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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a slipper, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the top, side and front of a  
first embodiment of our new design for a slipper;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of a first embodiment of  
our new design;

FIG. 3 is a rear elevation view of a first embodiment of our  
new design;

FIG. 4 is a right side elevation view of a first embodiment  
of our new design;

FIG. 5 is a left side elevation view of a first embodiment of  
our new design;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view of a first embodiment of our new  
design;

FIG. 7 is a perspective view of the top, side and front of a  
second embodiment of our new design;

FIG. 8 is a front elevation view of a second embodiment of  
our new design;

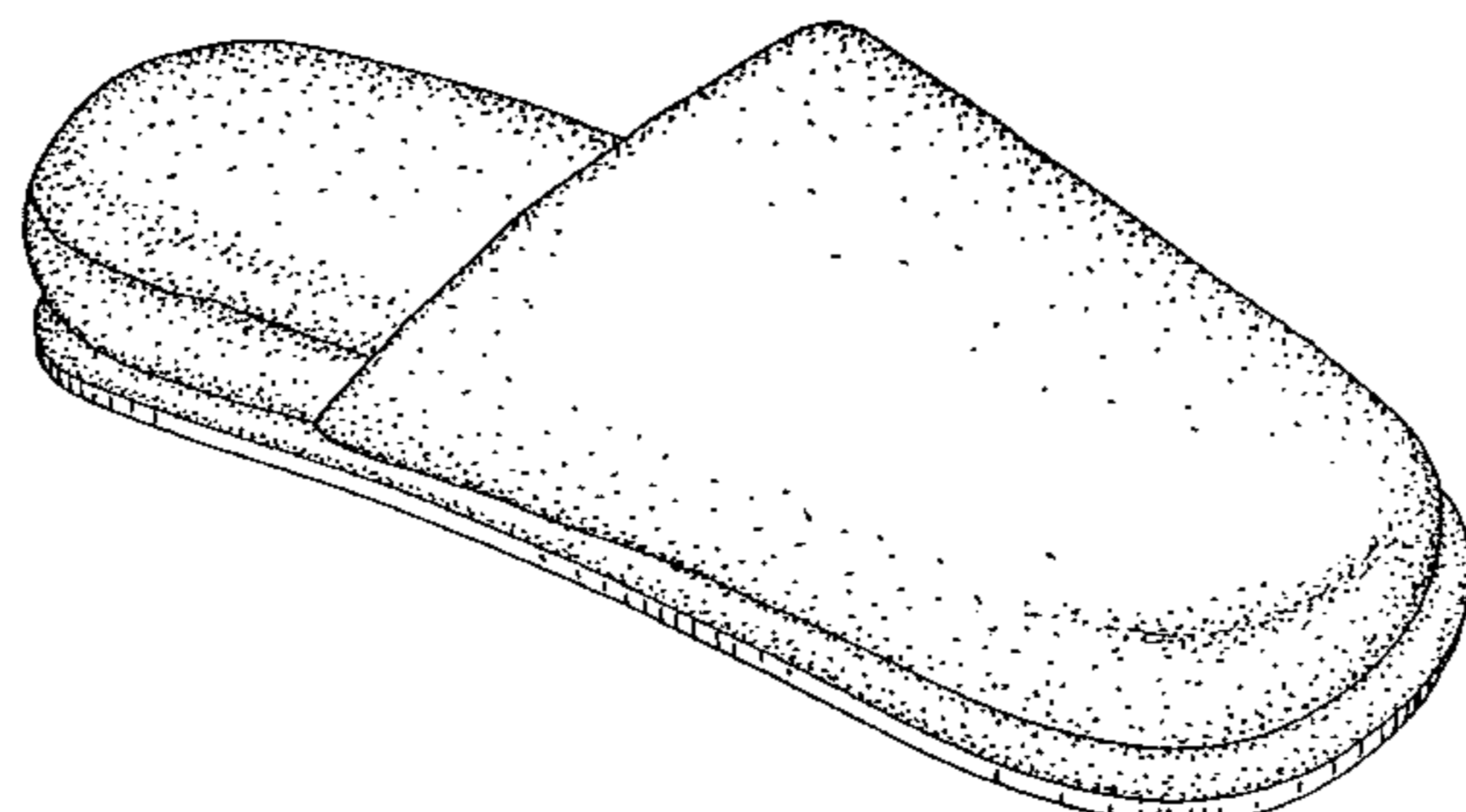
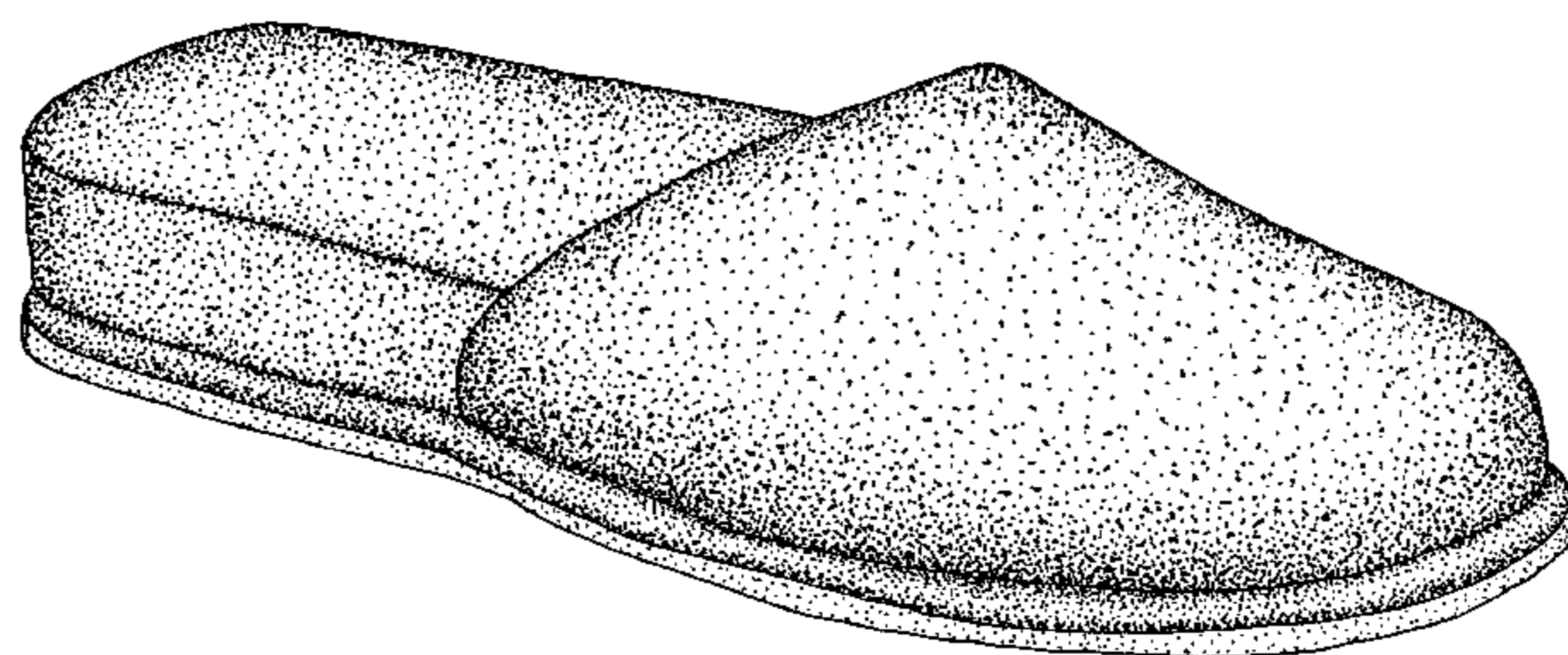
FIG. 9 is a rear elevation view of a second embodiment of  
our new design;

