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(54) **TRACTOR HOOD**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tractor hood, design as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is an elevated side perspective view of a tractor hood showing our new design.

FIG. 2 is a top view of the tractor hood design of FIG. 1.

FIG. 3 is a left side view of the tractor hood design of FIG. 1.

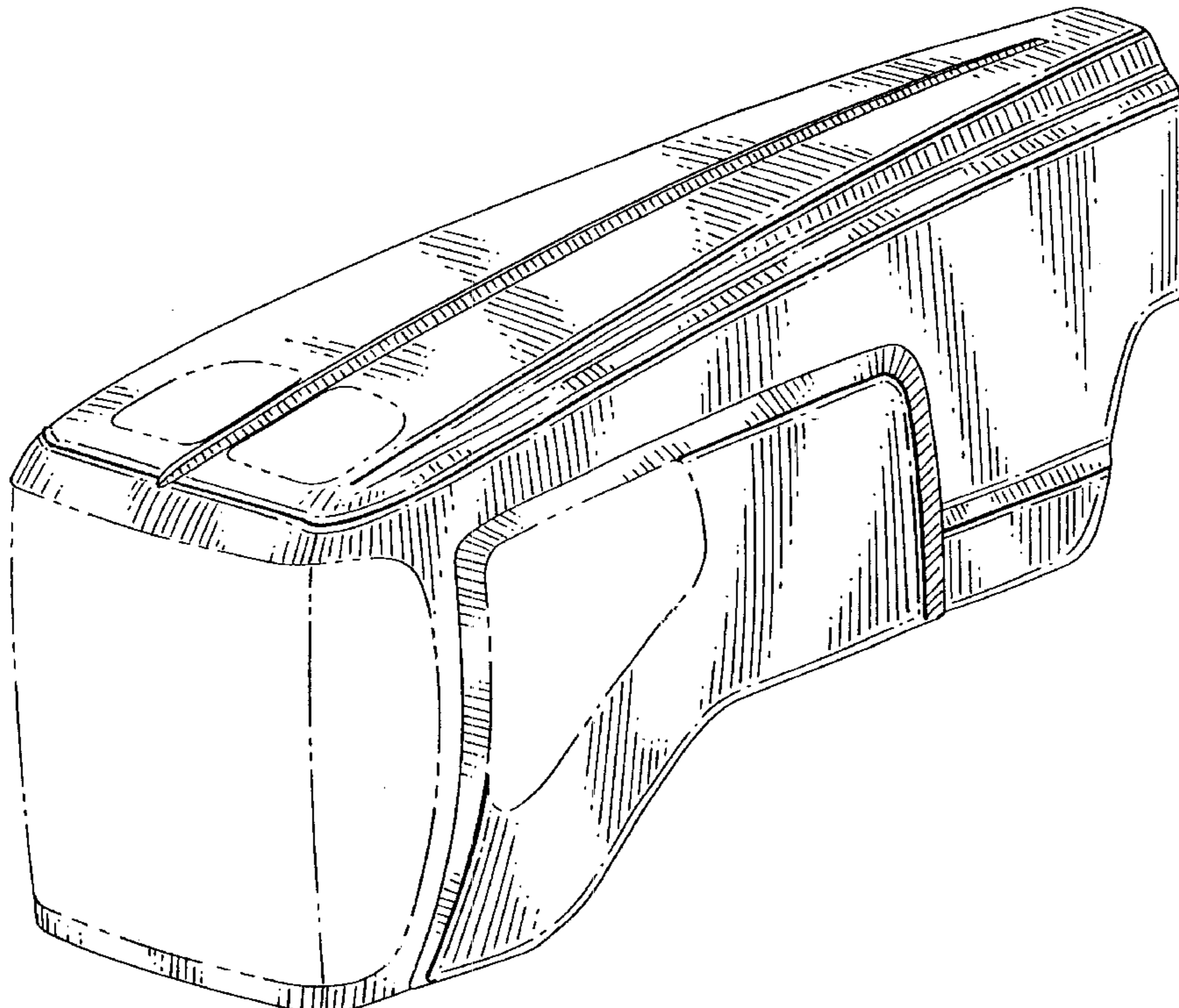
FIG. 4 is a right side view of the tractor hood design of FIG. 1.

