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[54] **SHIFT PLATE**

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### [57] CLAIM

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The ornamental design for a shift plate, as shown and described.

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### DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front view of a shift plate according to our novel design;

FIG. 2 is a left side view of a shift plate according to our novel design;

FIG. 3 is a right side view of a shift plate according to our novel design;

FIG. 4 is a top view of a shift plate according to our novel design;

FIG. 5 is a bottom view of a shift plate according to our novel design; and,

FIG. 6 is a perspective view from the lower right side of a shift plate according to our novel design.

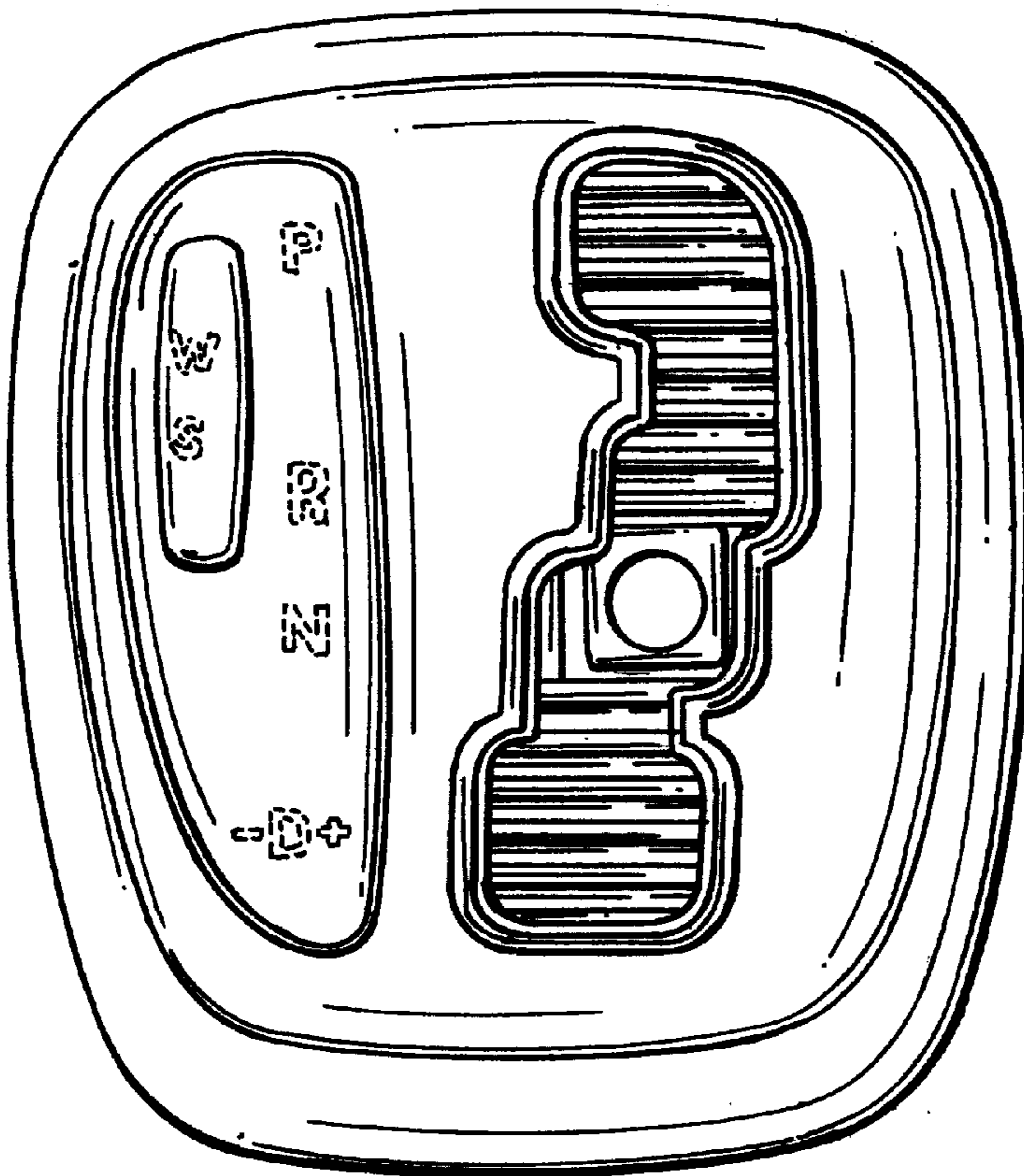
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**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



