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(54) **GOLF CLUB SOLE PLATE**

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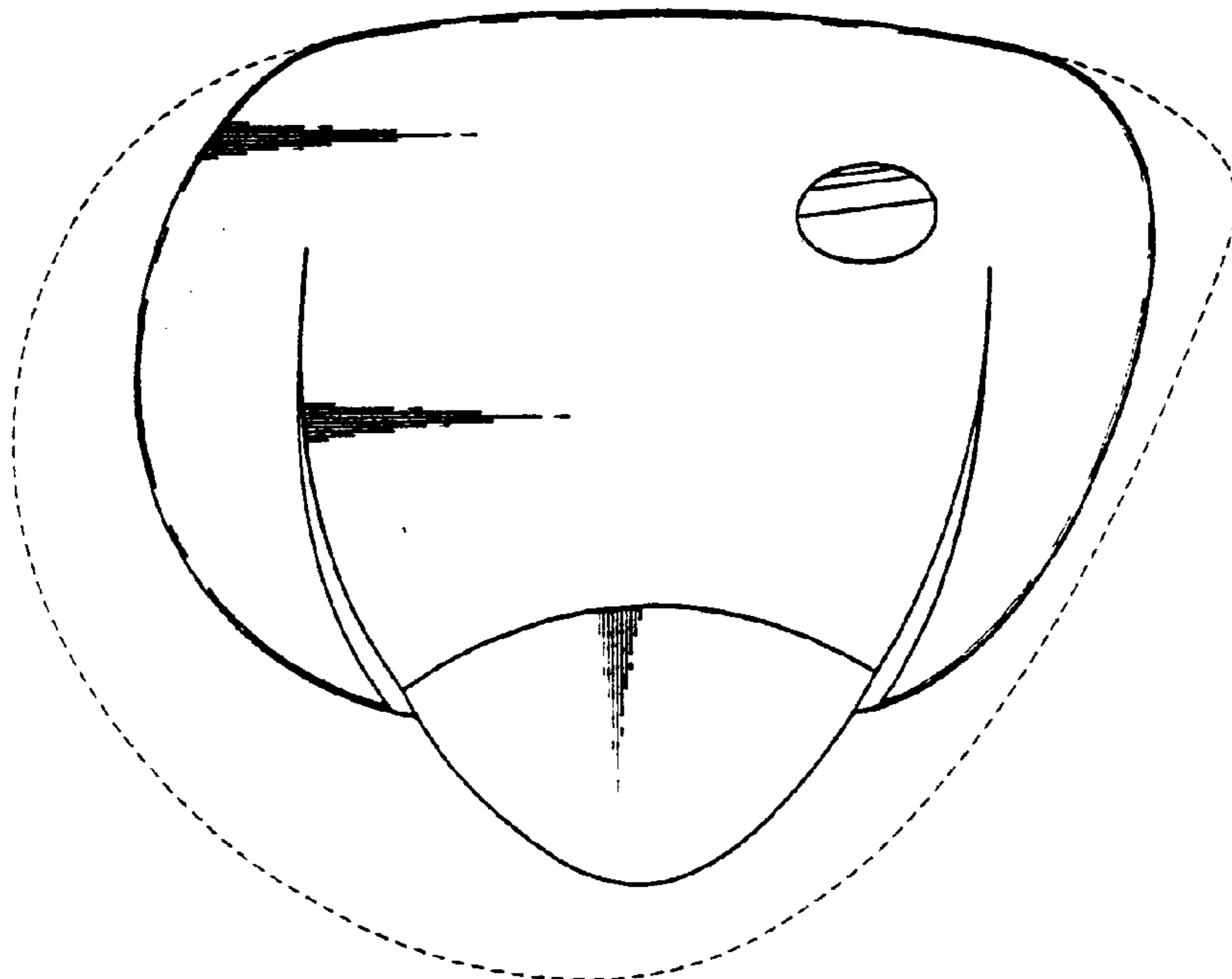
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a golf club sole plate, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a golf club sole plate; FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a toe end view thereof; FIG. 5 is a plan view thereof; and, FIG. 6 is a heel end view thereof. The broken line showing is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



