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(54) **STERILIZATION CASSETTE**

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The ornamental design for a sterilization cassette, substantially as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

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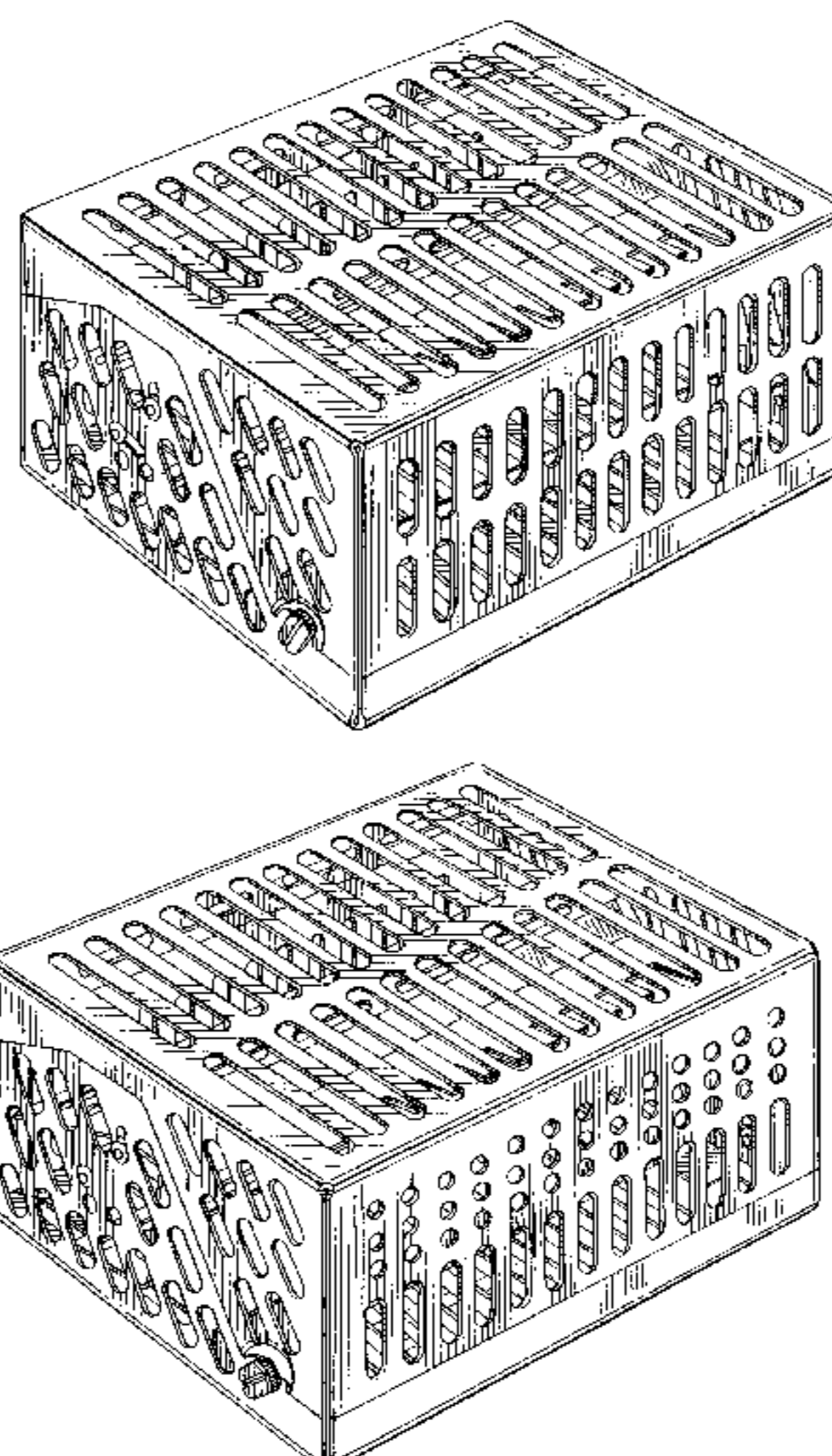
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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a cassette in accordance with the present invention;
 FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of the cassette of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 3 is a side elevational view of one end of the cassette of FIG. 1, the other end being identical;
 FIG. 4 is a top plan view of the cassette of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view of the cassette of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 6 is bottom plan view of the cassette of FIG. 1;
 FIG. 7 is a perspective view of the cassette of FIG. 1 in an open state with a first orientation;
 FIG. 8 is a perspective view of the cassette of FIG. 1 in an open state with the second orientation;
 FIG. 9 is a perspective view of an alternate embodiment of a cassette in accordance with the present invention;
 FIG. 10 is a front elevational view of the cassette of FIG. 9;
 and,
 FIG. 11 is a perspective view of the cassette of FIG. 9 in an open state.
 The side, top, rear and bottom views of the cassette of FIG. 9 are identical to those of the cassette of FIG. 1.

