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[54] **ANKLE BRACE**

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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for an ankle brace, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

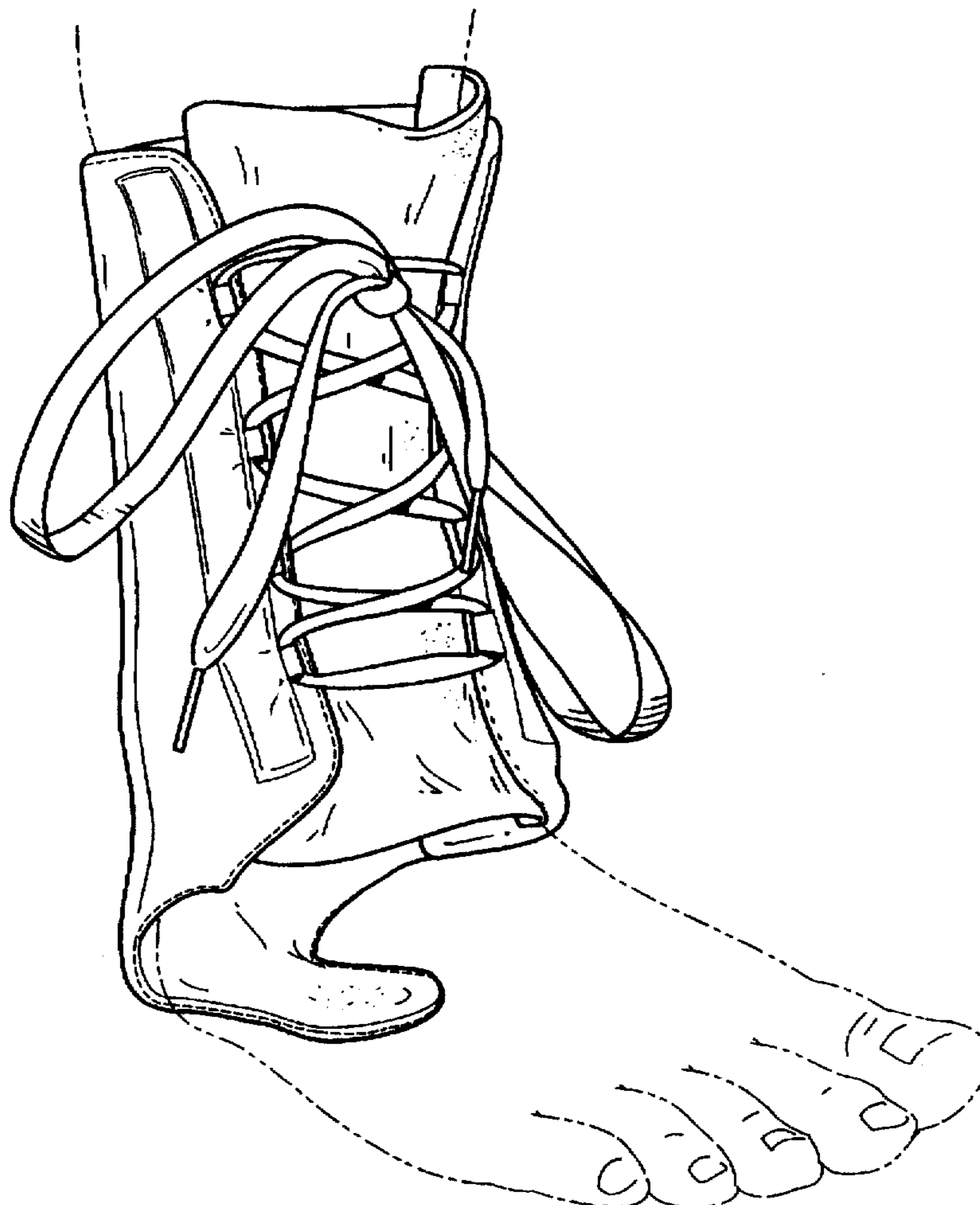
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an ankle brace, showing our new design, in use position; the broken line showing of the foot and ankle is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;
 FIG. 2 is a right side view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a left side view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a front view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a rear view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a top view thereof; and,
 FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.
 The broken lines on the ankle brace represent top-stitching.

