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(54) **SPONGE**

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

DESCRIPTION

(56) **References Cited**

FIG. 1 is a top, front, perspective view of a sponge showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a left side elevation view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

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FIG. 4 is a rear elevation view thereof.

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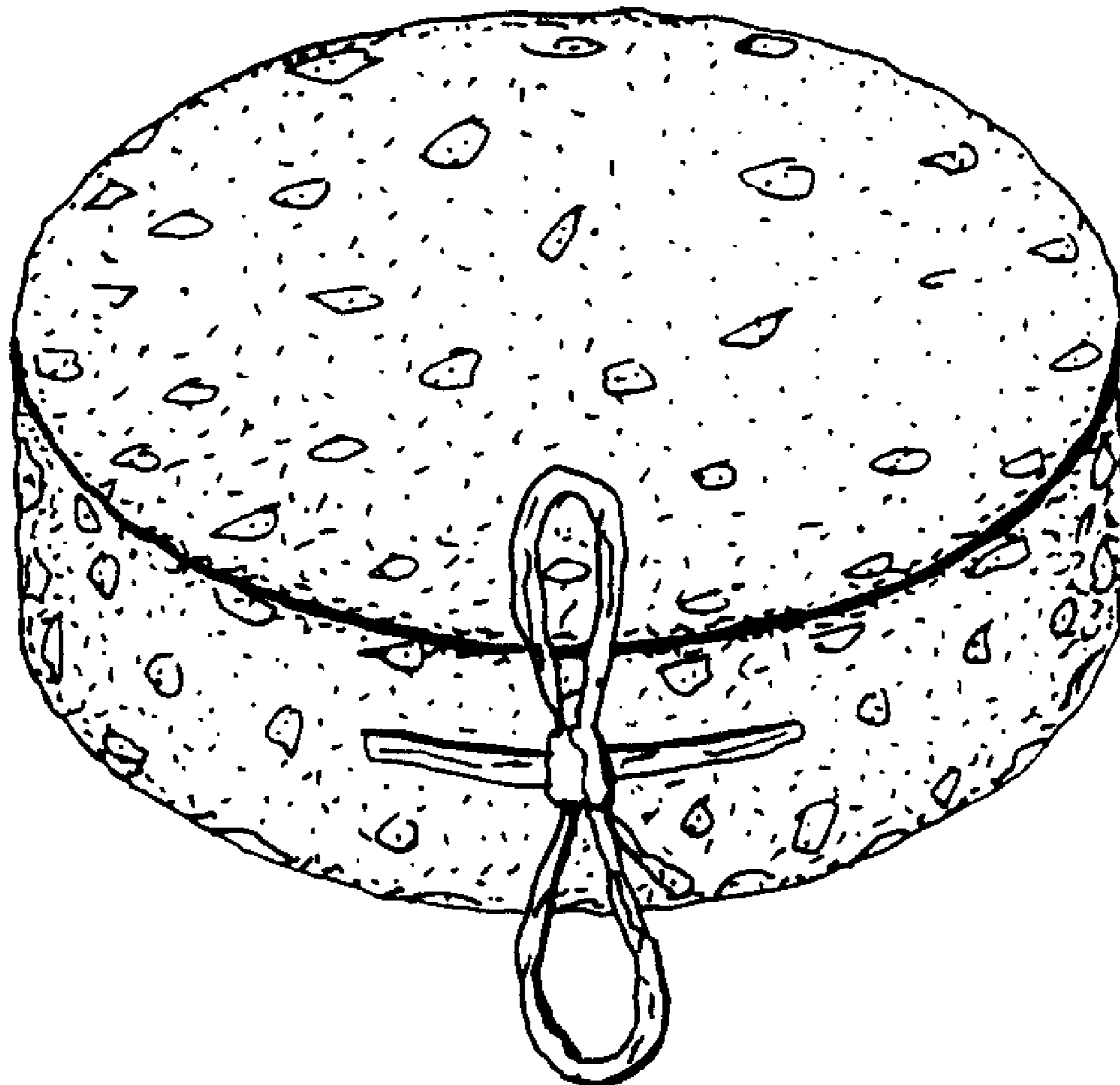


