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[54] **TRUCK BODY TAILGATE**

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[57] **CLAIM**

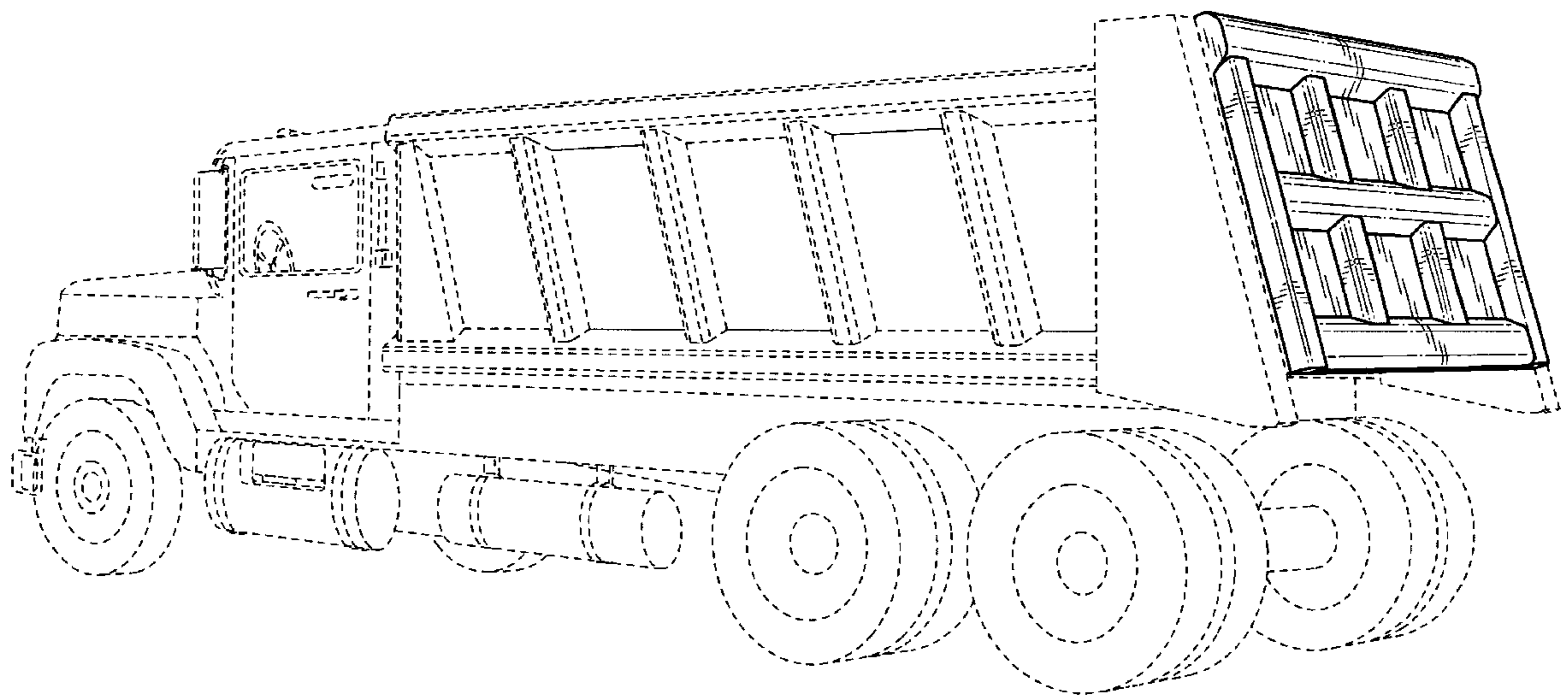
The ornamental design for a truck body tailgate, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a first embodiment of a truck body tailgate showing our new design;
FIG. 2 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof; and
FIG. 6 is a front elevational view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a rear elevational view of a second embodiment of our new design;
FIG. 8 is a side elevational view of FIG. 7;
FIG. 9 is a top plan view of FIG. 7;
FIG. 10 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 7; and,
FIG. 11 is a front elevational view of FIG. 7.