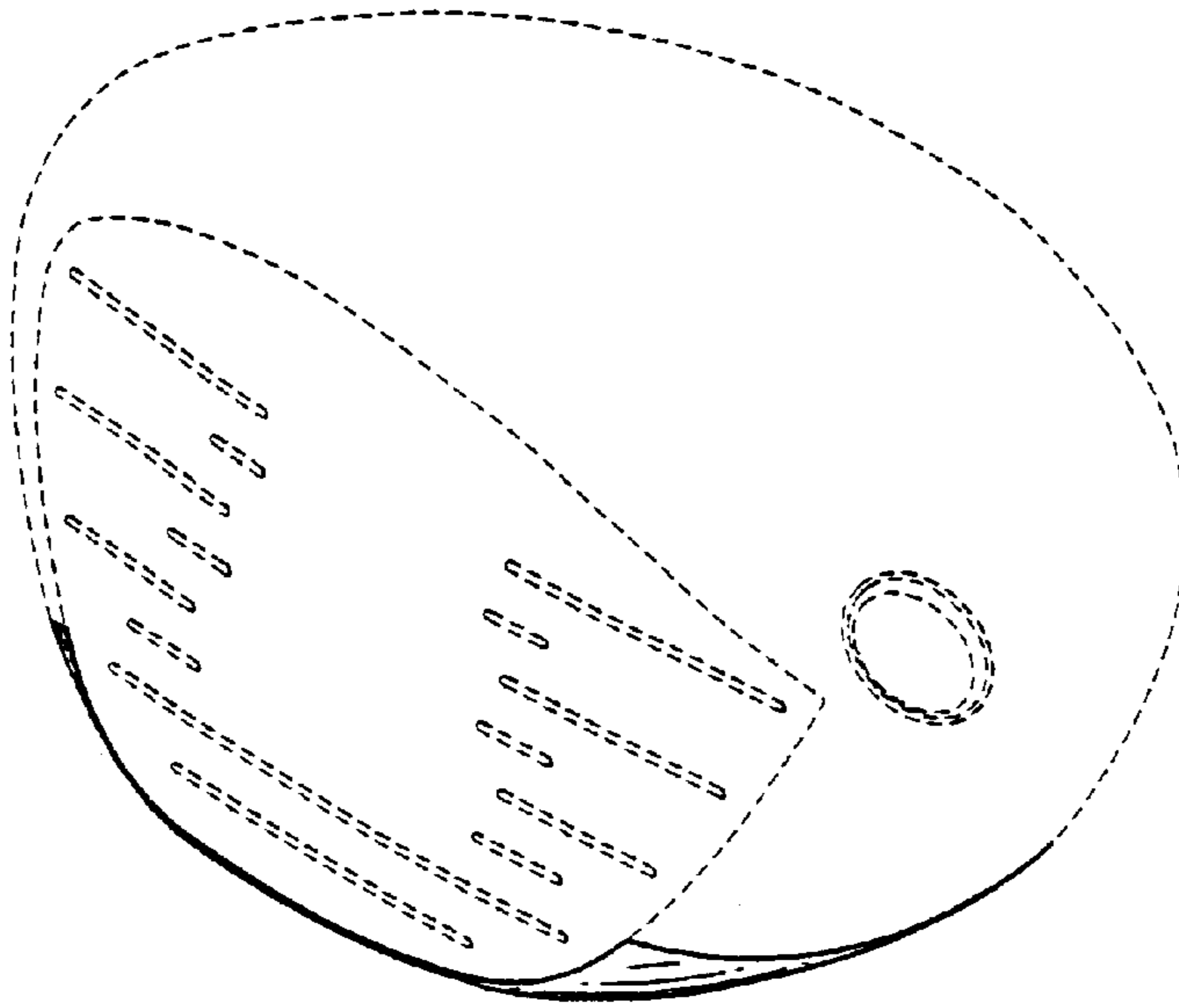


FIG. 1

