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(54) **SWIMMING OAR**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a swimming oar, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is top, right, front, perspective view of a swimming oar my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof;

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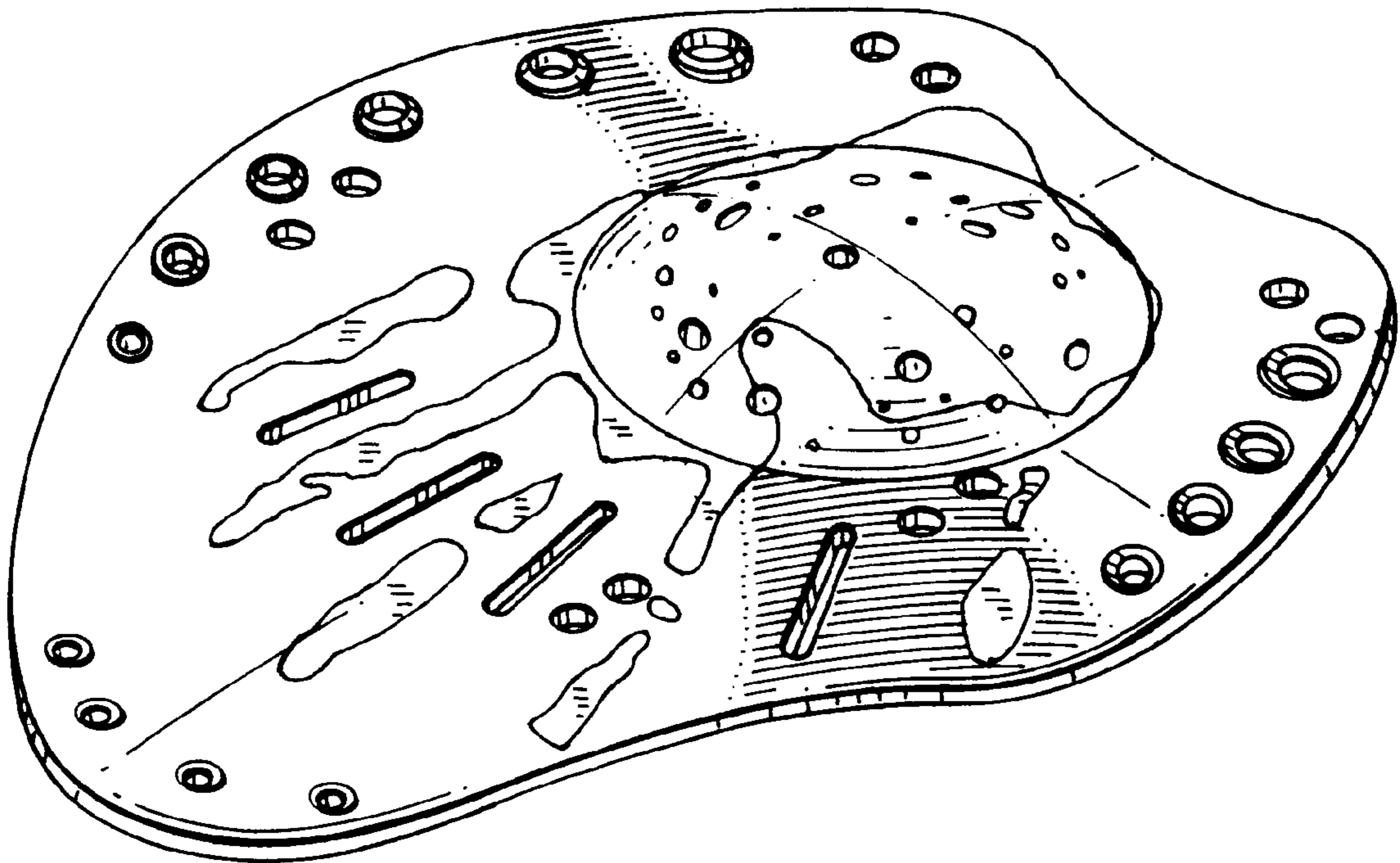
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FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is top, right, front, perspective view of reference of a swimming oar.

