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[54] **COMBINED TOILET SEAT AND COVER**

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[57] CLAIM

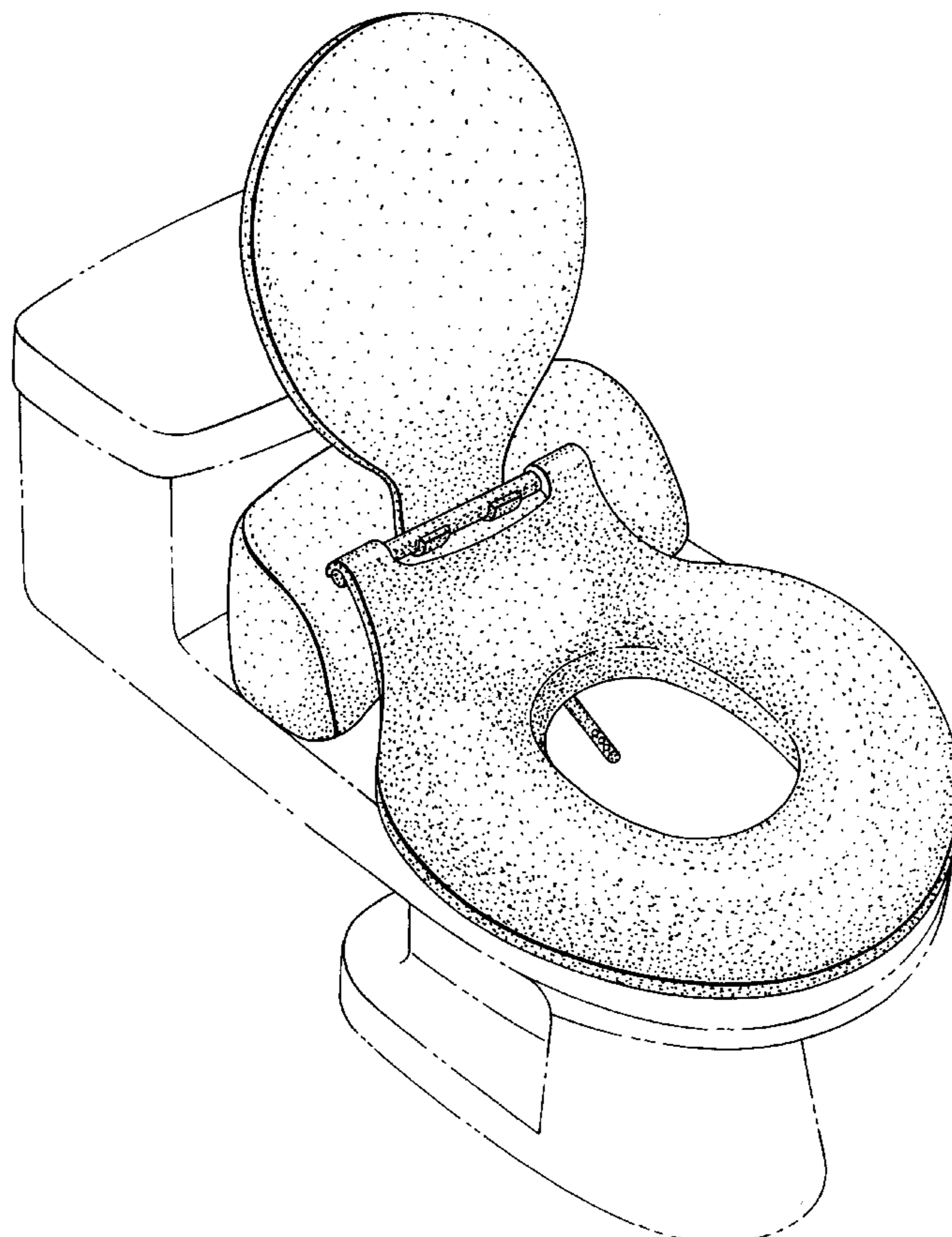
The ornamental design for a combined toilet seat and cover, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a combined toilet seat and cover embodying our design; FIG. 2 is a top plan view with the cover in a closed position; FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a left side elevational view thereof; FIG. 7 is a right side elevational view thereof; FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of our invention; FIG. 9 is a top plan view with the cover in a closed position; FIG. 10 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 11 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 12 is a rear elevational view thereof; and, FIG. 13 is a side elevational view, the opposite side being a mirror image thereof.

The dashed lines shown in FIGS. 1 and 8 illustrate environment only and do not form a part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 7 Drawing Sheets



