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[54] TAILGATE EXTENDER  
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[57] CLAIM  
The ornamental design for a “tailgate extender,” as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION  
FIG. 1 is a right side, elevation view showing my design for a tailgate extender;  
FIG. 2 is a right side, perspective view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a left side, perspective view thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a left side, elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 5 is a rear view thereof;  
FIG. 6 is a top view thereof;  
FIG. 7 front view thereof;  
FIG. 8 is a right side, perspective view thereof, as viewed from underneath;  
FIG. 9 is left side, perspective view thereof, as viewed from underneath, which also shows two tailgate sidewall extension panels in phantom; and,  
FIG. 10 is a bottom view thereof, which also shows two tailgate extension panels in phantom.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets

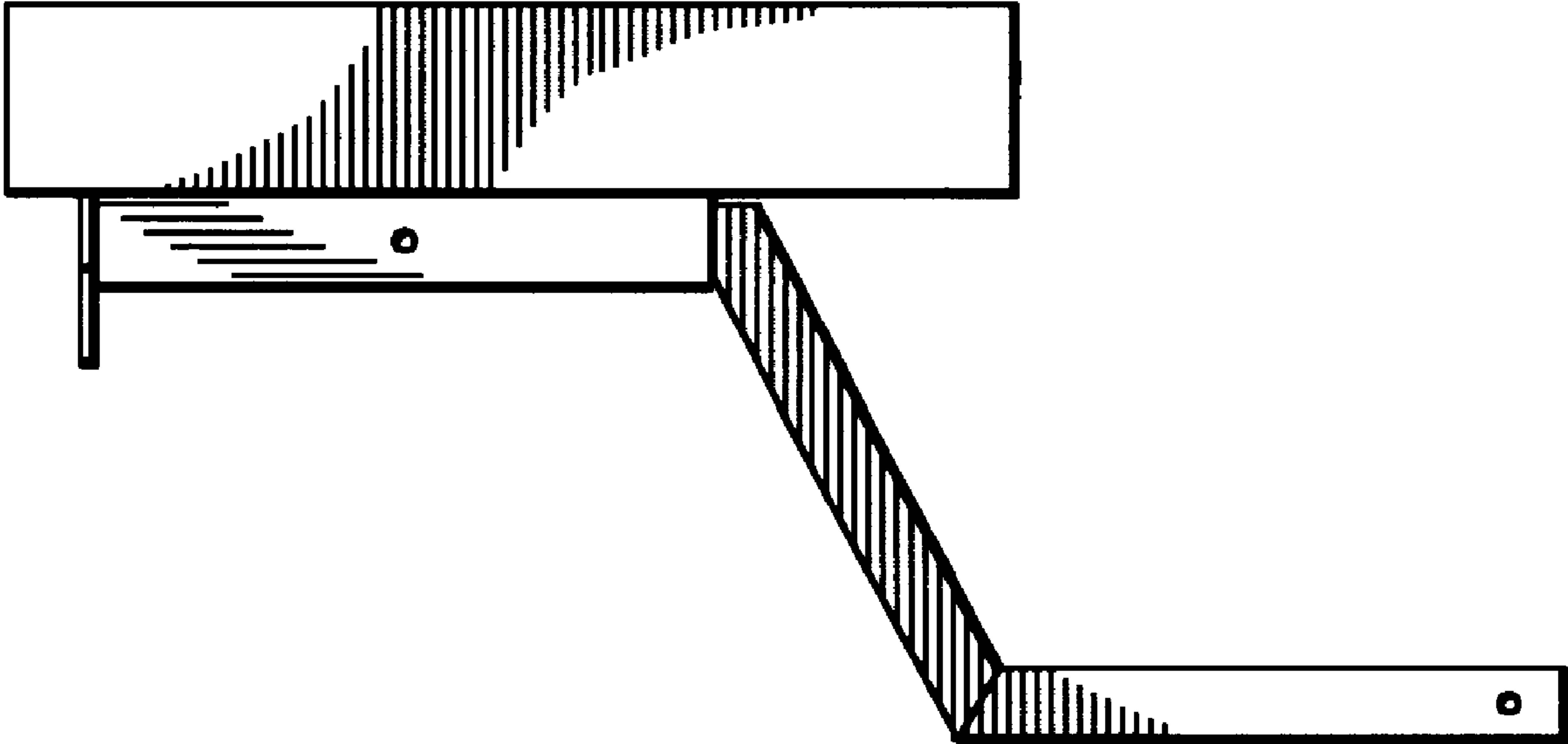


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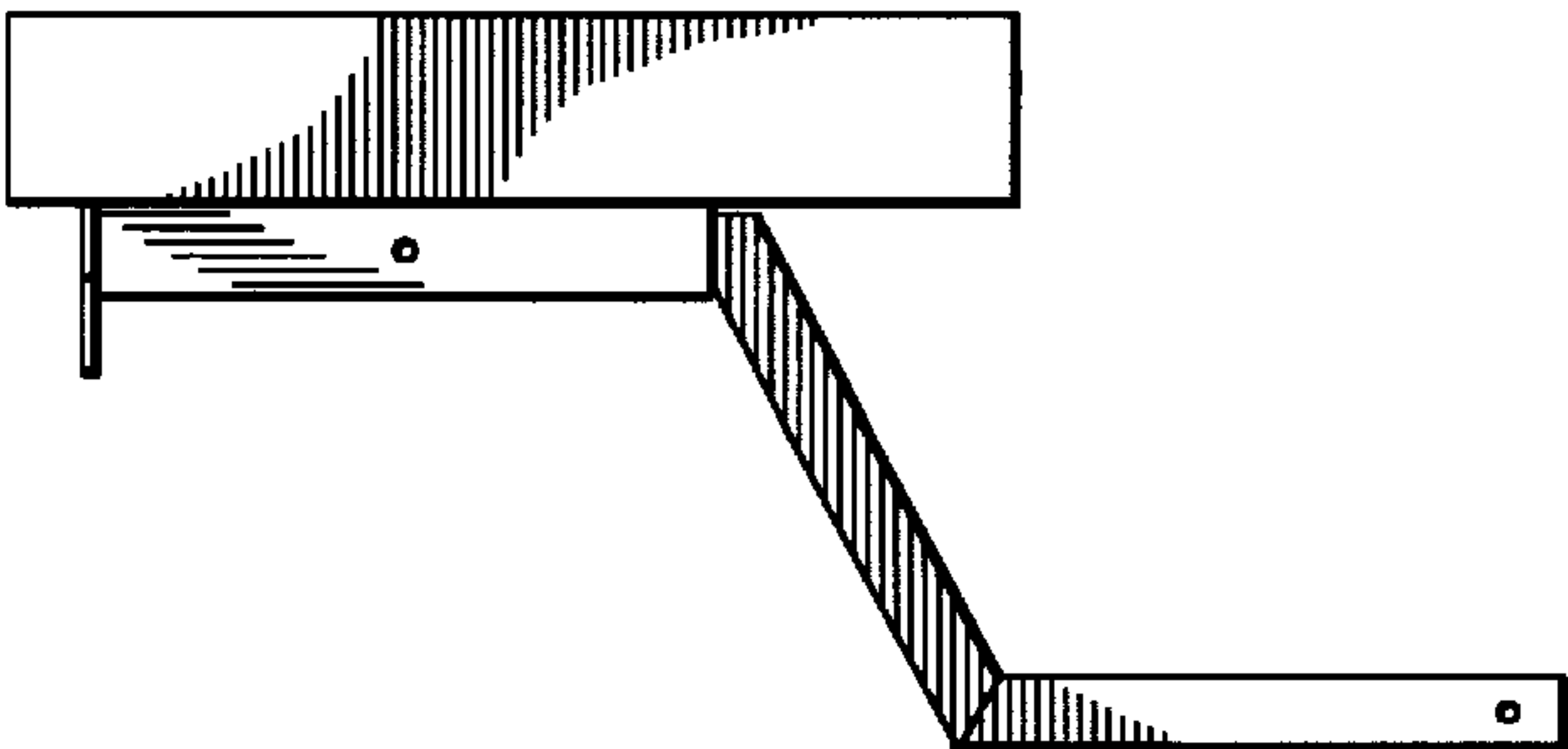


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