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(54) **GOLF BALL CONTAINER**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a golf ball container, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a top plan view of the golf ball container showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a front elevation view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a right side elevation view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is a rear elevation view thereof.

The broken line showing of golf balls is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

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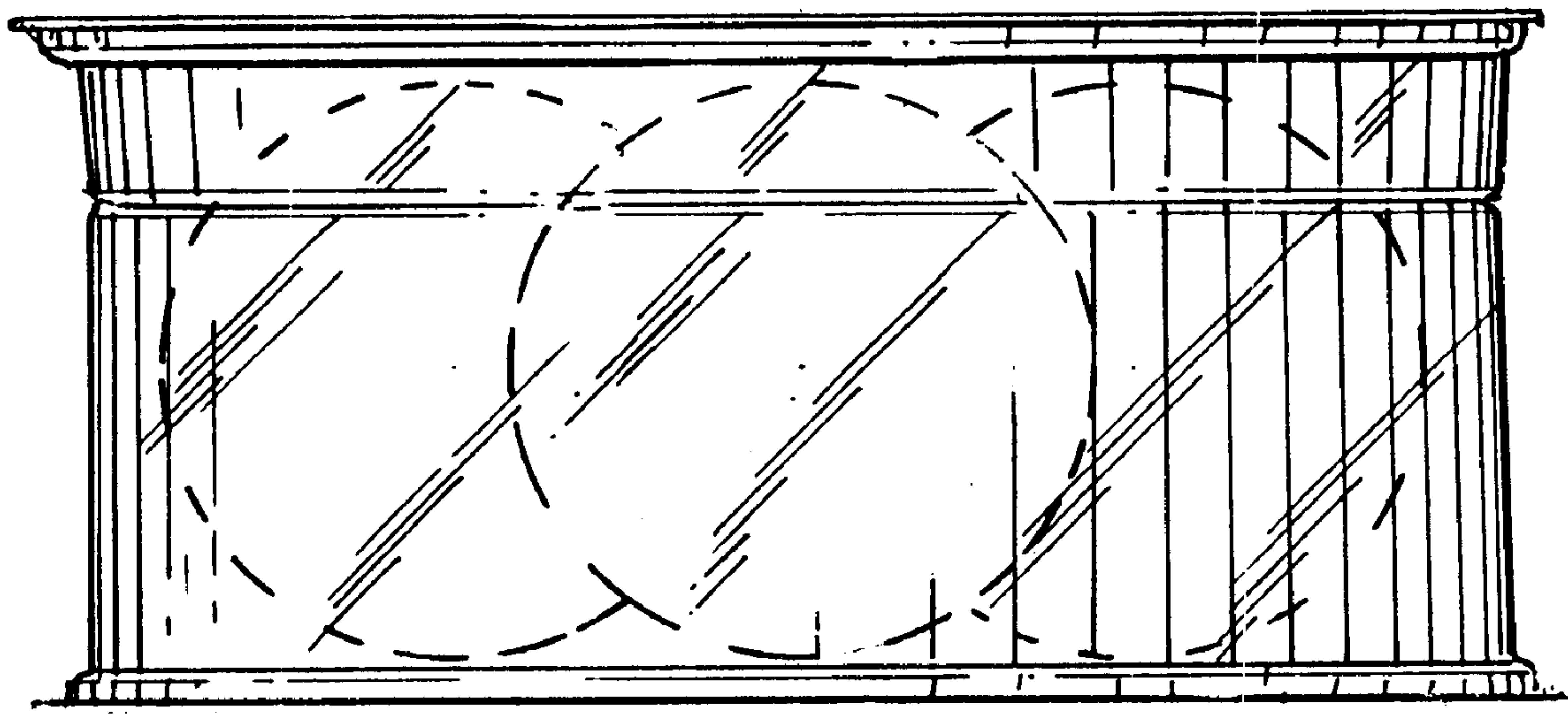


