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(54) **STITCHING ON THE UPPERS OF A SHOE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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I claim the ornamental design for stitching on the uppers of a shoe, as shown and described in the drawings.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a left rear perspective view of a stitching on the uppers of a shoe in accordance with the new design;  
FIG. 2 is a right rear perspective view of the stitching on the uppers of a shoe in accordance with the new design shown in FIG. 1;

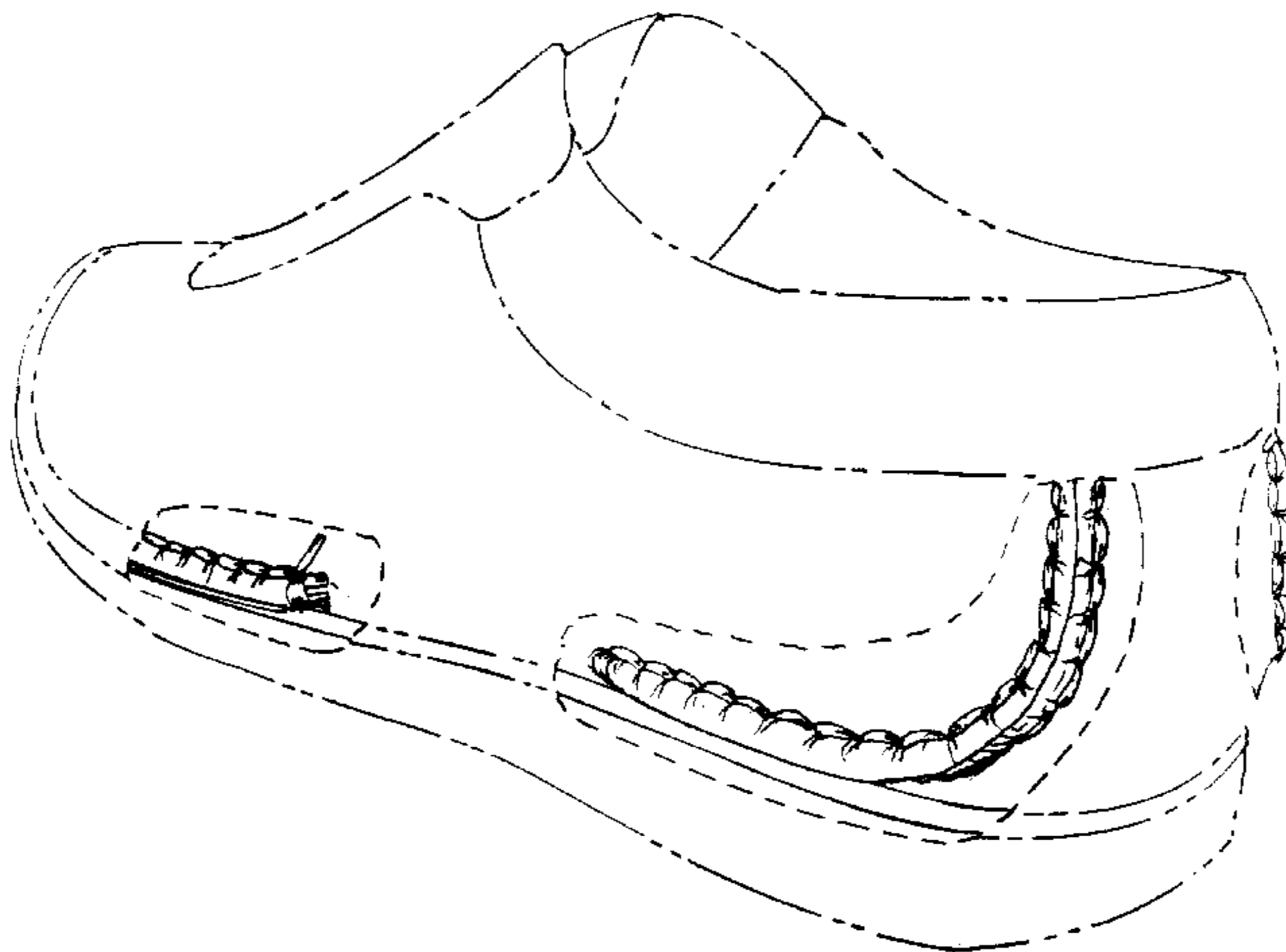
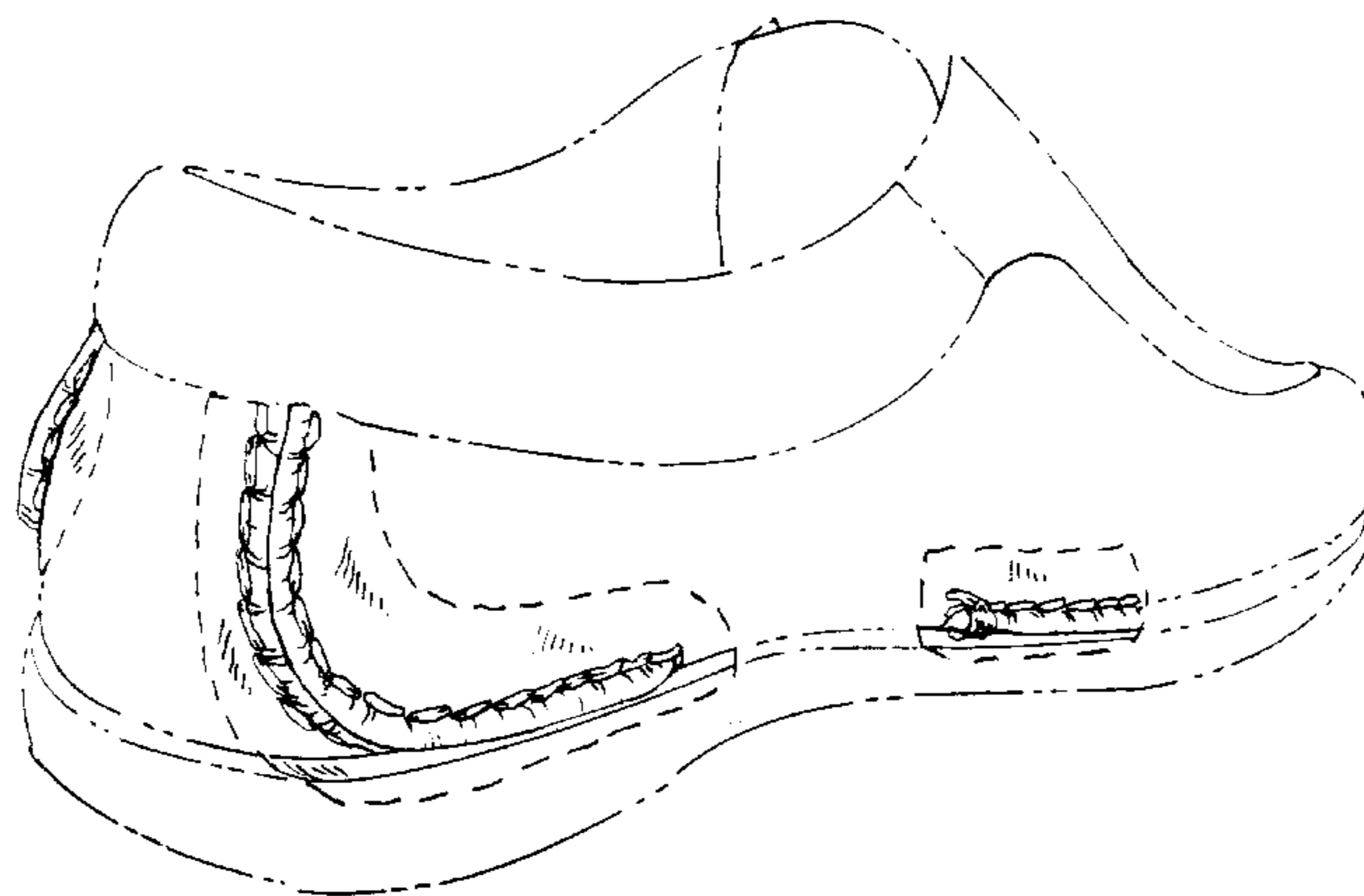
