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[54] **PORTION OF A SHOE UPPER**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a portion of a shoe upper, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a portion of a shoe upper showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a side elevational view thereof;

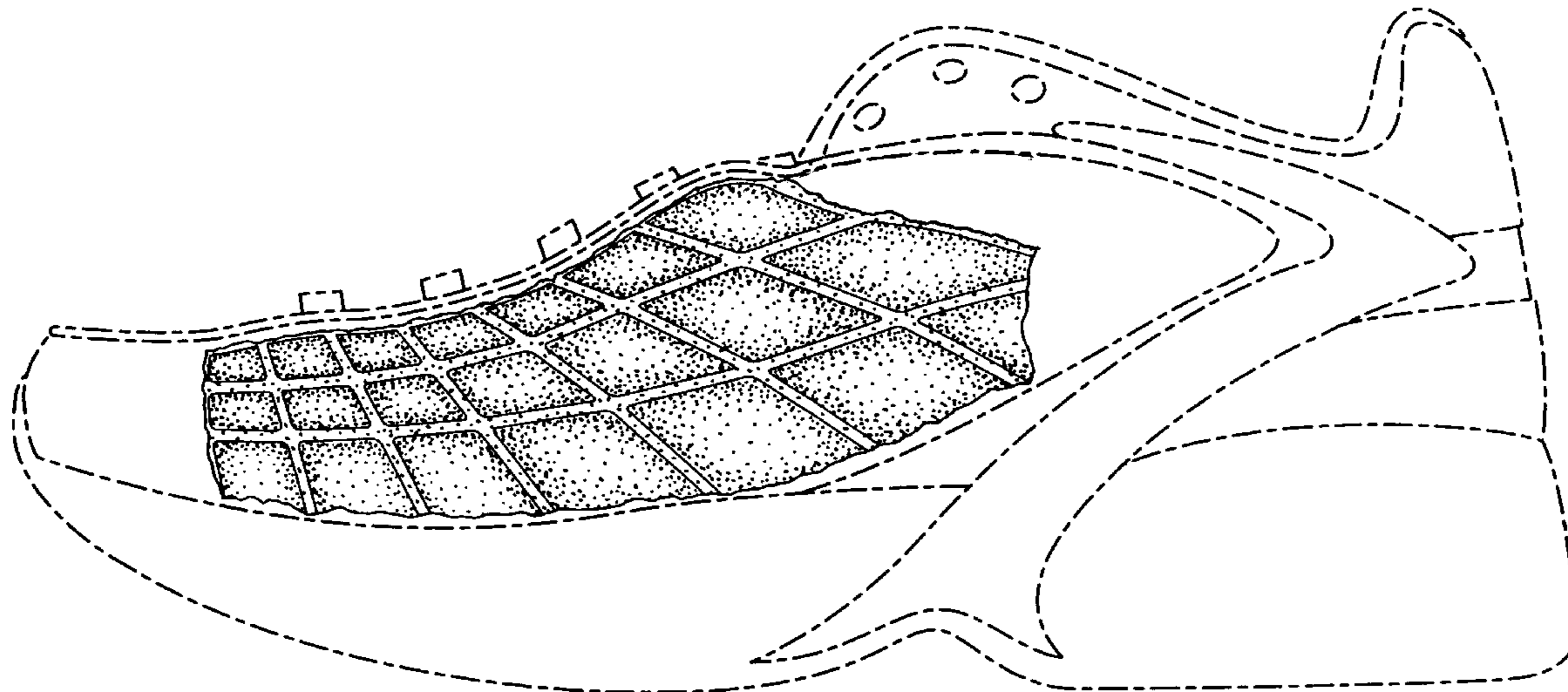
FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof.

The uneven broken line showing of the remainder of the shoe is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