The truck portions shown in broken lines are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



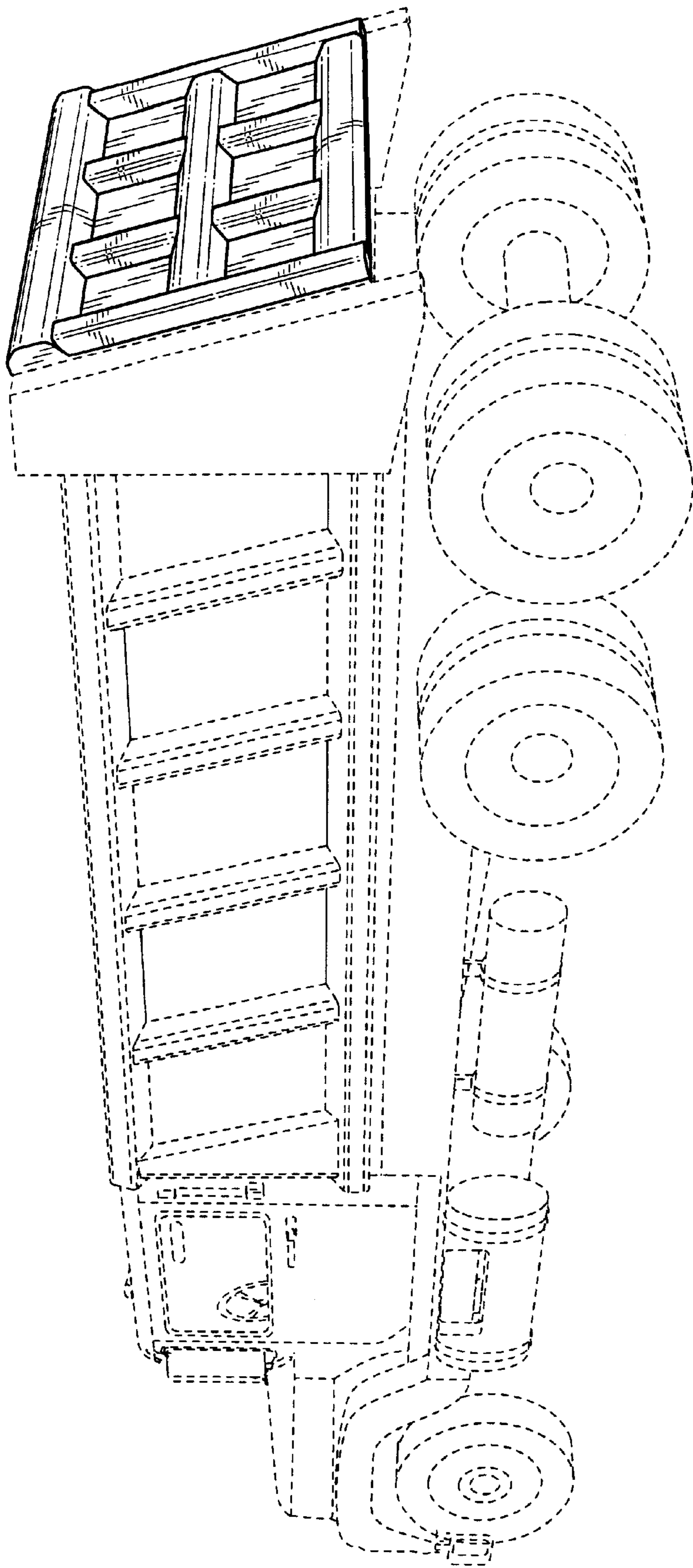


FIG. 1

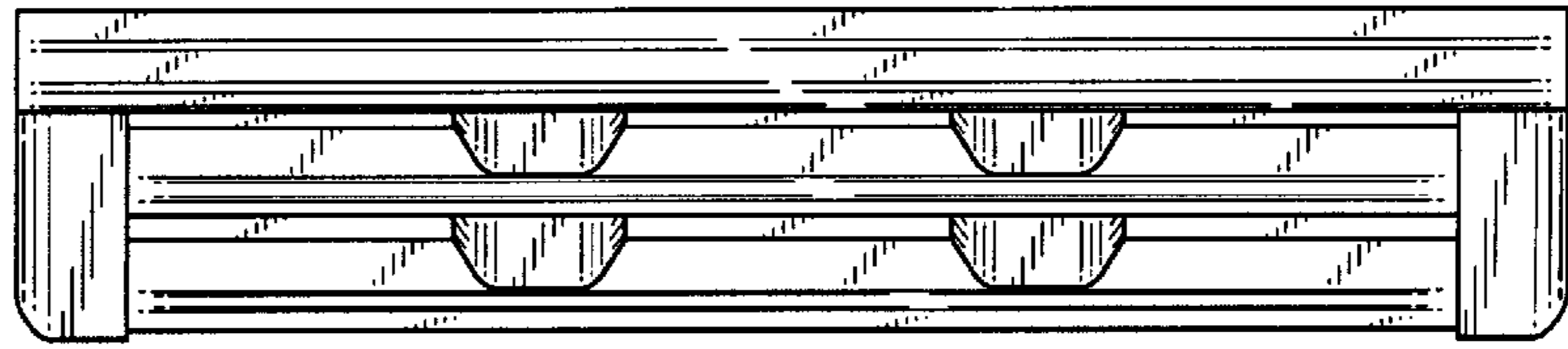


