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(57) **CLAIM**

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

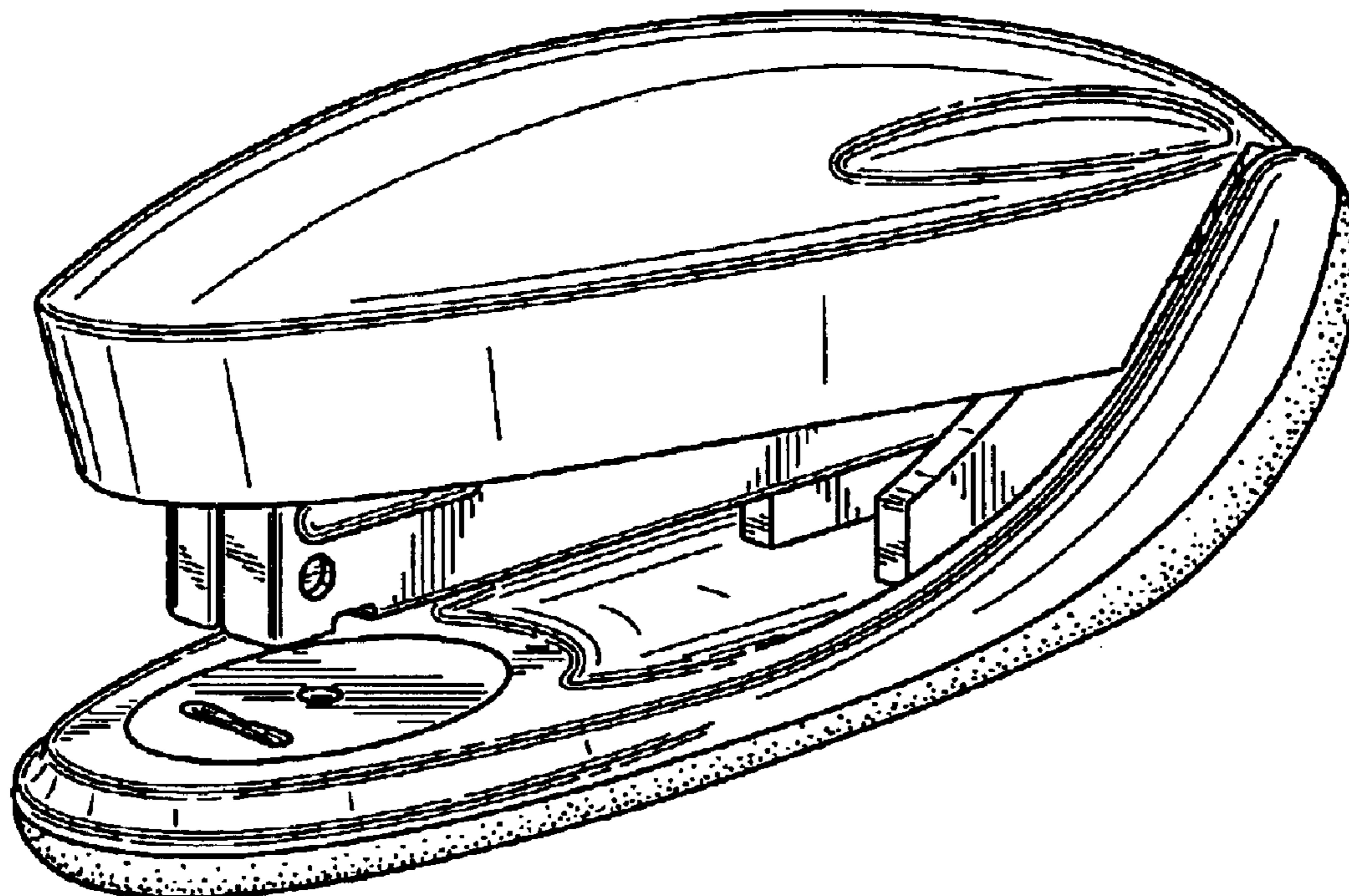
DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right side perspective view of a stapler according to our new design;
FIG. 2 is a right side view thereof; the left side view being a mirror image;
FIG. 3 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a back view thereof; and,
FIG. 6 is a front view thereof.