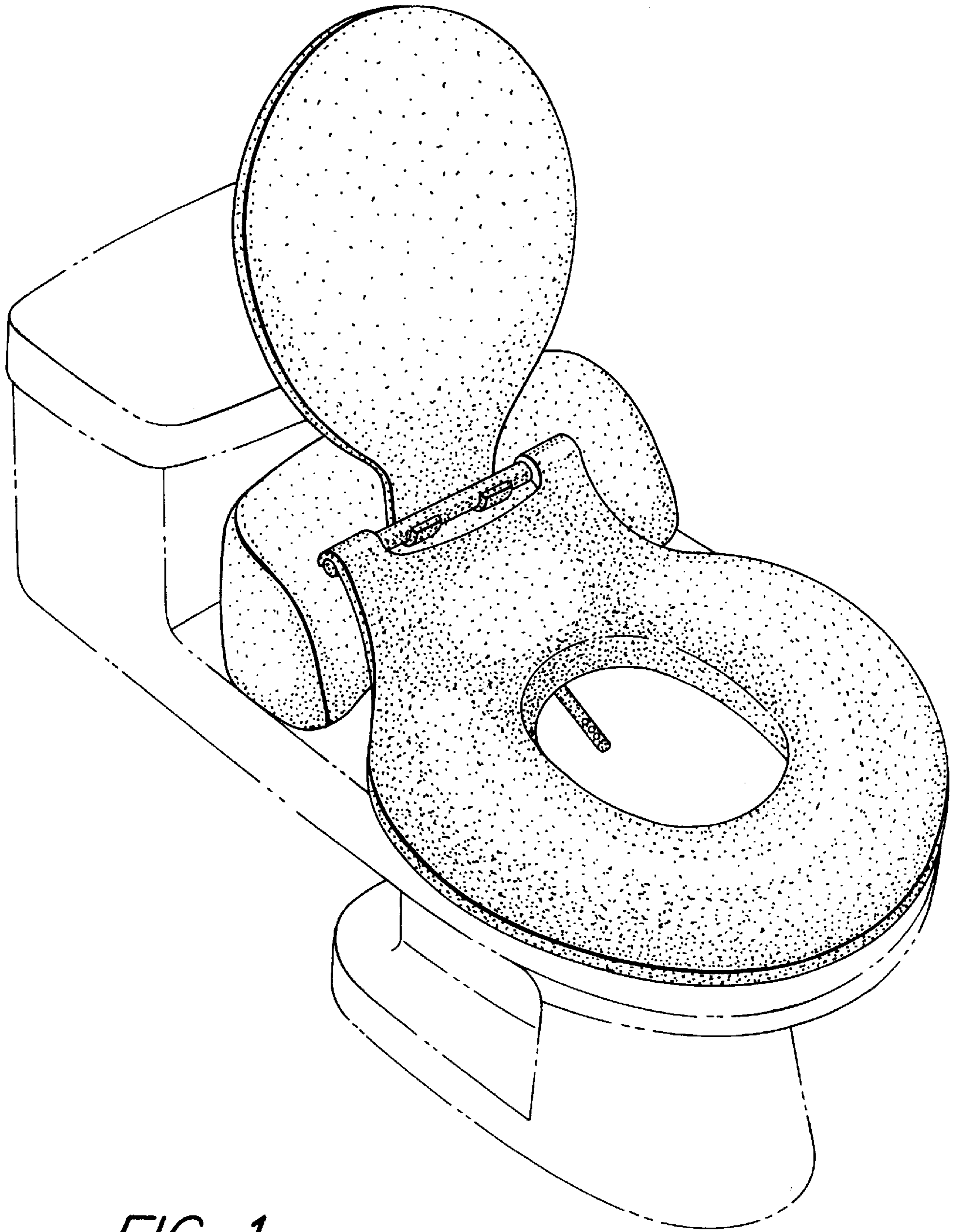


FIG. 1

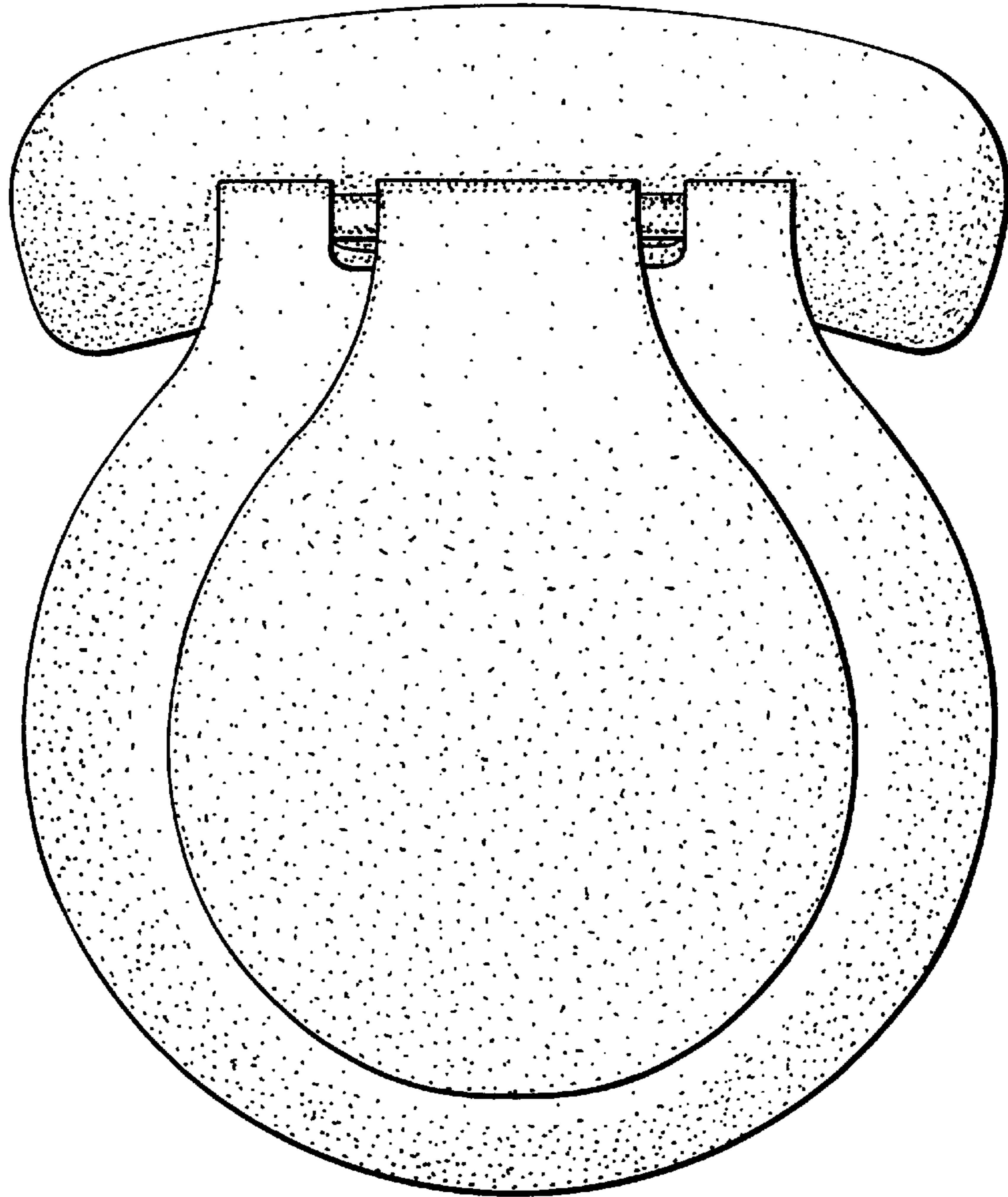


FIG. 2

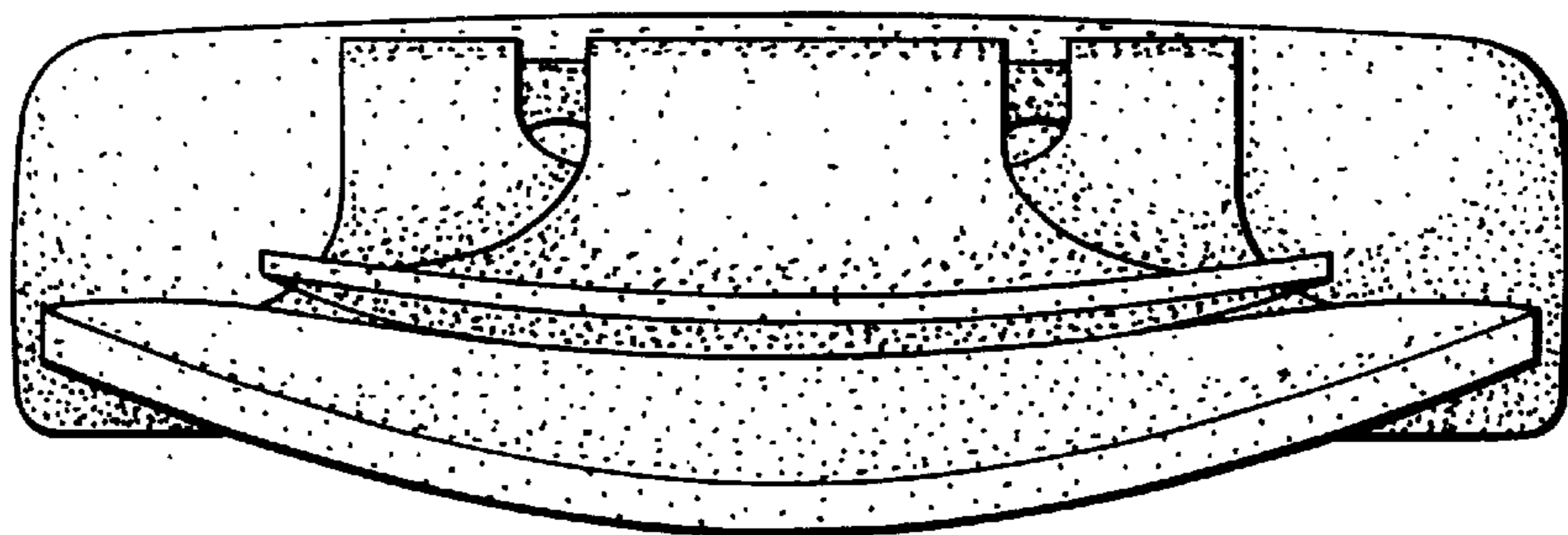