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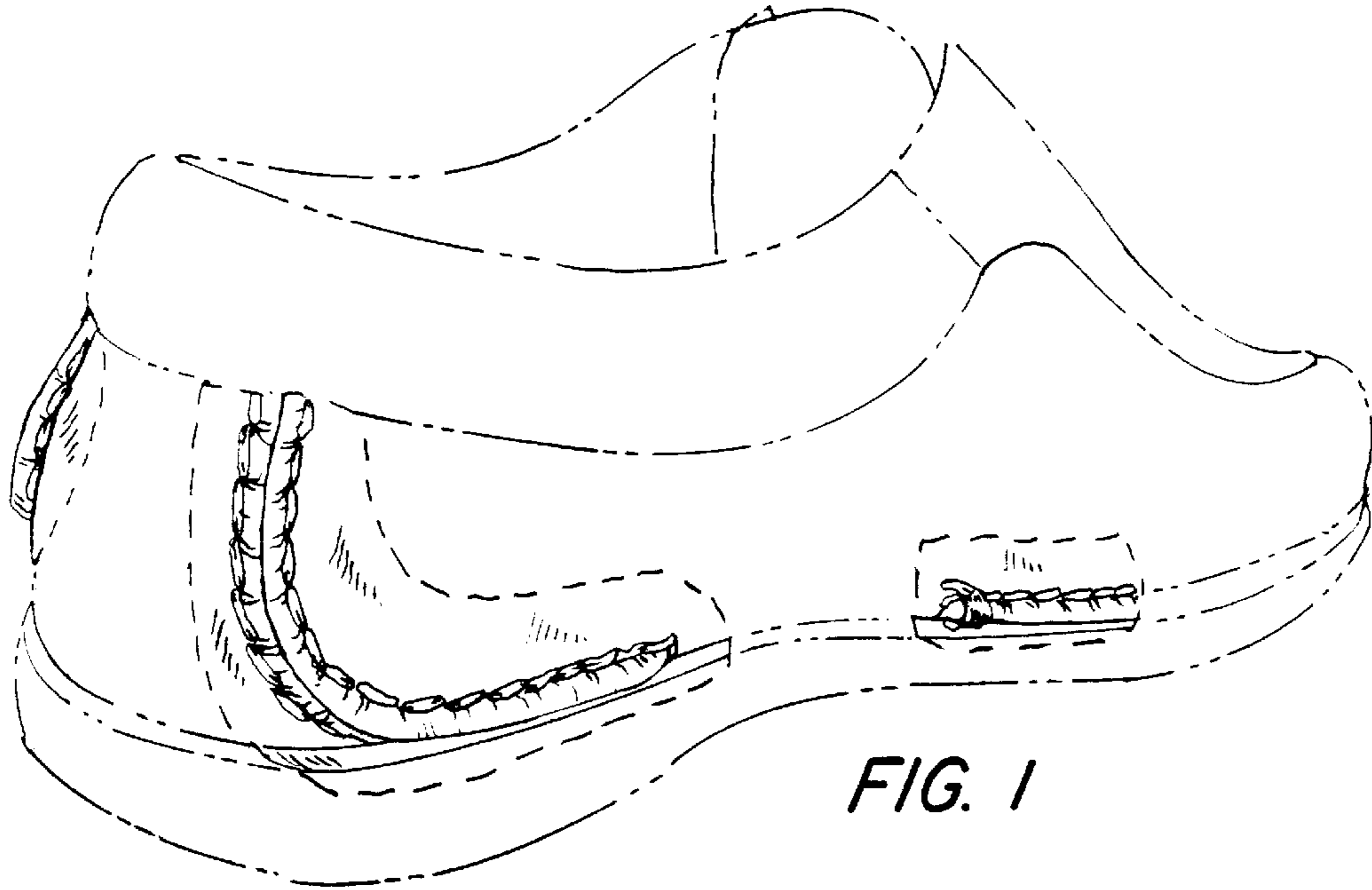
FIG. 3 is a left view of the stitching on the uppers of a shoe in accordance with the new design shown in FIG. 1; and,  
FIG. 4 is a right view of the stitching on the uppers of a shoe in accordance with the new design shown in FIG. 1.

