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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a building element, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the present invention;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

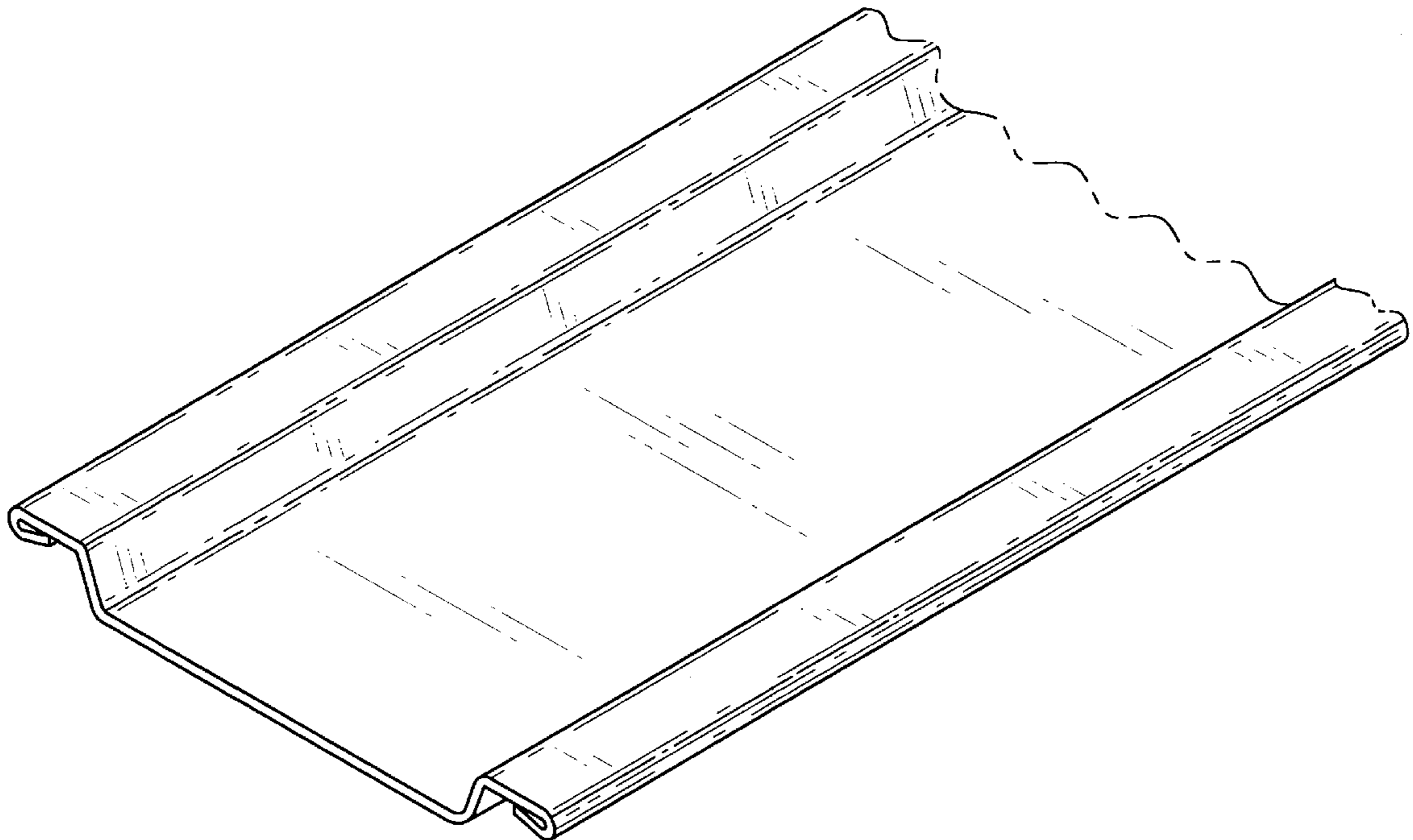
FIG. 3 is a top view thereof;

FIG. 4 is an underside view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is a side view thereof.

The building element has been broken on the end indicating indefinite length.

