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[54] **COMPACT CASE**

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The ornamental design for a compact case, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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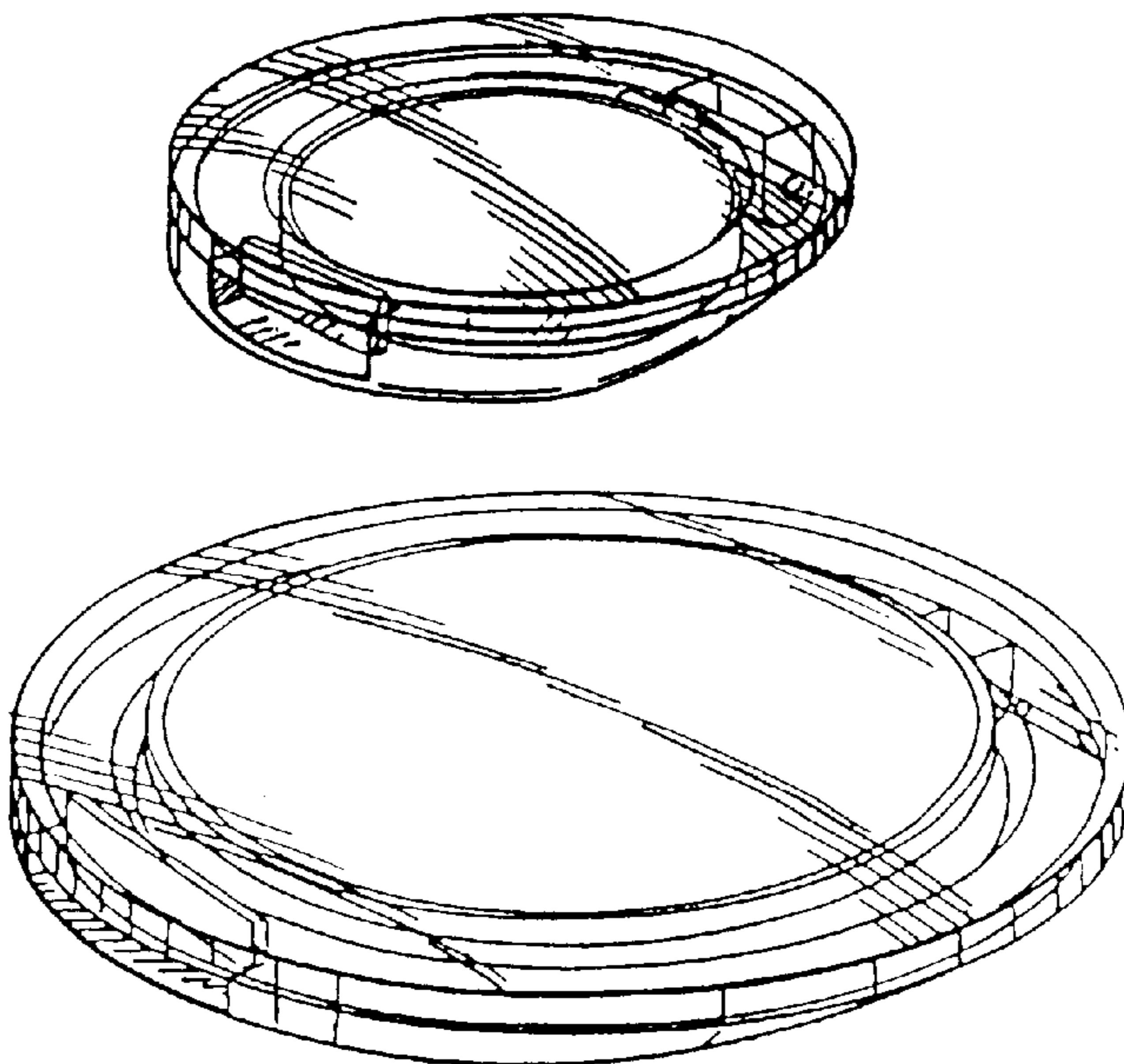
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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a compact case showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof, the left side view being the same;
FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a perspective view similar to FIG. 1 showing the lid in an open position;
FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a compact case showing a second embodiment of my new design;
FIG. 9 is a front elevation view of FIG. 8;
FIG. 10 is a rear elevational view of FIG. 8;
FIG. 11 is a right side view of FIG. 8, the left side view being the same;
FIG. 12 is a top plan view of FIG. 8;
FIG. 13 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 8; and,
FIG. 14 is a perspective view similar to FIG. 8 showing the lid in an open position.

