



US00D399954S

**United States Patent** [19]  
**Bierman**

[11] **Patent Number: Des. 399,954**

[45] **Date of Patent: \*\*Oct. 20, 1998**

[54] **ANCHOR PAD AND RELEASE LAYER**

[75] Inventor: **Steven F. Bierman**, Del Mar, Calif.

[73] Assignee: **Venetec International, Inc.**, Mission Viejo, Calif.

[\*\*] Term: **14 Years**

[21] Appl. No.: **76,838**

[22] Filed: **Sep. 17, 1997**

[51] **LOC (6) Cl.** ..... **24-04**

[52] **U.S. Cl.** ..... **D24/128**

[58] **Field of Search** ..... D24/189, 127,  
D24/128, 169; 604/80, 177, 179, 180, 261;  
128/DIG. 26, 858; 606/151, 157; 602/6,  
46, 58, 59; 2/206

[56] **References Cited**

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

- D. 256,162 7/1980 Haerr et al. .
- D. 267,431 12/1982 Santarelli .

(List continued on next page.)

*Primary Examiner*—Louis S. Zarfes

*Assistant Examiner*—G. Andoll

*Attorney, Agent, or Firm*—Knobbe, Martens, Olson & Bear, LLP

[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an anchor pad and release layer, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front-right side perspective view of an anchor pad and a release layer in accordance with a preferred embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a front side elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a rear side elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a right elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 1;

FIG. 7 is a left elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 1;

FIG. 8 is a front-right side perspective view of the anchor pad of FIG. 1;

FIG. 9 is a top plan view of the anchor pad of FIG. 8;

FIG. 10 is a bottom plan view of the anchor pad of FIG. 8;

FIG. 11 is a front side elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 8;

FIG. 12 is a rear side elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 8;

FIG. 13 is a right elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 8;

FIG. 14 is a left elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 8;

FIG. 15 is a front-right side perspective view of an anchor pad and a release layer in accordance with another preferred embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 16 is a top perspective view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 15;

FIG. 17 is a bottom plan view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 15;

FIG. 18 is a front side elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 15;

FIG. 19 is a rear side elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 15;

FIG. 20 is a right elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 15;

FIG. 21 is a left elevational view of the anchor pad with release layer of FIG. 15;

FIG. 22 is a front-right side perspective view of the anchor pad of FIG. 15;

FIG. 23 is a top plan view of the anchor pad of FIG. 22;

FIG. 24 is a bottom plan view of the anchor pad of FIG. 22;

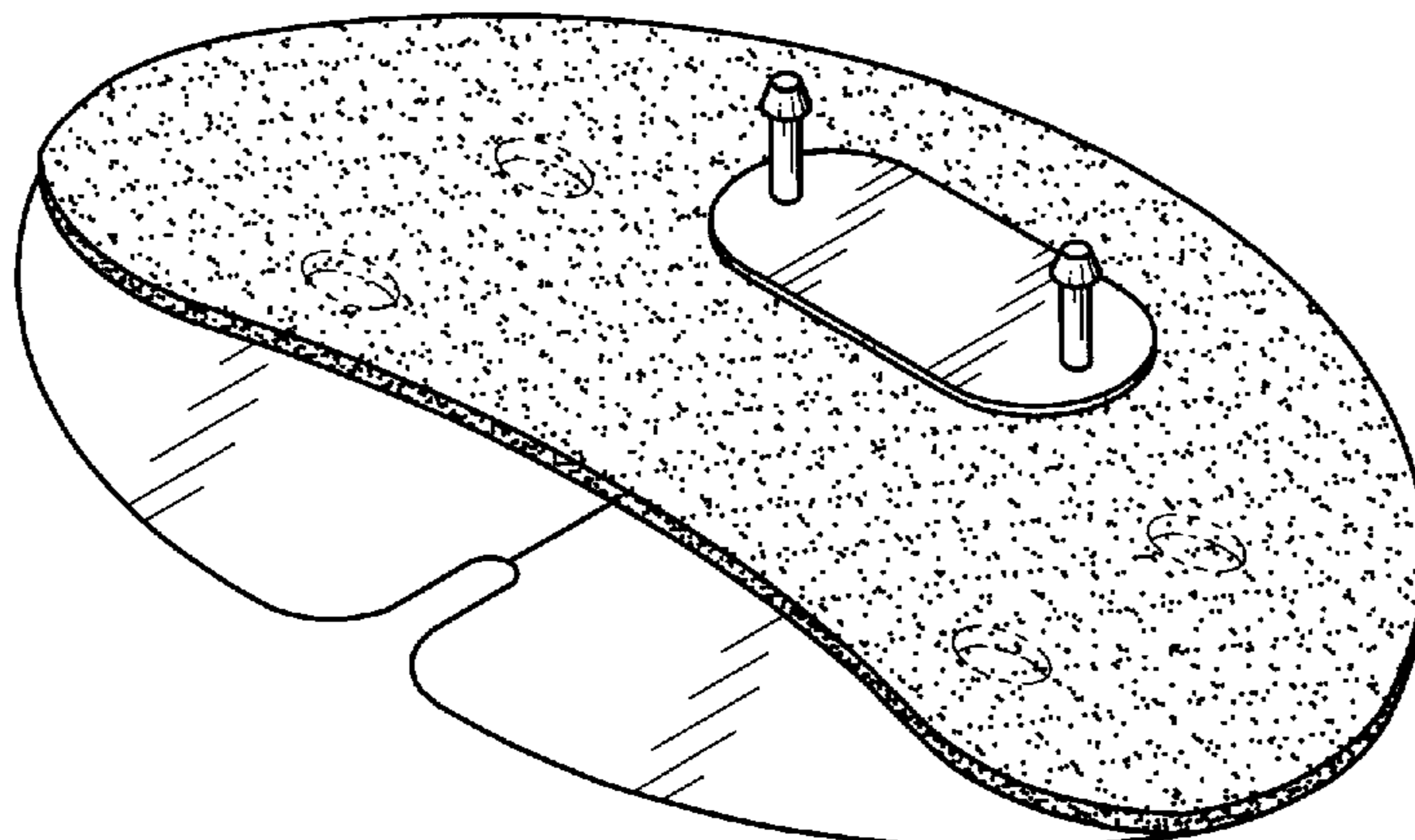
FIG. 25 is a front side elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 22;

FIG. 26 is a rear side elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 22;

FIG. 27 is a right elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 22; and,