FIG. 1

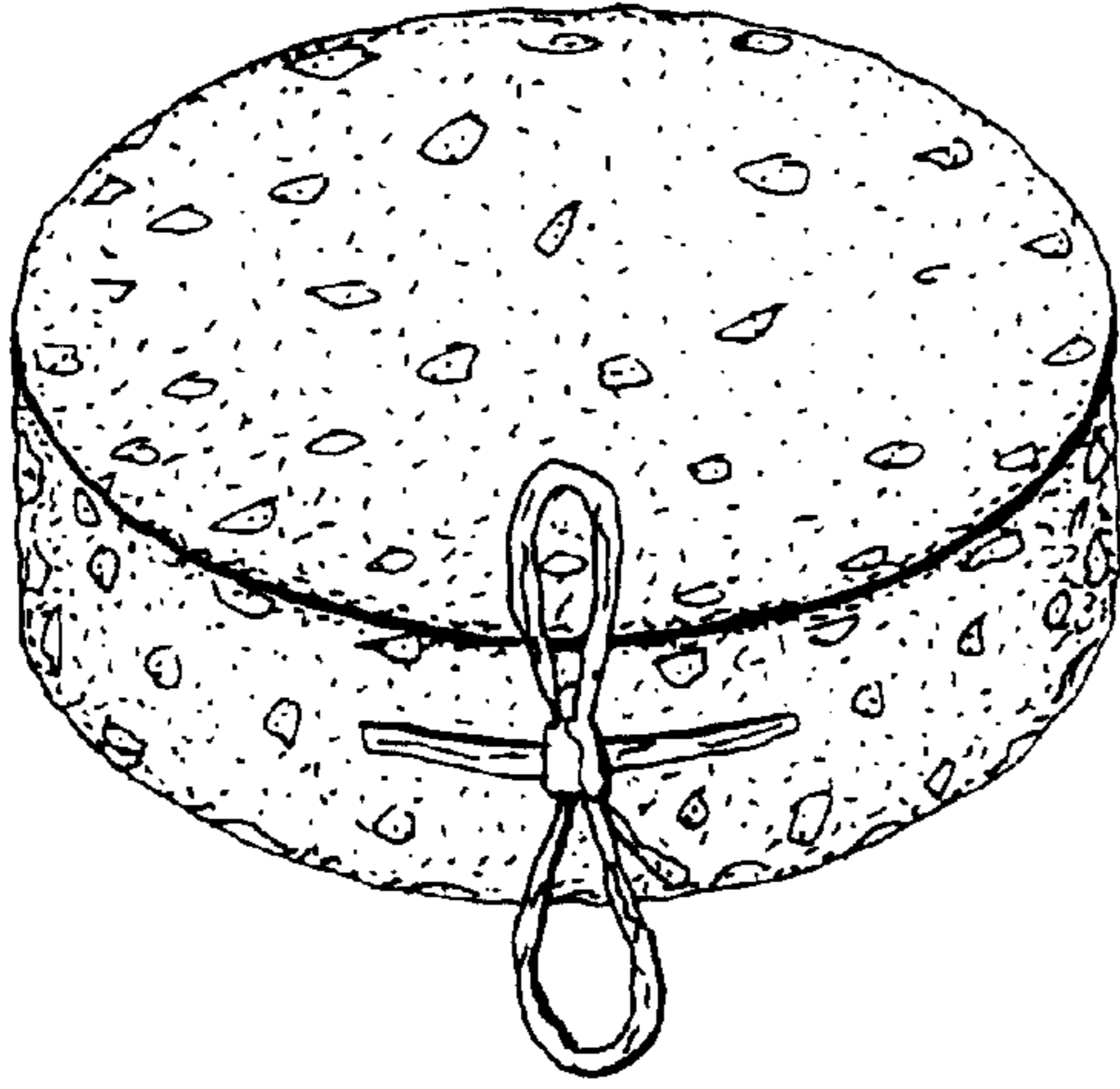