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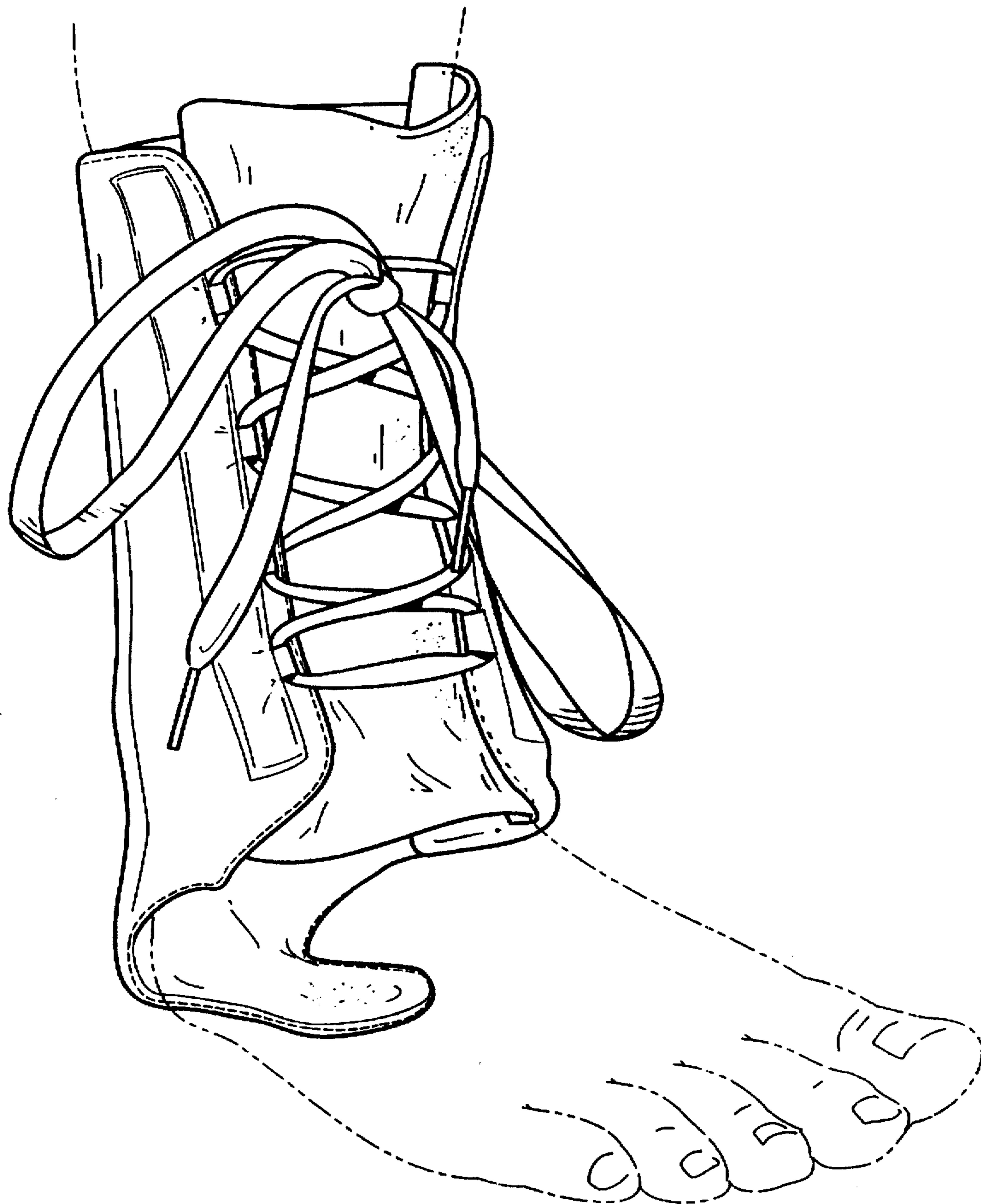


