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(54) **SOCK HOLDER**

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(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for a sock holder, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a sock holder embodying the present invention.

FIG. 2 is a front view of the sock holder illustrated in FIG. 1; and,

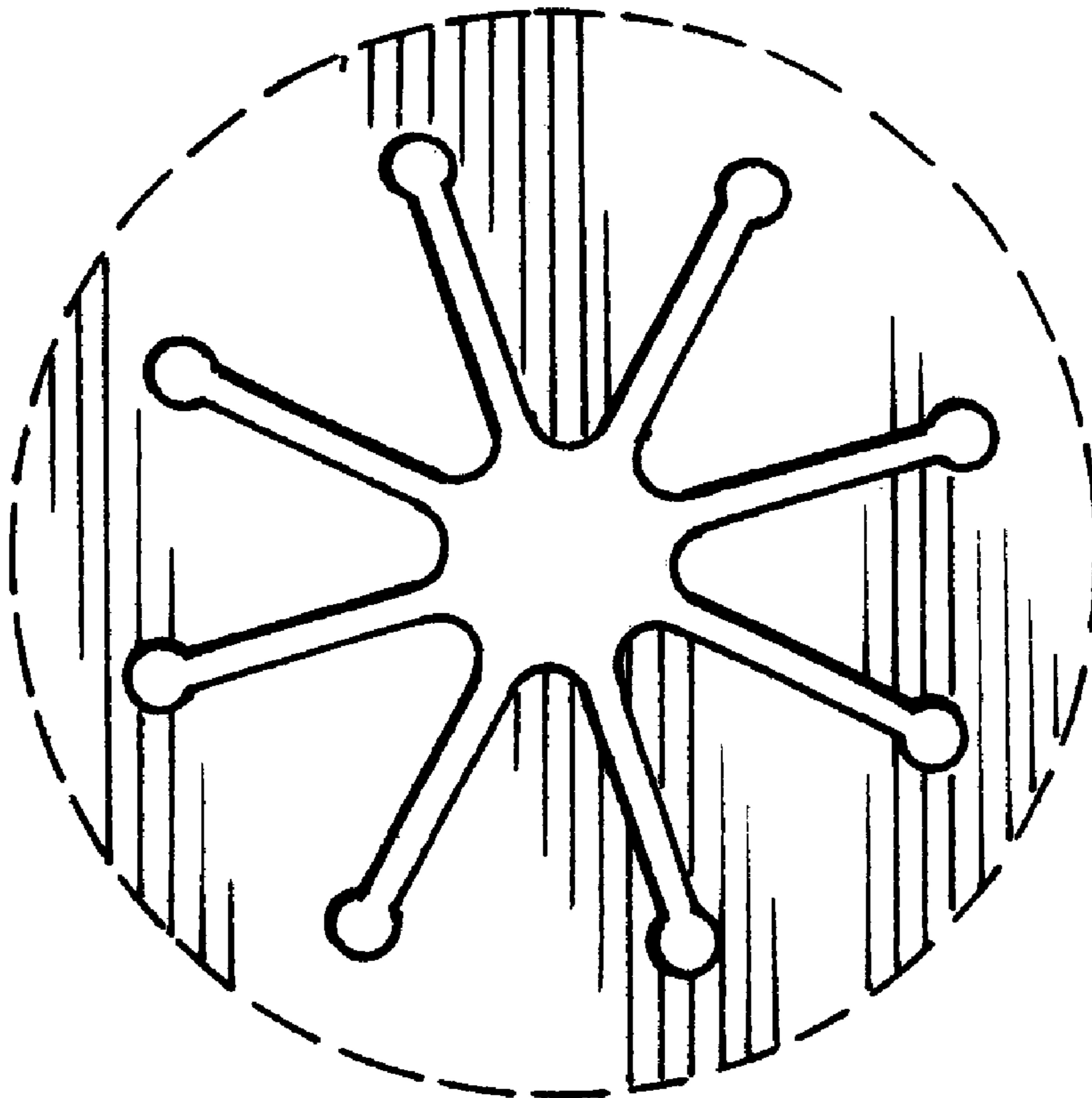
FIG. 3 is a front perspective view of the sock holder illustrated in FIG. 1 with a pair socks secured by the sock holder.

