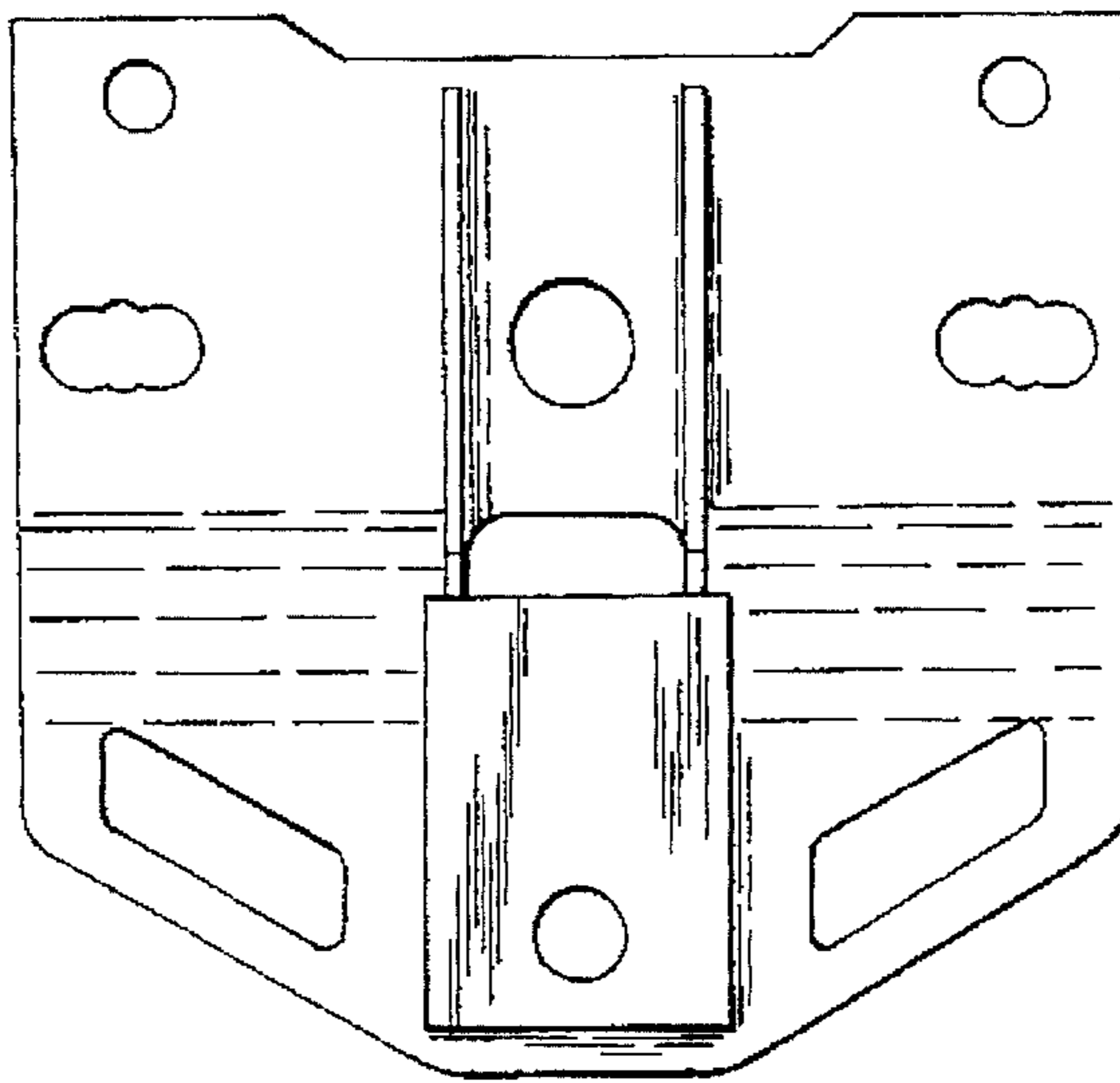
*Fig. 1*



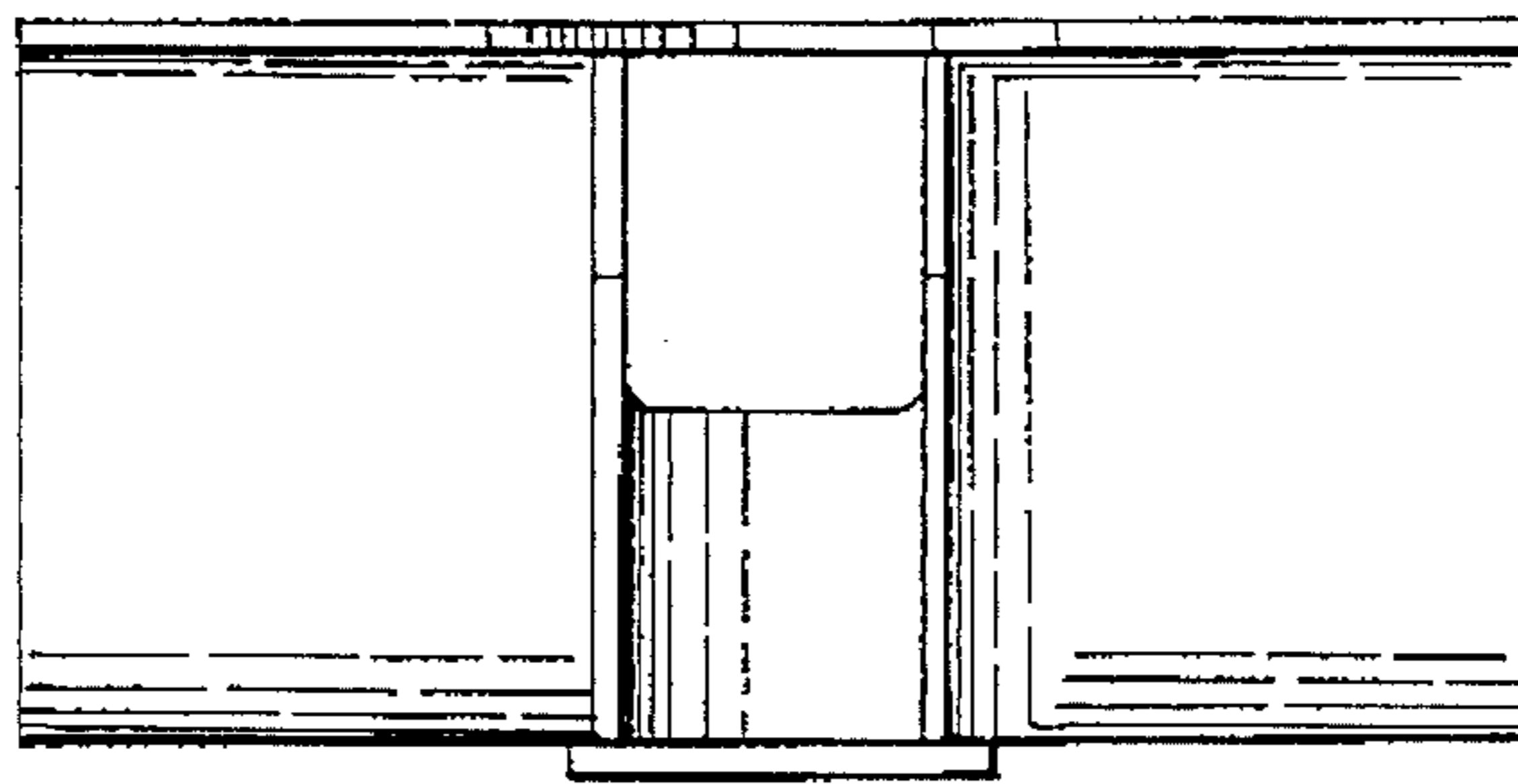
