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[54] **THIMBLE**

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The ornamental design for a thimble, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

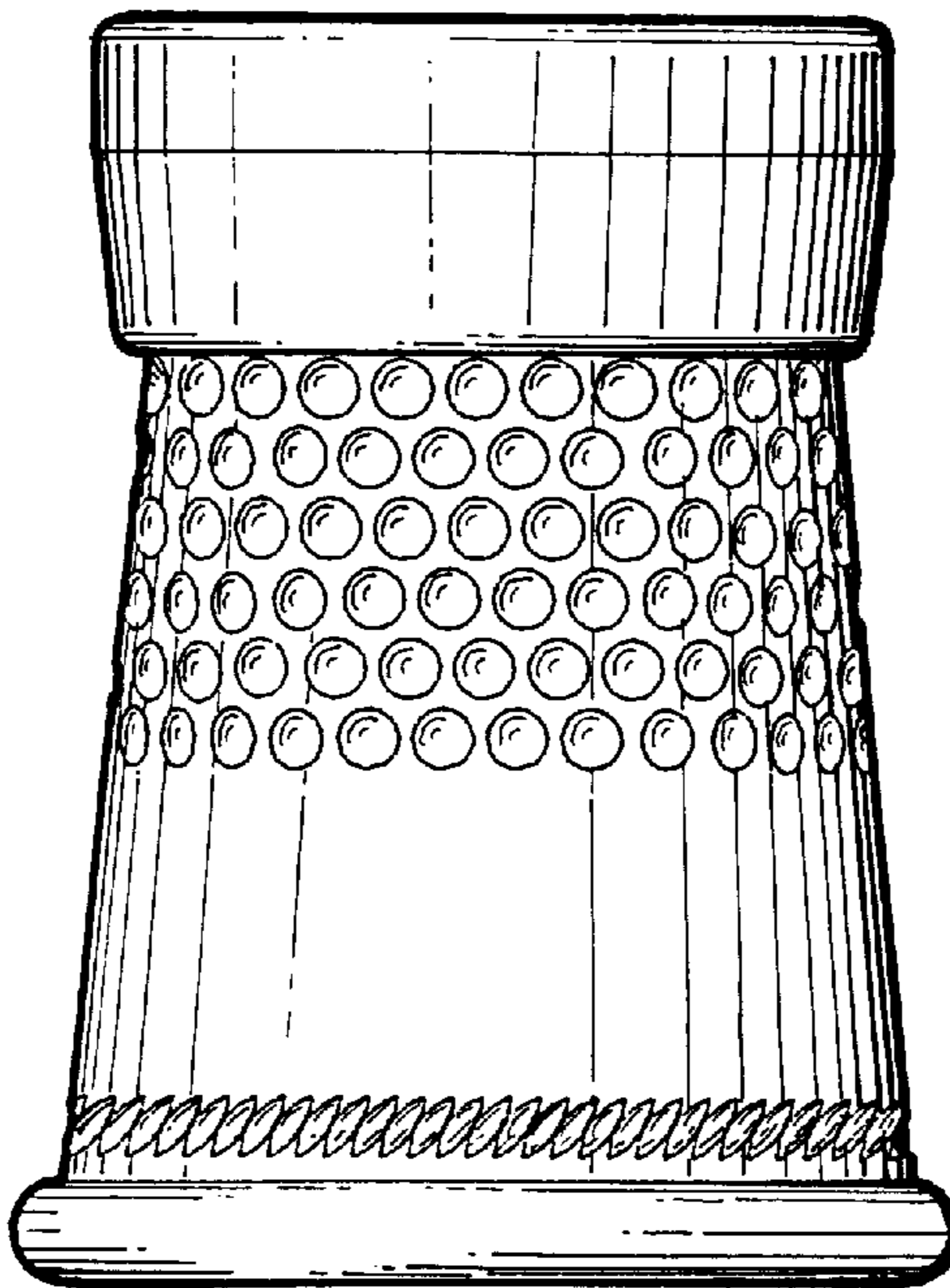
FIG. 1 is a side elevational view of a thimble, showing my new design, wherein the opposite side elevational view is identical;
FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view;
FIG. 3 is a vertical, cross-sectional view taken along lines 3—3 in FIG. 4; and,
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof.