FIG. 4

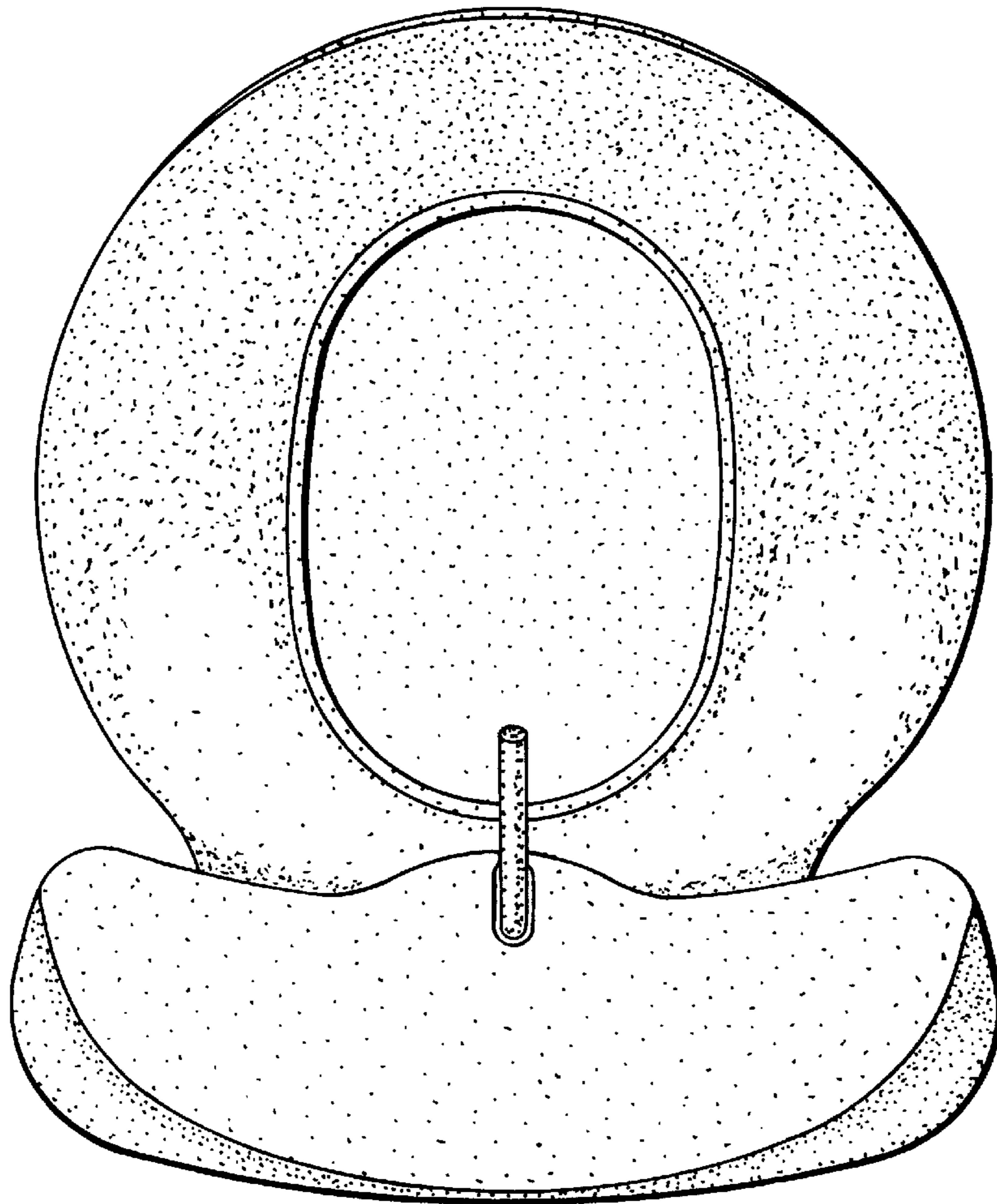


FIG. 3

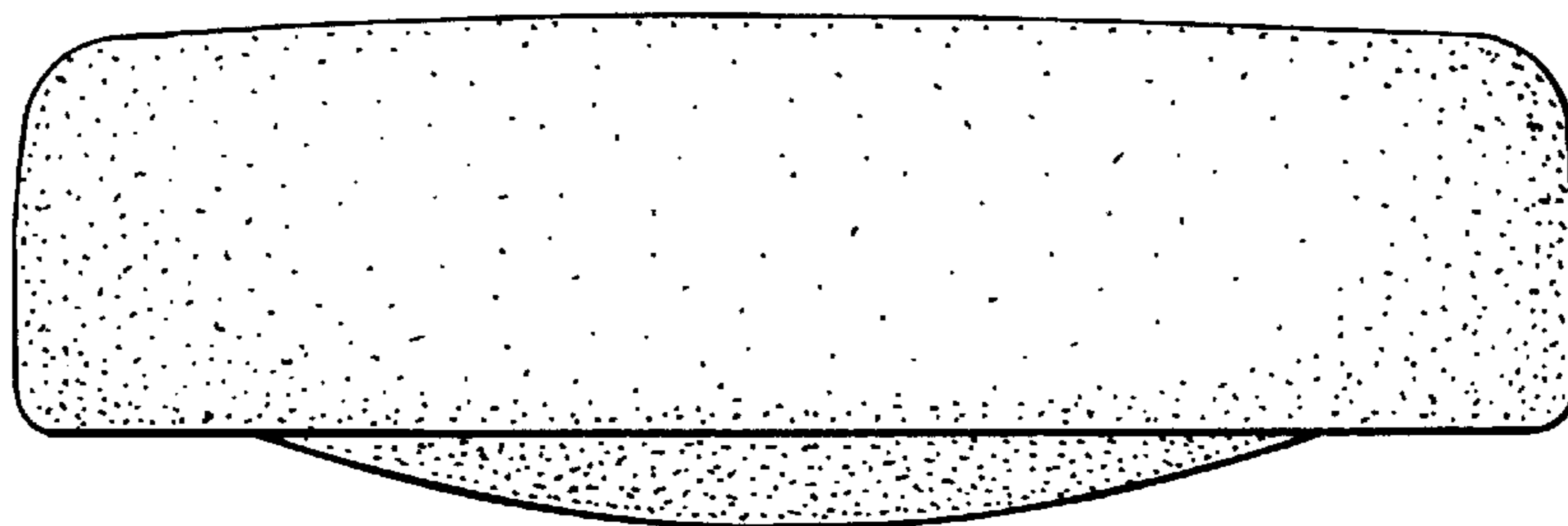


FIG. 5