FIG. 10 is a right side elevation view of a second embodi-  
ment of our new design;

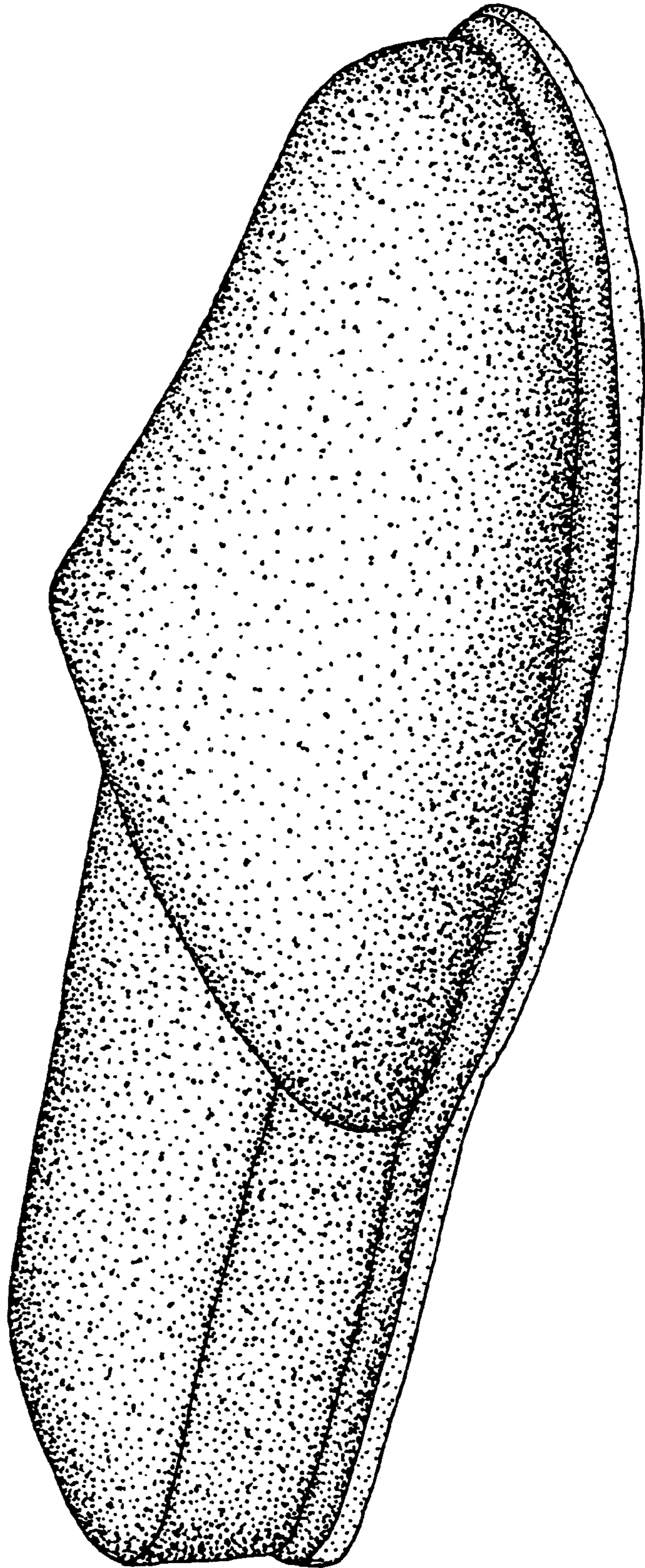
FIG. 11 is a left side elevation view of a second embodi-  
ment of our new design; and,

FIG. 12 is a top plan view of a second embodiment of our  
new design.

