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[54] **BOTTLE TOP**

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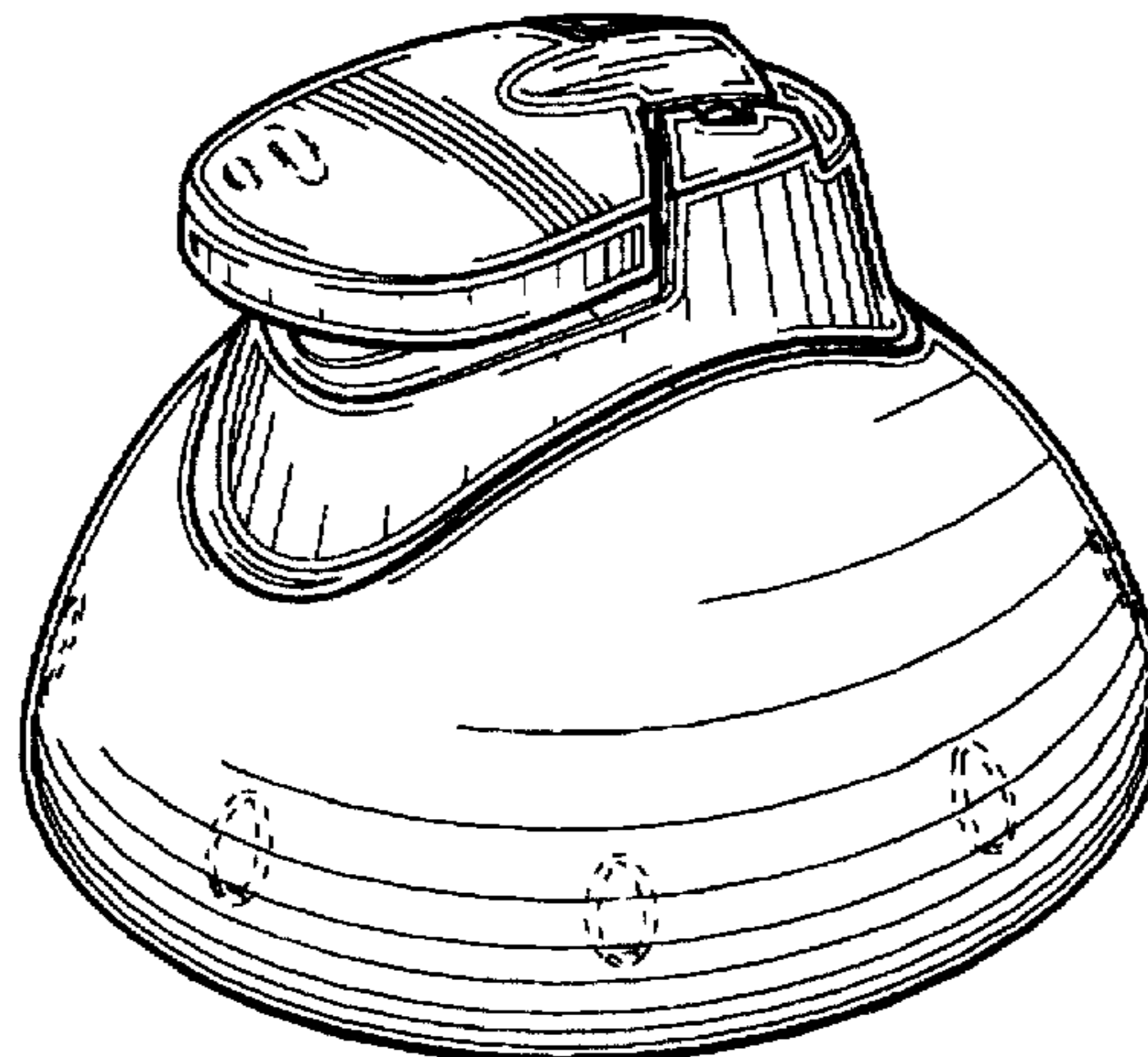
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a bottle top, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 a top right front perspective view of a bottle top showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof; the left side elevational view being a mirror image; and,  
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof.  