Fig. 1

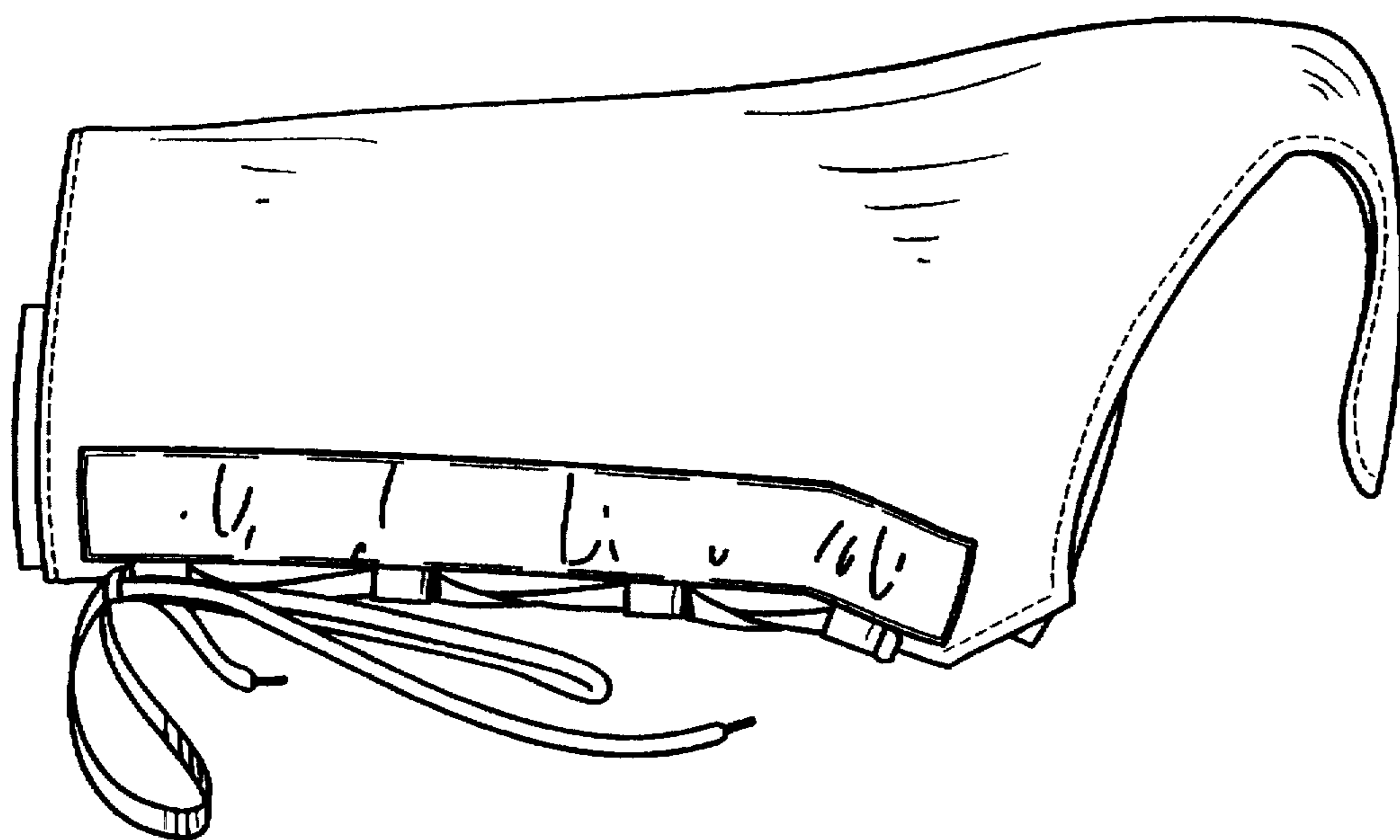


Fig. 3