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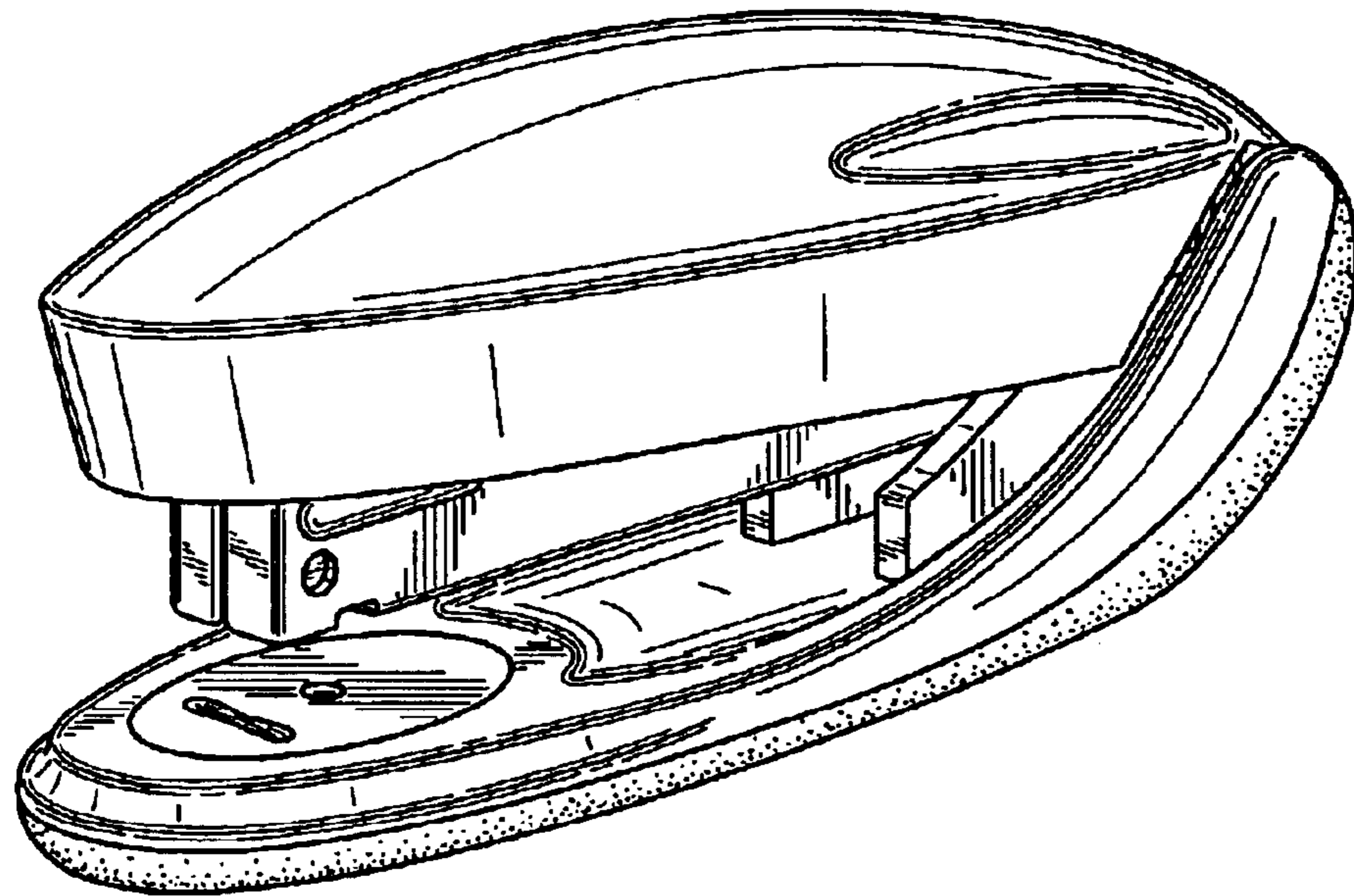


