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(54) **ERGONOMIC ELECTRONIC INPUT DEVICE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an ergonomic electronic input device, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a right handed ergonomic electronic input device showing my new design, including a scrolling wheel;

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FIG. 2 is a rear perspective view of FIG. 1;

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FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view of FIG. 1;

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FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view of FIG. 1;

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FIG. 5 is a front elevational view of FIG. 1;

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FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 7 is a top plan view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 8 is a bottom plan of FIG. 1;

FIG. 9 is a front perspective view of a second embodiment of FIG. 1; including a trackball;

FIG. 10 is rear perspective view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 11 is a left side elevational view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 12 is a right side elevational view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 13 is a front elevational view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 14 is a rear elevational view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 15 is a top plan view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 16 is a bottom plan view of FIG. 9;

FIG. 17 is a bottom plan view of a third embodiment of FIG. 1, including a roller device;

FIG. 18 is a bottom plan view of a fourth embodiment of FIG. 1, including a hole for a laser light source;

FIG. 19 is a front perspective view of a fifth embodiment of FIG. 1 shown as a left handed device; and,

FIG. 20 is rear perspective view of a FIG. 19.

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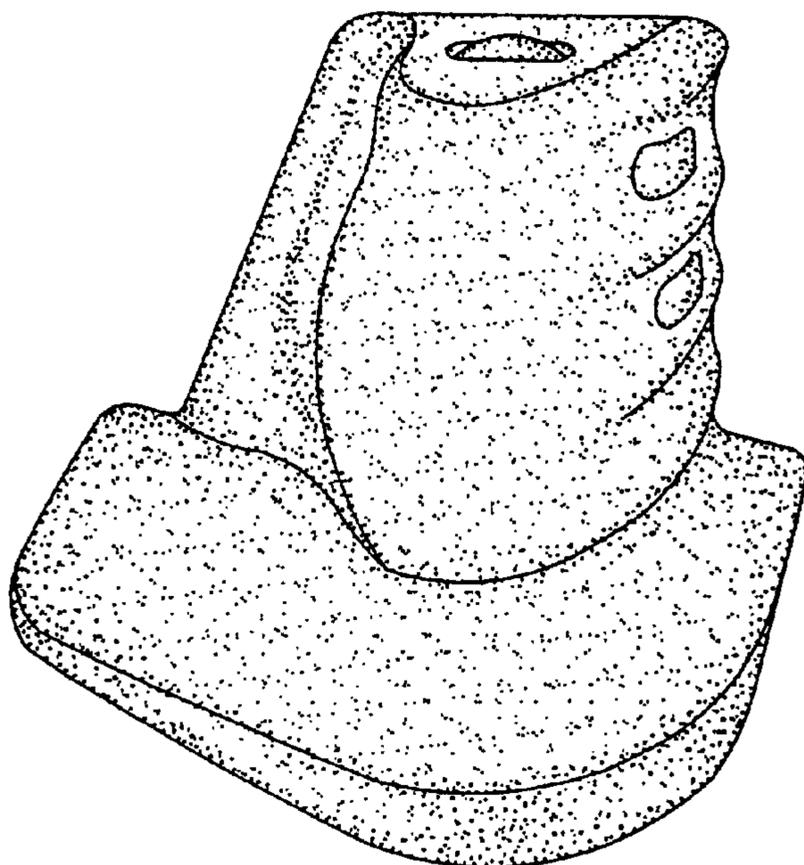


