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**[54] AGENT ICON FOR A DISPLAY SCREEN OF A PROGRAMMED COMPUTER SYSTEM**

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**[57] CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an agent icon for a display screen of a programmed computer system, as shown and described.

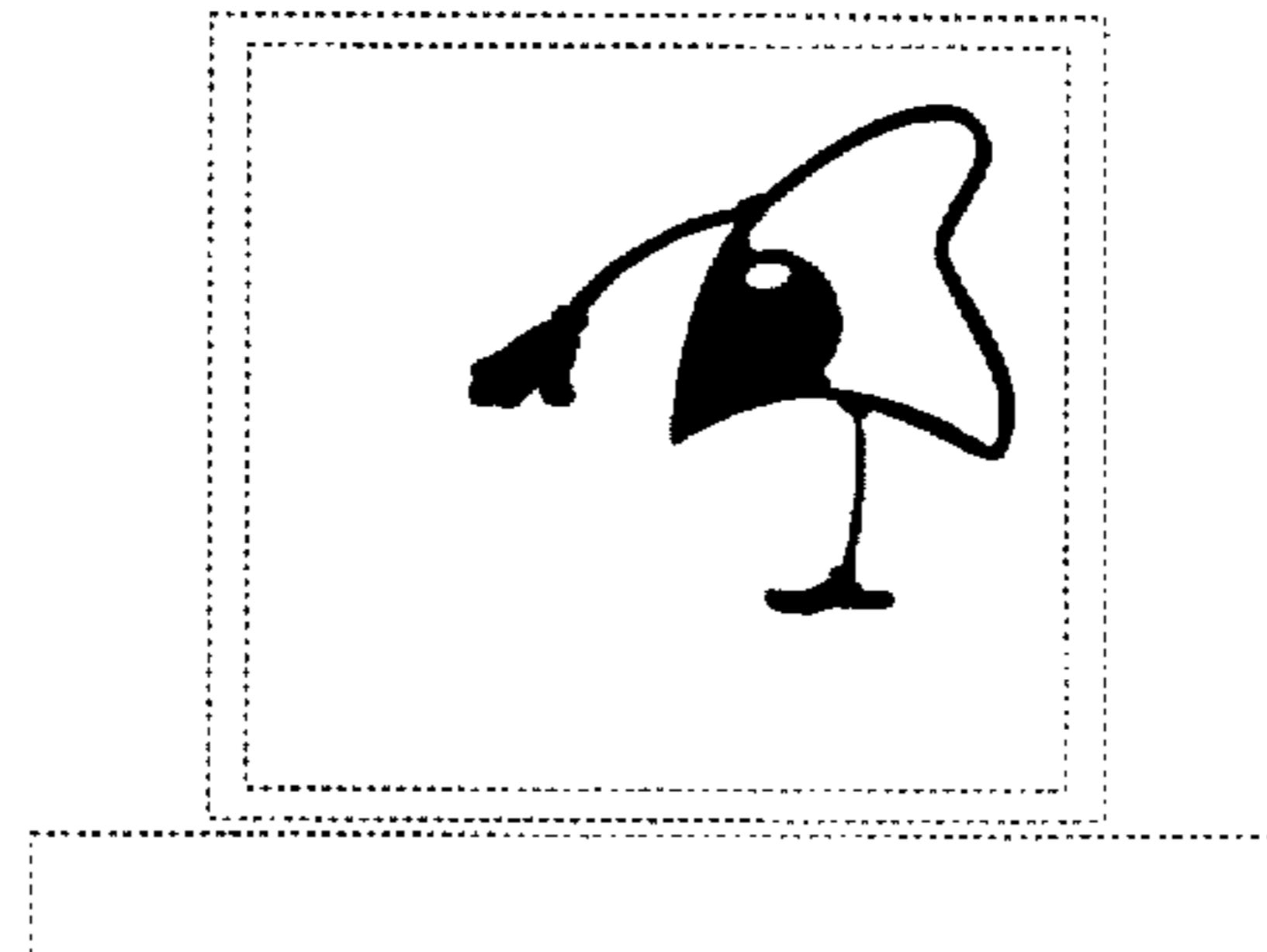
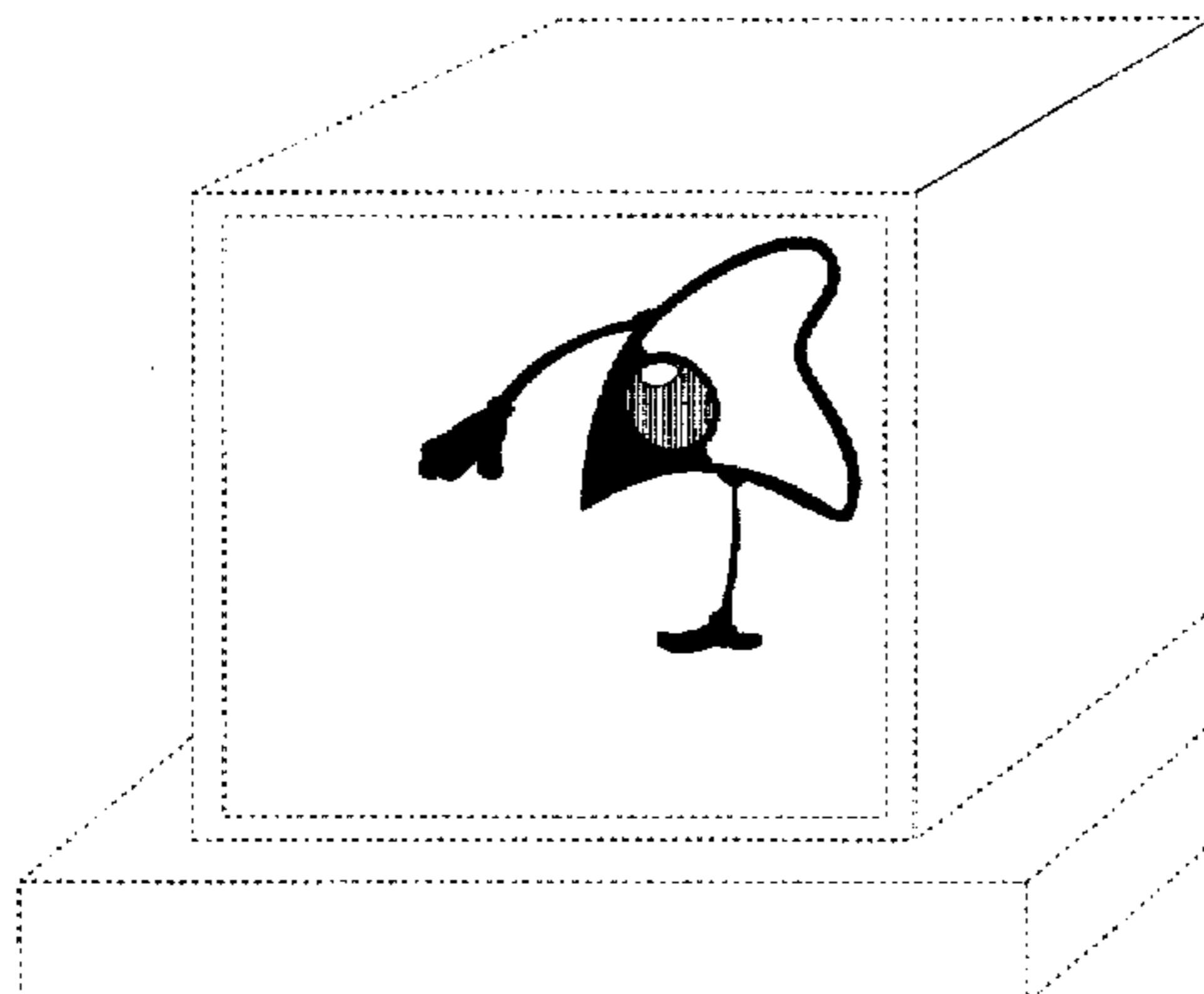
**DESCRIPTION**

