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[54] **PORTION OF A SHOE UPPER**  
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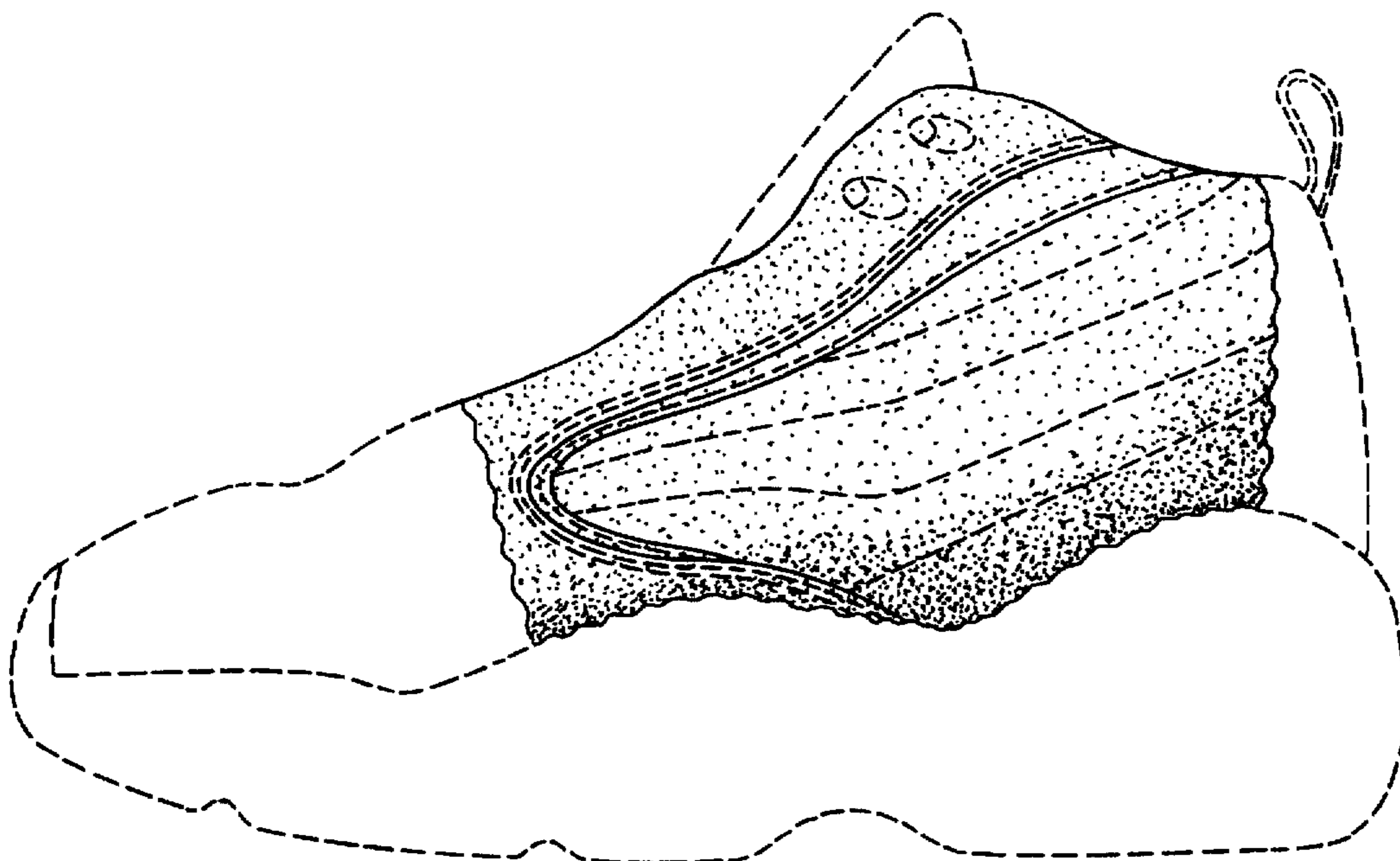
[57] **CLAIM**

