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(54) **GENERAL PURPOSE ENVELOPE**

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The ornamental design for a general purpose envelope, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a rear view of the general purpose envelope with flap closed and string for tearing open along dotted line showing my design;

FIG. 2. is a rear view of the general purpose envelope with flap open and showing covers for first adhesive strip and second adhesive strip for resealing envelope;

FIG. 3 is a front view of the general purpose envelope with flap closed thereof;

FIG. 4 is front view of the general purpose envelope with flap open thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left side view of the general purpose envelope with flap open thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a right side view of the general purpose envelope with flap open thereof.

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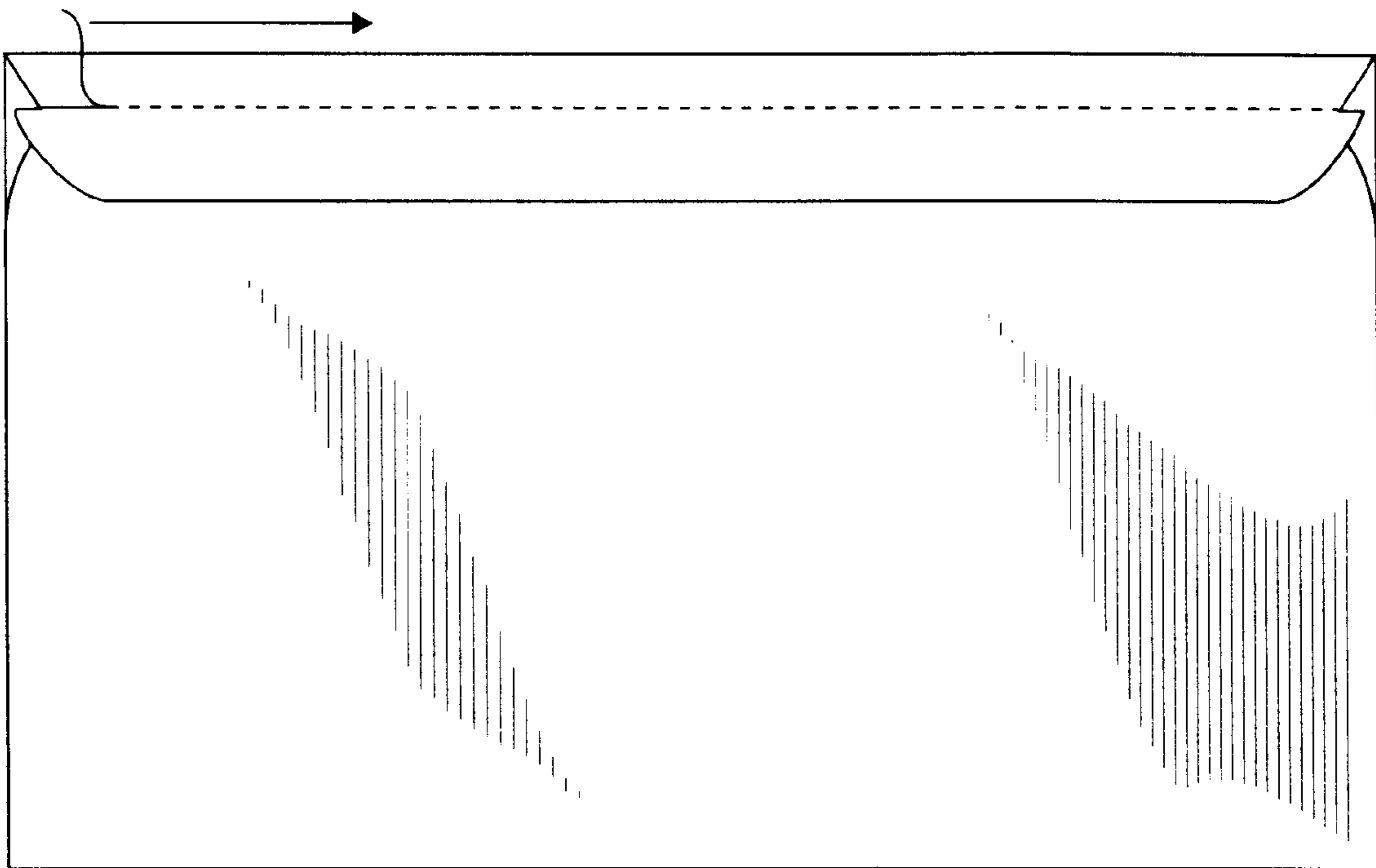