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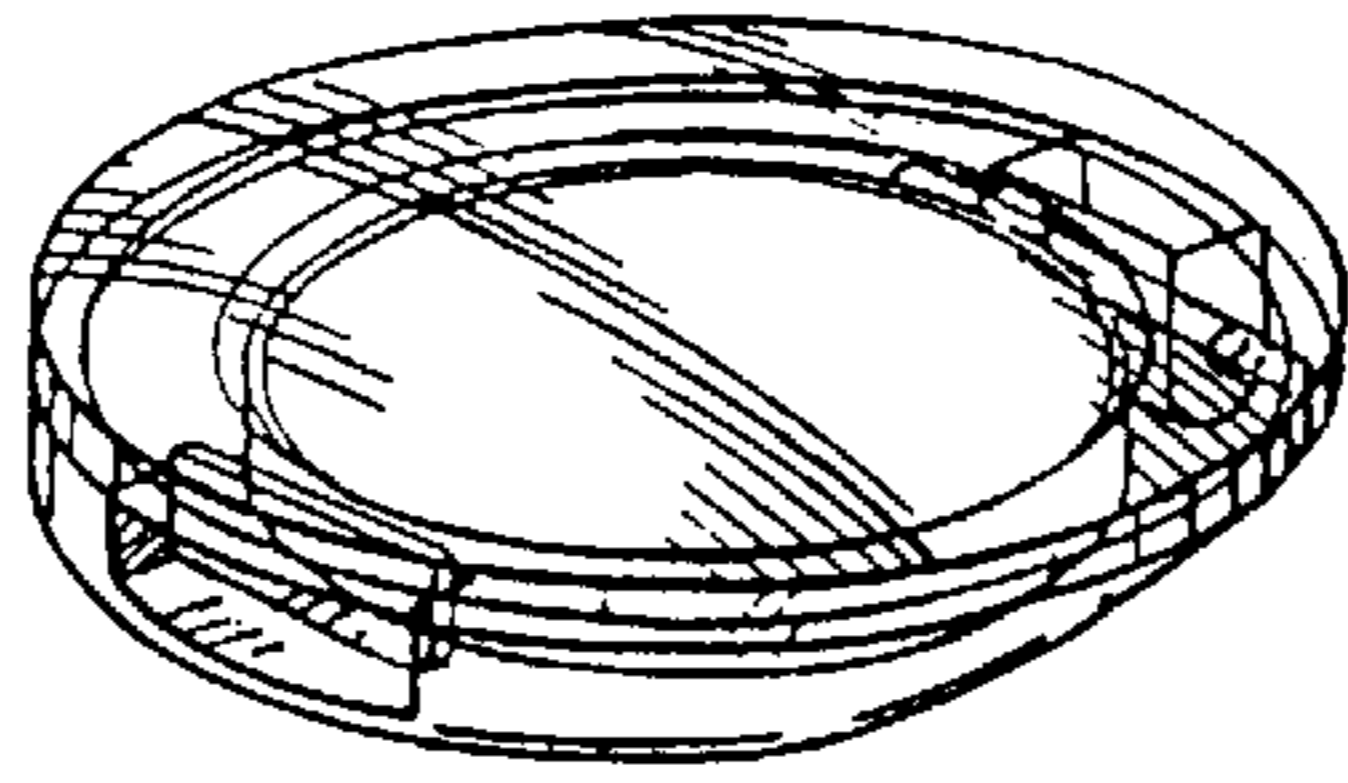


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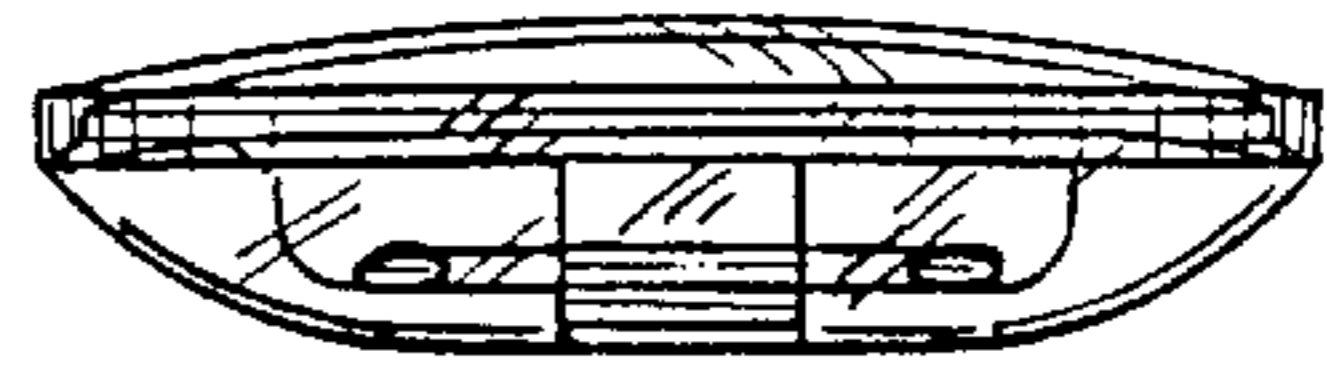


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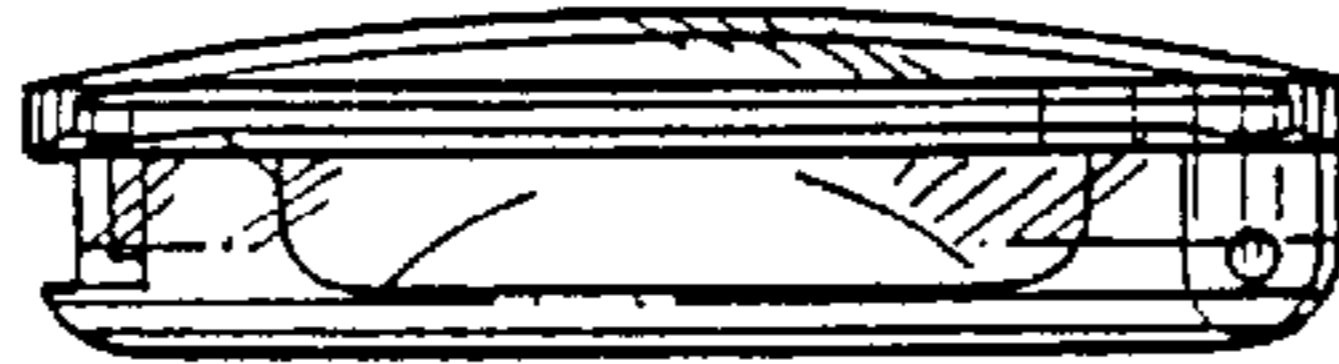


