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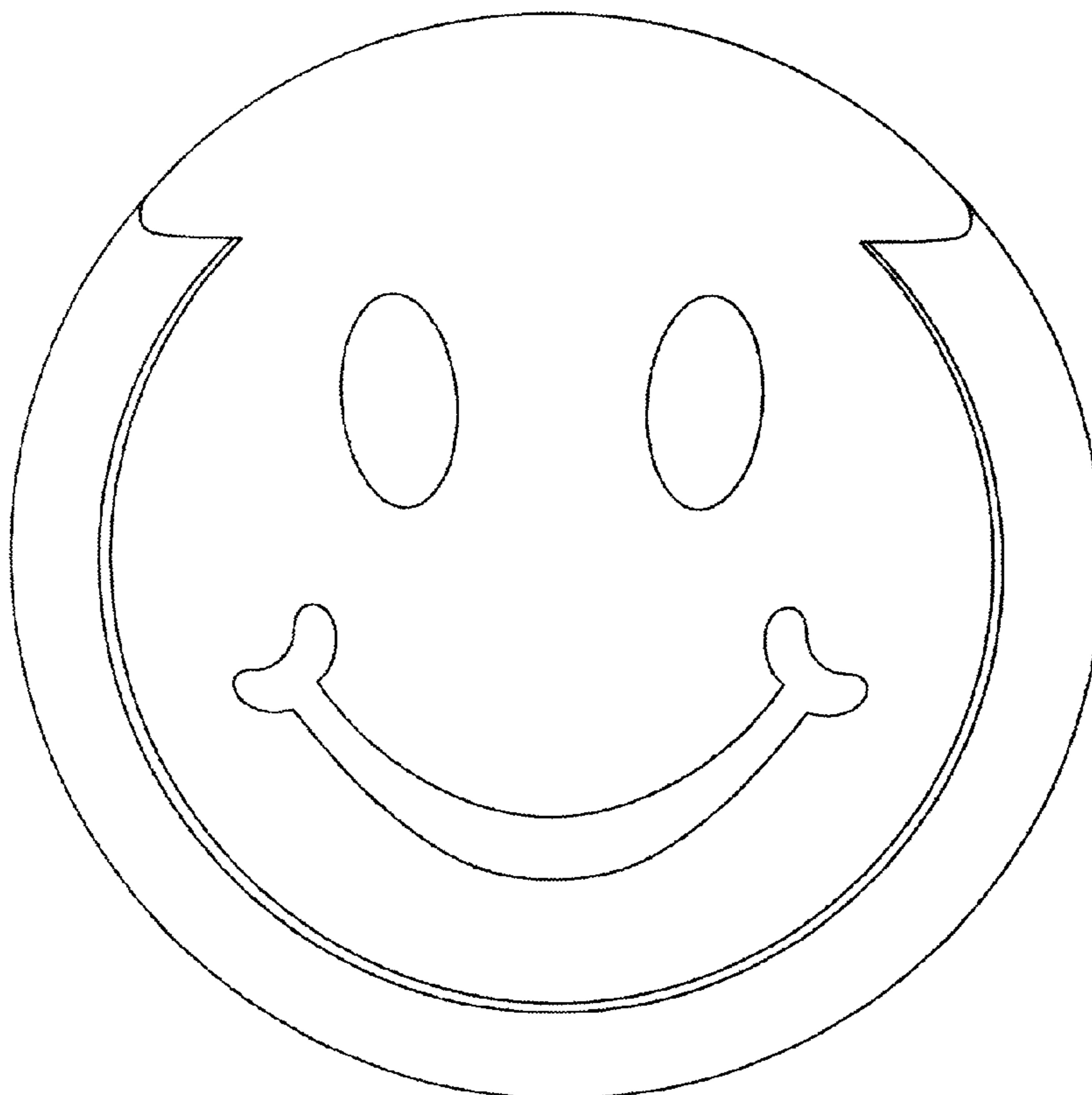
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a paper fastener, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a paper fastener showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a rear elevational view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a bottom edge view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top edge view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a left side elevational view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a second front elevational view thereof; and,
FIG. 8 is a second rear elevational view thereof.
The sheets of lined paper depicted by means of broken lines in FIGS. 7 and 8 have been shown for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