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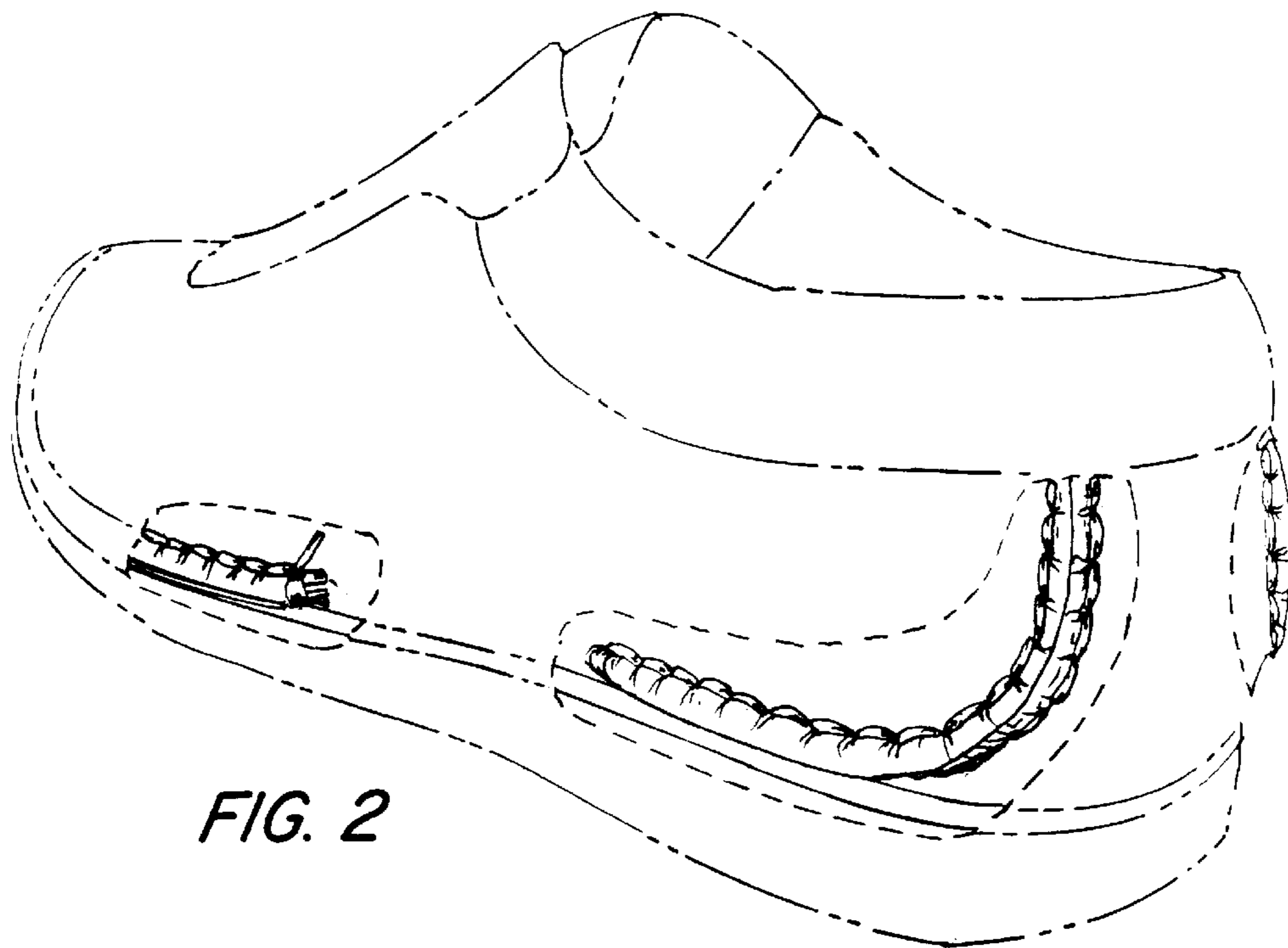
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*FIG. 