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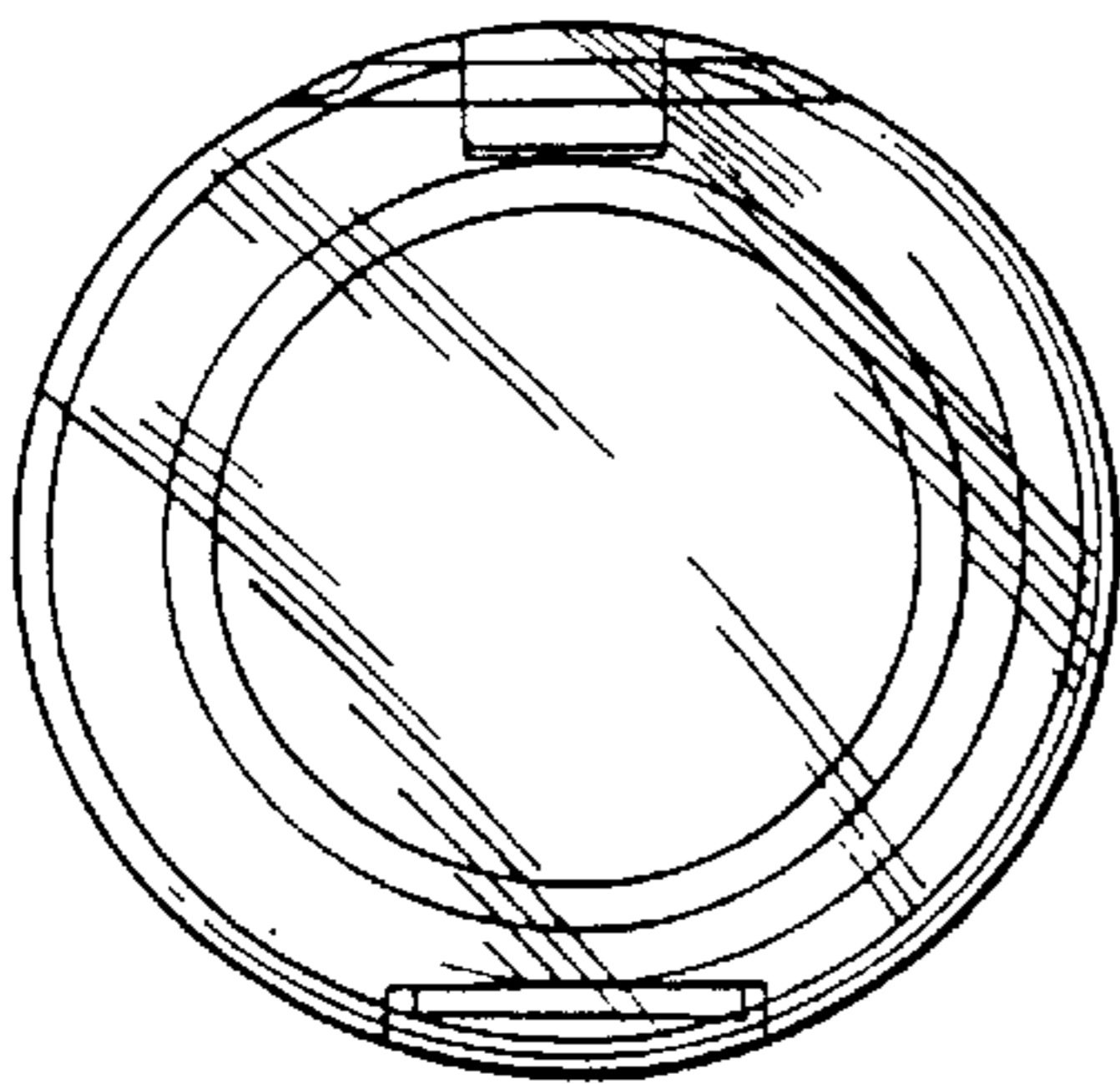