FIG. 4

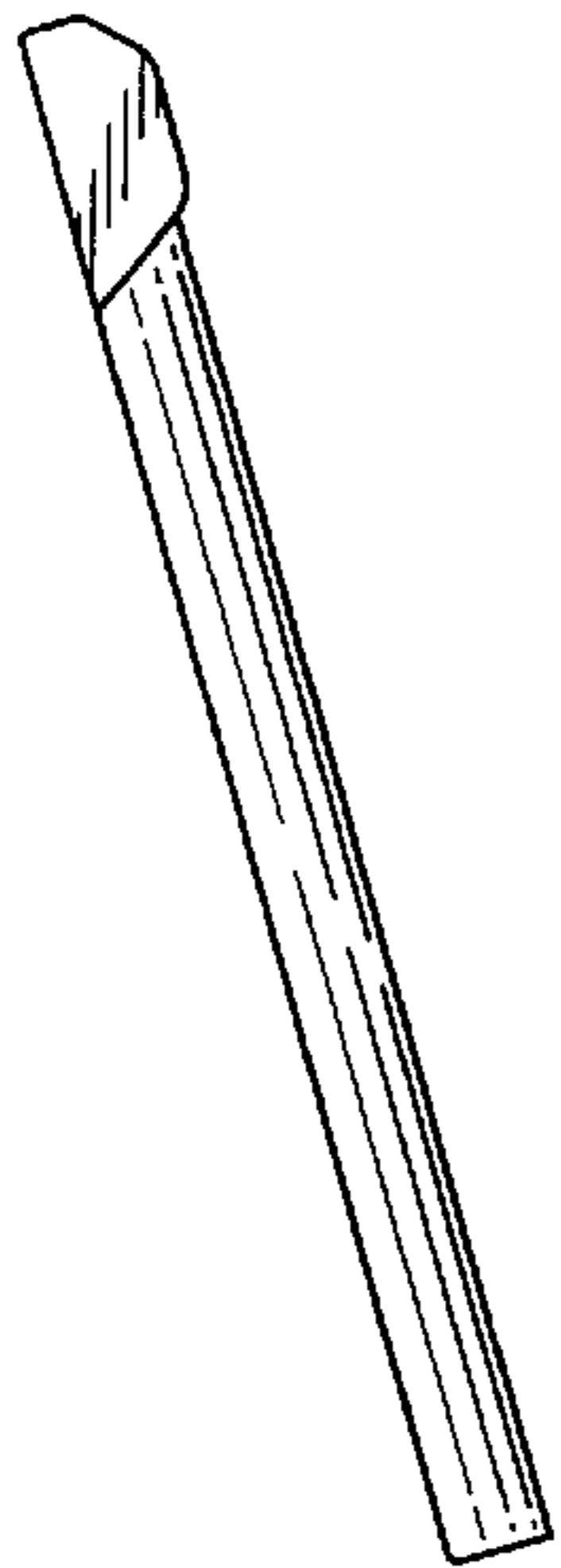


FIG. 3

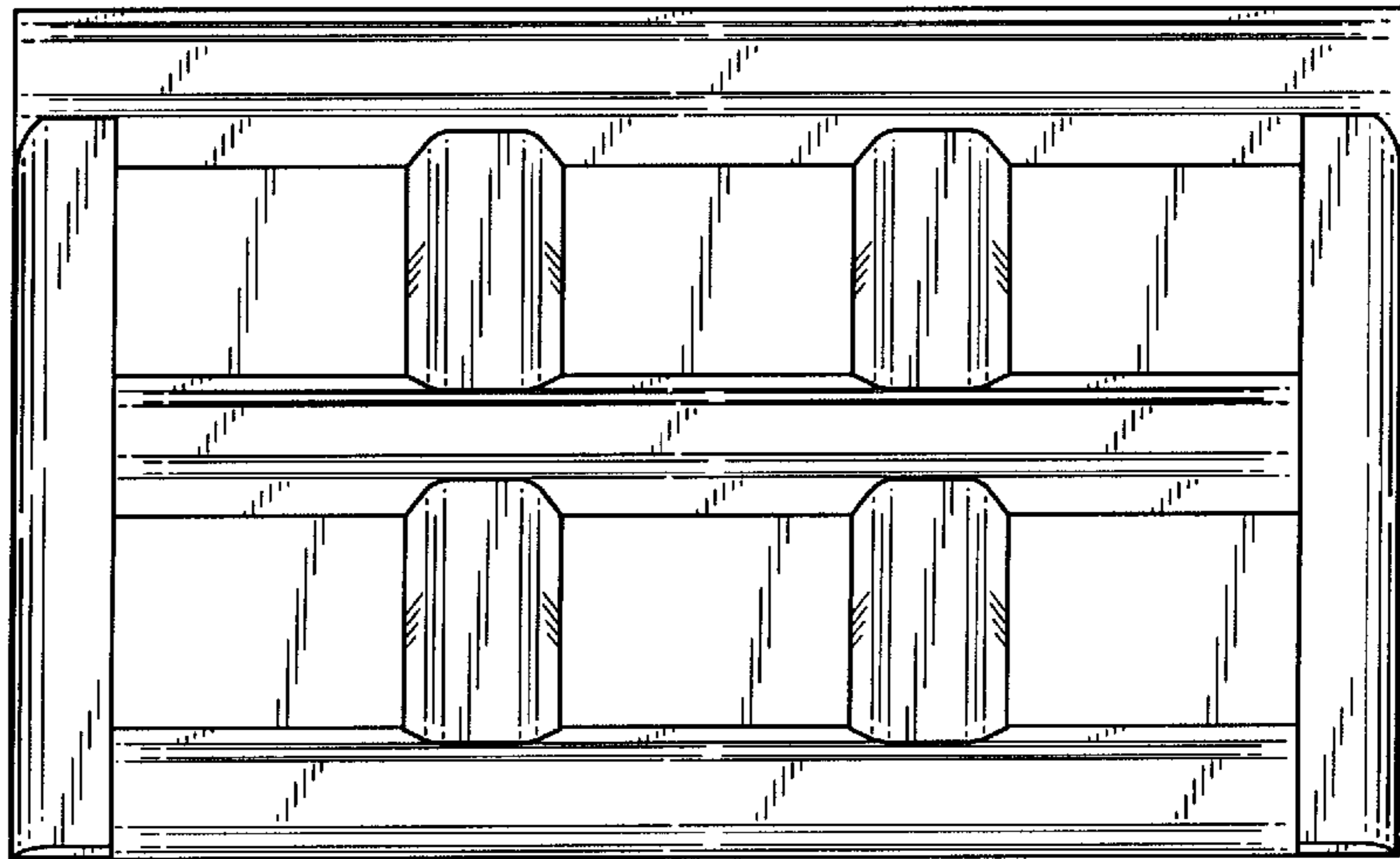