FIG. 1

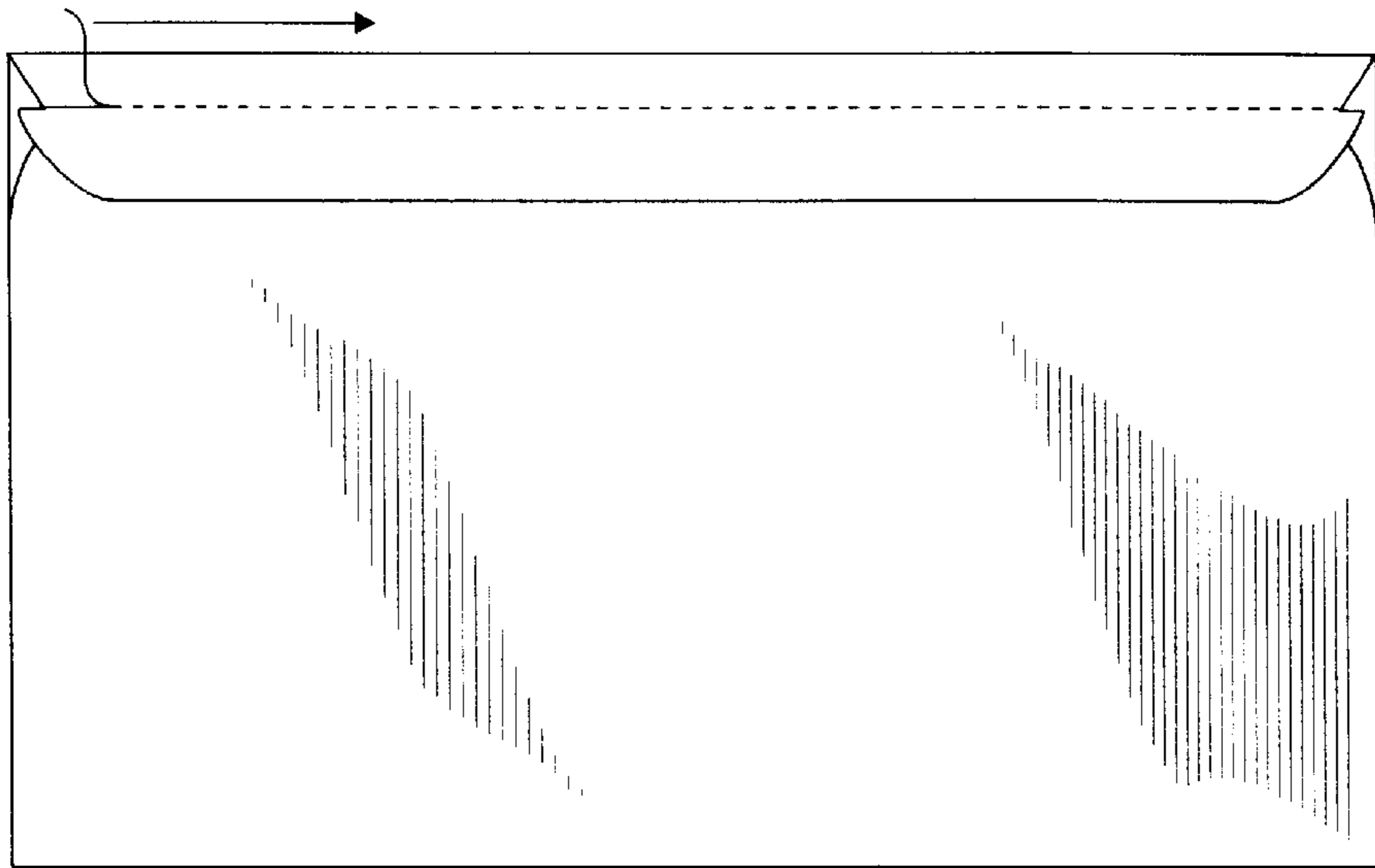


FIG. 2