**1 Claim, 6 Drawing Sheets**



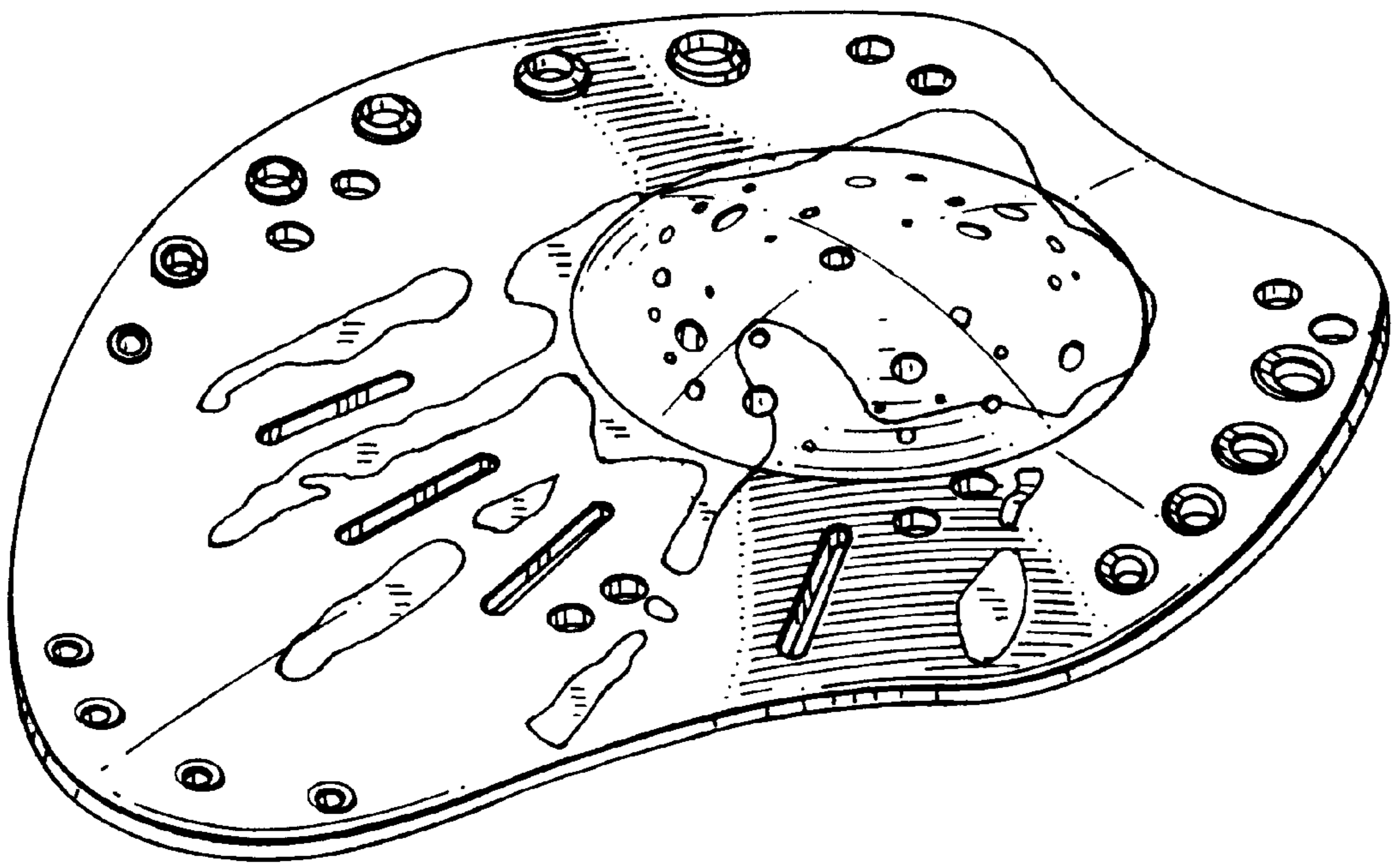