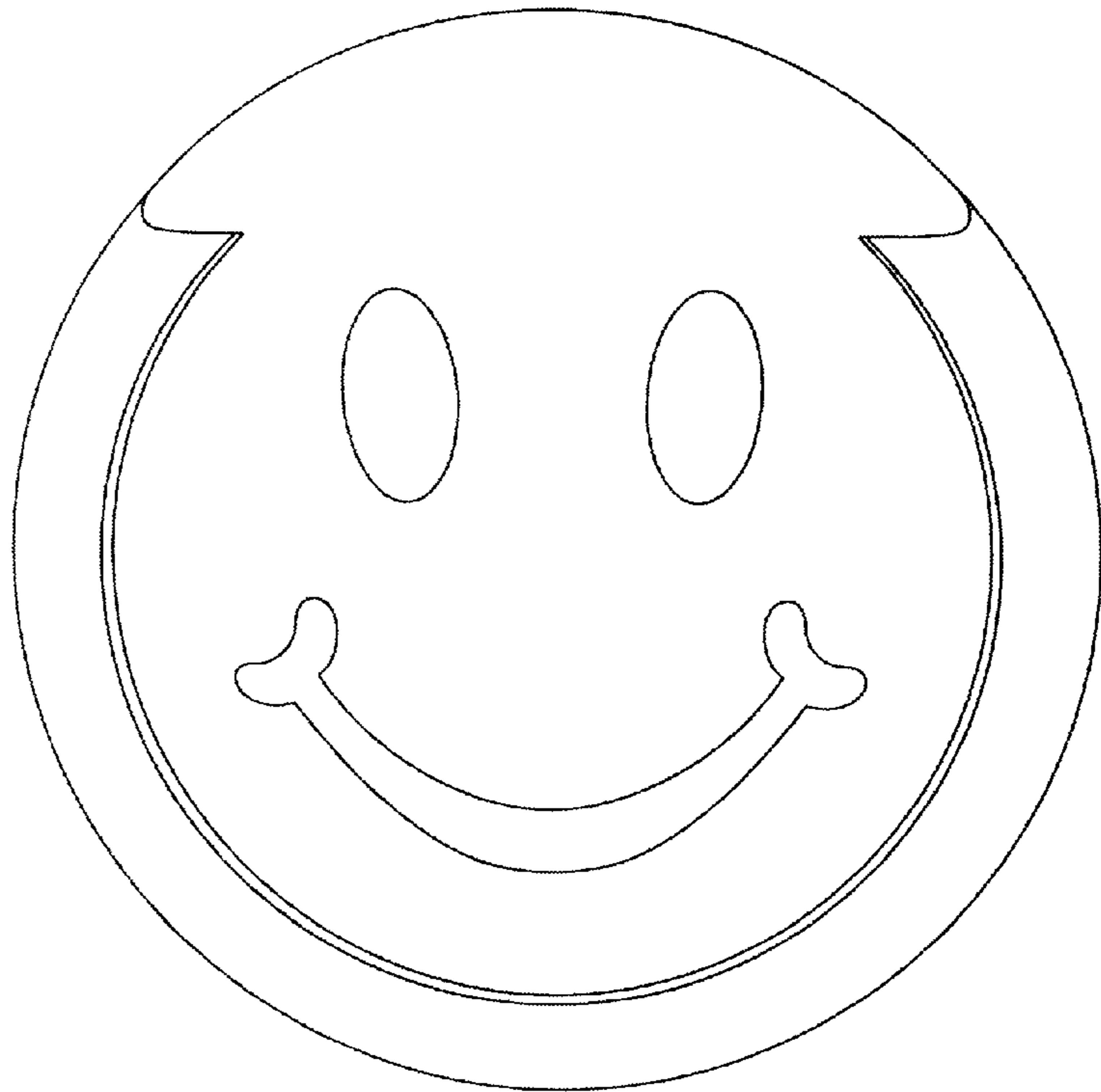


Figure 1

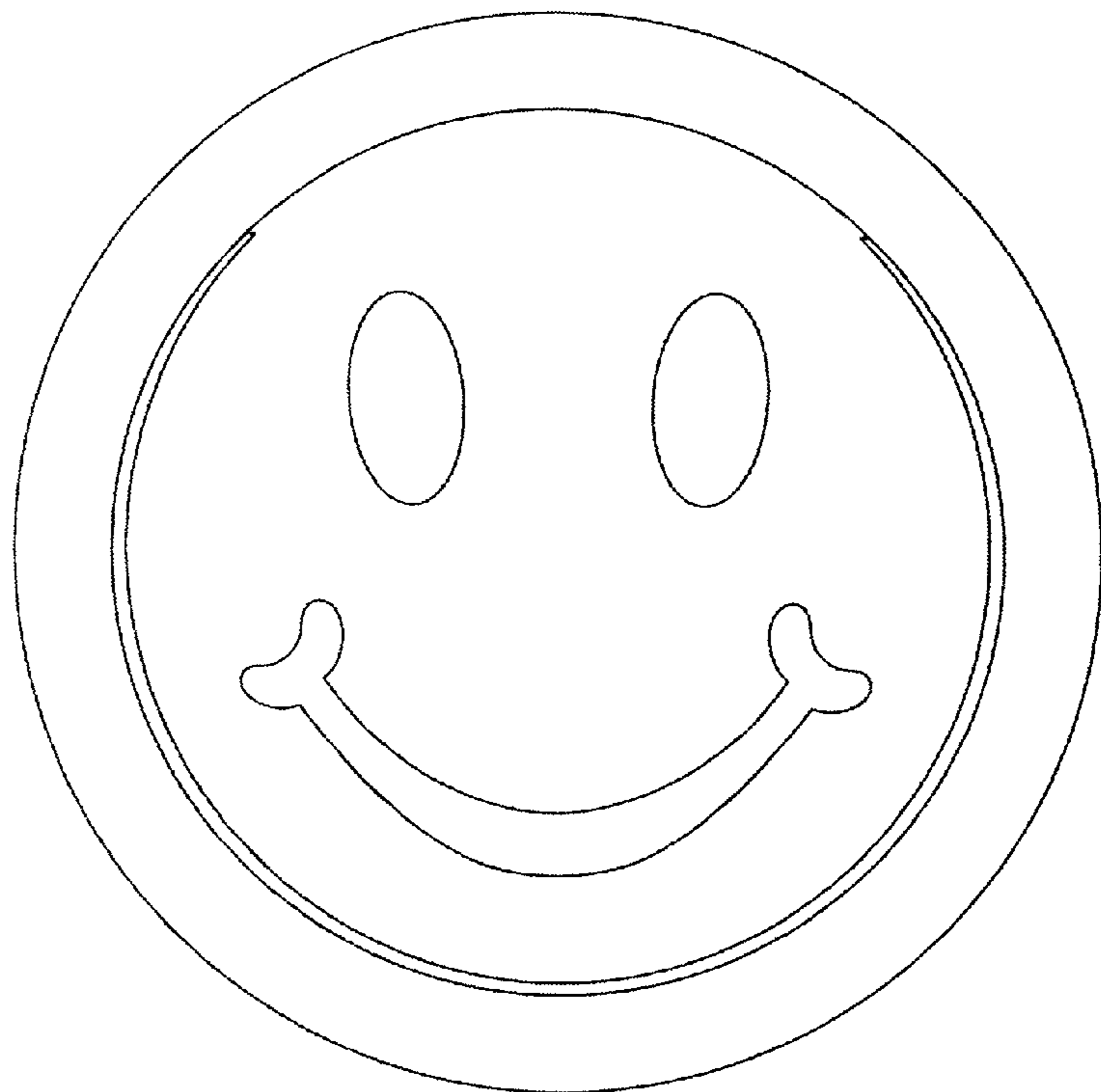


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