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[54] **SHIN GUARD**

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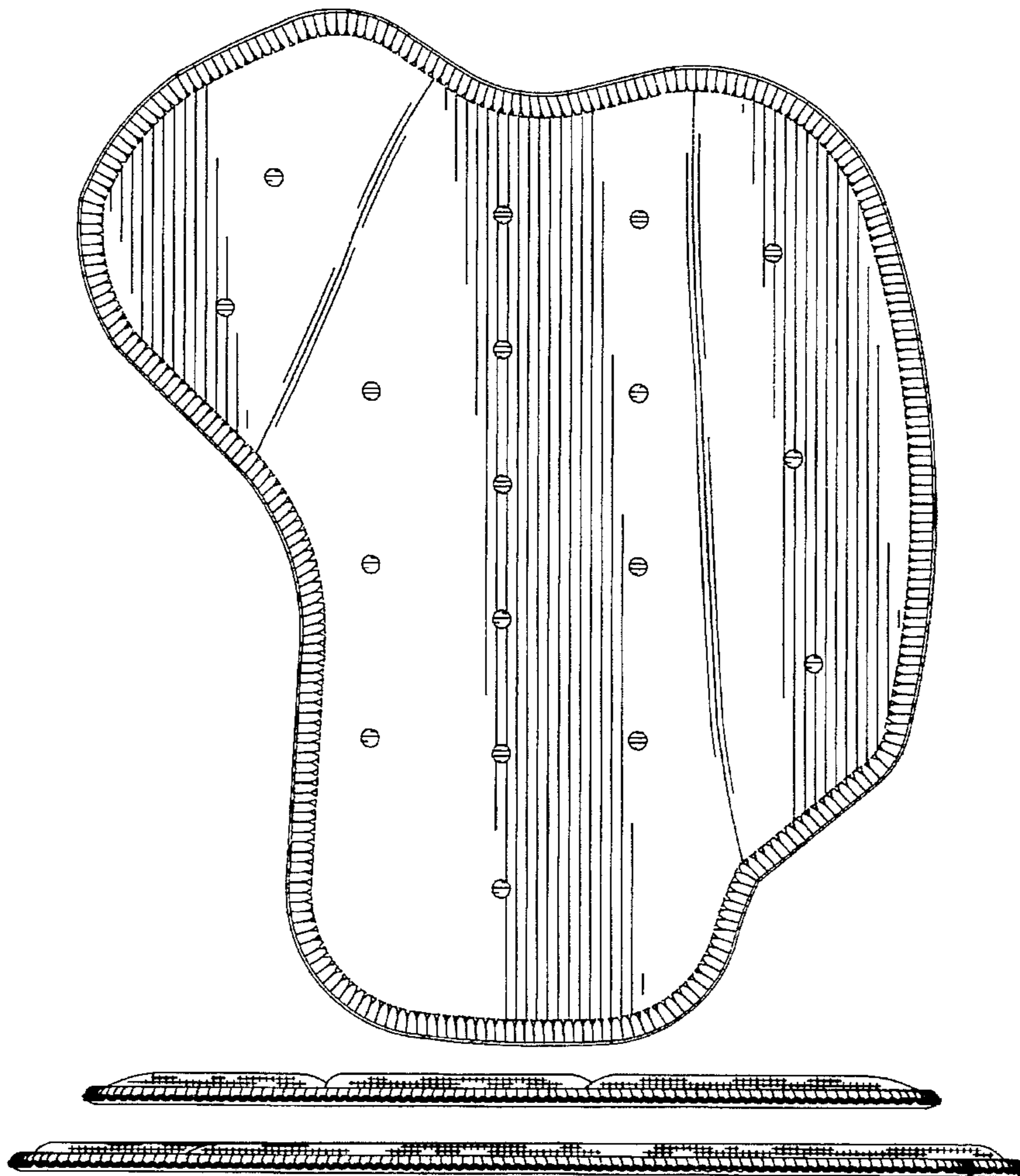
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a shin guard, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom plan view of a shin guard showing our new design;
 FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a top end view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a bottom end view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof; and,
 FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof.
 The crosshatch surface shading is understood to repeat throughout the indicated area in FIGS. 1 and 3-6 .