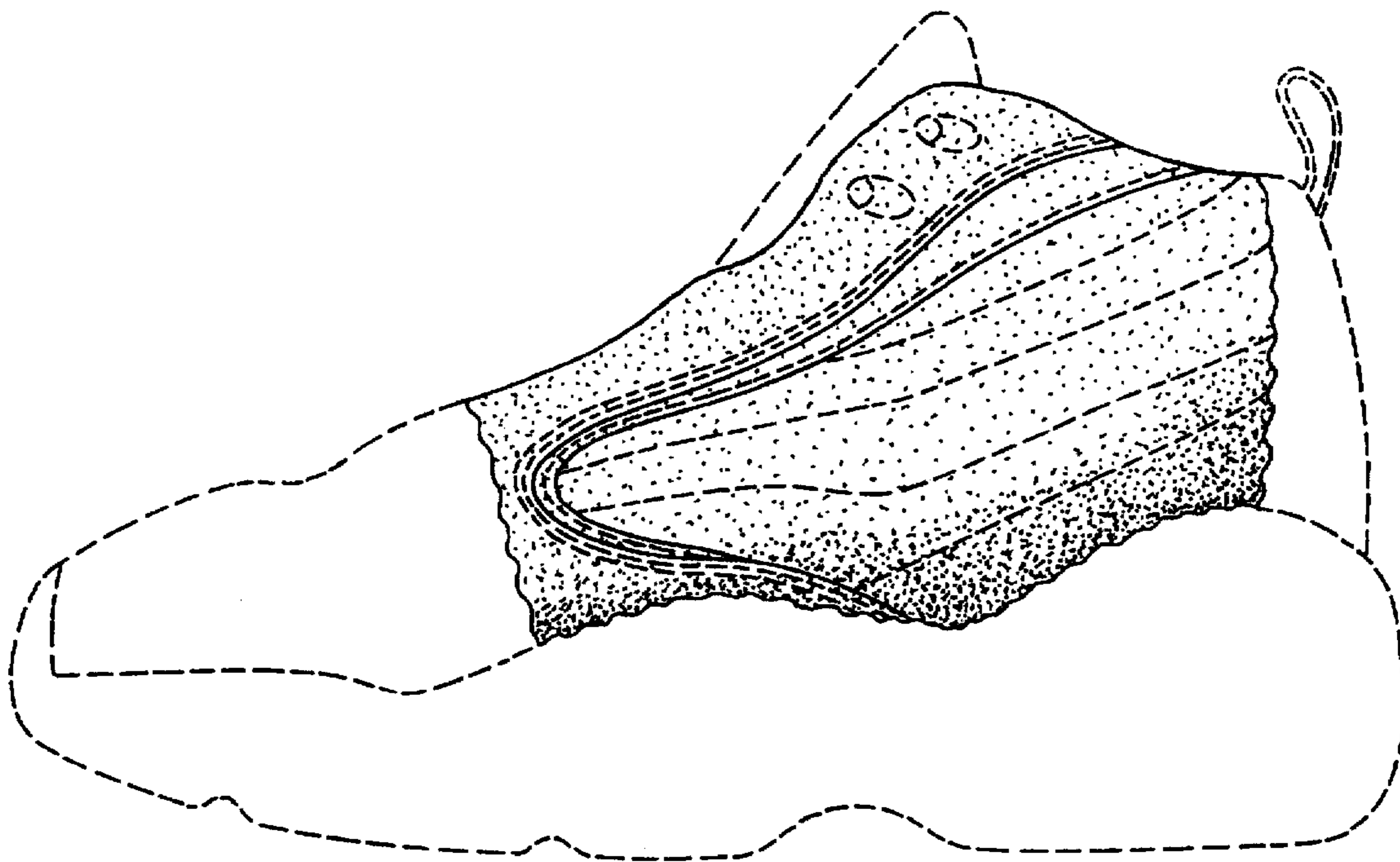
The ornamental design for a portion of a shoe upper, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