FIG. 1

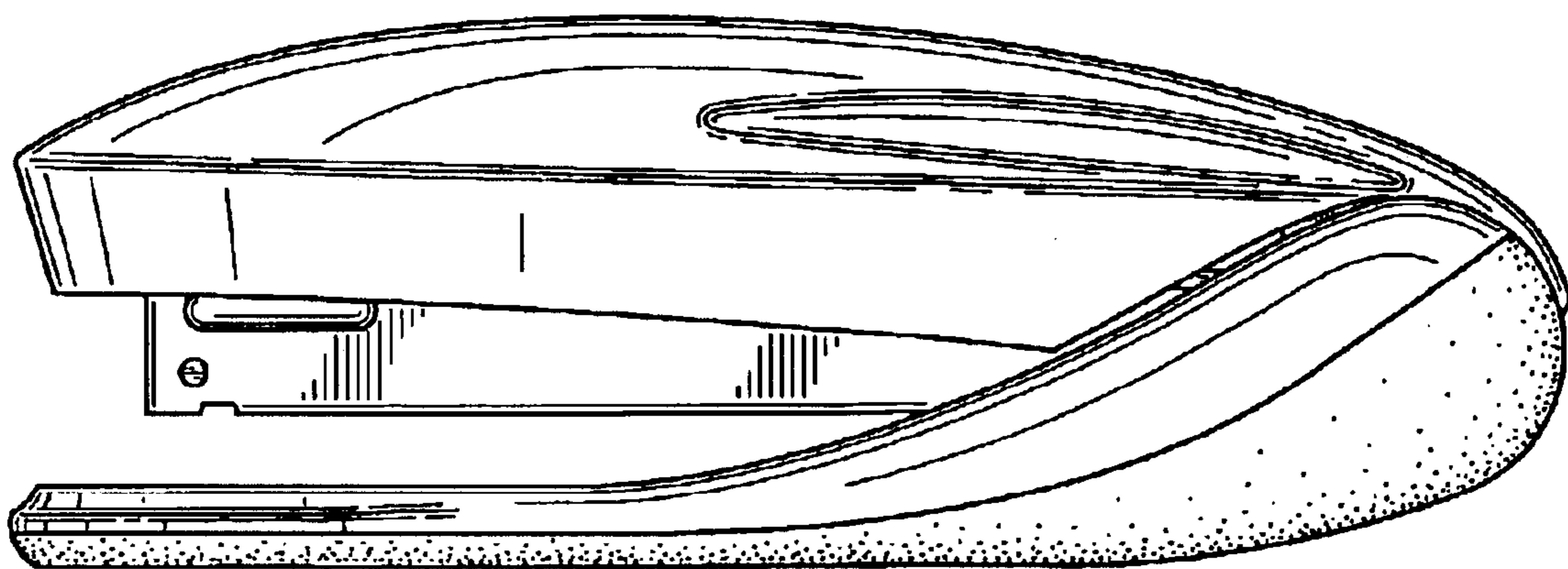


FIG. 2

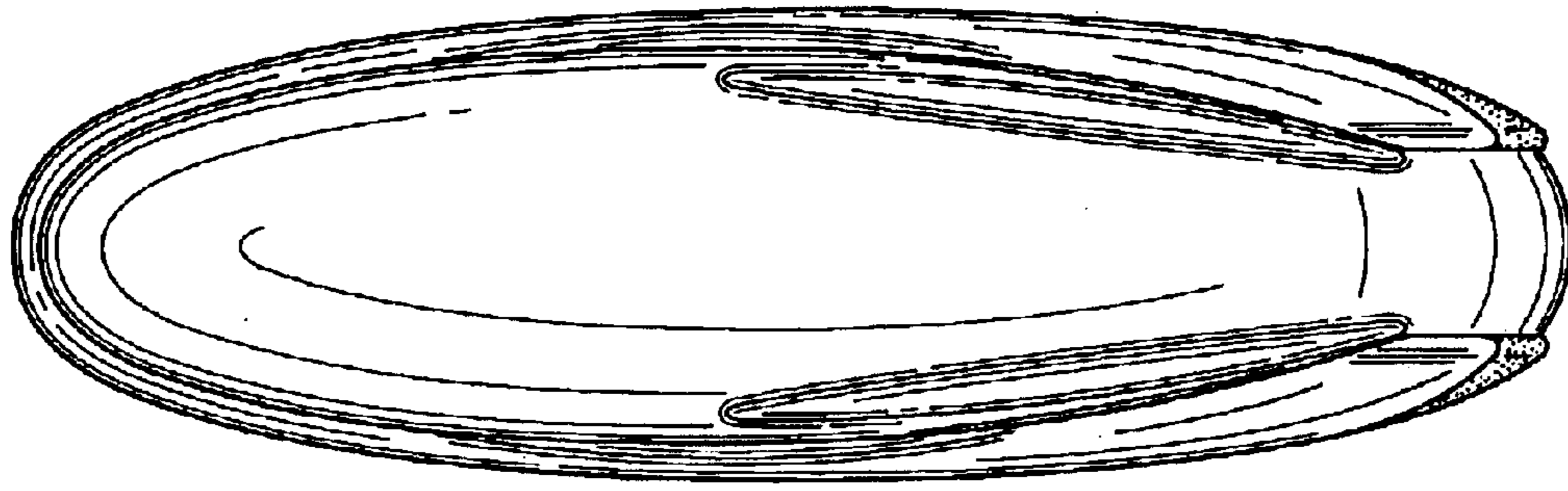


