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[54] **BUCKLE**
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[57] **CLAIM**
The ornamental design for a buckle, as shown and described.

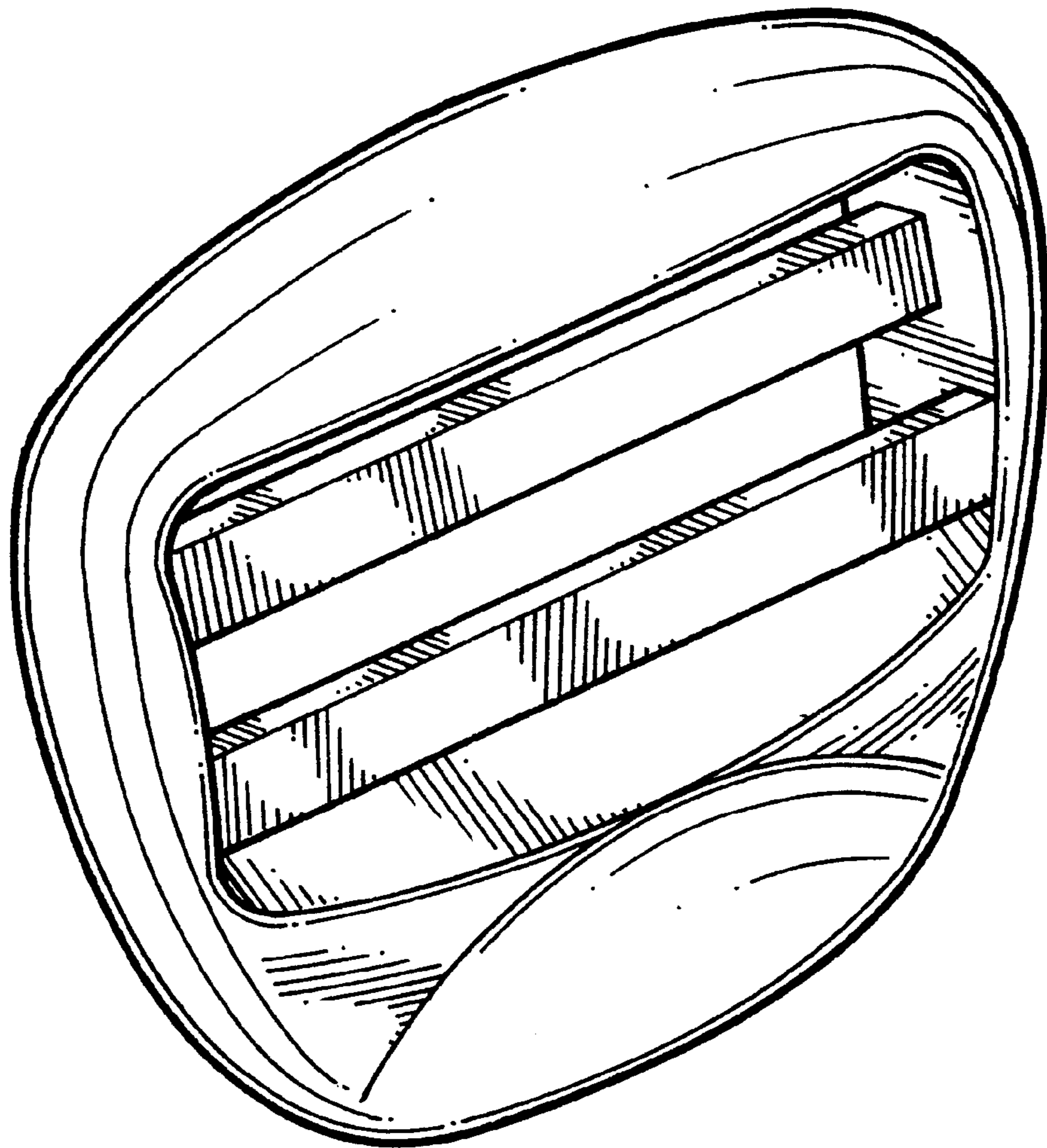
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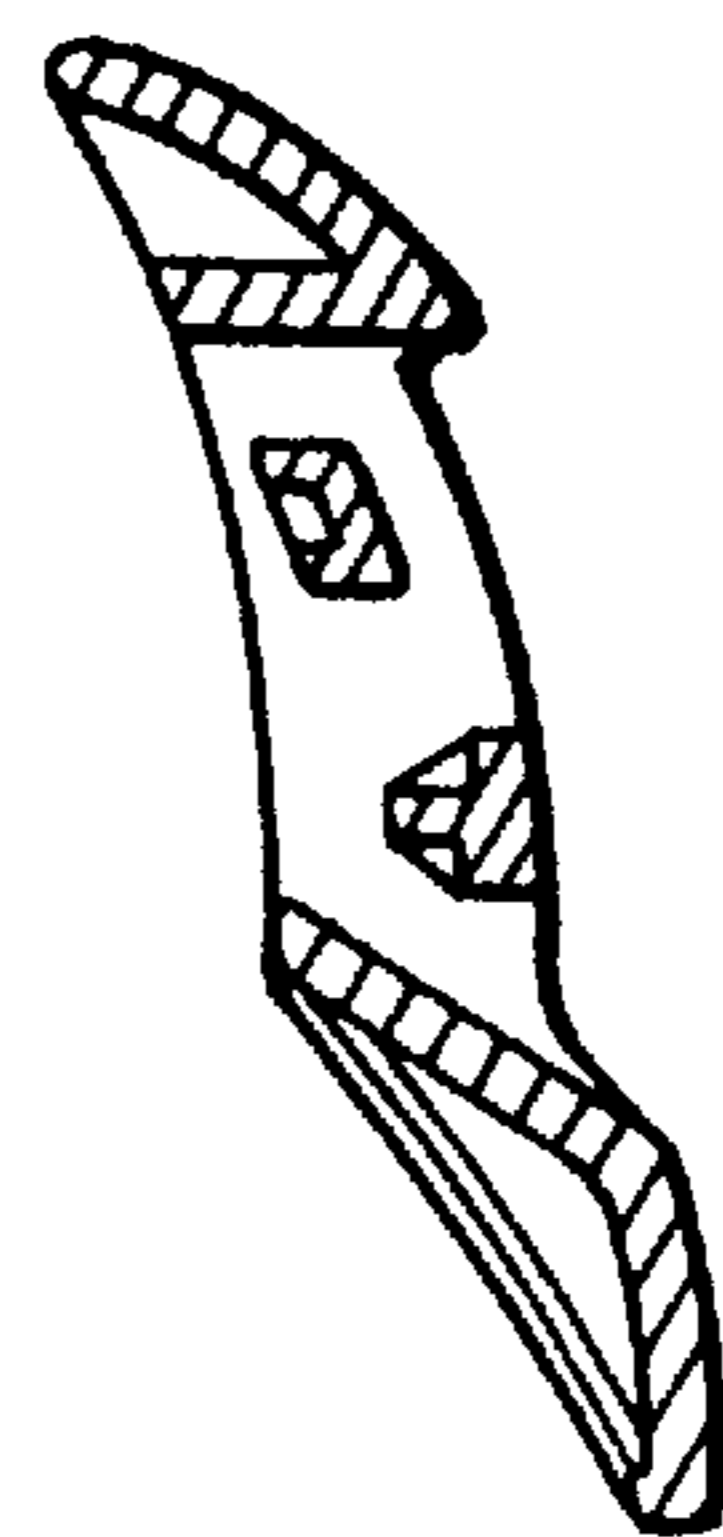