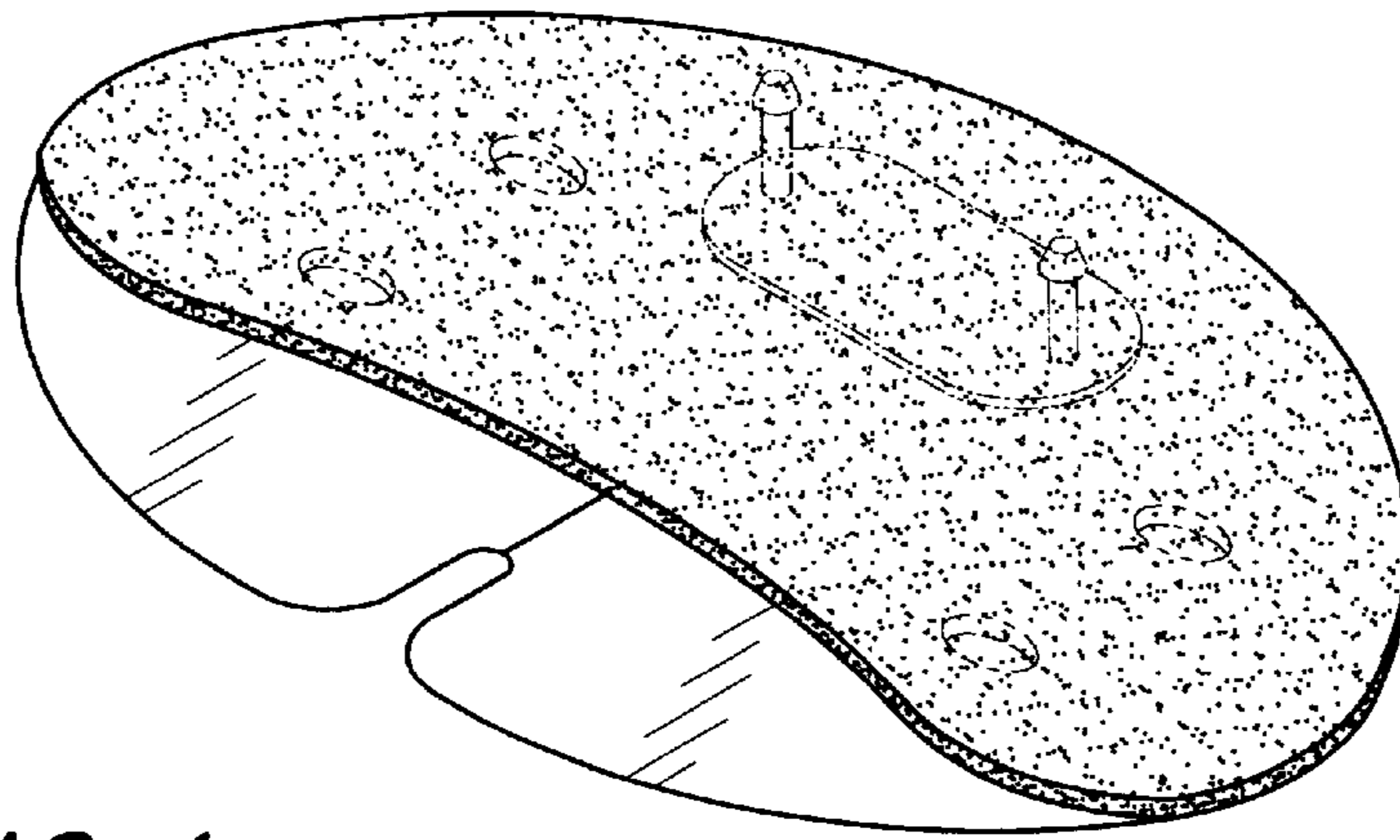
FIG. 28 is a left elevational view of the anchor pad of FIG. 22.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**