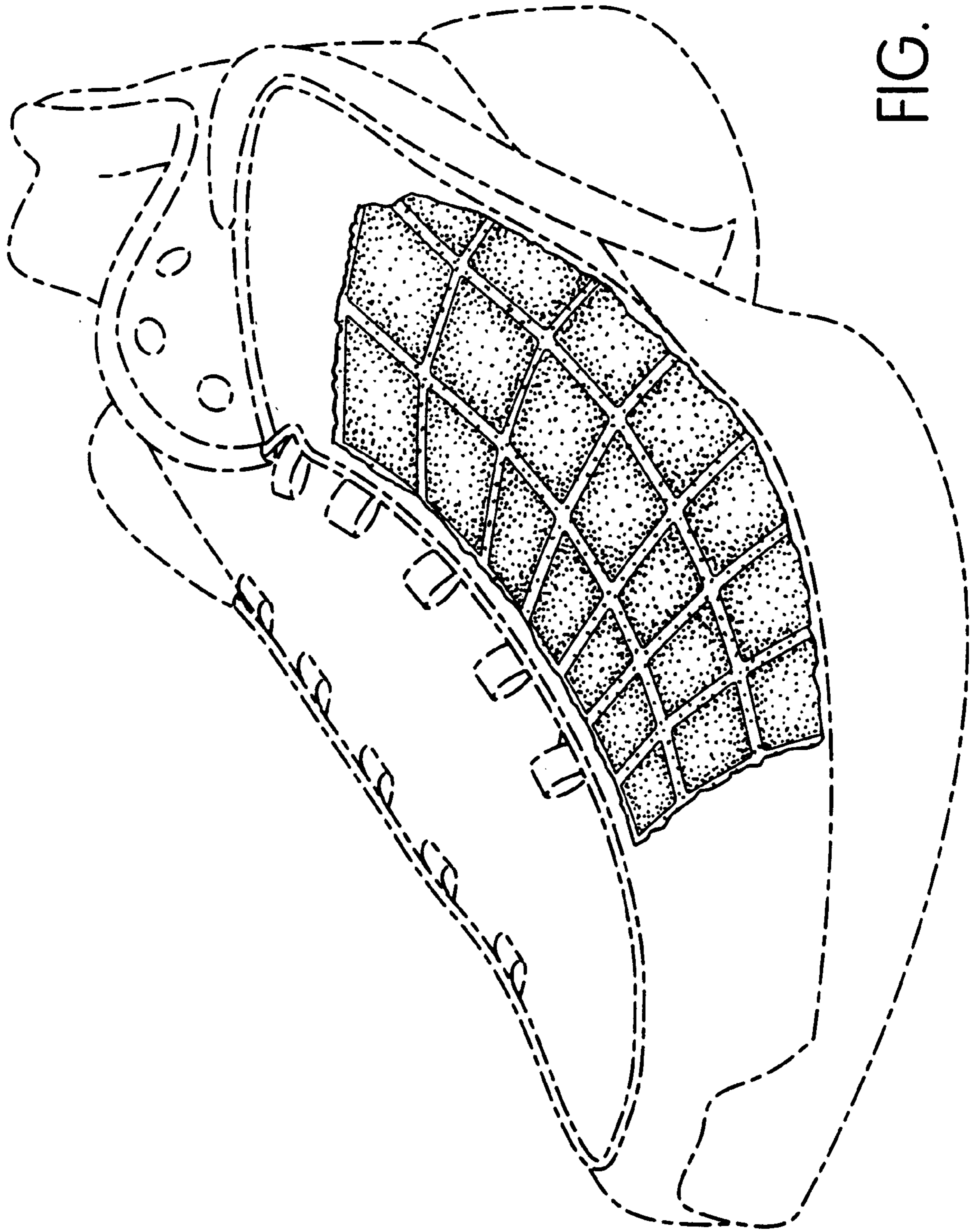


FIG. 1

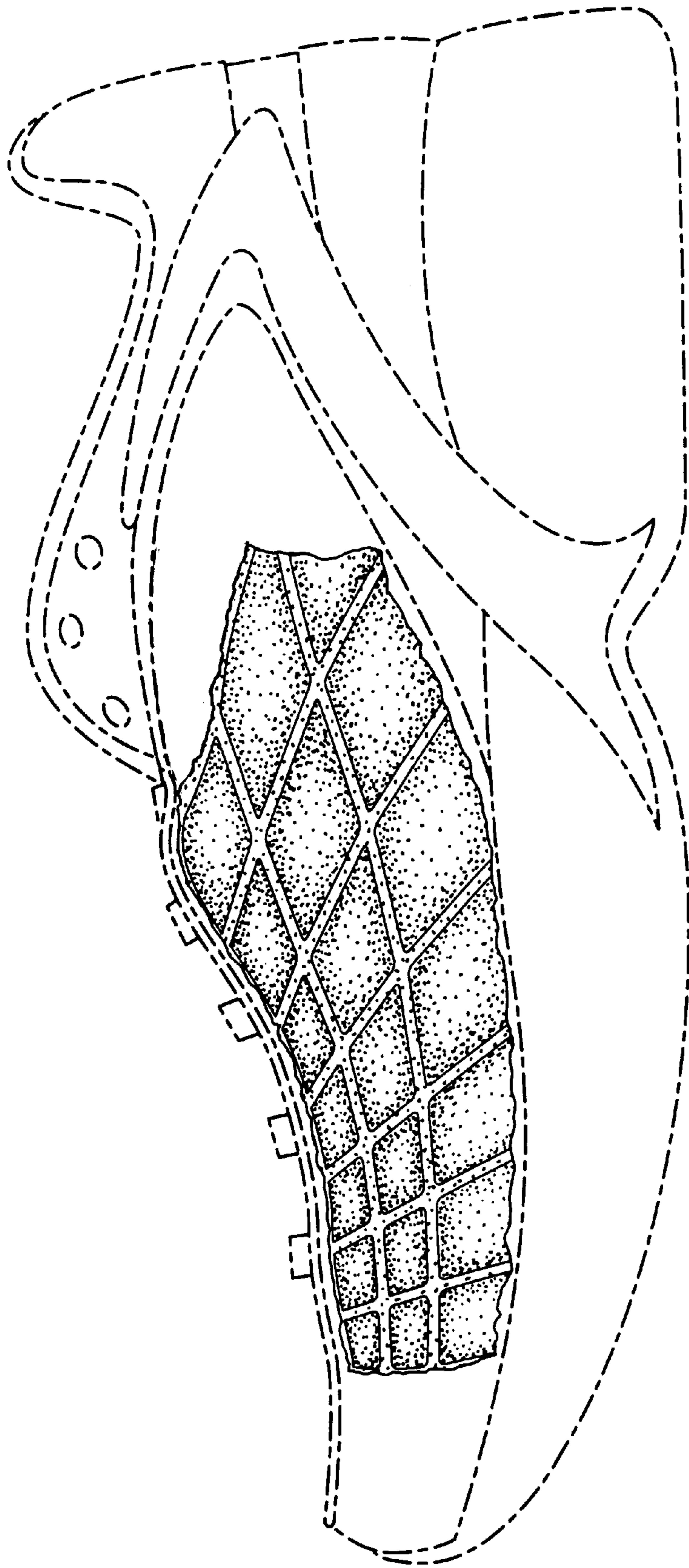