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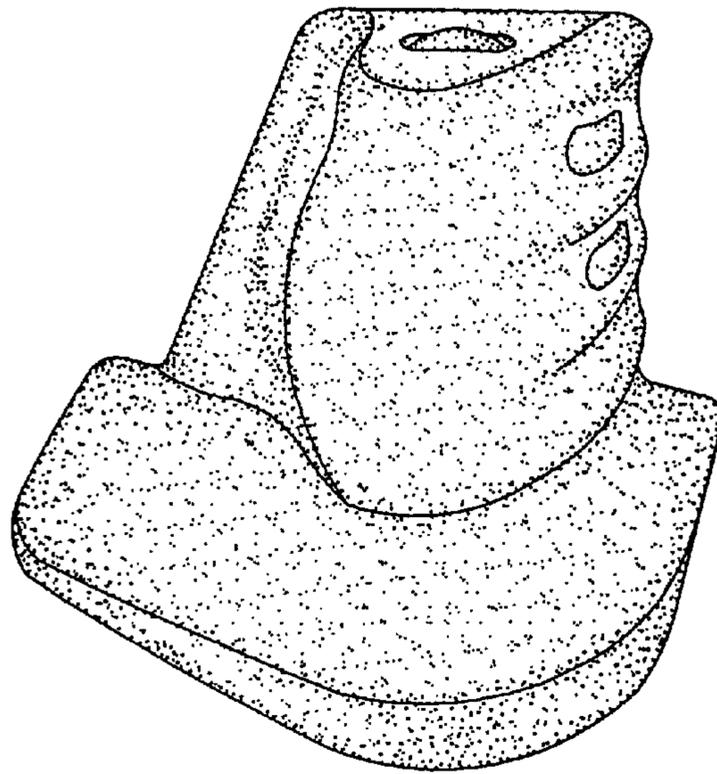


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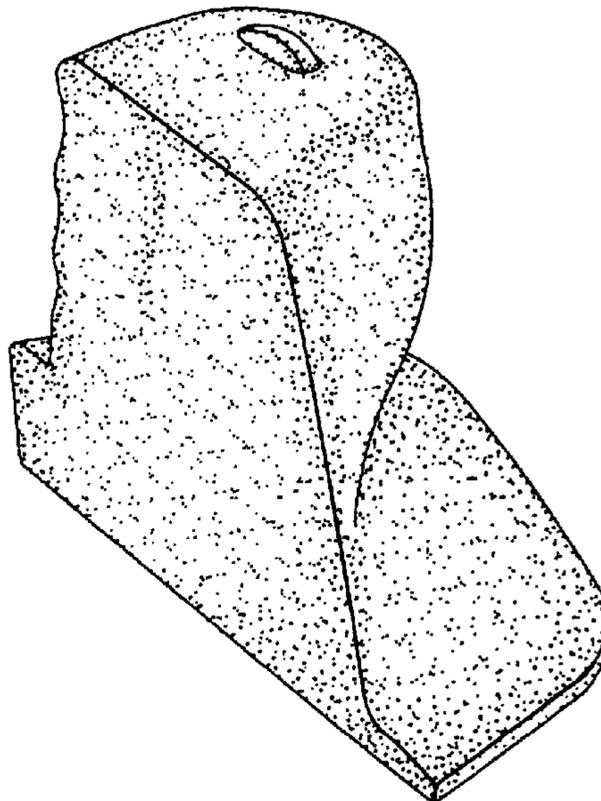


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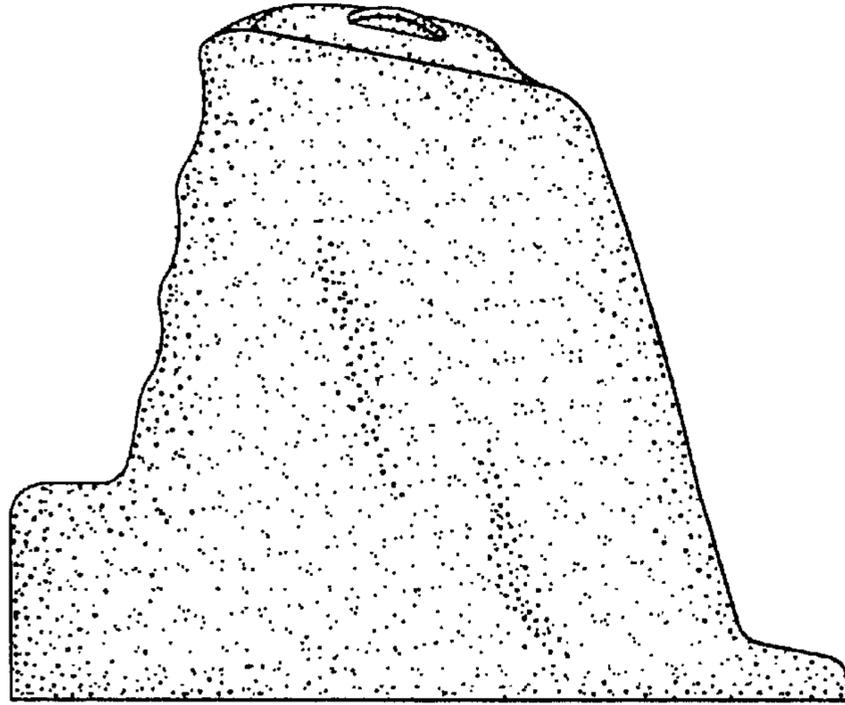