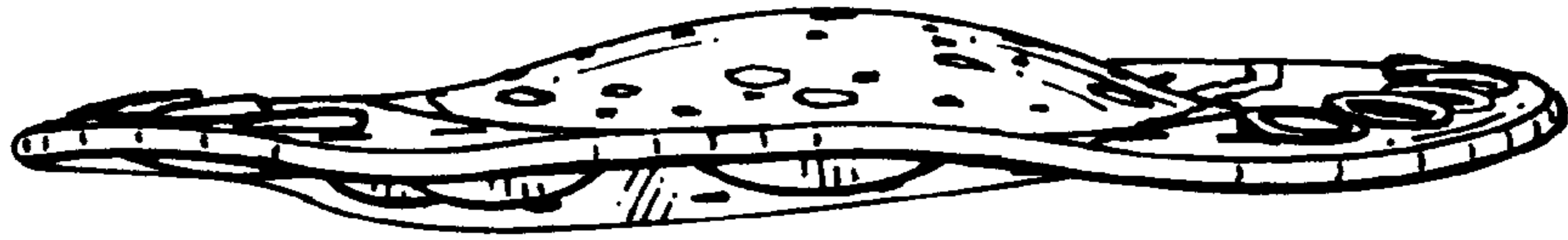
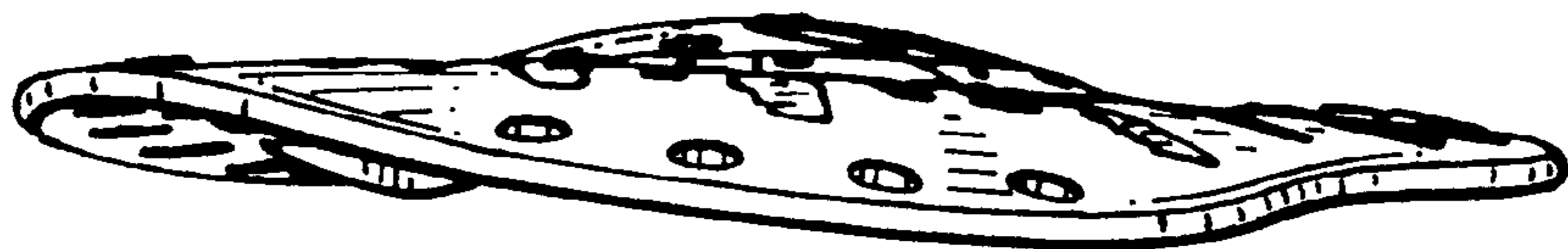