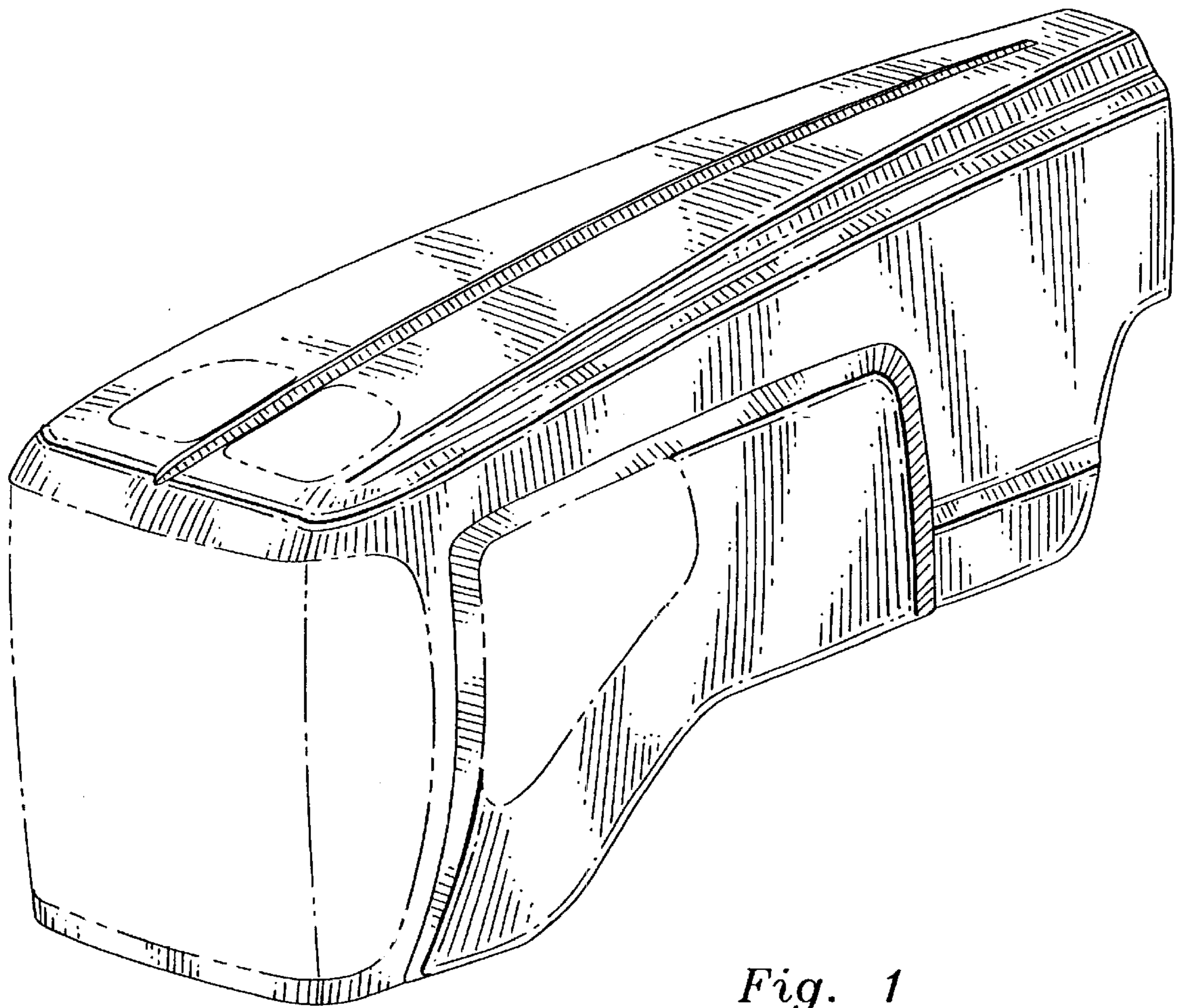
FIG. 5 is a front view of the tractor hood design of FIG. 1; and,

FIG. 6 is a rear view of the tractor hood design of FIG. 1.