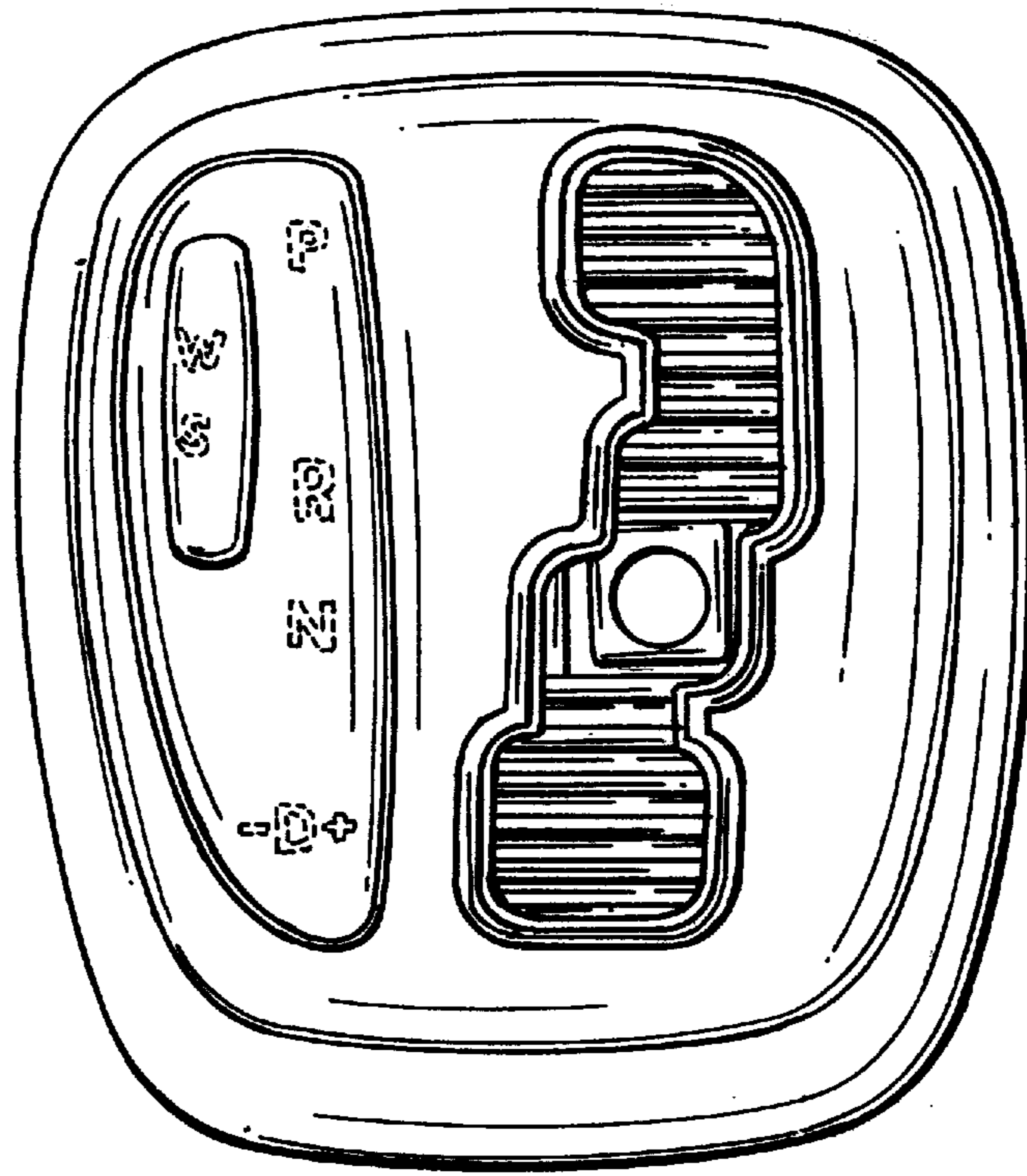


FIG. 1