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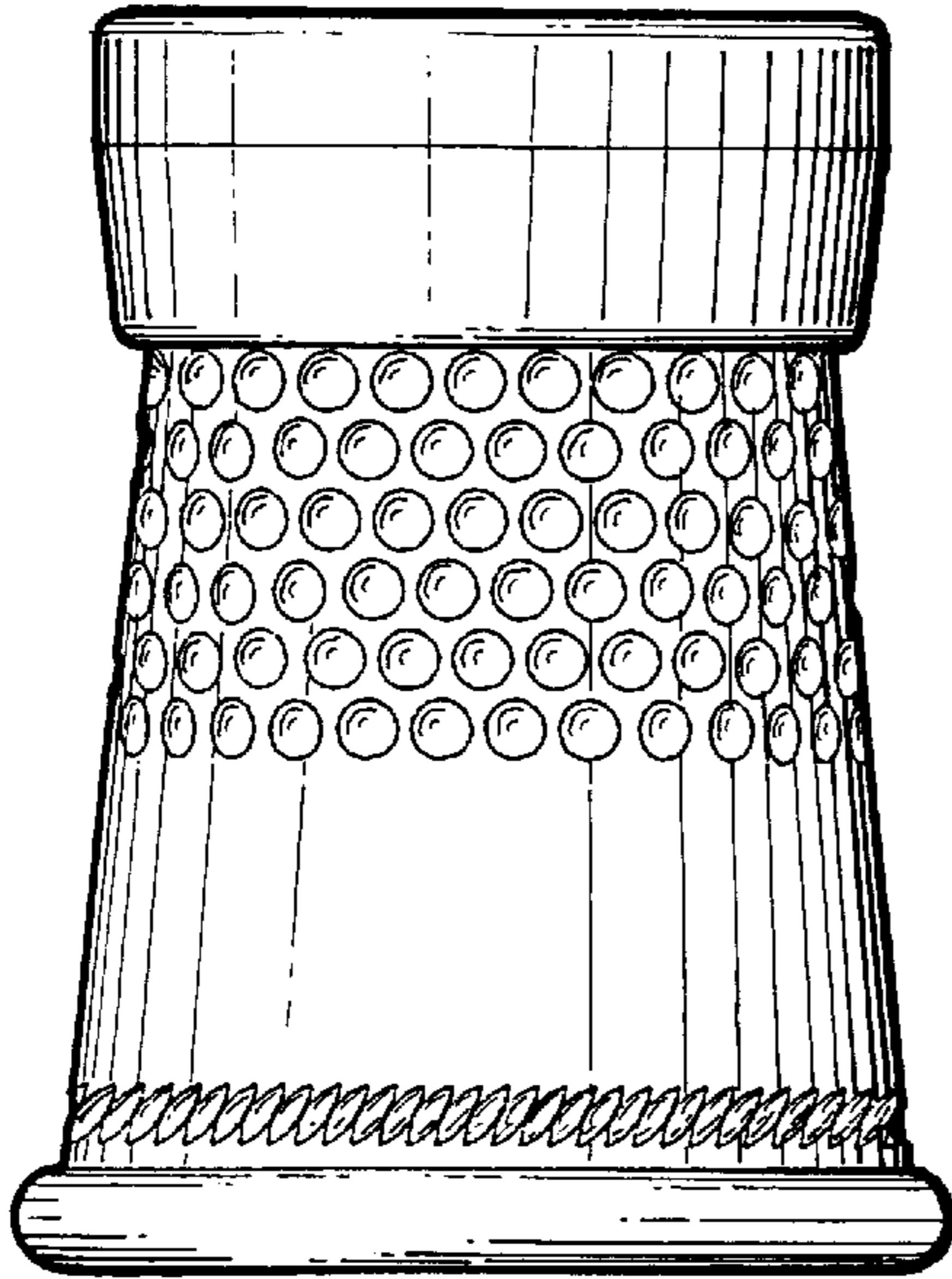