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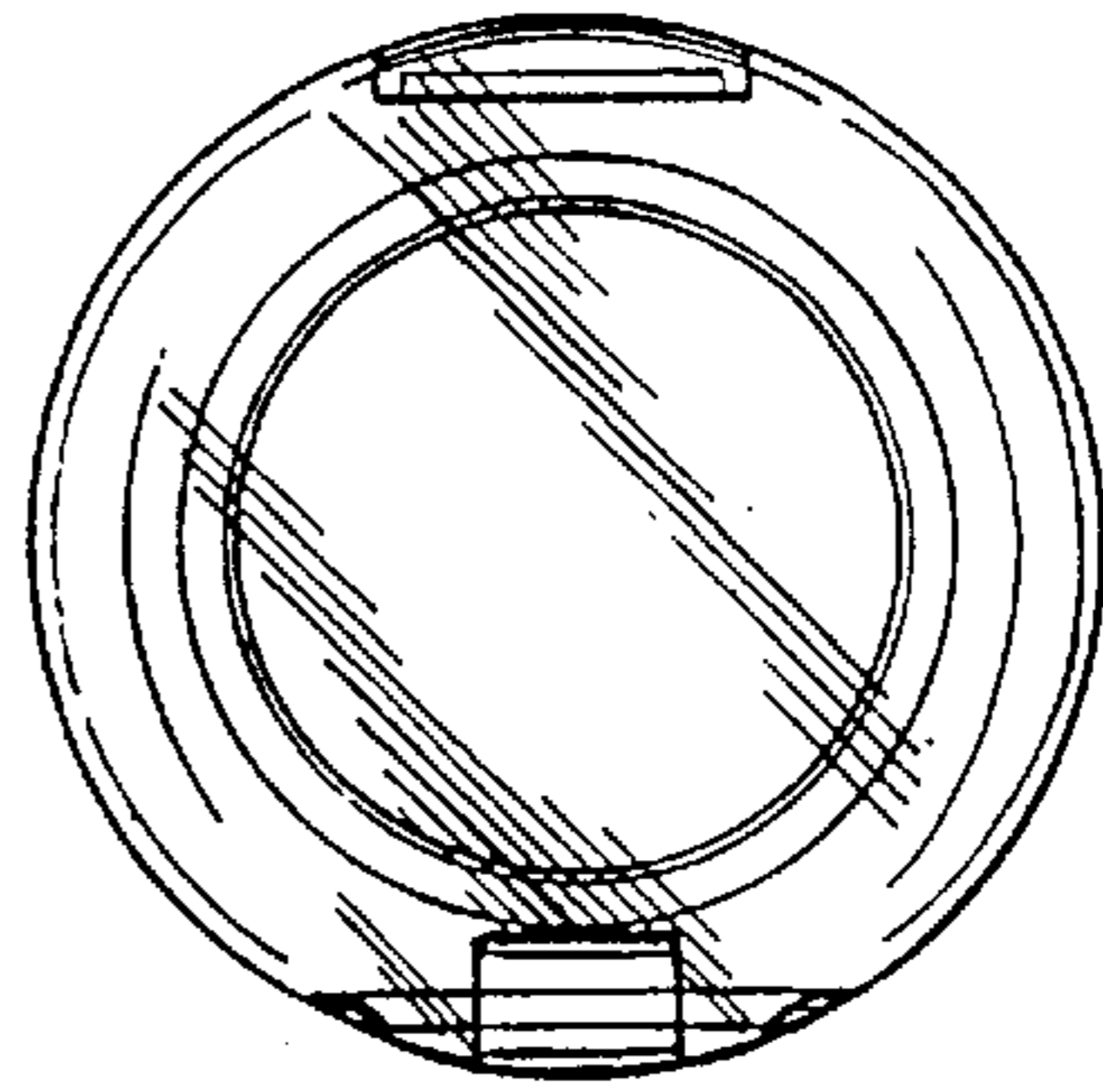


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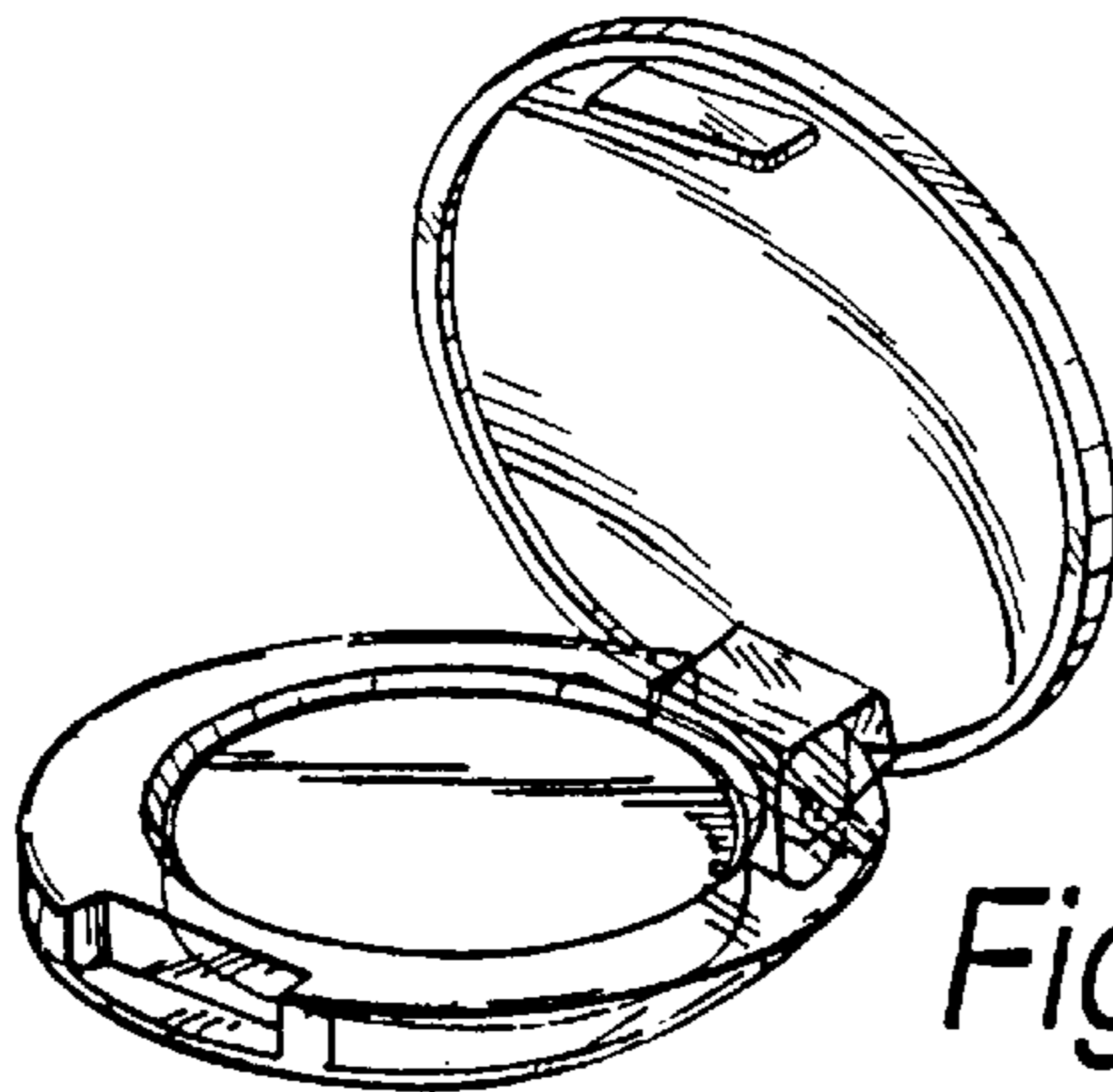