The present application is directed to the design illustrated in the drawings. The other features of the drawings, such as the outside shape, are not considered part of the design sought to be patented, and have accordingly been shown in broken lines.

The rear view of the sock holder is a mirror image of the front view.

The design sought to be patented is not clearly visible in the left, right, top and bottom view. Accordingly, this view has been omitted.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



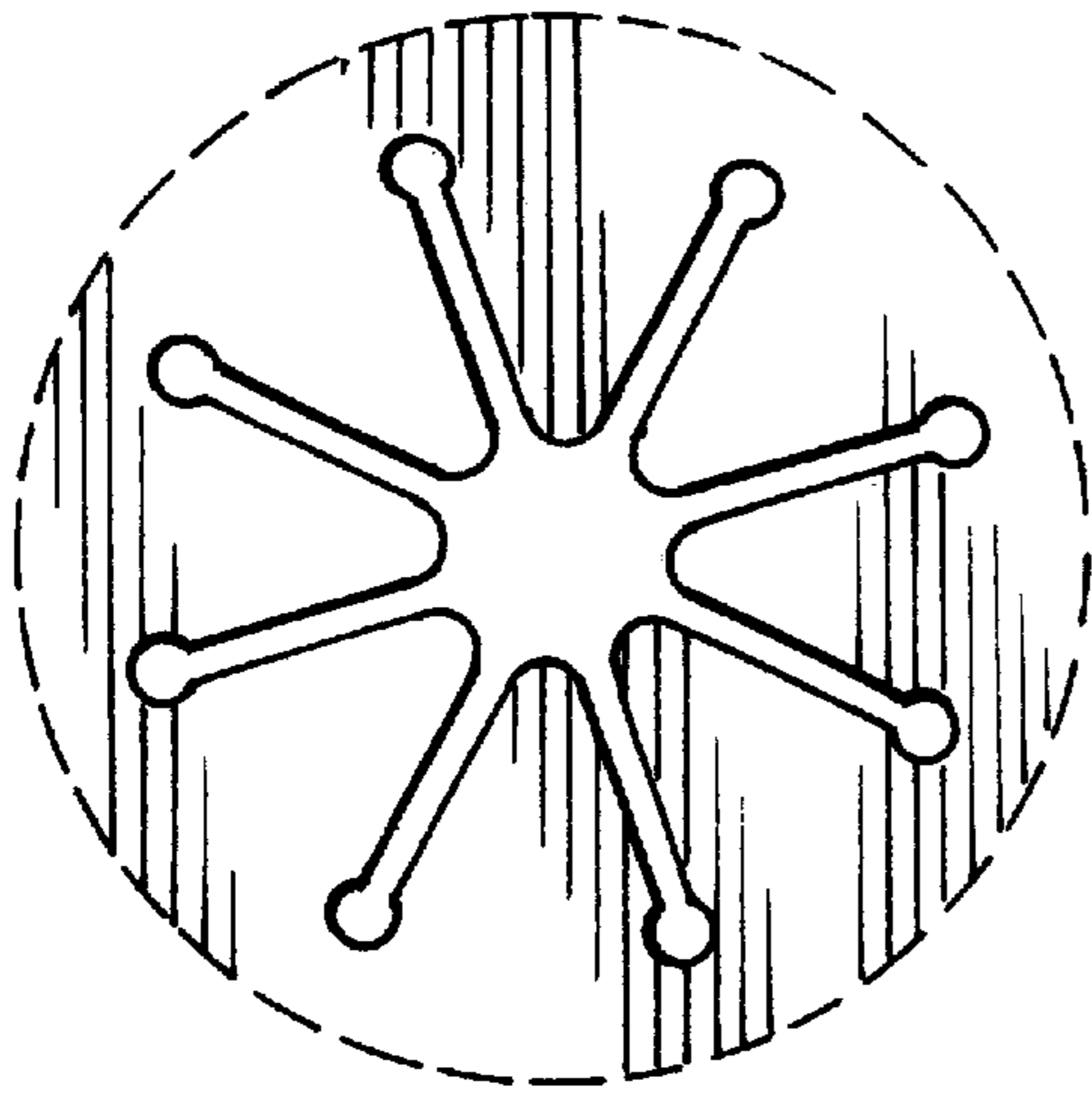


Fig. 2.

