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(57) **CLAIM**

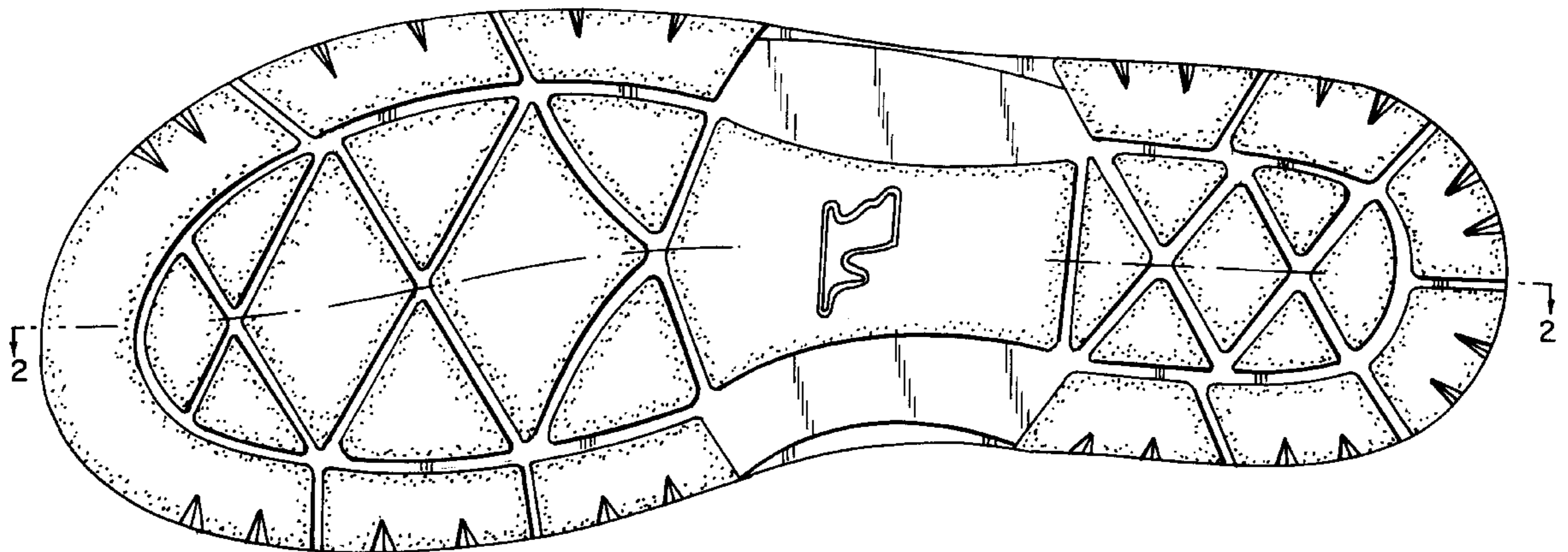
The ornamental design for the sole, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a bottom plan view of the sole showing my new design;  
 FIG. 2 is a sectional view of FIG. 1 taken along the line 2—2 thereof;  
 FIG. 3 is a side elevation view of one side thereof;  
 FIG. 4 is a side elevation view of the other side thereof;  
 FIG. 5 is a front elevation view thereof; and,  
 FIG. 6 is a rear elevation view thereof.

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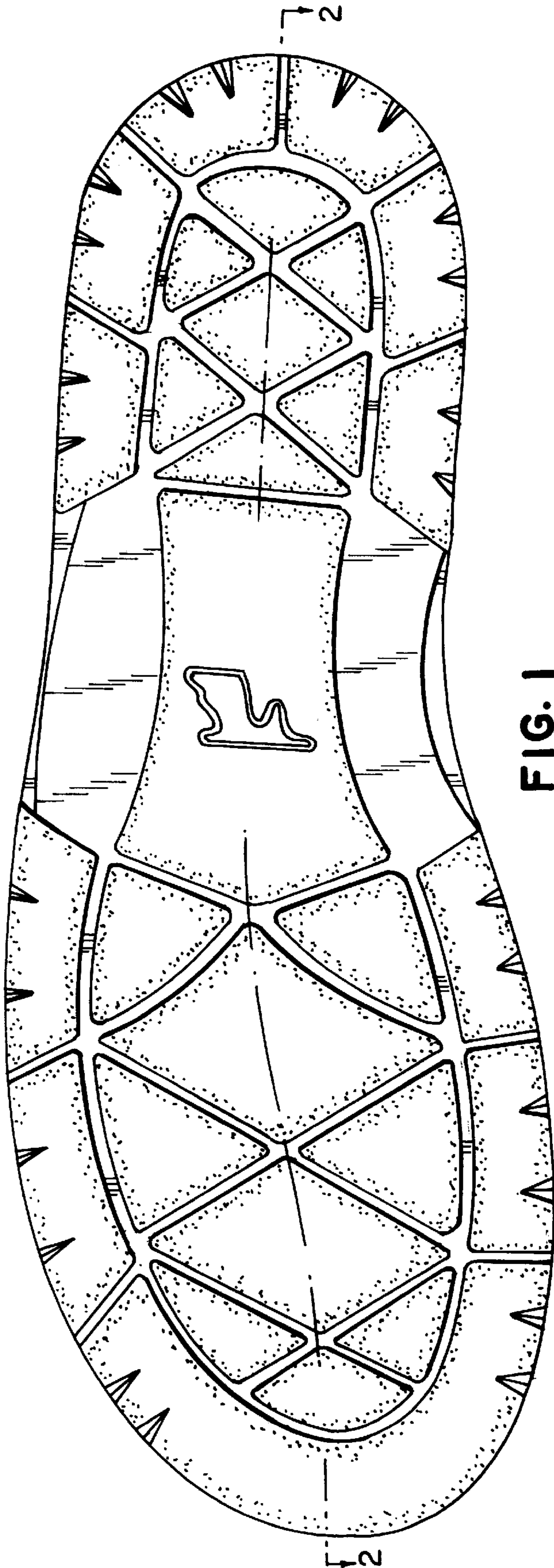