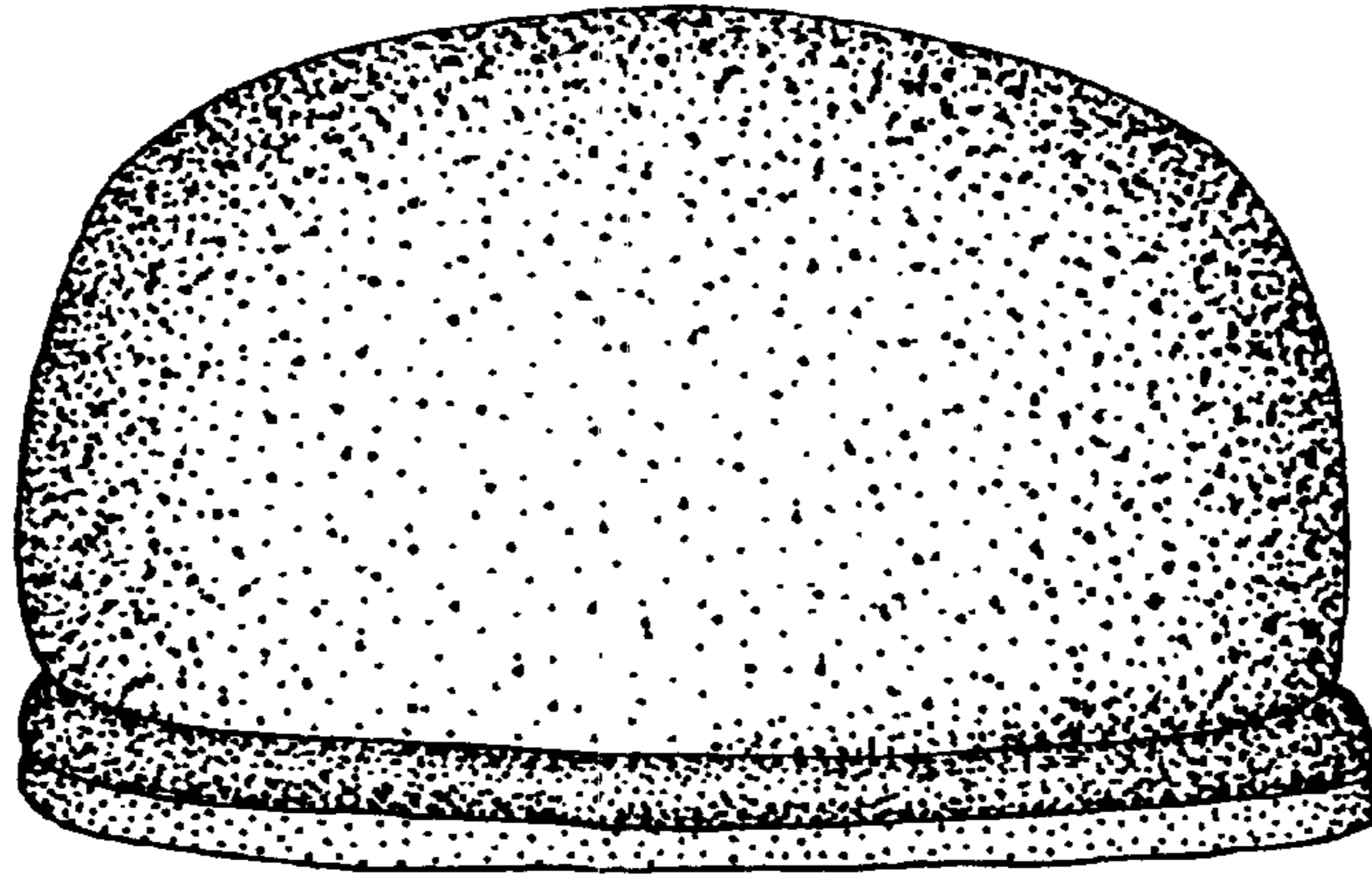
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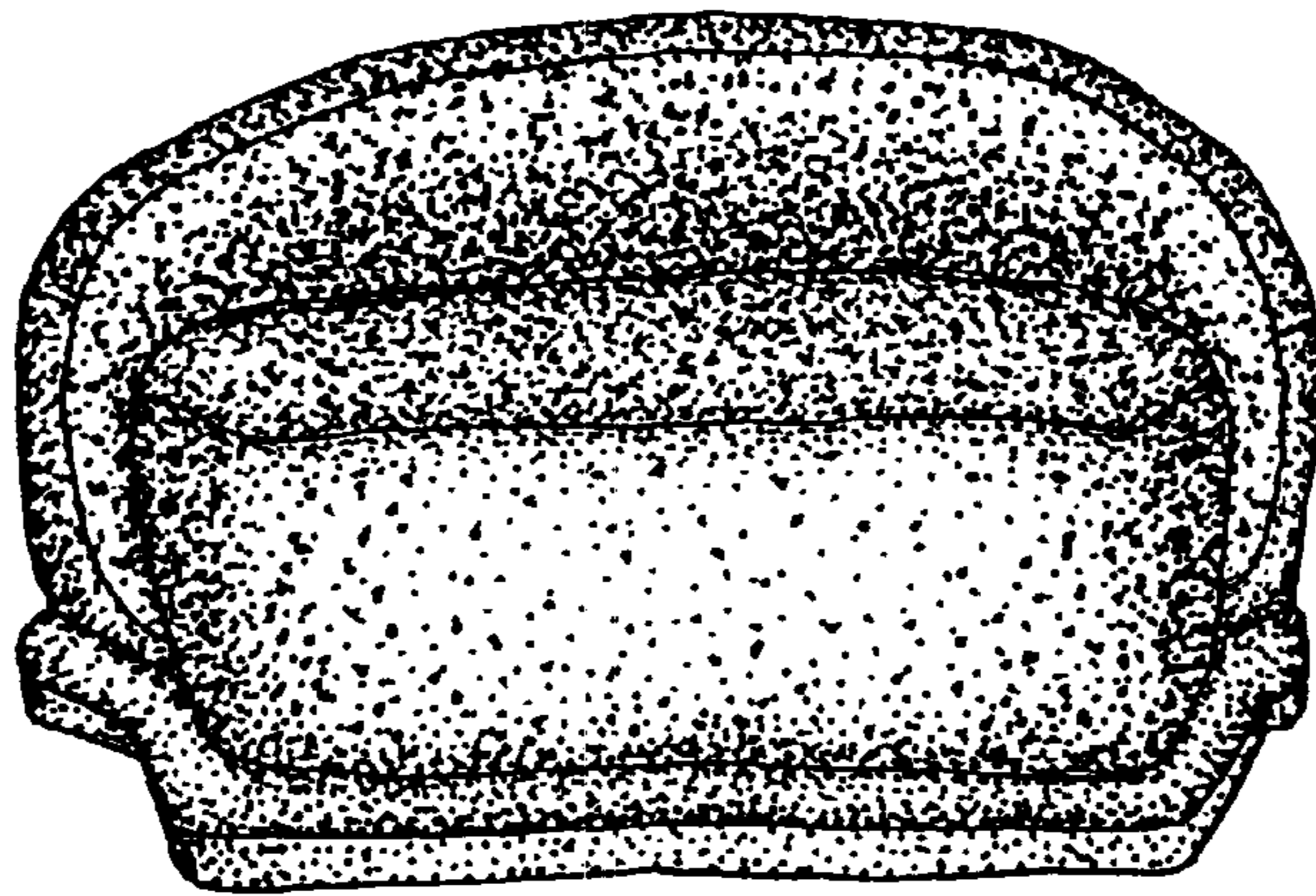
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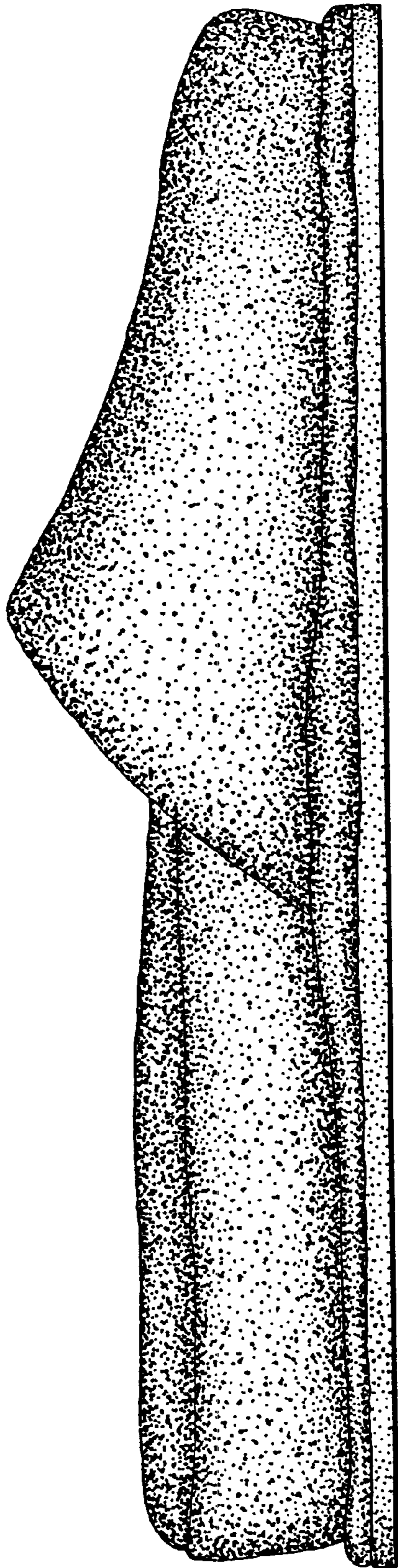