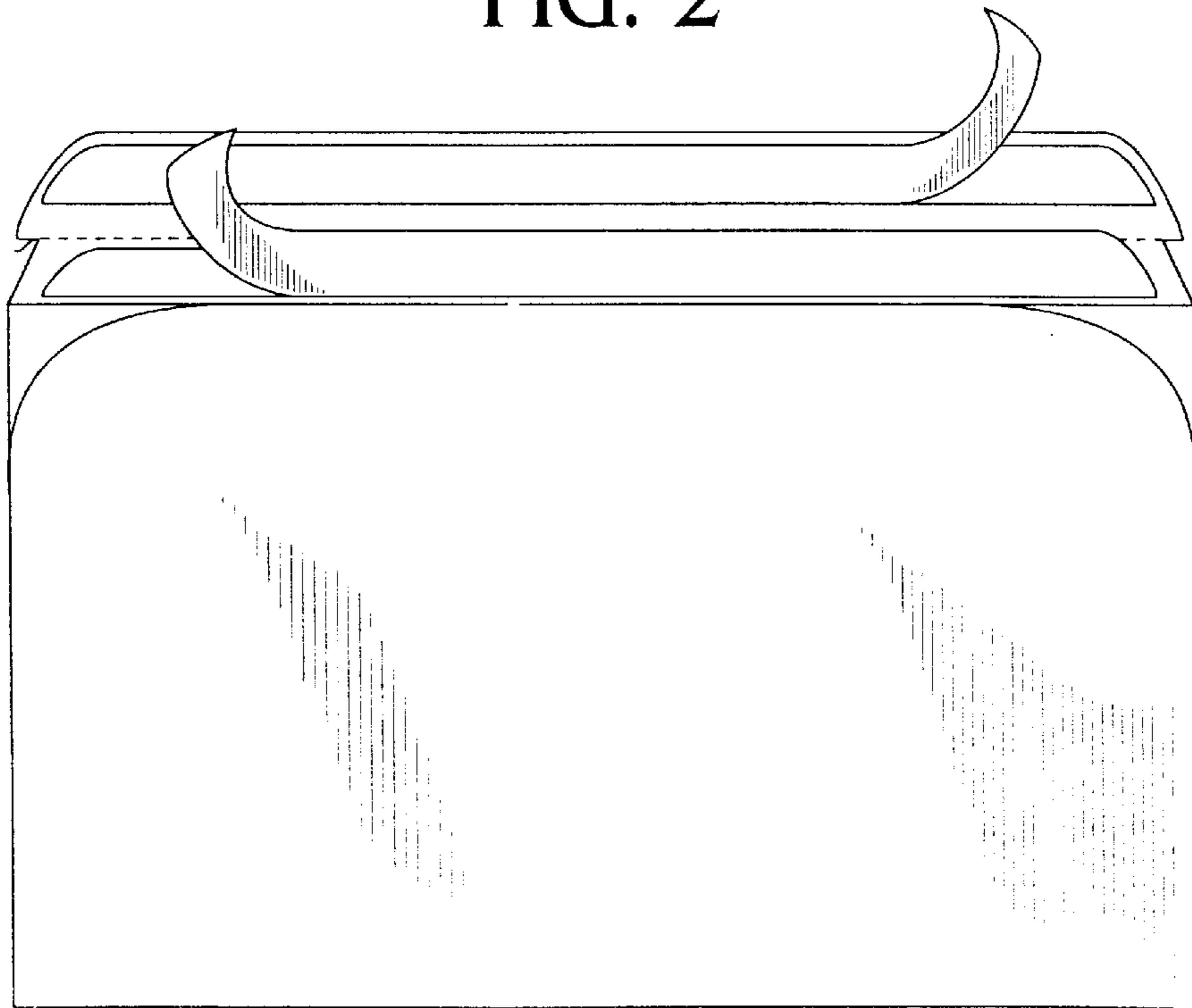


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