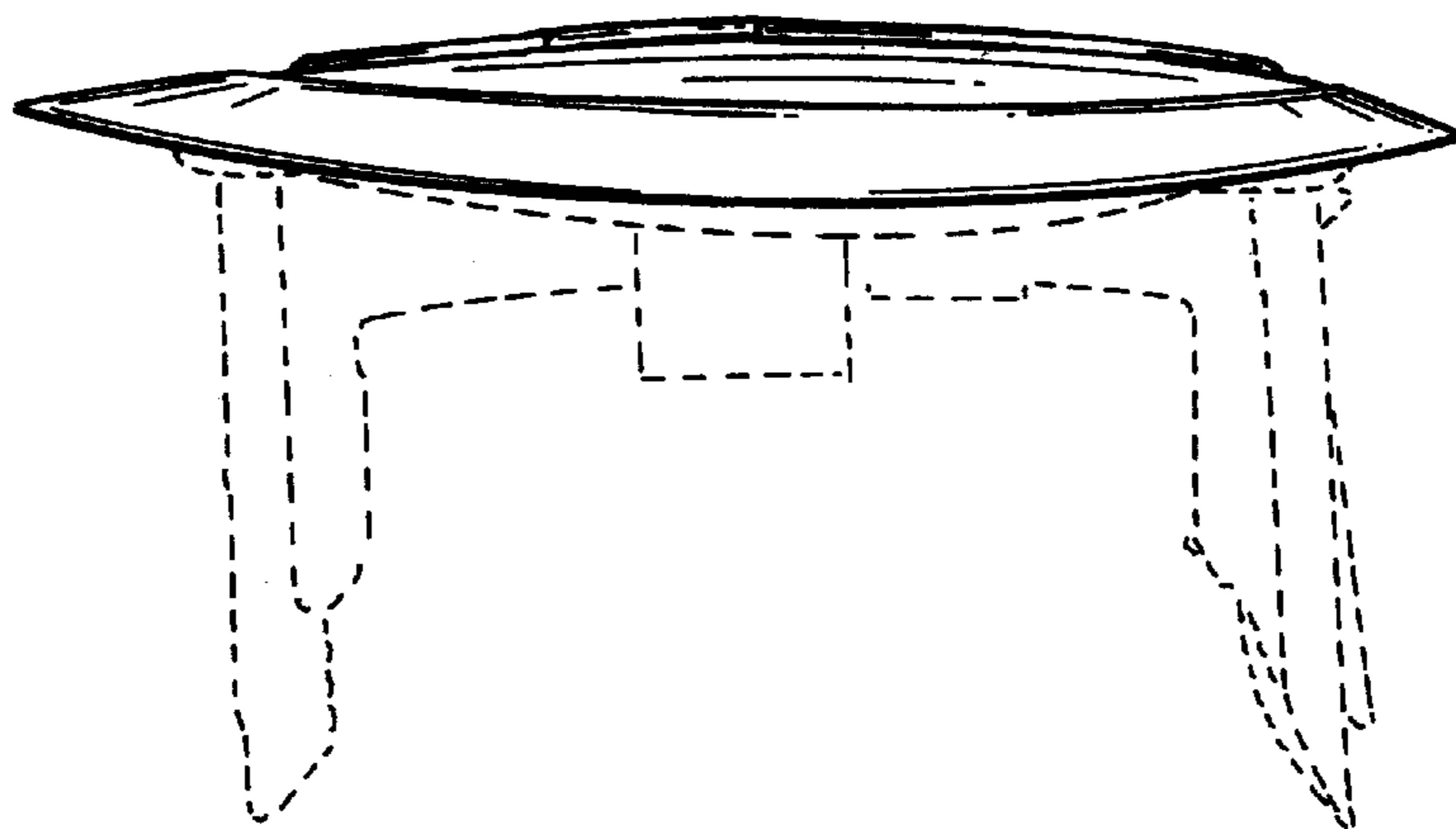


FIG. 2