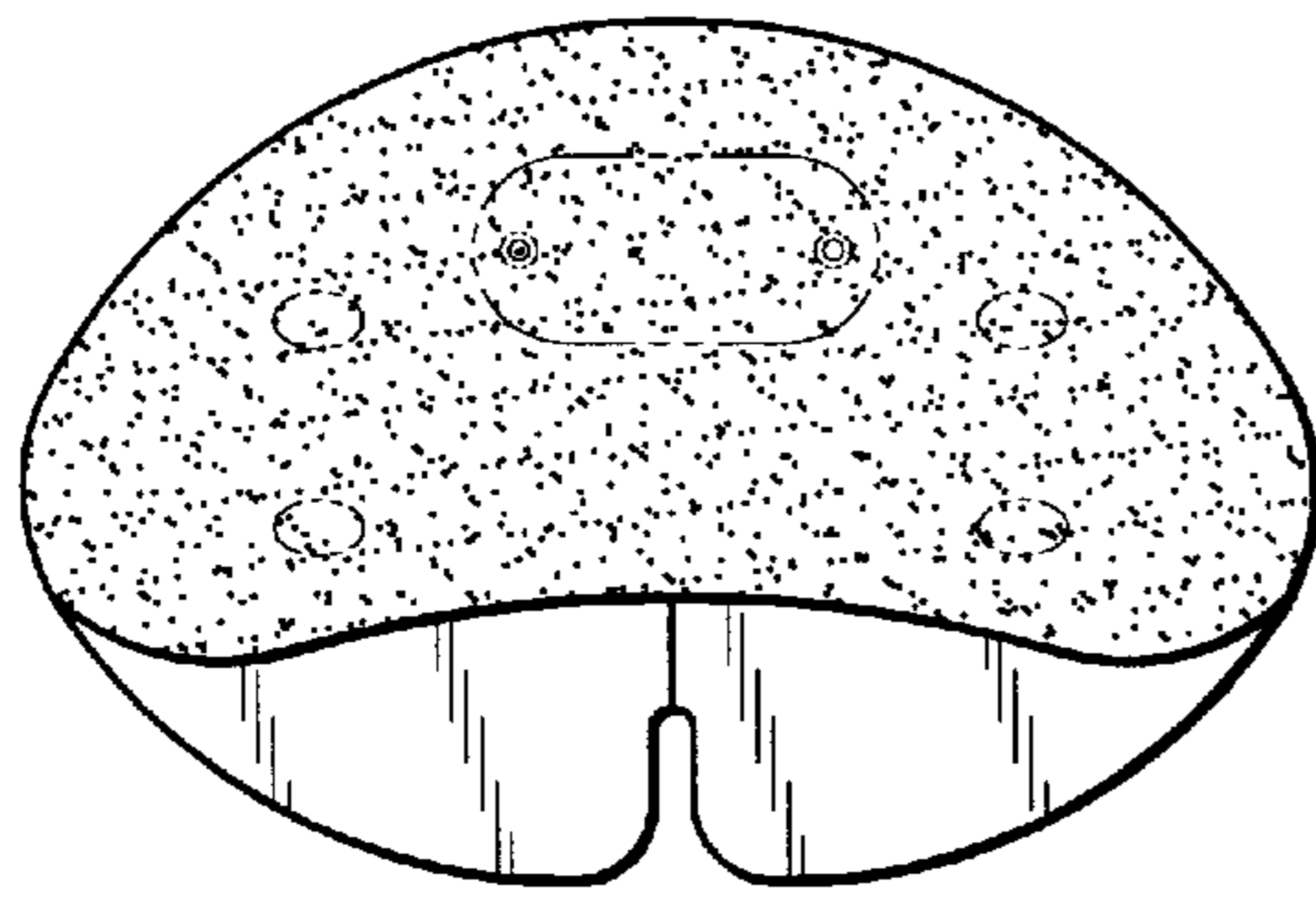


U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

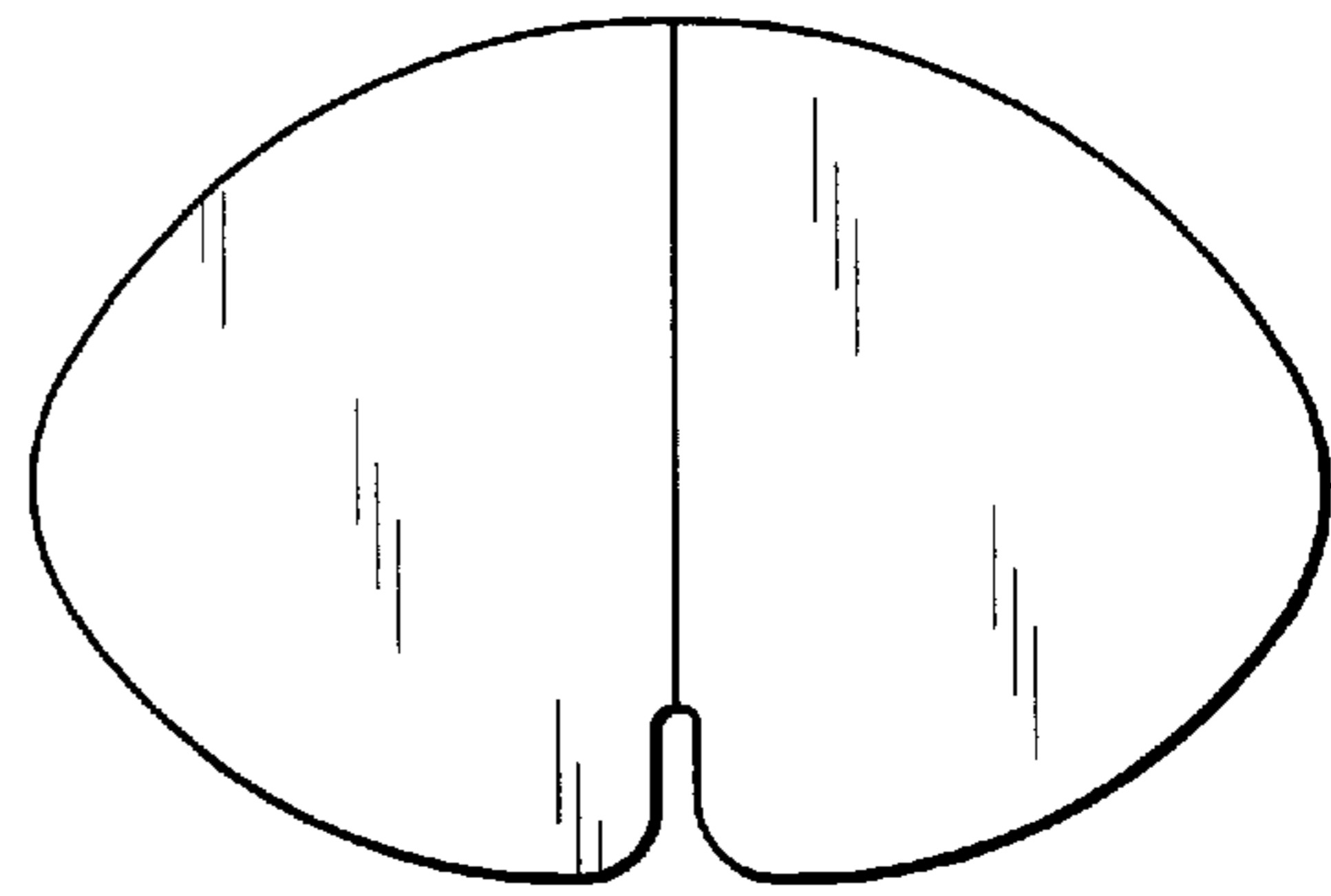
D. 310,721	9/1990	Beisang, III .	4,362,156	12/1982	Feller, Jr. et al. .
D. 375,355	11/1996	Bierman .	4,480,639	11/1984	Peterson et al. .
D. 375,356	11/1996	Bierman .	4,490,141	12/1984	Lacko et al. .
D. 377,831	2/1997	Bierman .	4,711,636	12/1987	Bierman .
D. 389,911	1/1998	Bierman ..... D24/128	4,742,824	5/1988	Payton et al. .
1,436,313	11/1922	Hafer ..... 2/206	4,852,844	8/1989	Villaveces .
2,525,398	10/1950	Collins .	4,857,058	8/1989	Payton .
2,572,638	10/1951	Loos ..... 128/858	4,863,432	9/1989	Kvalo .
3,288,136	11/1966	Lund .	4,897,082	1/1990	Erskine .
3,482,569	12/1969	Raffaelli, Sr. .	4,898,587	2/1990	Mera .
3,529,597	9/1970	Fuzak .	4,919,654	4/1990	Kalt .
3,856,020	12/1974	Kovac .	4,976,700	12/1990	Tollini .
3,973,565	8/1976	Steer .	5,037,397	8/1991	Kalt et al. .
4,129,128	12/1978	McFarlane .	5,156,641	10/1992	White .
4,161,177	7/1979	Fuchs .	5,192,274	3/1993	Bierman .
4,224,937	9/1980	Gordon .	5,295,950	3/1994	Godley .
4,250,880	2/1981	Gordon .	5,476,091	12/1995	Johnson .
4,316,461	2/1982	Marais et al. .	5,496,283	3/1996	Alexander .
4,326,519	4/1982	D'Alo et al. .	5,499,976	3/1996	Dalton .