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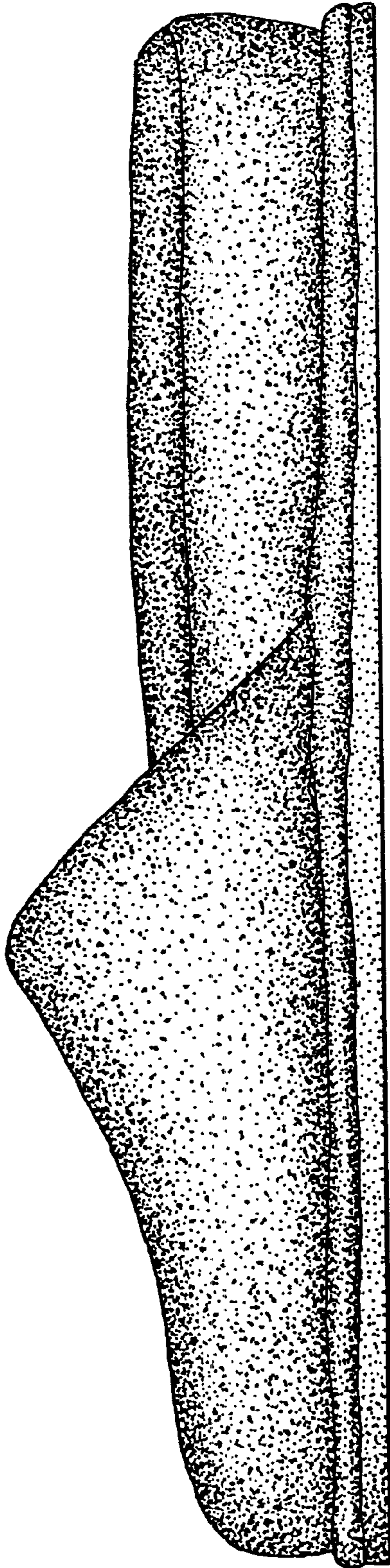


