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[54] **SIDE ELEMENT OF A SHOE UPPER**  
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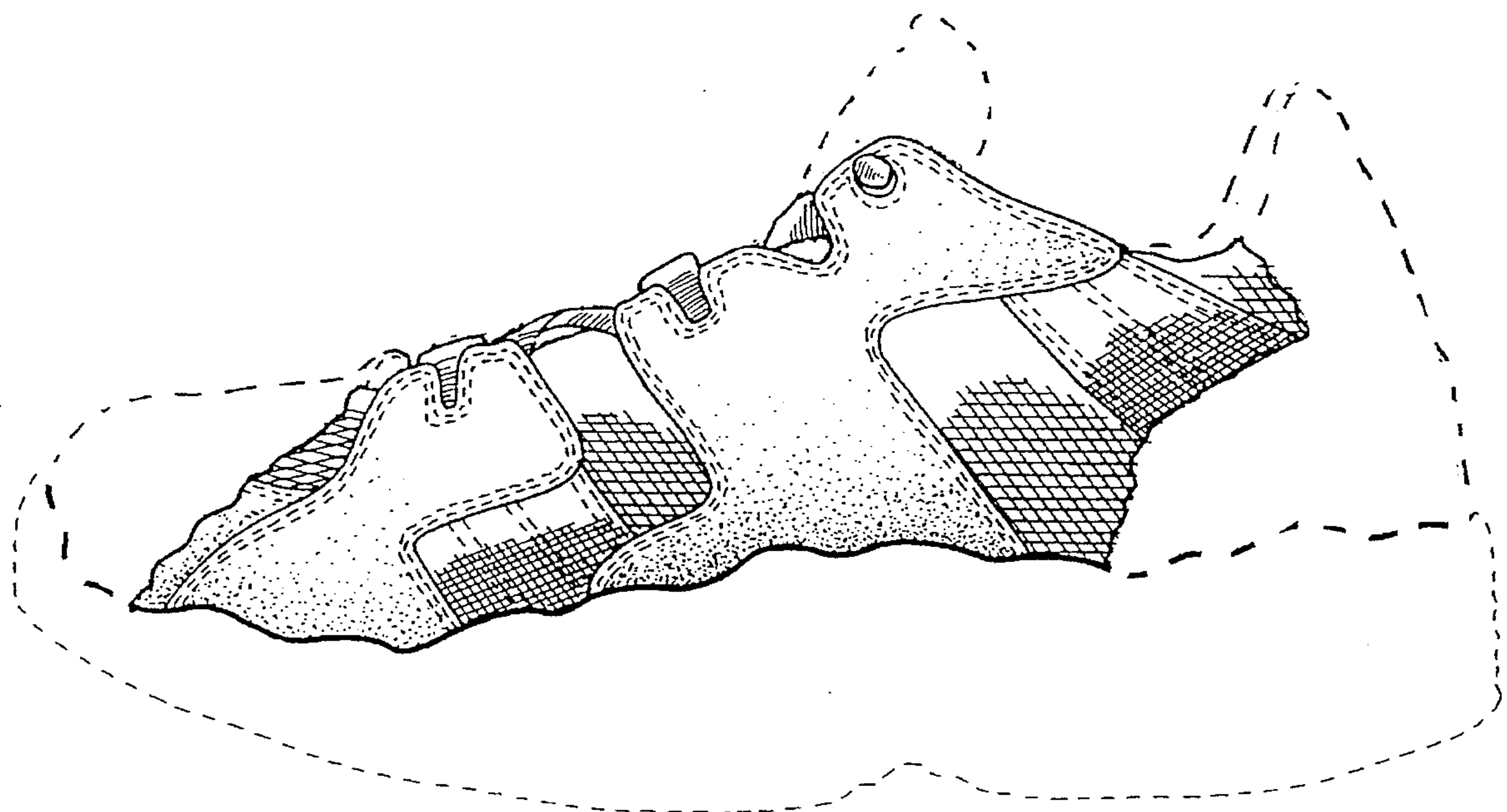
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a