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## [54] COLLAPSIBLE HANGING DRYING RACK

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## [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a collapsible hanging drying rack, as shown and described.

## DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a side elevational view of a collapsible hanging drying rack embodying our invention;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the upper tier with the netting omitted, shown separately for clarity of illustration;

FIG. 4 is a top plan view of the lower tier shown separately for clarity of illustration;

FIG. 5 is a top plan view of the upper tier with the netting in place and shown separately for clarity of illustration;

FIG. 6 is an enlarged, fragmentary cross sectional view taken on line 6—6 of FIG. 5;

FIG. 7 is an enlarged, fragmentary cross-sectional view taken on line 7—7 of FIG. 4;

FIG. 8 is an enlarged, fragmentary cross-sectional view taken on line 8—8 of FIG. 5;

FIG. 9 is a front elevational view of one of the side cross bars of both the upper and lower tiers of the drying rack of the invention, the other side cross bars being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 10 is a rear elevational view of the side cross bar of FIG. 9;

FIG. 11 is a top plan view of the side cross bar of FIG. 9;

FIG. 12 is a bottom plan view of the side cross bar of FIG. 9;

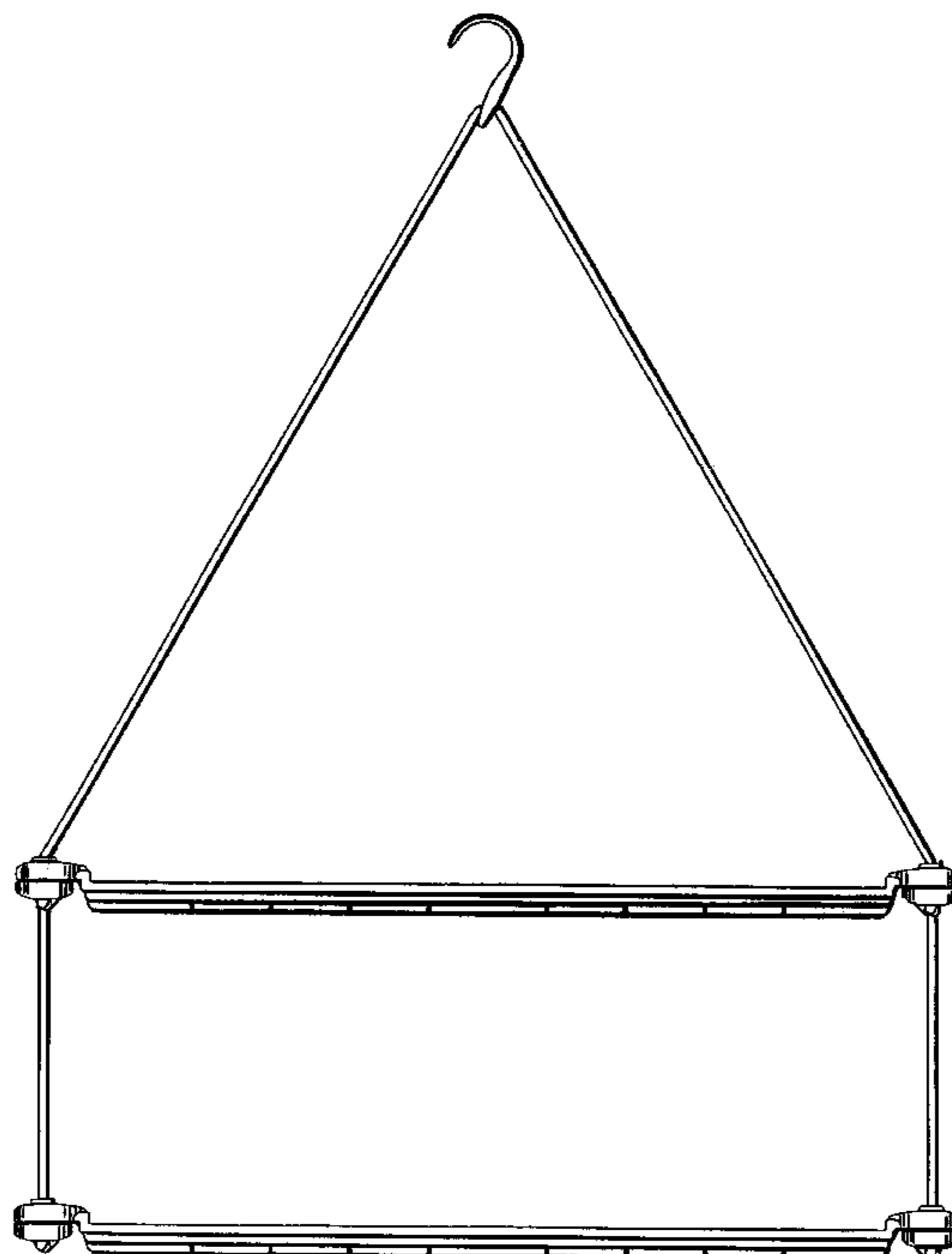
FIG. 13 is a front elevational view of one of the front cross bars of both the upper and lower tiers of the drying rack of the invention, the rear cross bars being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 14 is a rear elevational view of the front cross bar of FIG. 13;

FIG. 15 is a top plan view of the front cross bar of FIG. 13; and,

FIG. 16 is a bottom plan view of the front cross bar of FIG. 13.