*FIG. 1*



*FIG. 2*



*FIG. 3*



*FIG. 4*



*FIG. 5*

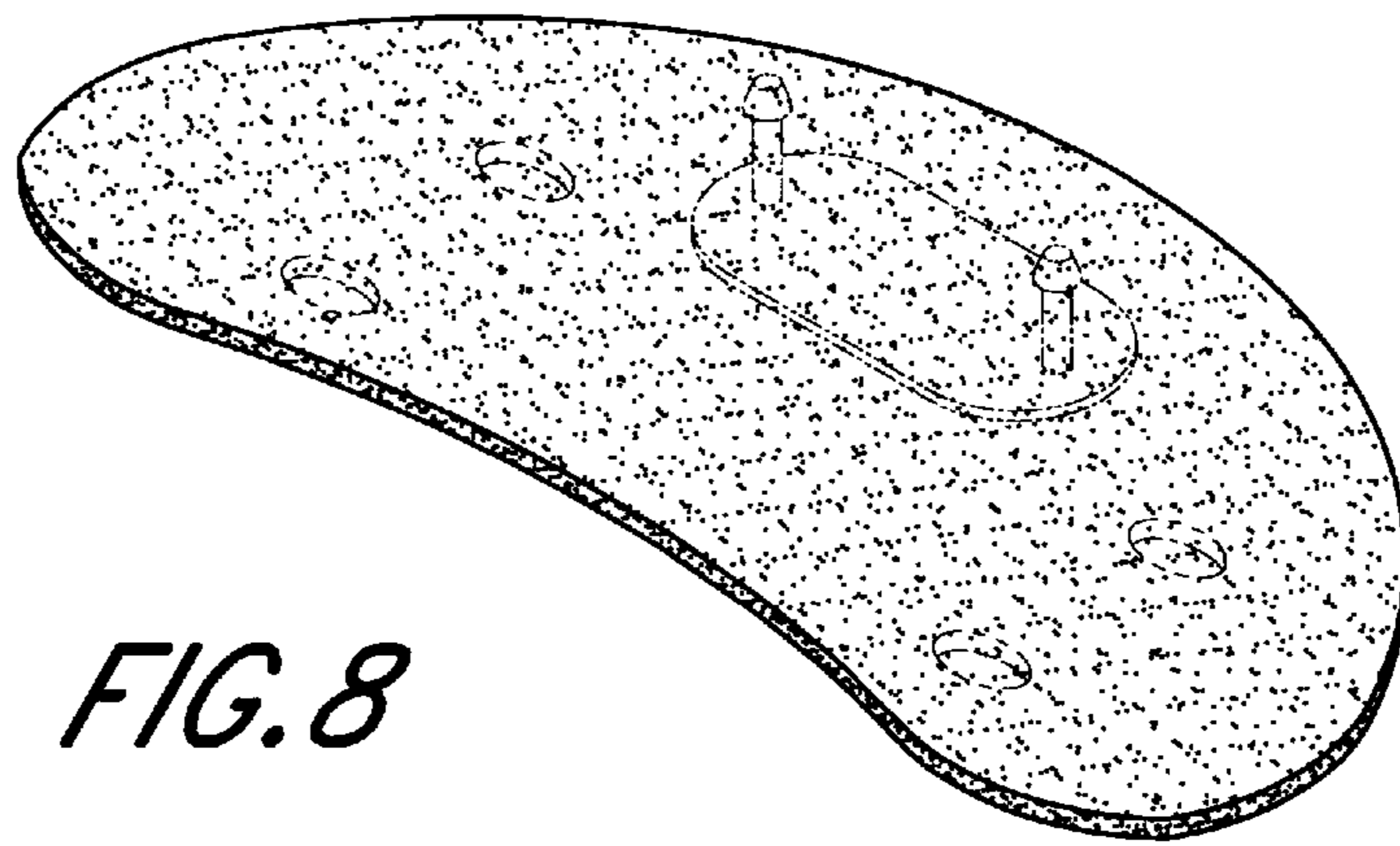


*FIG. 6*

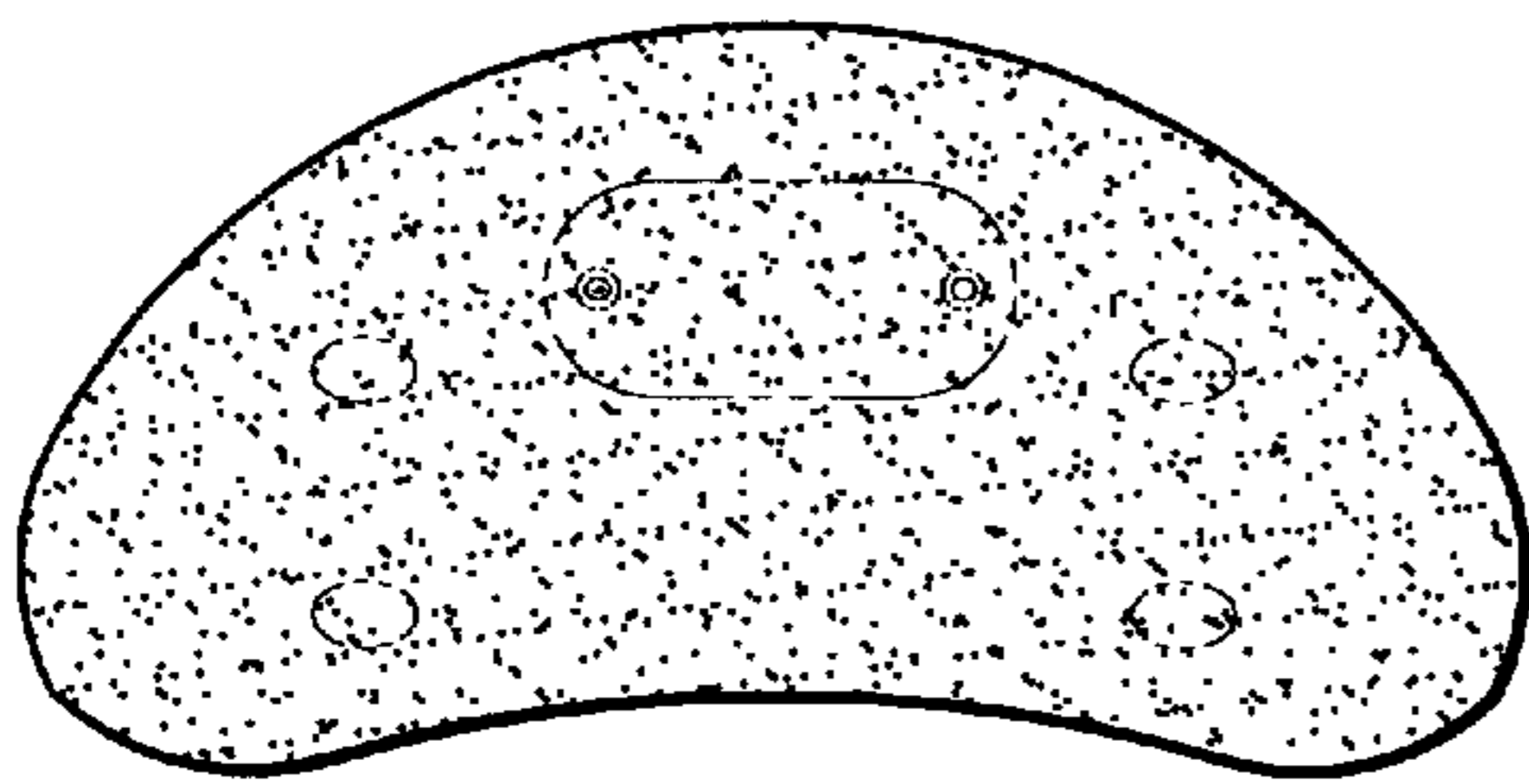


*FIG. 7*

