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(57) **CLAIM**

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I claim the ornamental design for a footwear upper portion, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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138, 45, 50.1

FIG. 1 is a perspective view, from the front and right side, of a footwear upper portion, showing my new design.

FIG. 2 is a right side view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a top view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a front end view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a rear end view thereof.

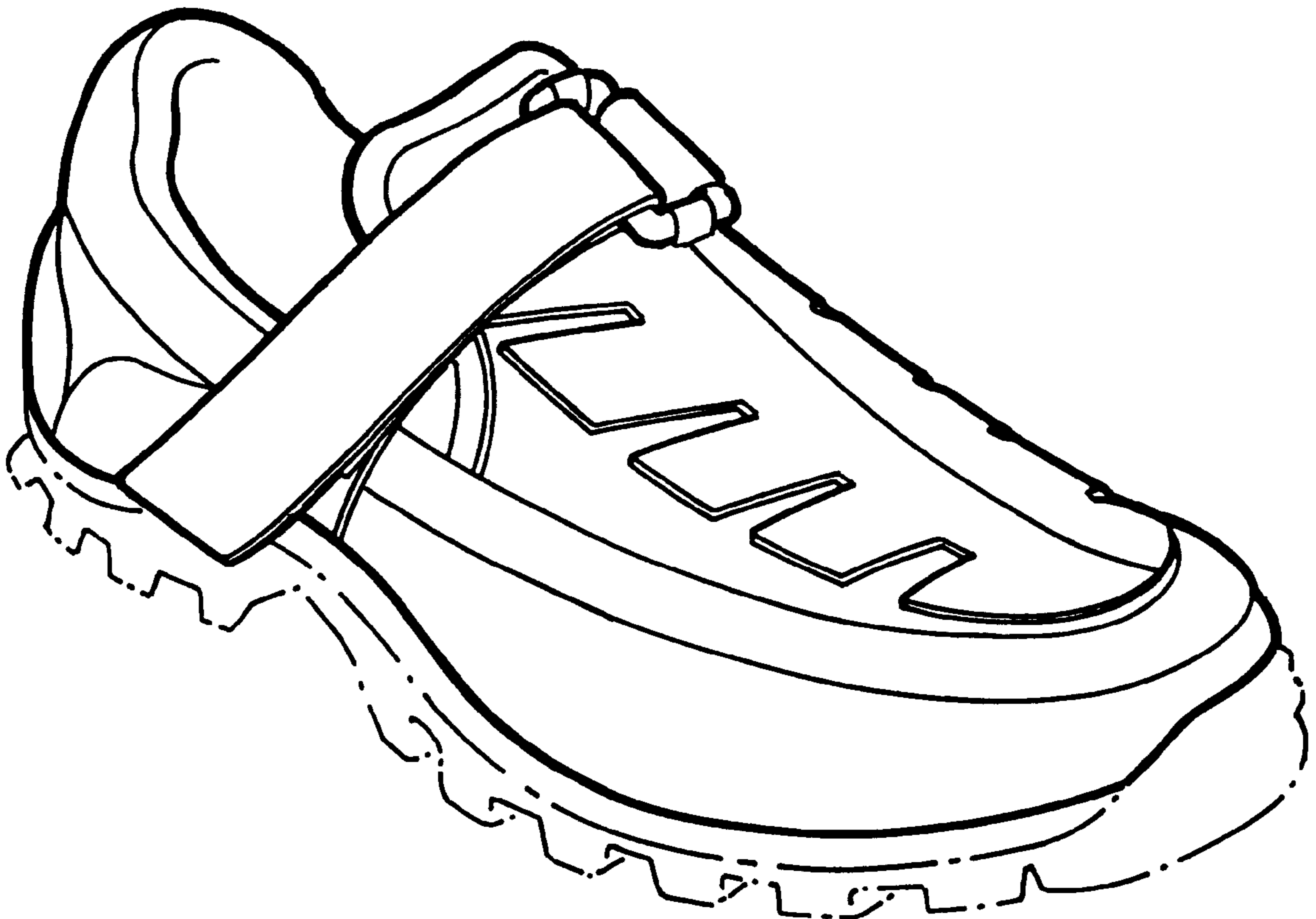
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The broken line showing of the footwear lower portion in the figures is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