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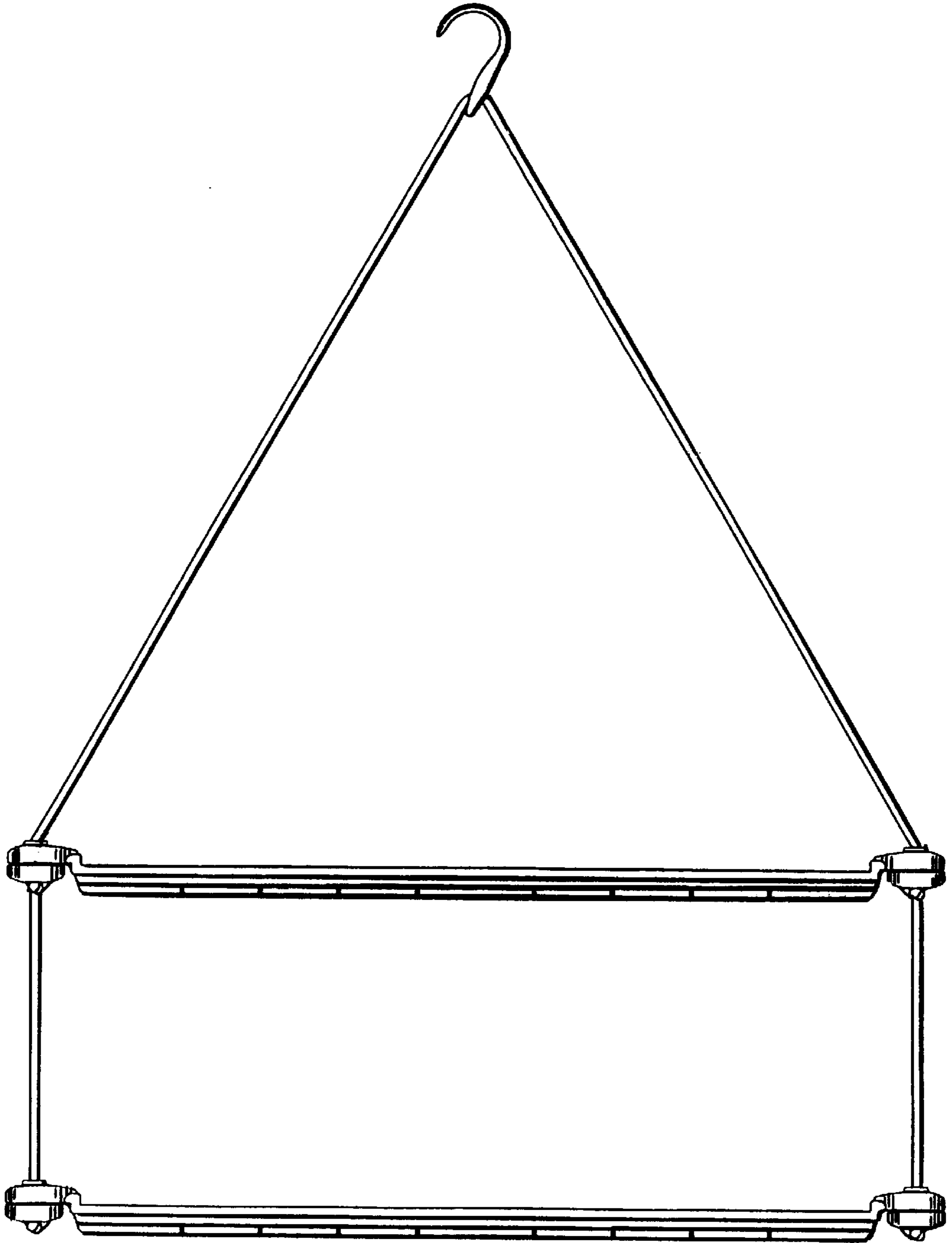