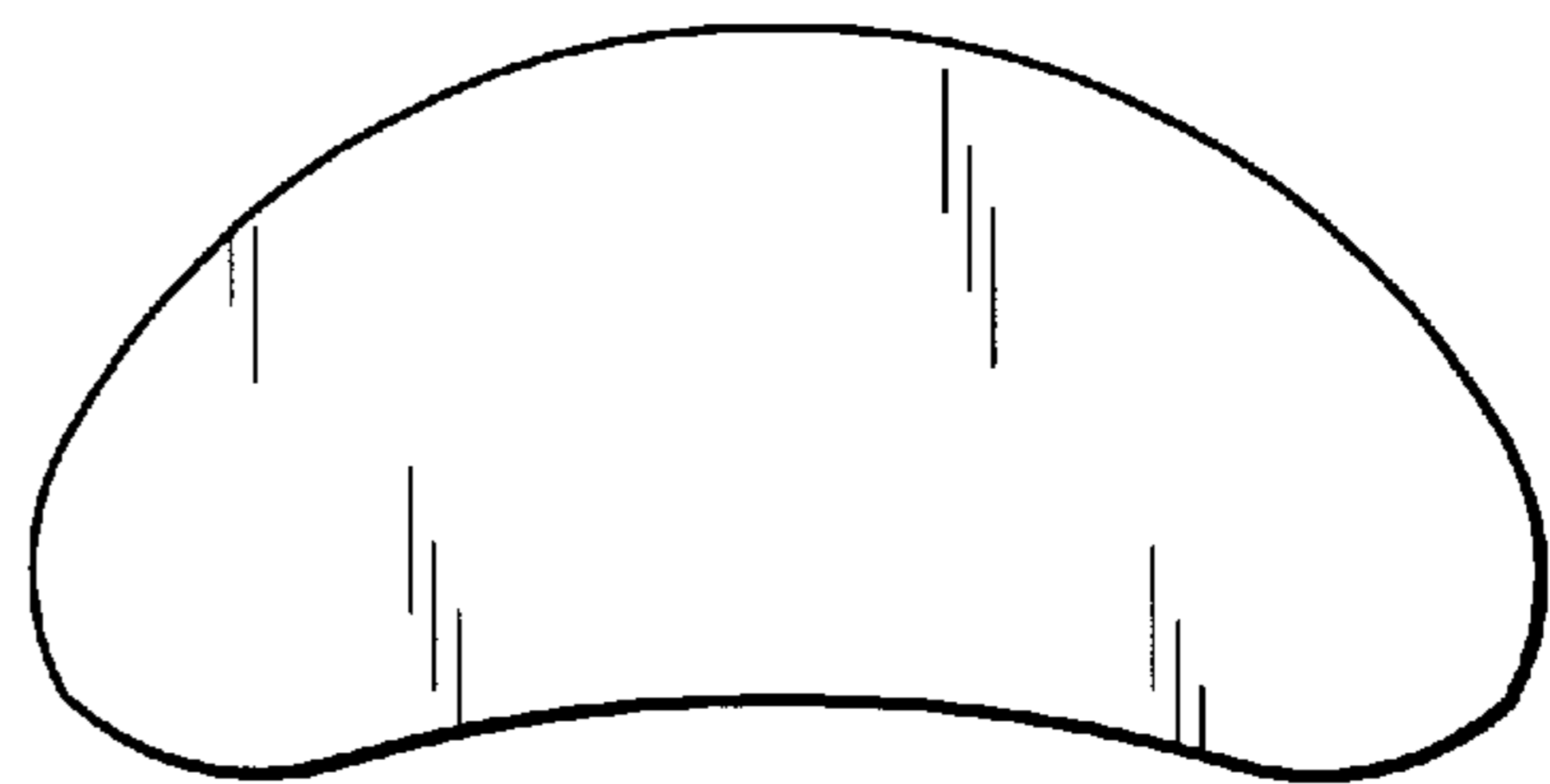




*FIG. 8*



*FIG. 9*



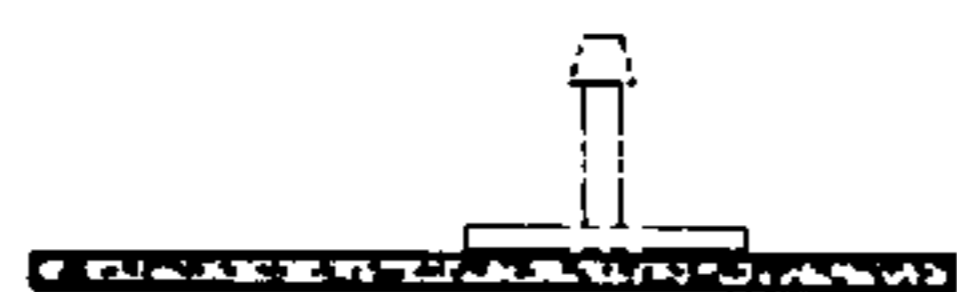
*FIG. 10*



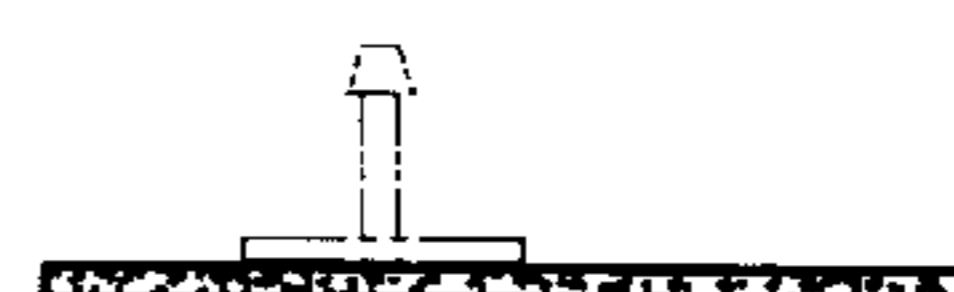
*FIG. 11*