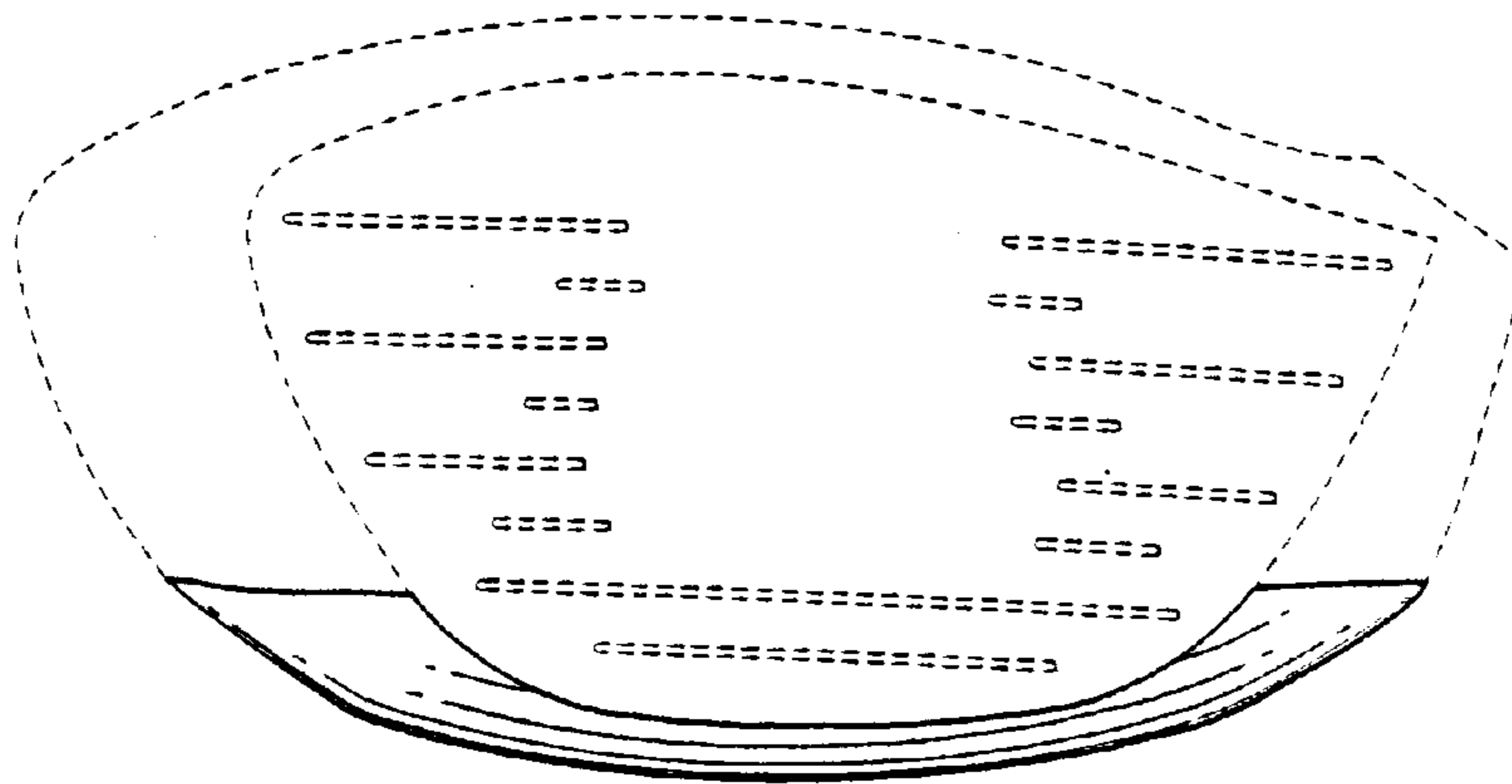


FIG. 2