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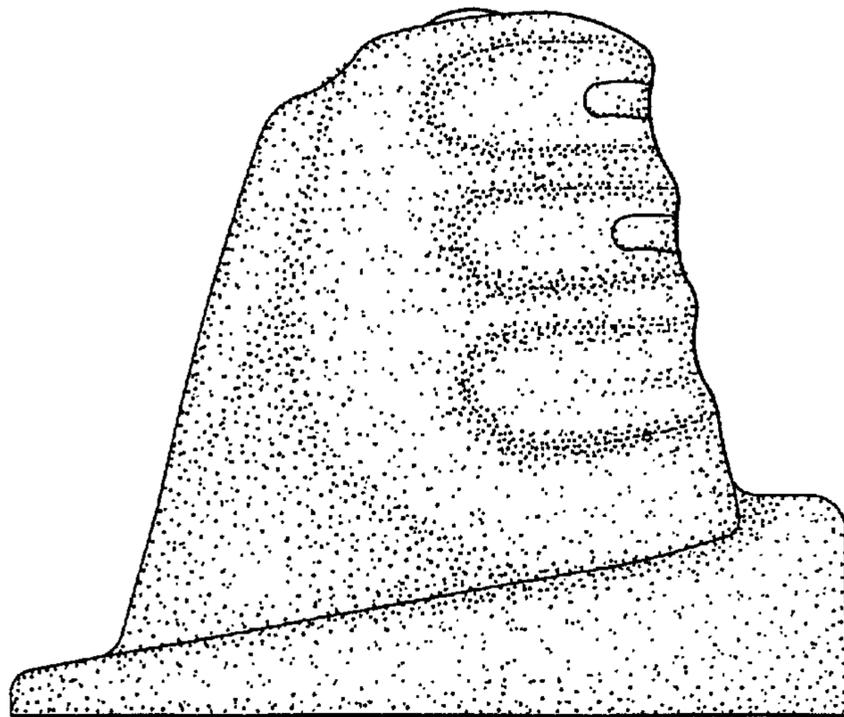


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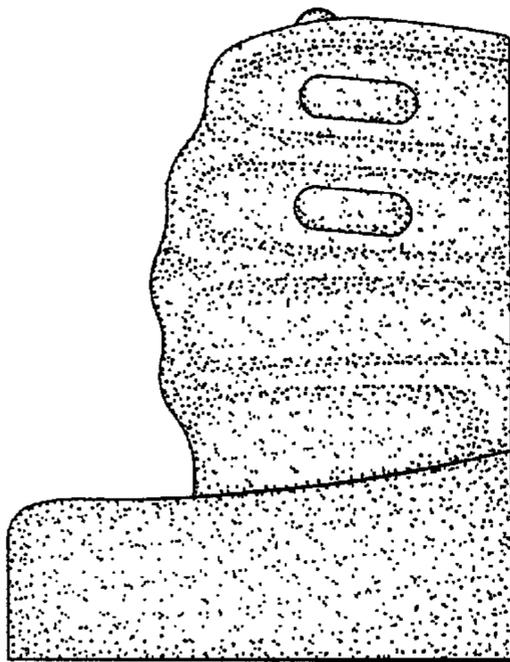