FIG. 1

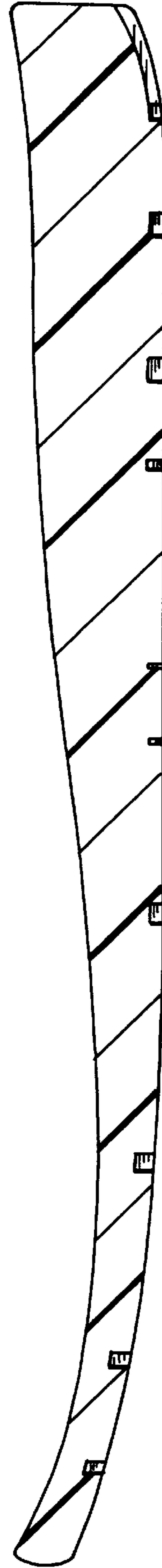


FIG. 2

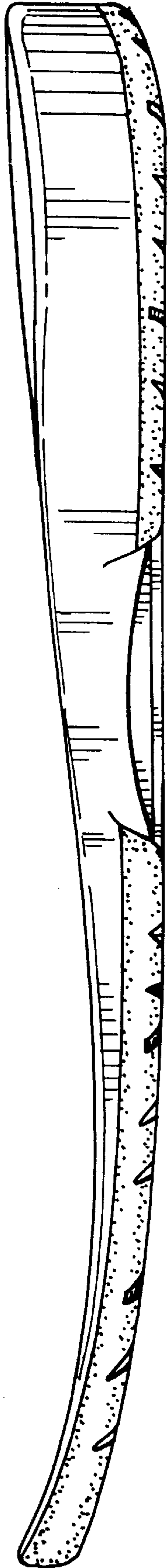


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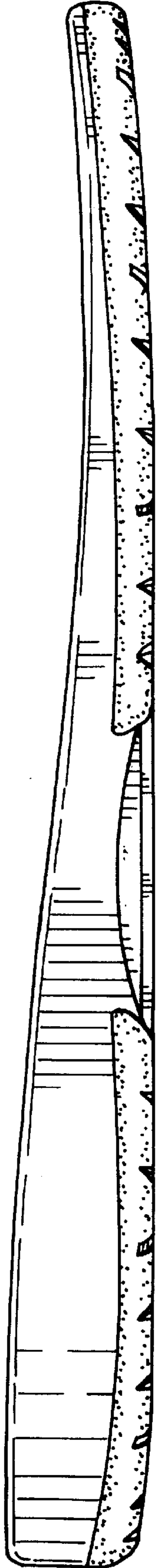