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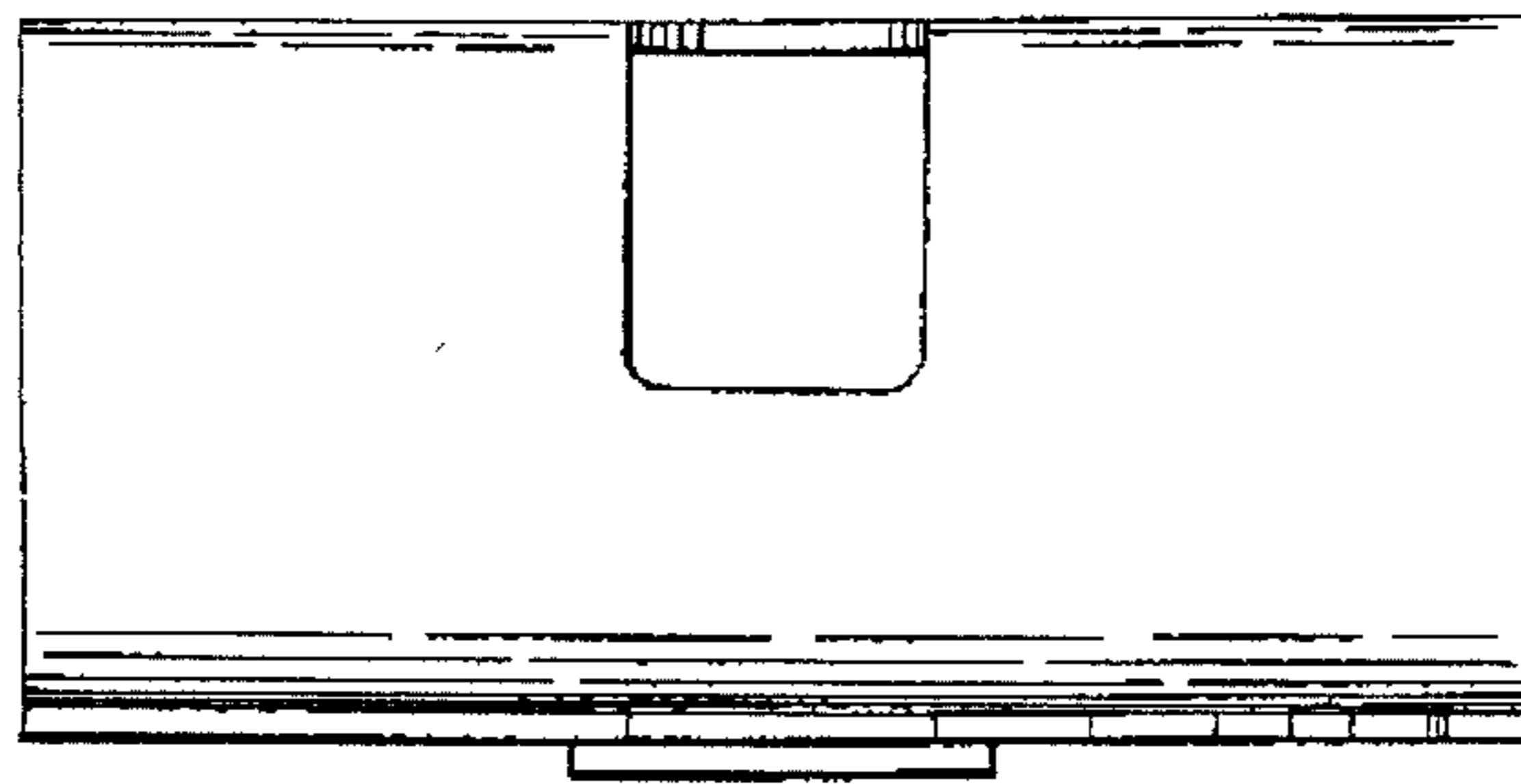
*Fig. 3*



*Fig. 3*



*Fig. 5*



*Fig. 6*