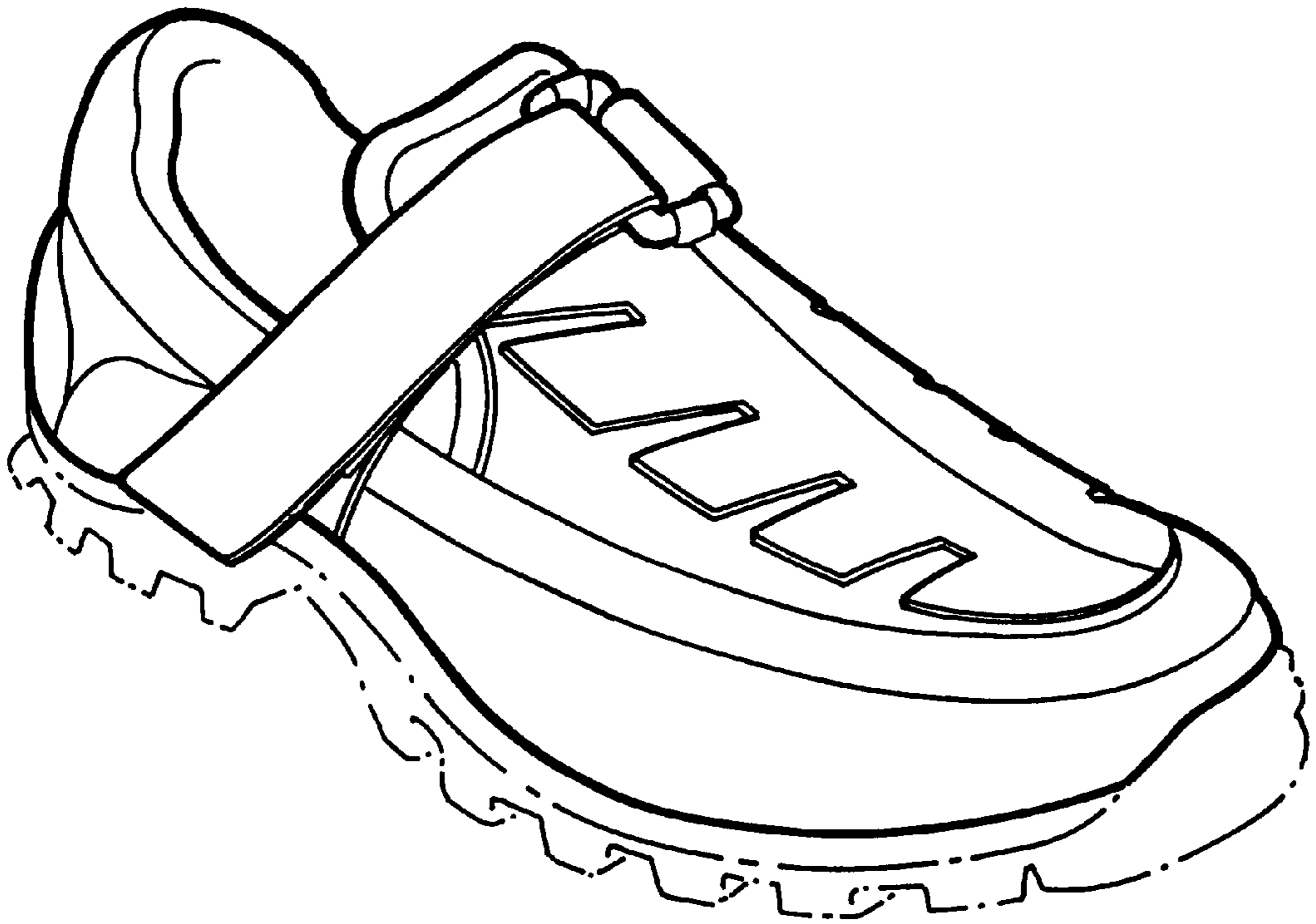


FIG. 1