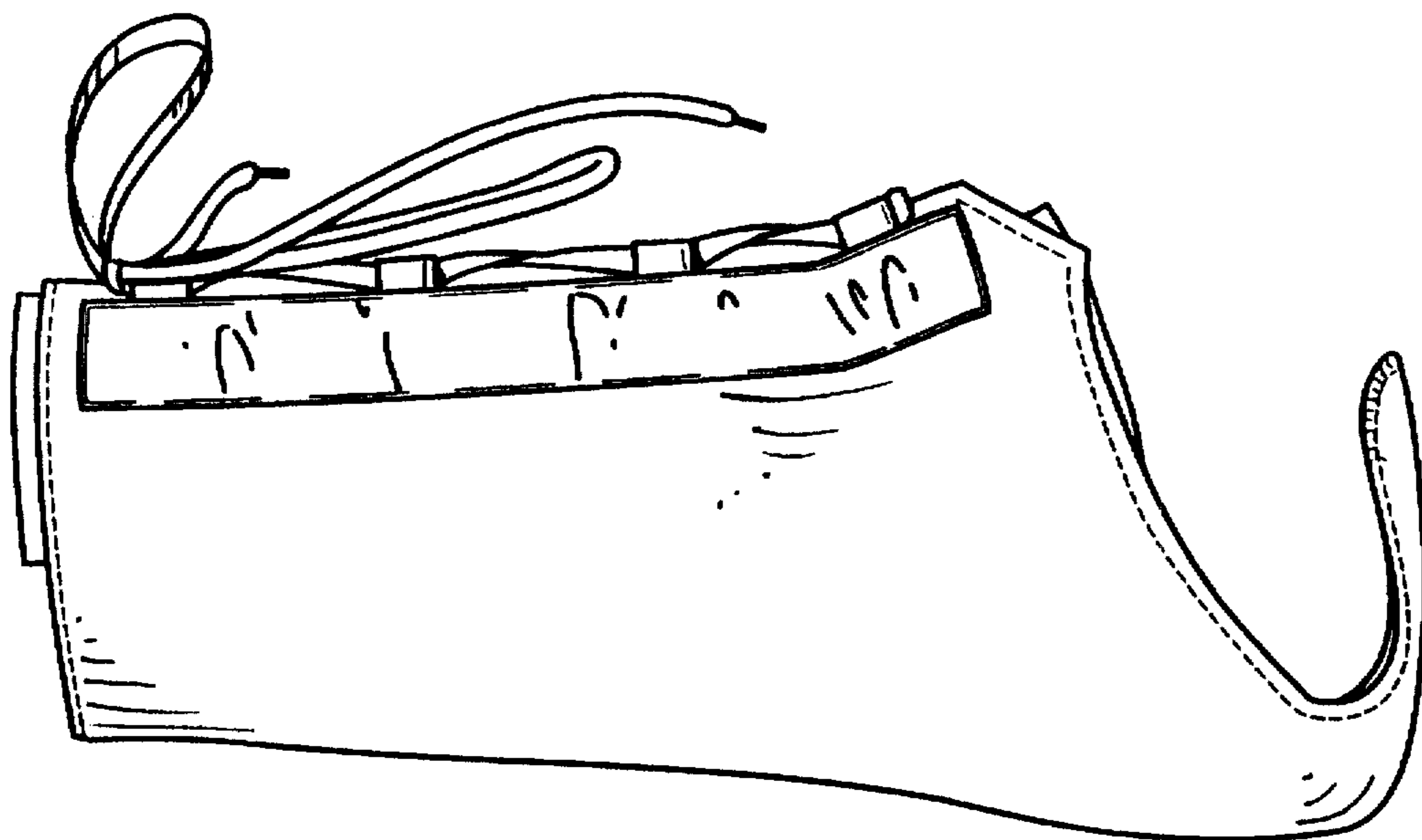


Fig. 2