FIG. 2

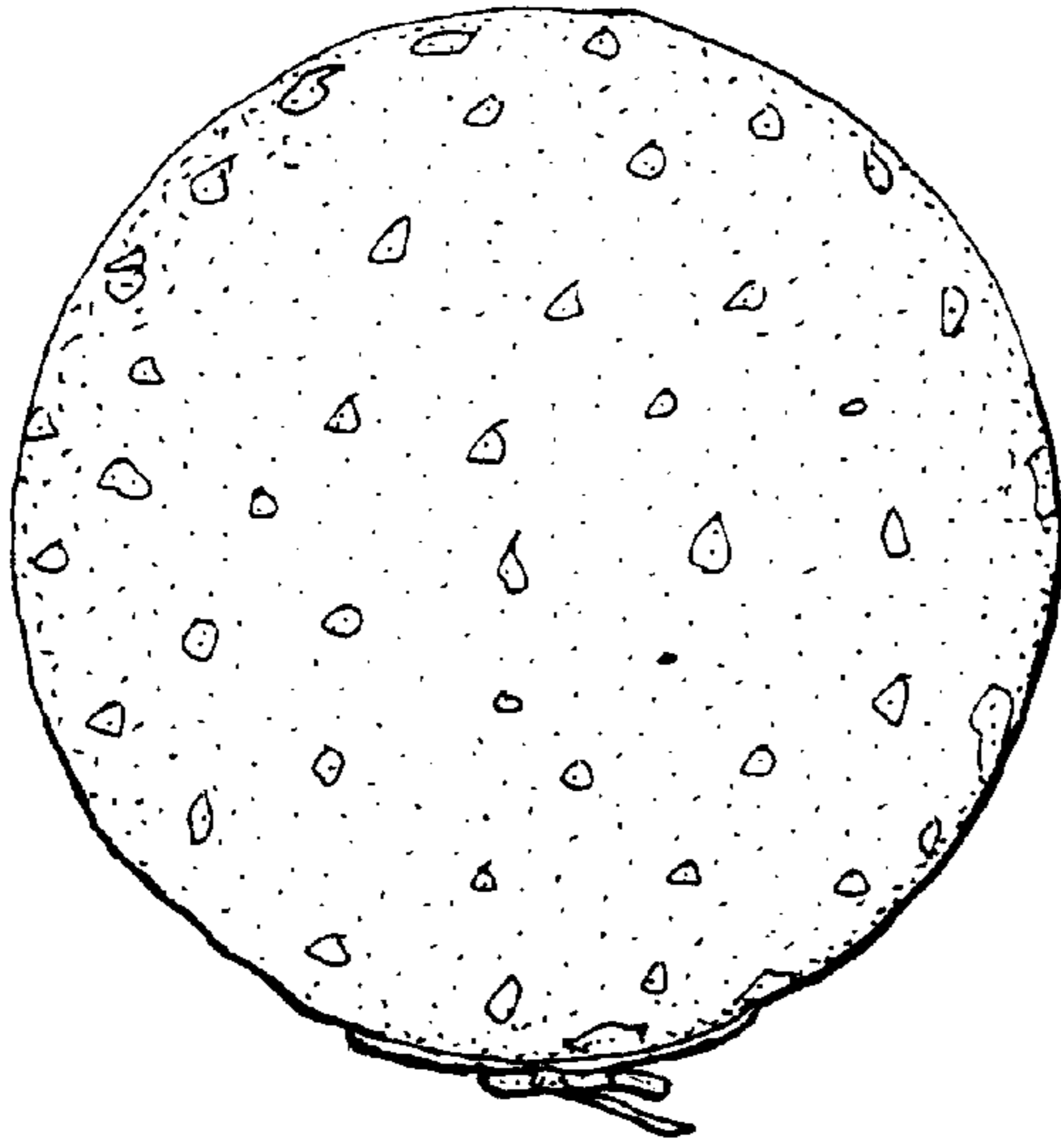
