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(54) **BEDSTEAD**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a left front perspective view of a bedstead showing my new design;

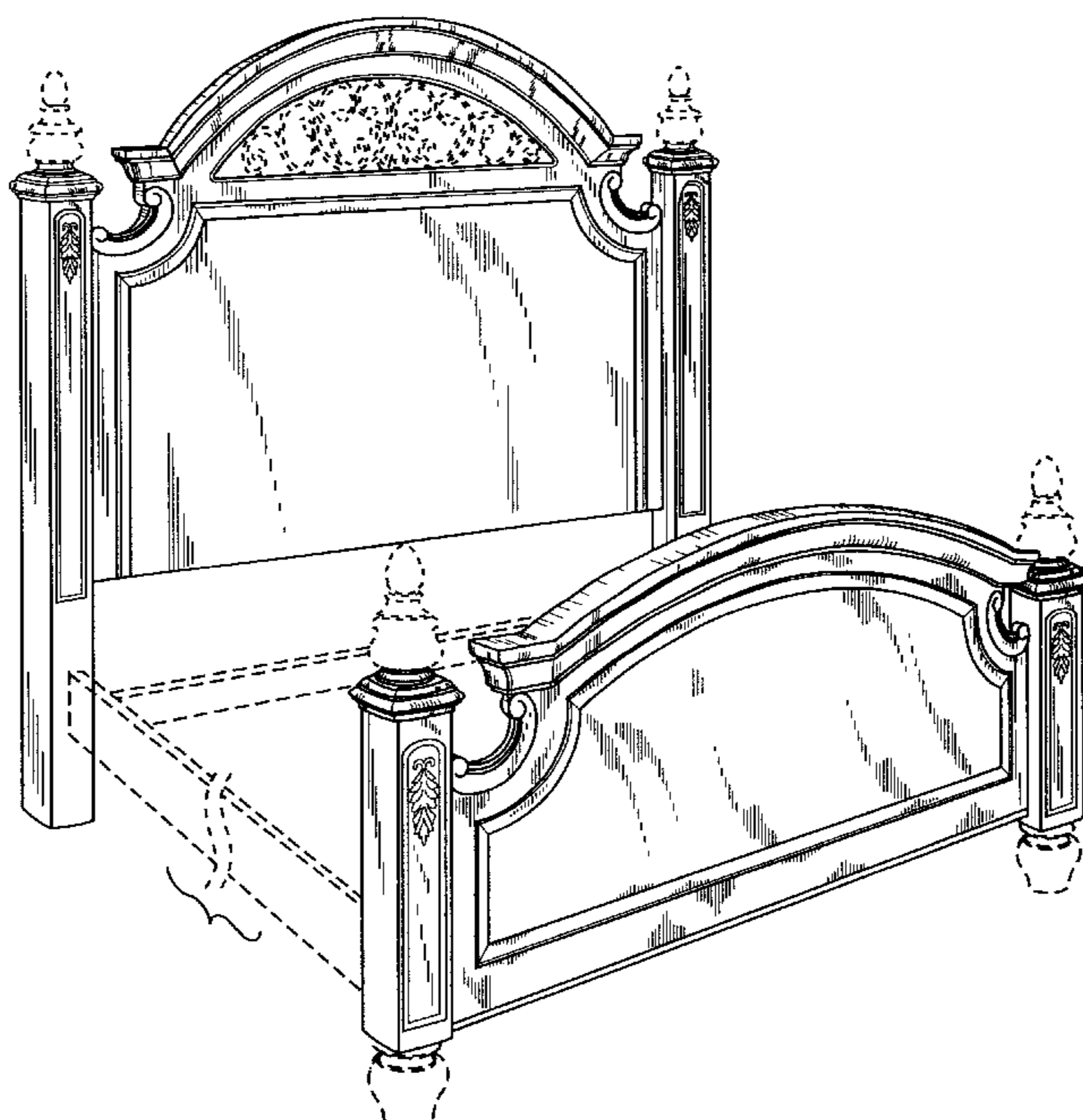
FIG. 2 is a side elevational view, the opposite side being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 3 is a front elevational view of the headboard section thereof; and,

FIG. 4 is a front elevational view of the footboard section thereof.