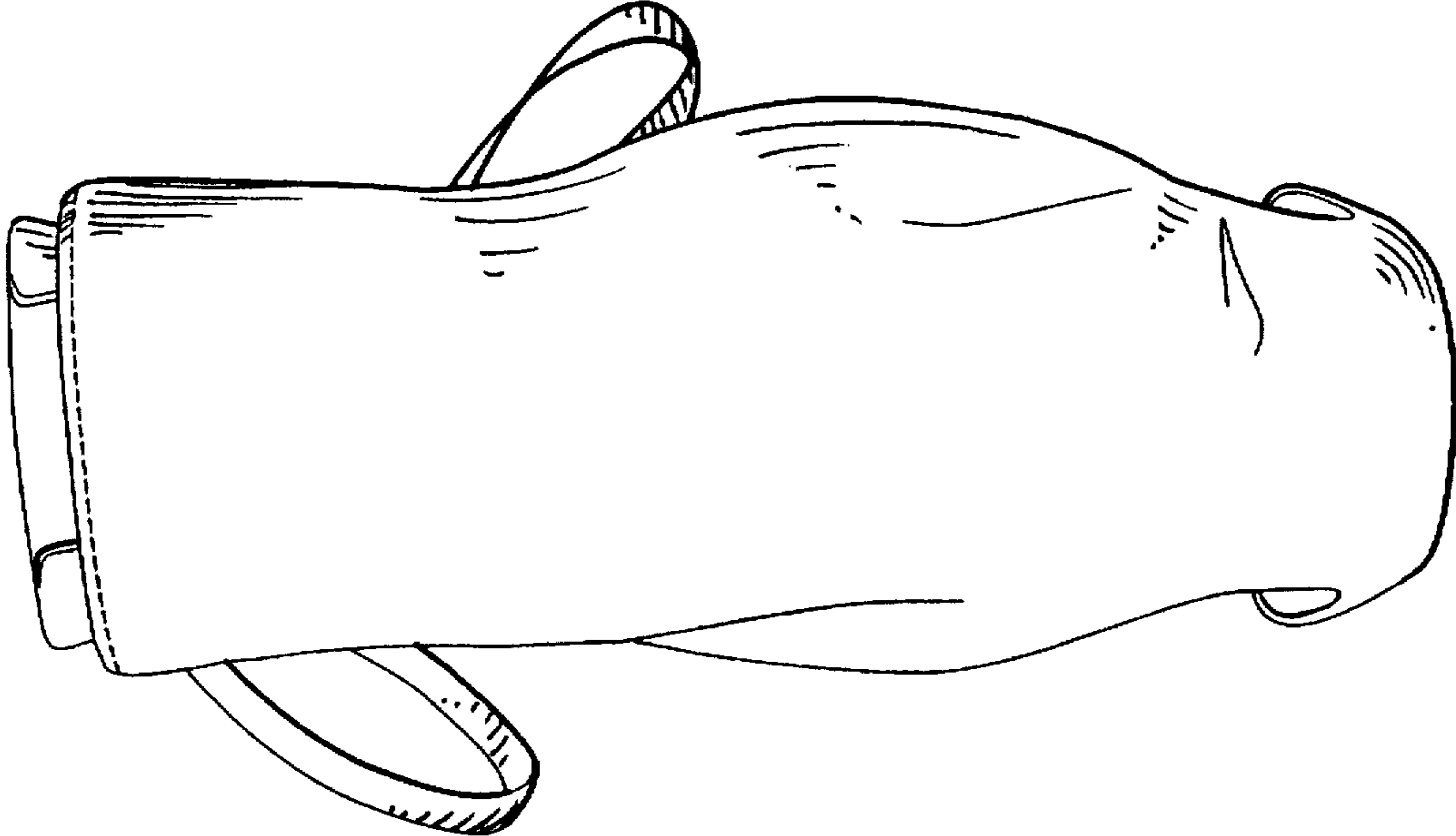


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