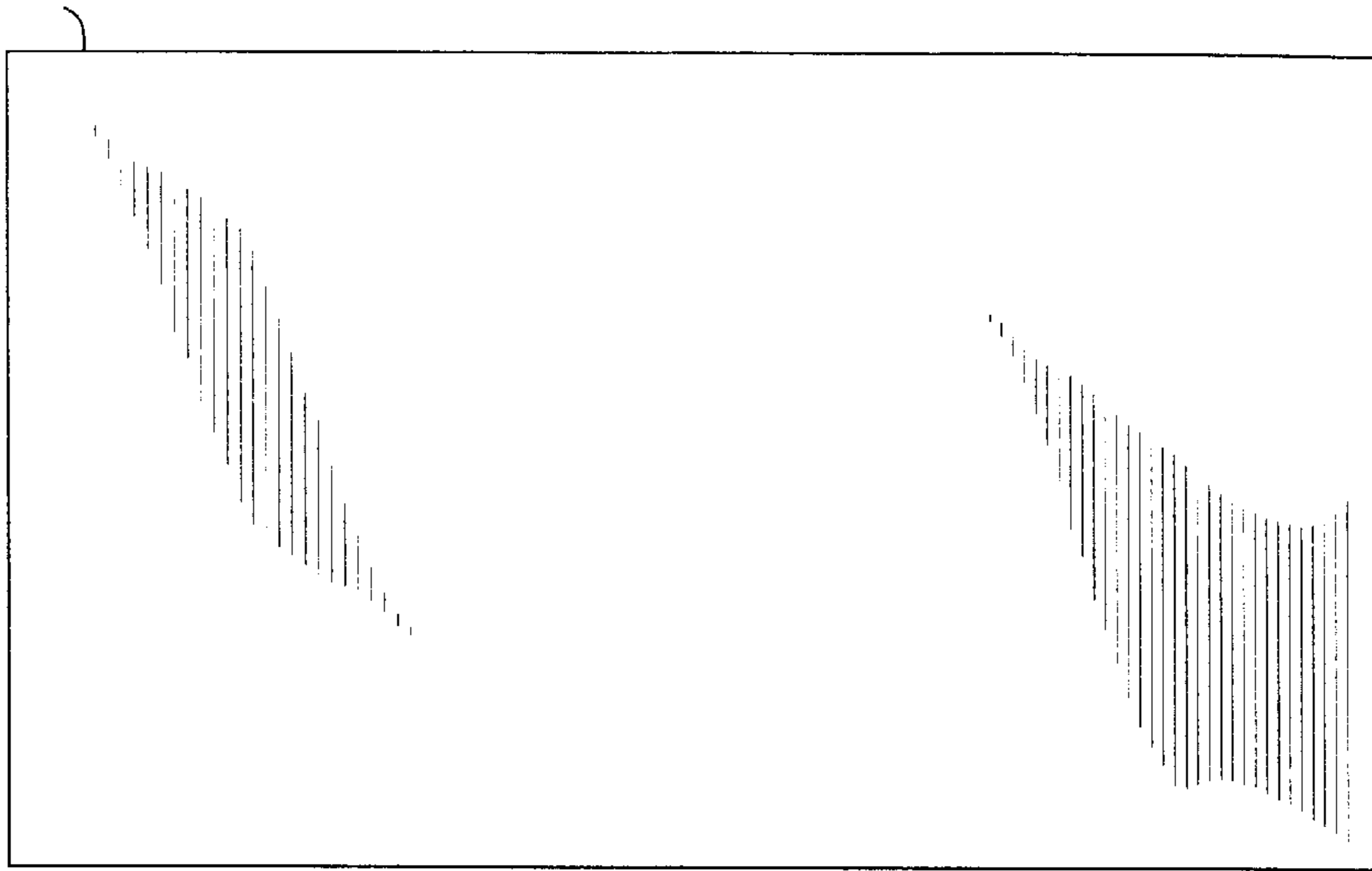