**FIG. 3**

**FIG. 4**



**FIG. 5**





**FIG. 6**

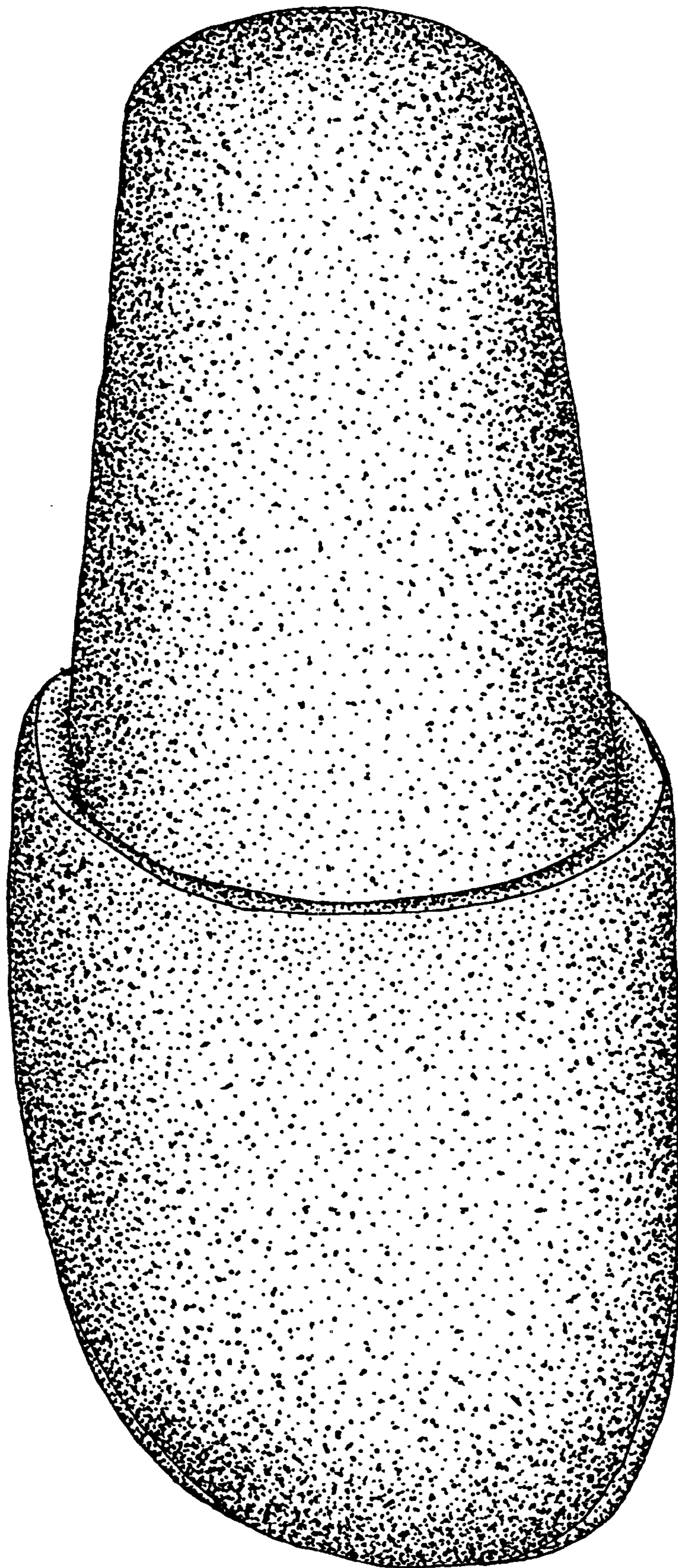