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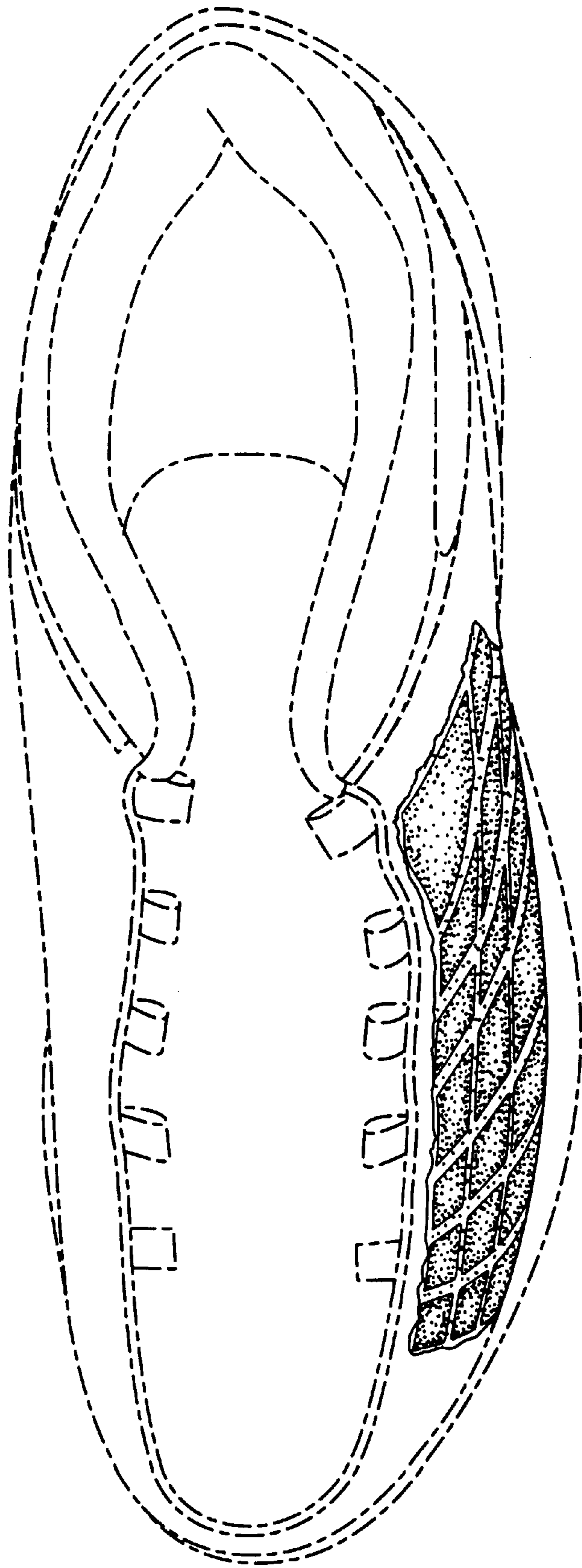