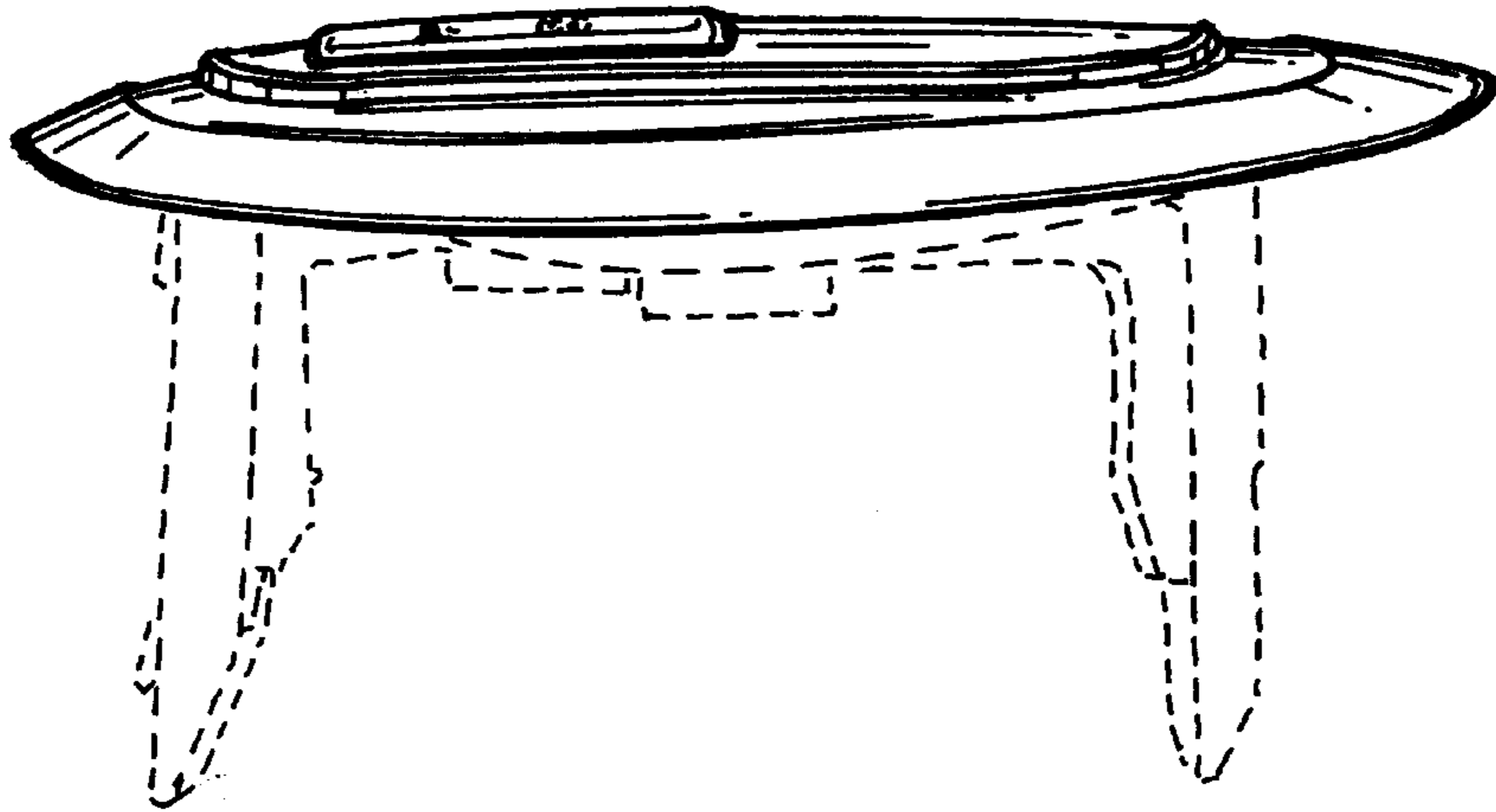


FIG. 3