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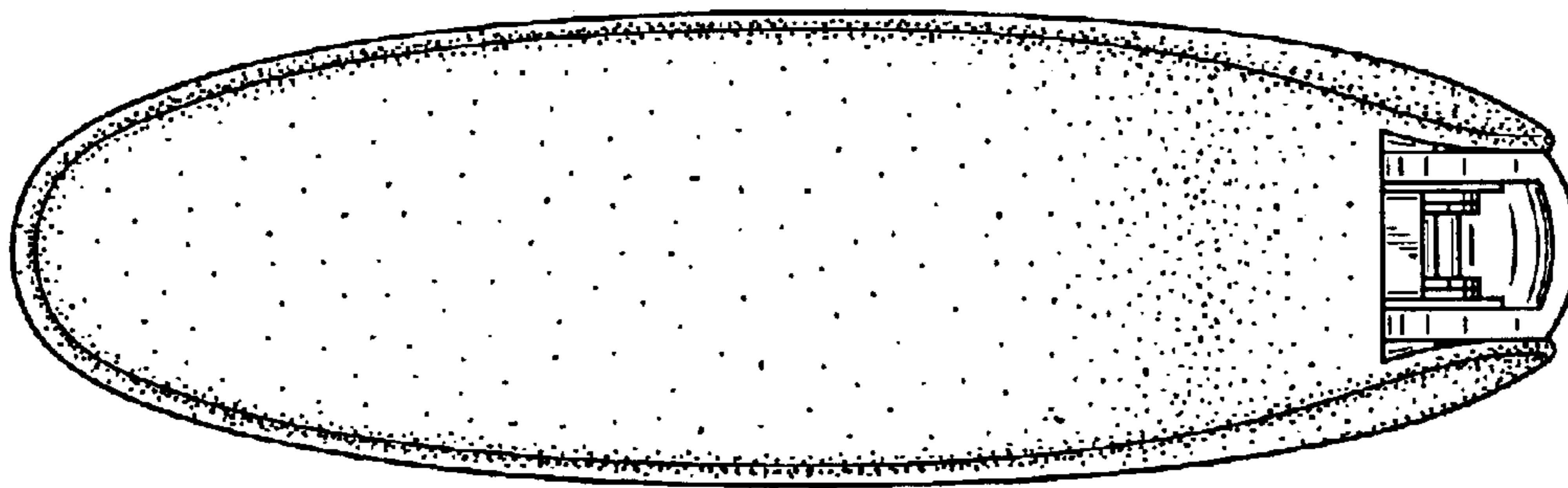