FIG. 1

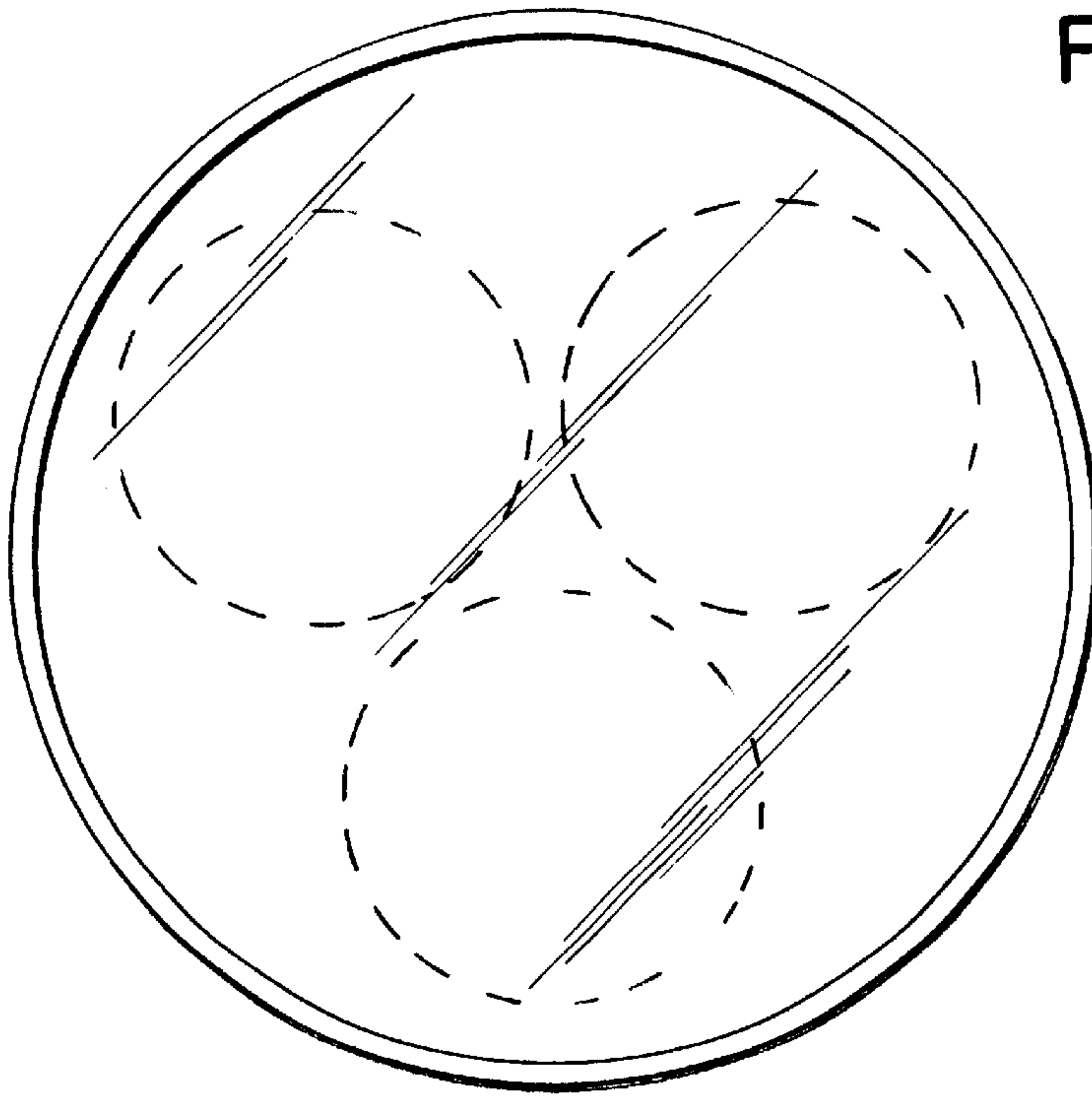
