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(54) **CARRYING HANDLE FOR PLASTIC BAGS**

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The ornamental design for a carrying handle for plastic bags,  
as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

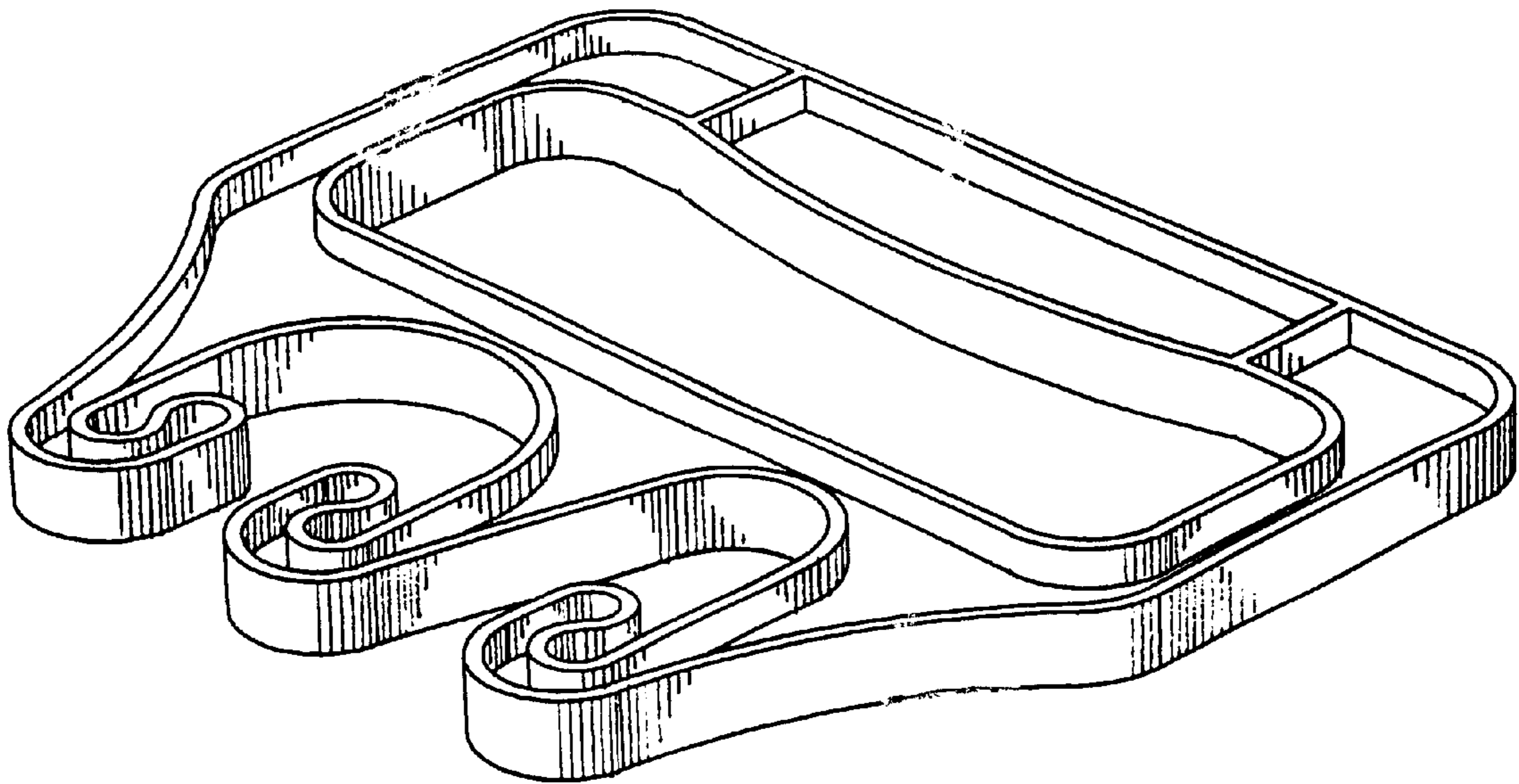
FIG. 1 is a three-dimensional pictorial view of a carrying  
handle for plastic bags, according to my design; and,  
FIG. 2 is a top view of the carrying handle shown in FIG. 1.  
The bottom of the carrying handle is a mirror image of FIG.  
2, and therefore is not shown.