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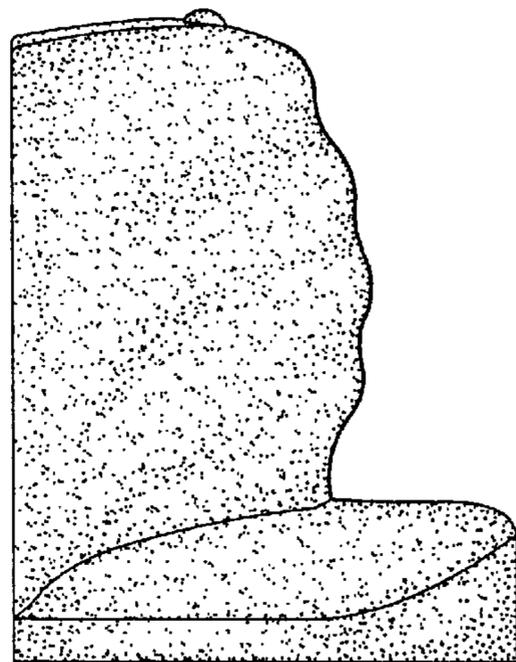


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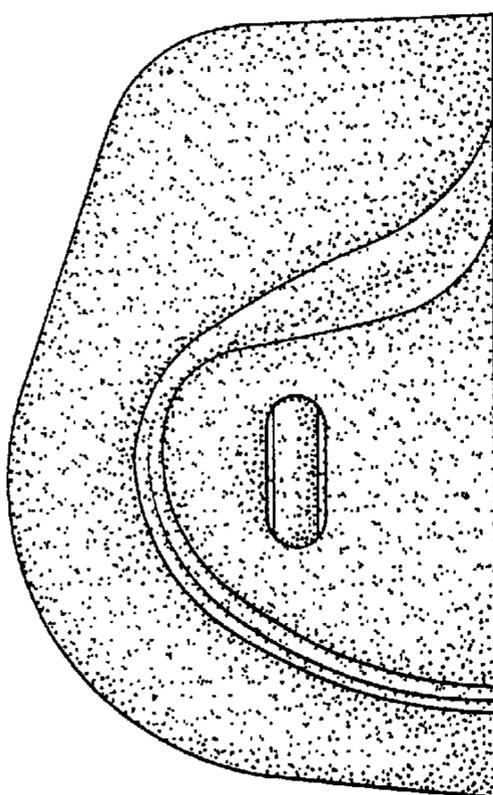


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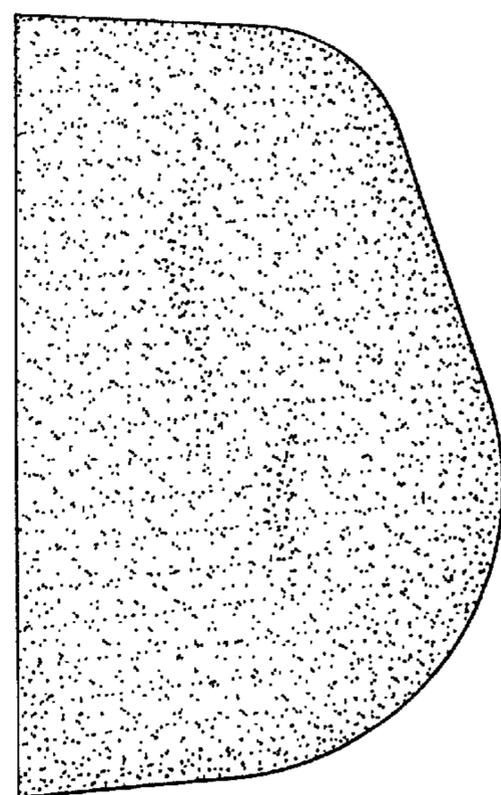