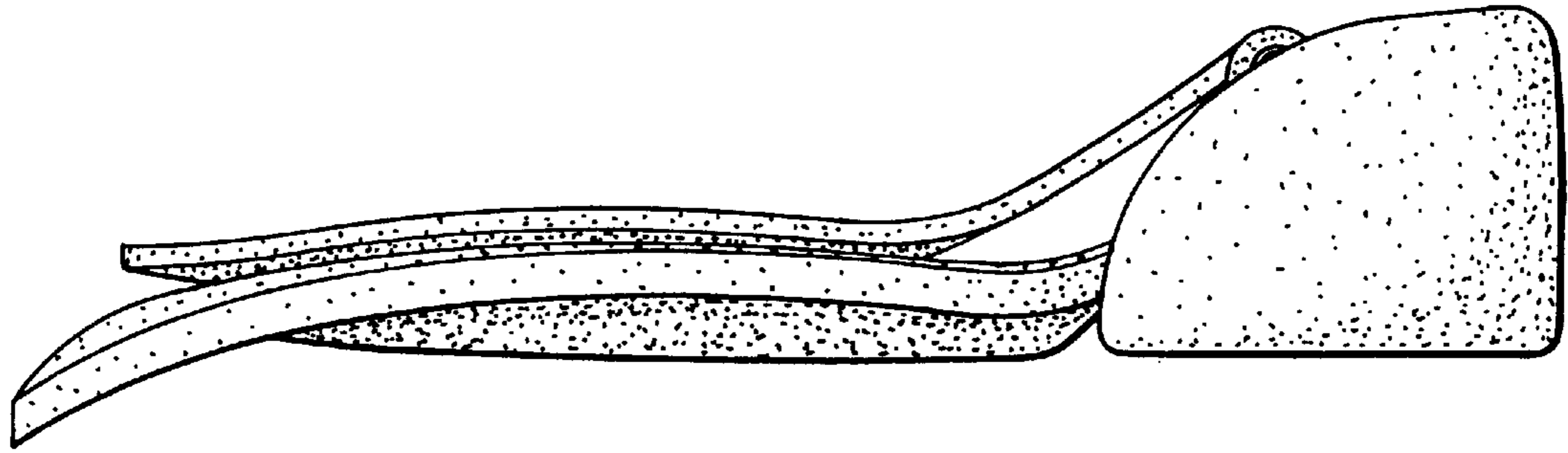


FIG. 6

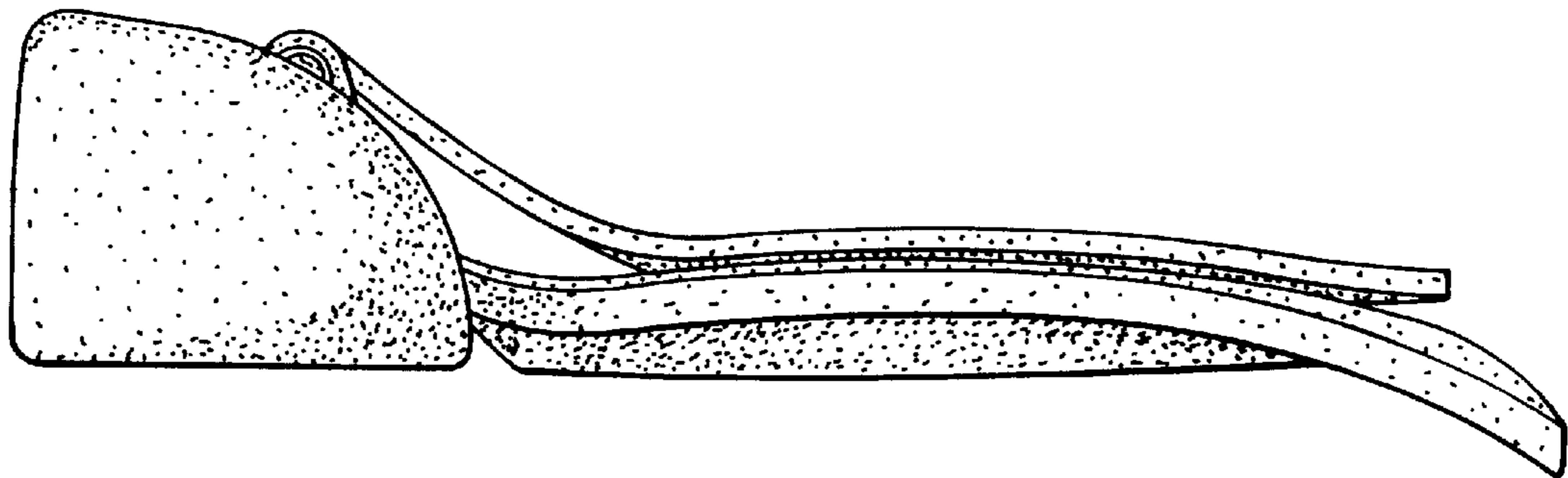


FIG. 7

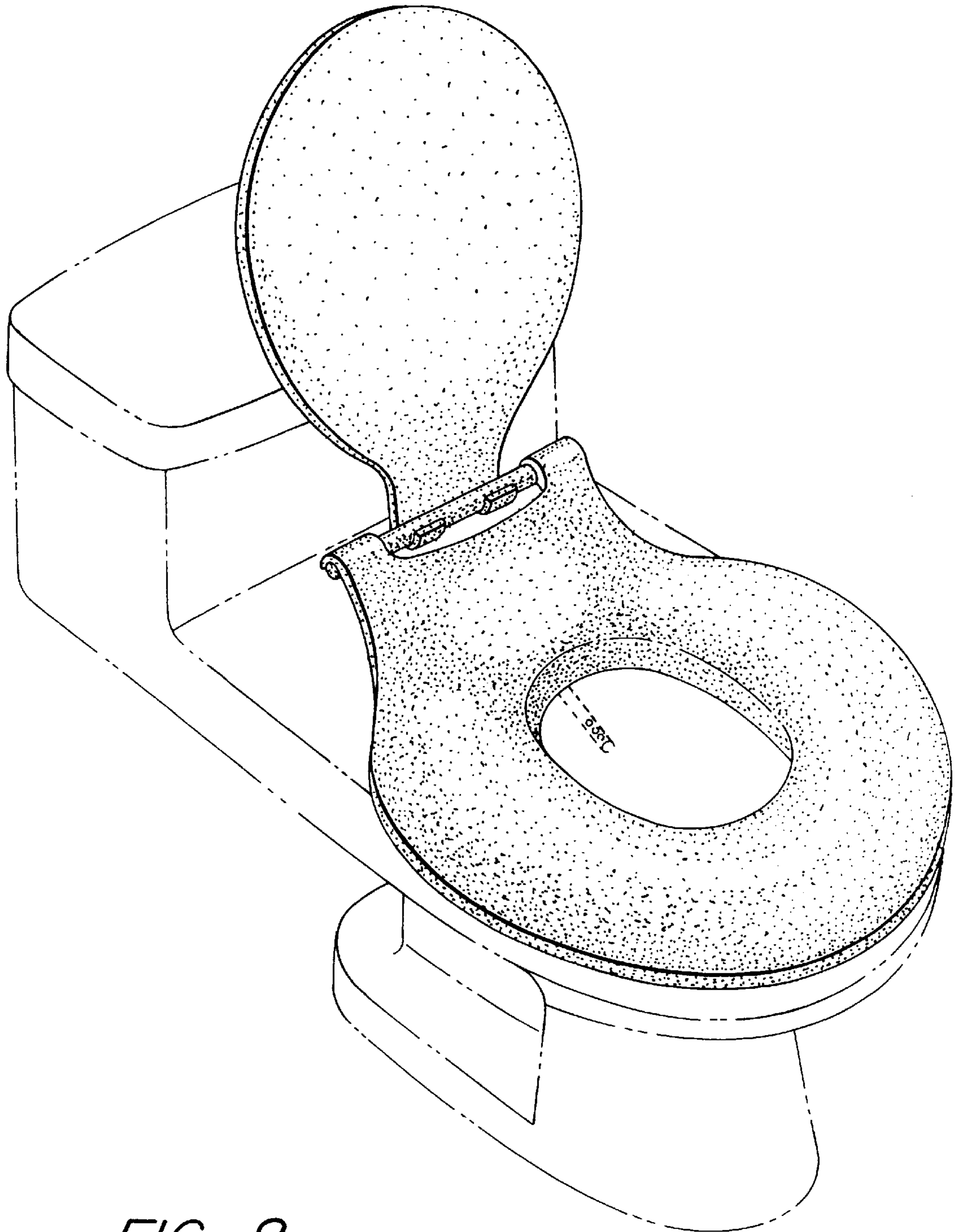