FIG. 2

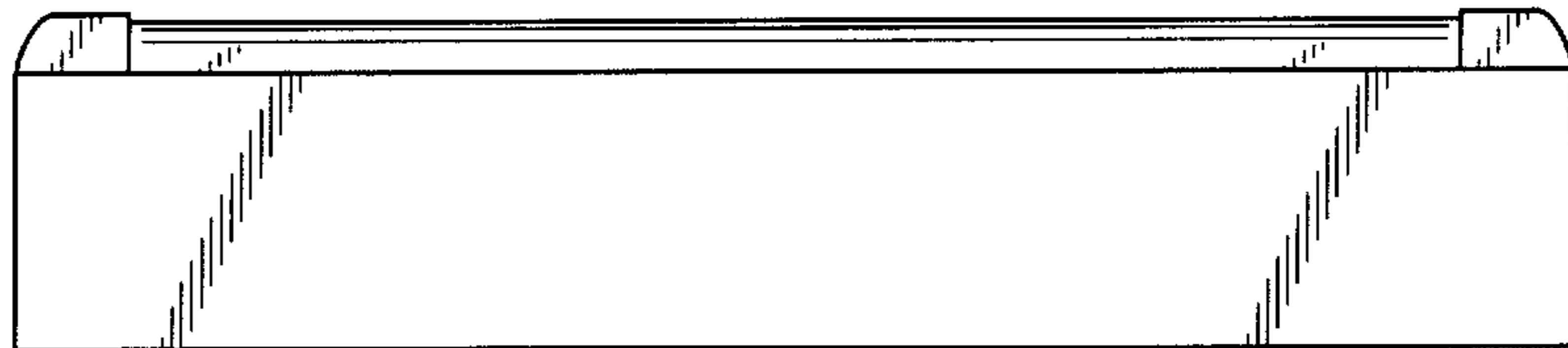


FIG. 5

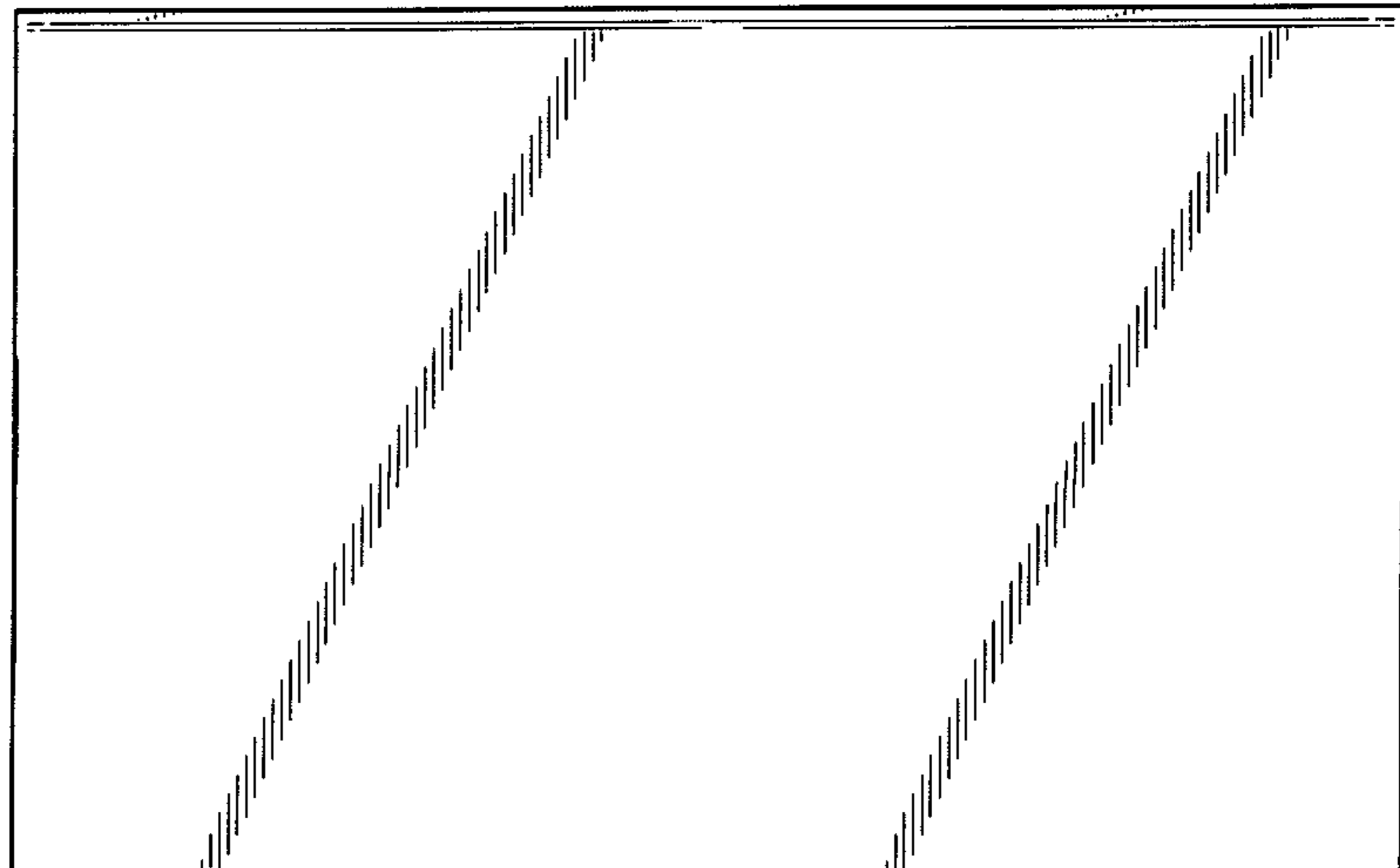