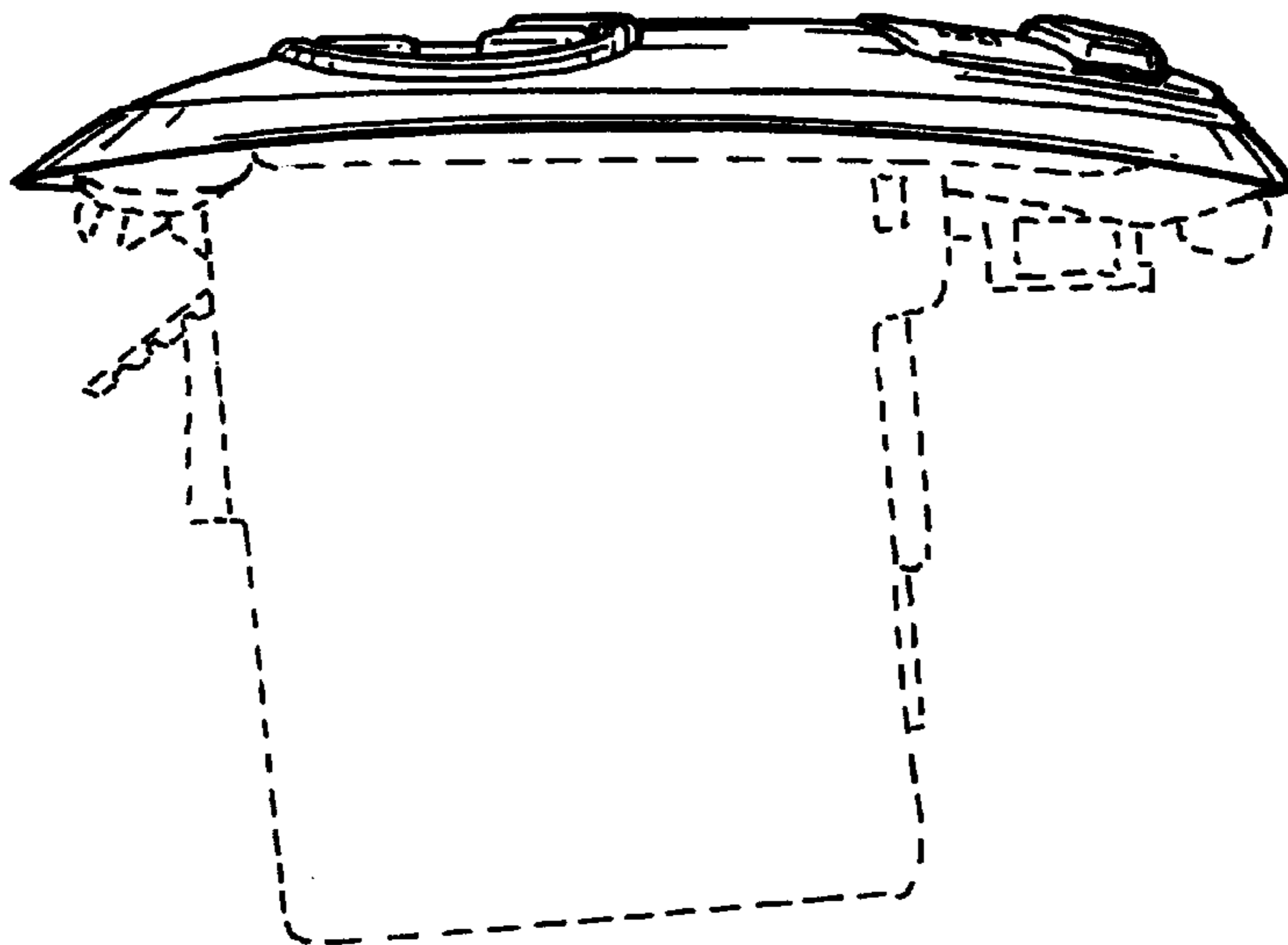


FIG. 4