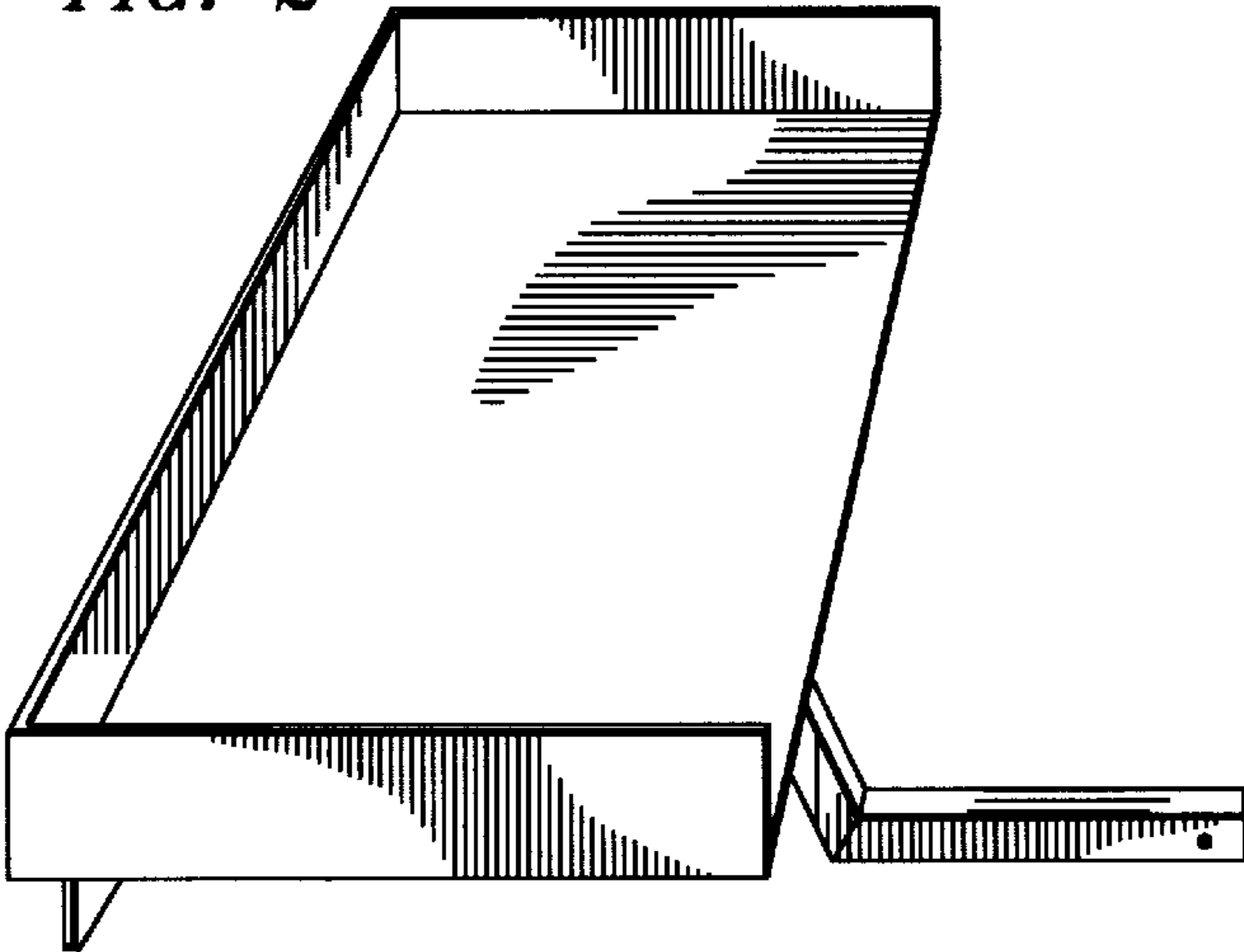


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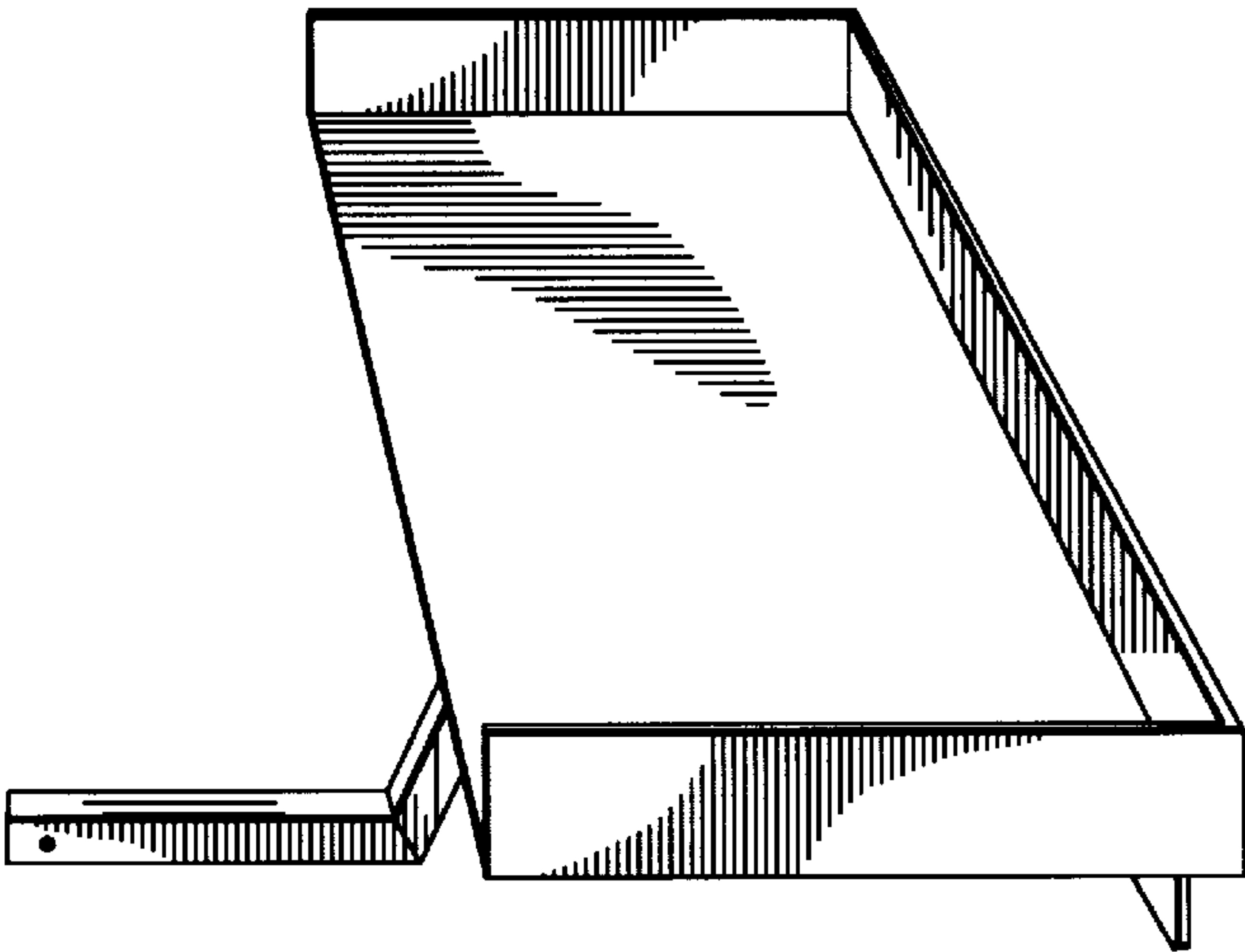


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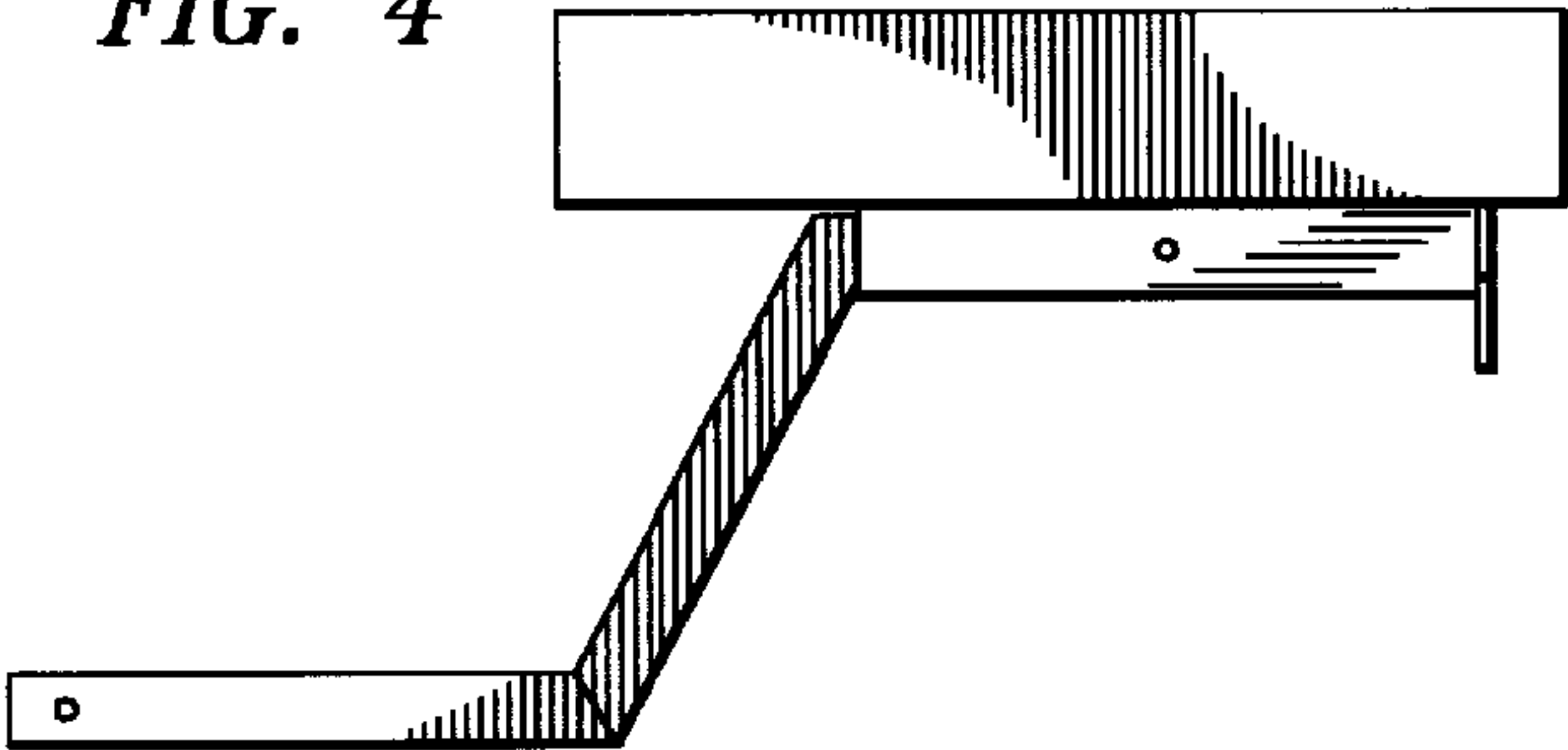