FIG. 6

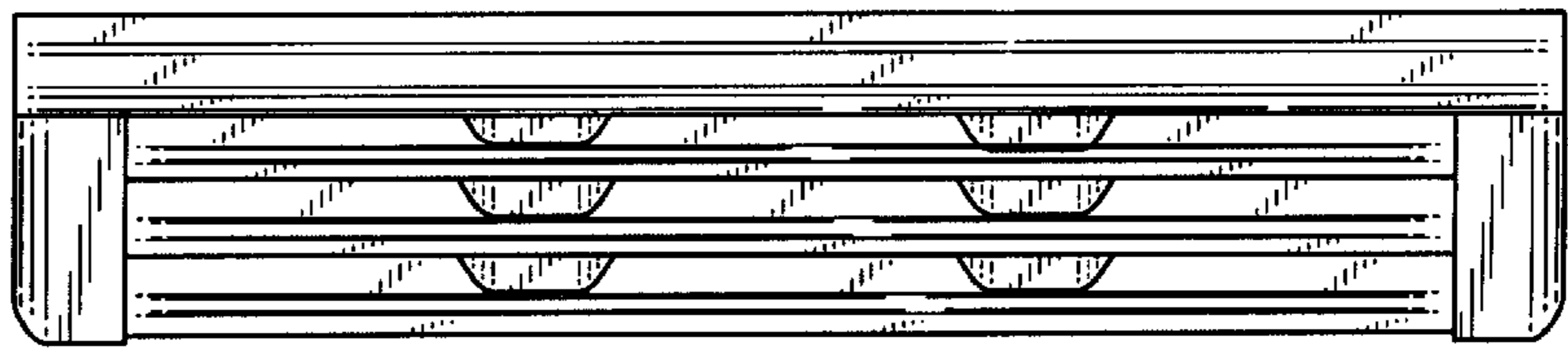


FIG. 9