Fig. 1

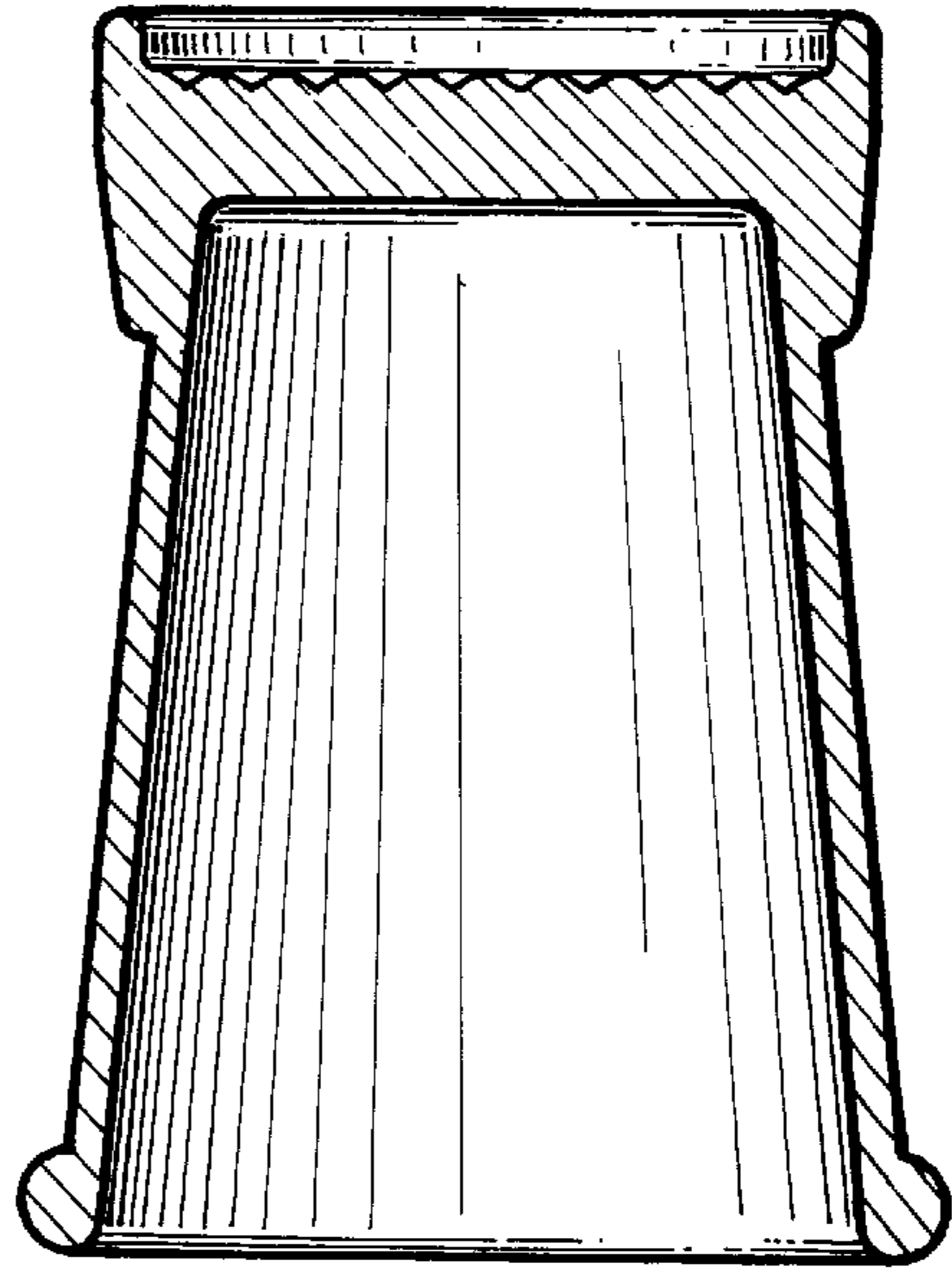