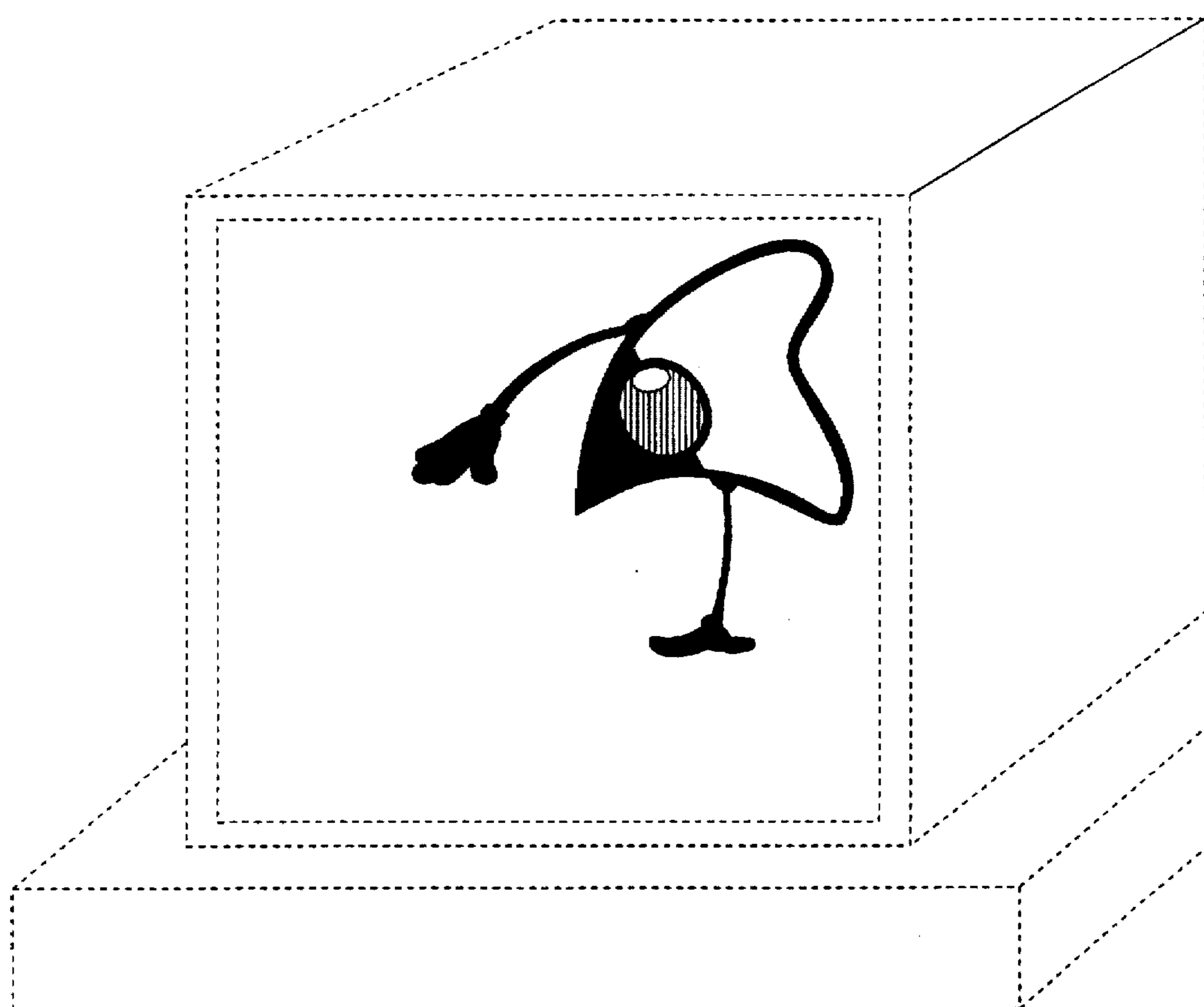
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a first embodiment of an agent icon for a display screen of a programmed computer system showing our new design, the vertical lining on the oval nose portion being understood to represent the color red;

FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof; and,

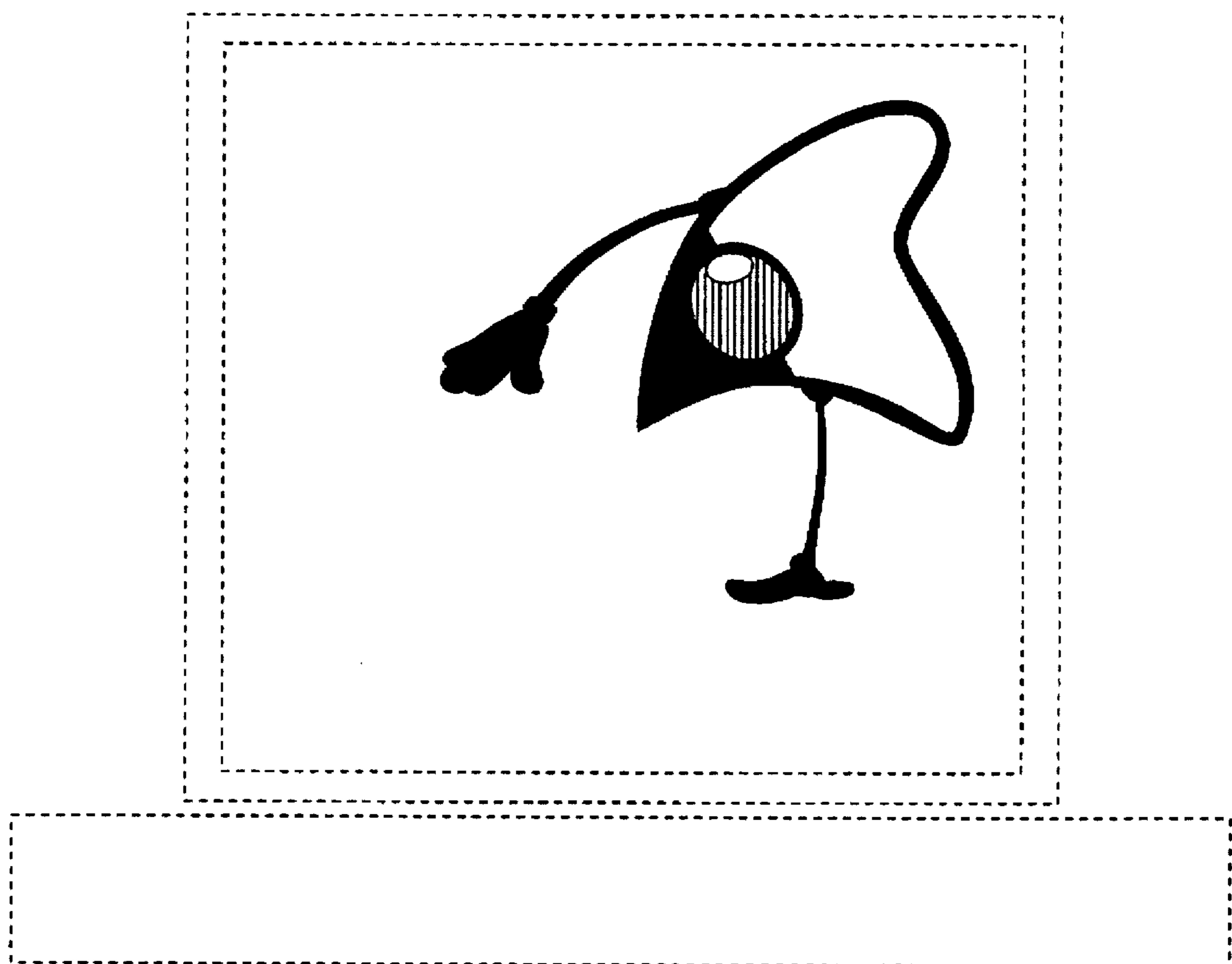
FIG. 3 is a front elevation view of a second embodiment thereof, the difference residing in the lack of color resulting from the display of the icon on a black and white screen display.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**