The views of the bedstead not shown form no part of the claimed design. The dashed lines depicting feet, side rails, finials and ornamental ironwork inset in headboard represent environmental elements only and form no part of the claimed design. The separation and bracket indicate, for ease of illustration, that the precise length of the bedstead is not claimed.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



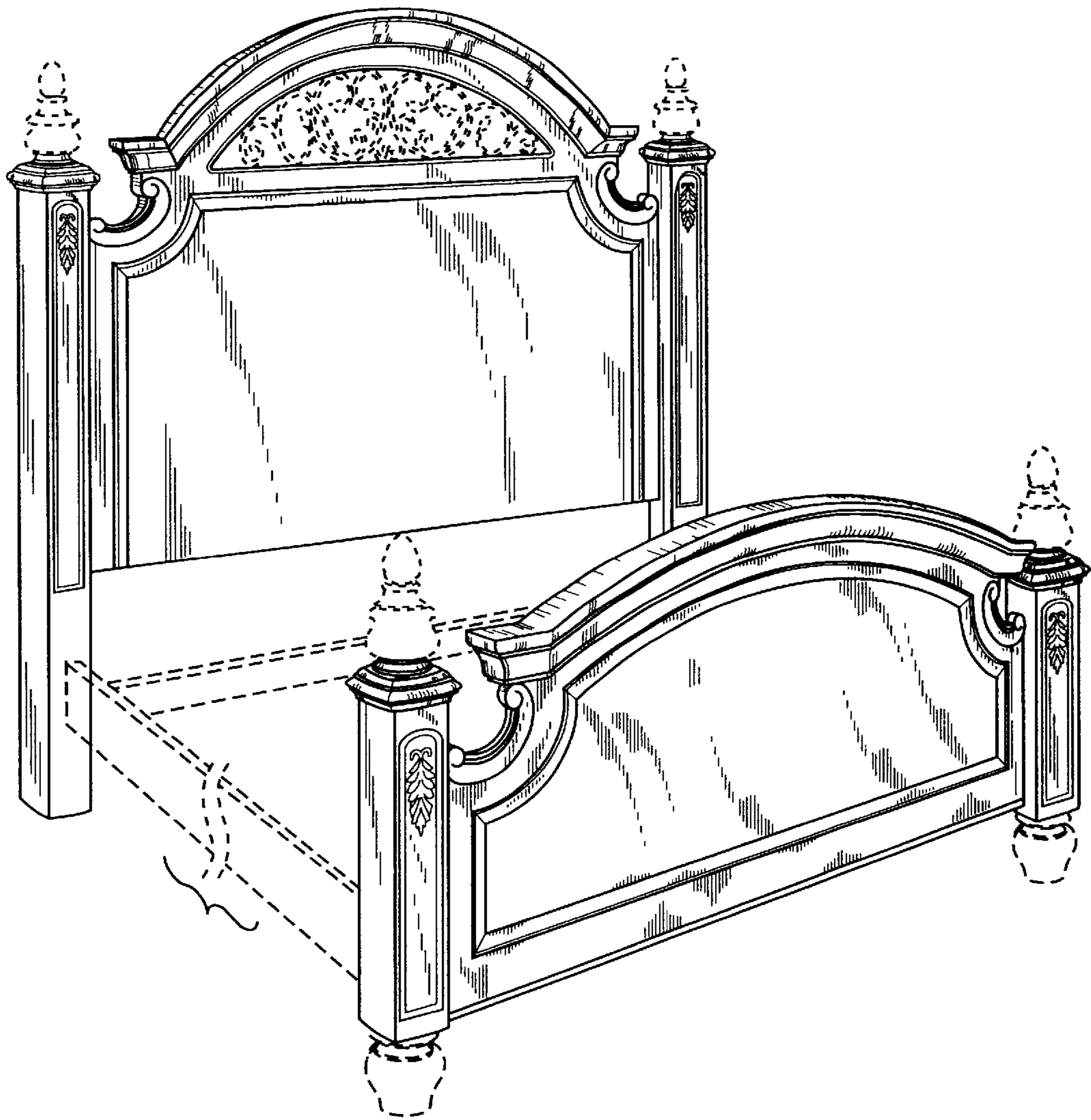