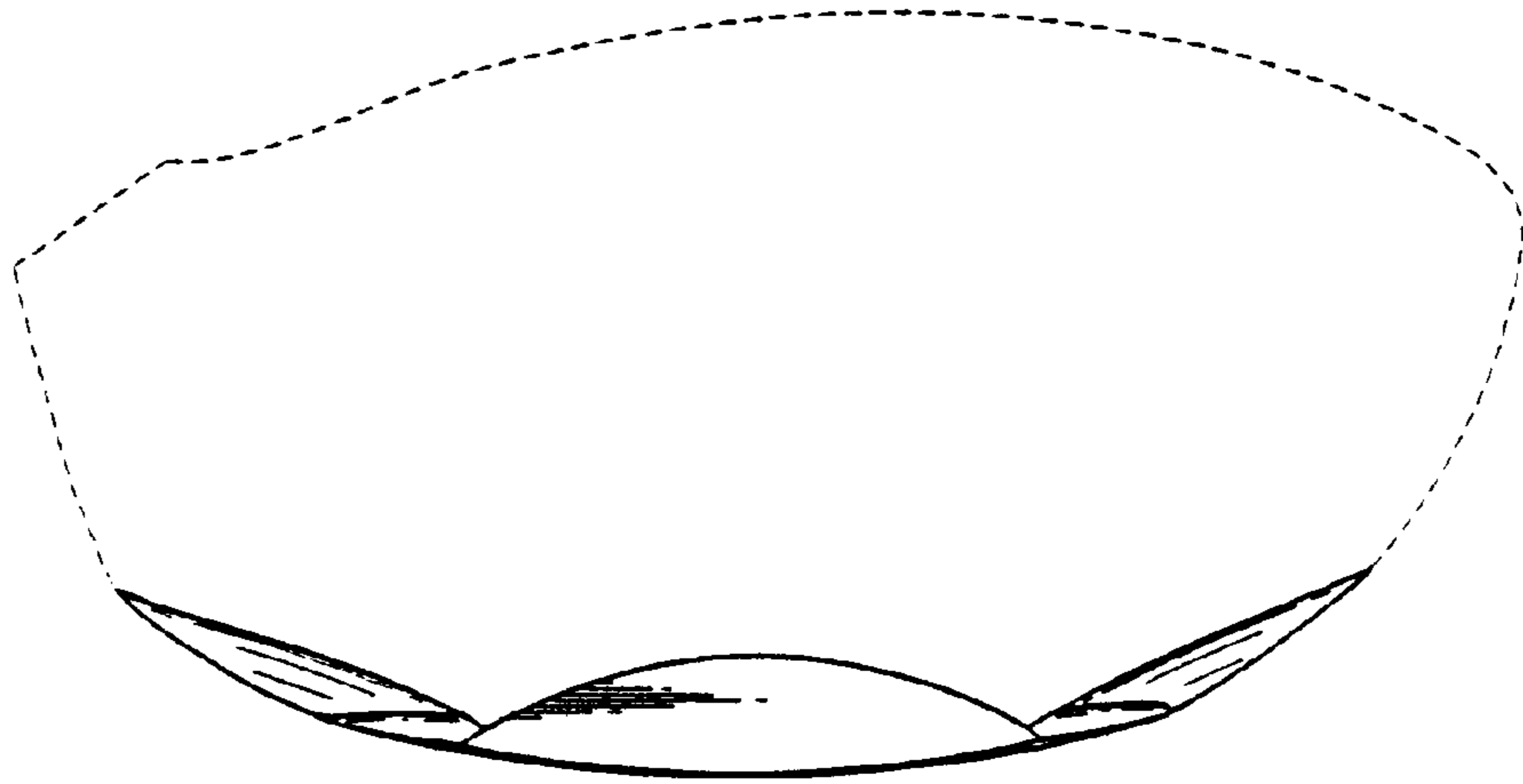


FIG. 3