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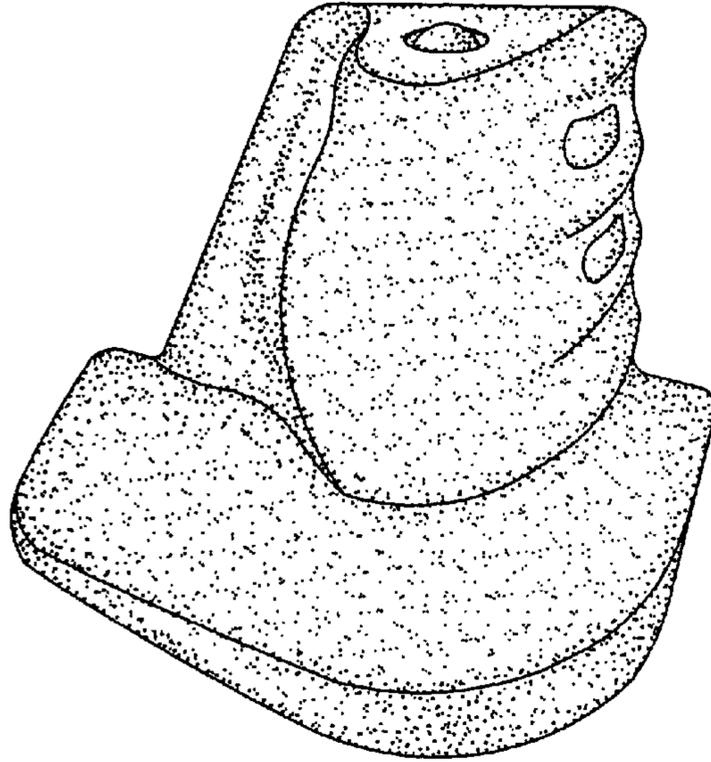


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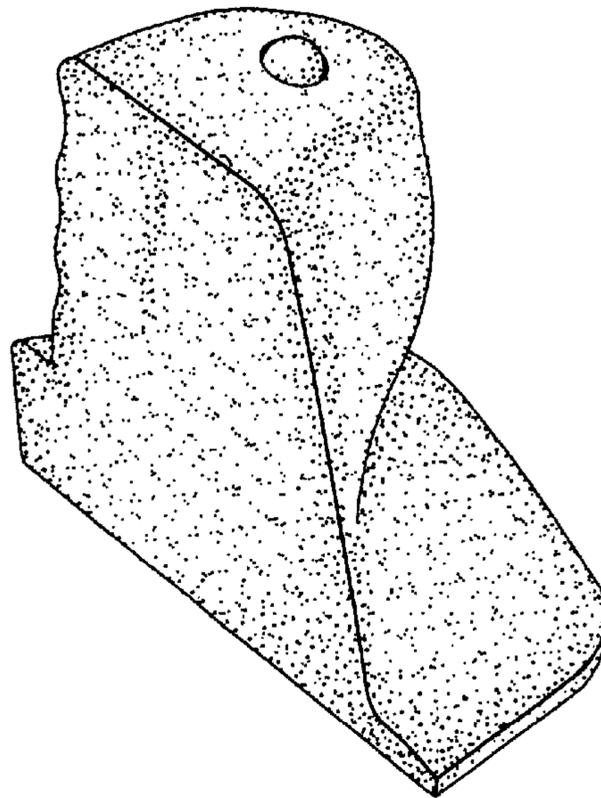


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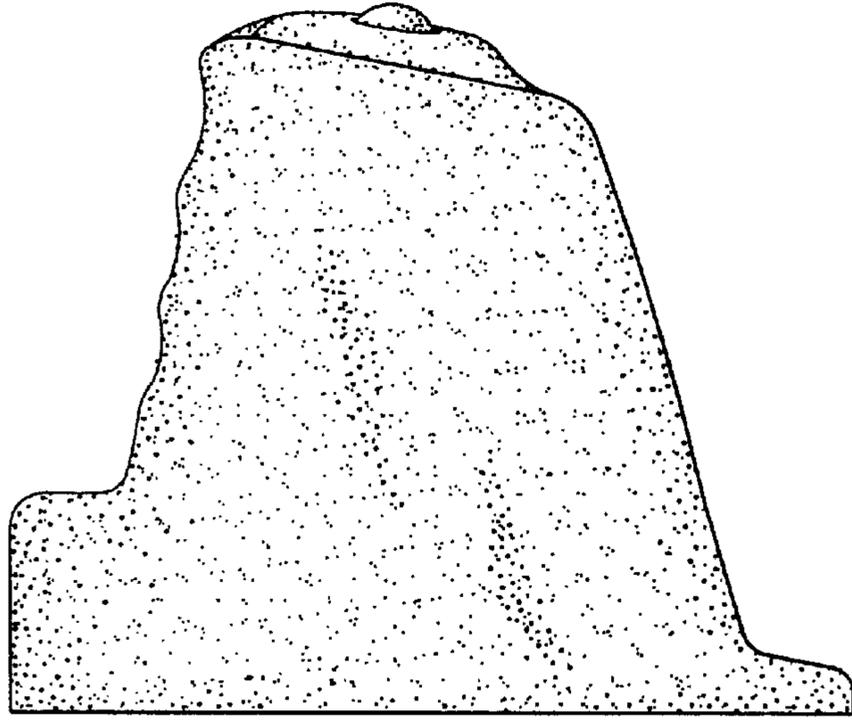