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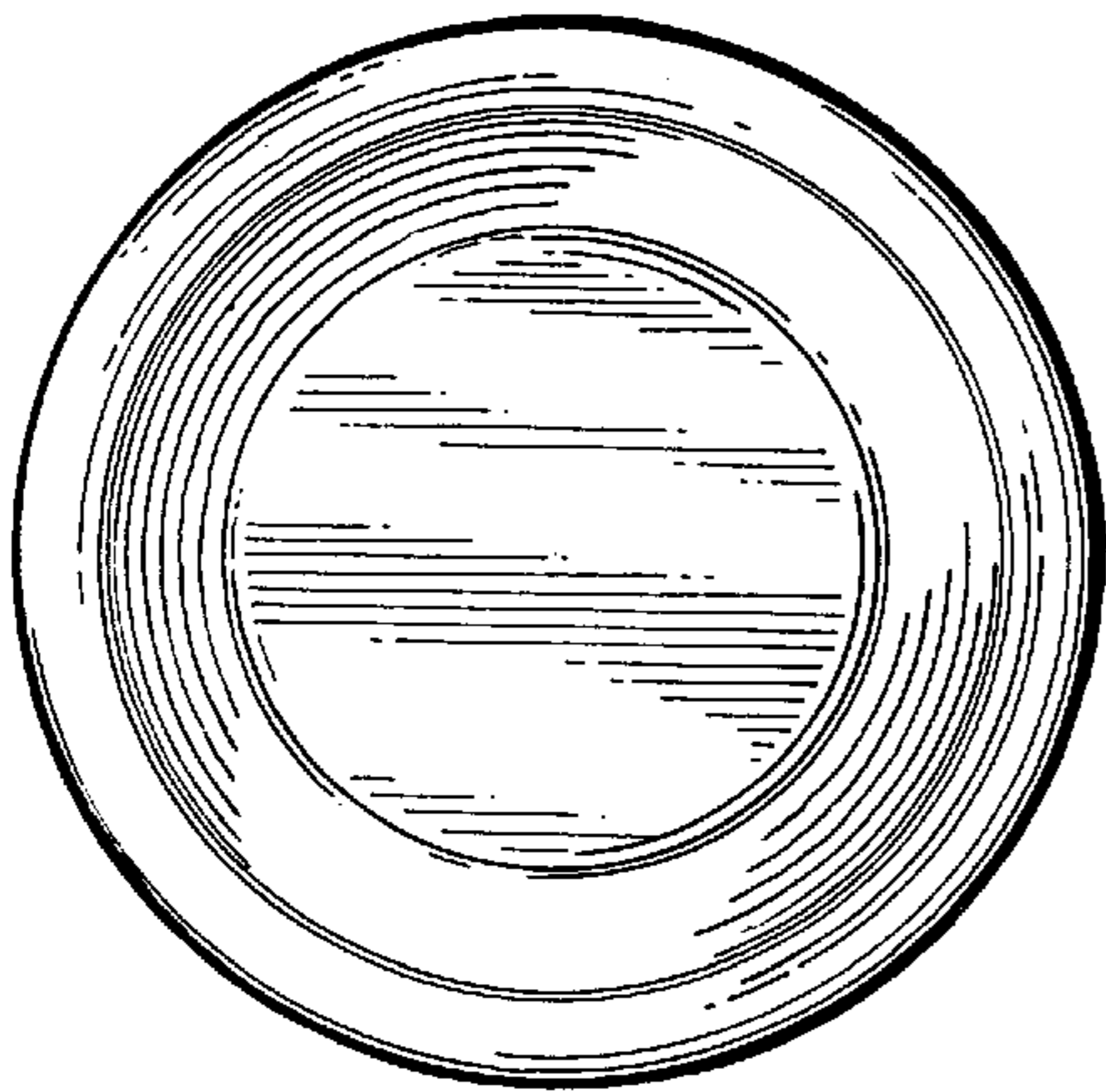


