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(54) **VENETIAN ROPE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a chain called venetian rope,
substantially as shown and described.

(**) Term: **14 Years**

DESCRIPTION

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The chain may be used to construct necklaces, rings, ear
rings other jewelry items that can be constructed from chain.
FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of an arbitrary length of the
ornamental chain showing the new design;

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FIG. 2 is a front view of an embodiment of a segment of the
ornamental chain showing the new design, the segment
having open ends for receiving additional links;

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FIG. 3 is a side view of the segment of ornamental chain
shown in FIG. 2;

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FIG. 4 is a front elevational view of a single link used to
create the ornamental chain of FIG. 2; and,

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FIG. 5 is a front elevational view of another embodiment a
single link used to create the ornamental chain of FIG. 2,
wherein the link is constructed from a segmented portion
and a non-segmented portion, and wherein the non-seg-
mented portion is not visible when placed into the ornamen-
tal chain.

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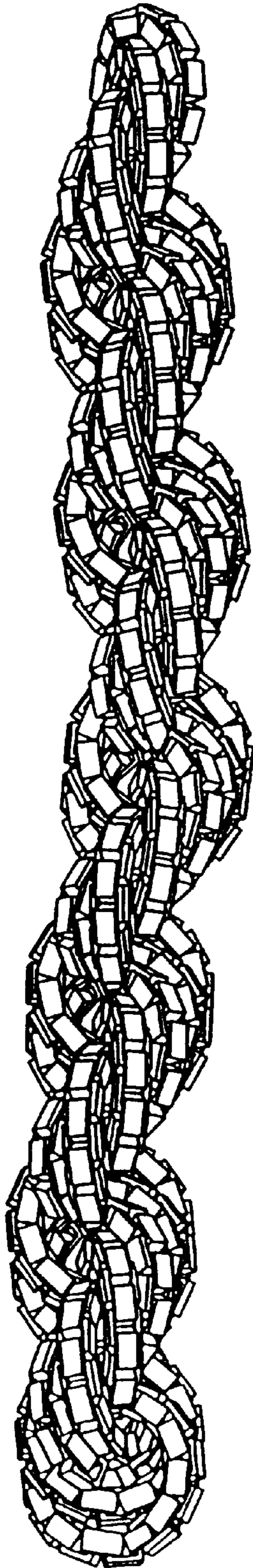


