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[54] **SHOE SOLE**

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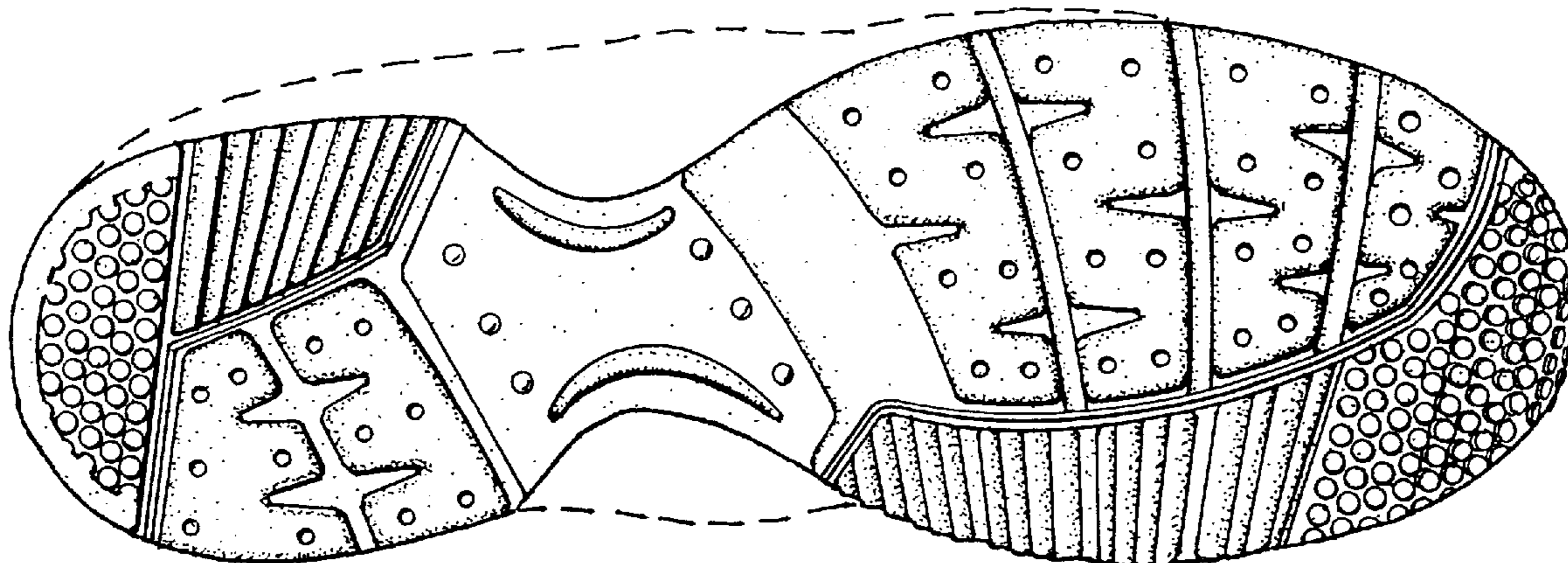
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a shoe sole, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom plan view of a shoe sole showing an alternate embodiment of our new design;
FIG. 2 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof.
The broken line showing of a shoe upper in FIGS. 1-5 is environmental only and forms no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