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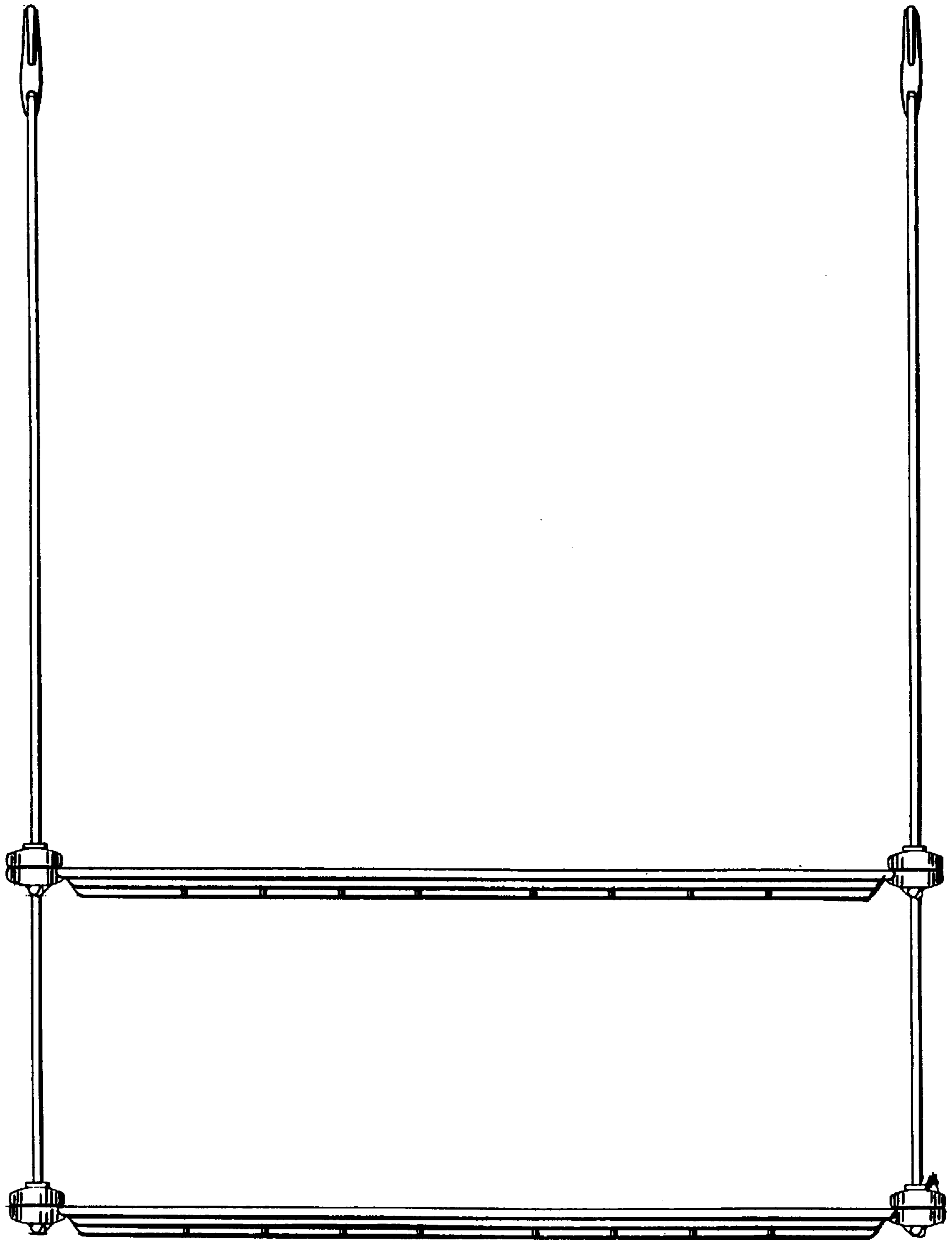