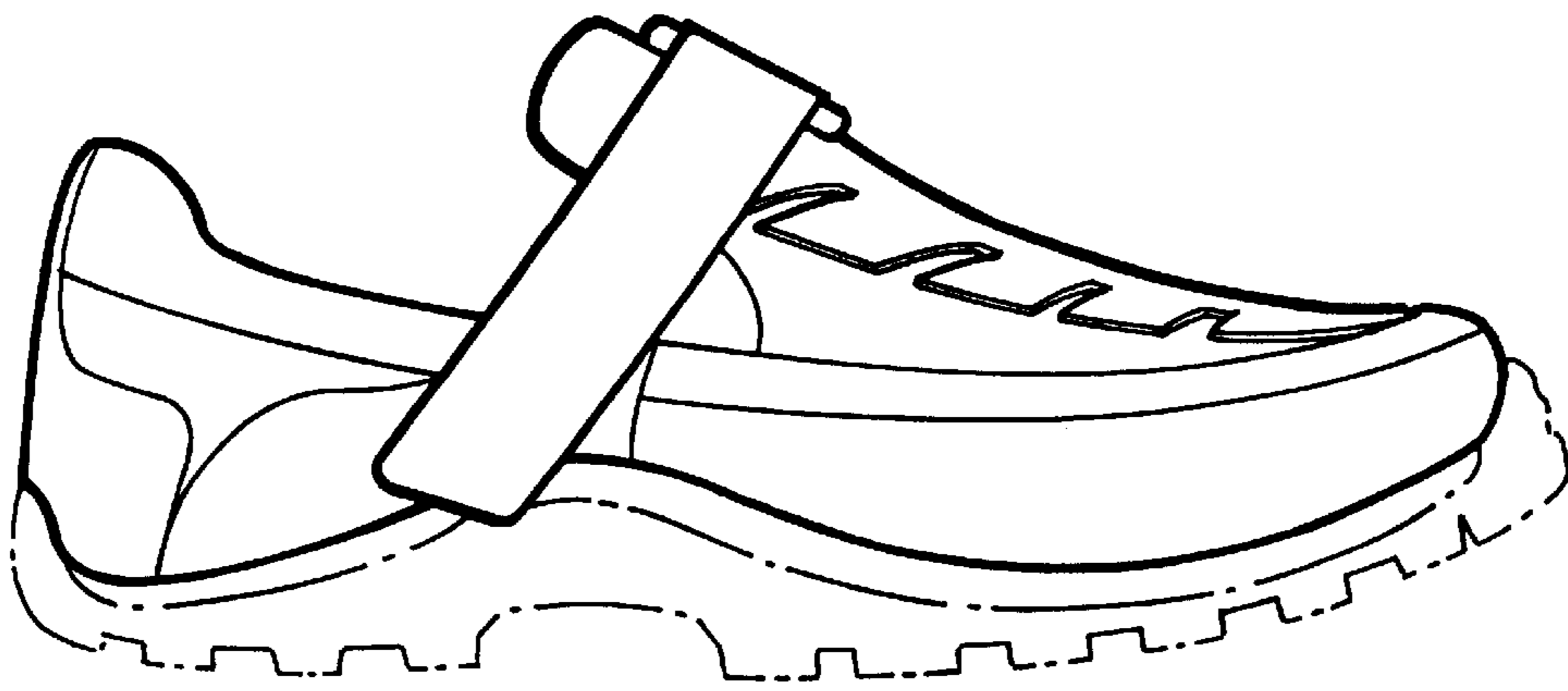


FIG. 2