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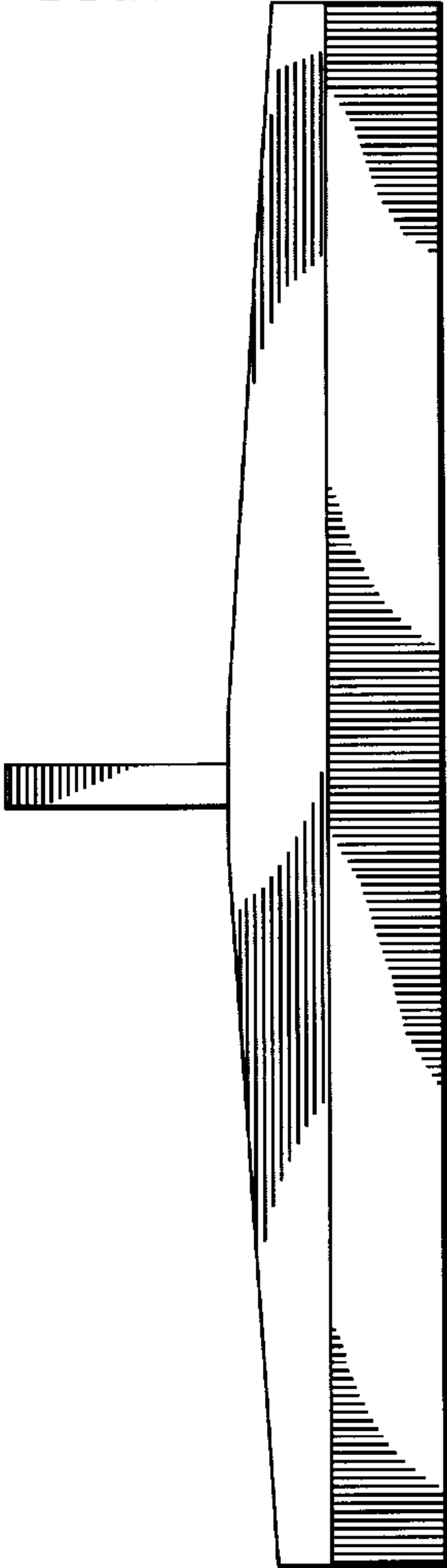


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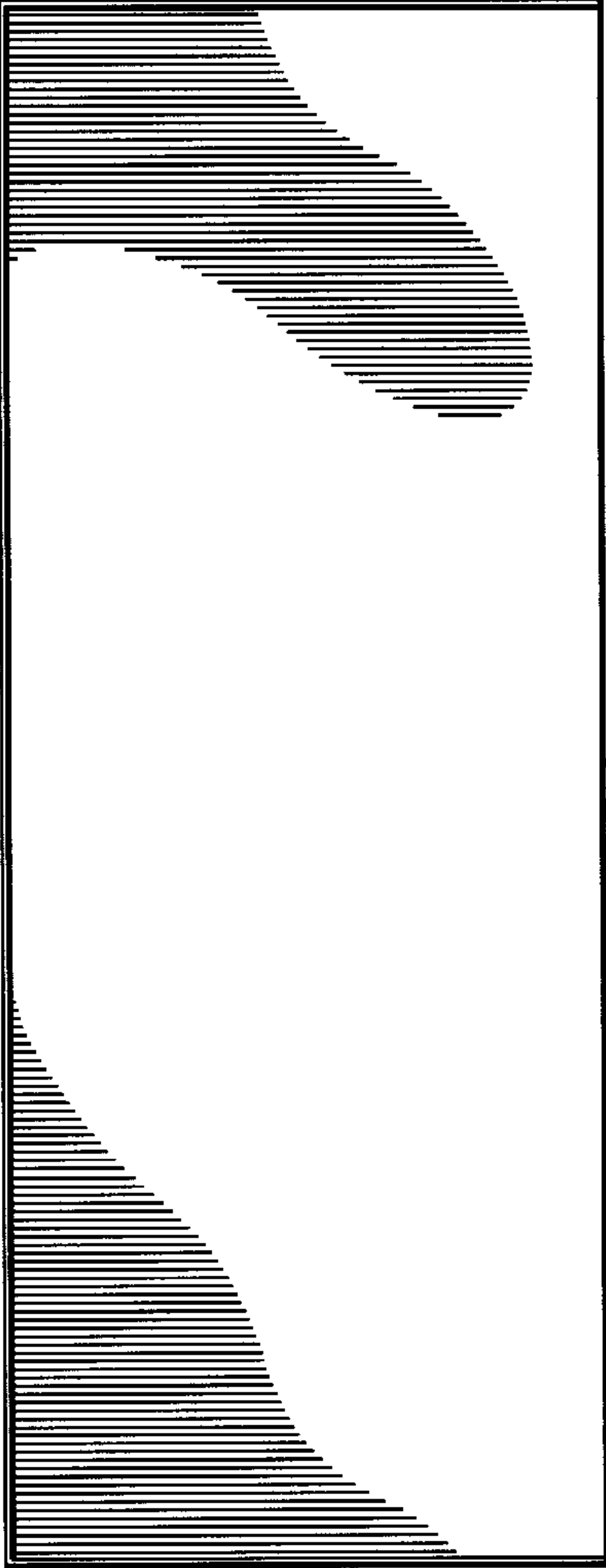


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