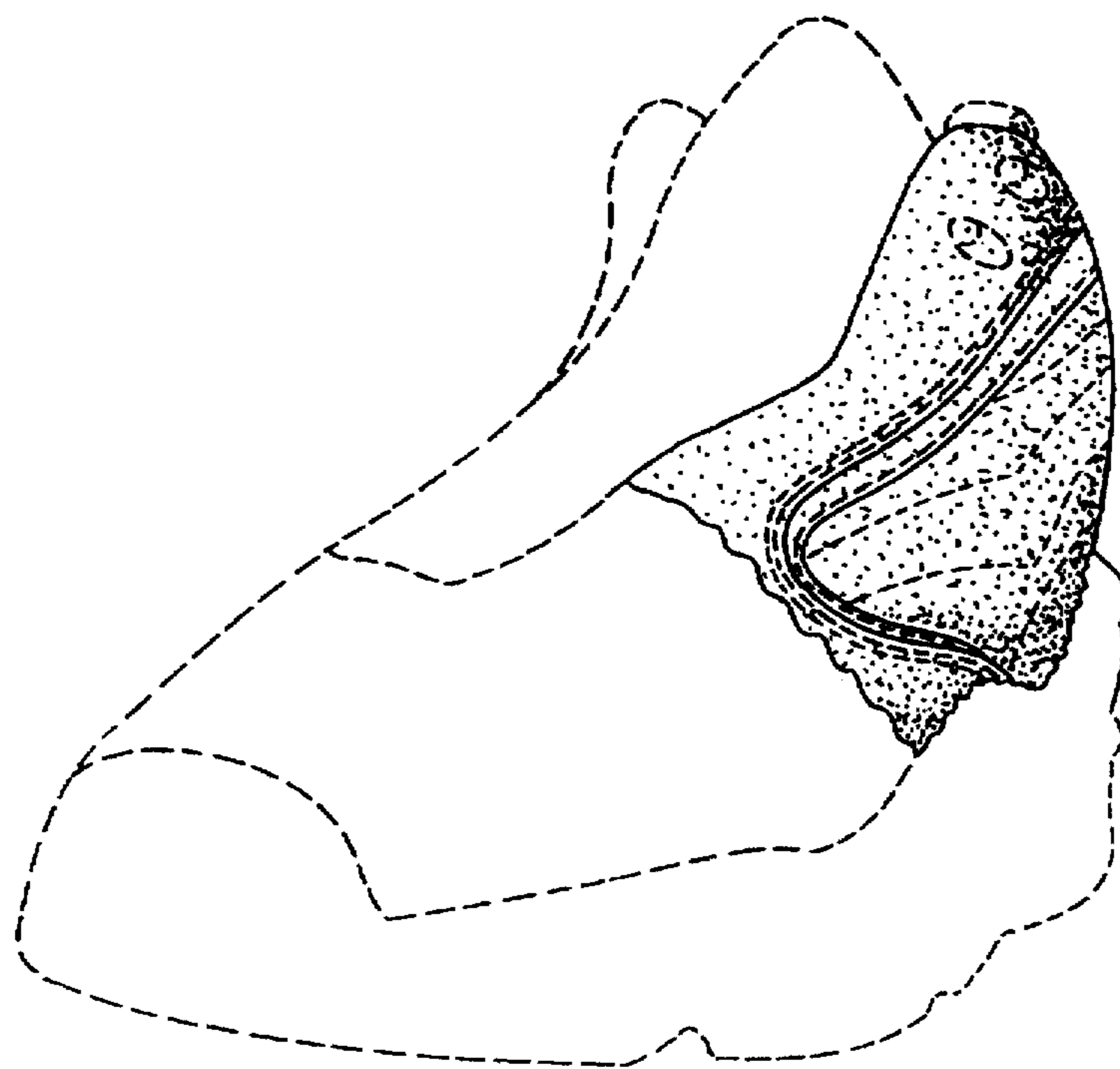
FIG. 1 is a side elevational view of a portion of a shoe upper showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a front perspective view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a rear perspective view thereof; and,  
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof.  
The broken line showing of a shoe sole and the remaining portion of the upper in FIGS. 1-4 is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**