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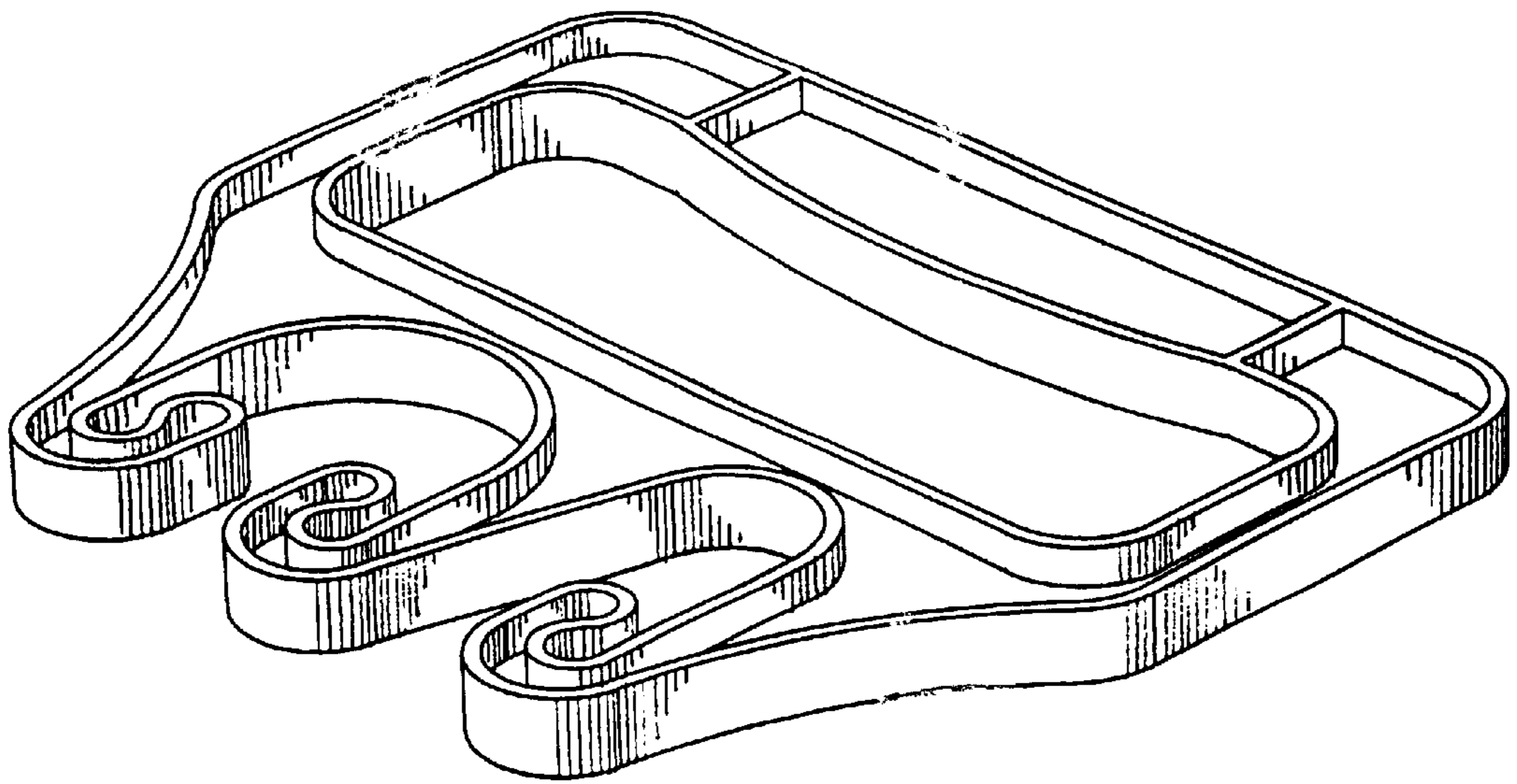