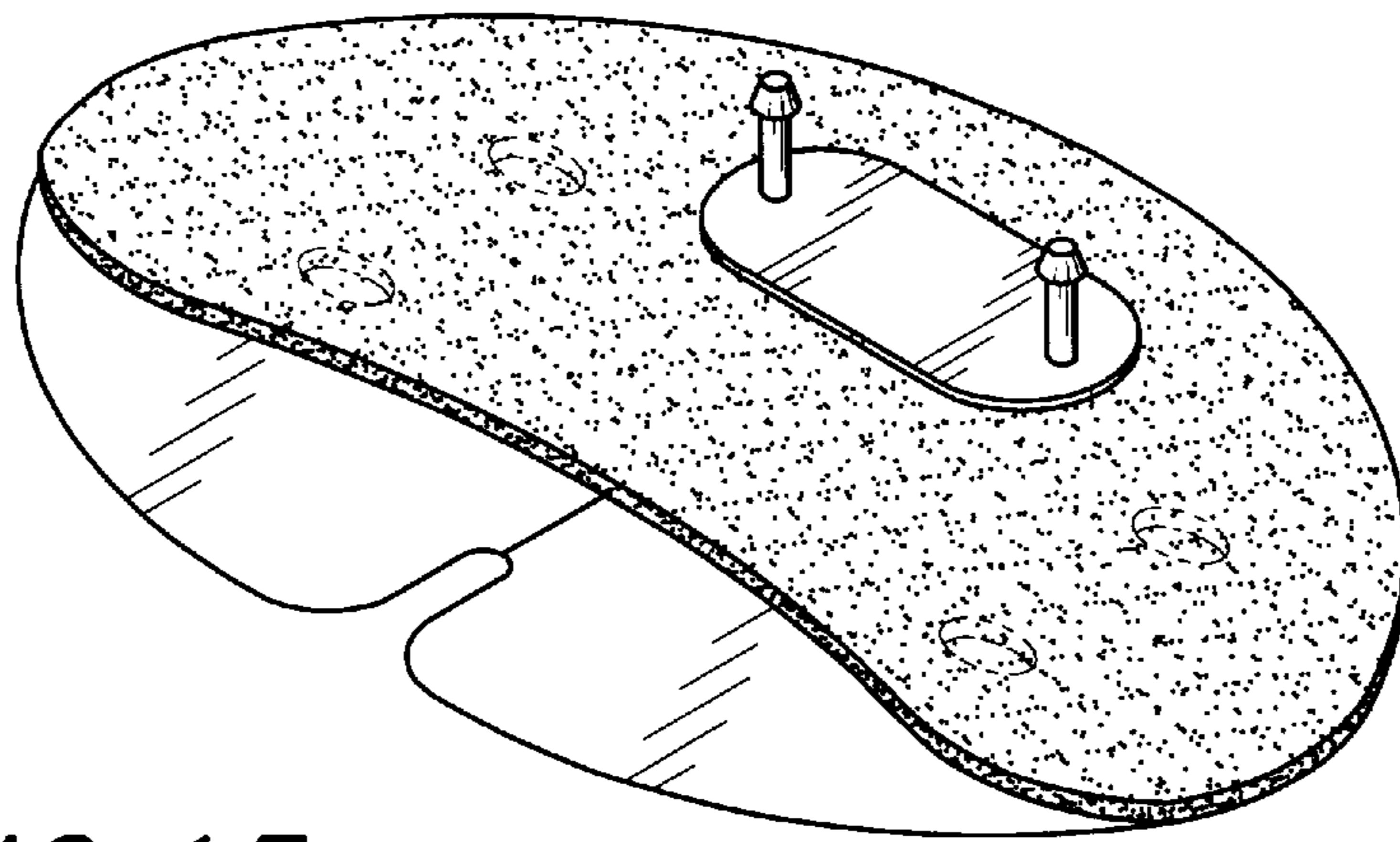
*FIG. 12*



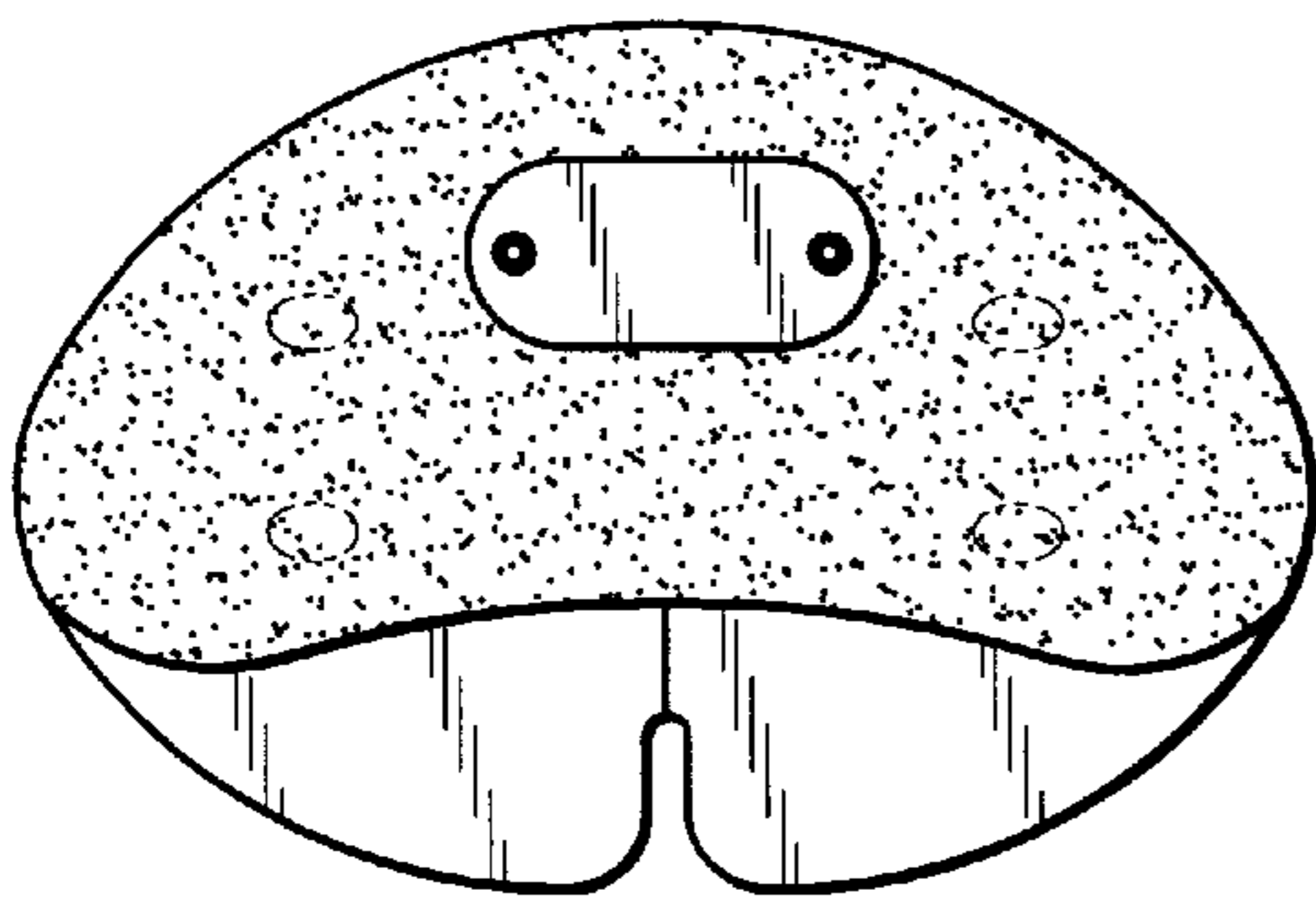
*FIG. 13*



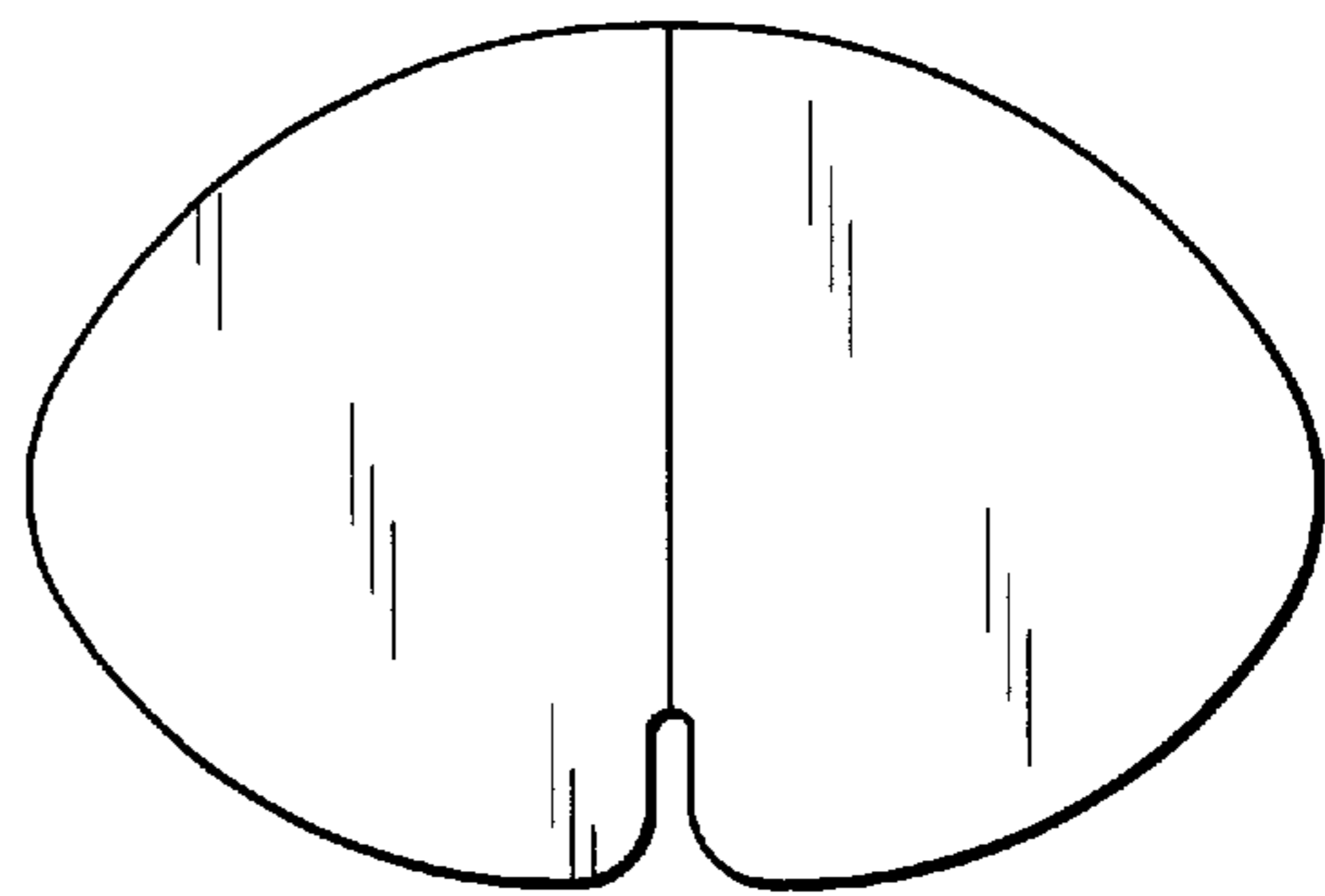
*FIG. 14*



*FIG. 15*



*FIG. 16*