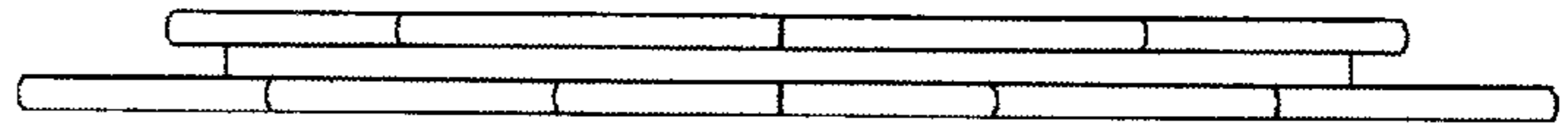


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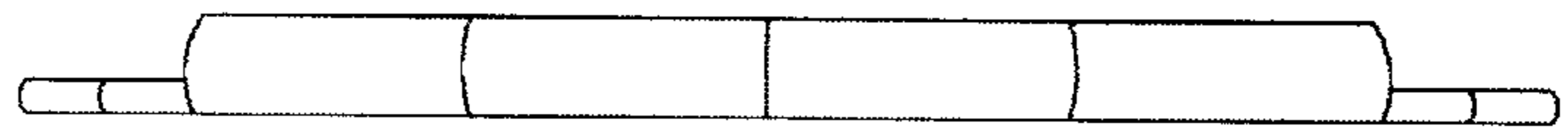