1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets



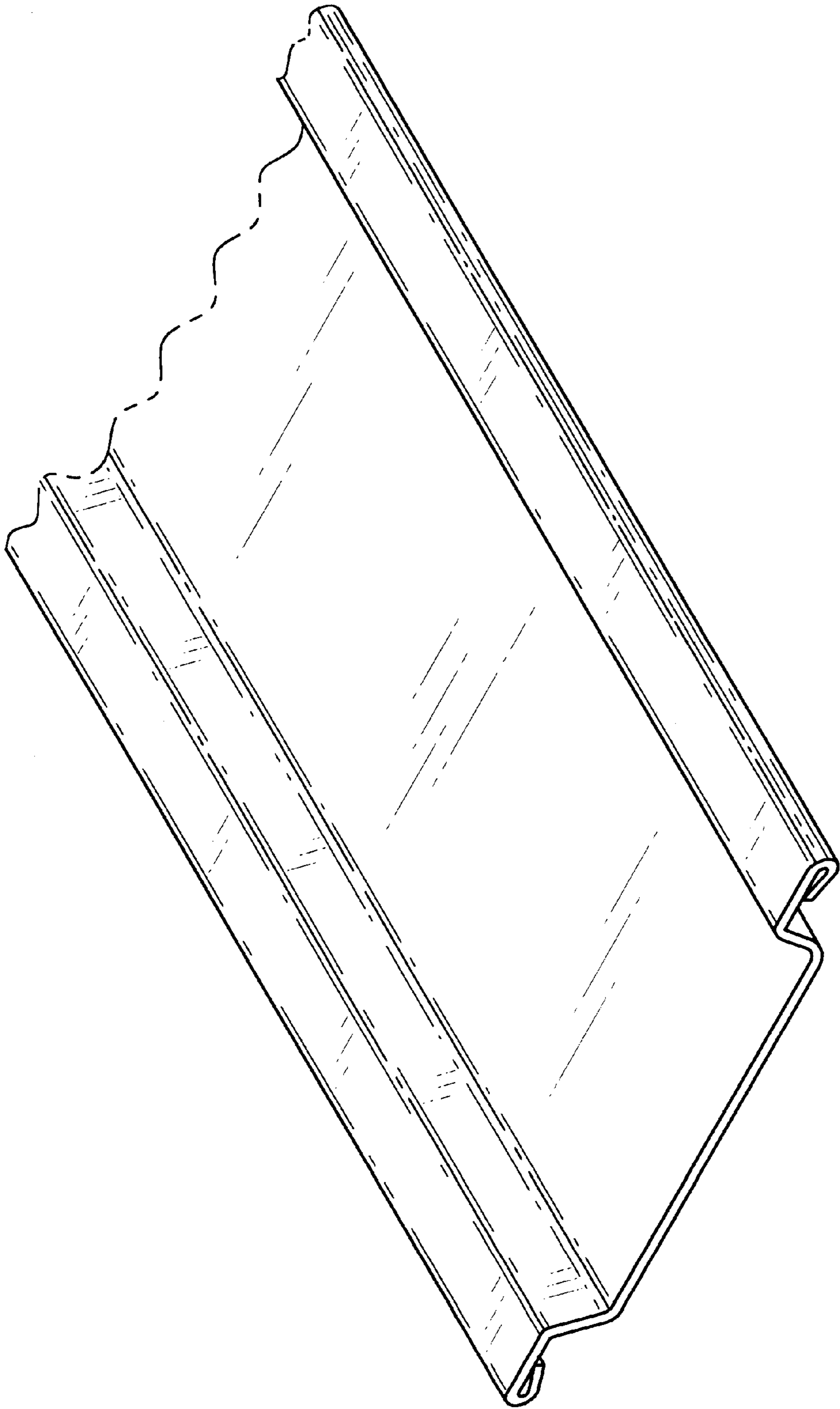