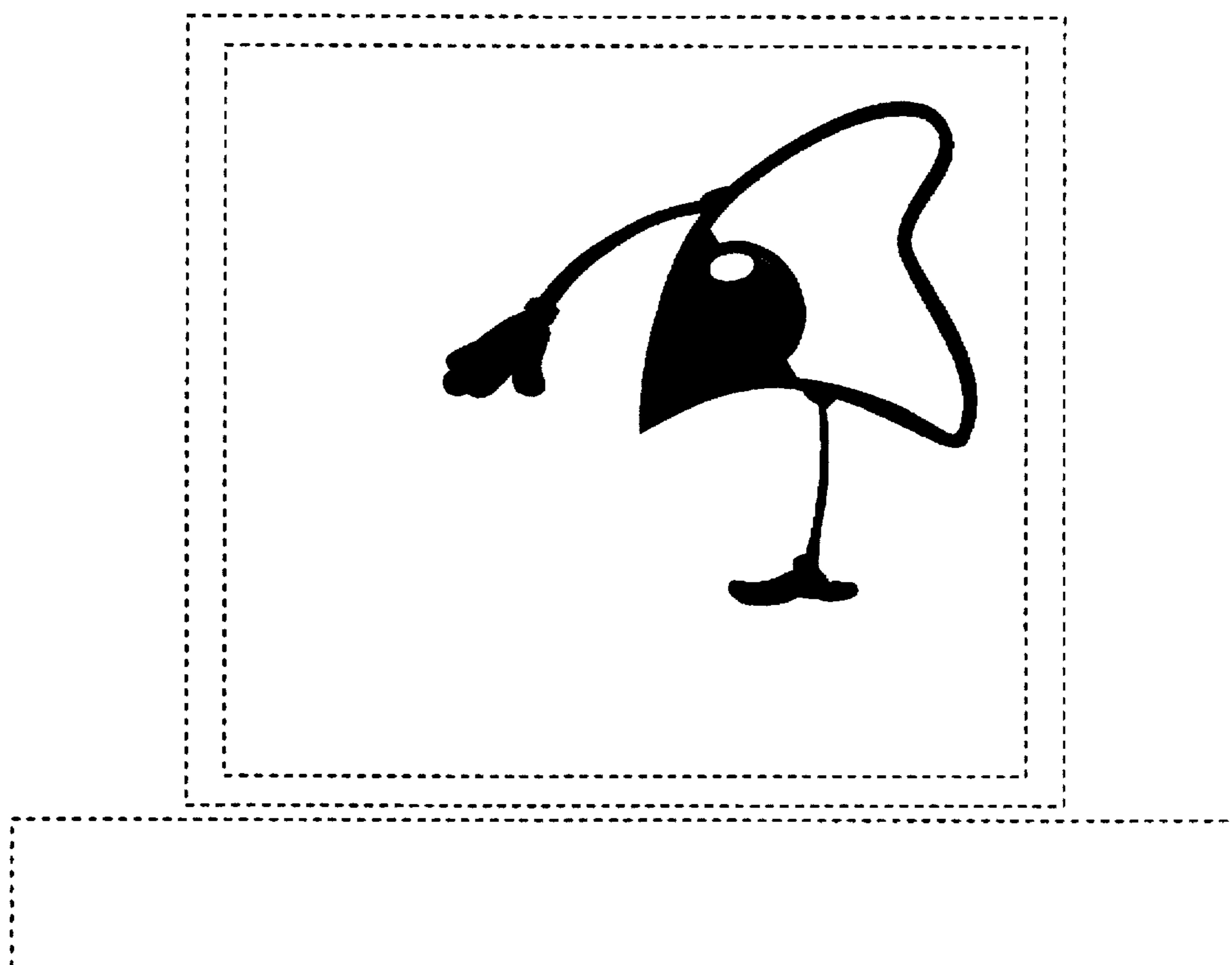




**FIG. 1**



***FIG. 2***



***FIG. 3***