FIG. 1

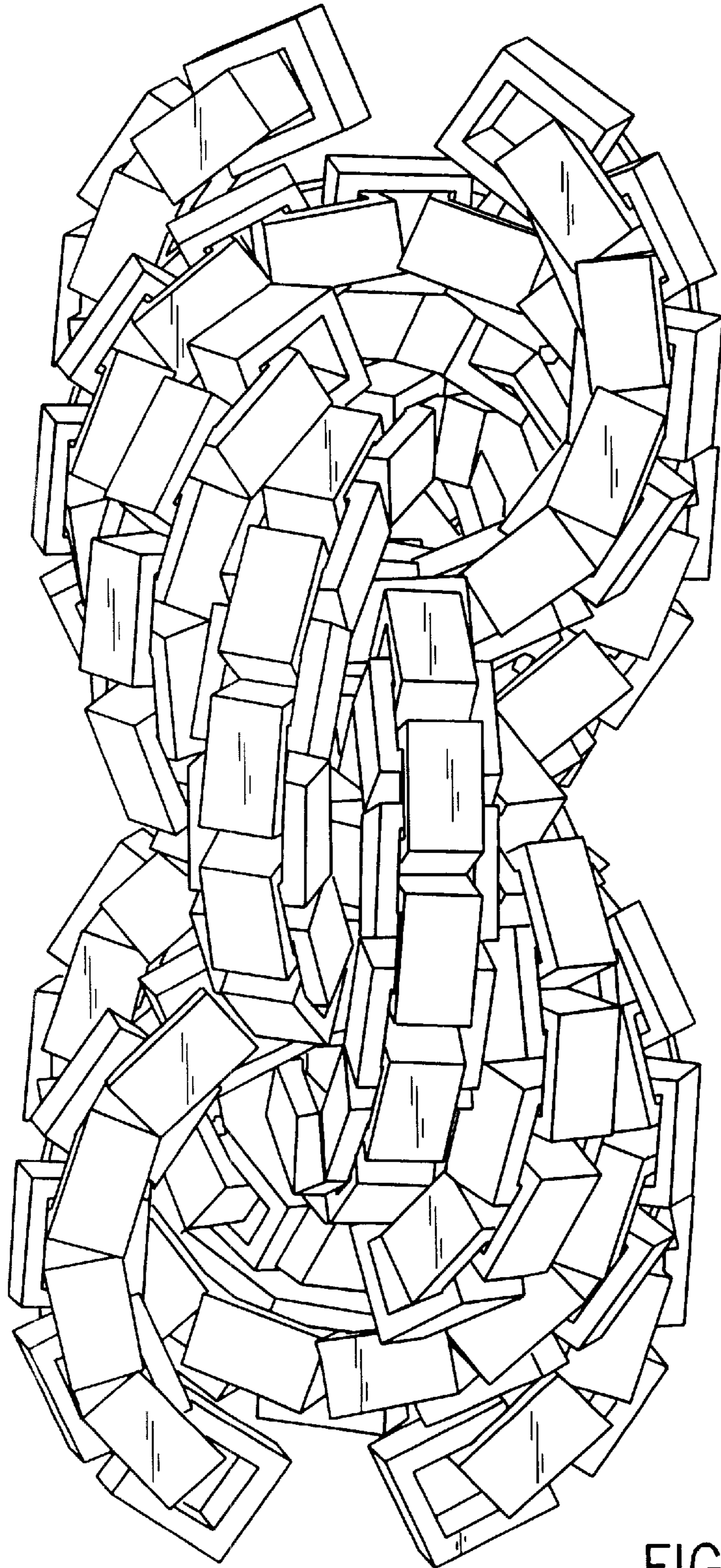


FIG. 2