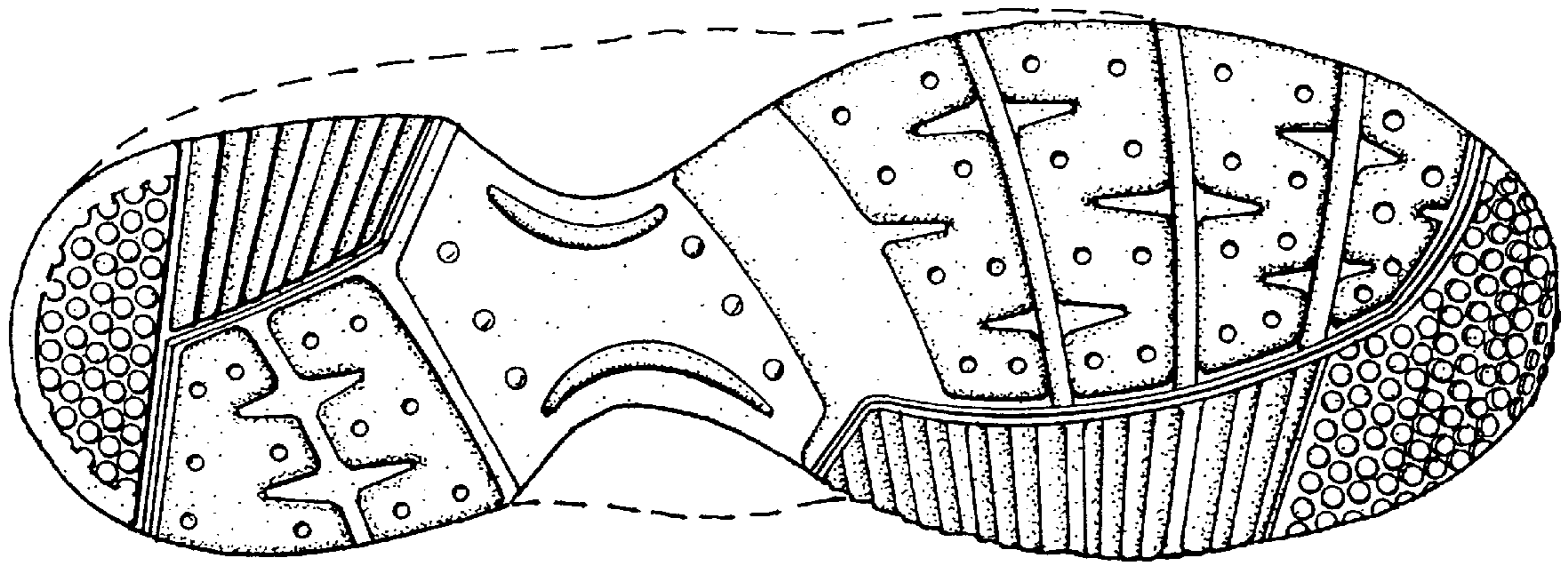


FIG. 1



FIG. 2



FIG. 3