FIG. 1



FIG. 2

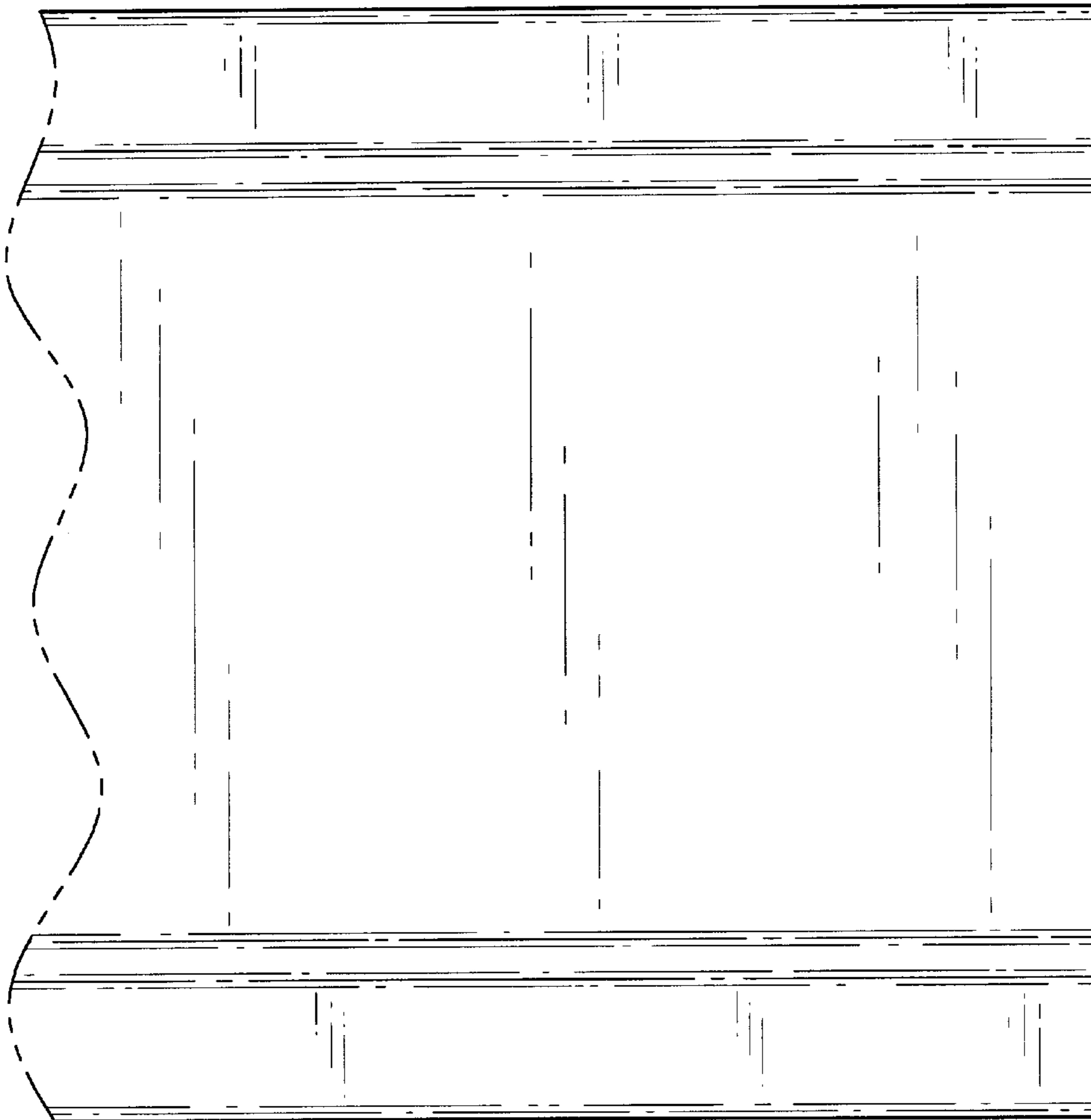


FIG. 3