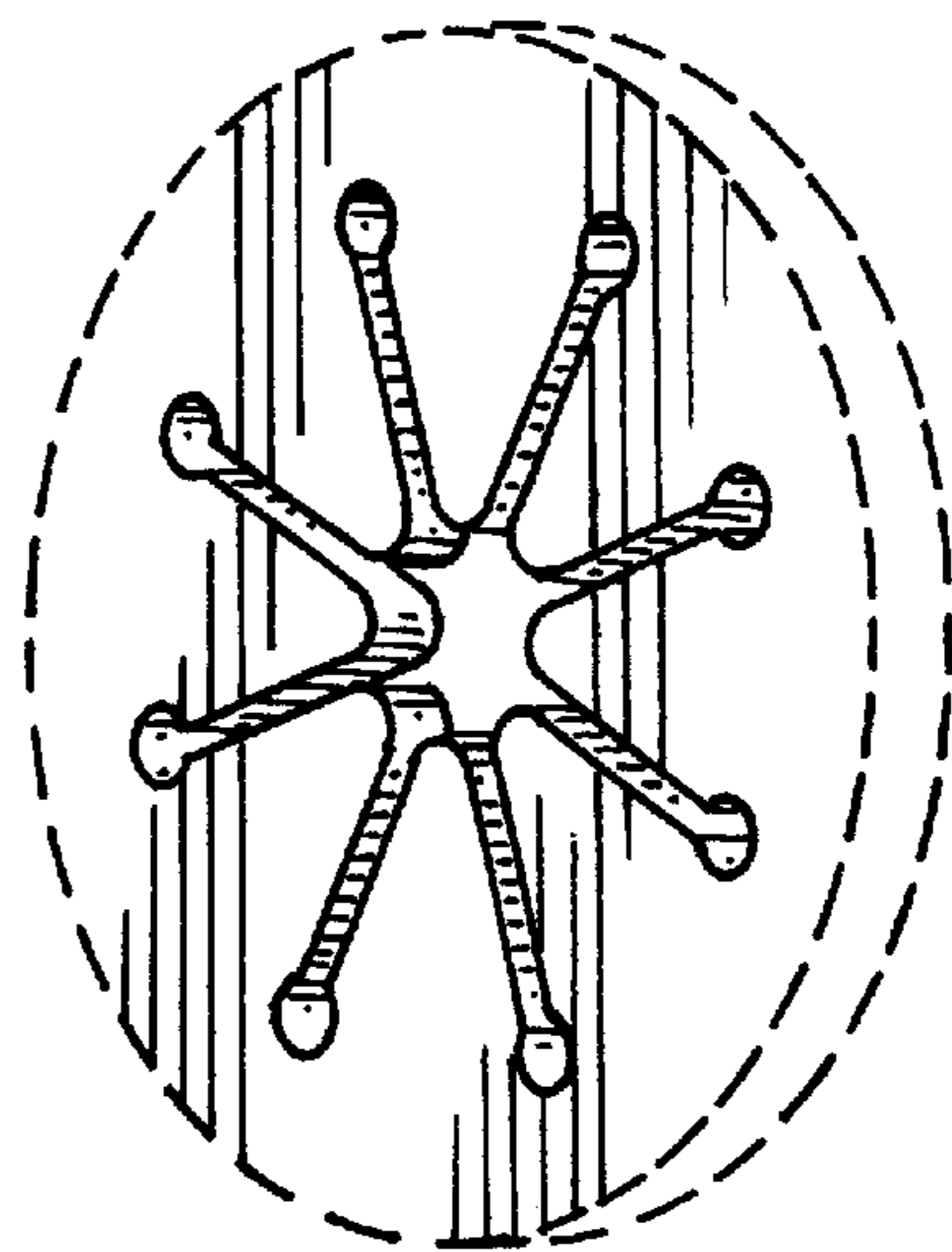


Fig. 1.