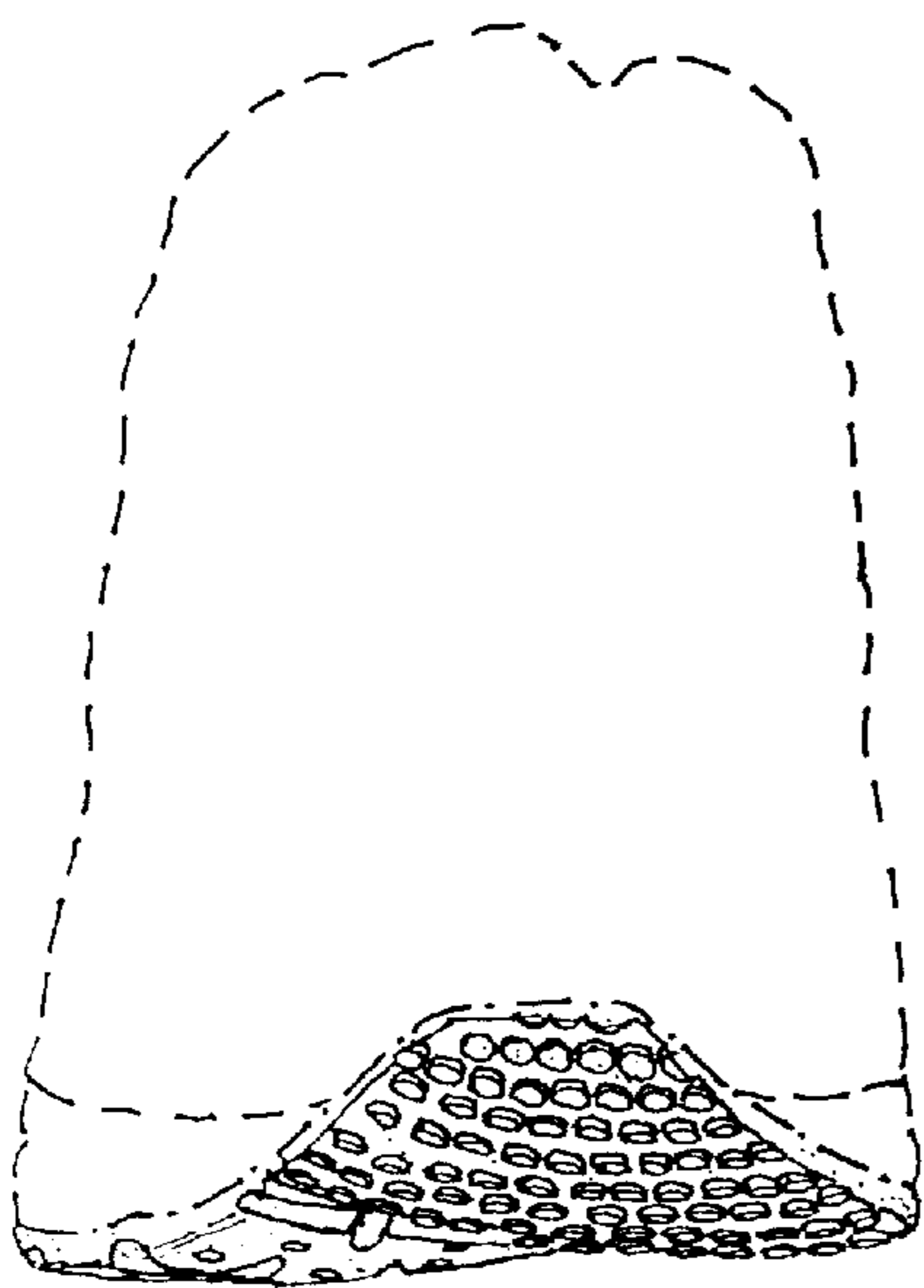


FIG. 4

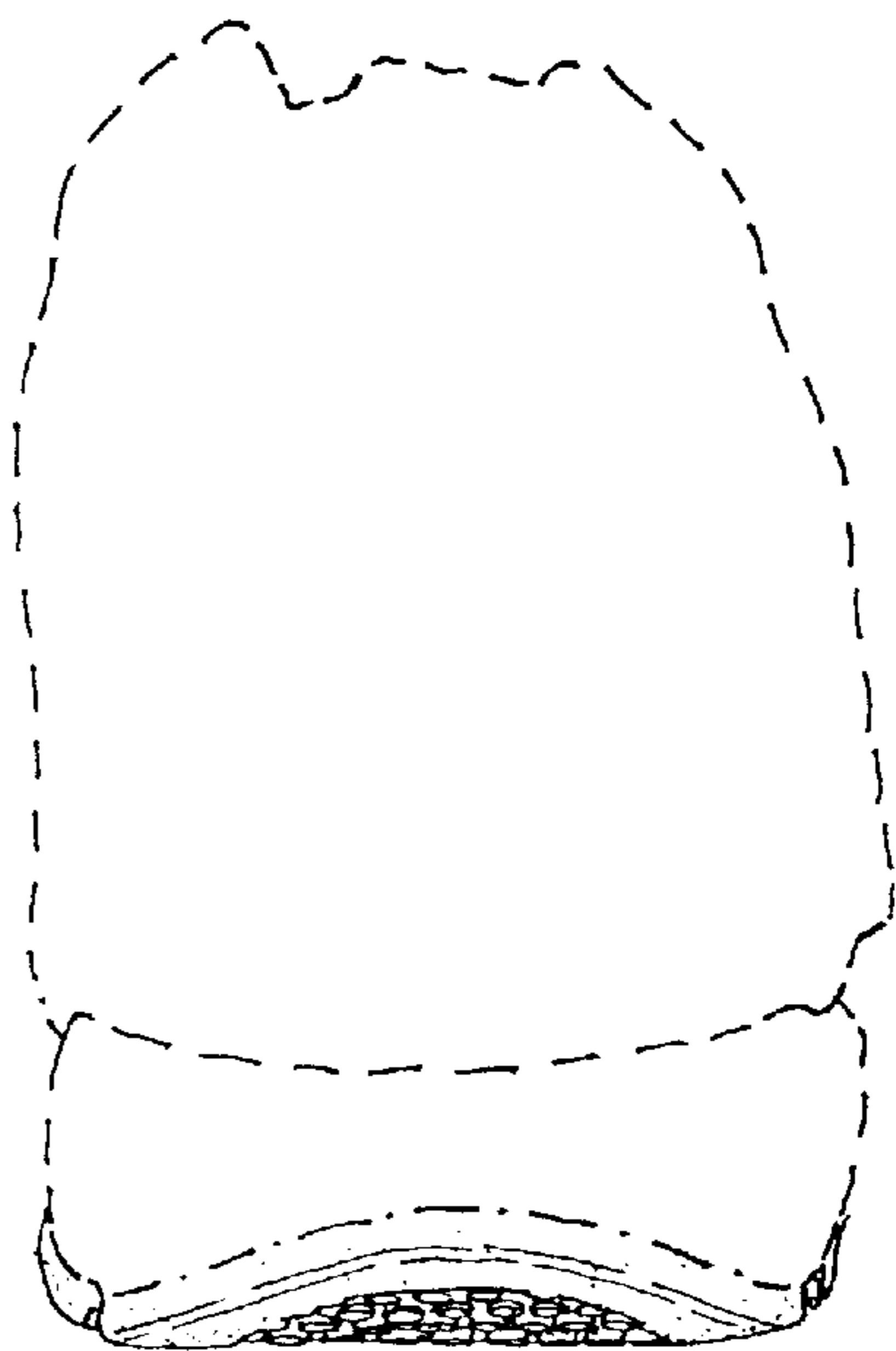


FIG. 5