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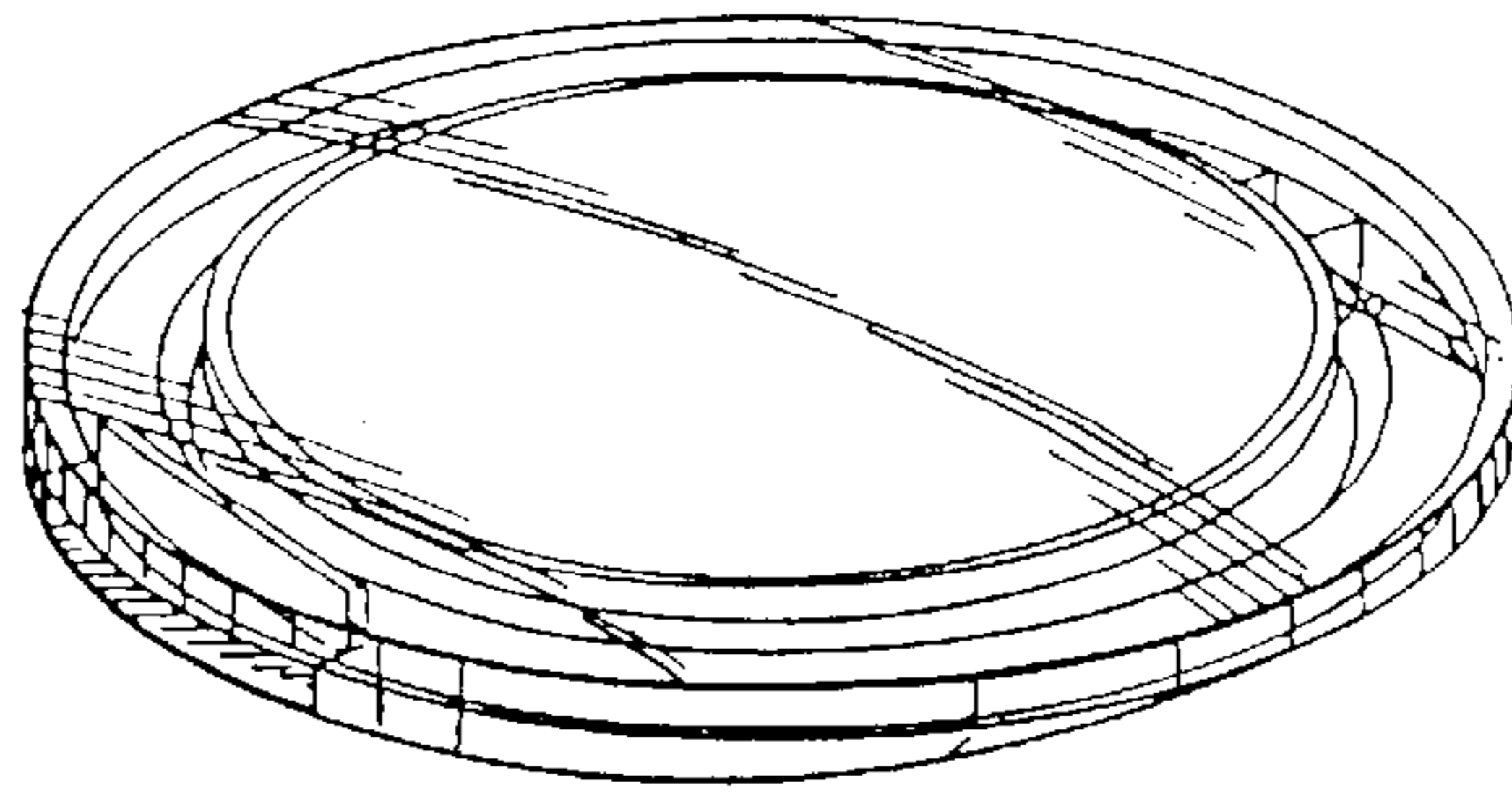