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FIG. 1

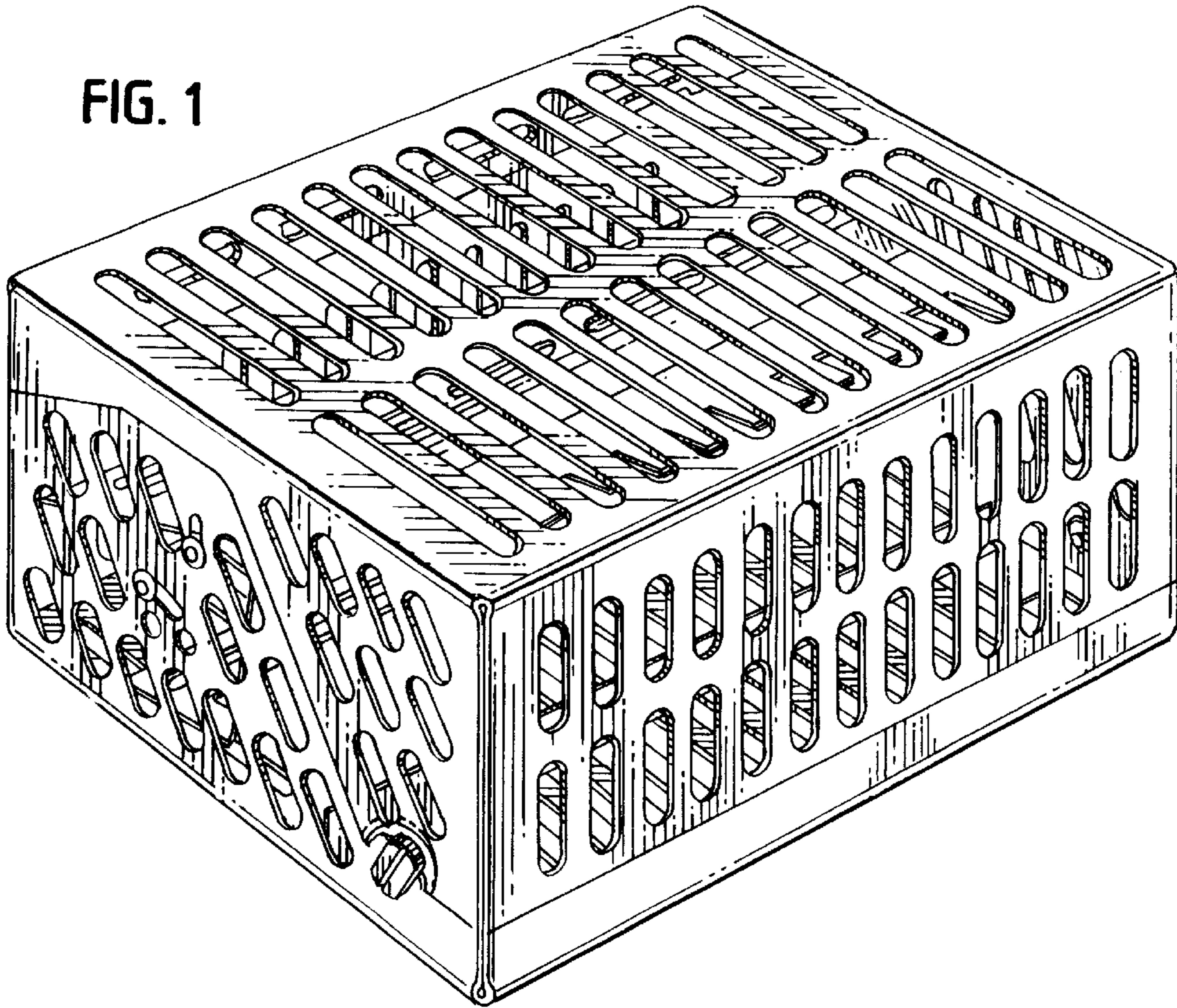


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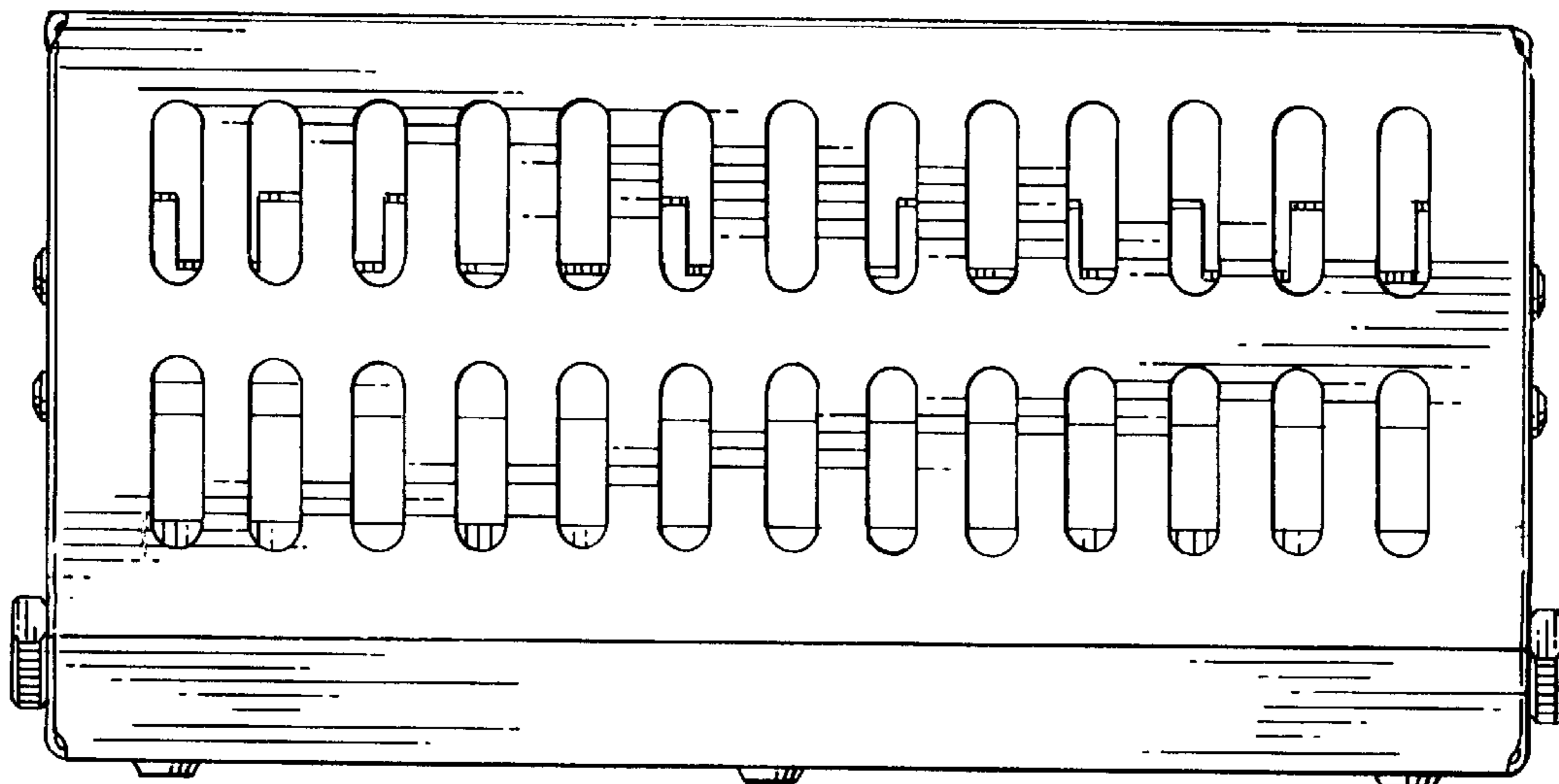