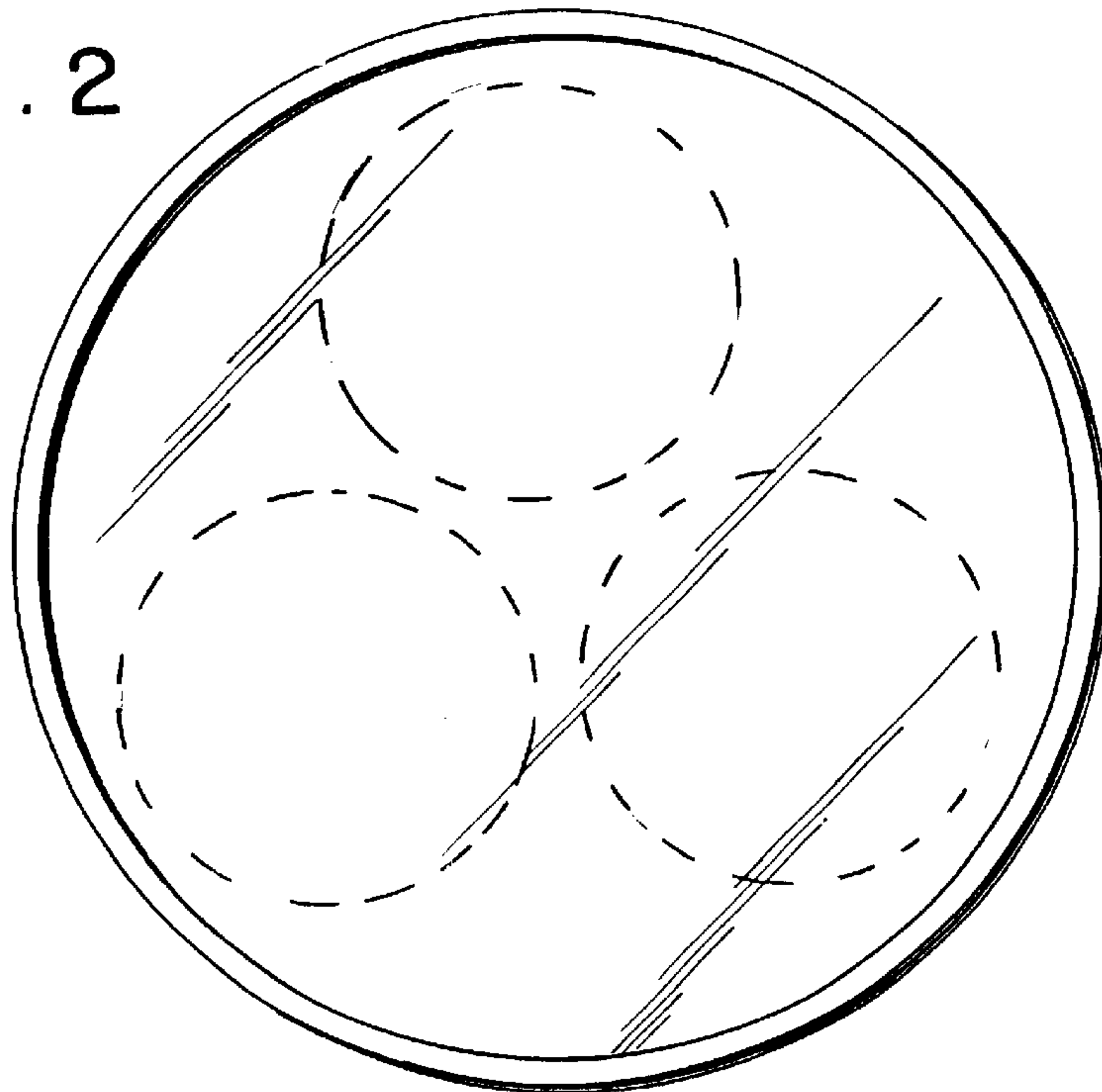