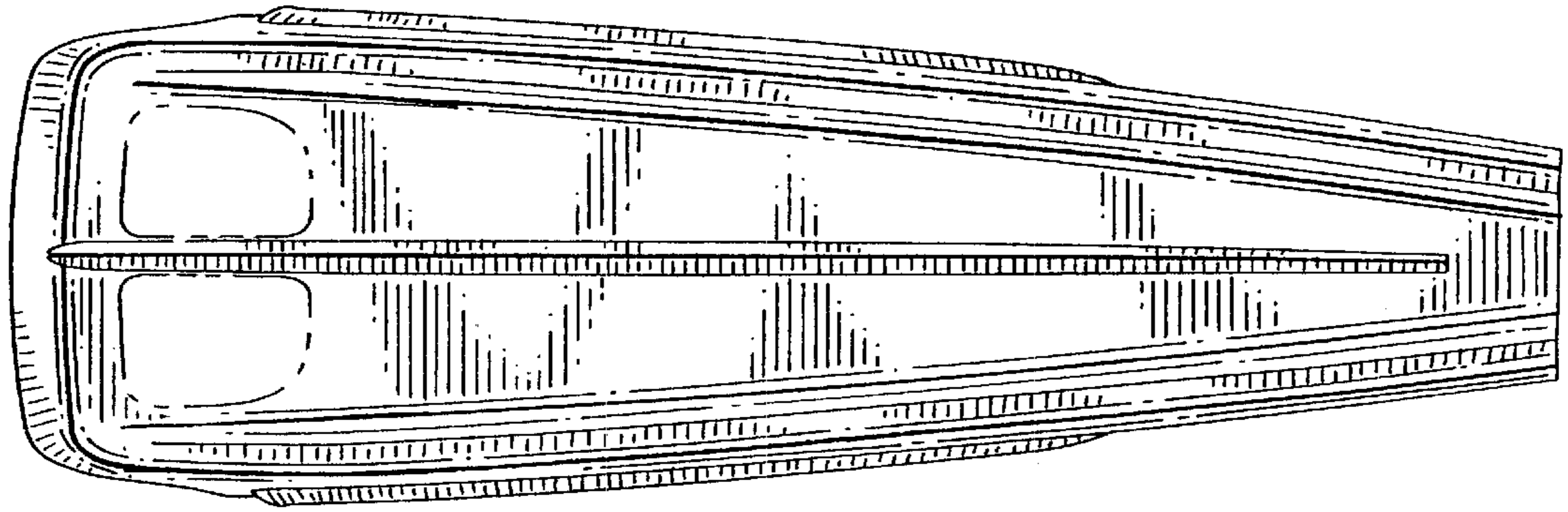
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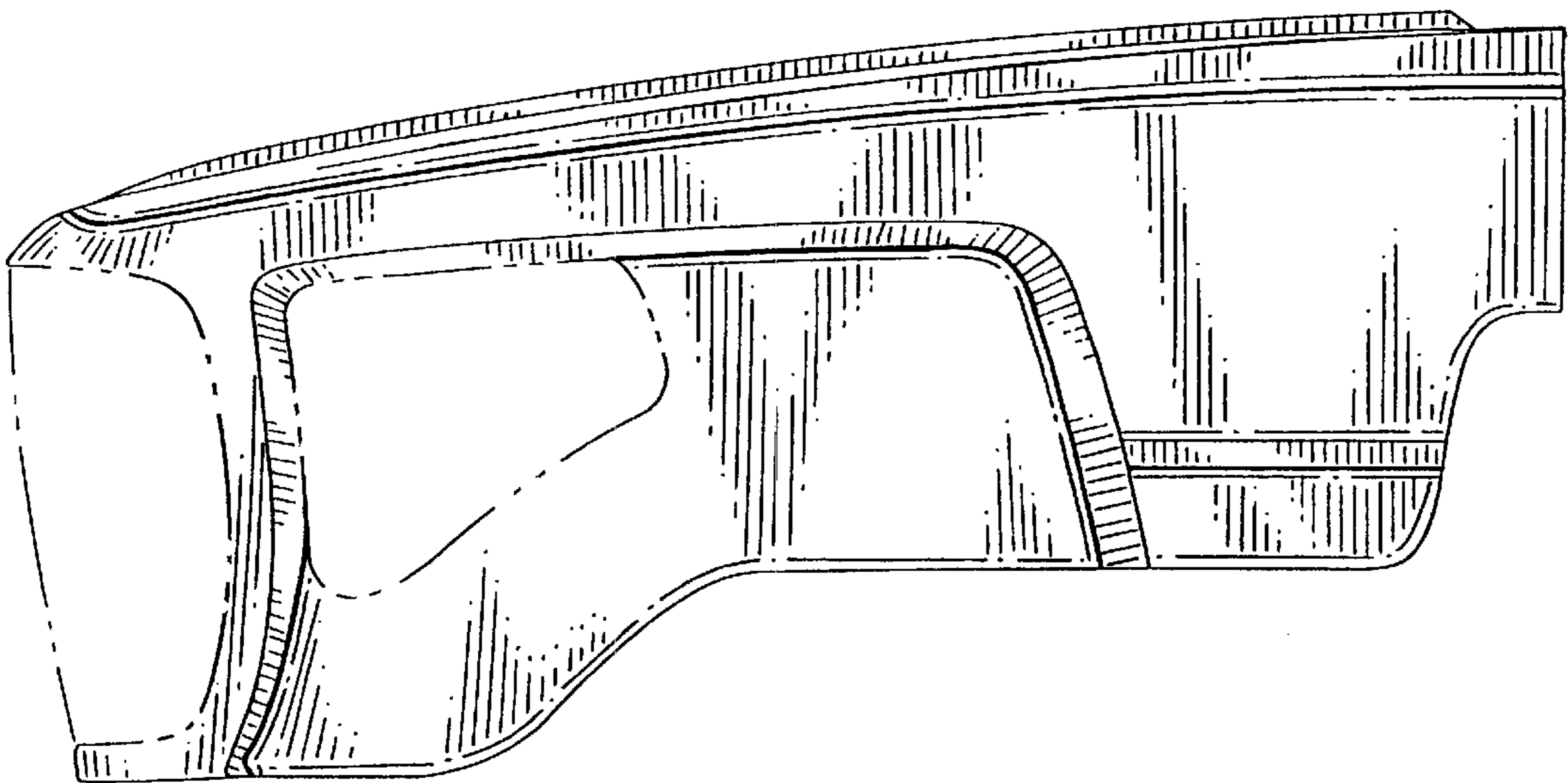