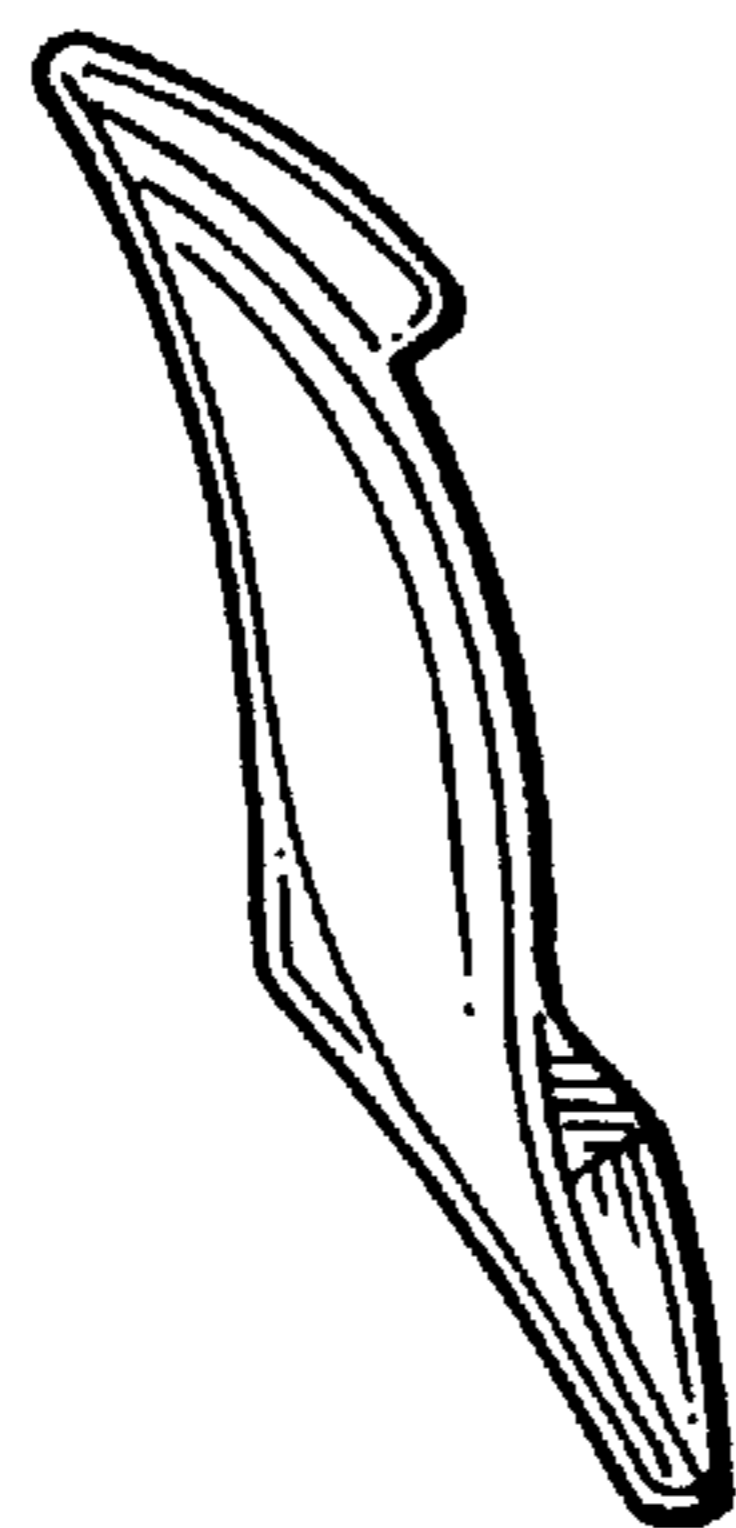
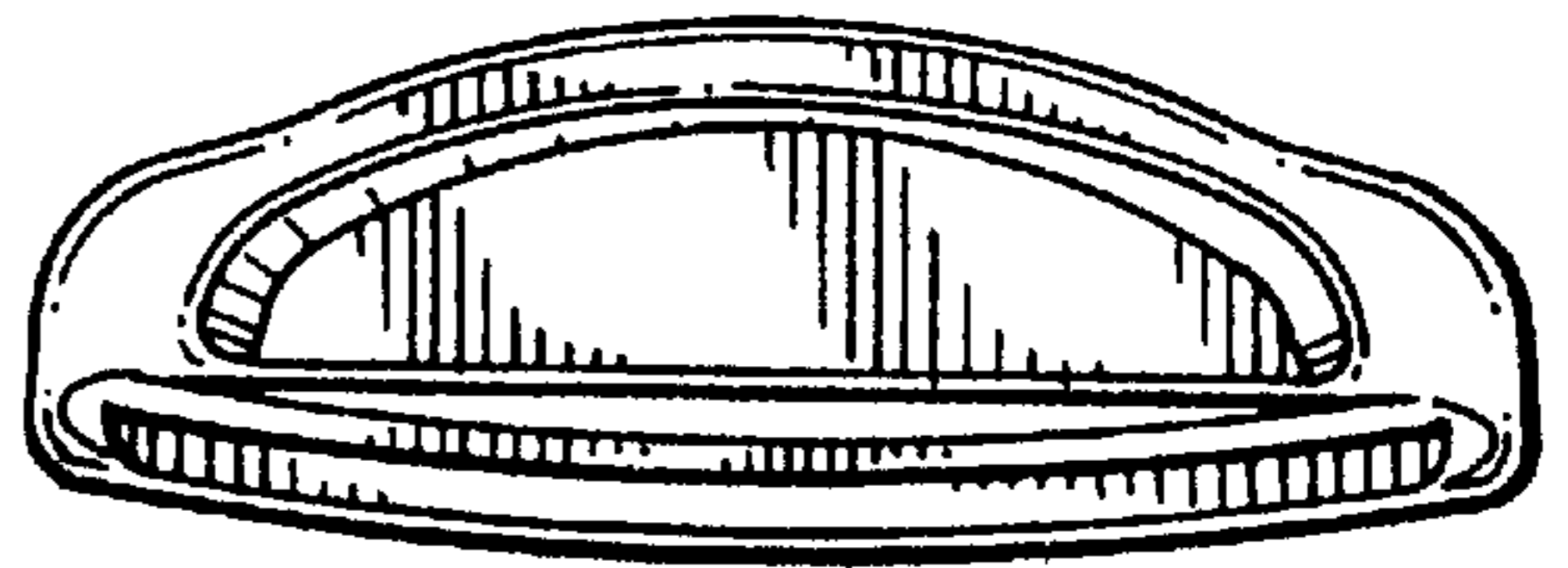
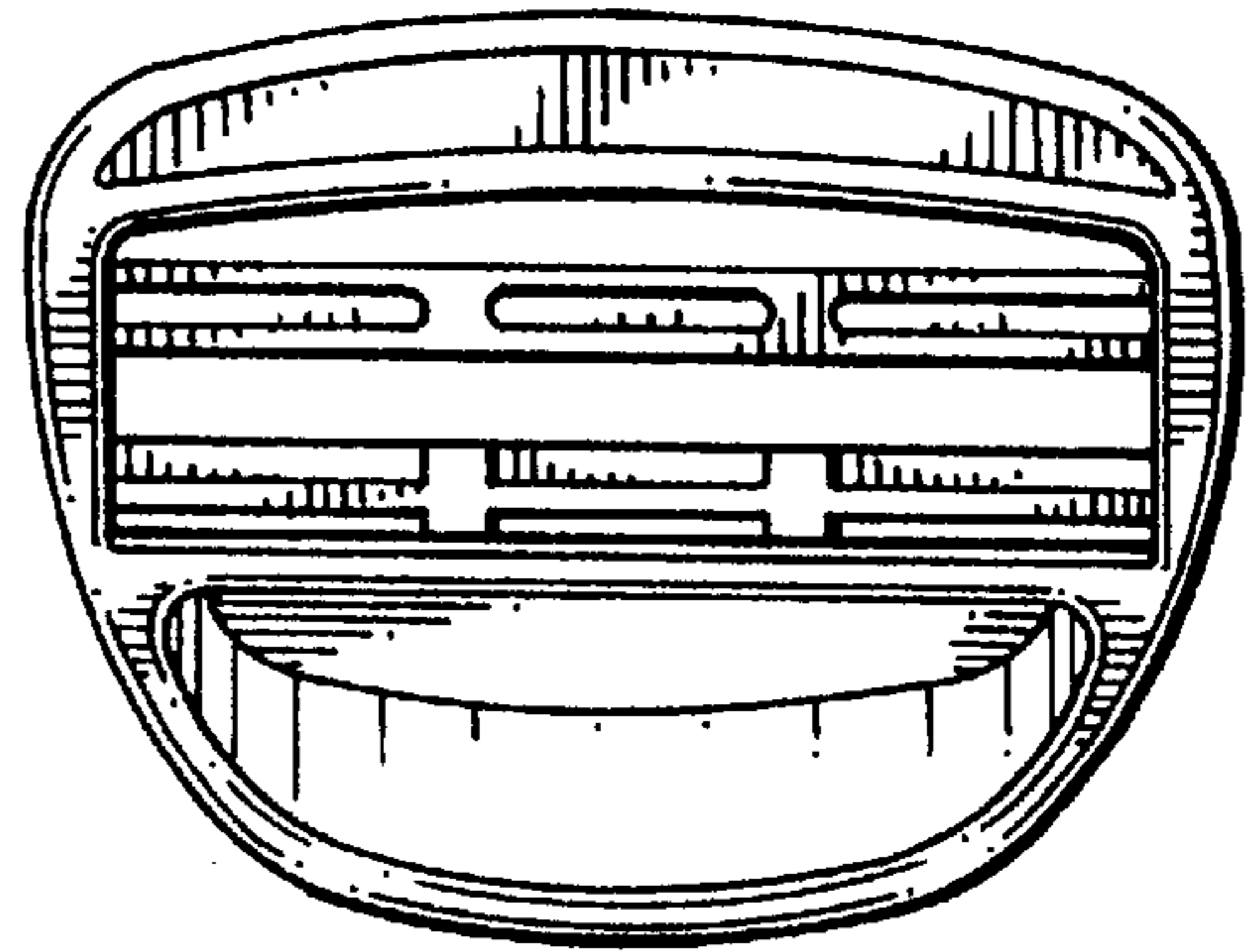
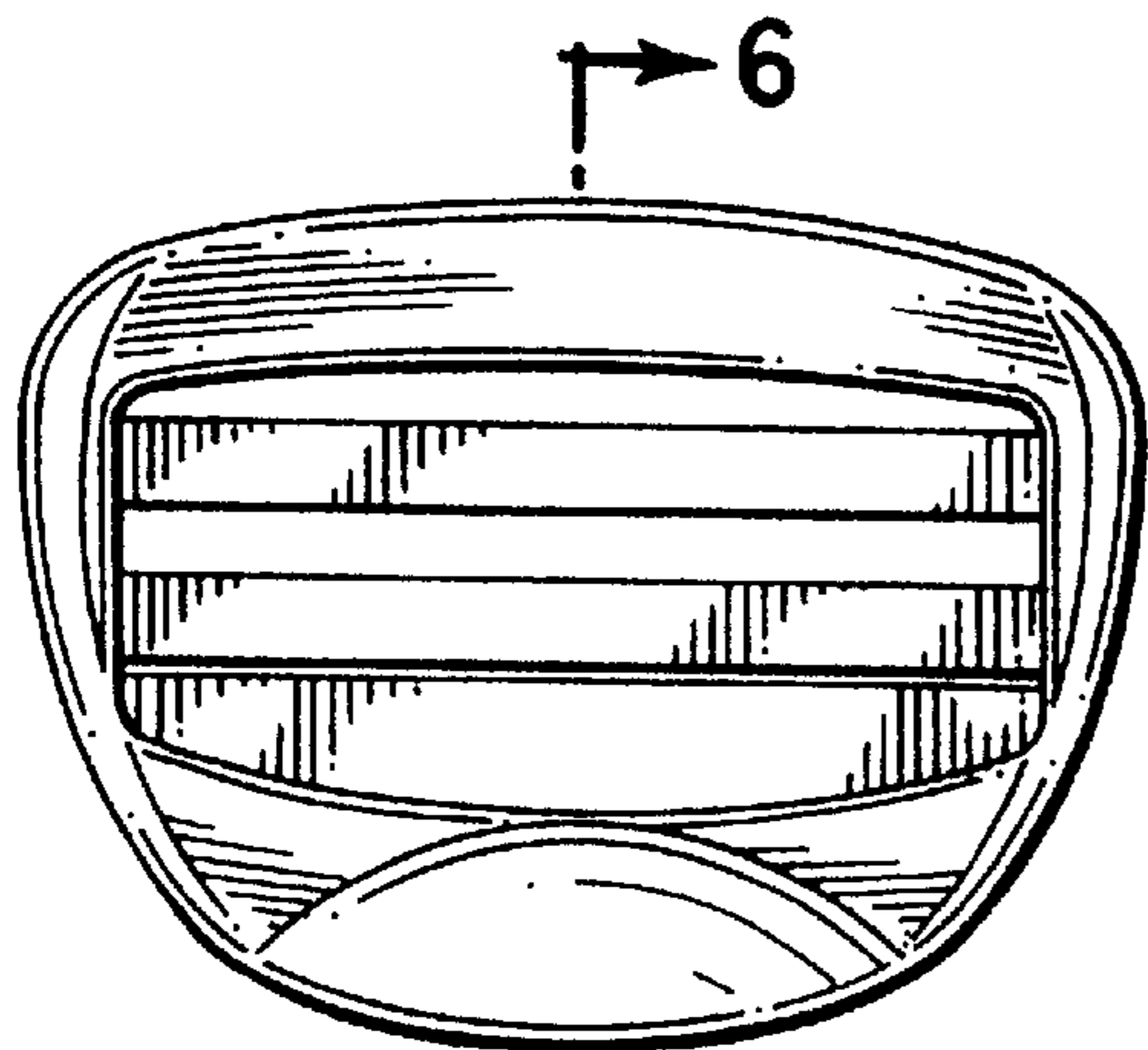
DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front view of a buckle showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof, the right side view being
symmetrical to the left side view;
FIG. 6 is a cross sectional view taken along lines 6—6 in
FIG. 1; and,
FIG. 7 is a perspective view thereof.