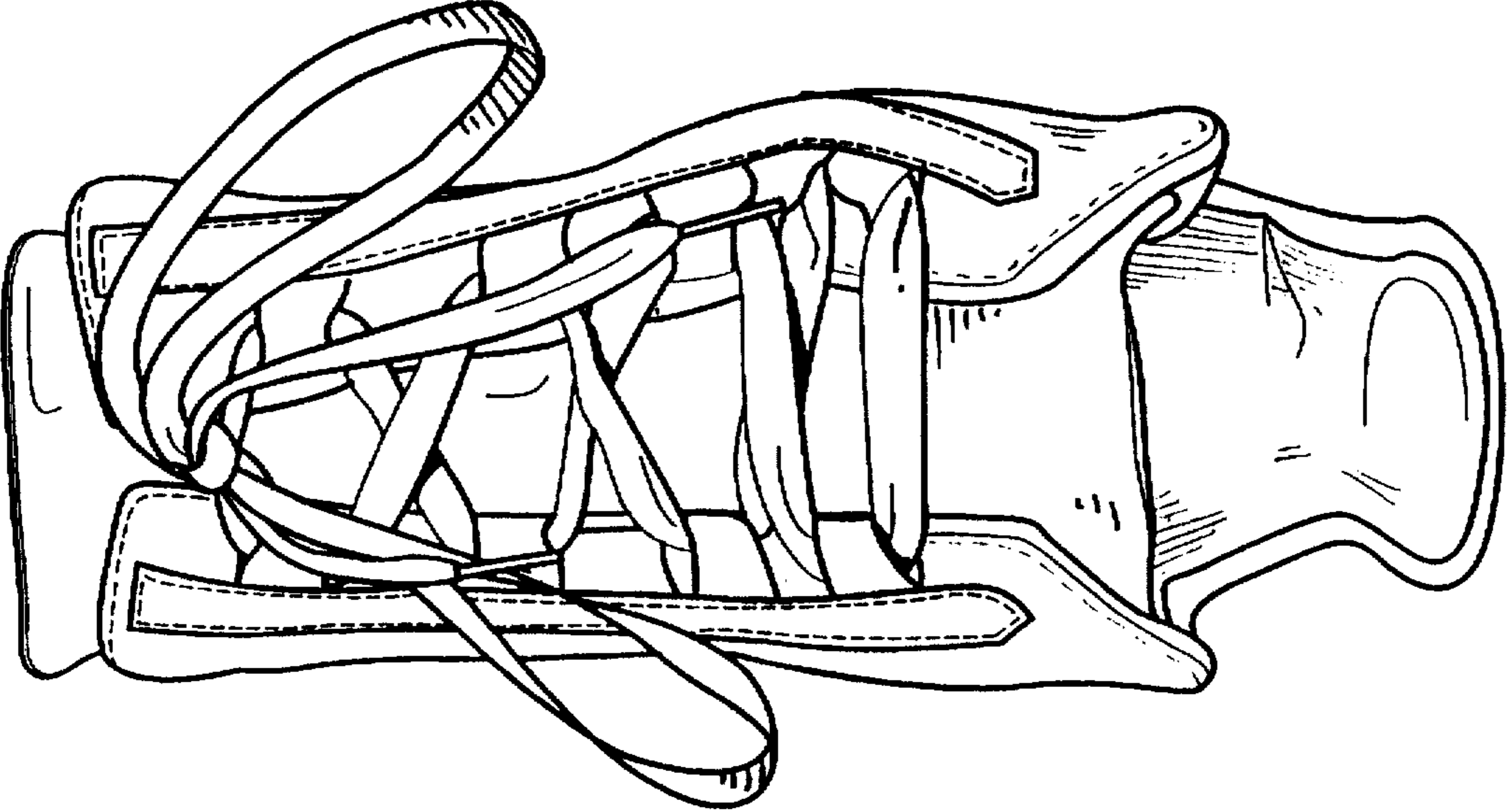