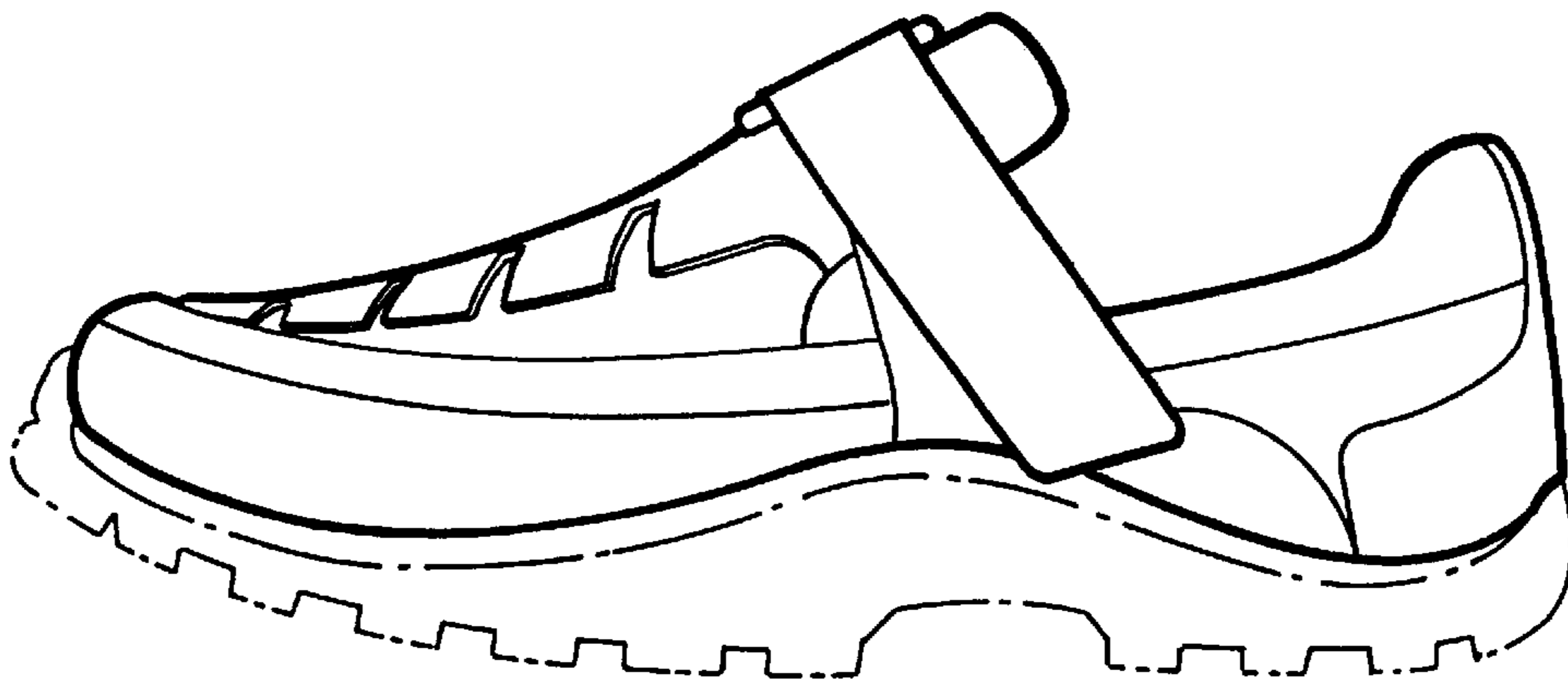


FIG. 3

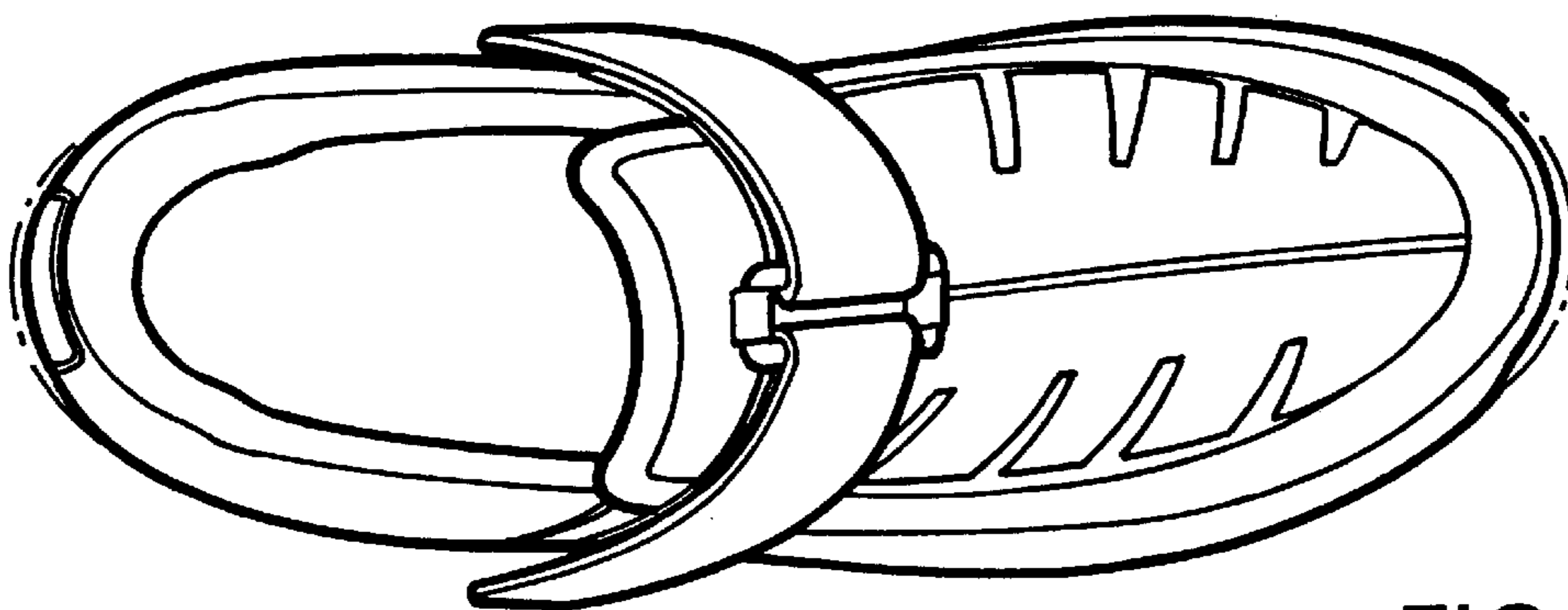