1*



*FIG. 2*

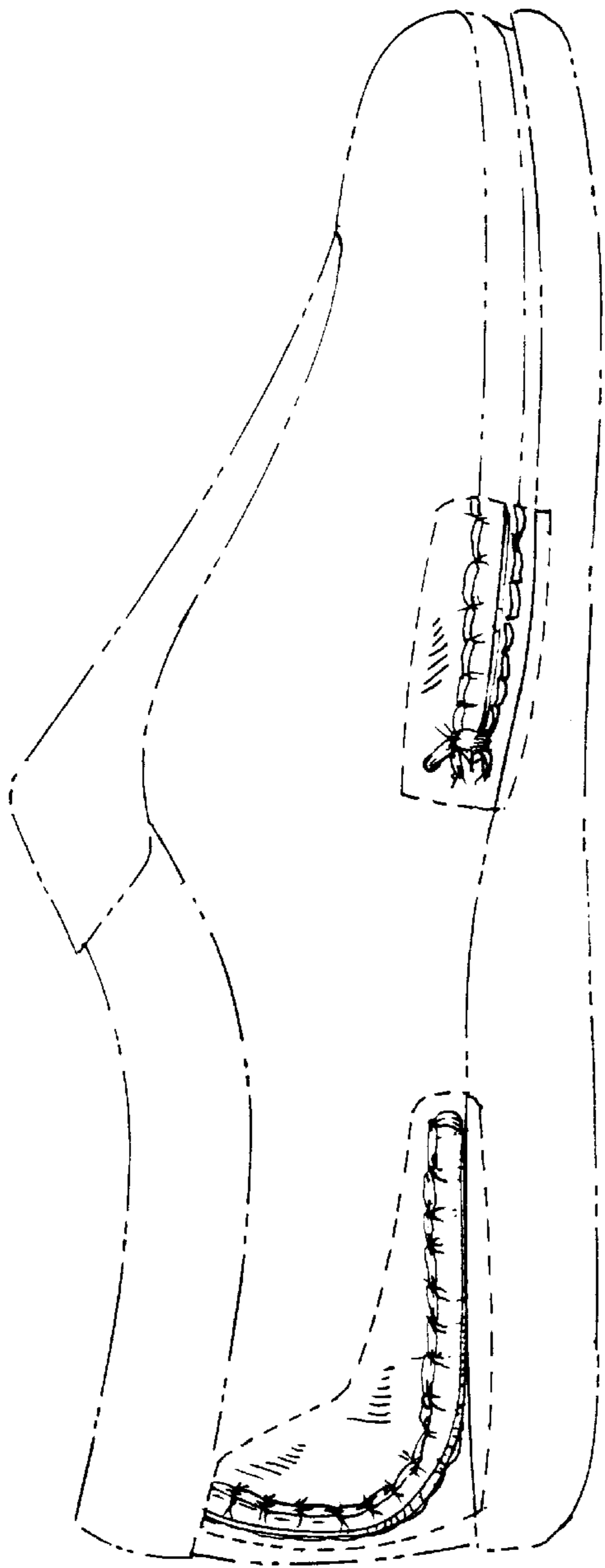


FIG. 3

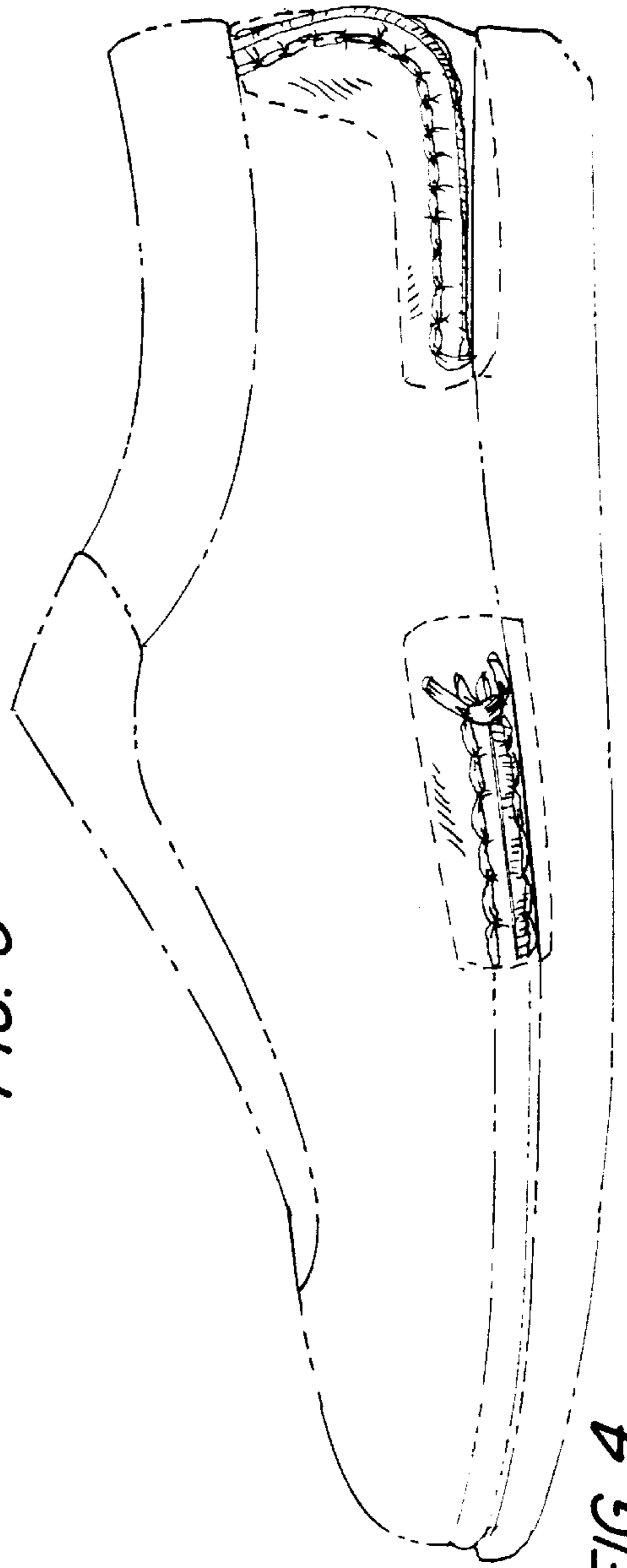


FIG. 4