*FIG. 17*



*FIG. 18*



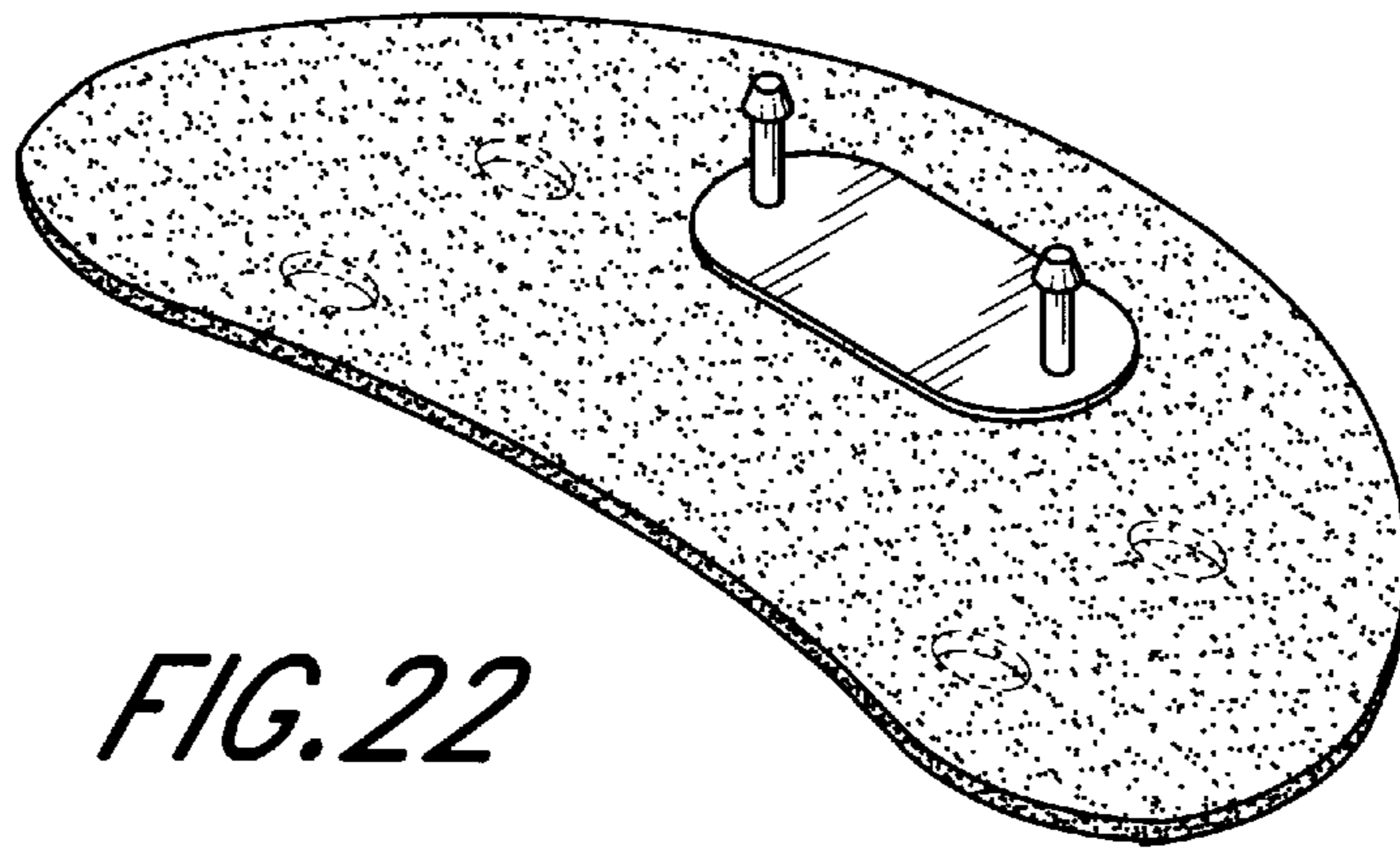
*FIG. 19*



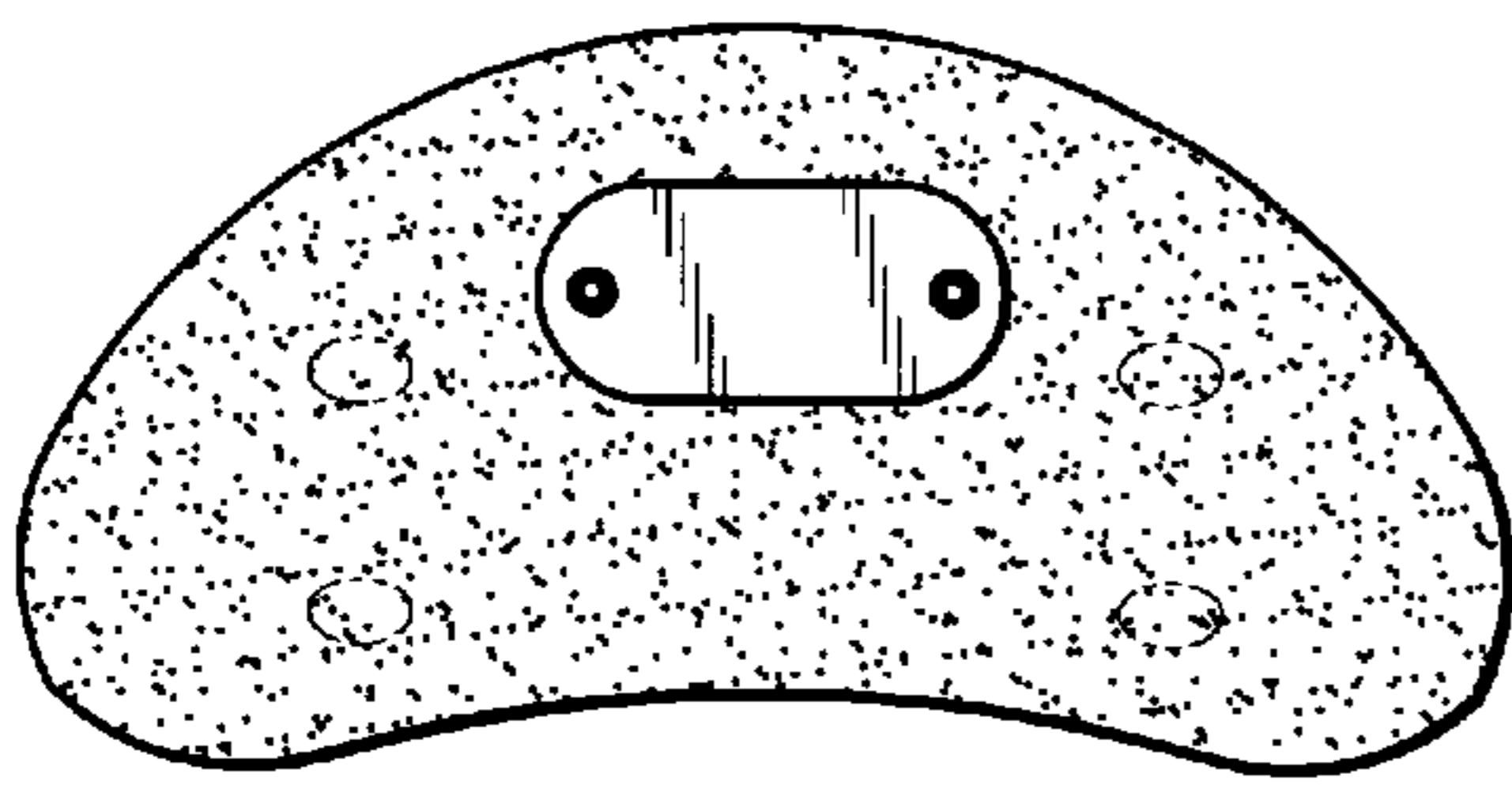
*FIG. 20*



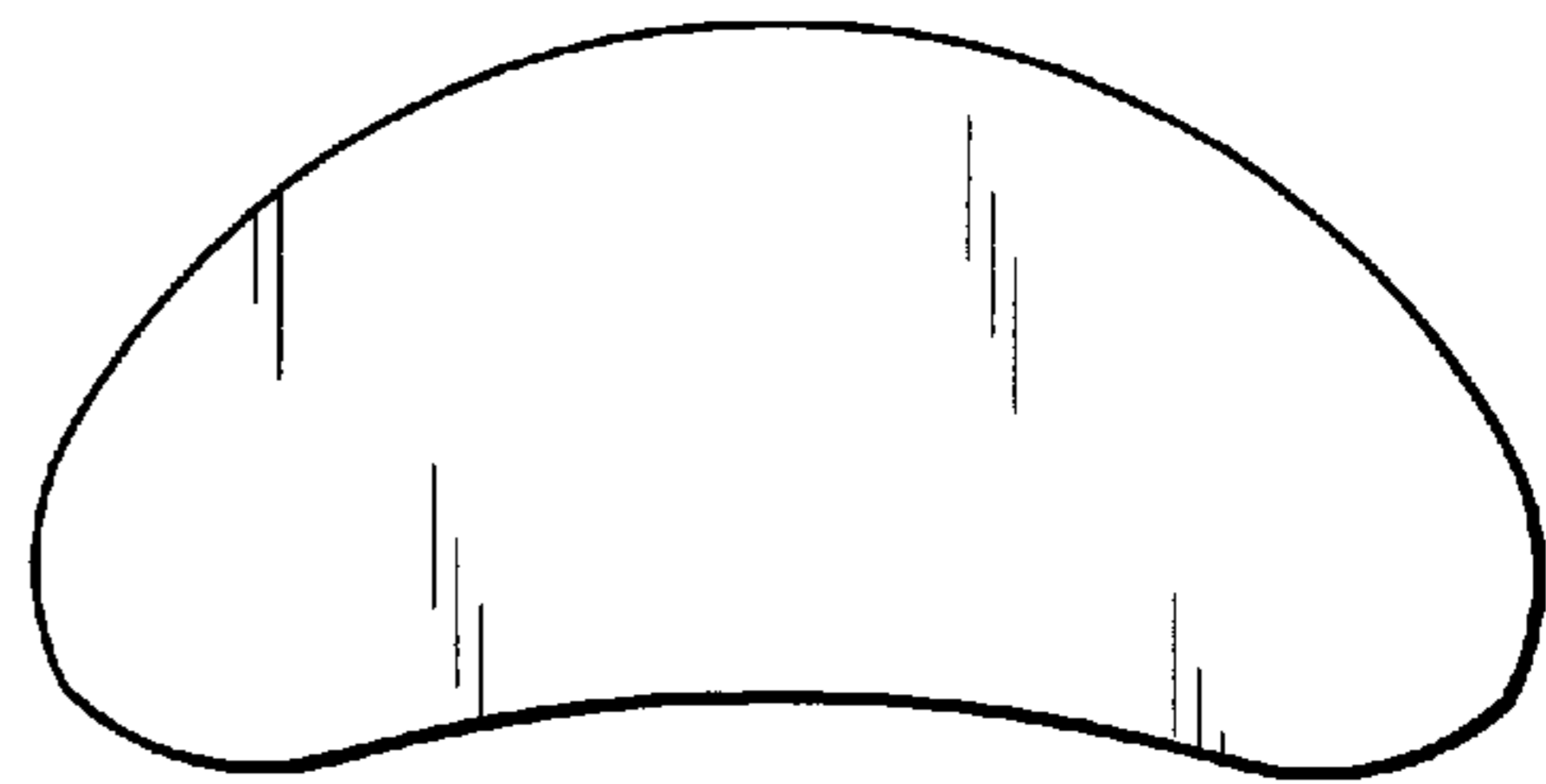