Fig. 2

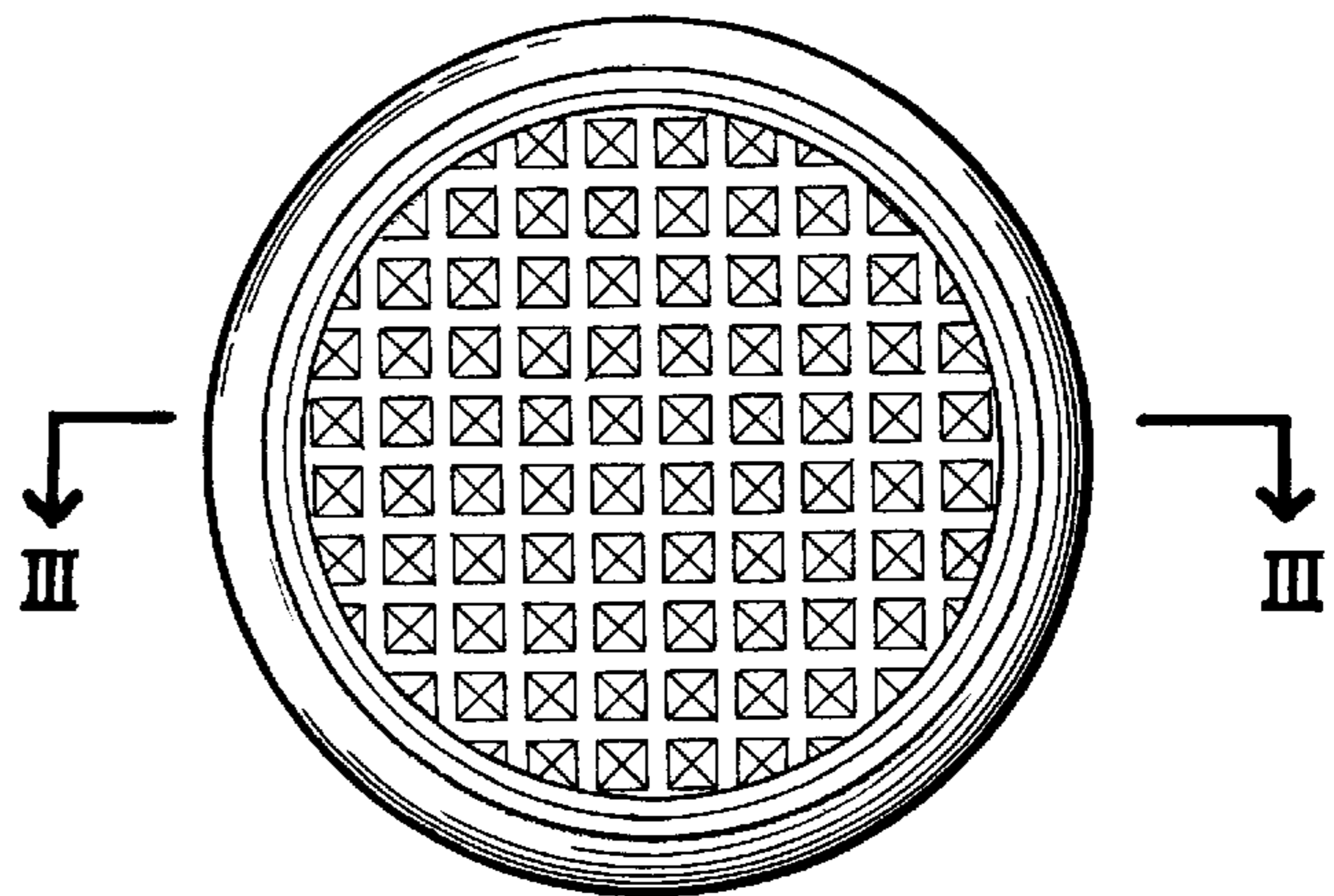


Fig. 4