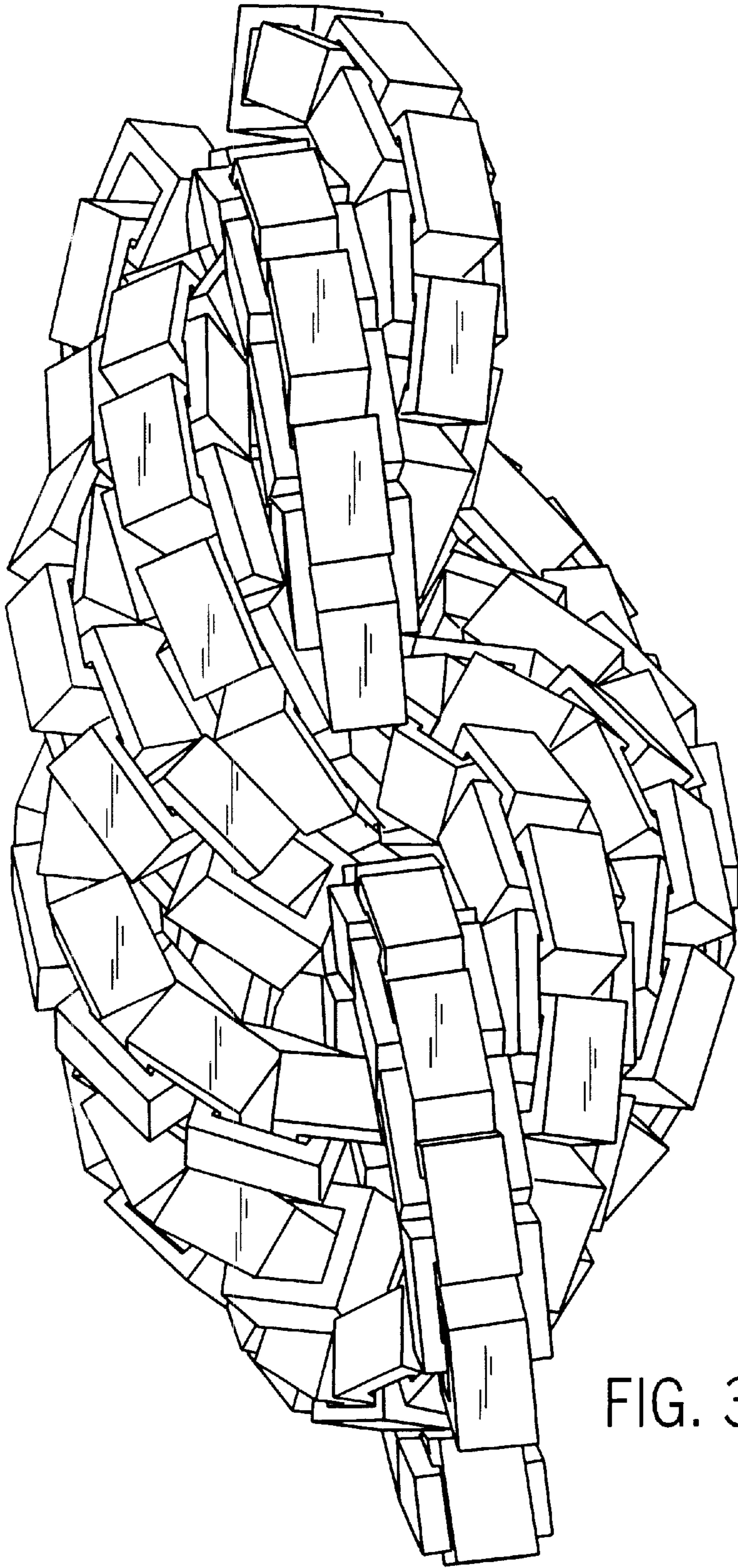


FIG. 3

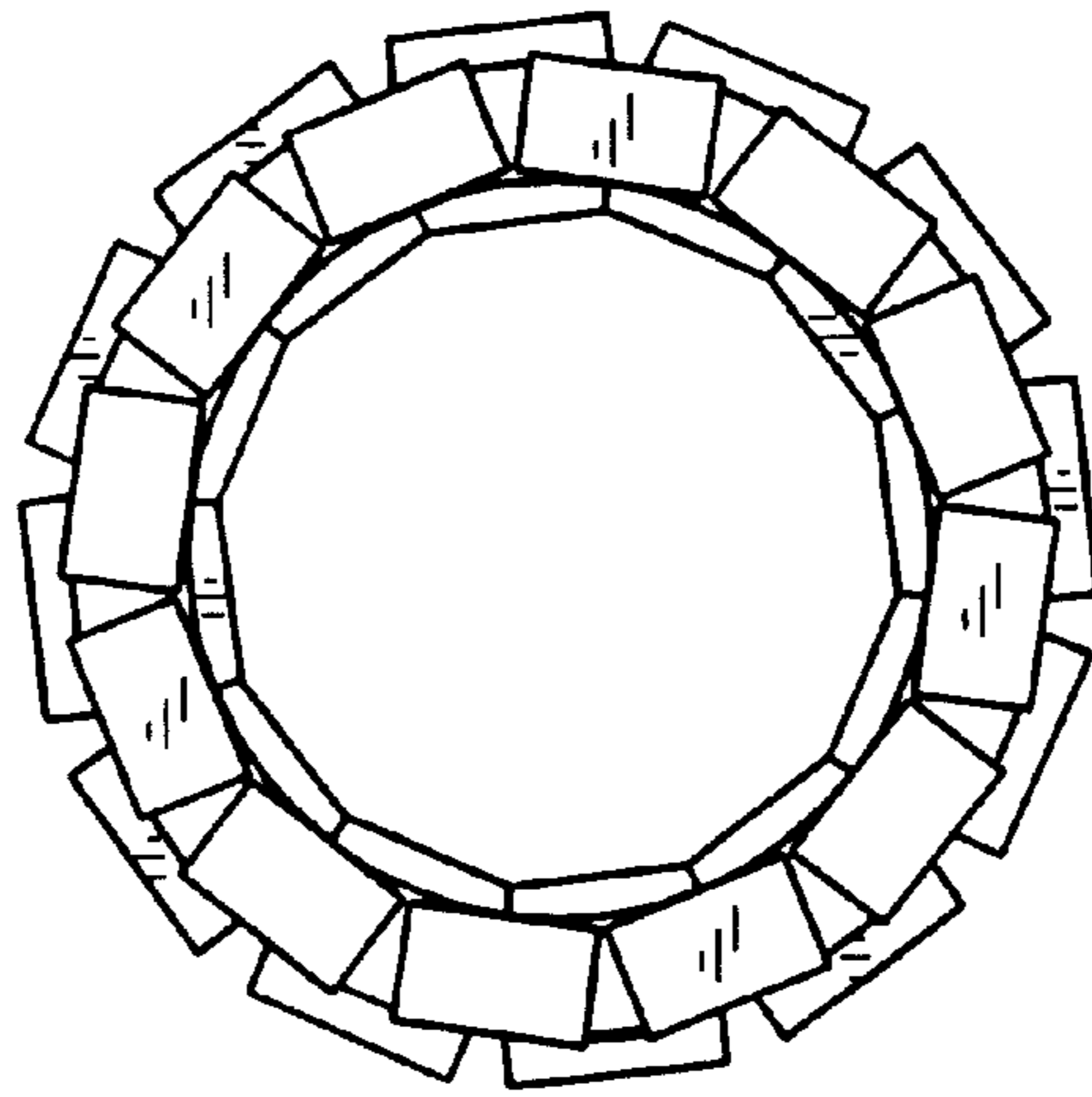