FIG. 7

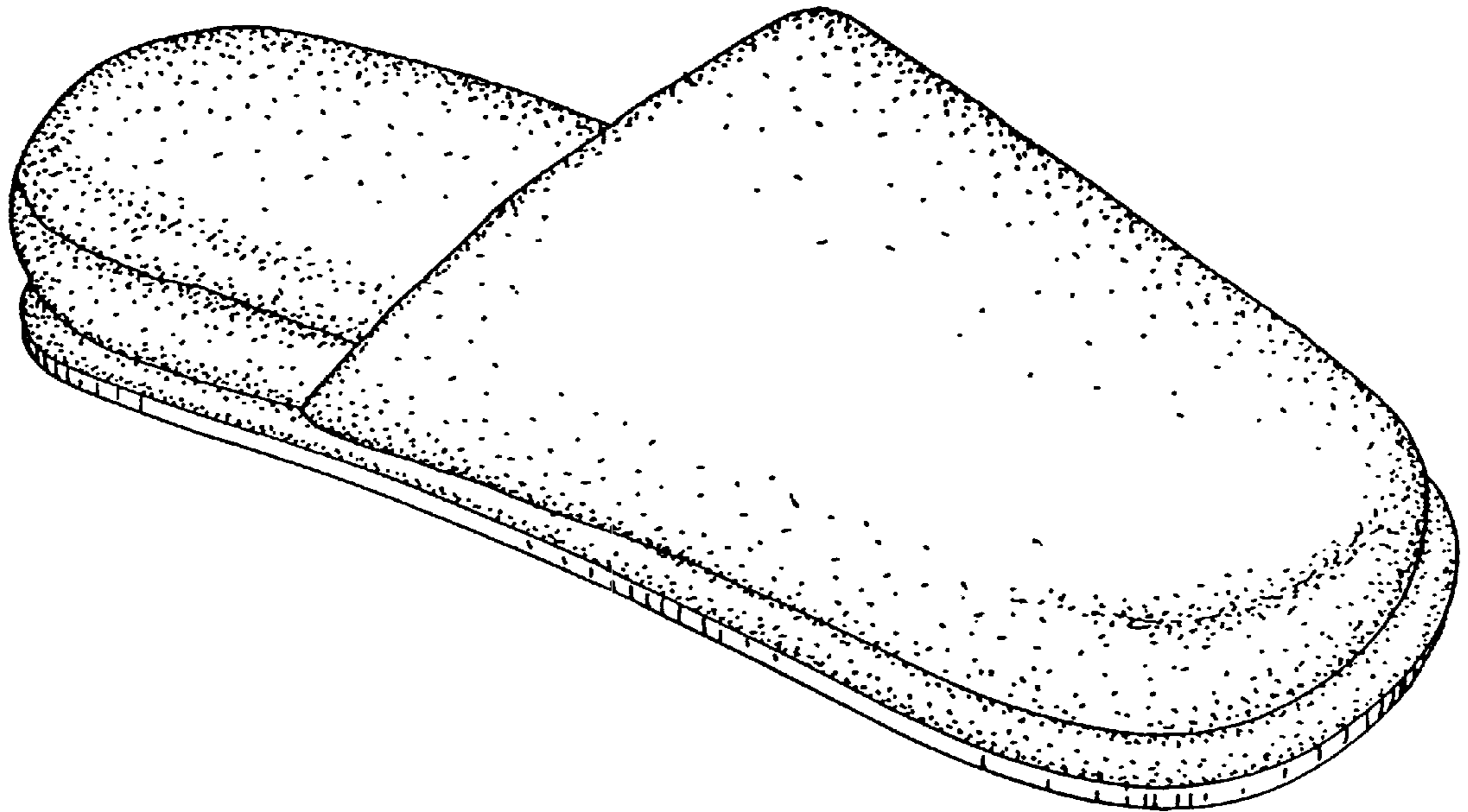


FIG. 8