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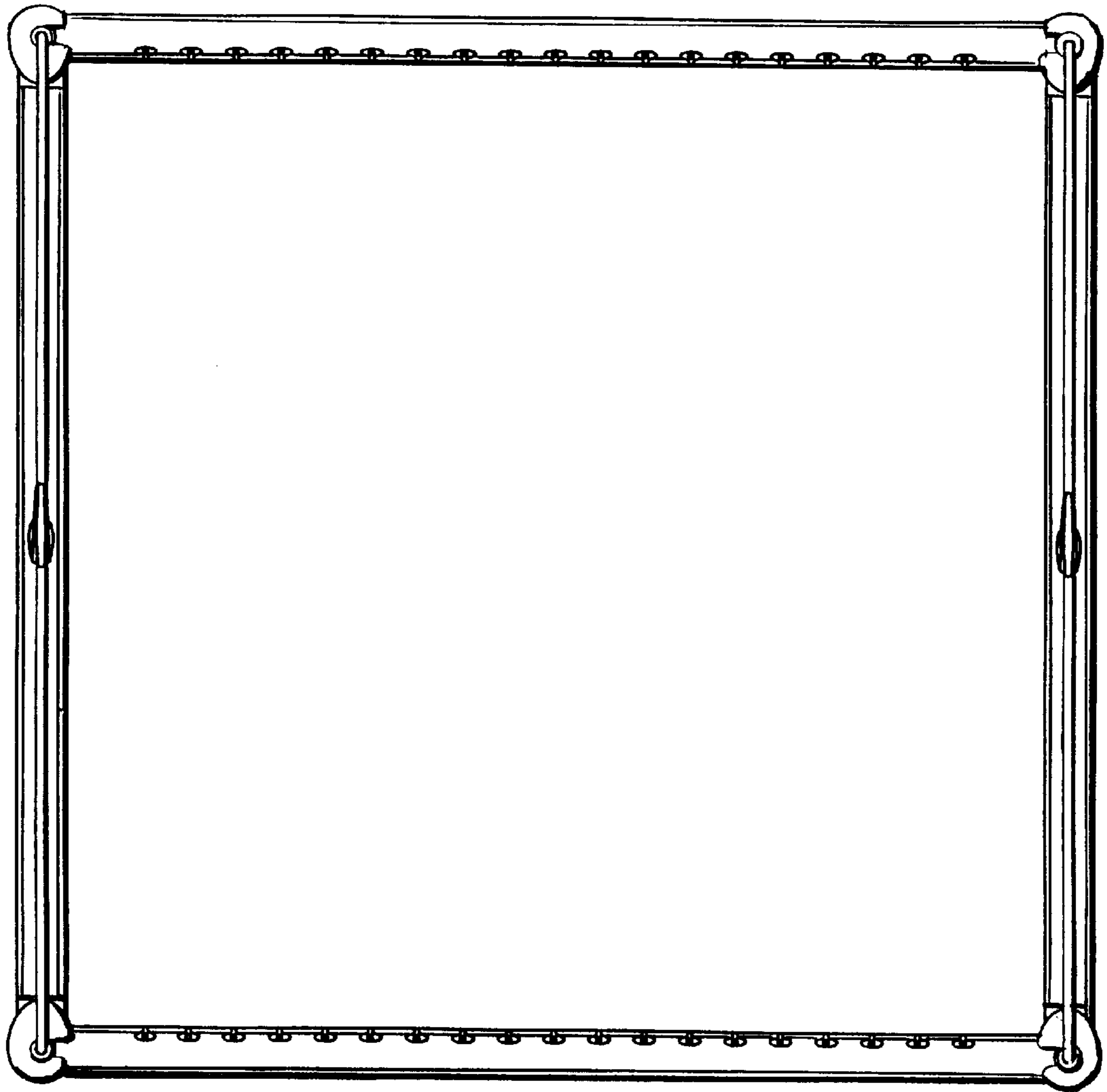


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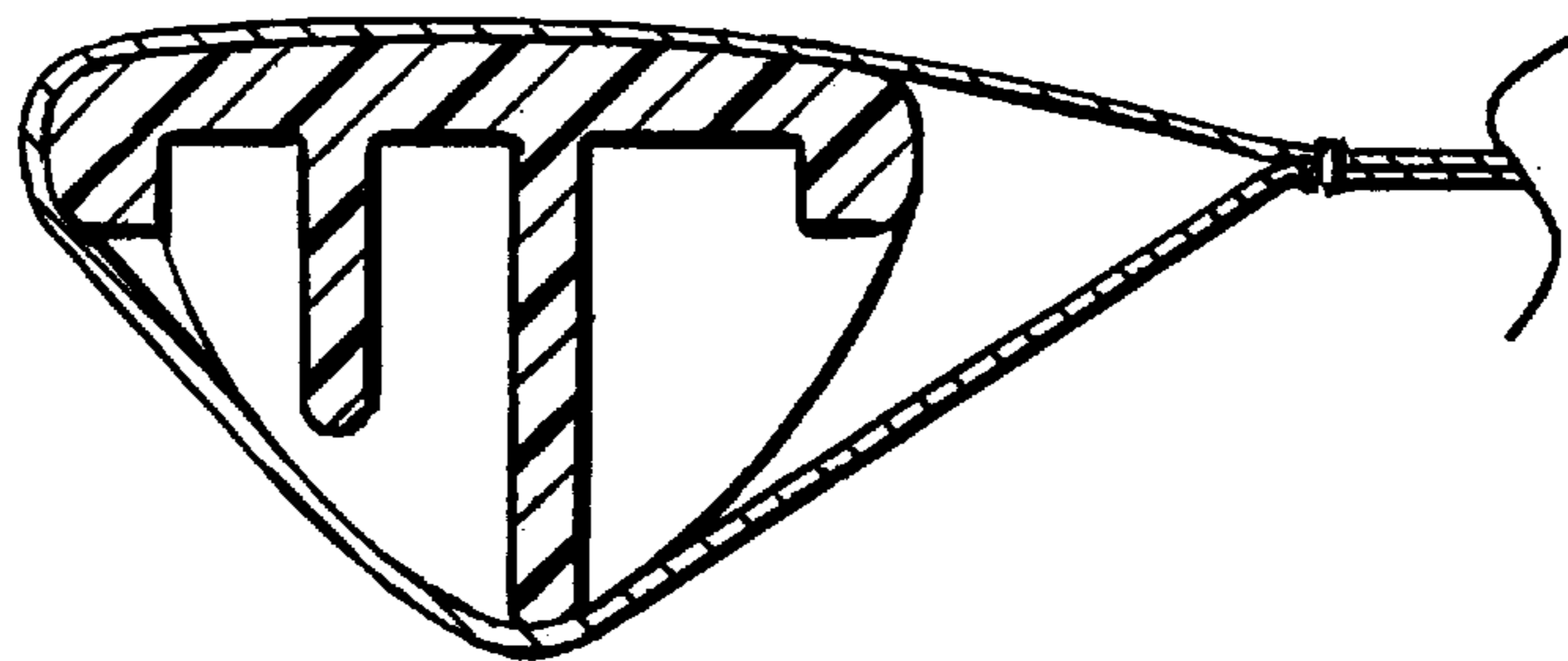