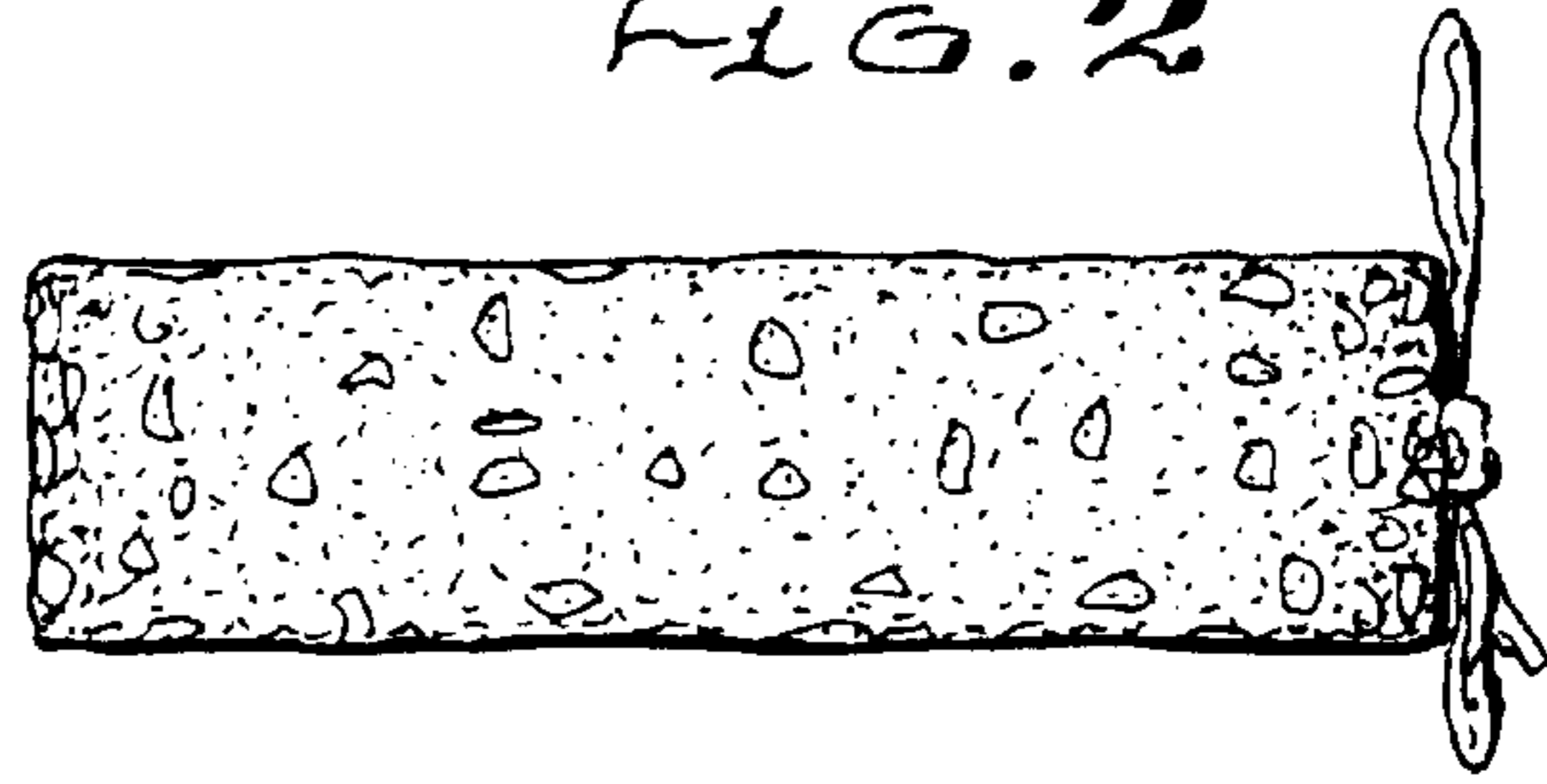