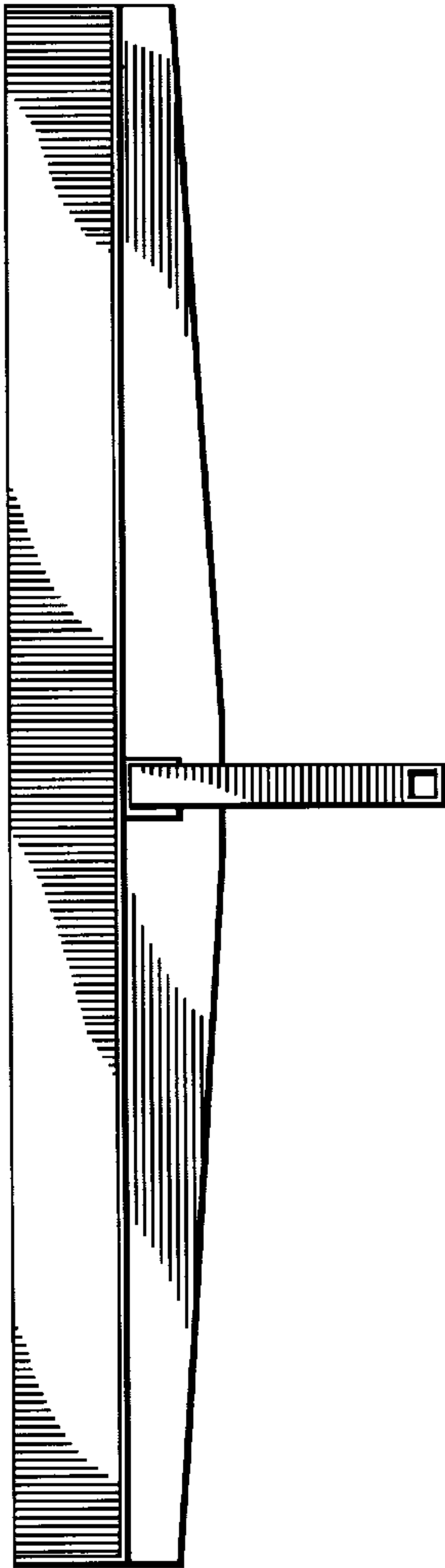


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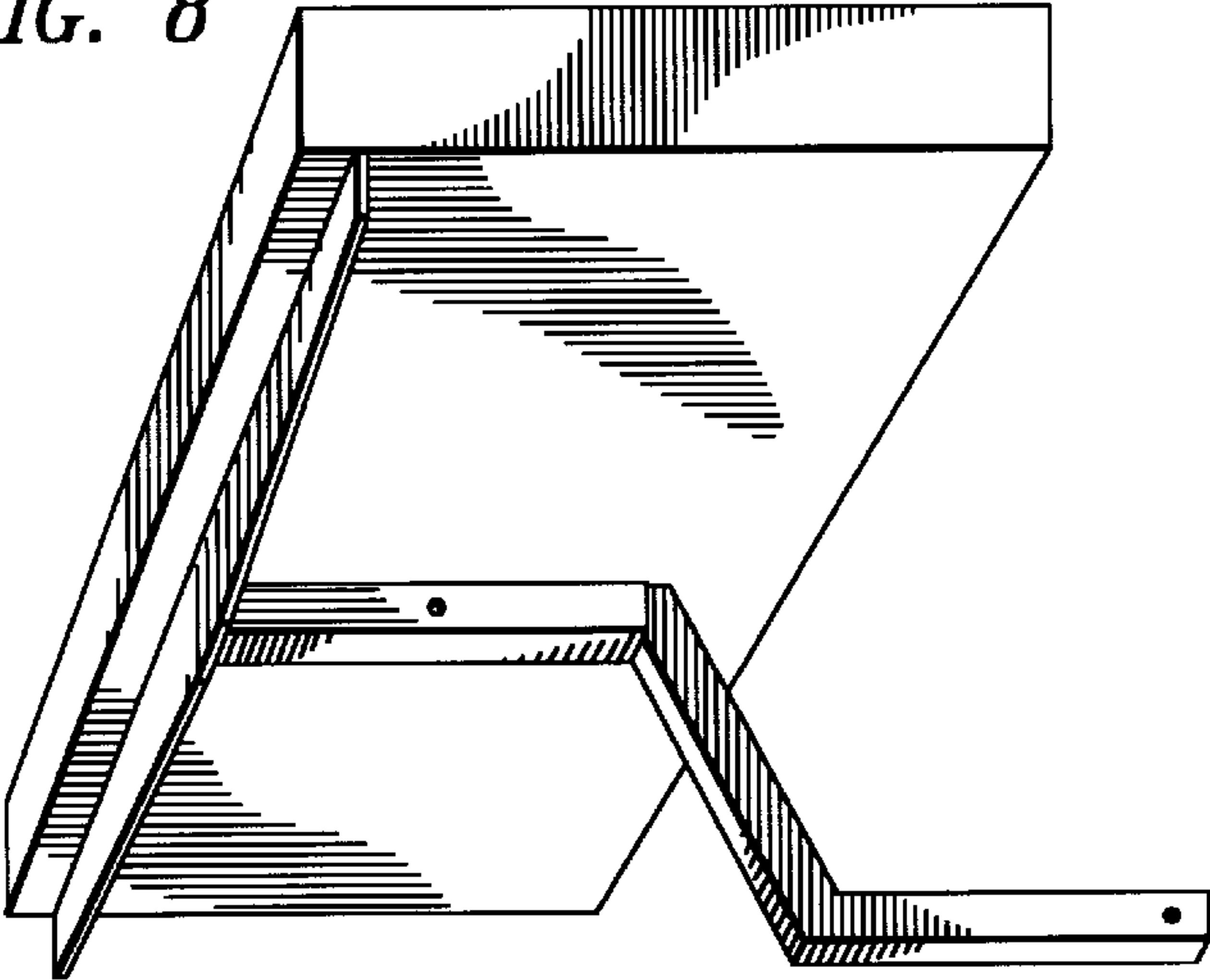


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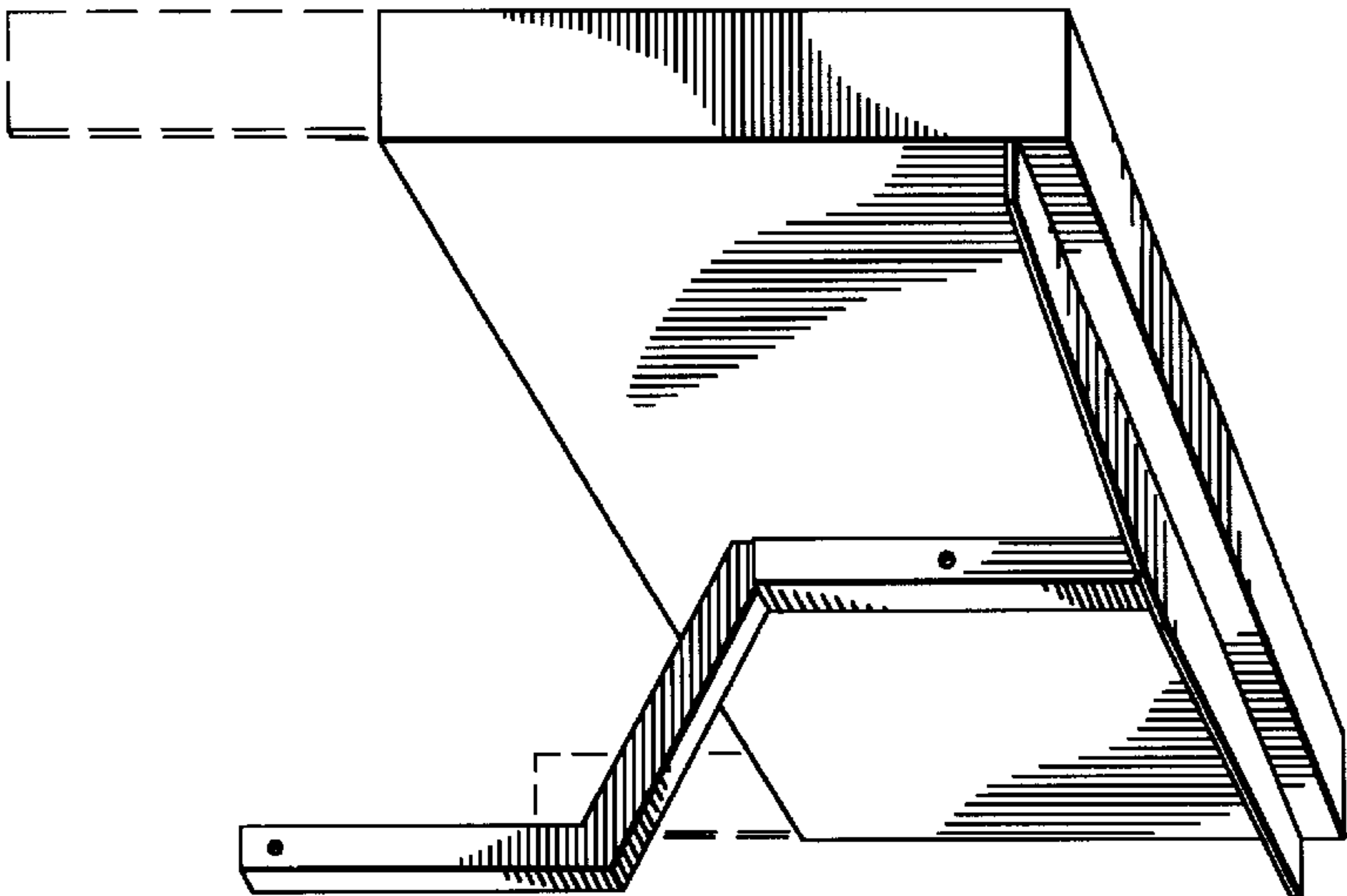


FIG. 10