Fig. 4

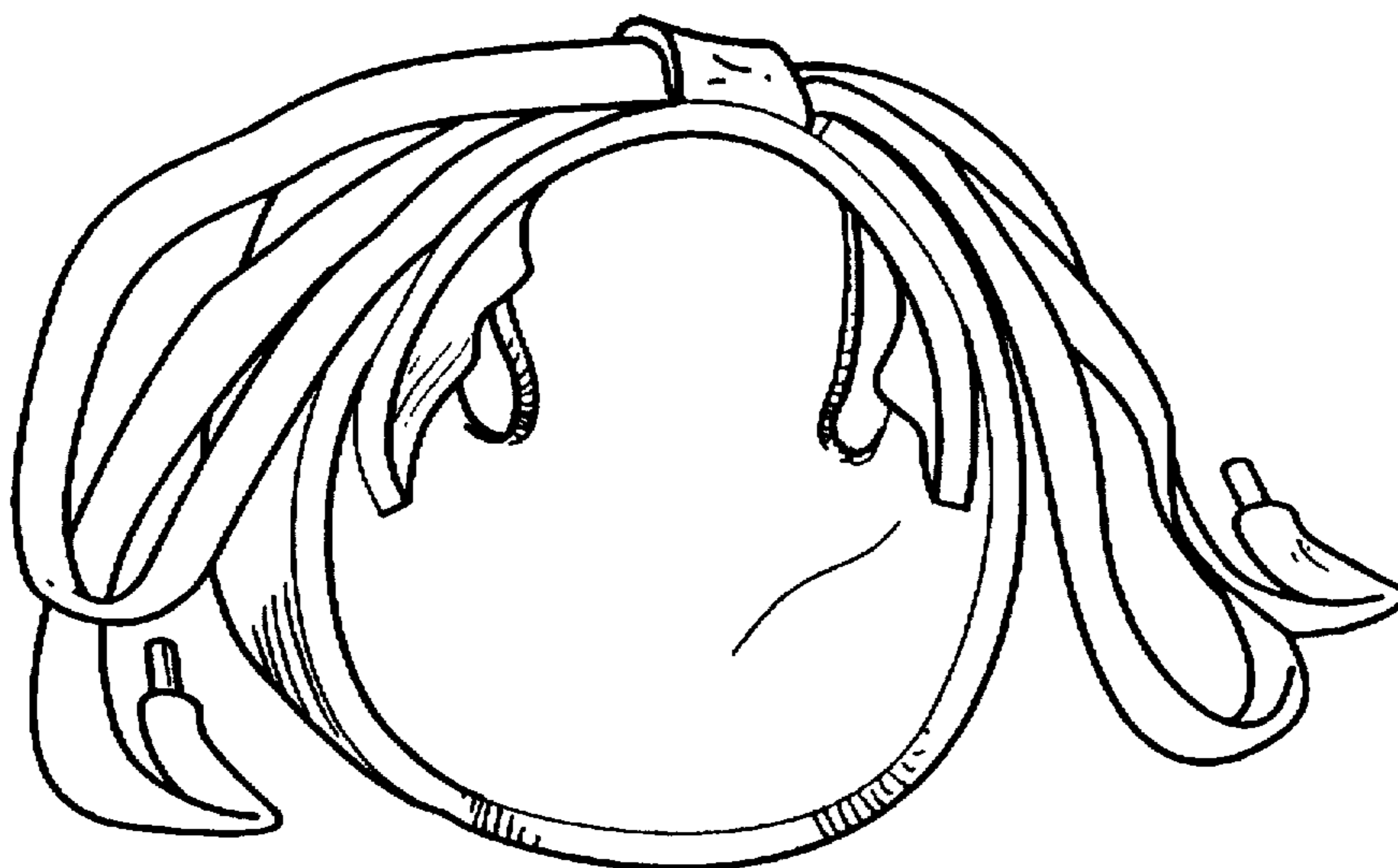