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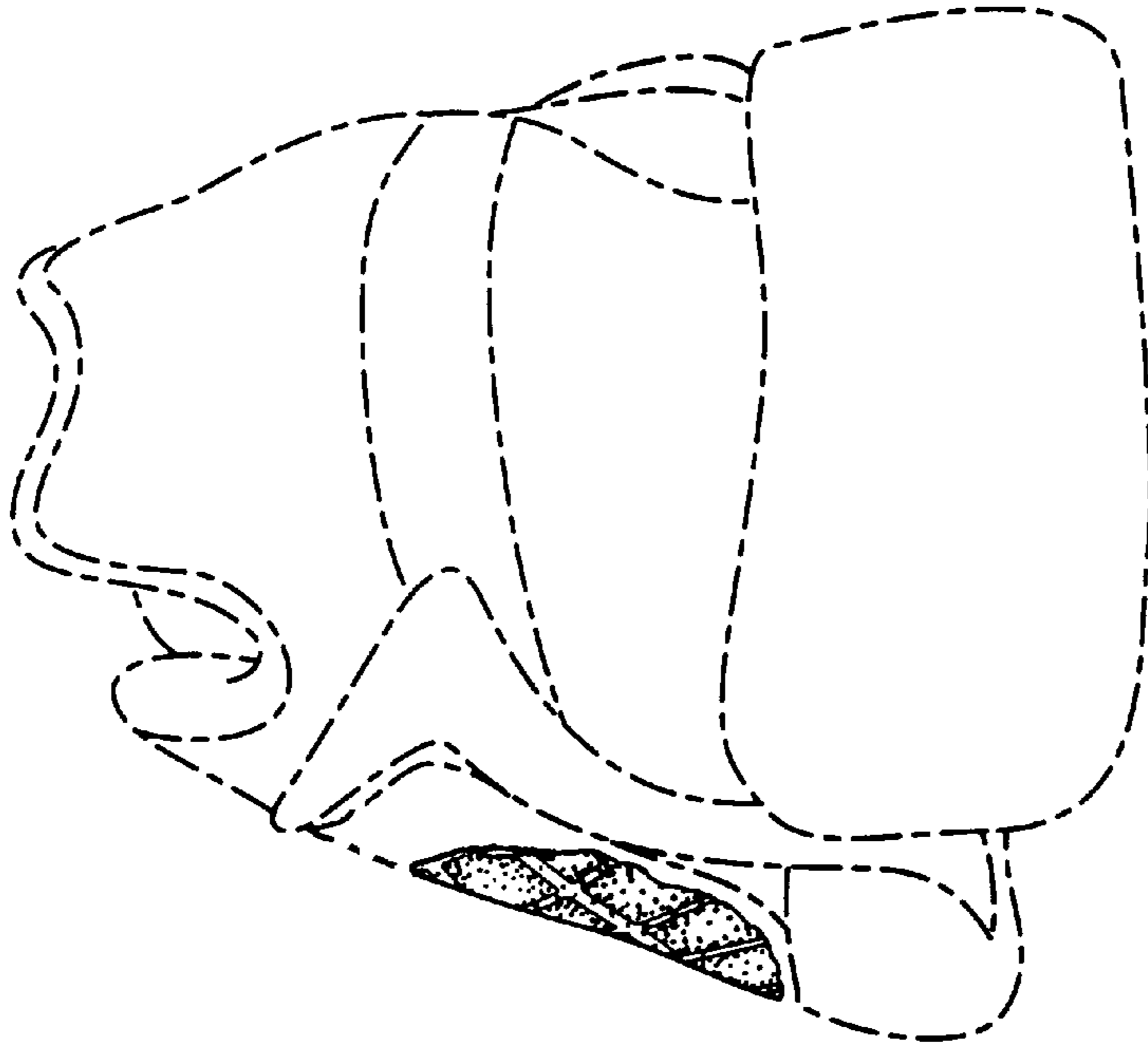