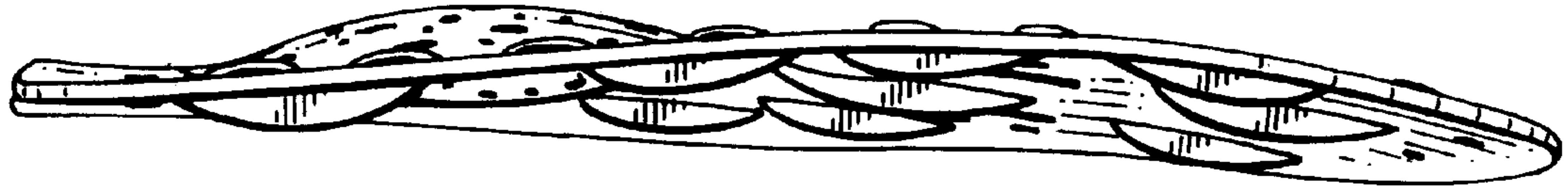
FIG.1



**FIG.3**



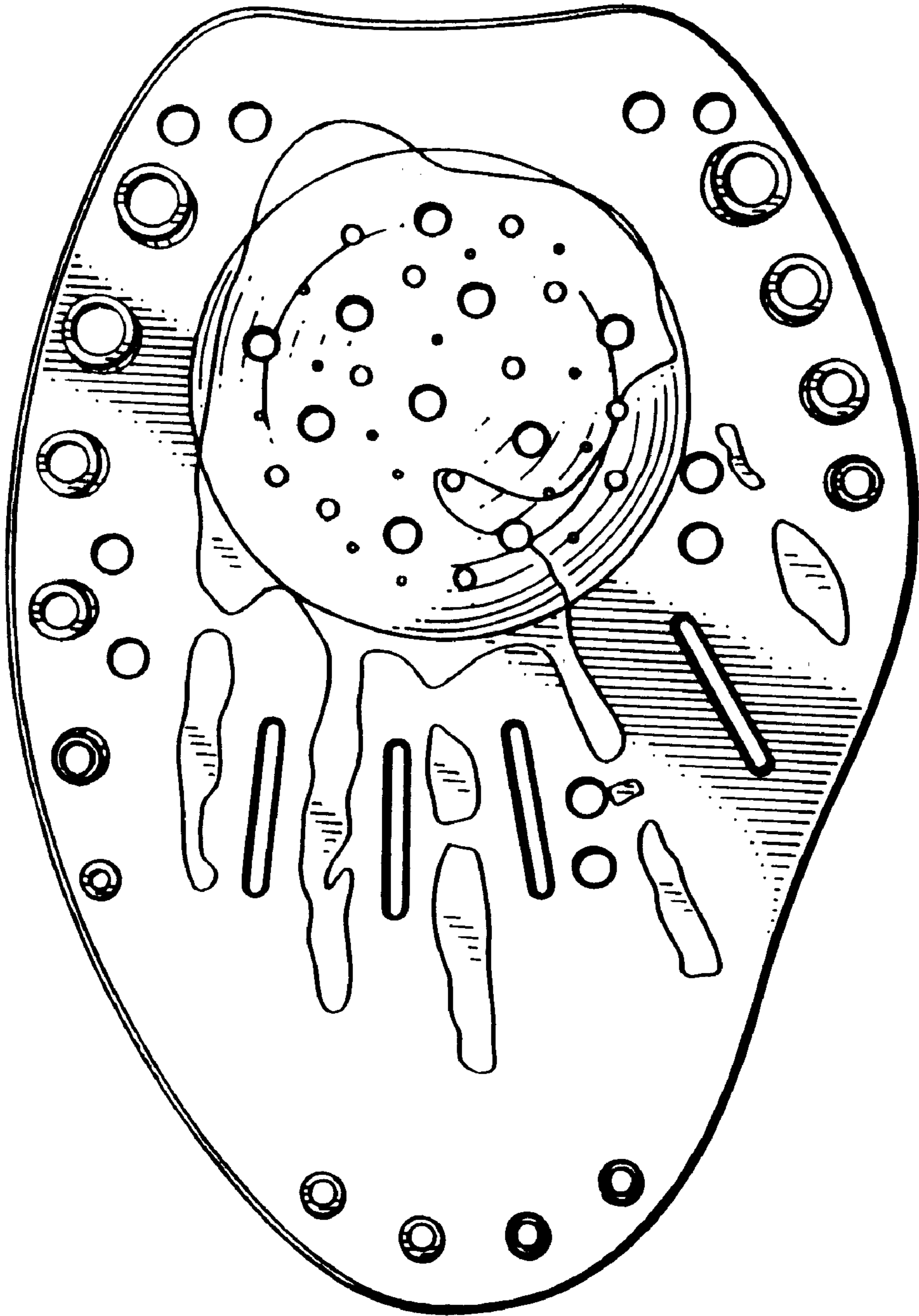