Fig. 6

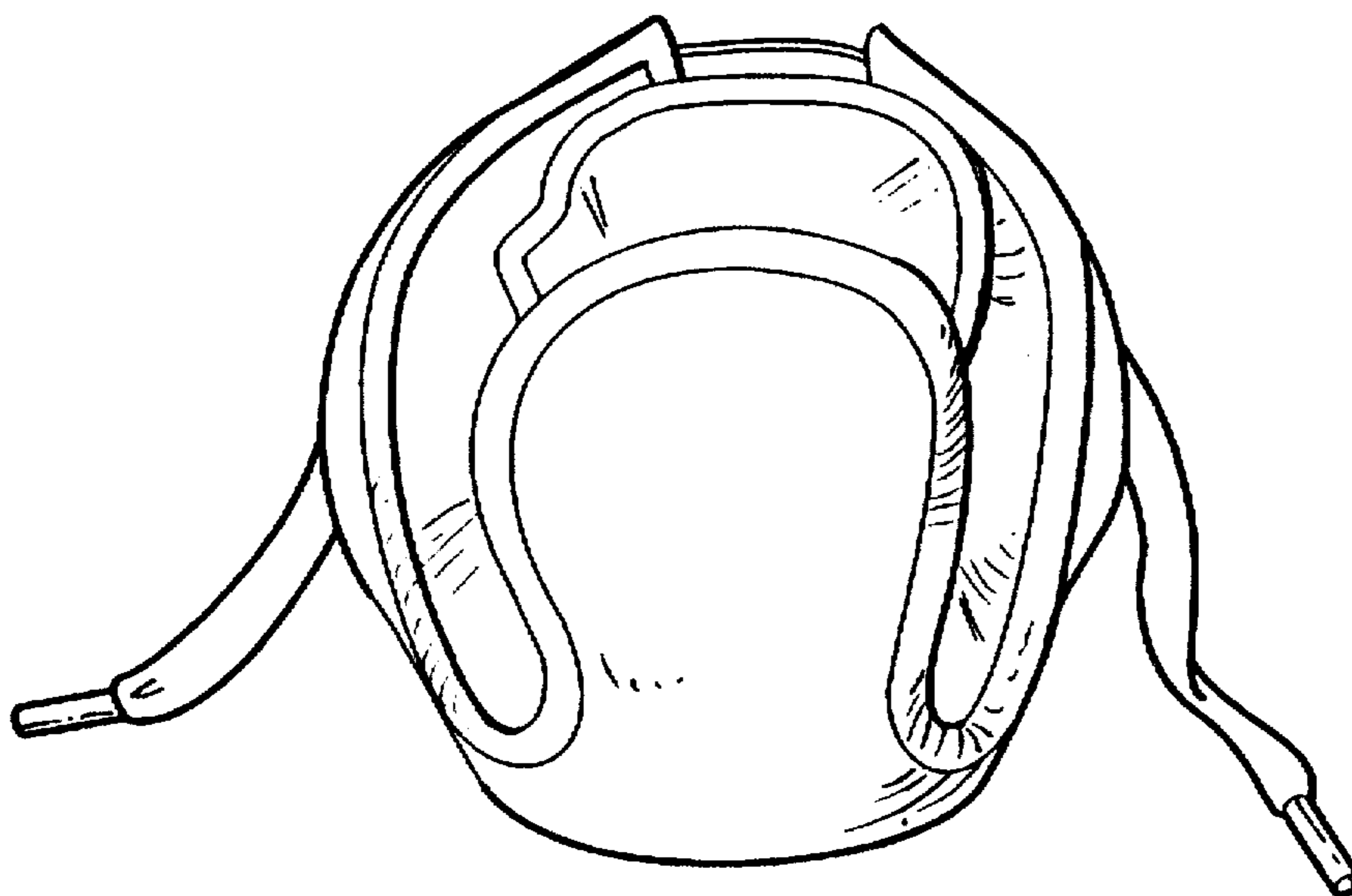


Fig. 7