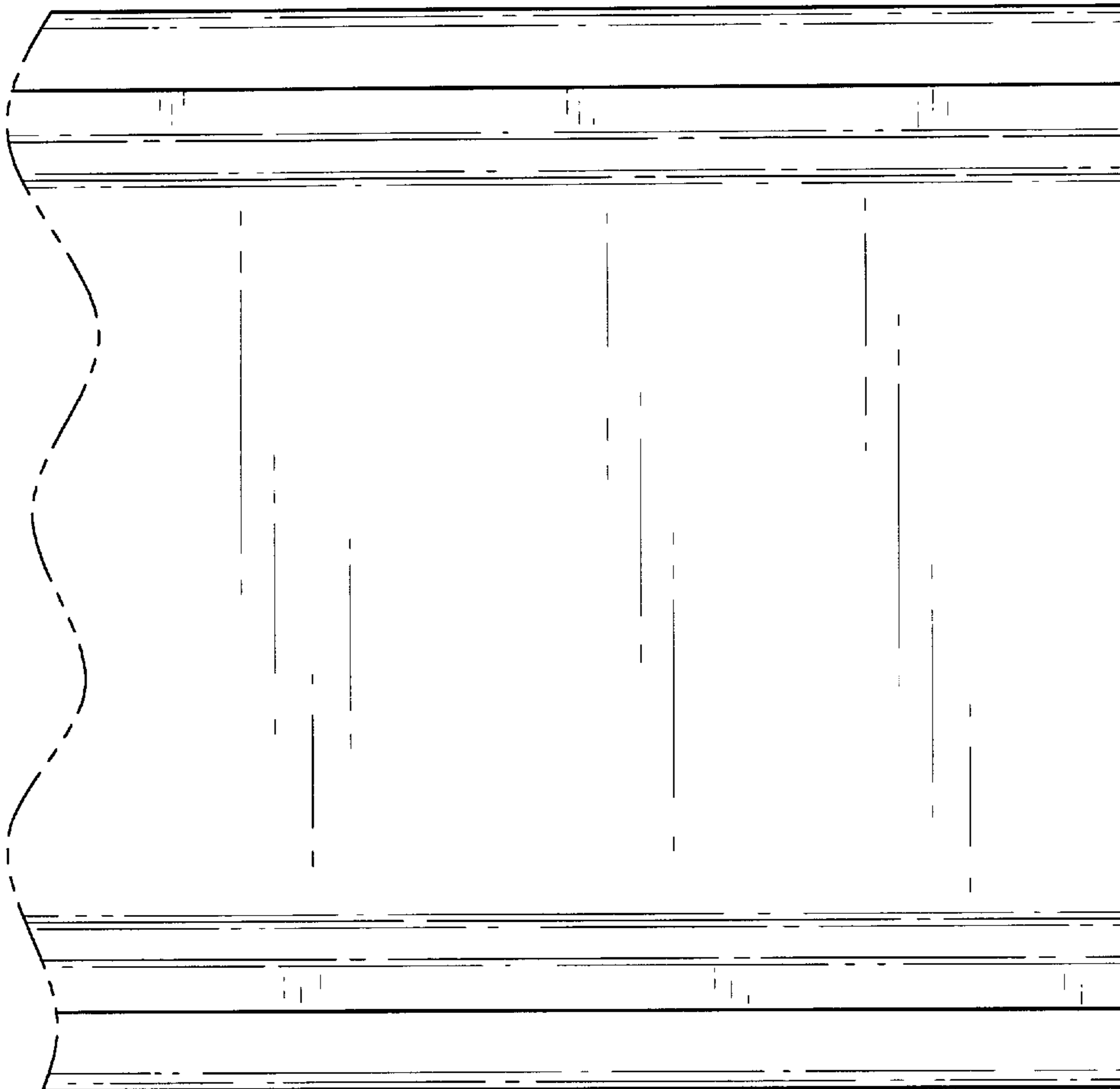


FIG. 4

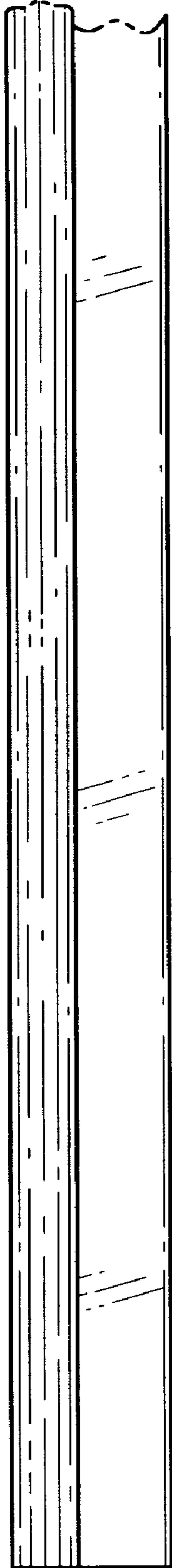


FIG. 5