FIG. 4

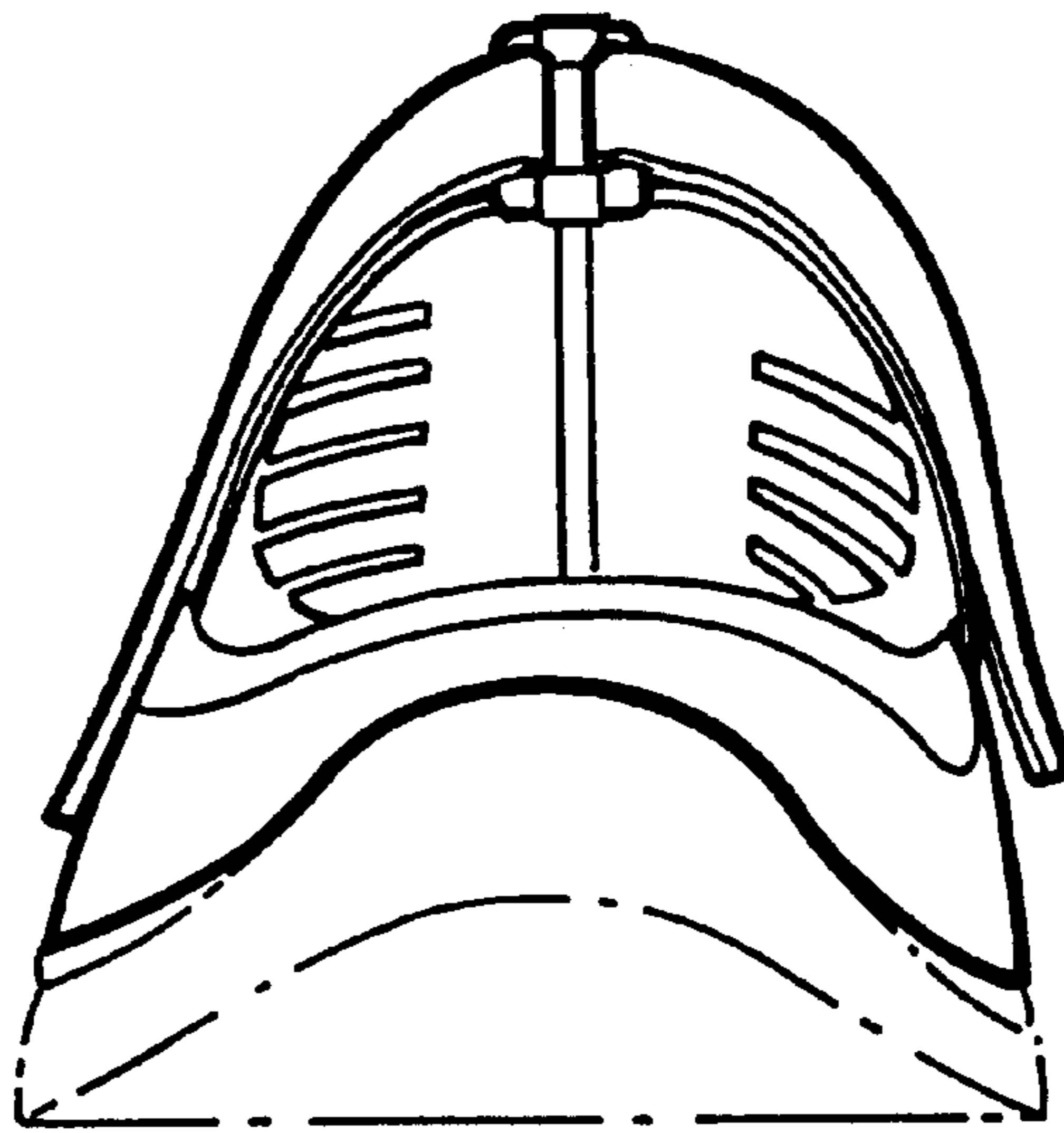