The bottom and interior of the bottle top form no part of the claimed design. The broken line showing in FIG. 5 of interior portions of the cap, and the broken line showing on the exterior surfaces of the cap, are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



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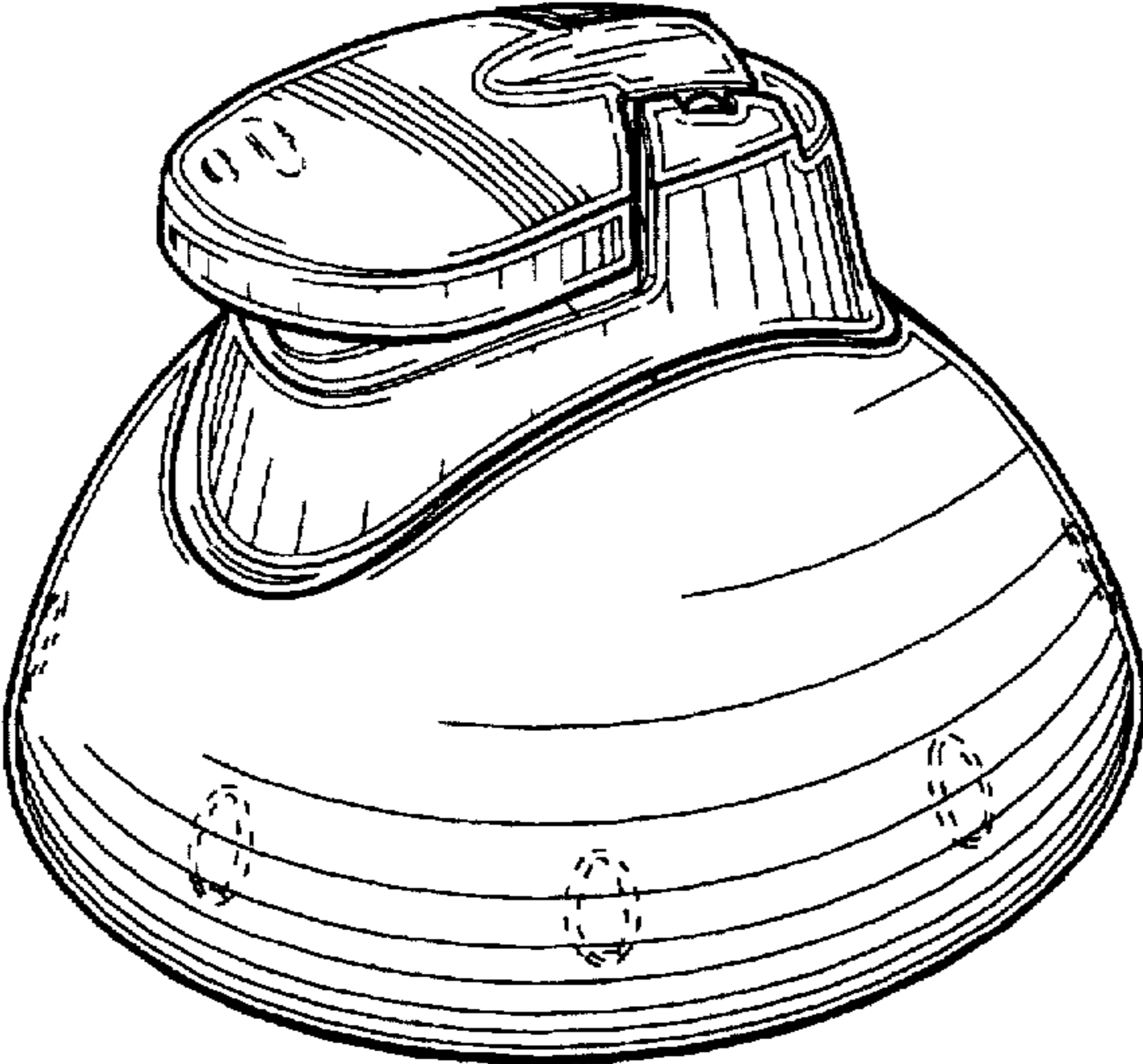


FIG. 1

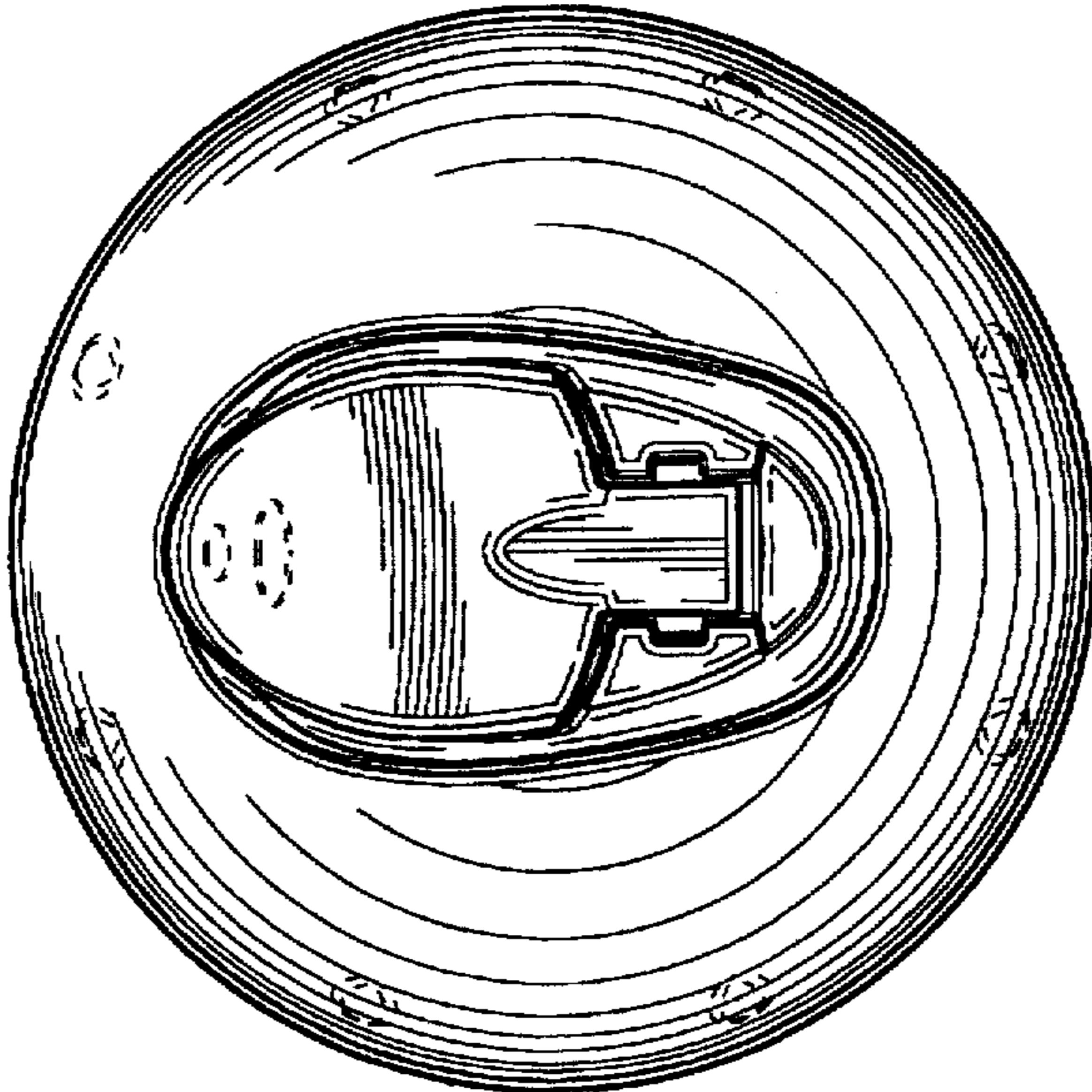