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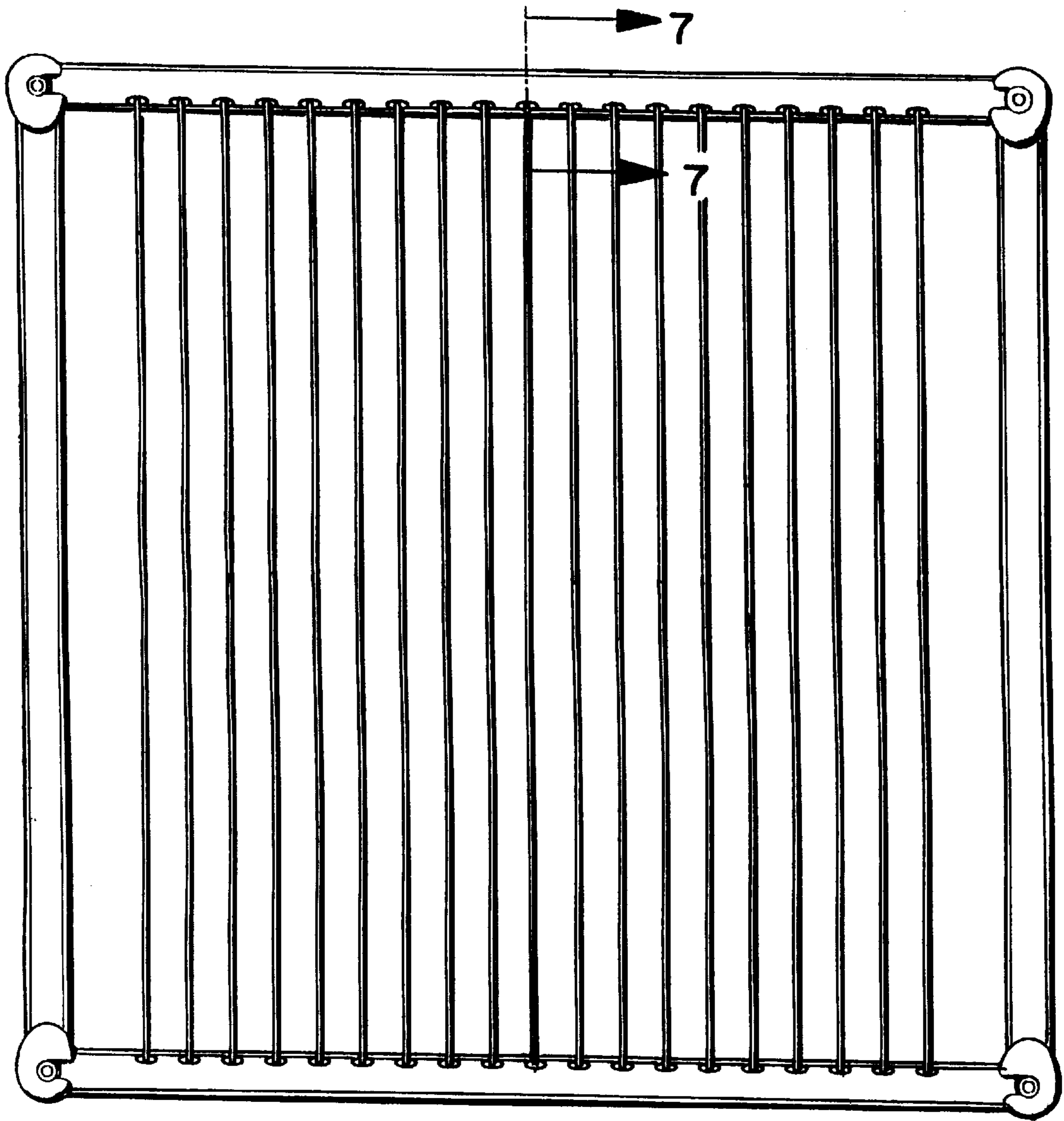