FIG. 5

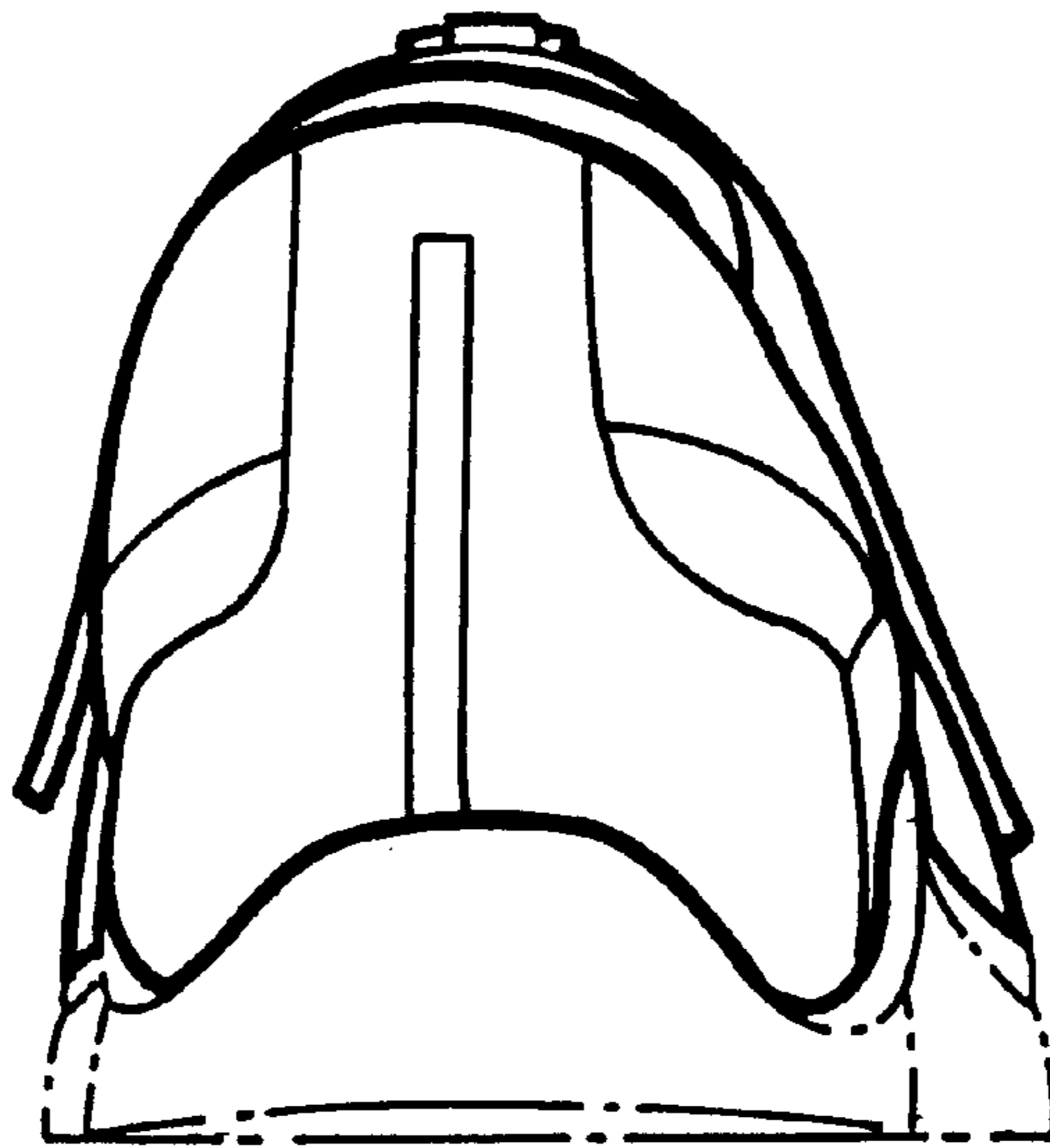


FIG. 6