FIG. 2

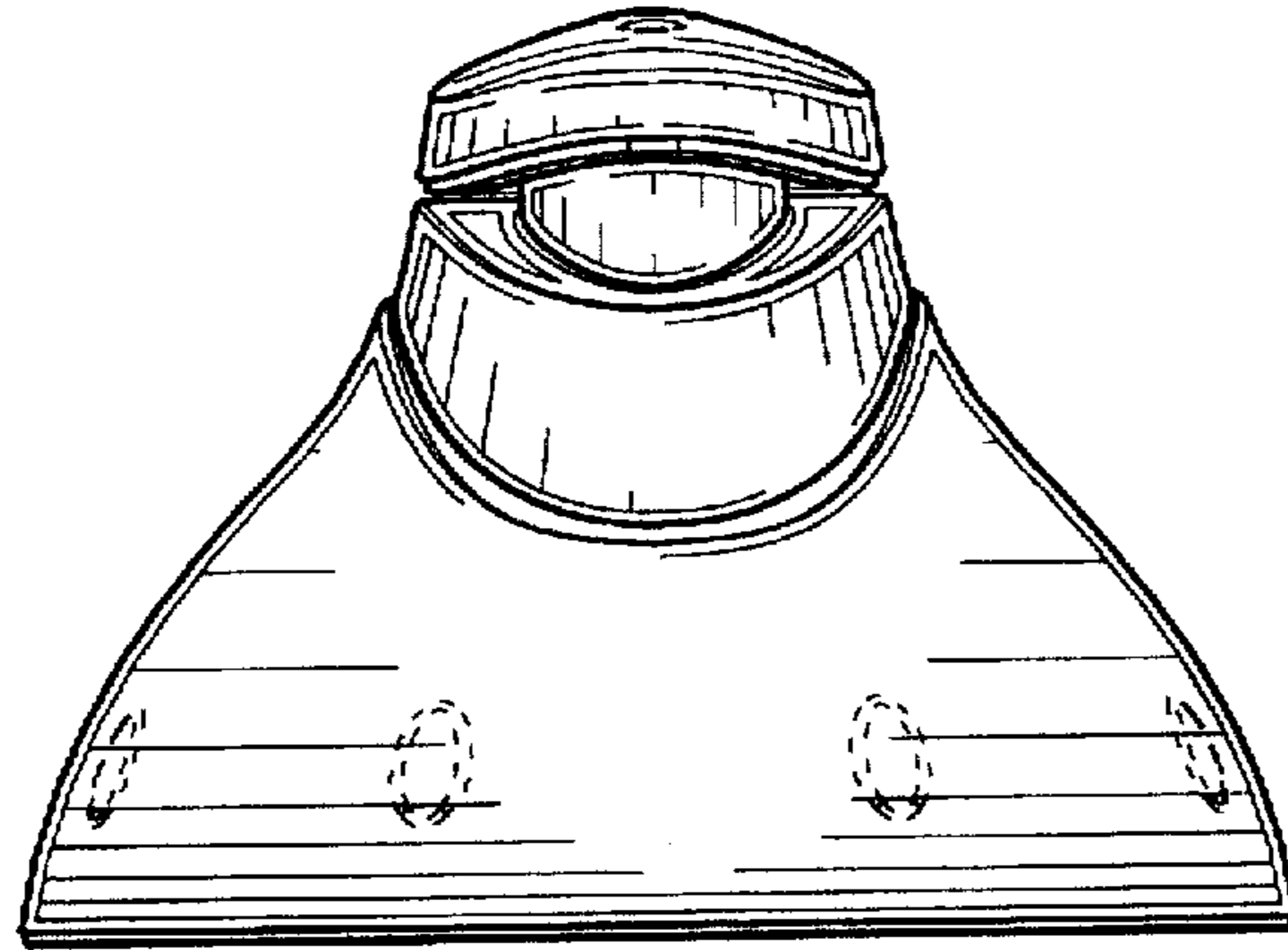


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