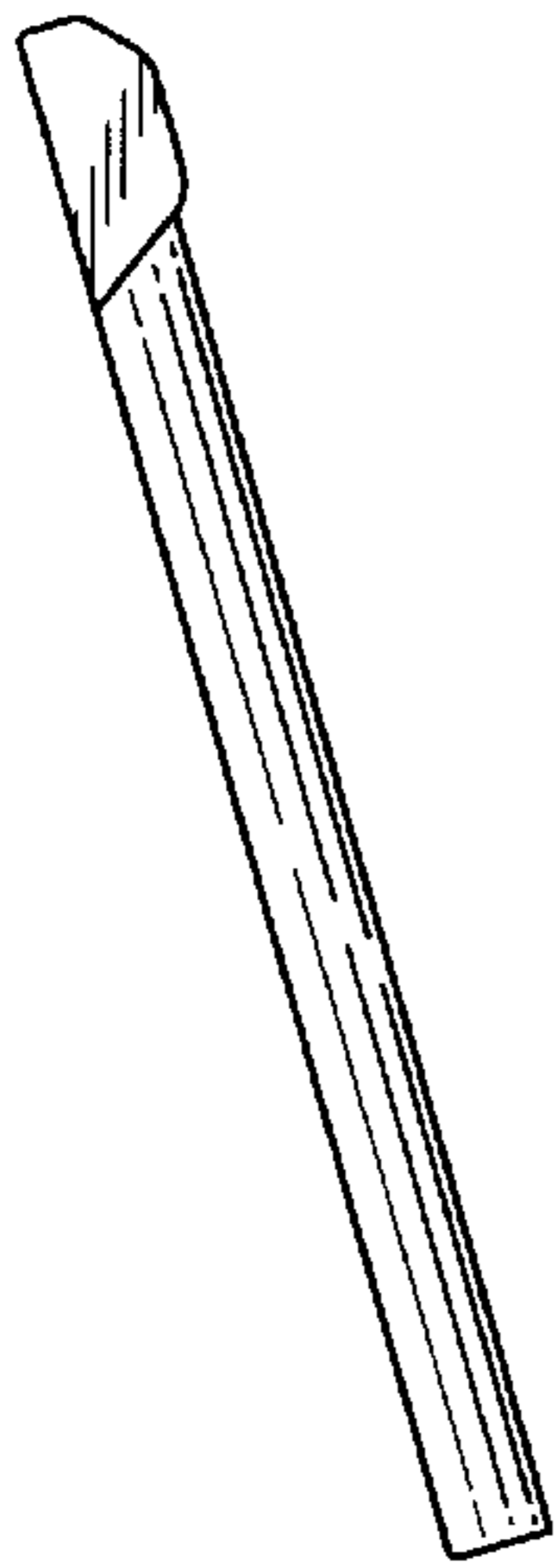


FIG. 8

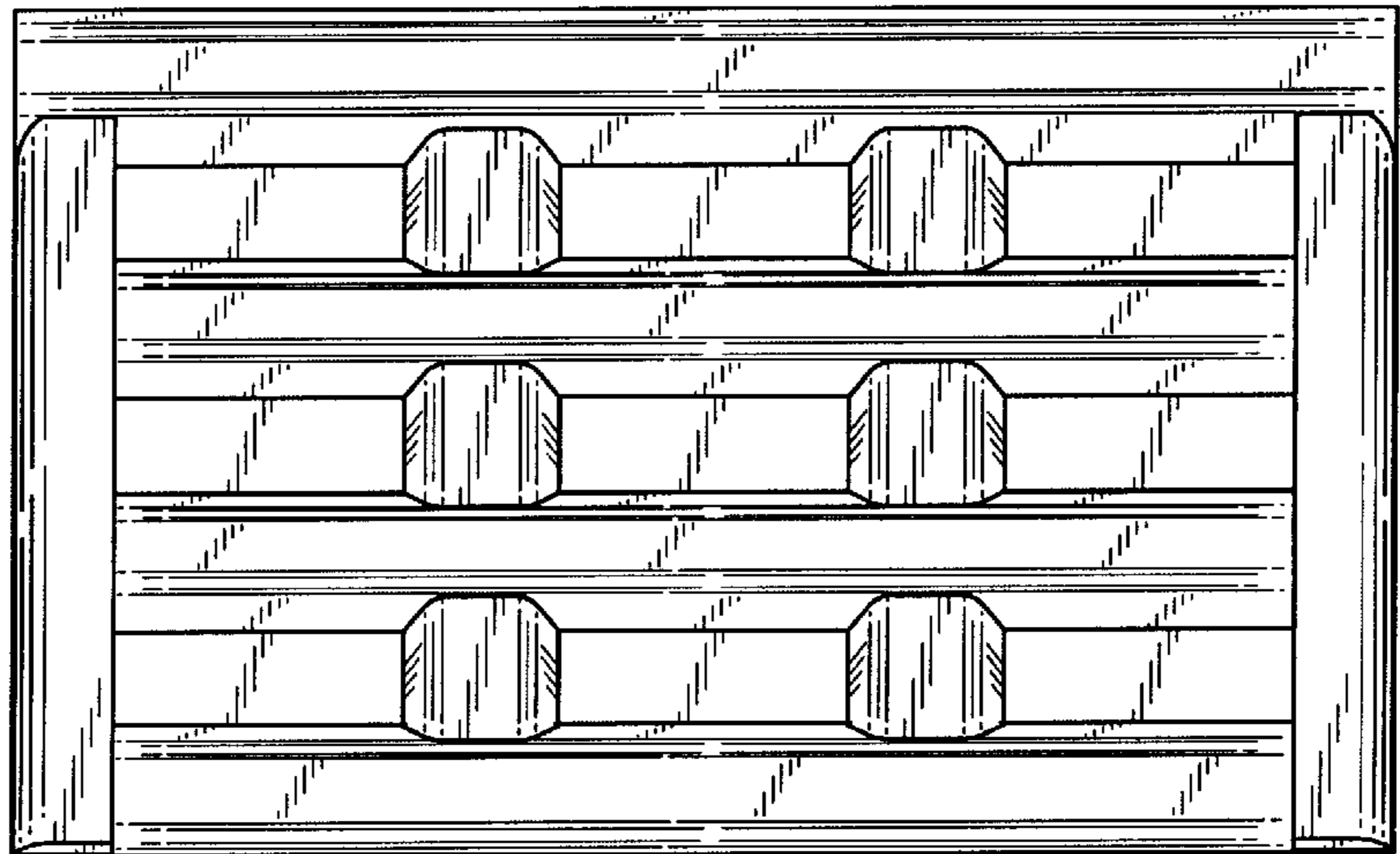


FIG. 7