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



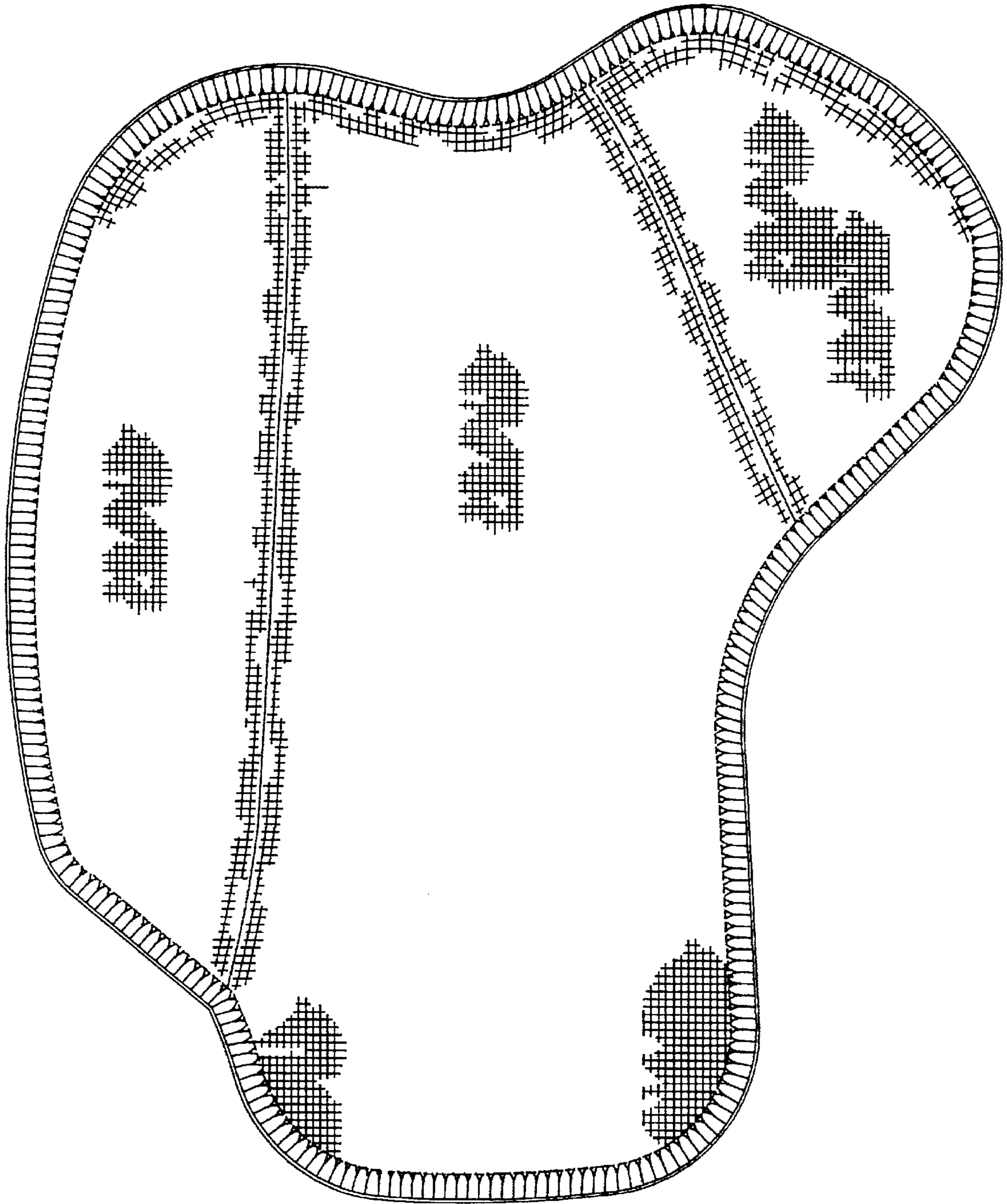


FIG. 1

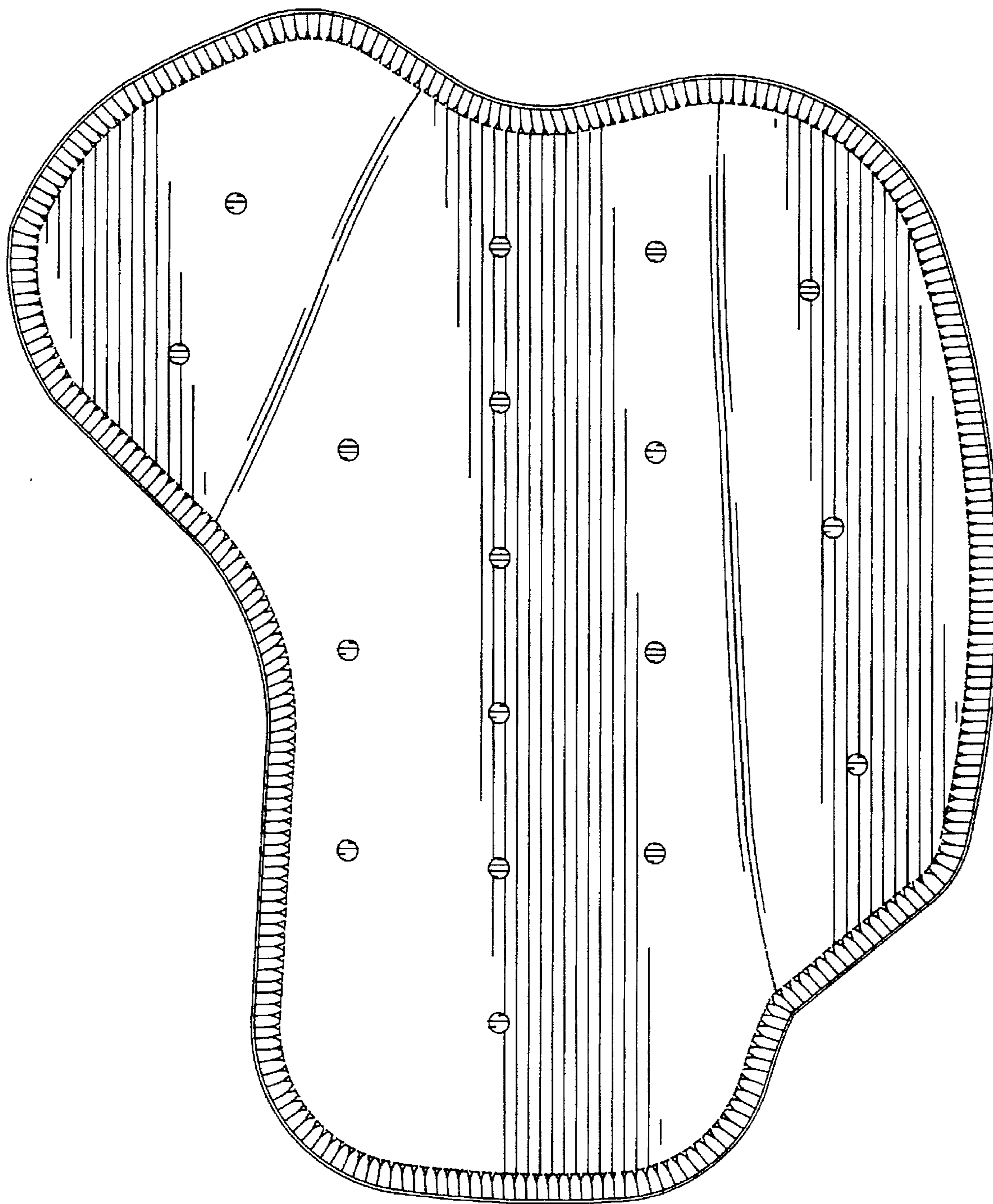


FIG. 2

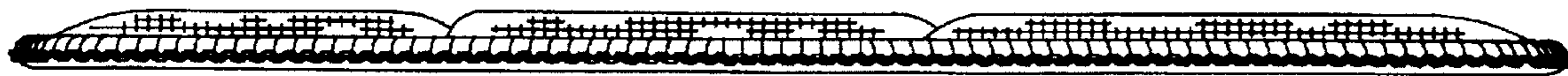


FIG. 3

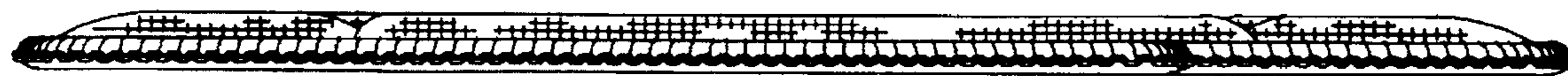


FIG. 4



FIG. 5



FIG. 6