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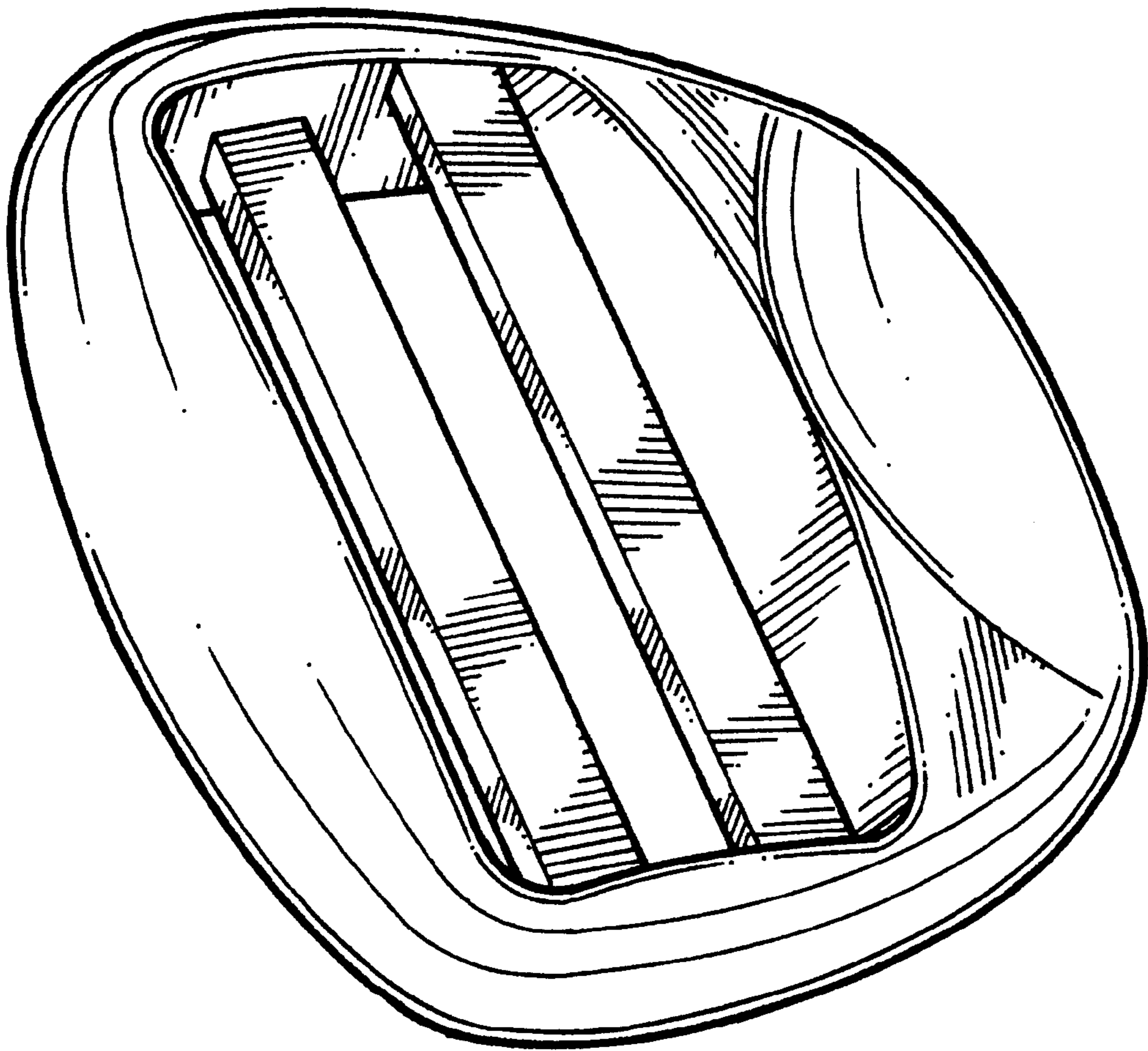


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