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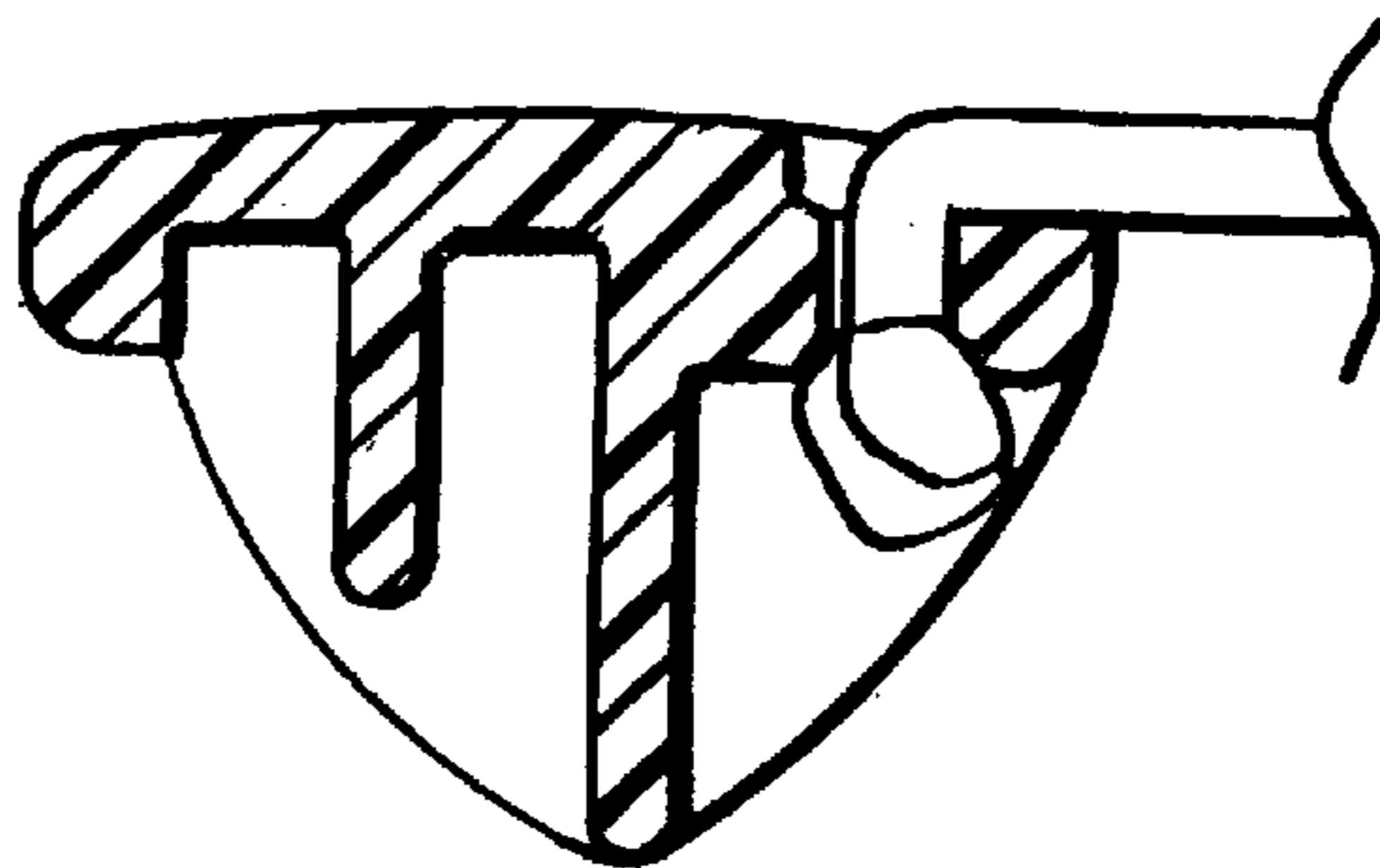