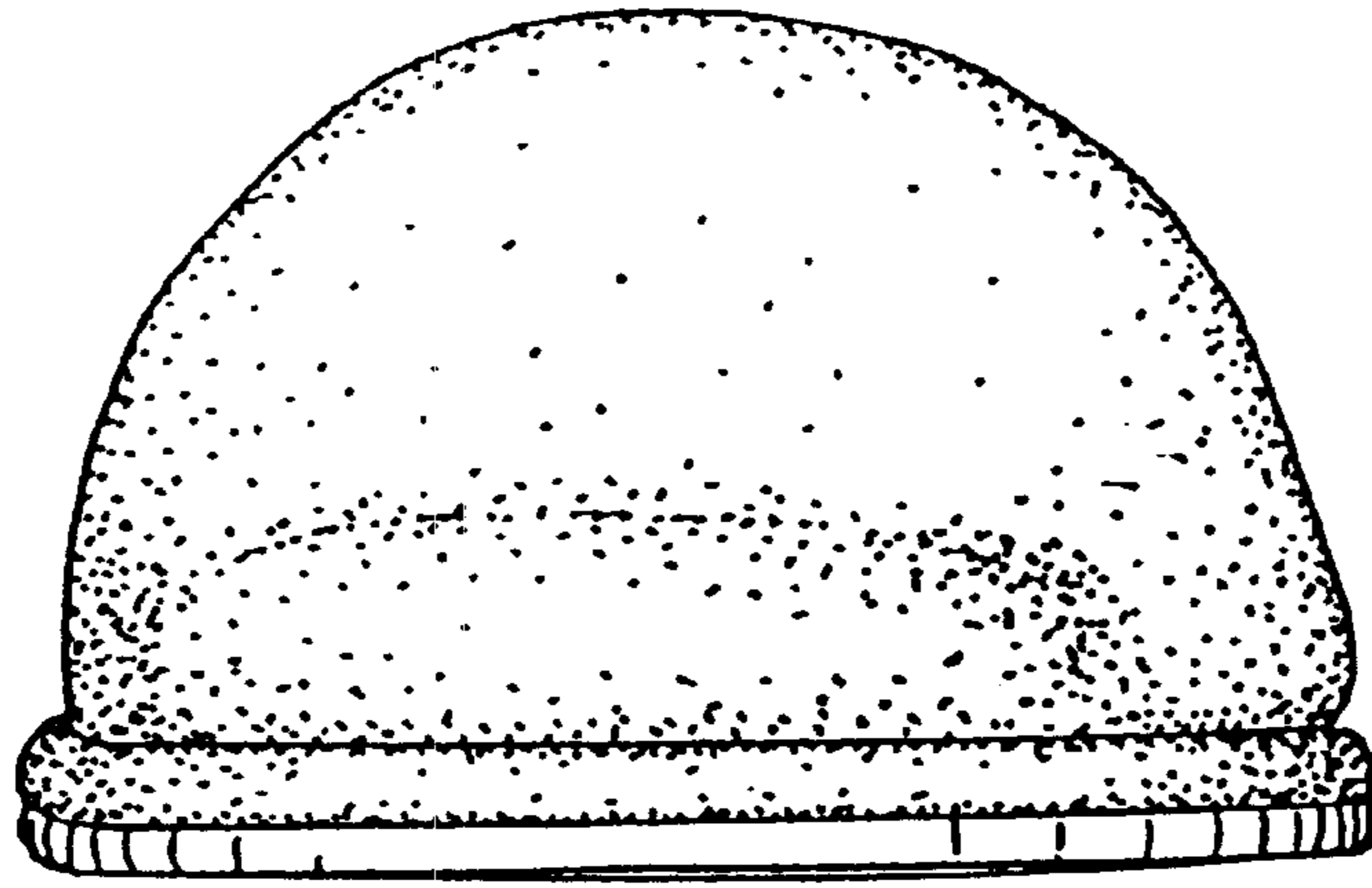
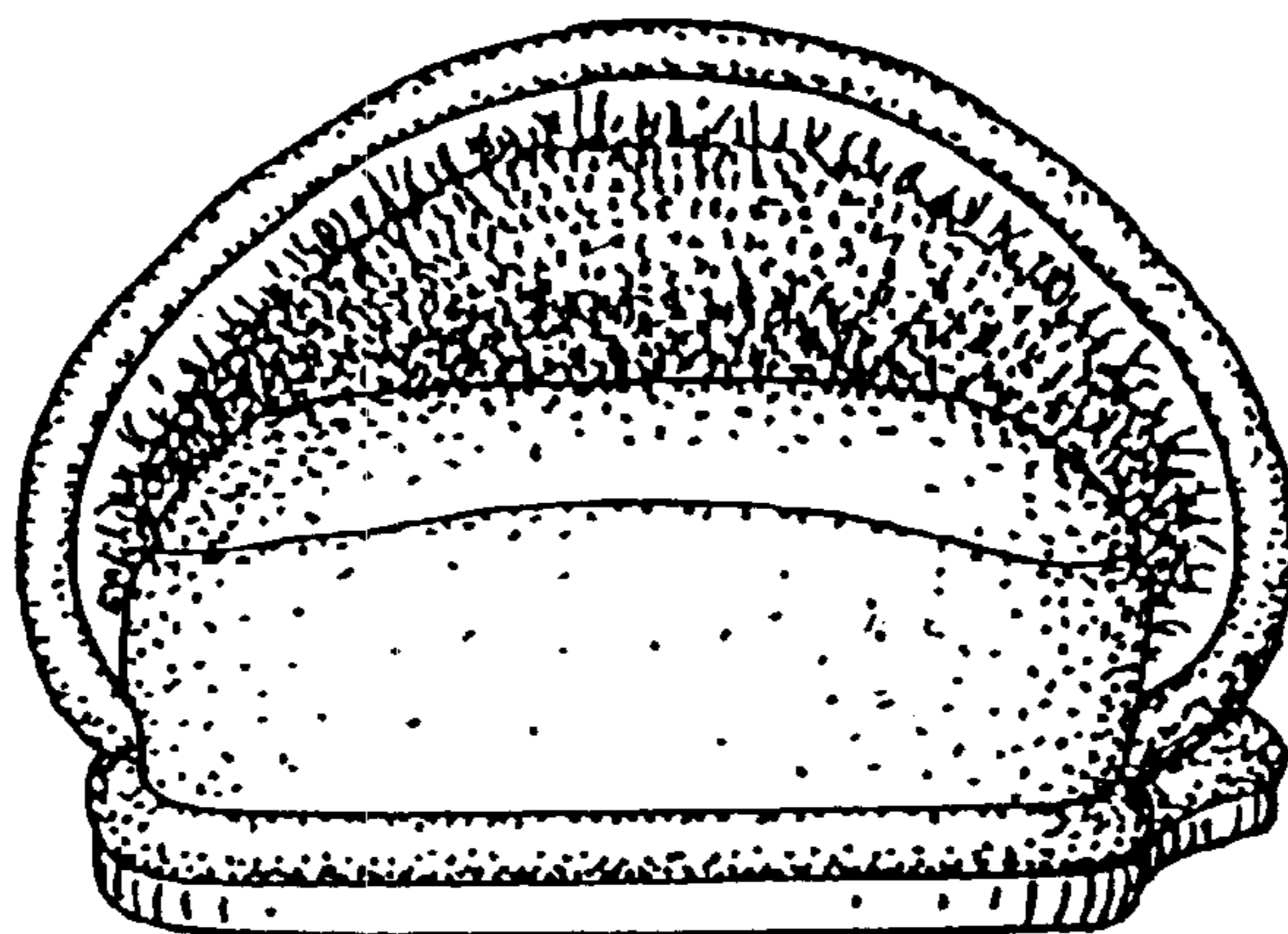