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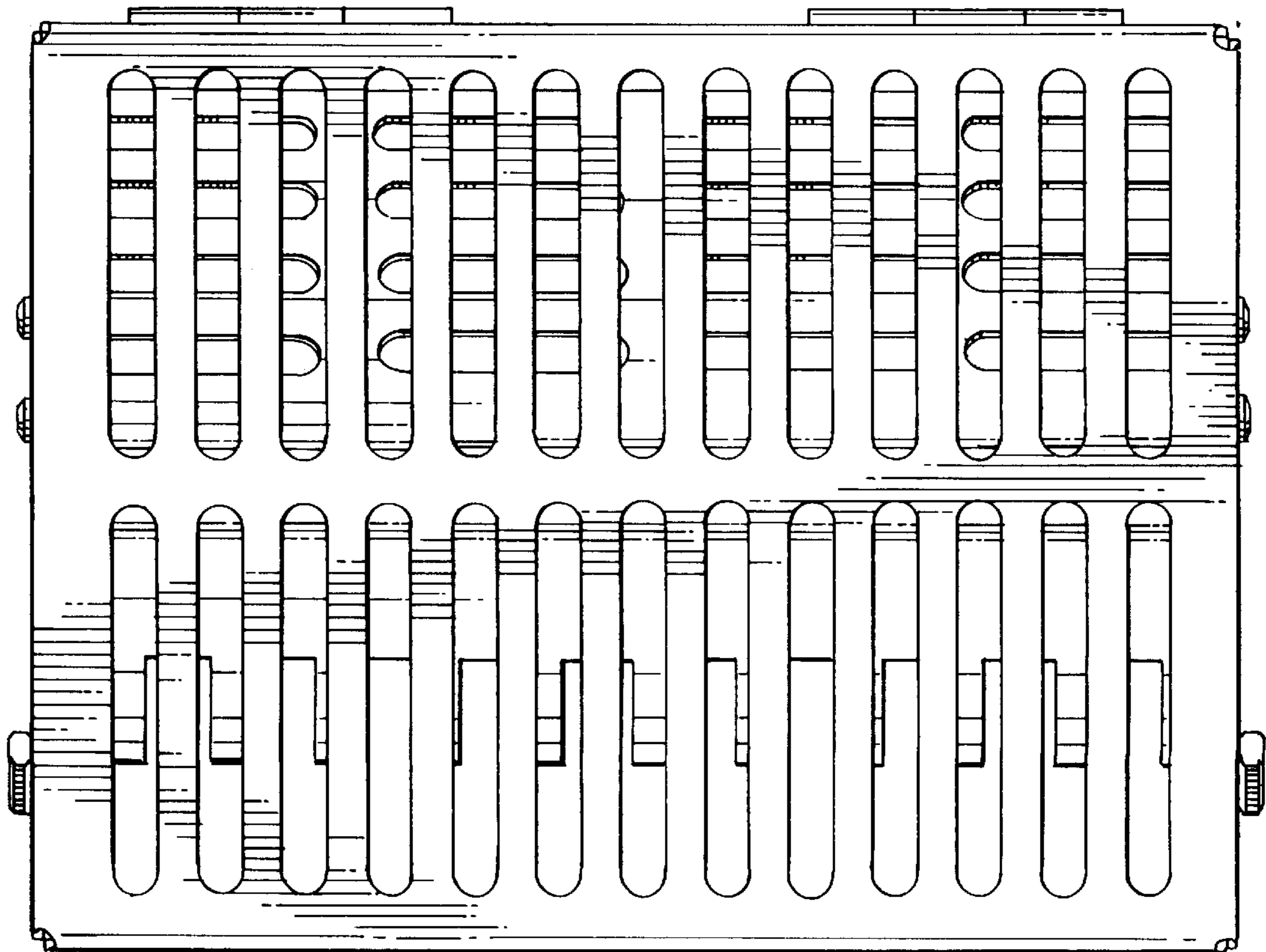
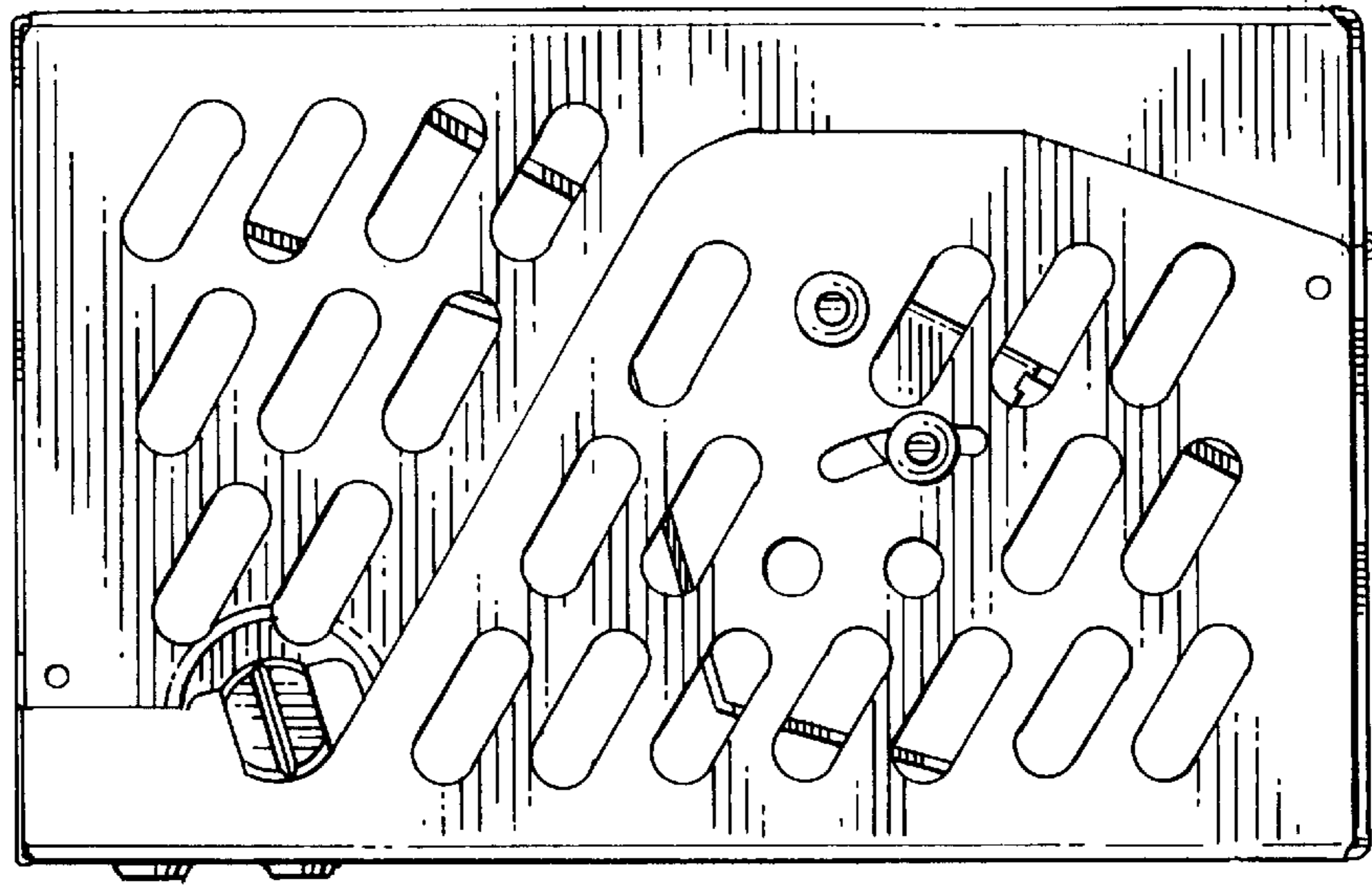