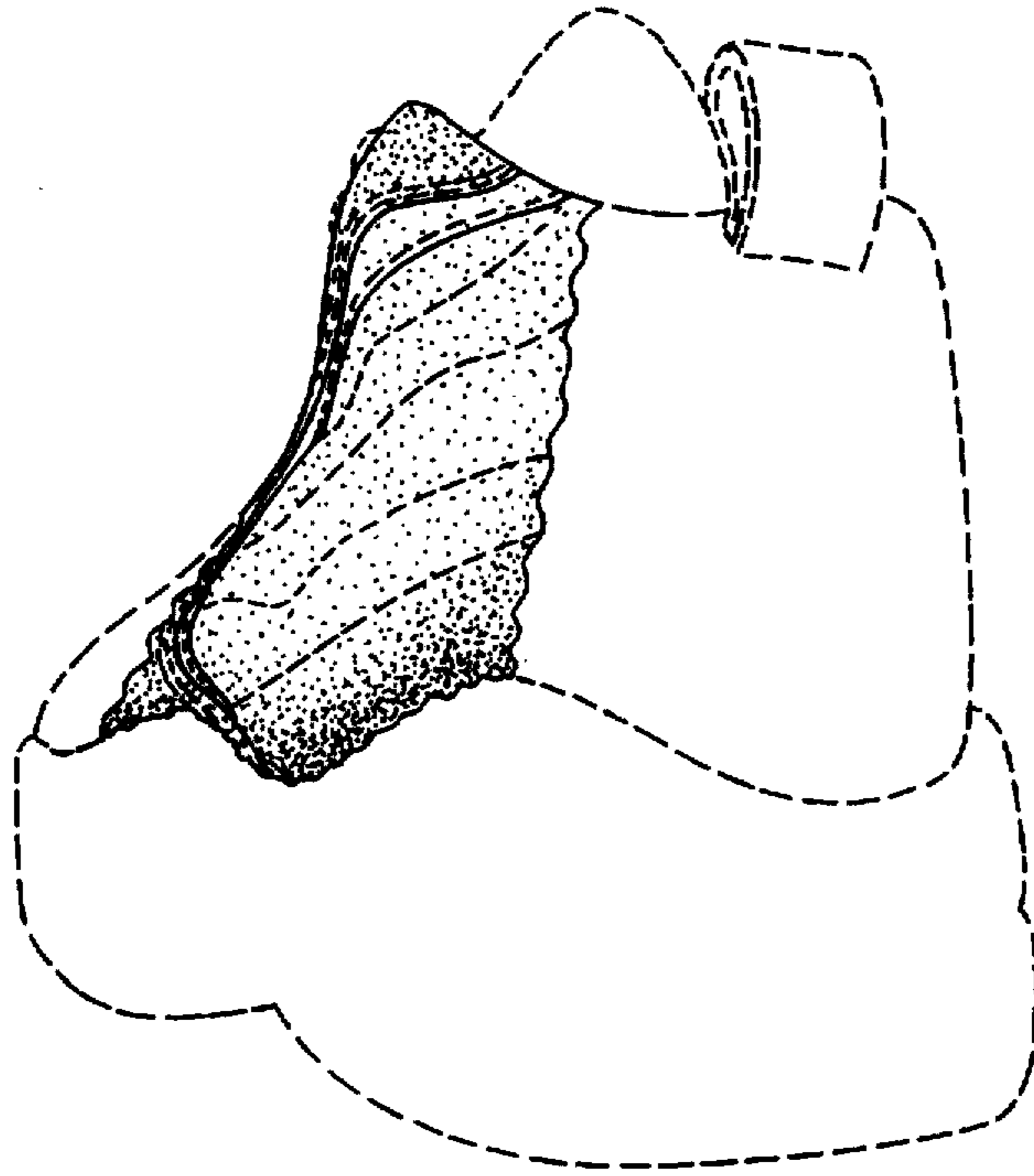




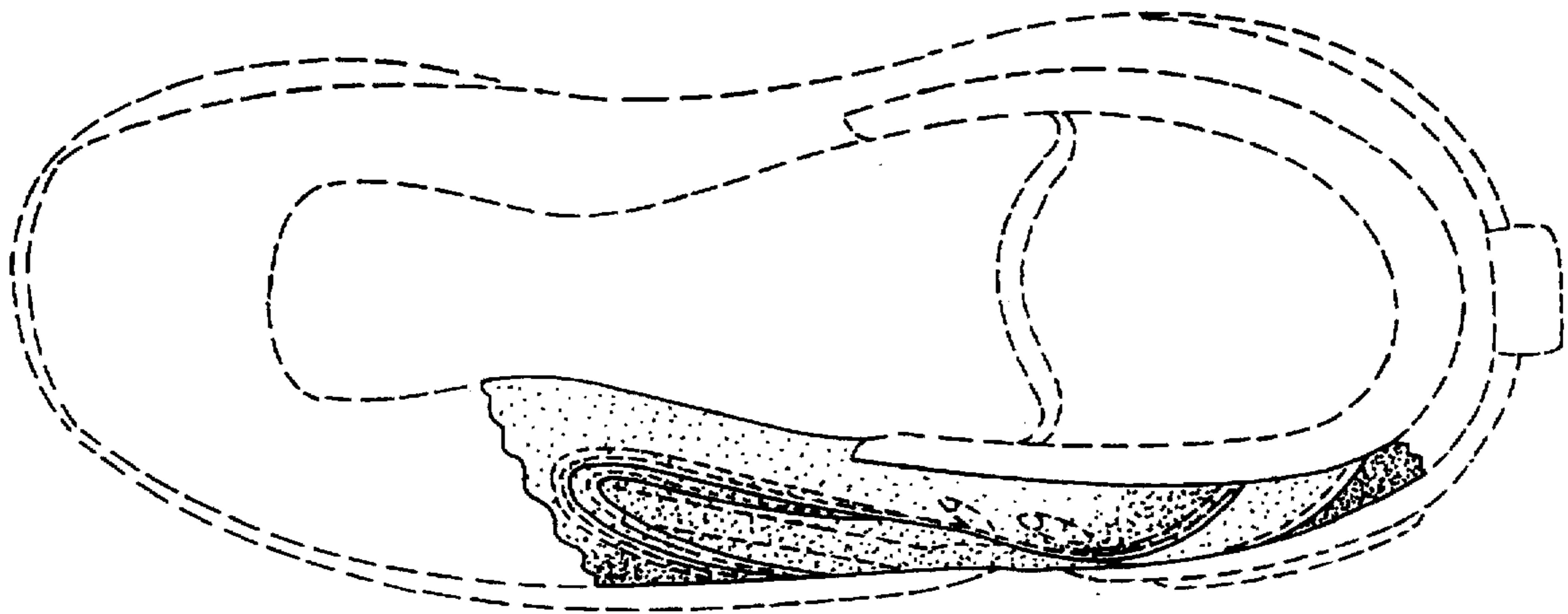
*FIG. 1*



*FIG. 2*



*FIG. 3*



*FIG. 4*