FIG. 3

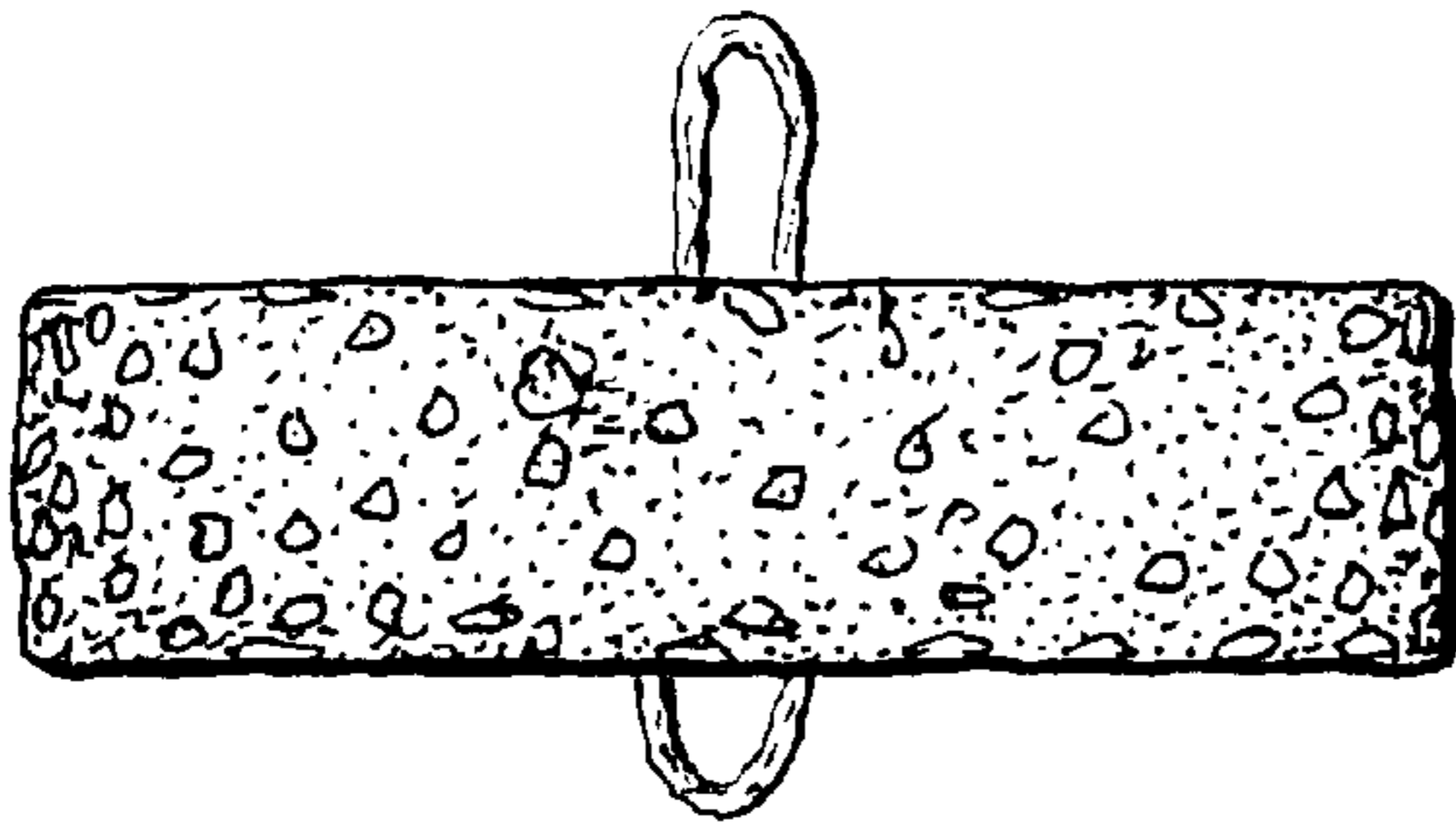


FIG. 4