FIG. 4

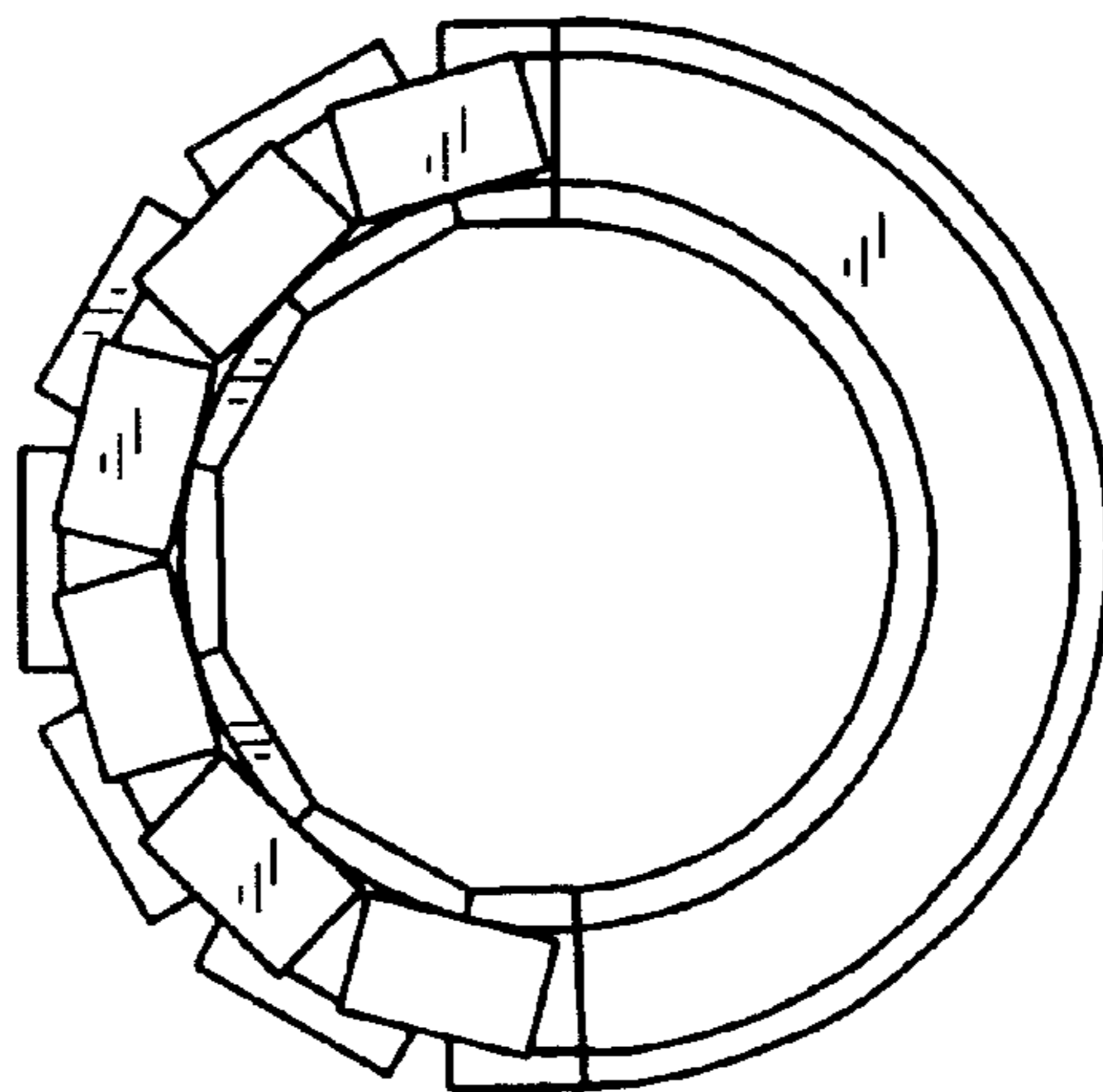


FIG. 5