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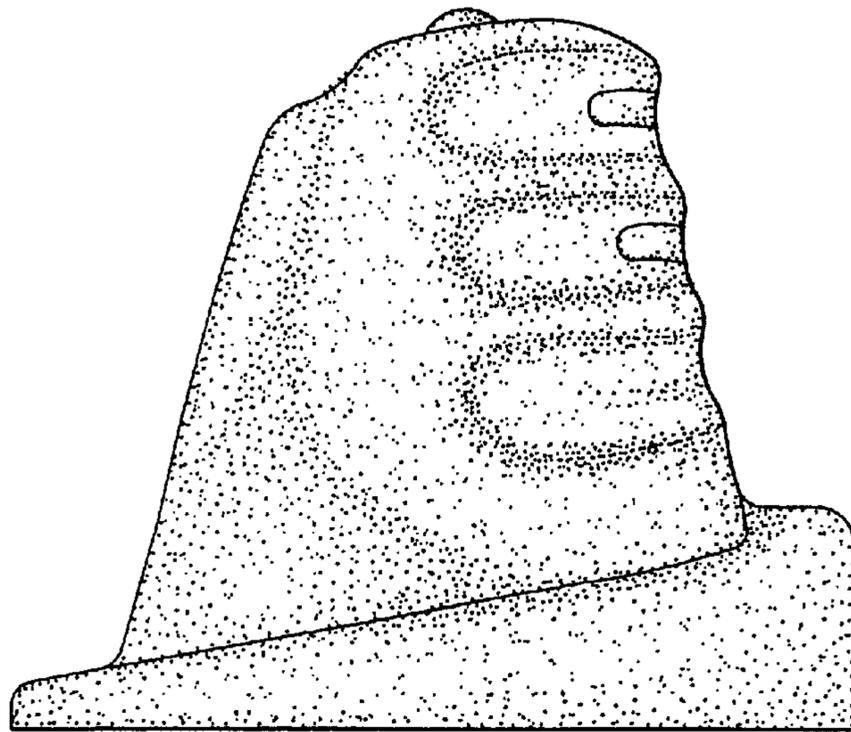


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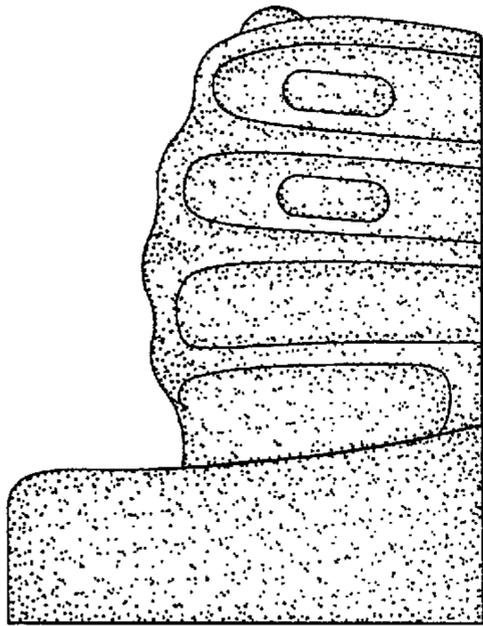