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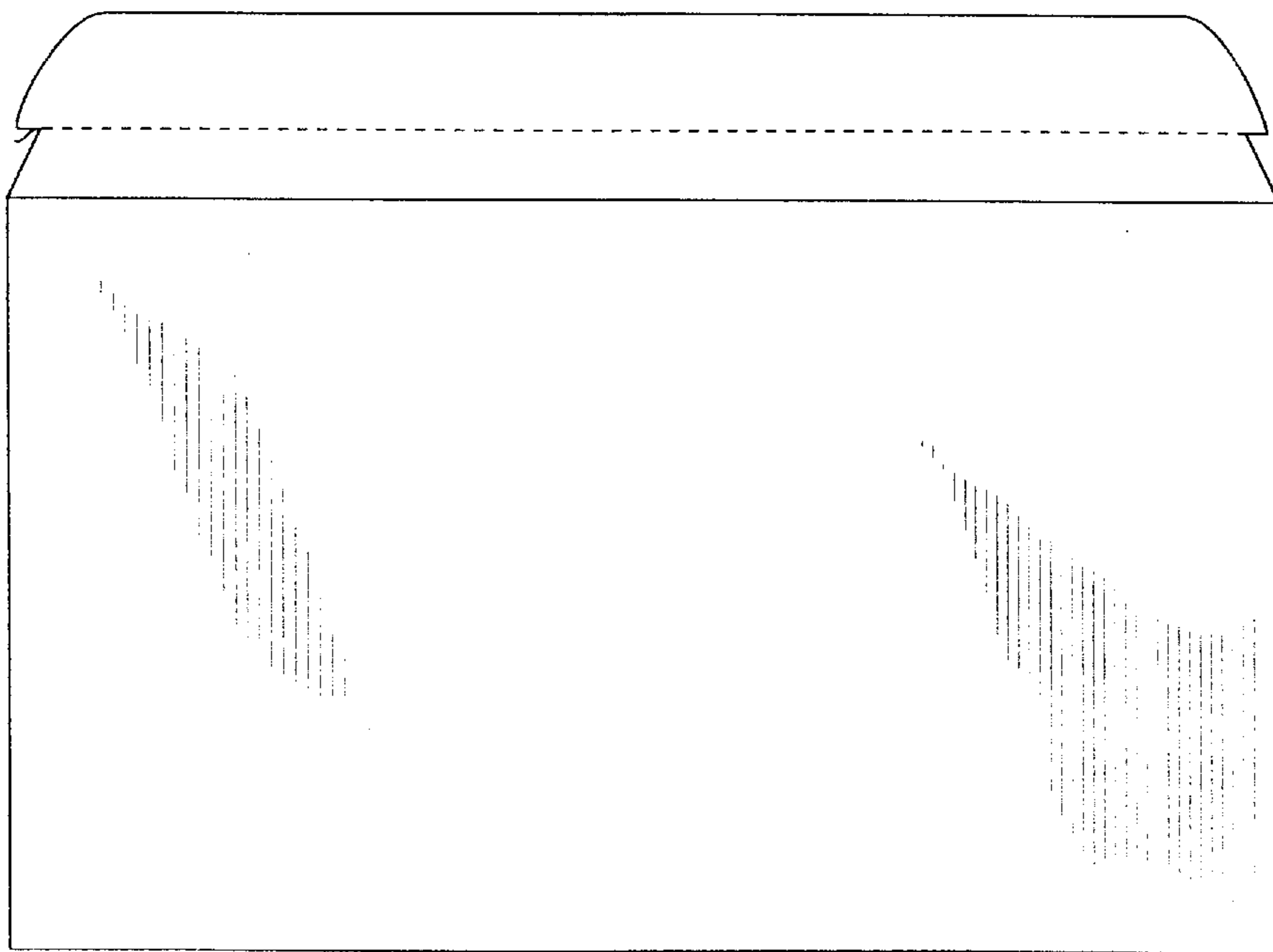


FIG. 5

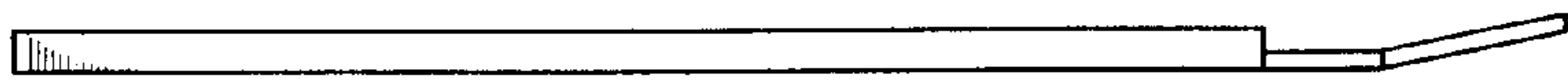


FIG. 6