FIG. 4

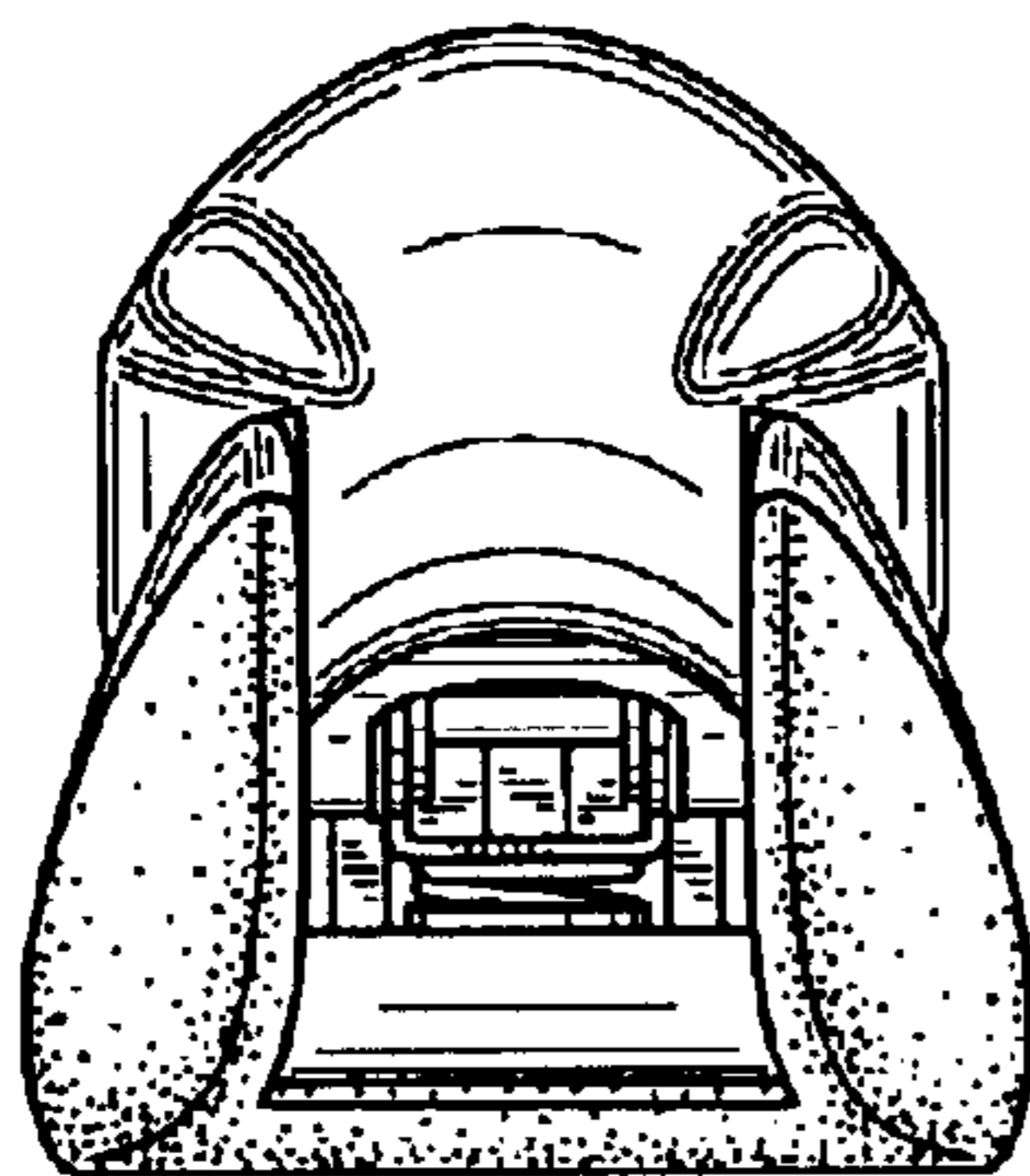