FIG. 4

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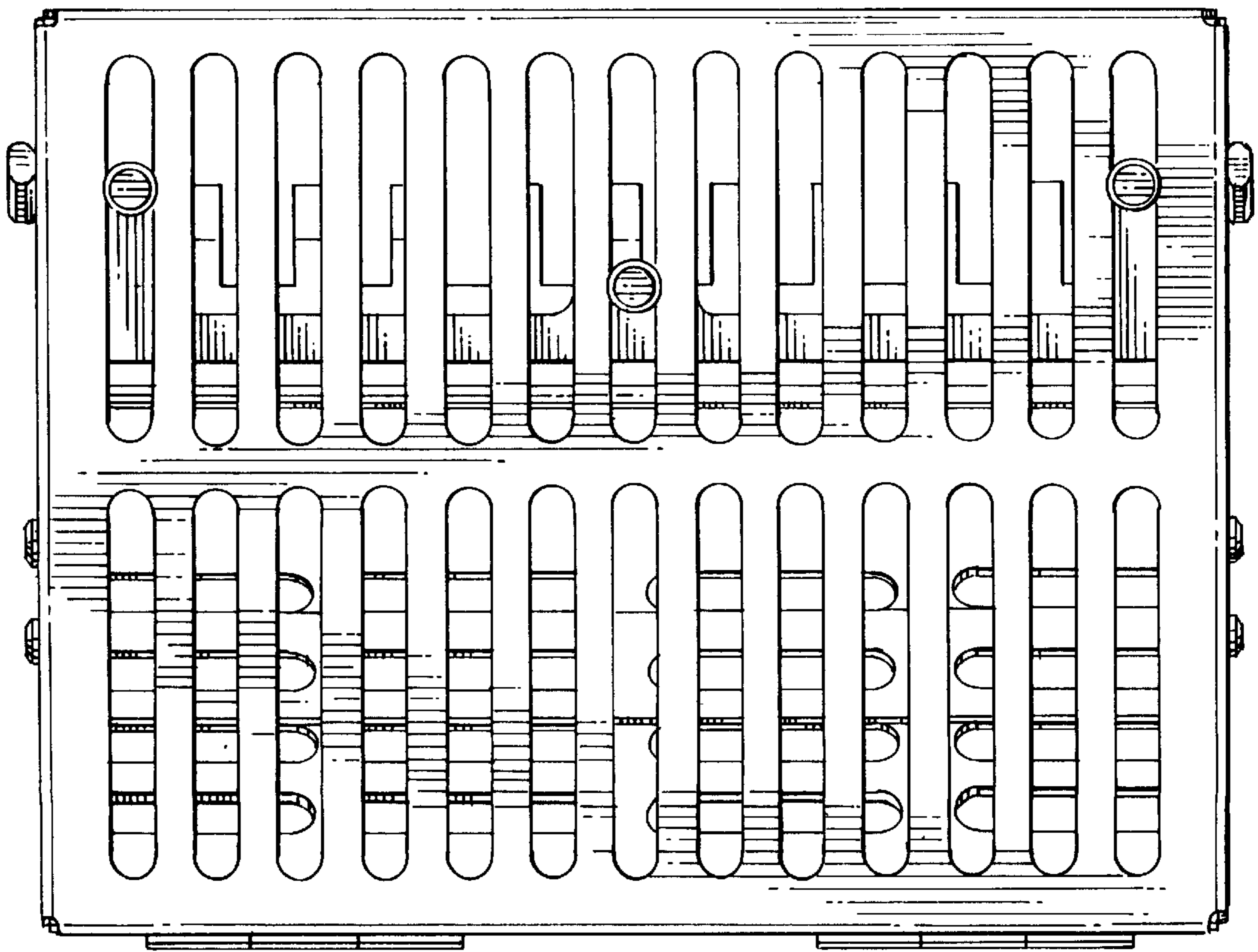
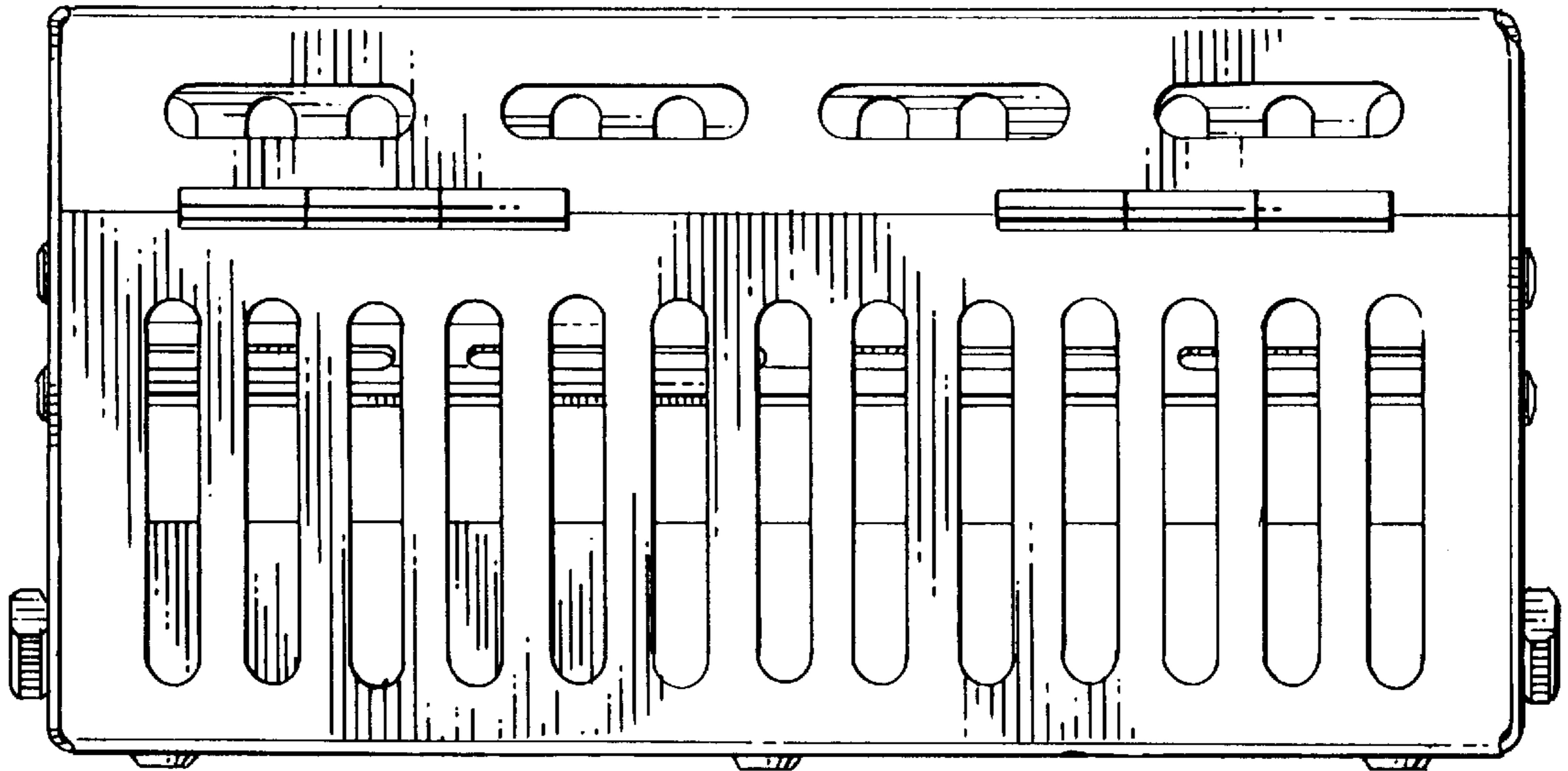