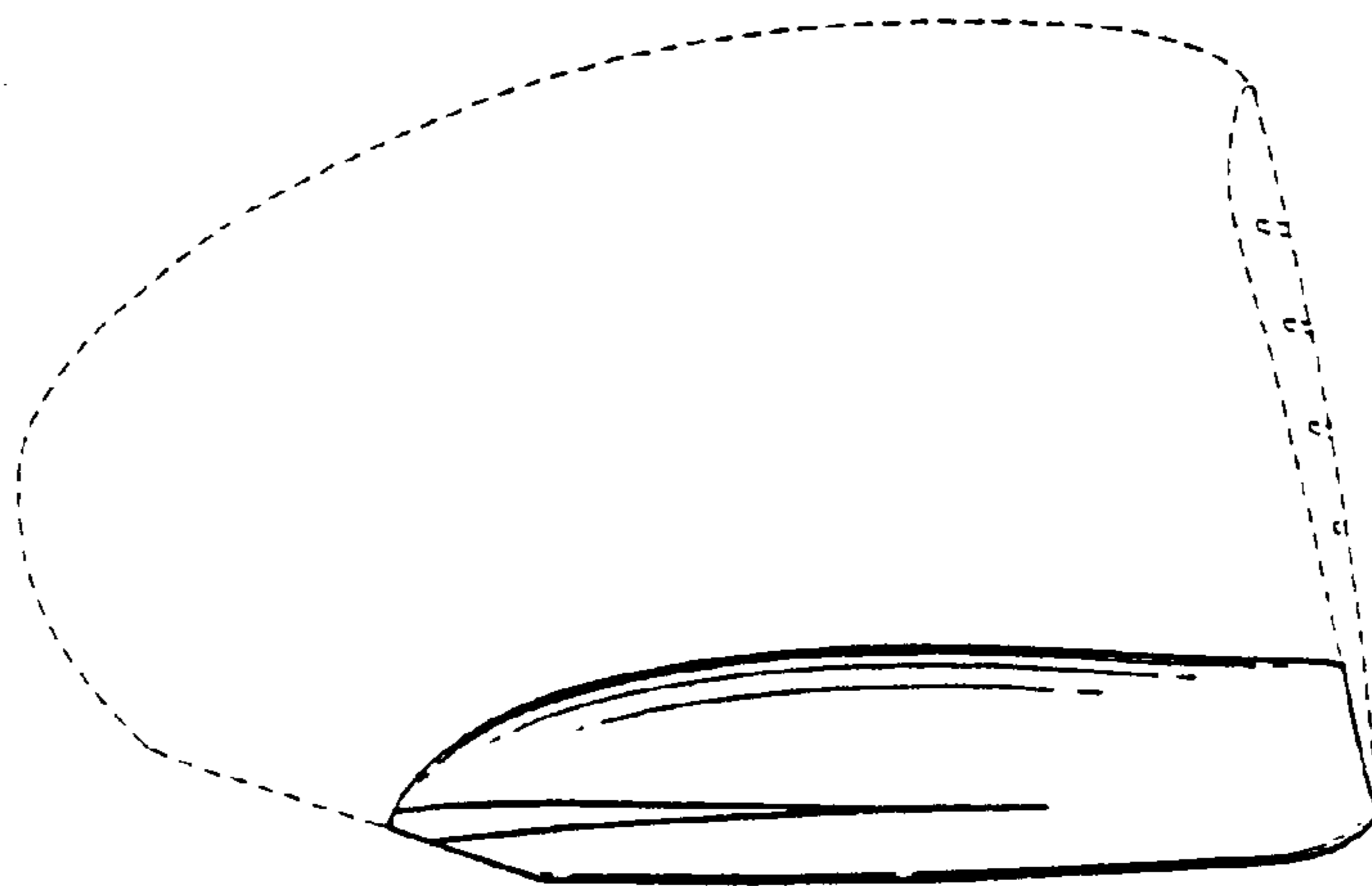


FIG. 4