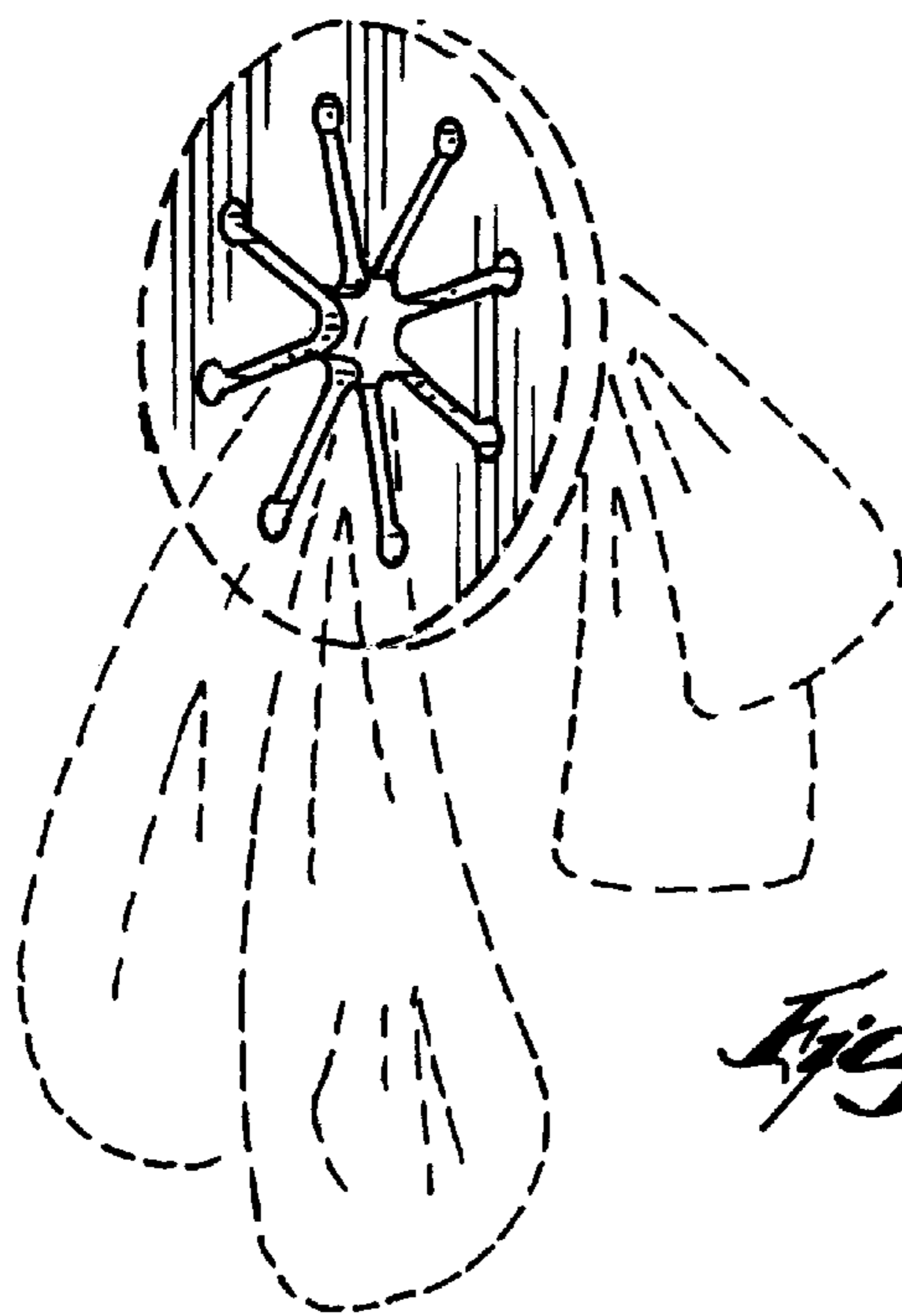


Fig. 3.