FIG. 9





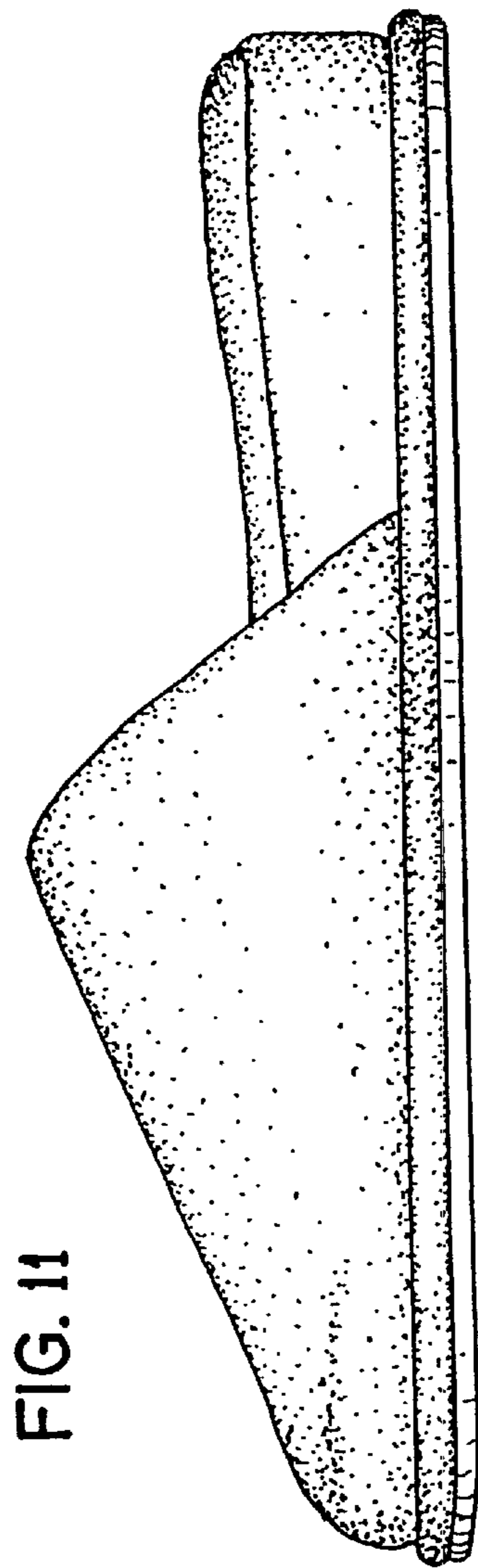


FIG. 10

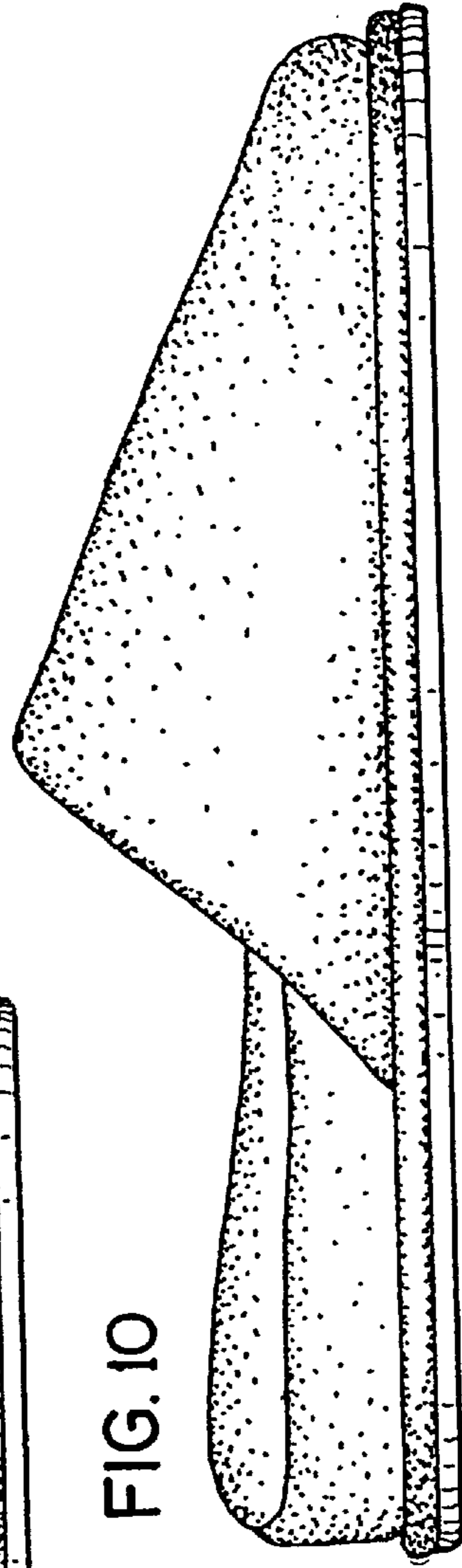


FIG. 12