FIG. 8

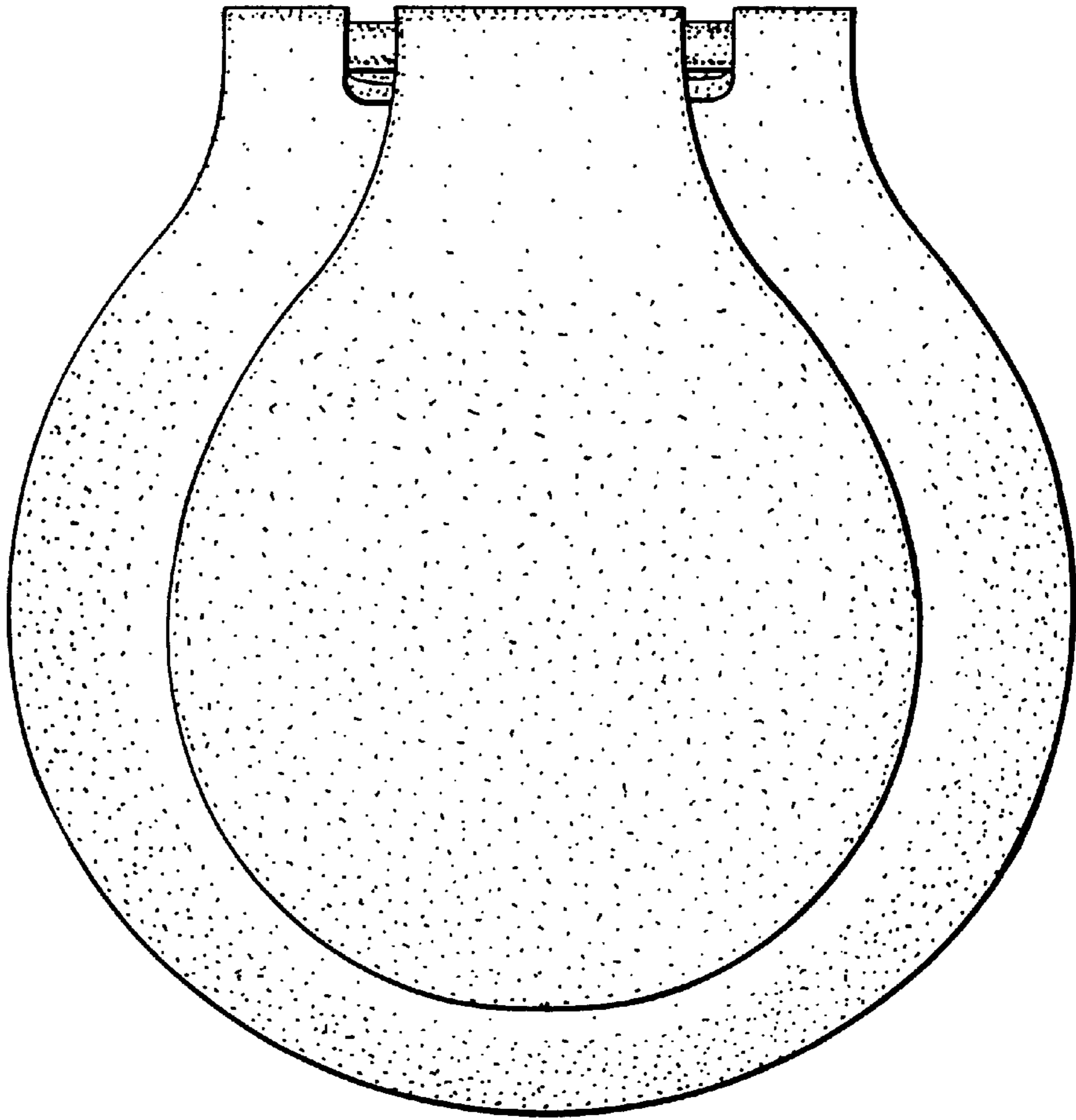


FIG. 9

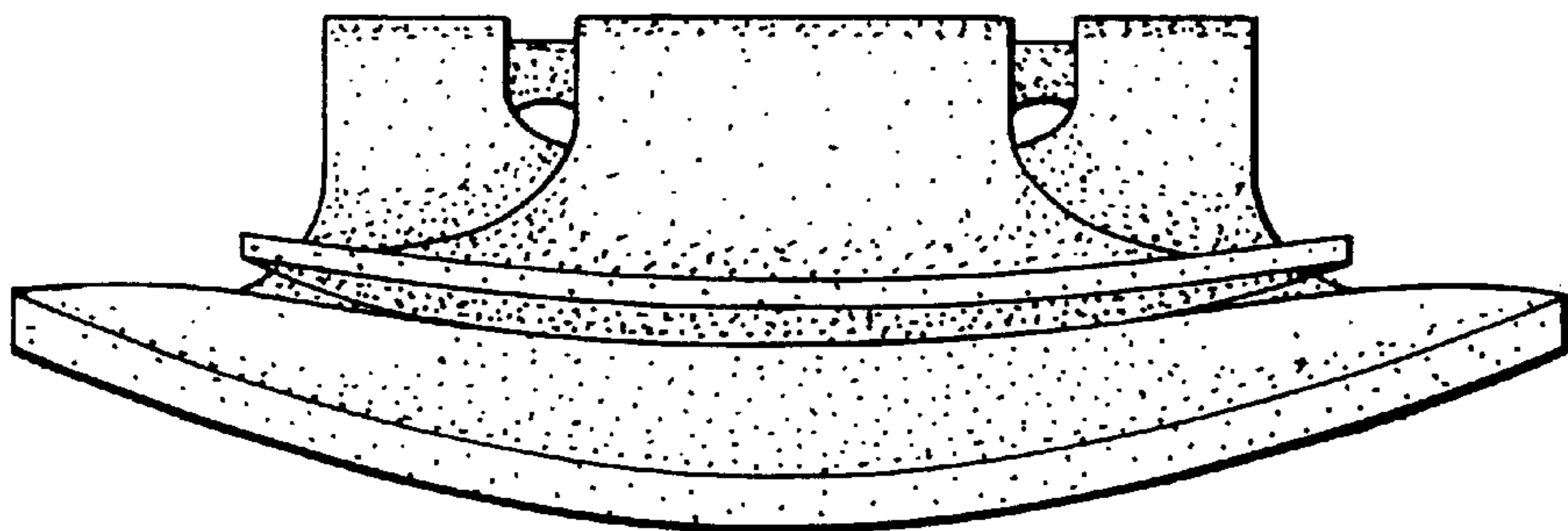


FIG. 11

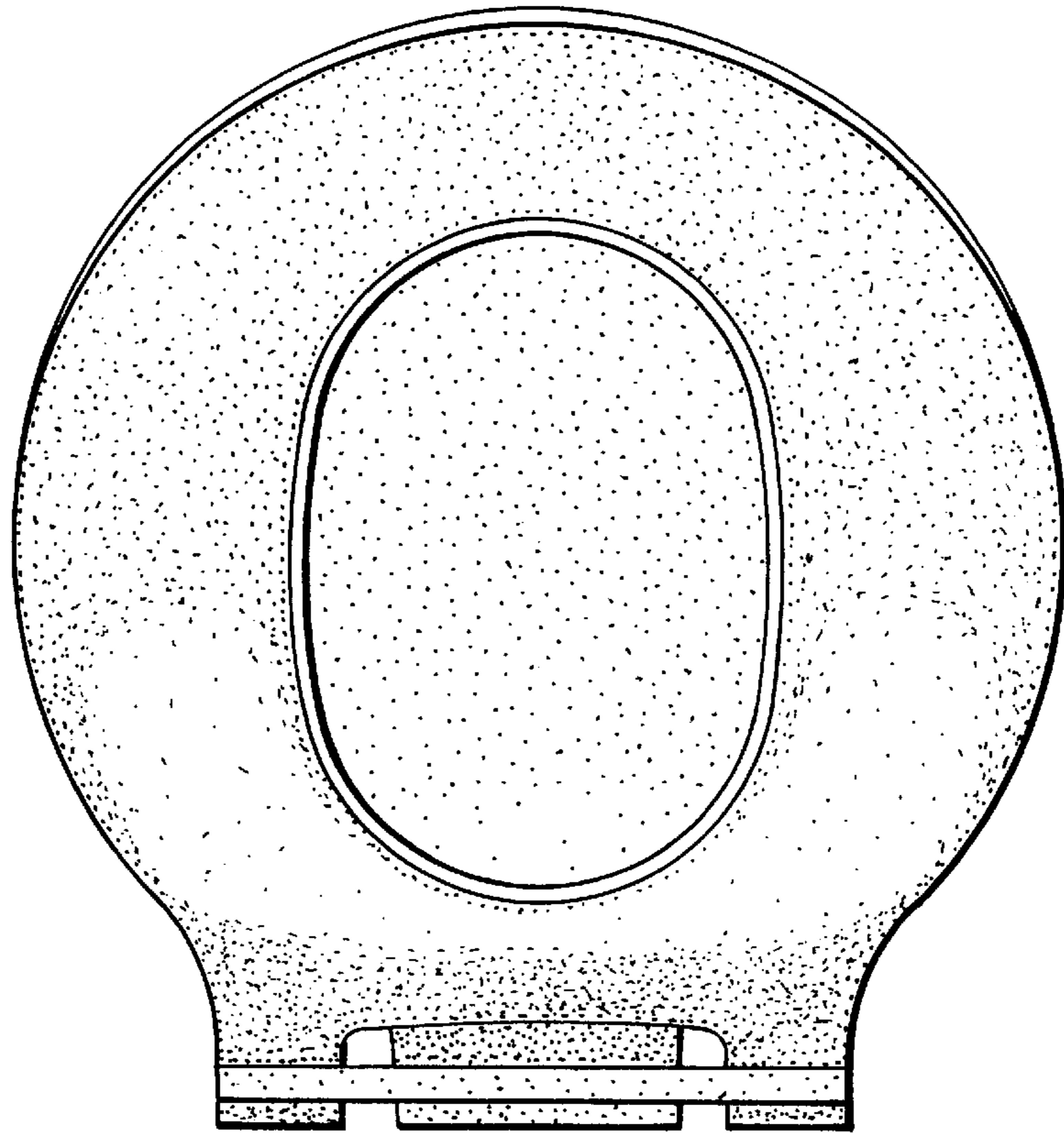


