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(54) **BATHROOM/AREA RUG**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for the bathroom/area rug, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a left perspective view of the rug showing the design as applied to the perimeter (convexed and concaved sculpting of the outer edges) of the bathroom/area rug.

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FIG. 2 is a left perspective view of the rug as it relates to the open space near a bathtub in a bathroom. (The bathtub can be substituted by a sofa or any open space.); and,

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FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the rug embodying my new invention (design).

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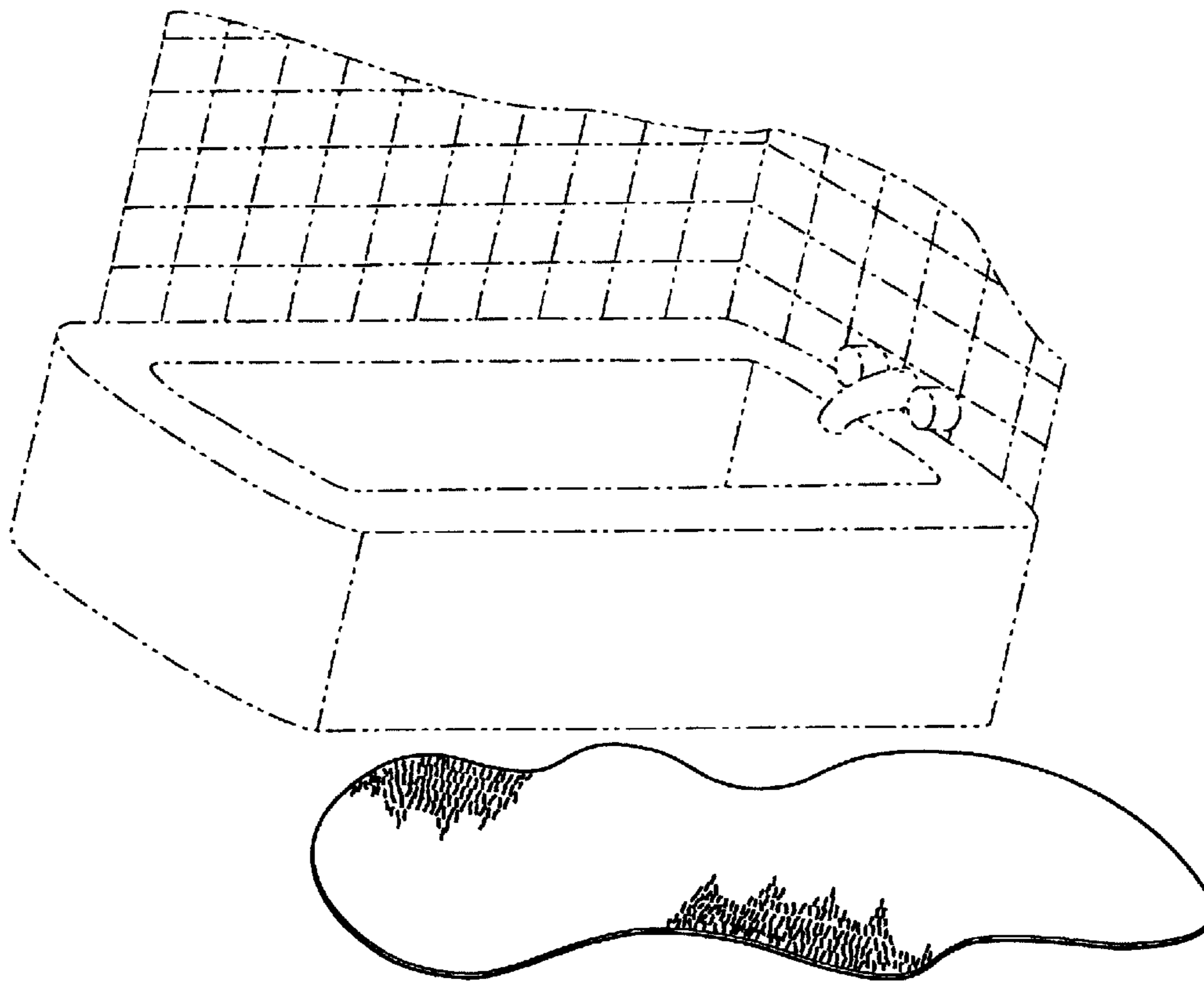
The backside of the rug is flat.

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The pattern, which is partially shown for ease of illustration, represents a conventional fabric and is understood to repeat uniformly throughout the indicated area.