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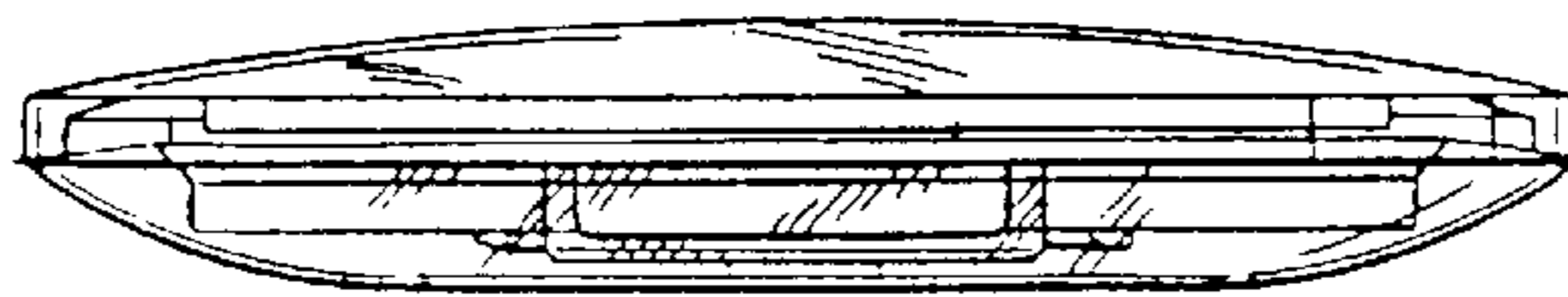


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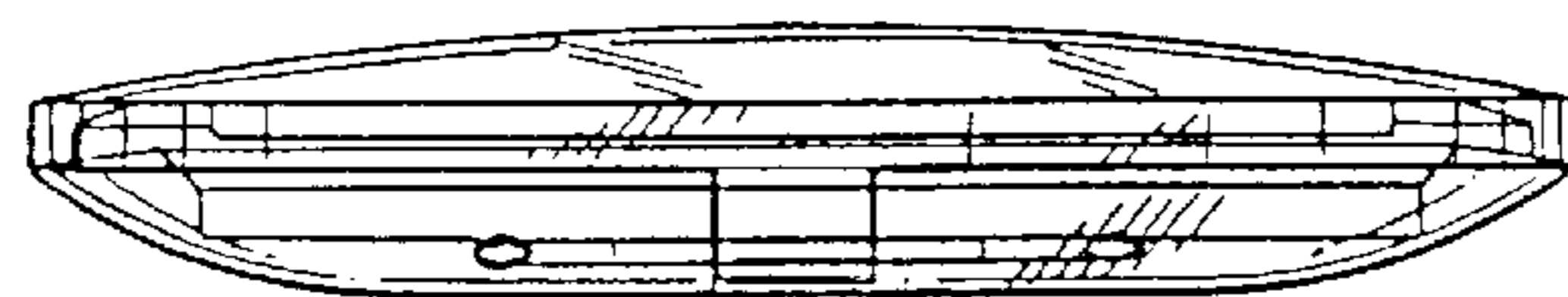


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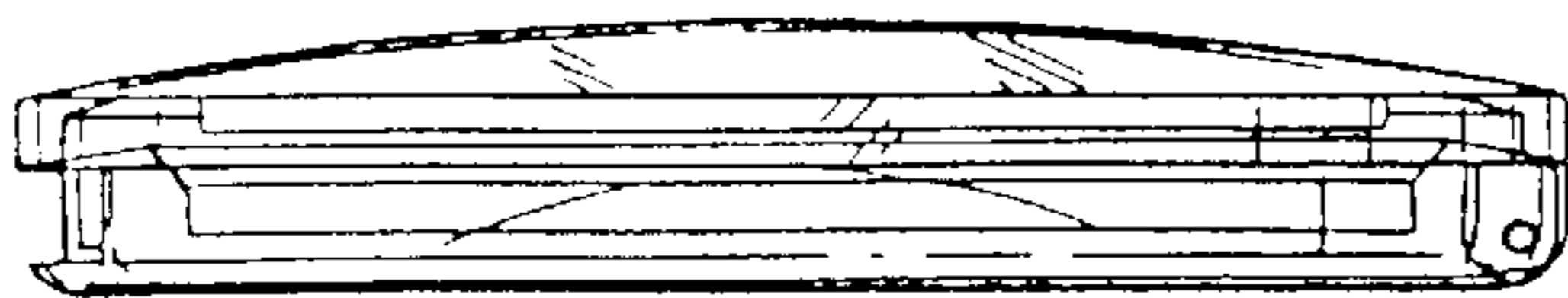