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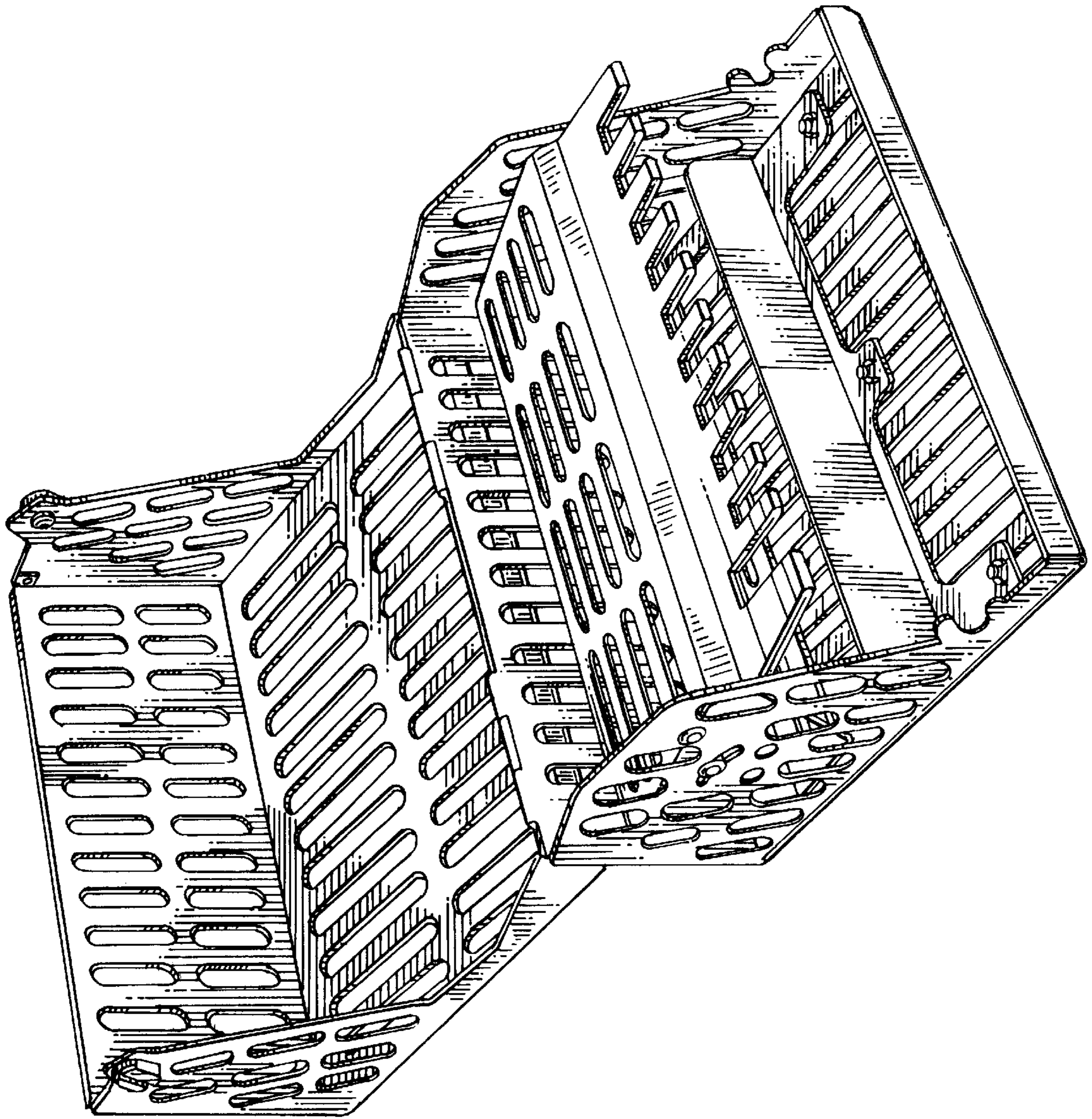


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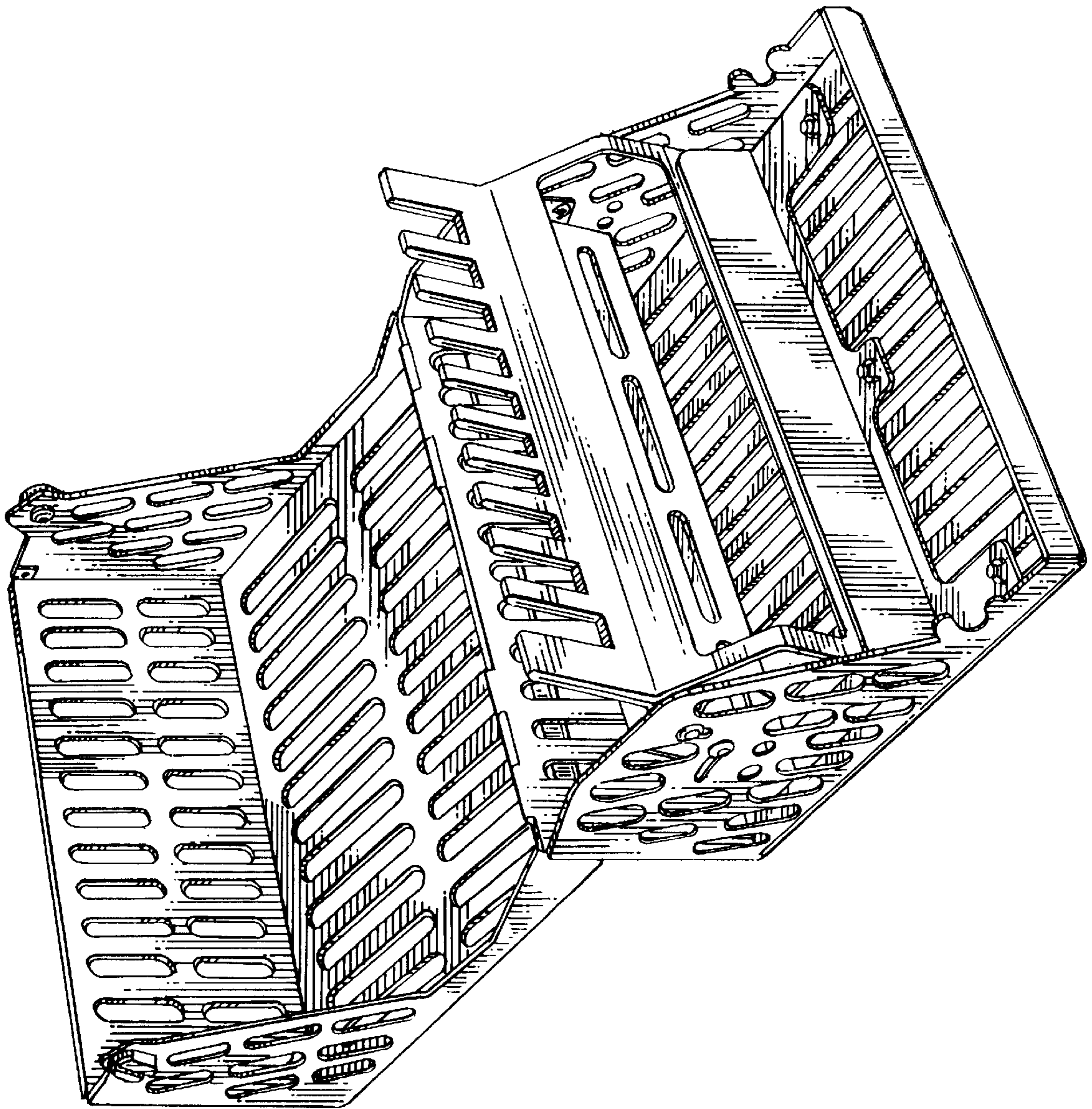