**FIG.2**



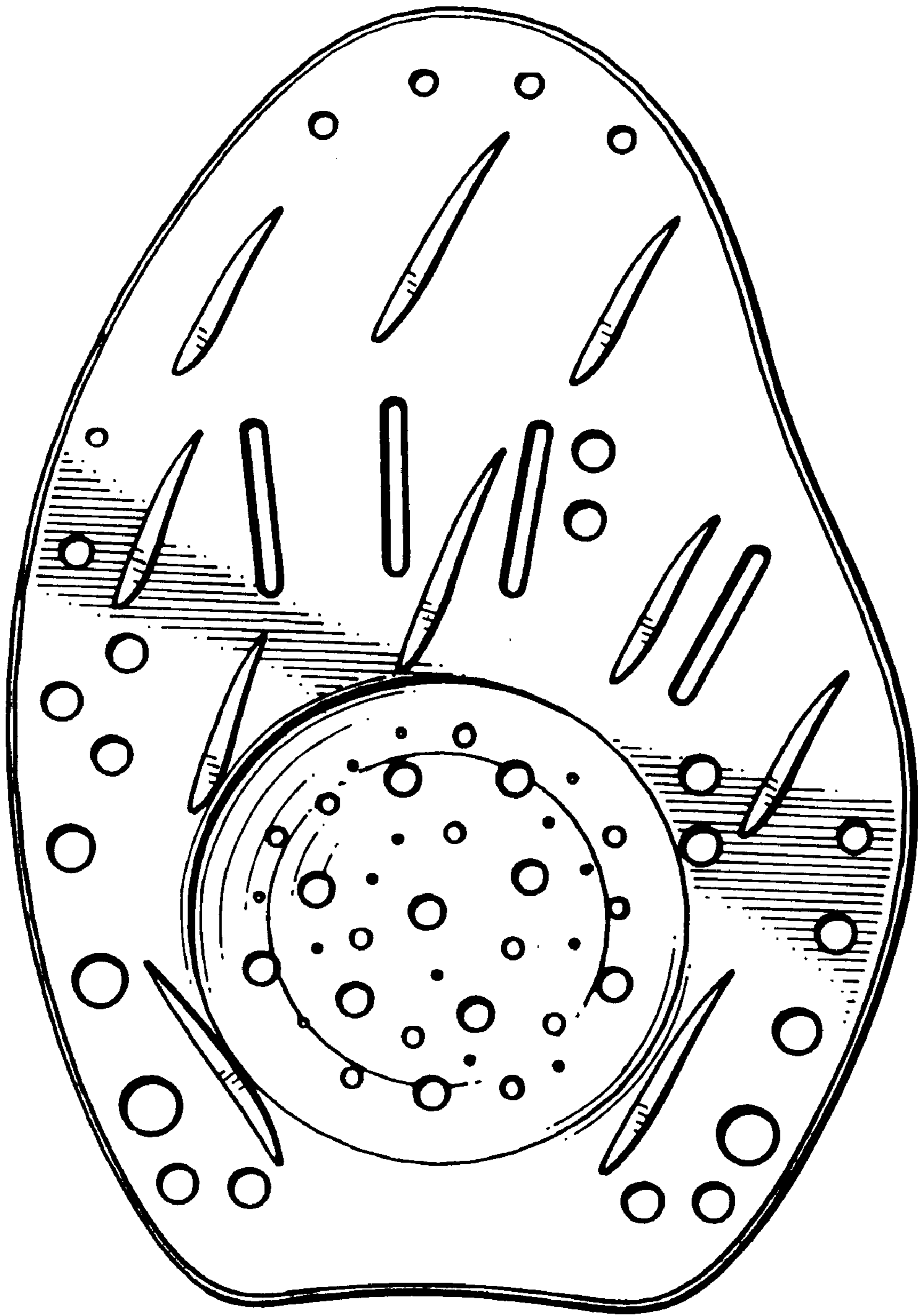
**FIG. 4**