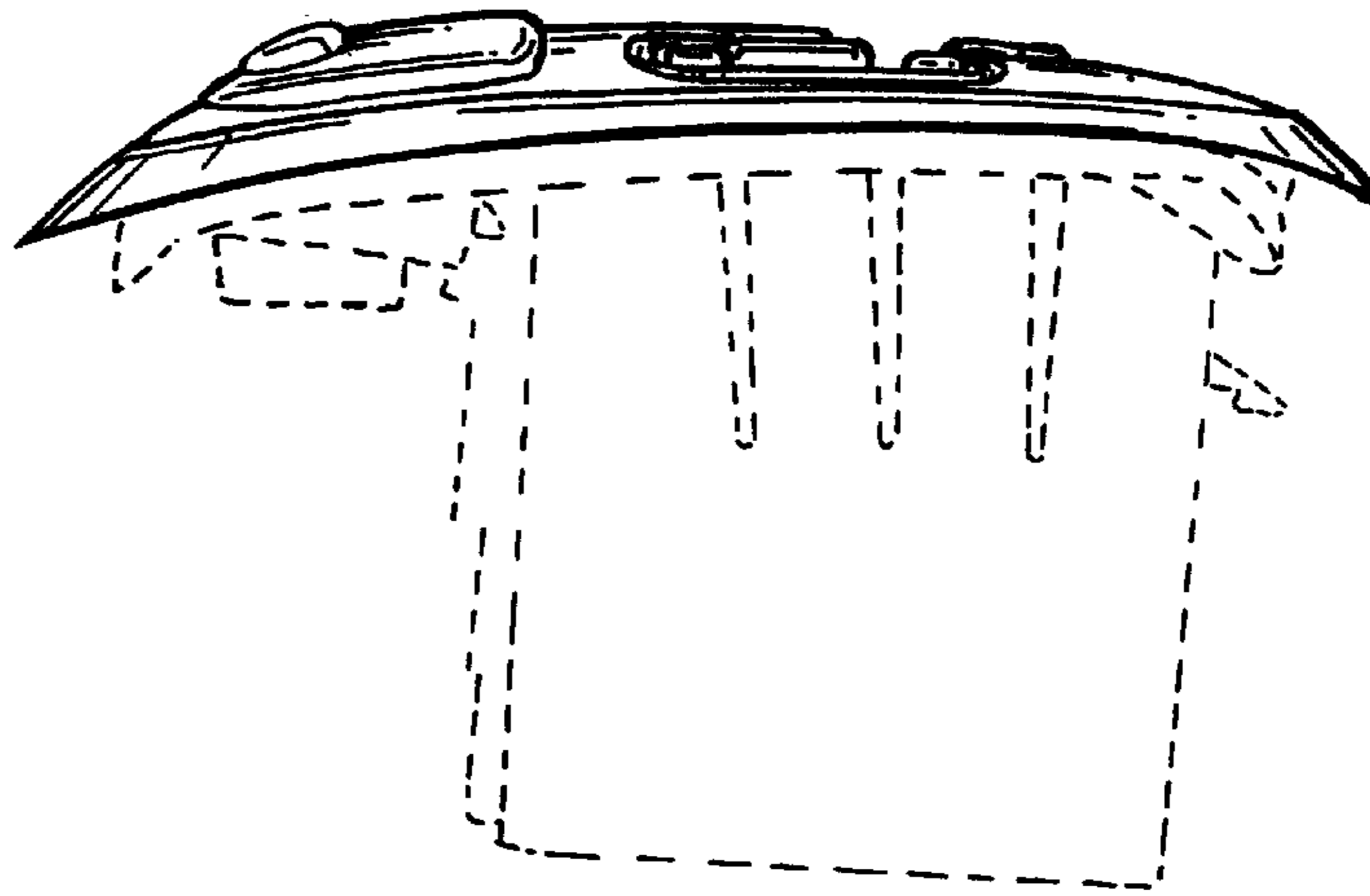


FIG. 5