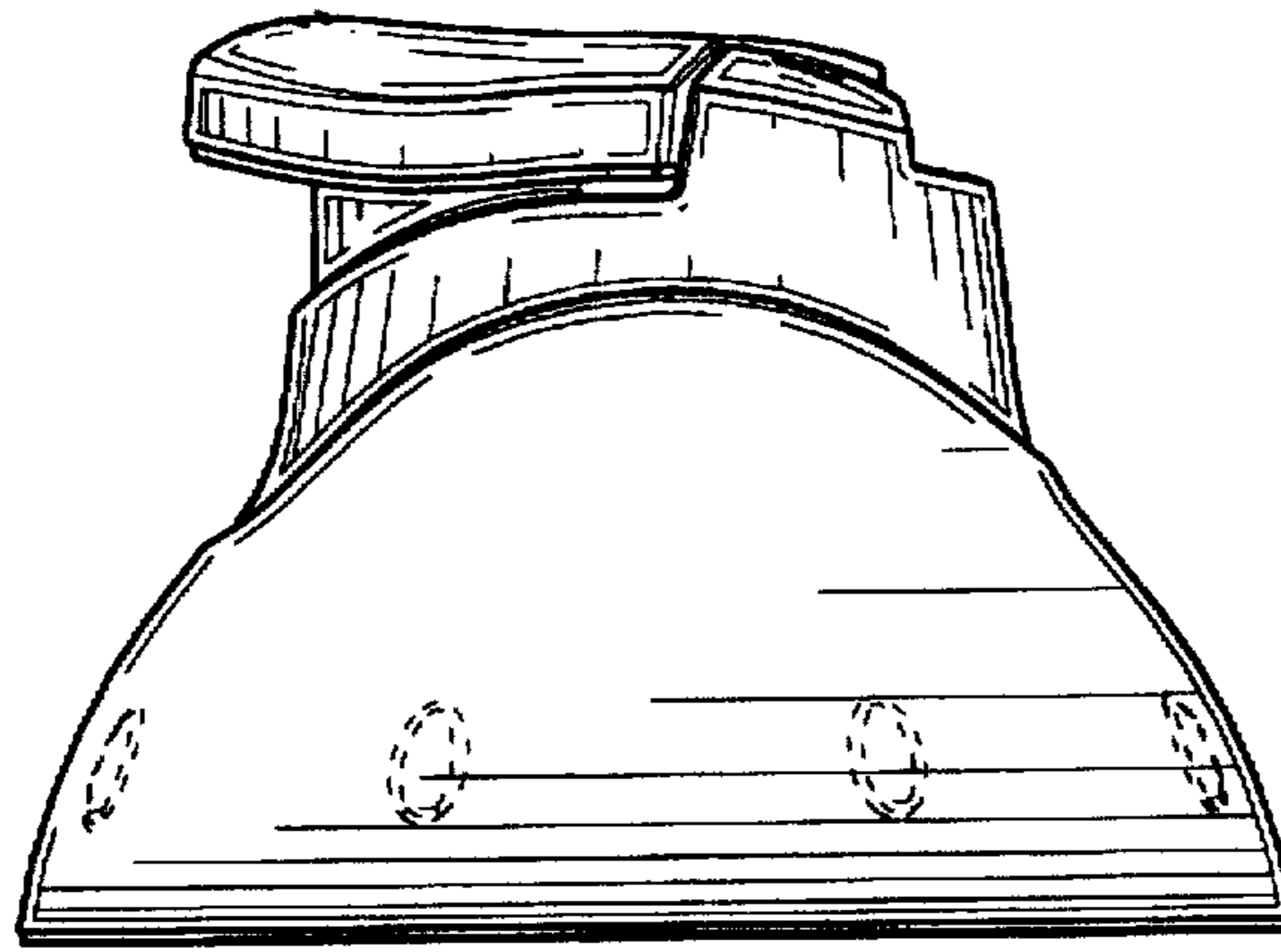


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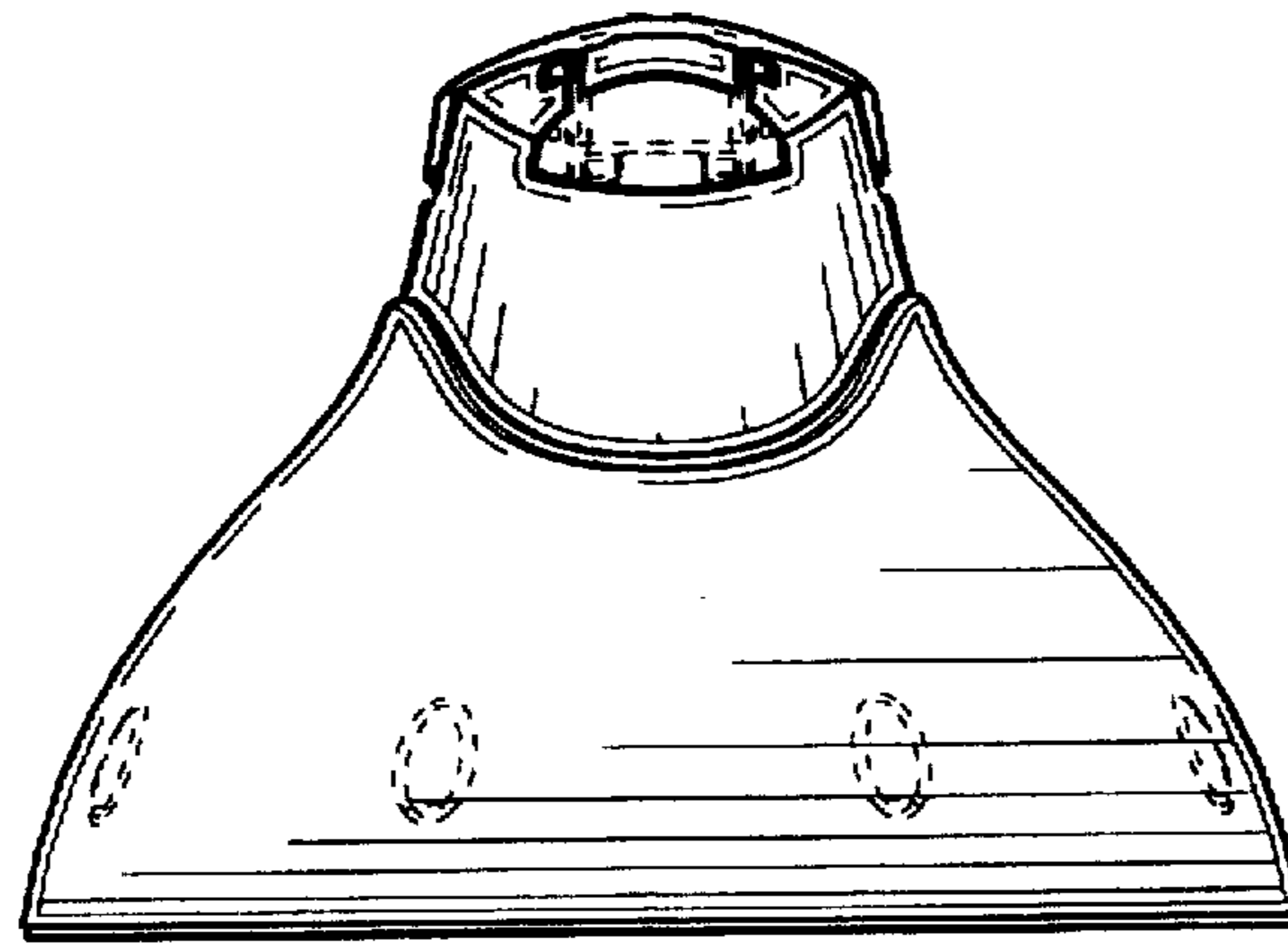


FIG. 5