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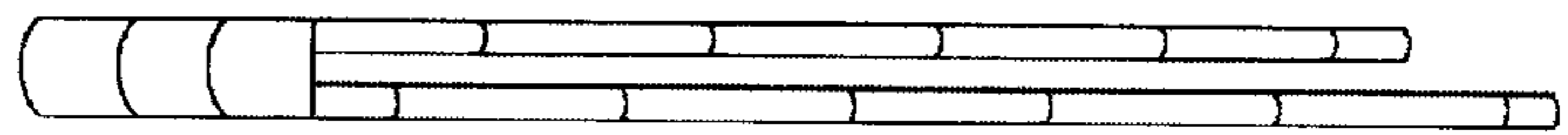
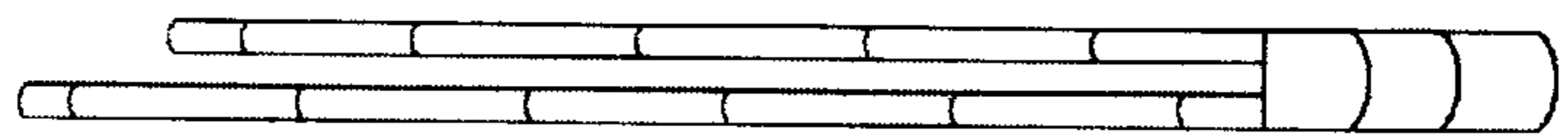


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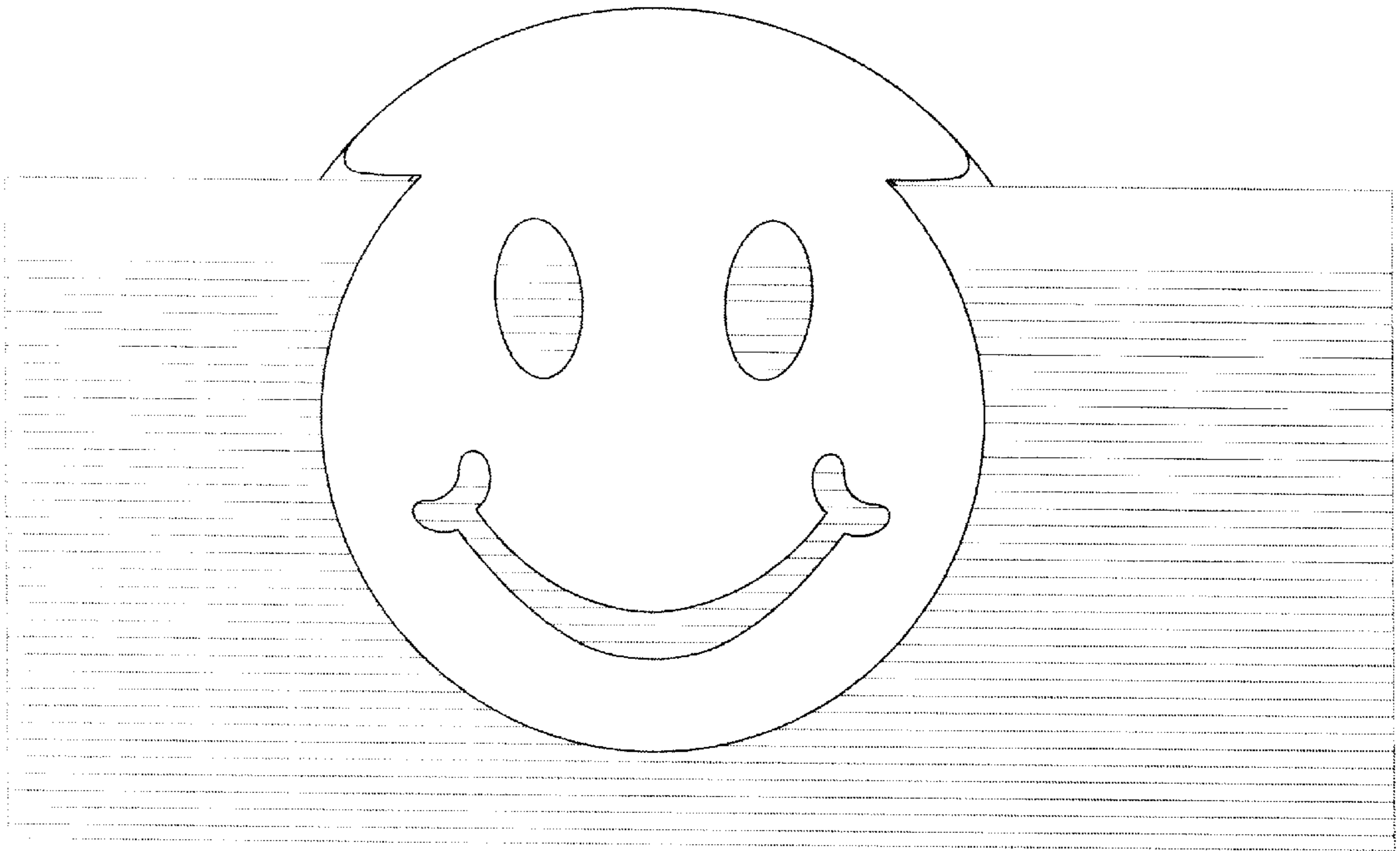