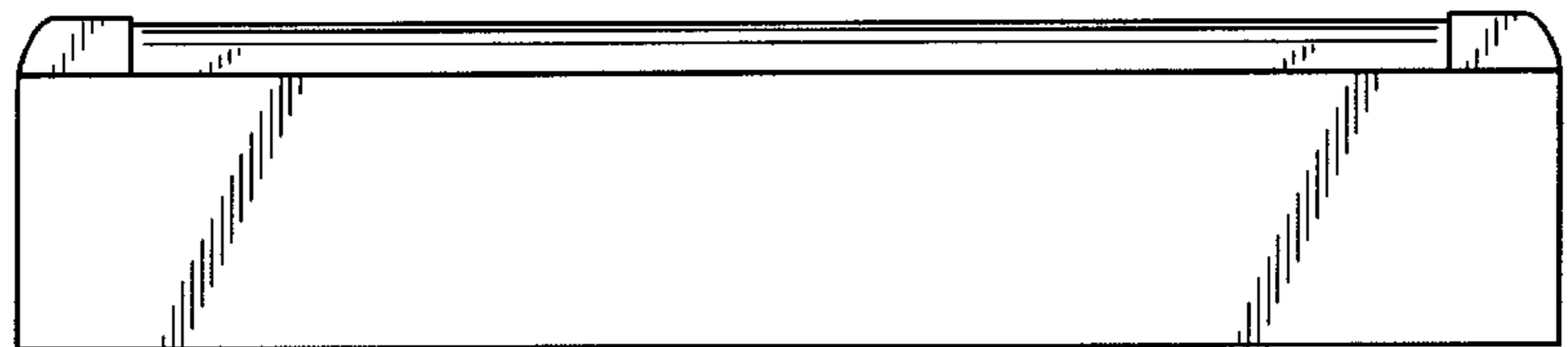


FIG. 10

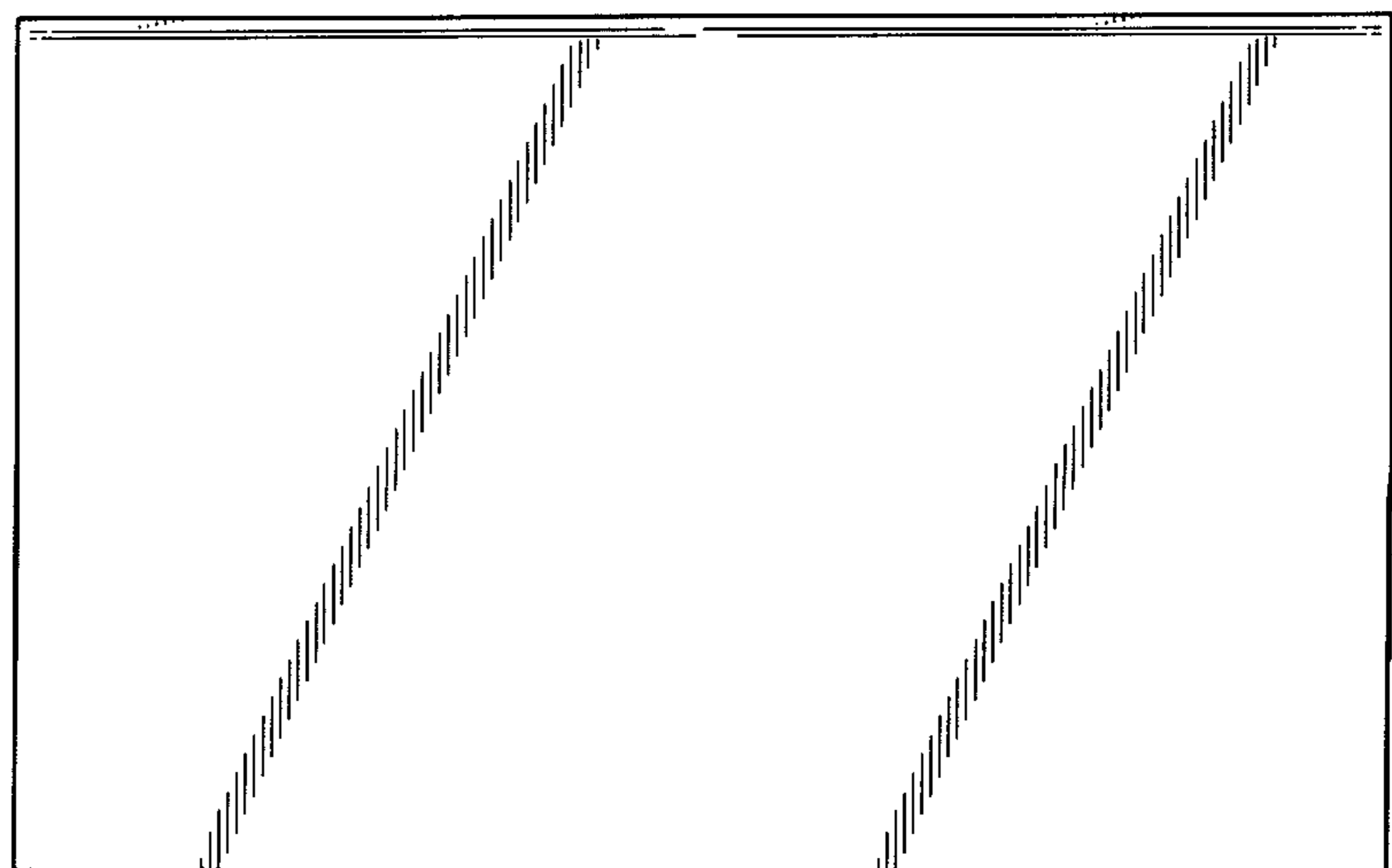


FIG. 11