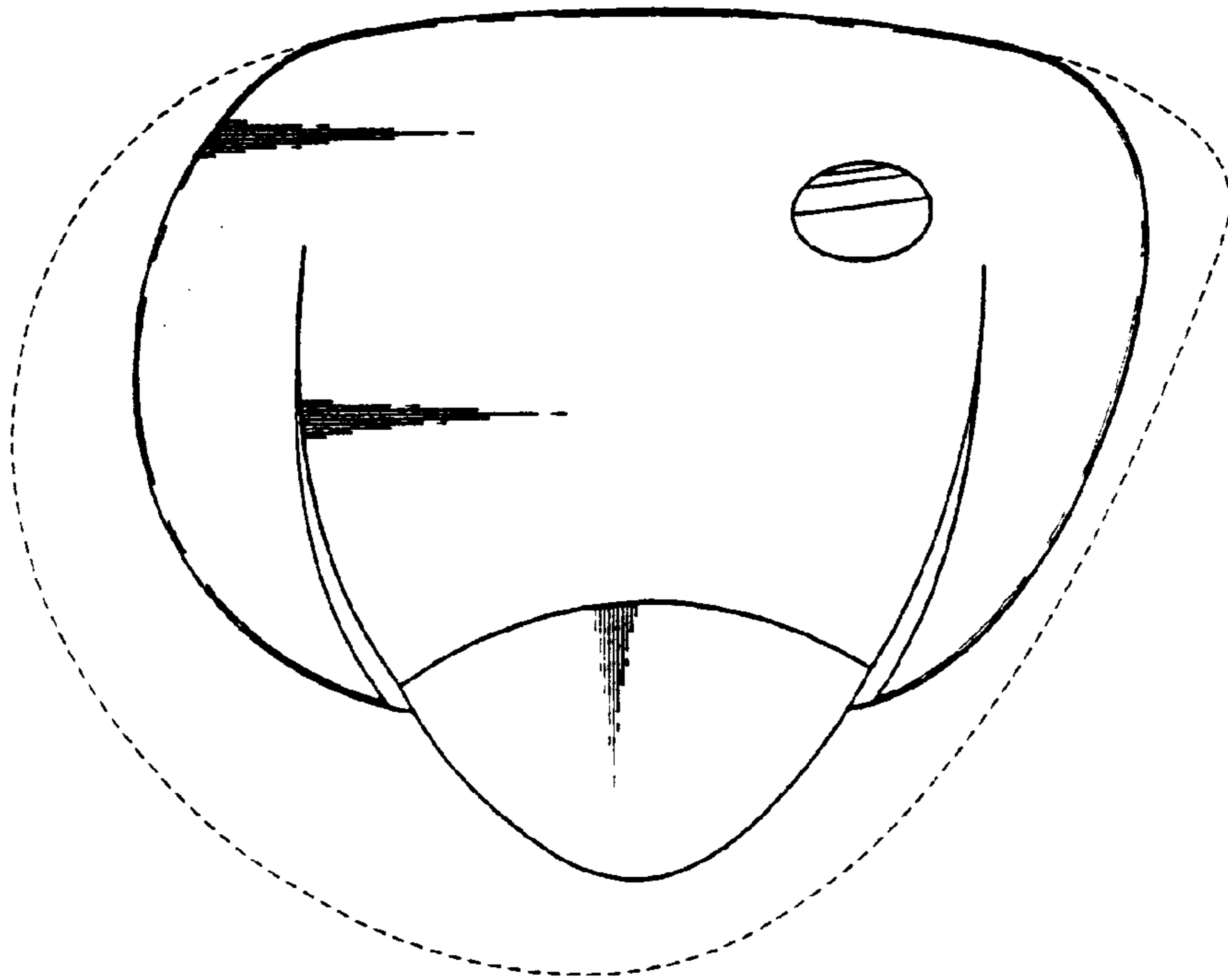


FIG. 5