**FIG. 5**



**FIG.6**



**FIG. 7**

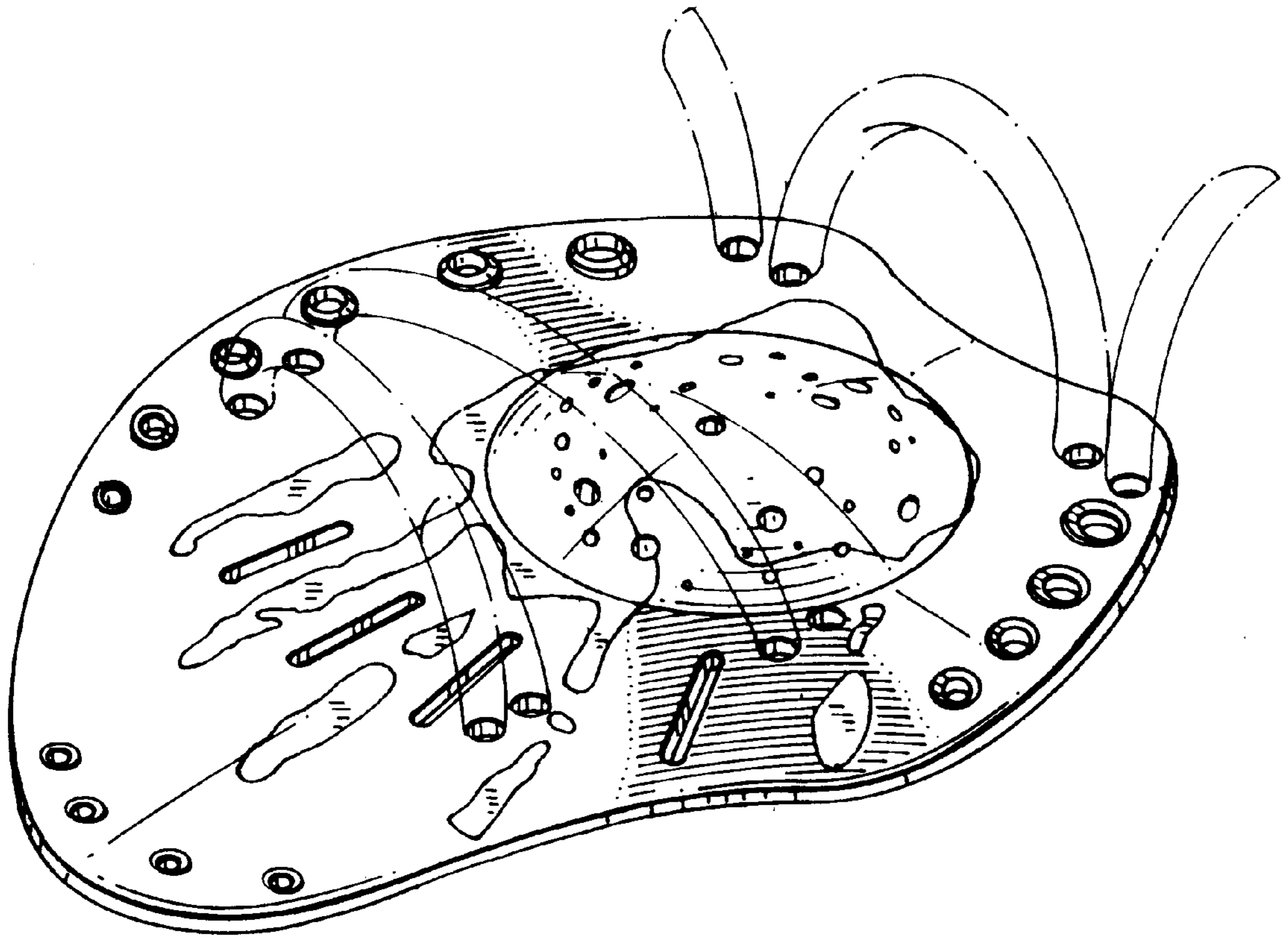


FIG. 8