FIG. 5

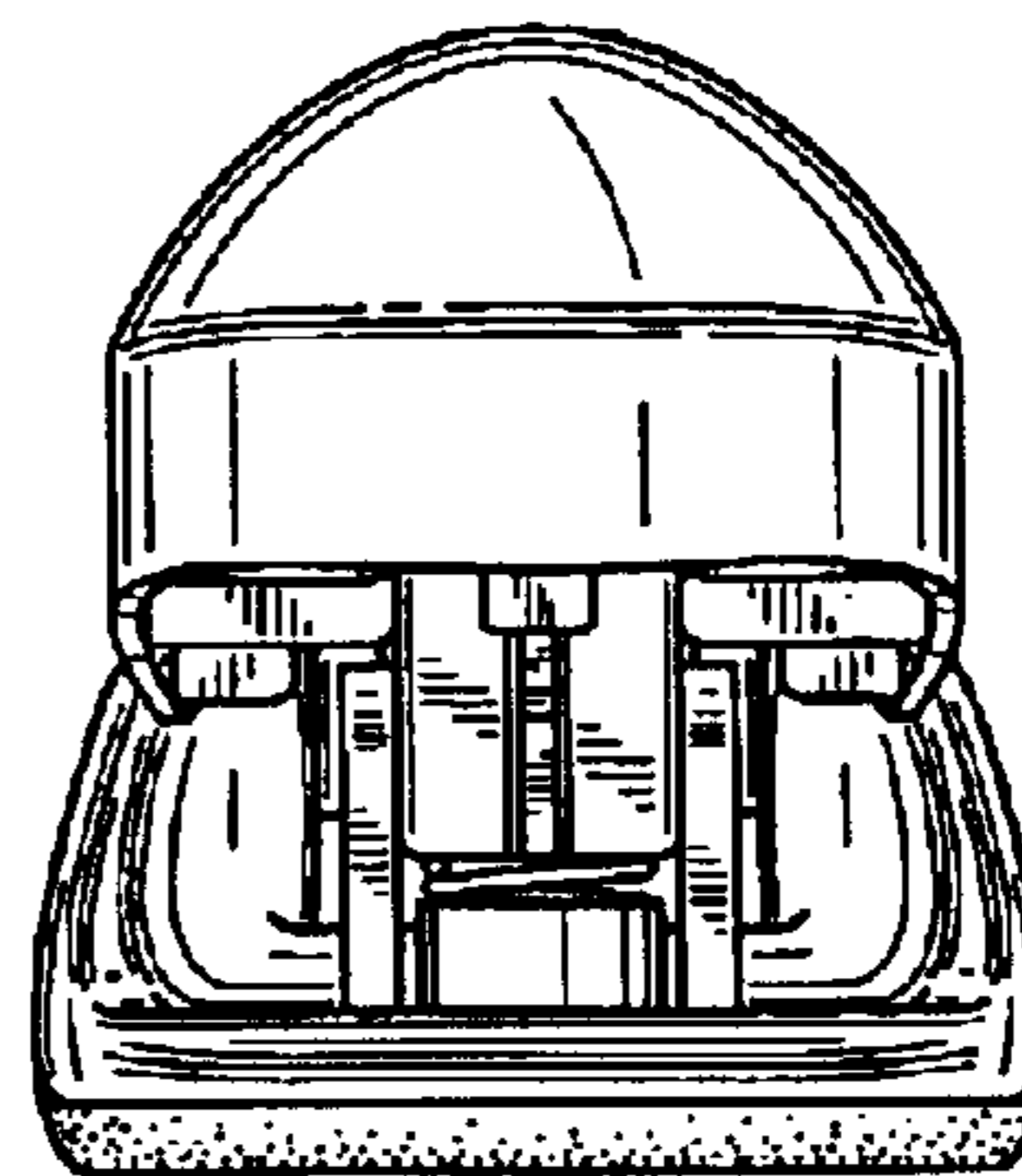


FIG. 6