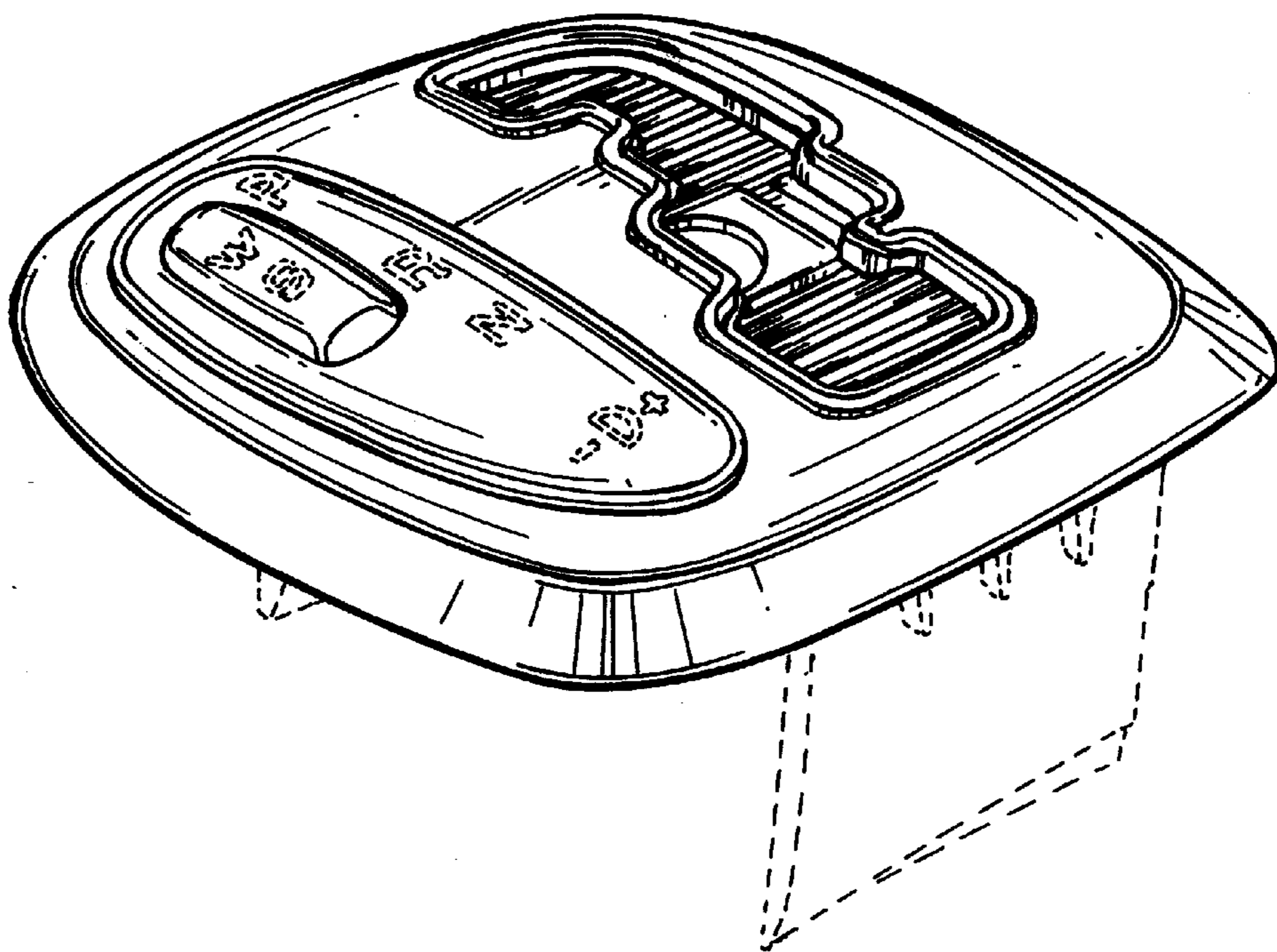


FIG. 6