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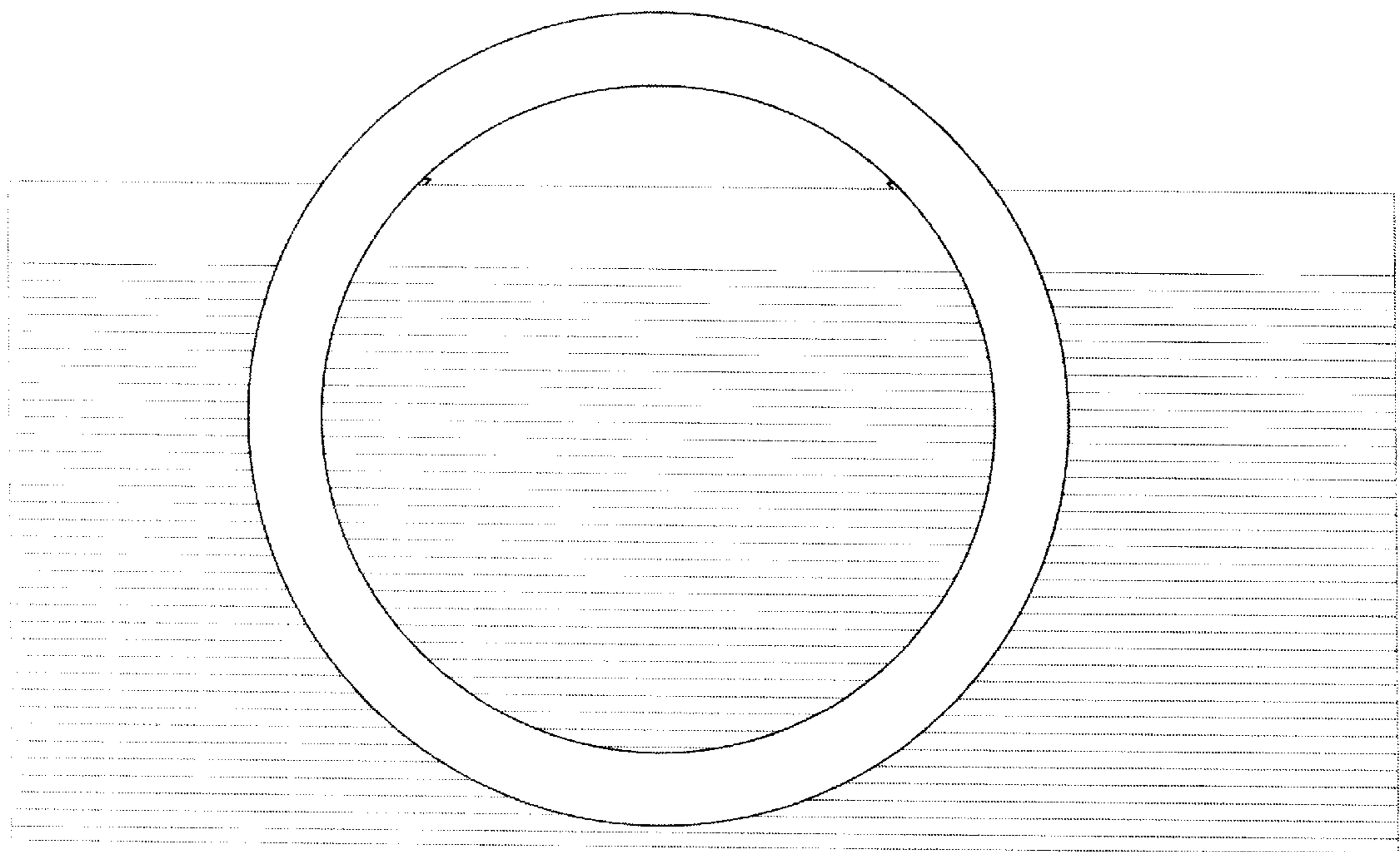


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