FIG. 8

FIG. 9

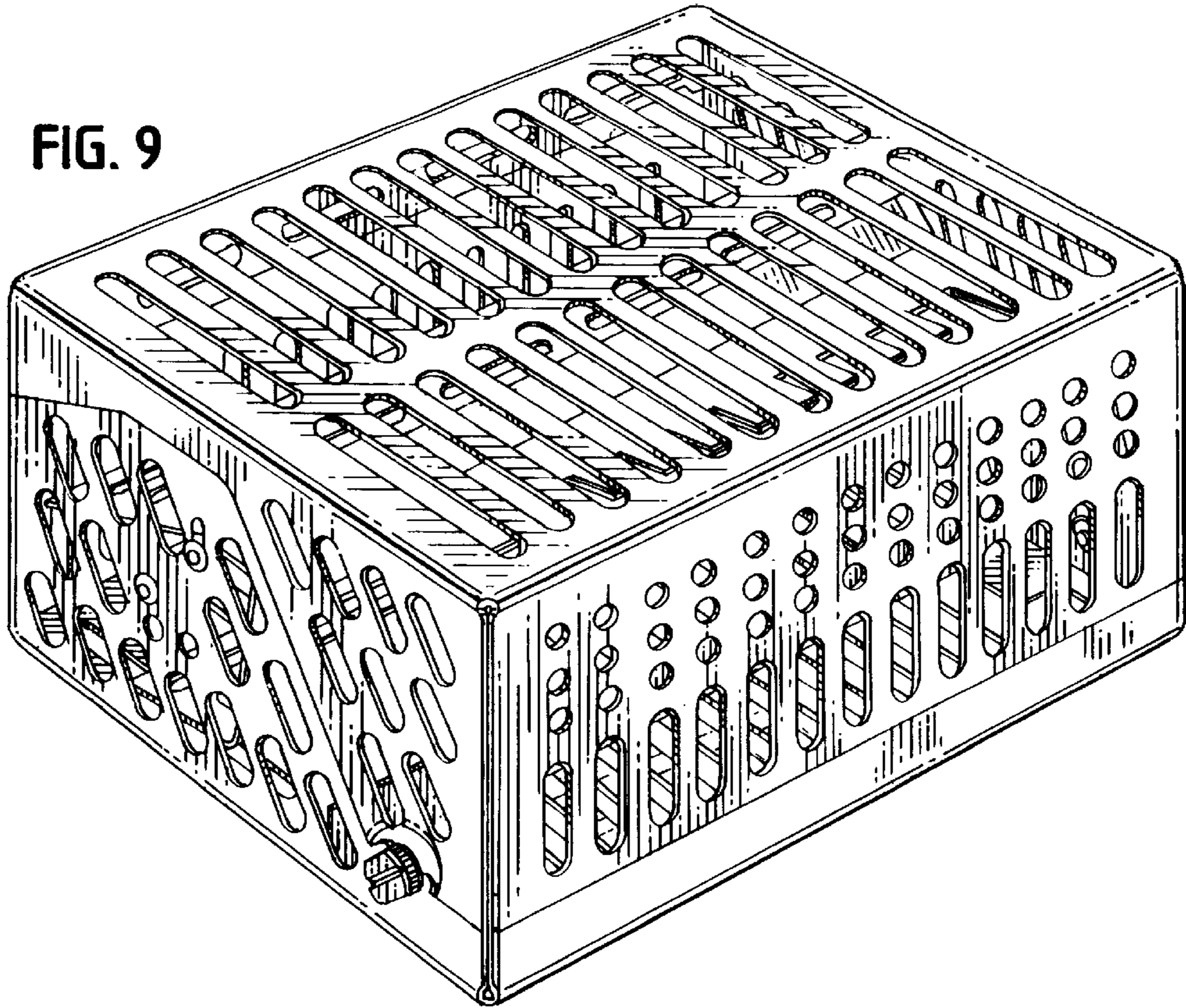
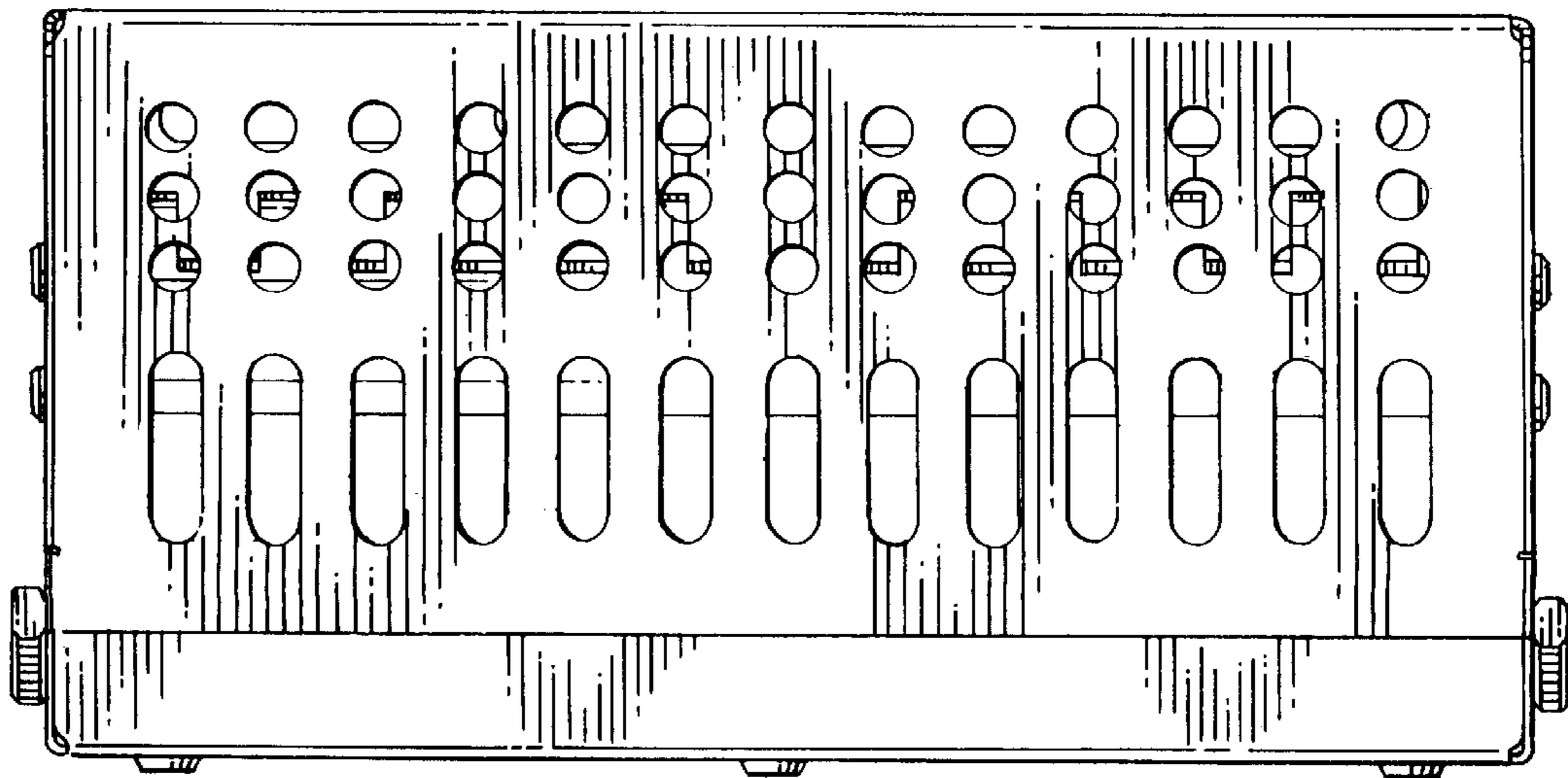