FIG. 1

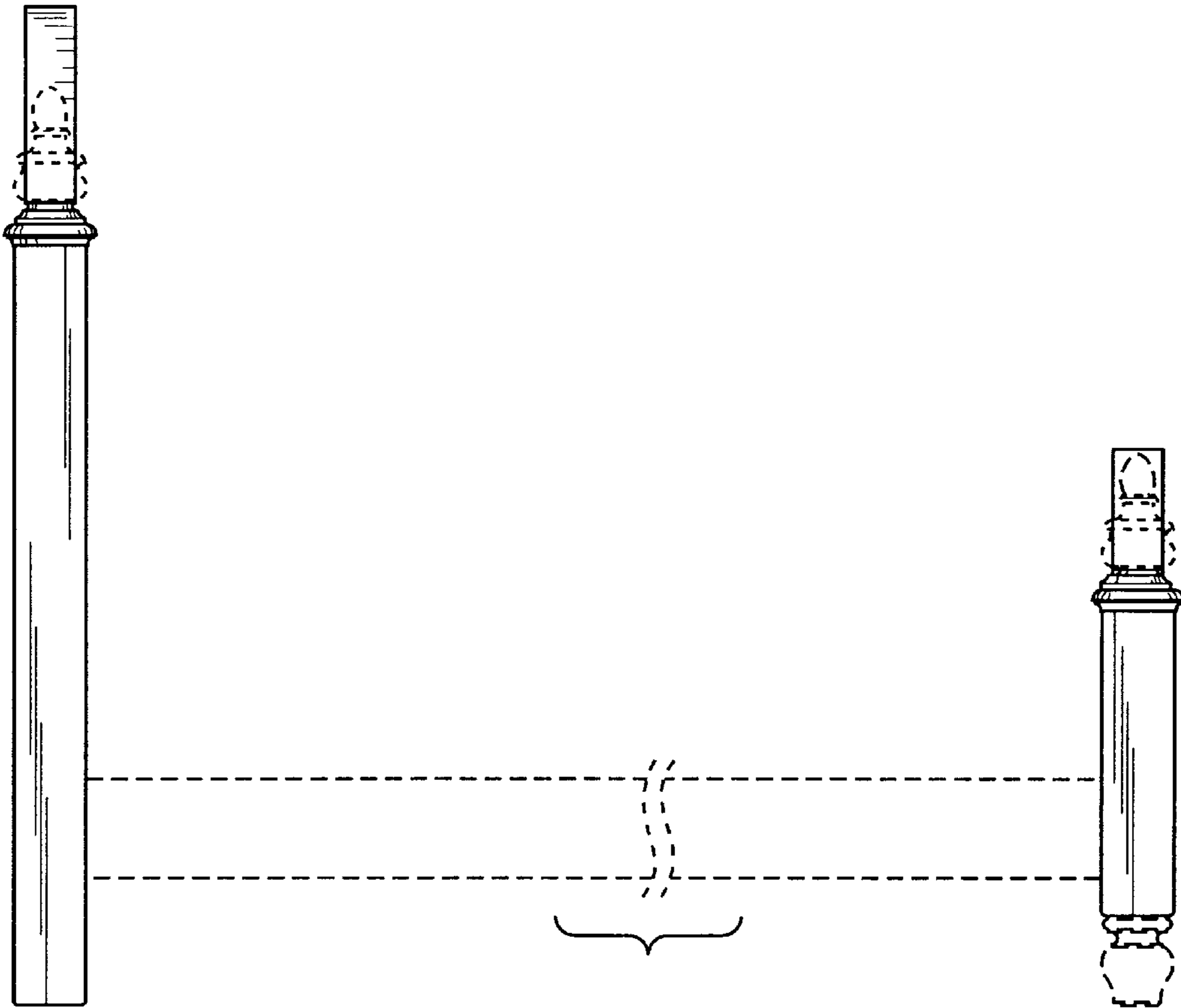


FIG. 2

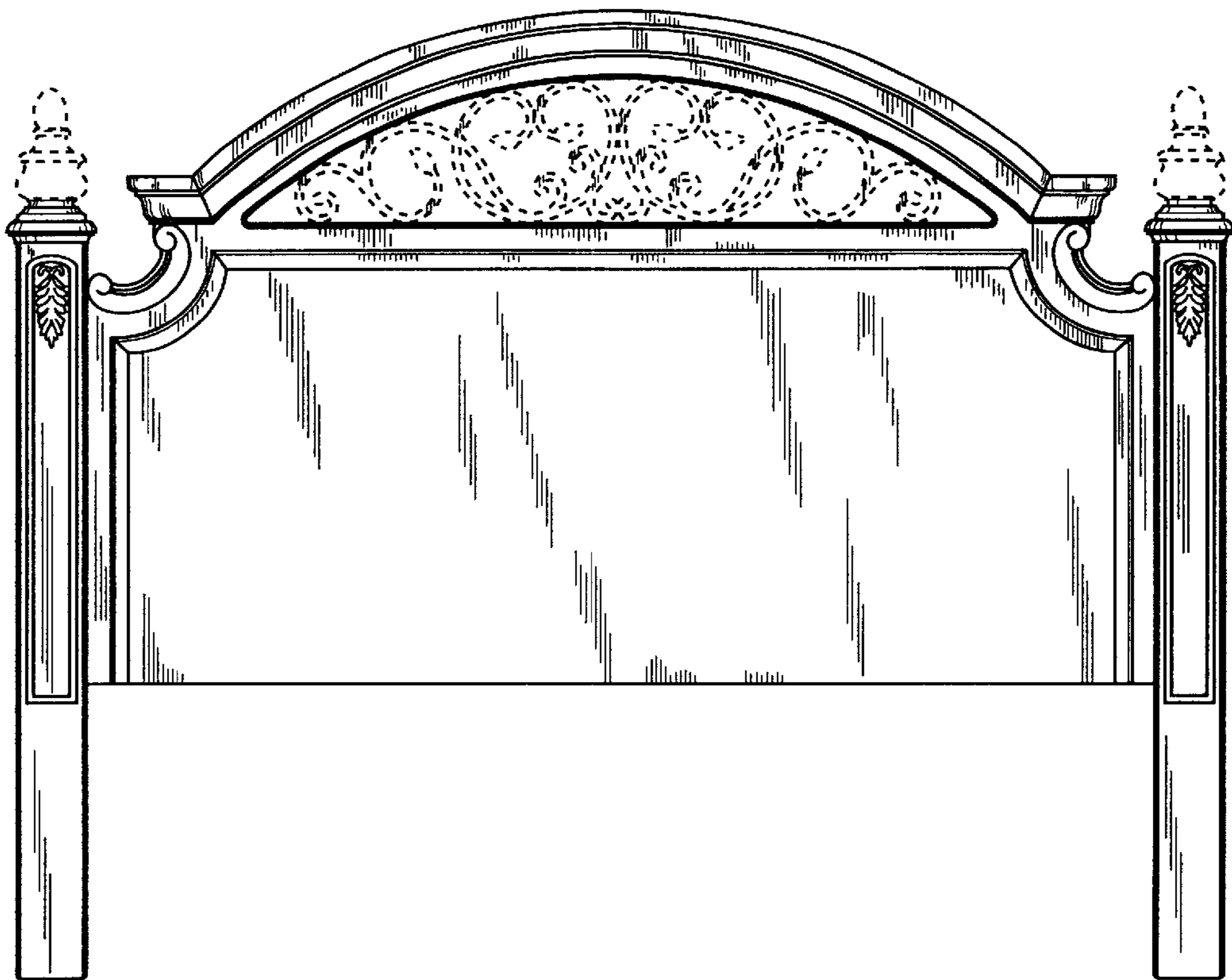


FIG. 3

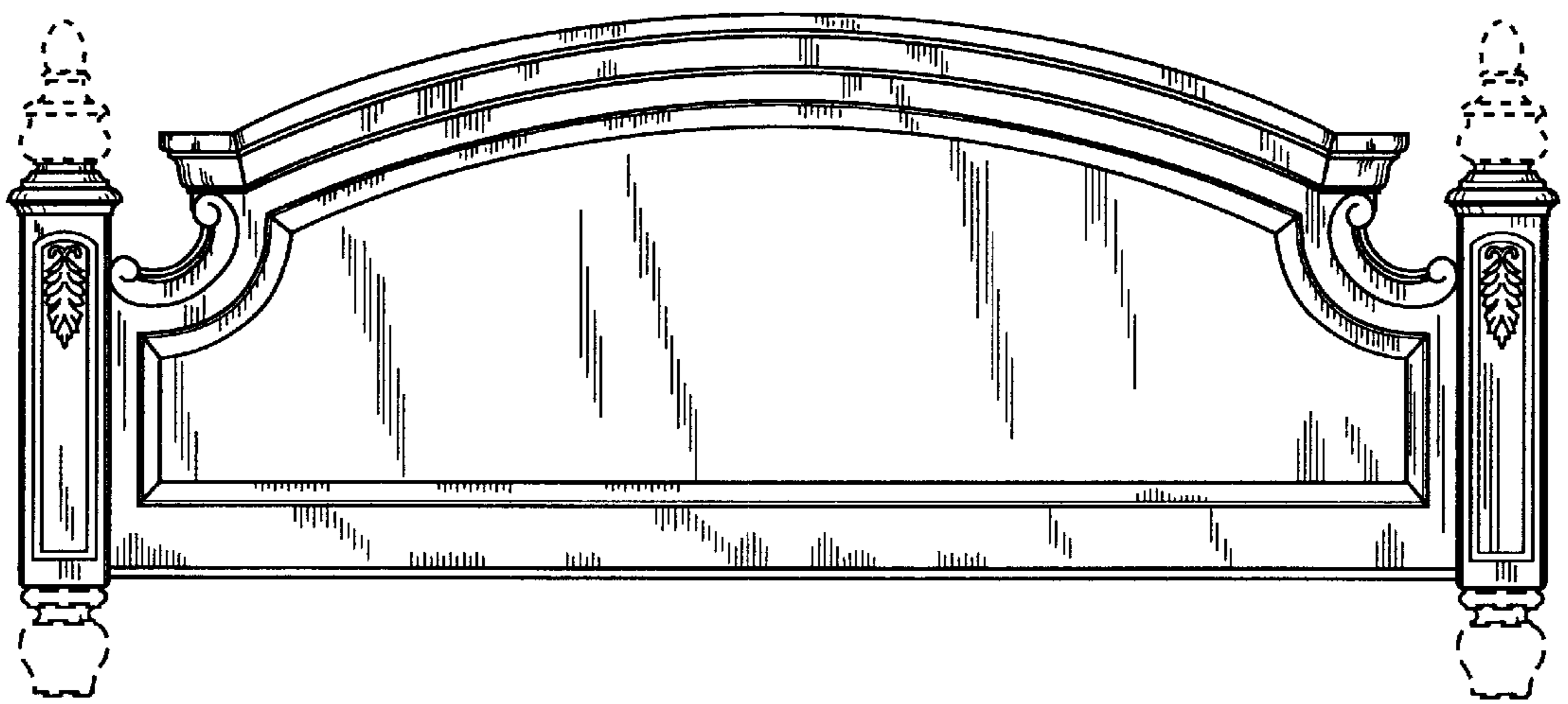


FIG. 4