FIG. 2



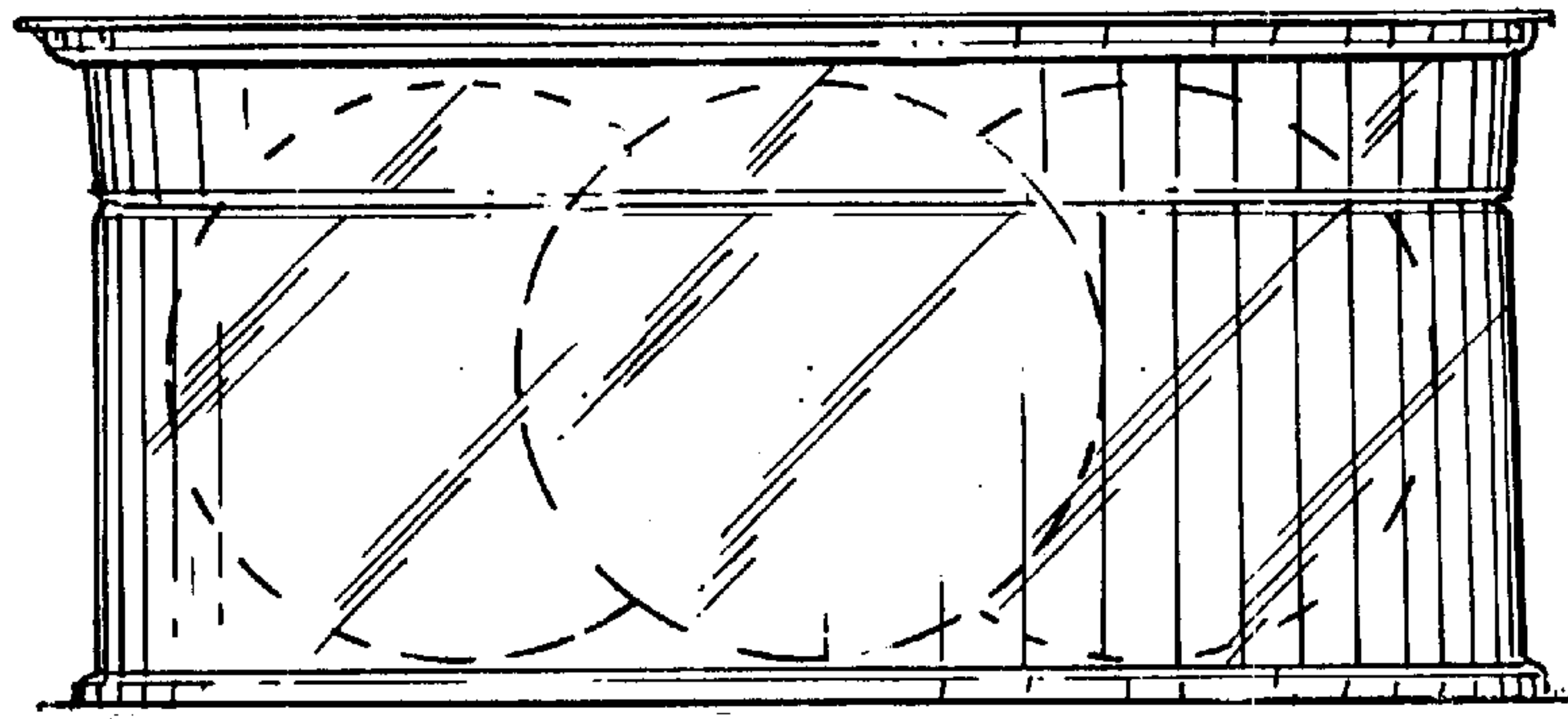


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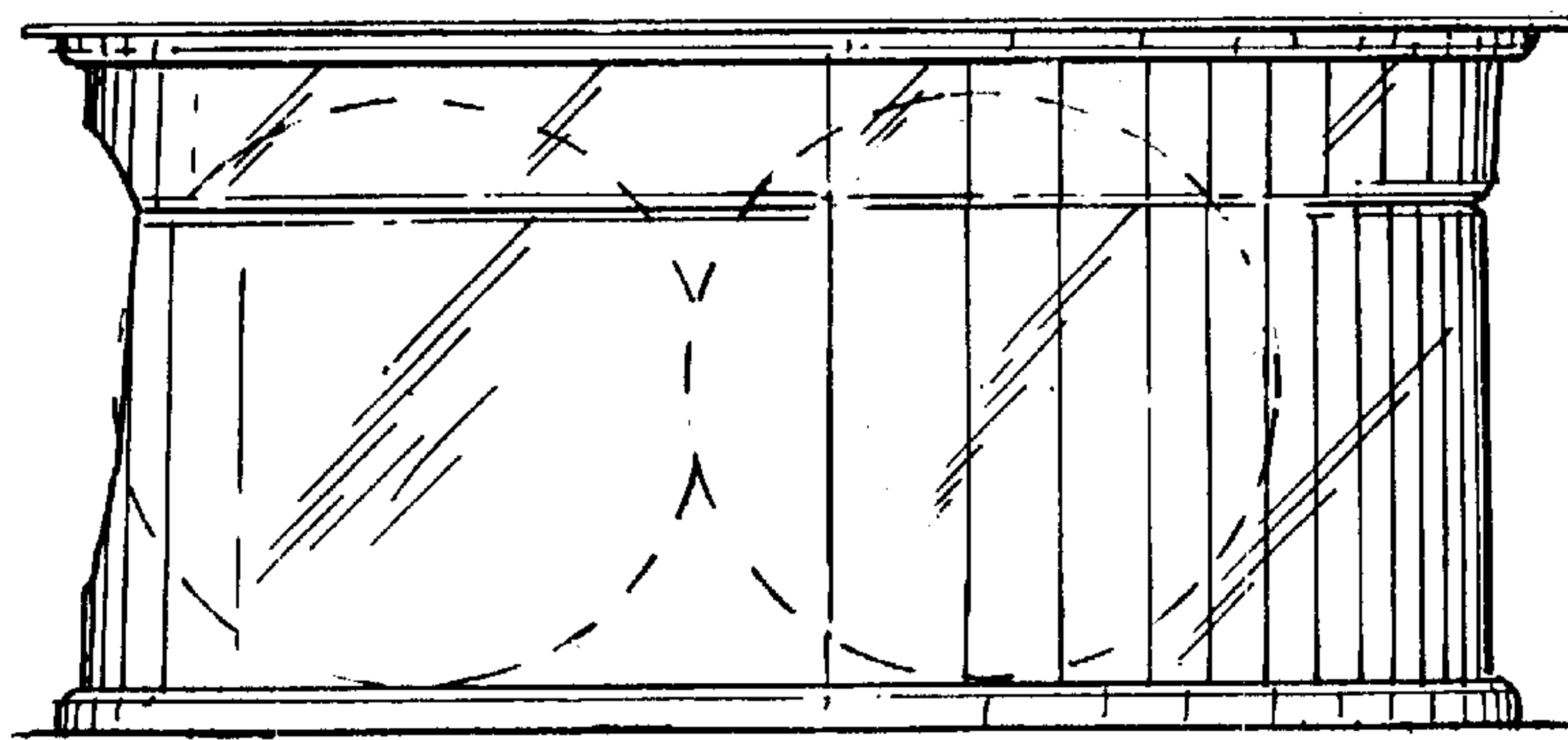