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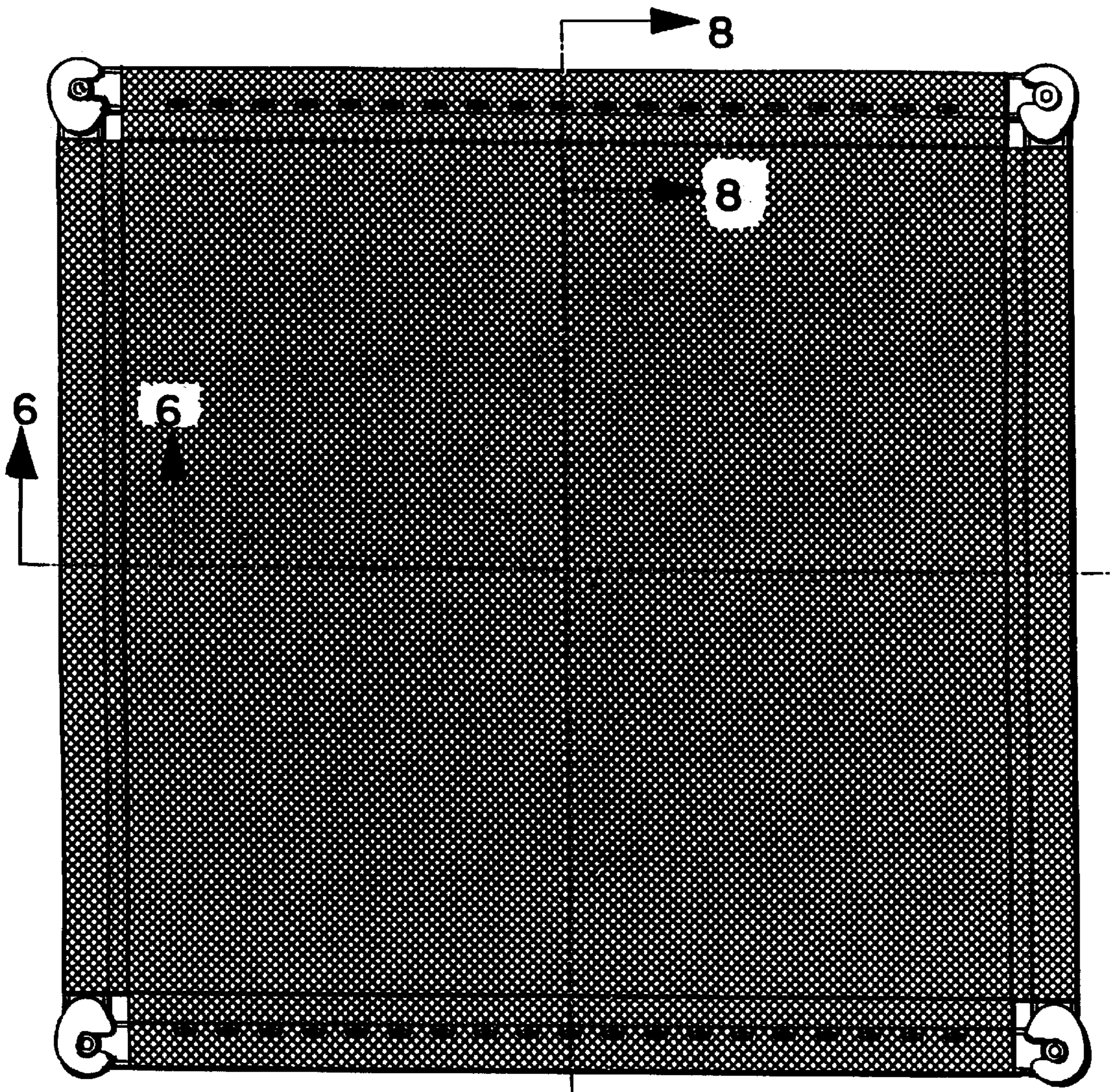