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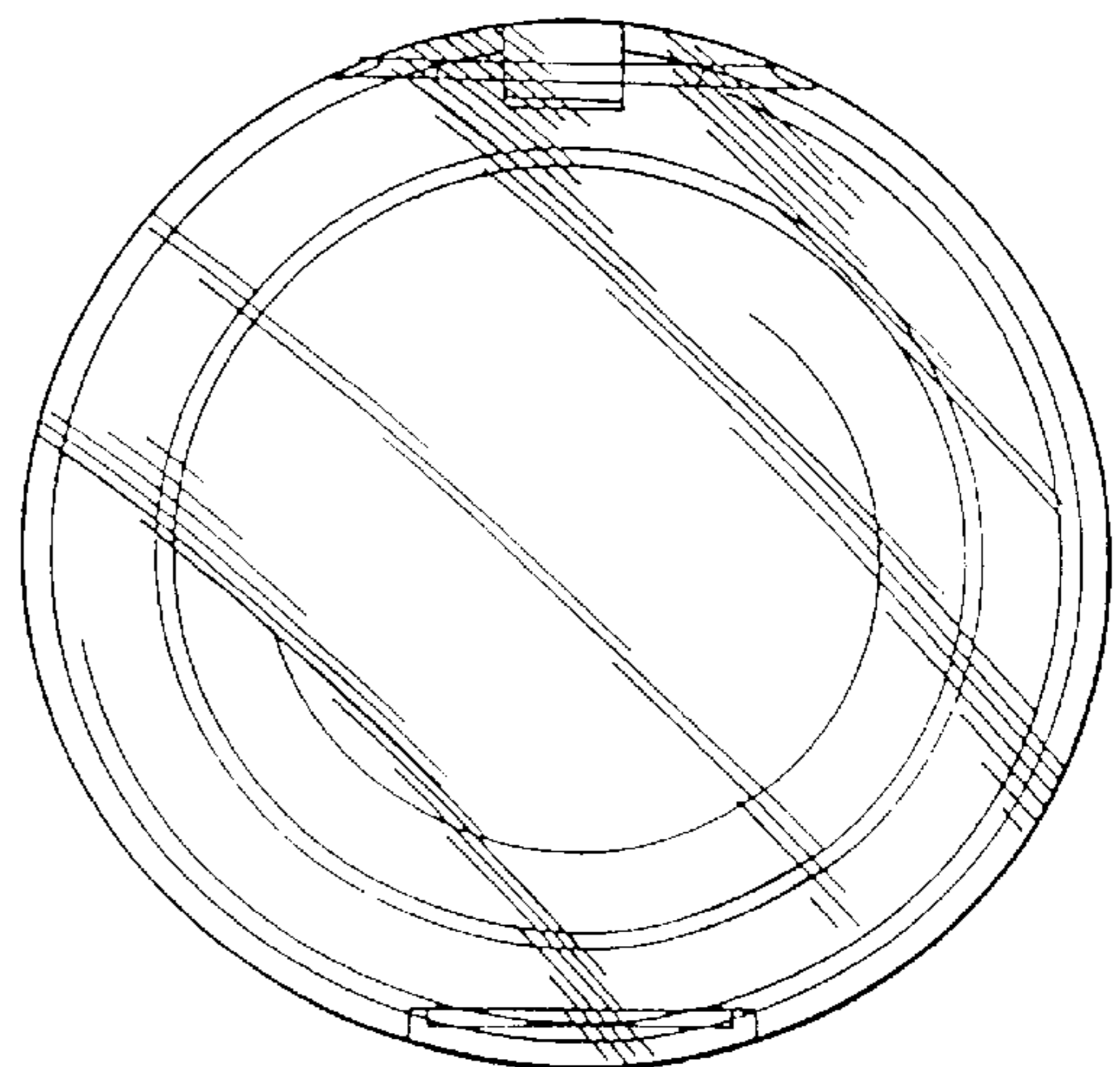


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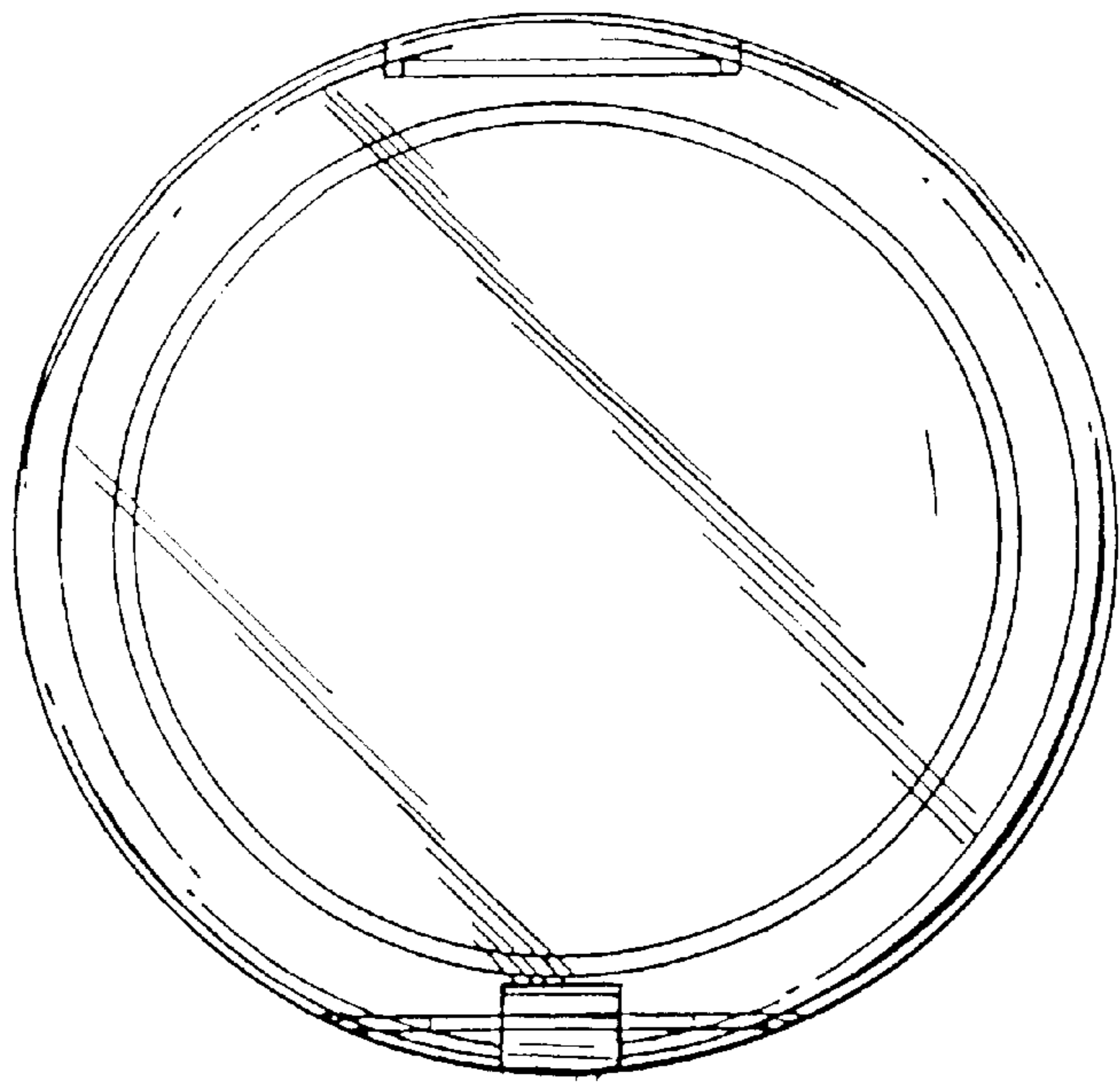