FIG. 4

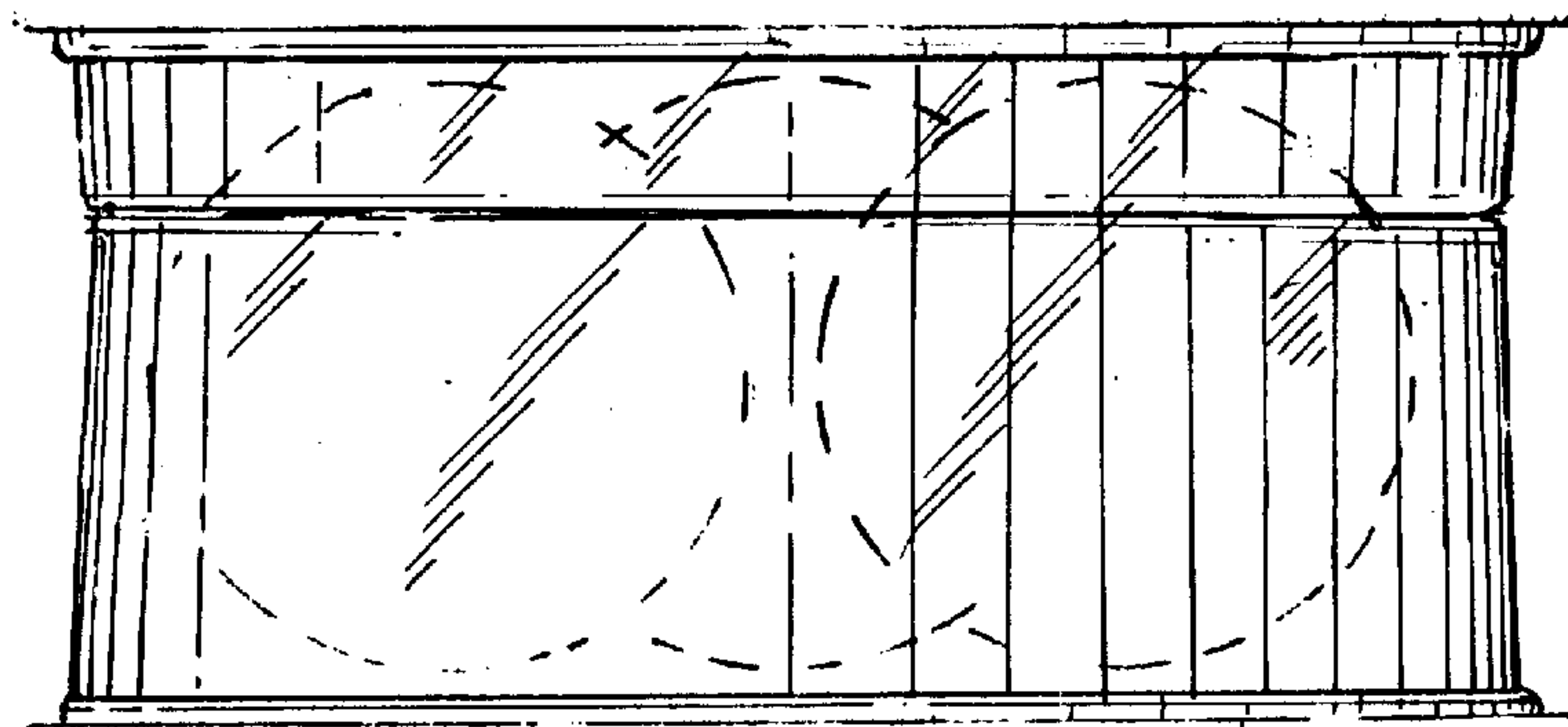


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