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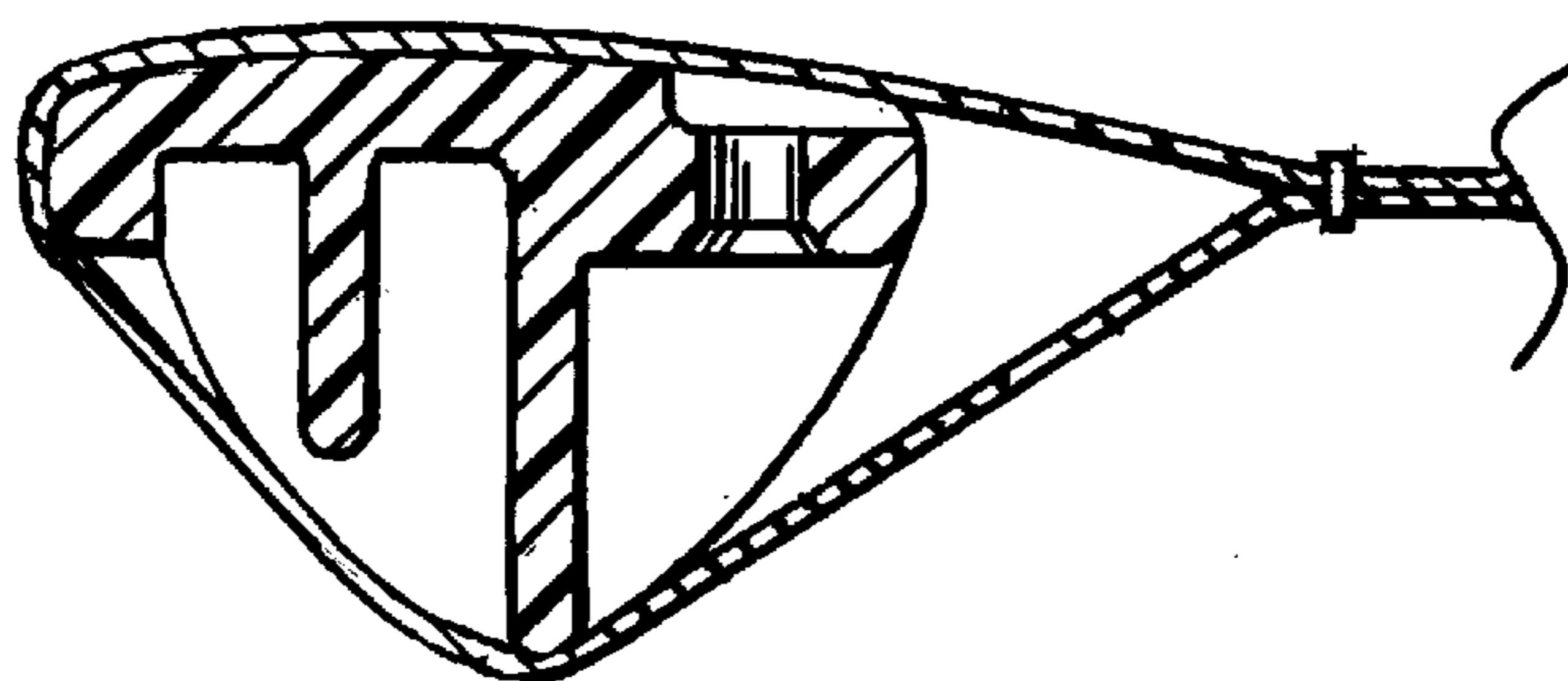


FIG. 8.



FIG. 9.



FIG. 10.

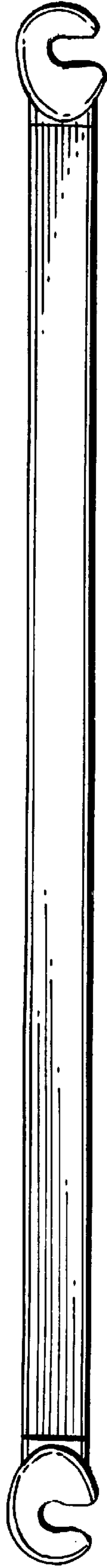


FIG. 11.



FIG. 12.



FIG. 13.



FIG. 14.

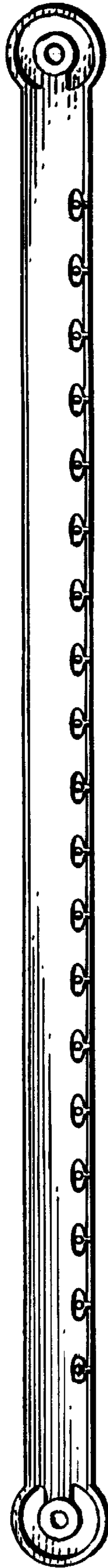


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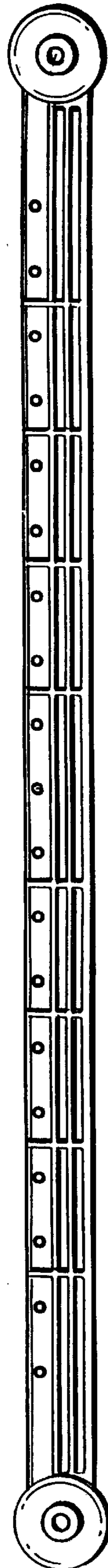


FIG. 16.