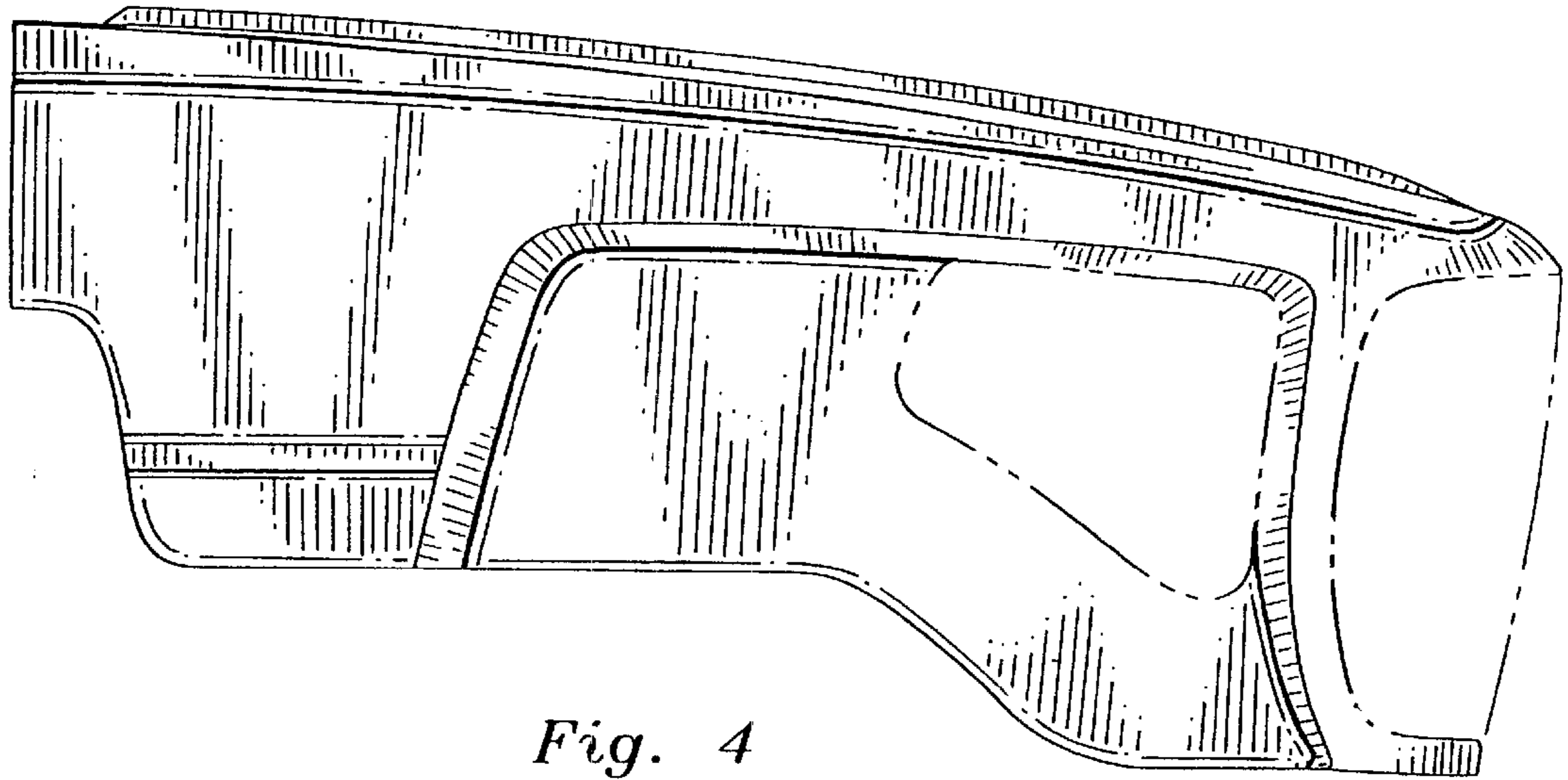
*Fig. 1*