FIG. 1

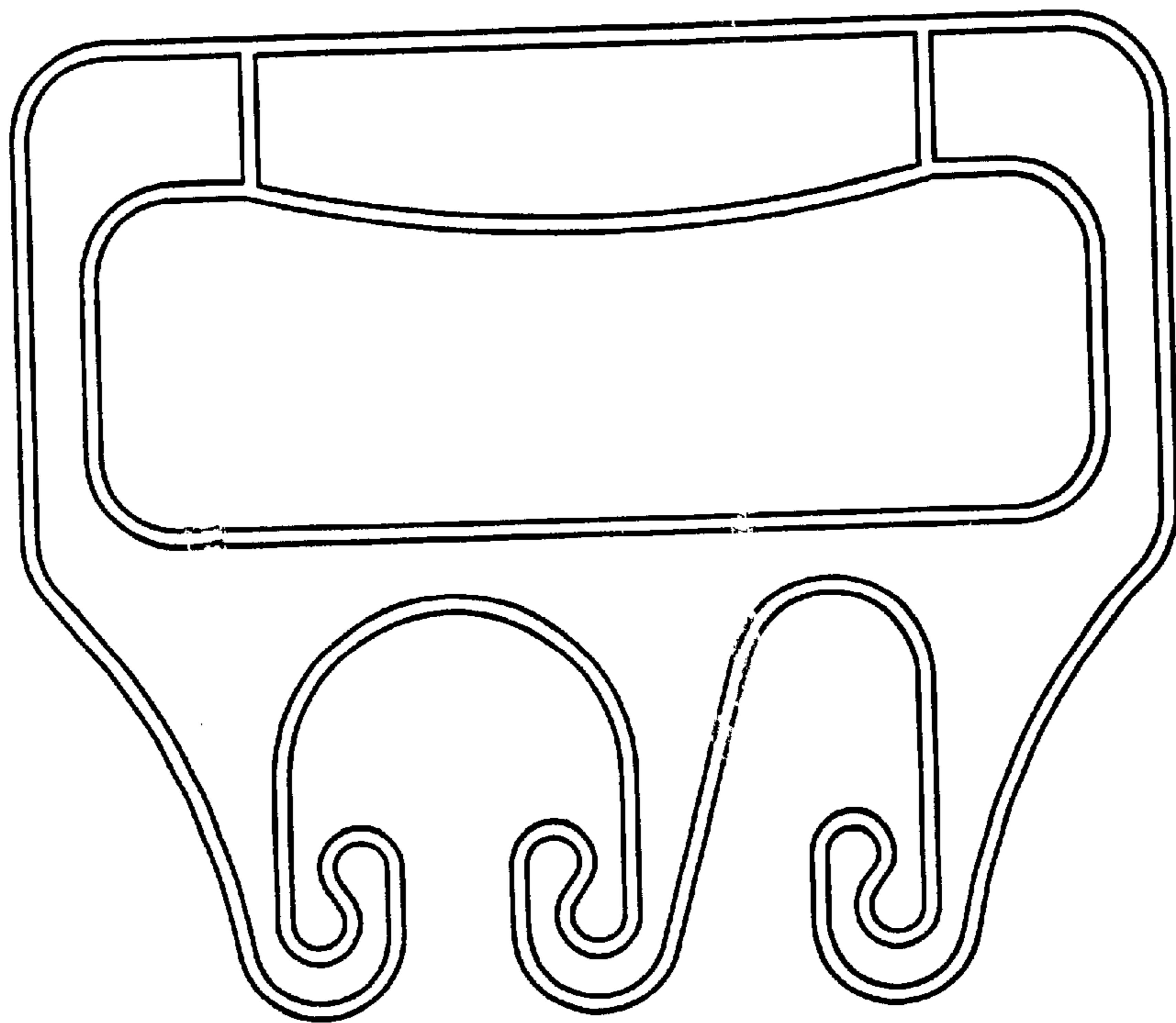


FIG. 2