side element of a shoe upper, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a side elevational view of one side of a shoe upper having a side element showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of the shoe upper having the side element shown in FIG. 1; and, FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the shoe upper having the side element shown in FIG. 1. The broken line showing of a shoe sole and the remainder of the shoe upper is for illustrative purposes and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



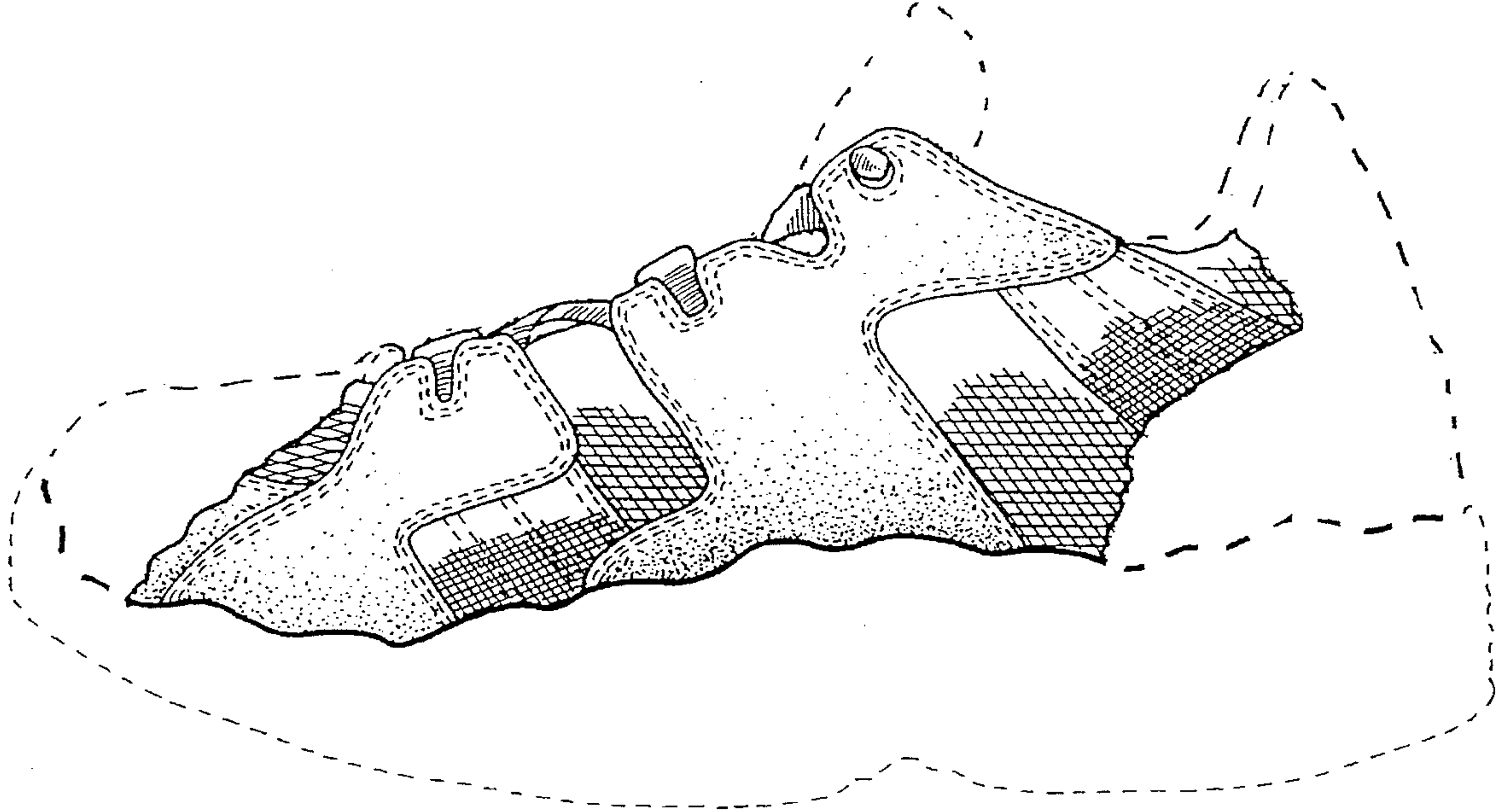


FIG. 1

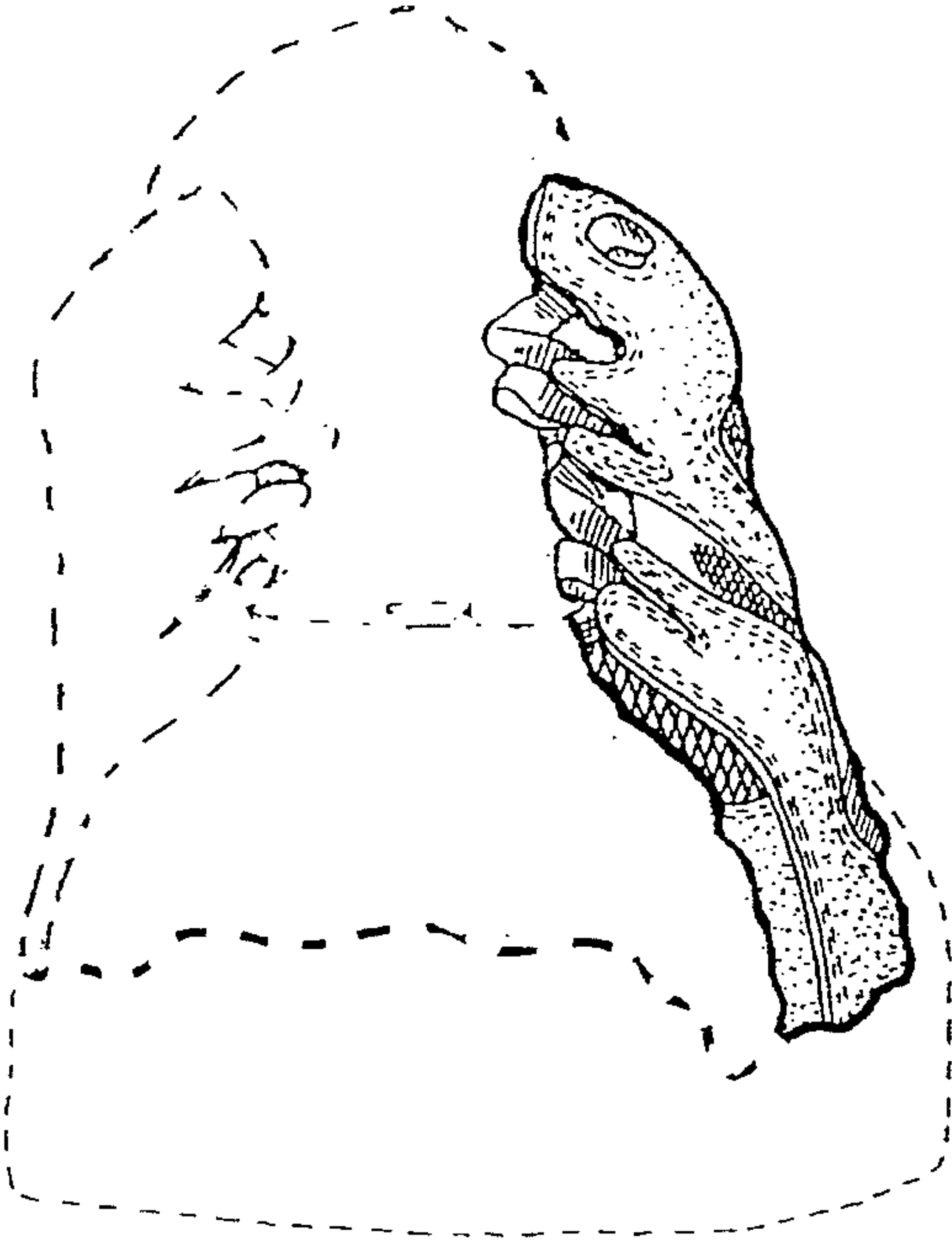


FIG. 2

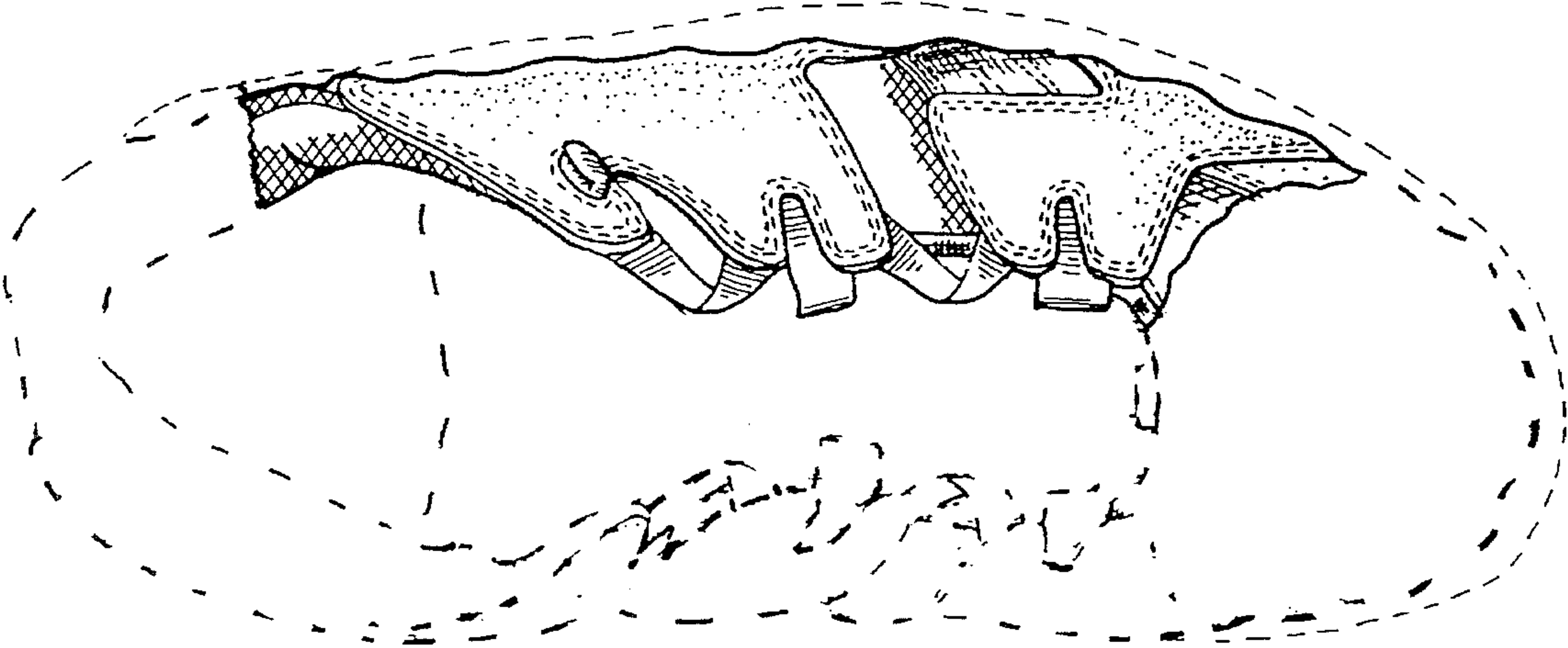


FIG. 3