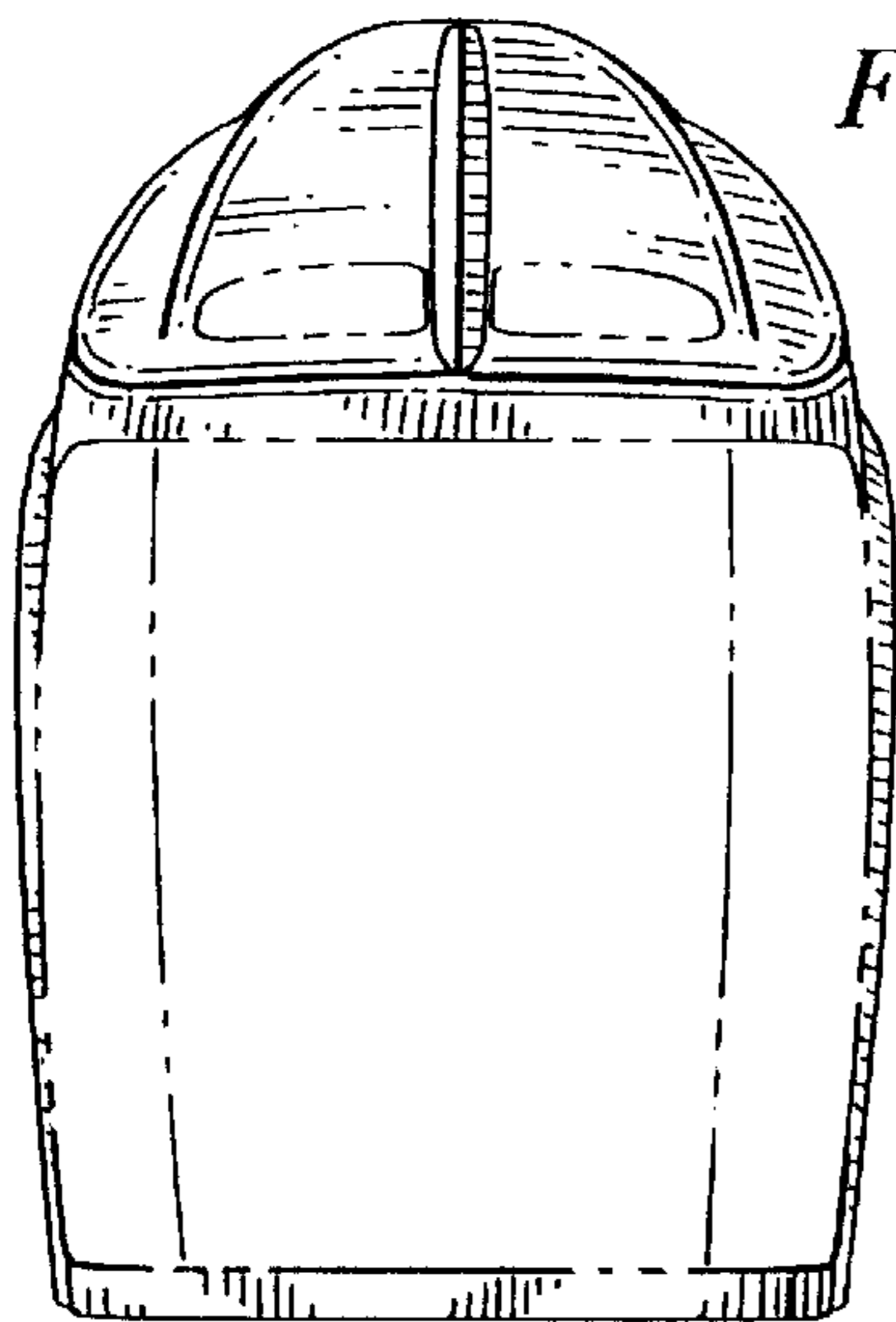
*Fig. 2*



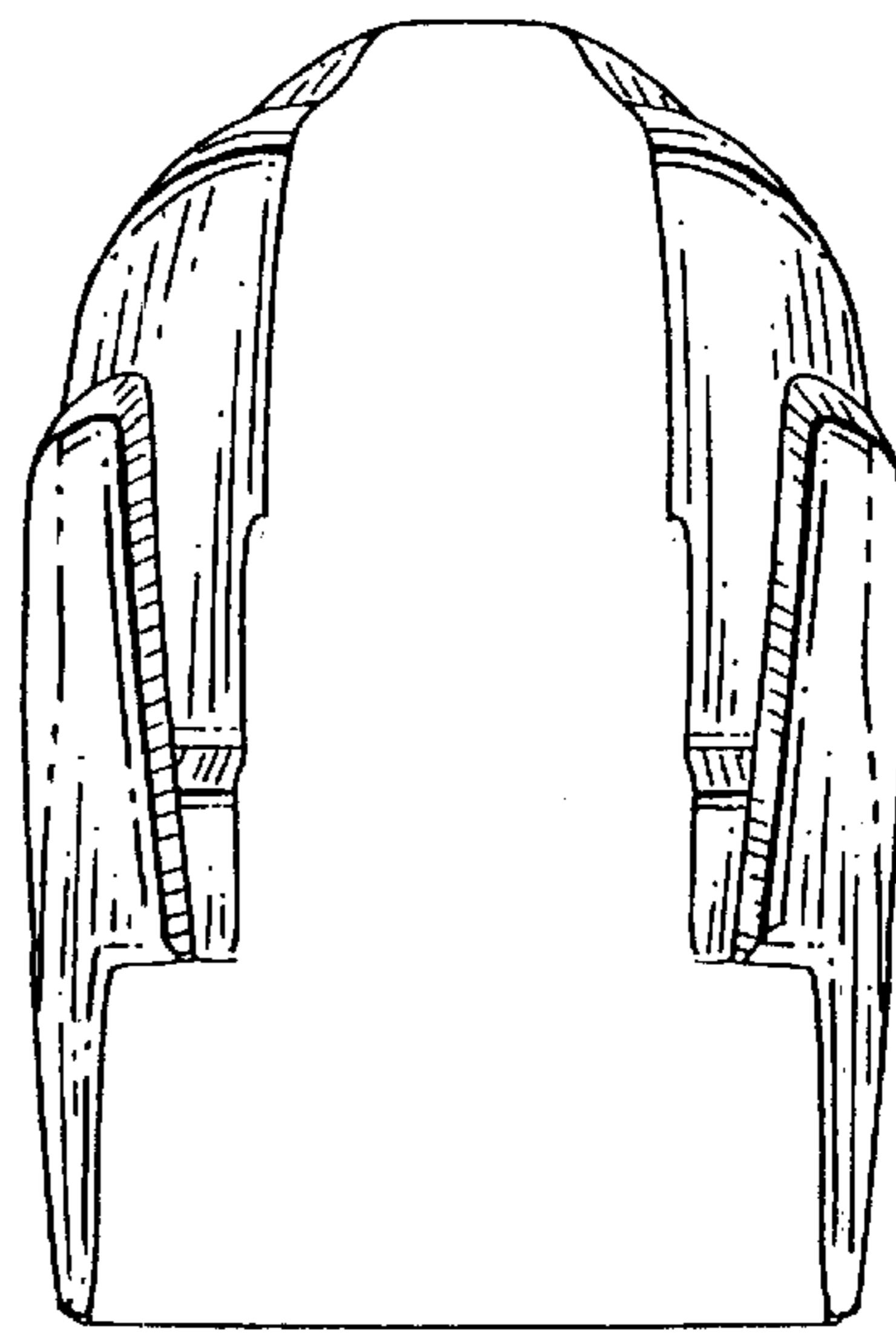
*Fig. 3*



*Fig. 4*



*Fig. 5*



*Fig. 6*