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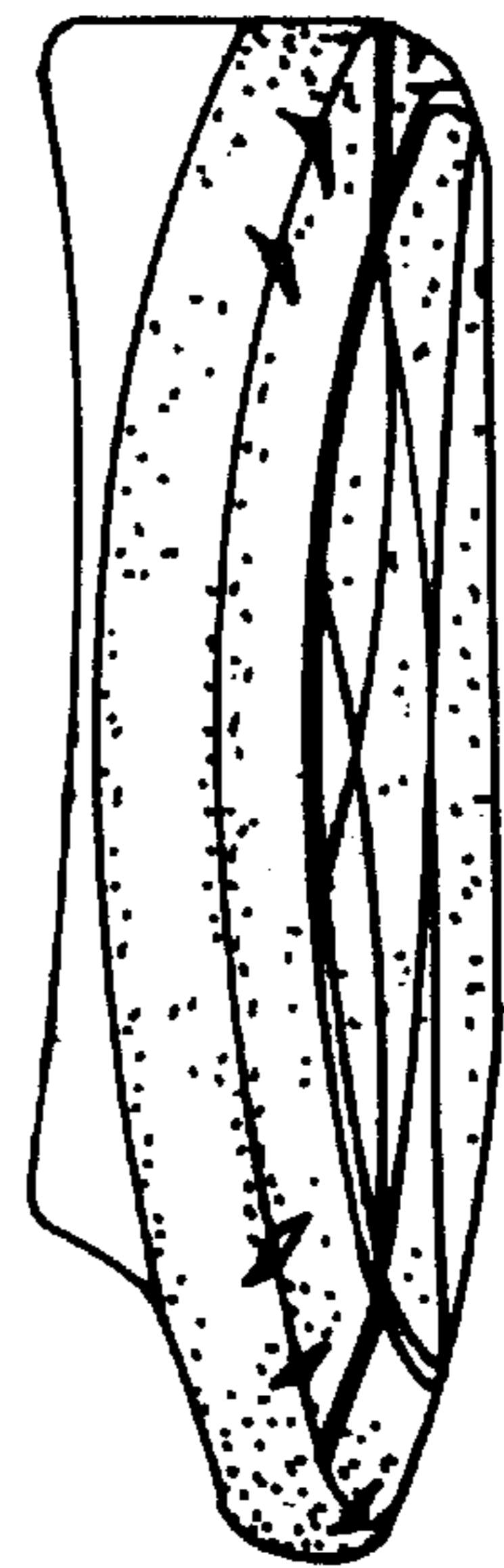


FIG. 5

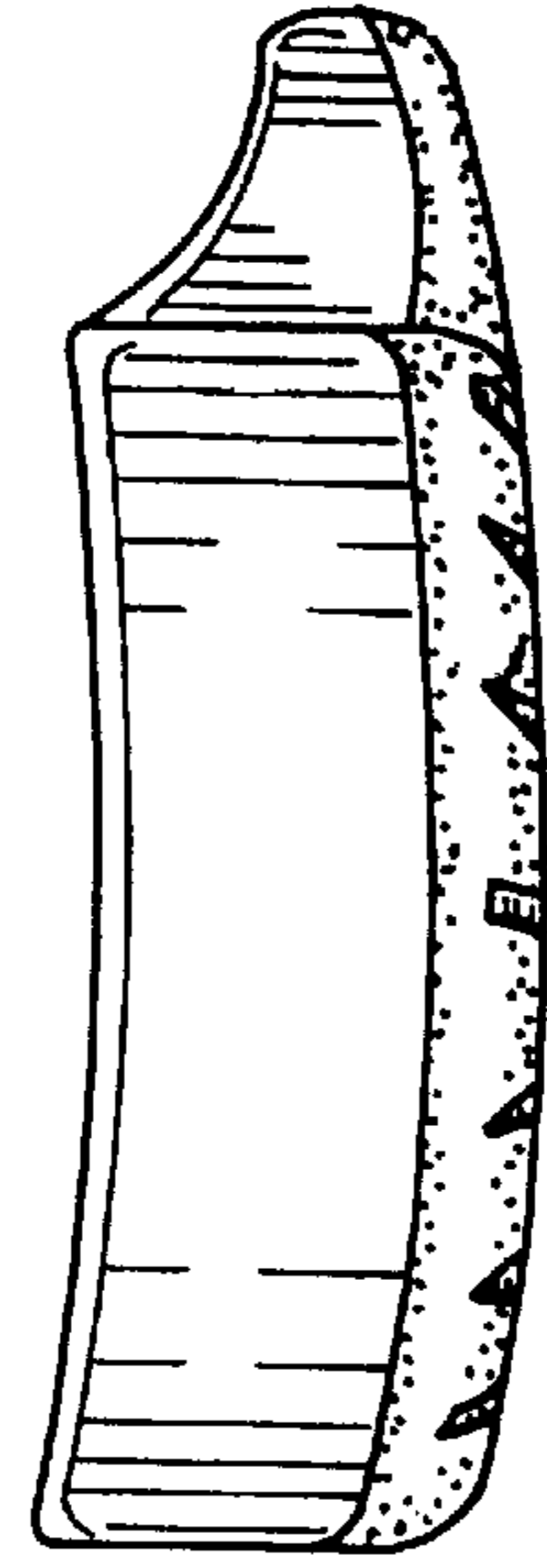


FIG. 6