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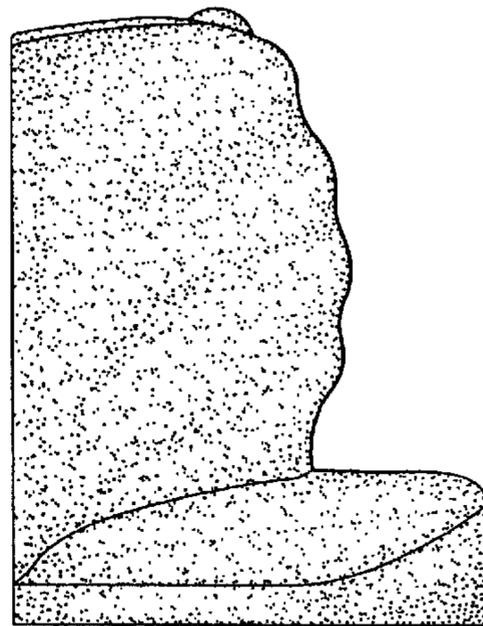


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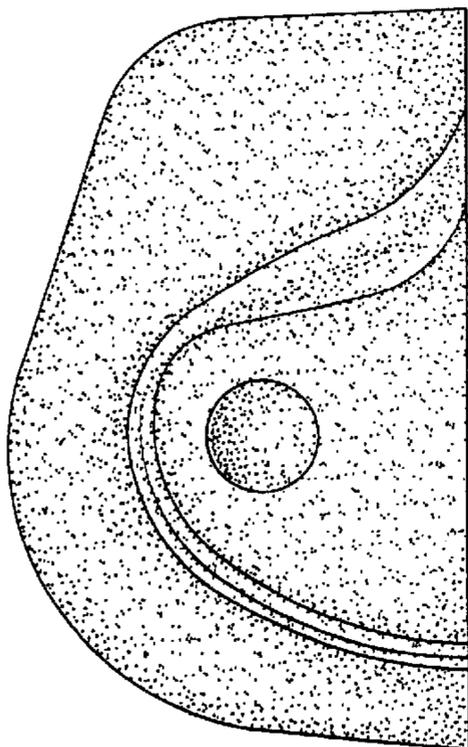


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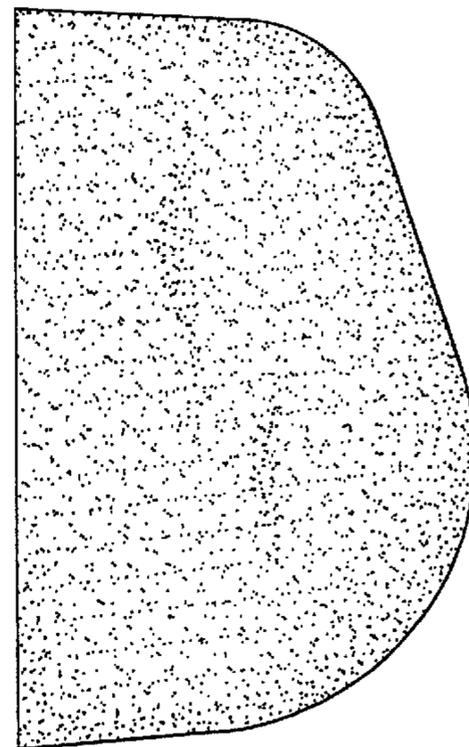