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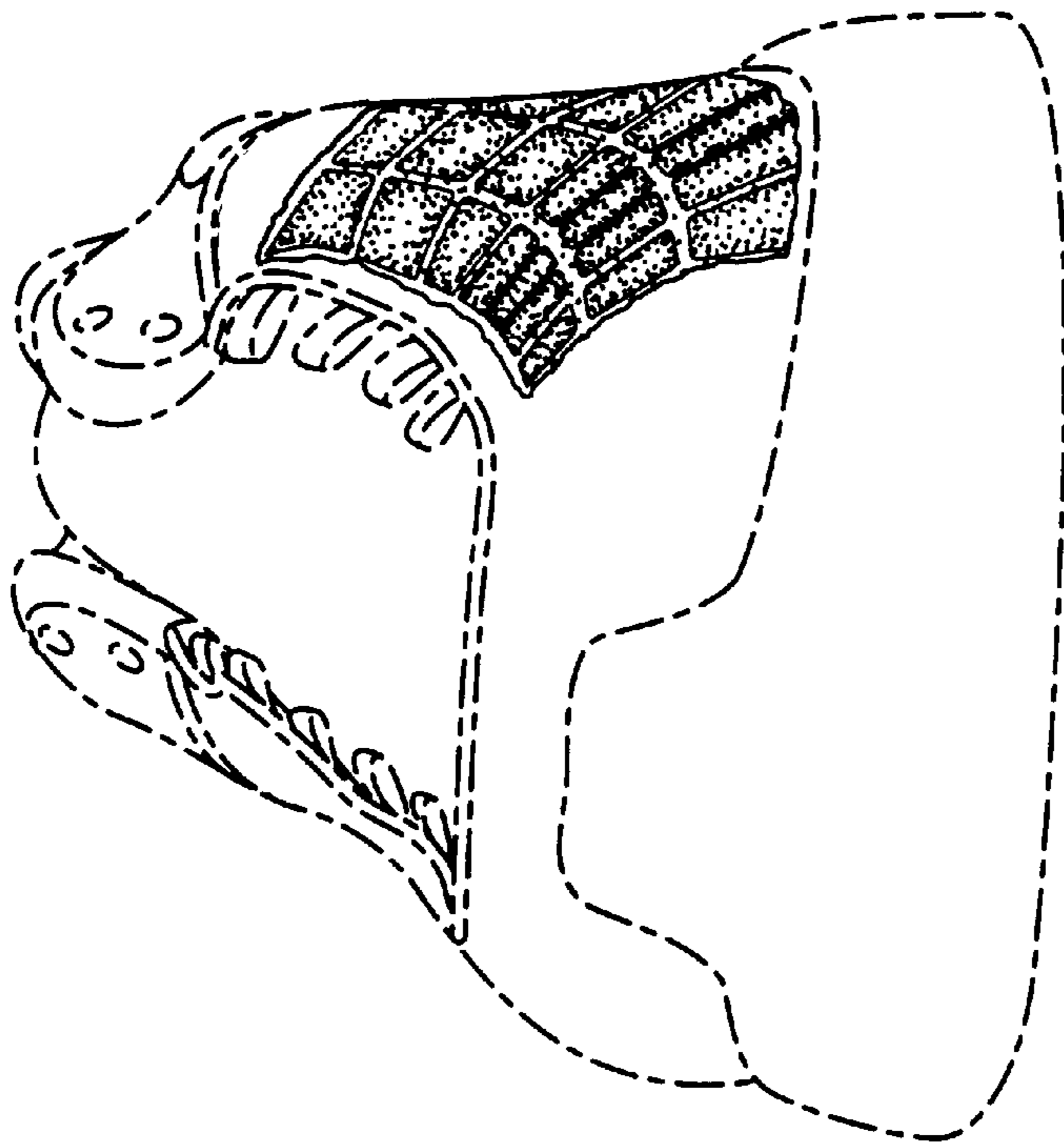


FIG. 4

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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:

Title page,

Item [56], **References Cited**, U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS,  
"D. 349,562 8/1994 Blum" has been replaced with  
-- 349,562 9/1896 Blum --

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