*FIG. 21*



*FIG. 22*



*FIG. 23*



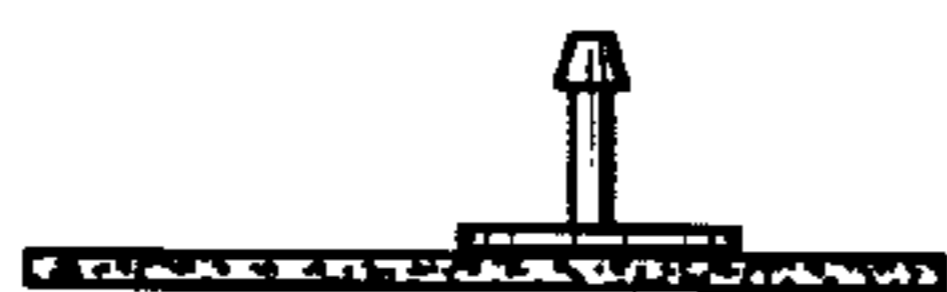
*FIG. 24*



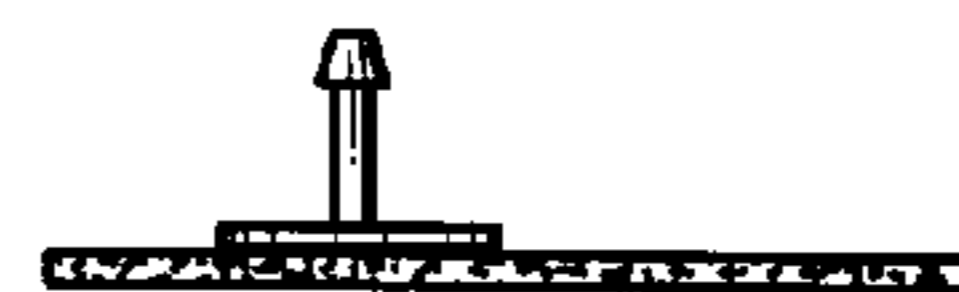
*FIG. 25*



*FIG. 26*



*FIG. 27*



*FIG. 28*