FIG. 10



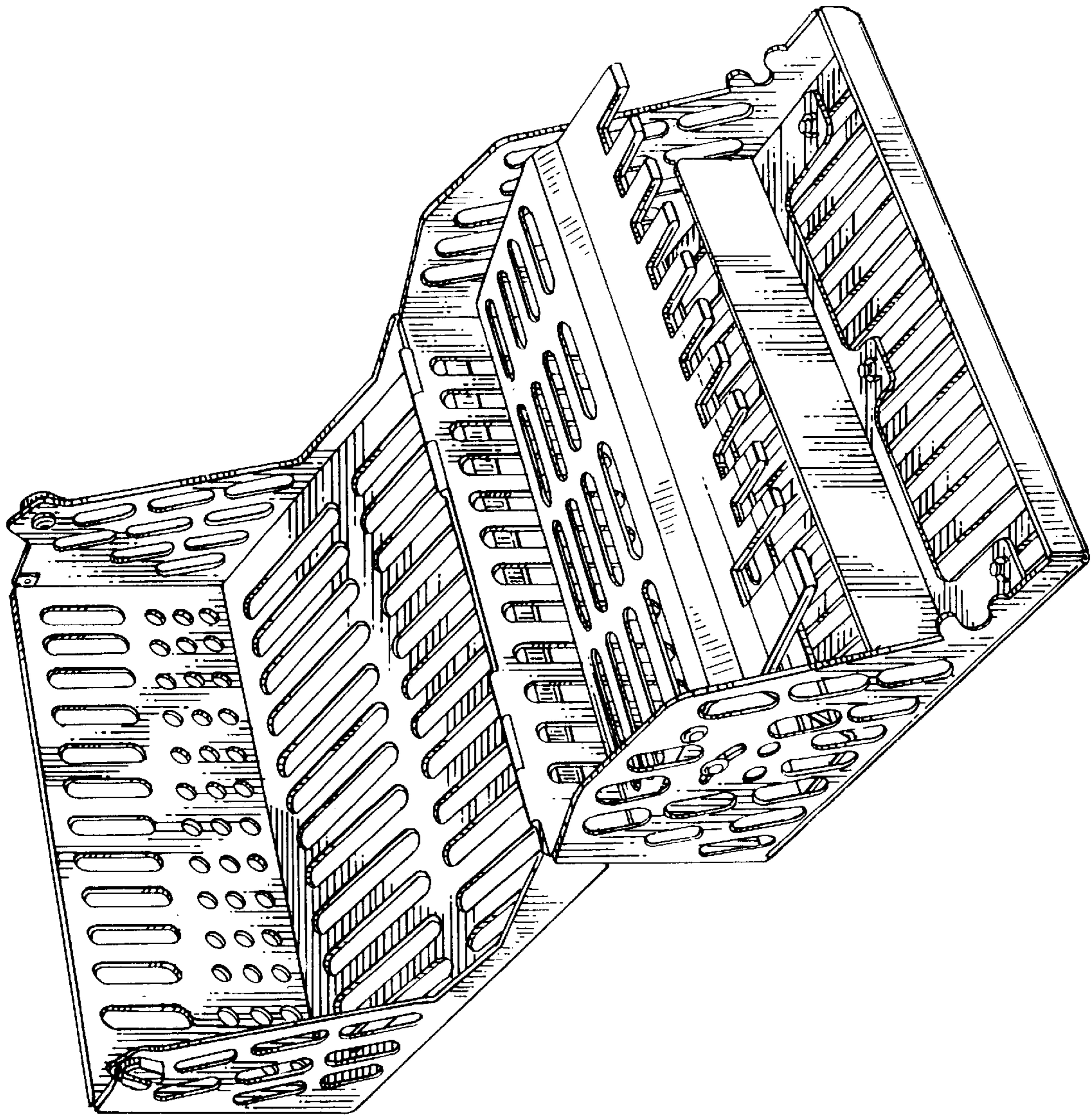


FIG. 11