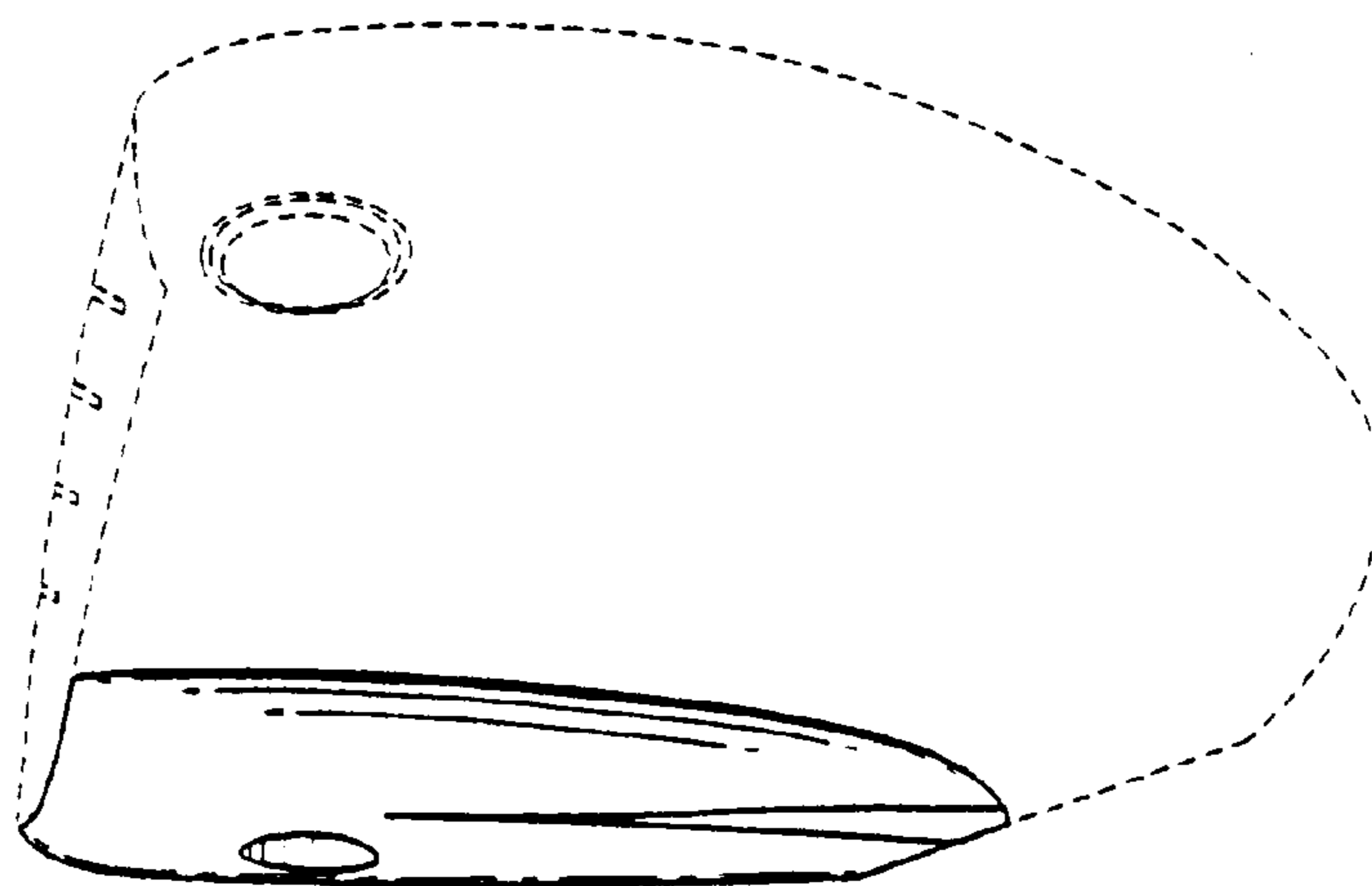


FIG. 6