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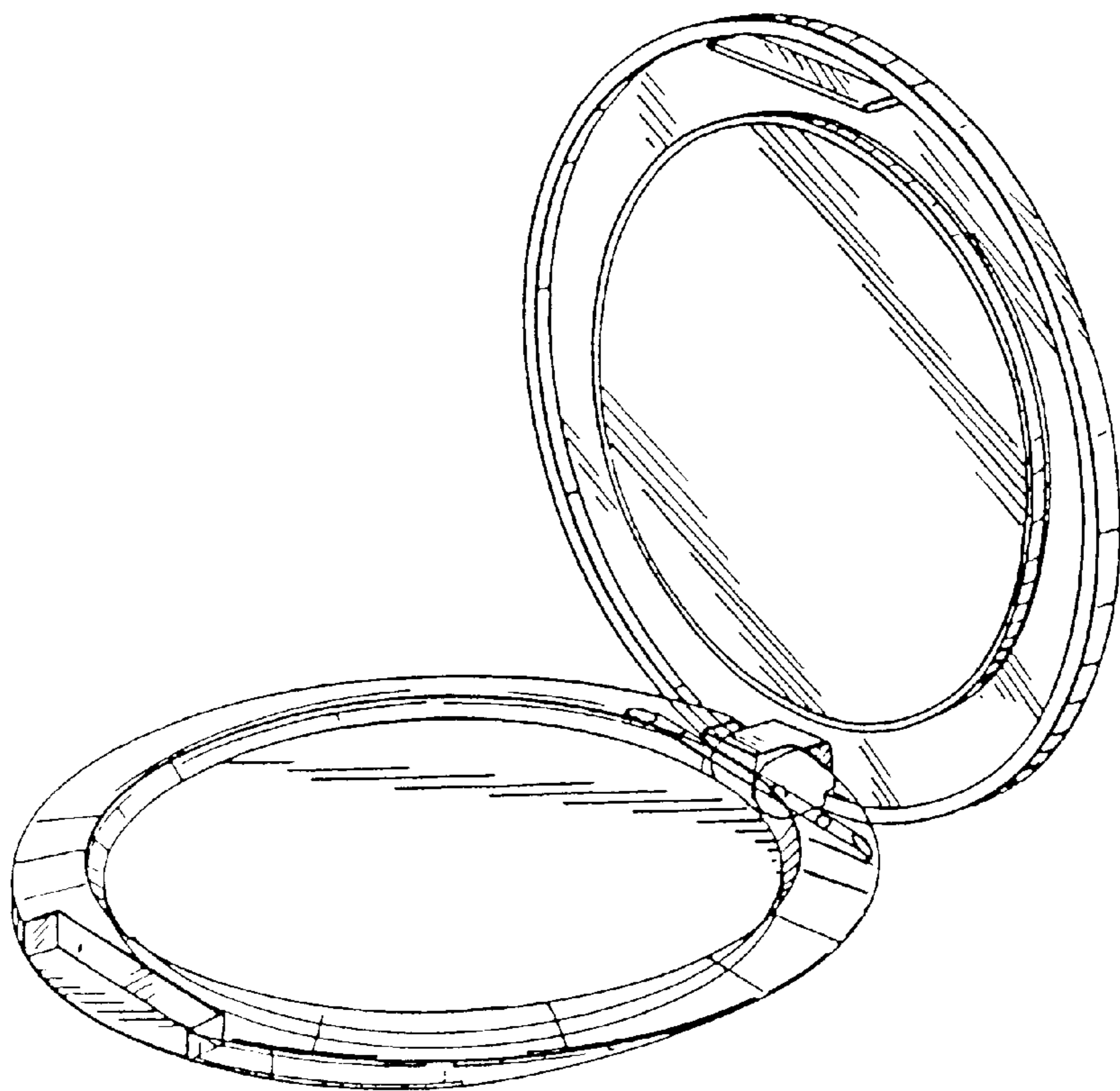


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