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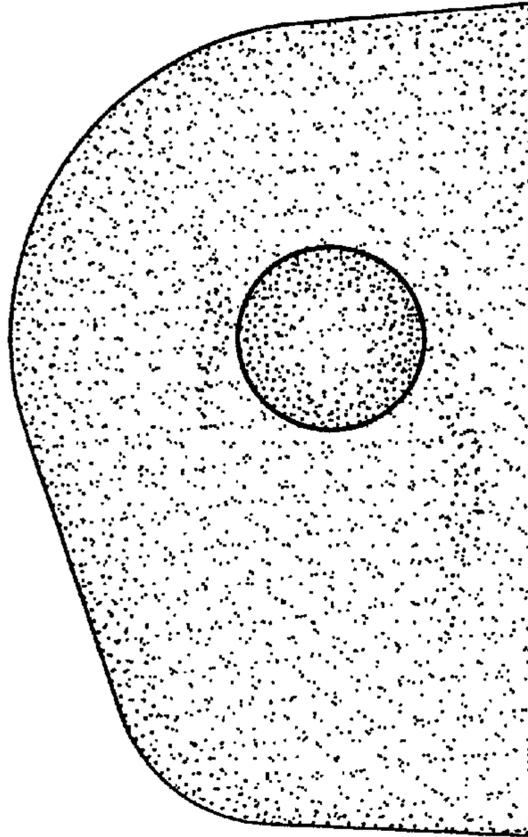


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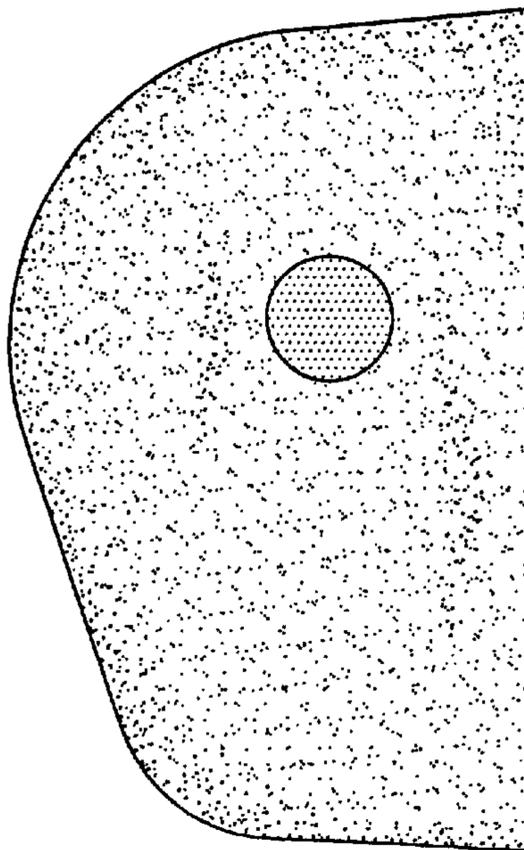


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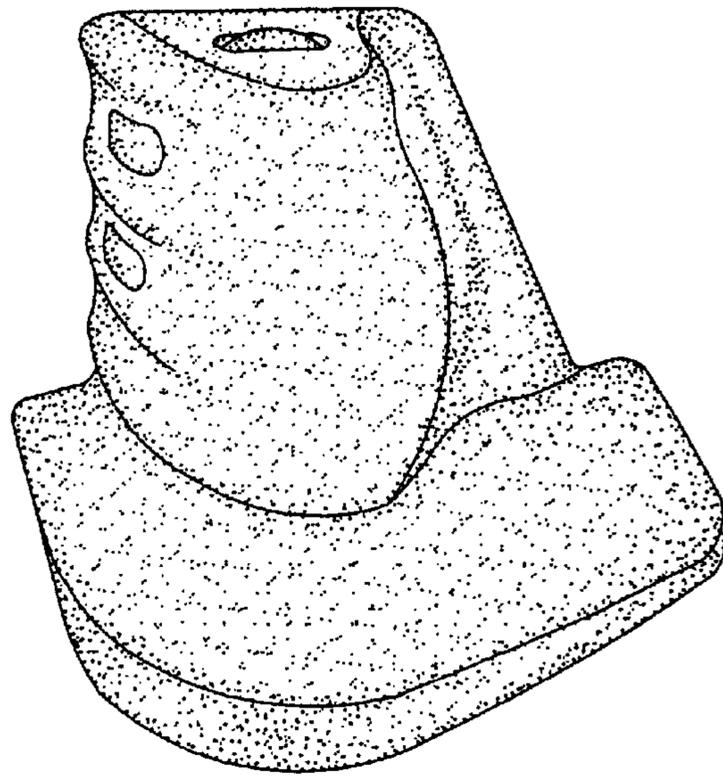


FIG. 20