FIG. 10

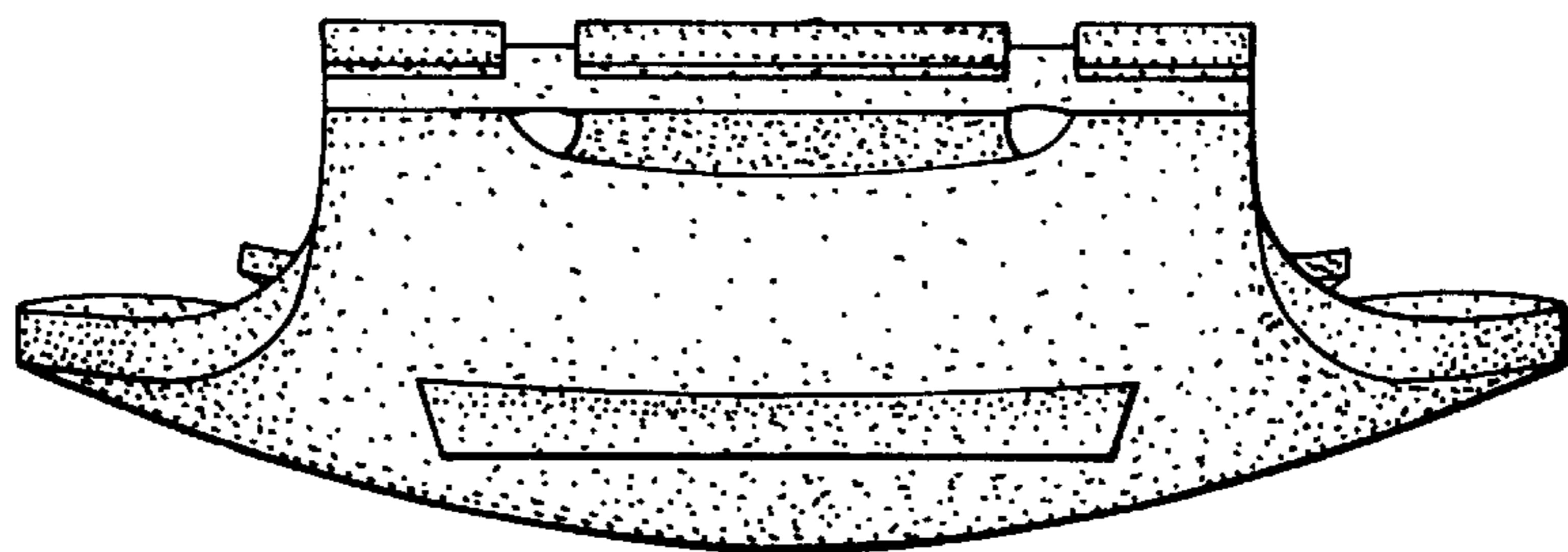


FIG. 12

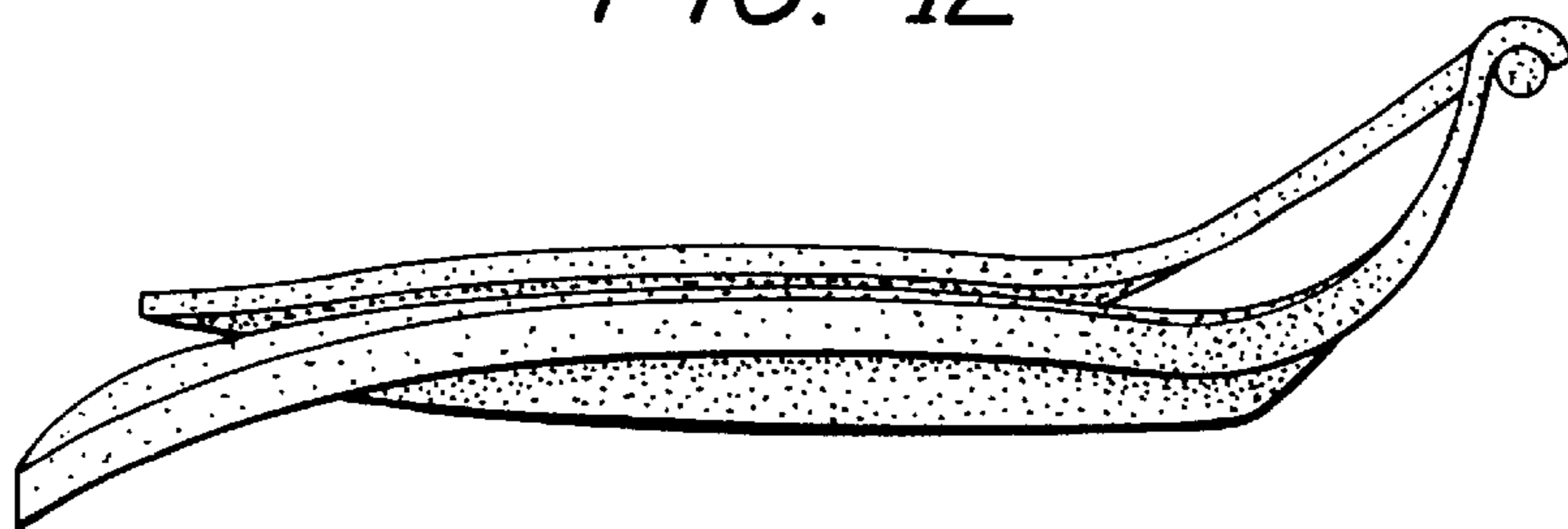


FIG. 13

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, in item [73] Assignee, "Fukuoka-ken" should read --Kitakyushu--.

On the title page, in the Description, at line 11, delete "is a top plan" at the second occurrence.

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