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

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



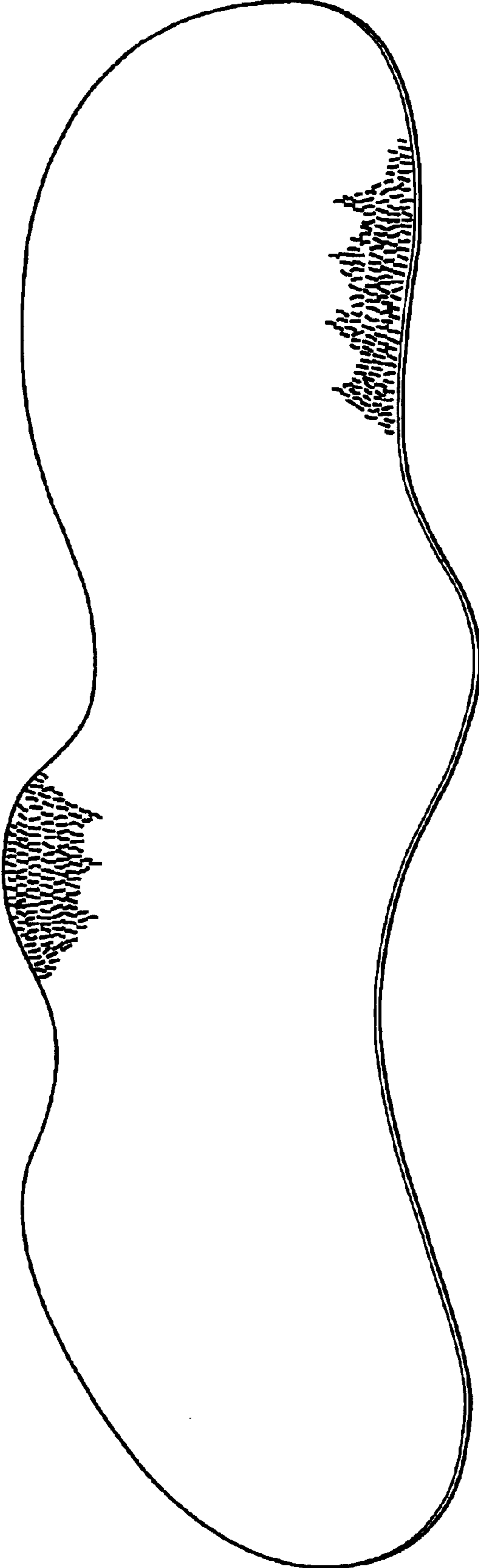


FIG. 1

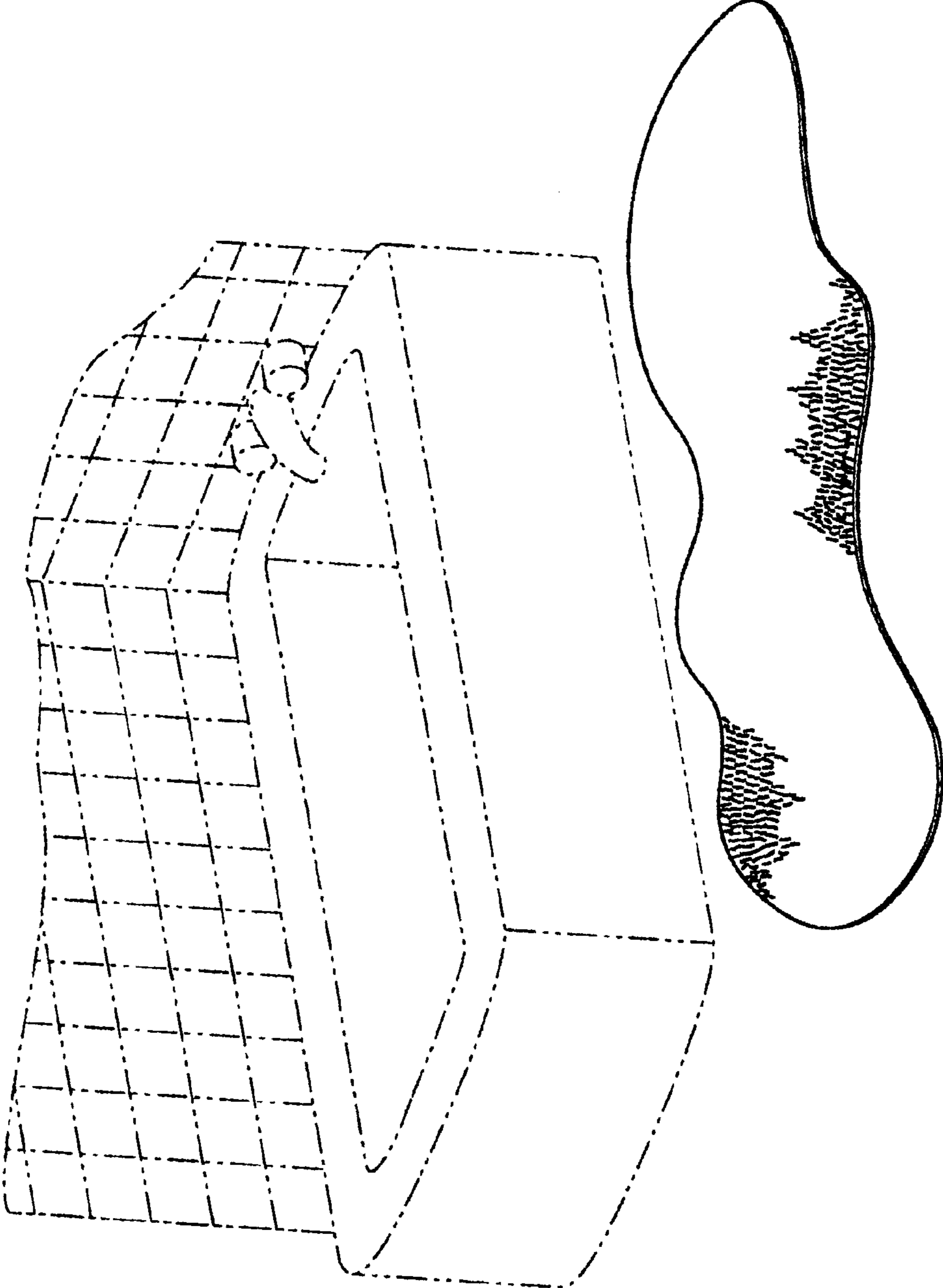


FIG. 2

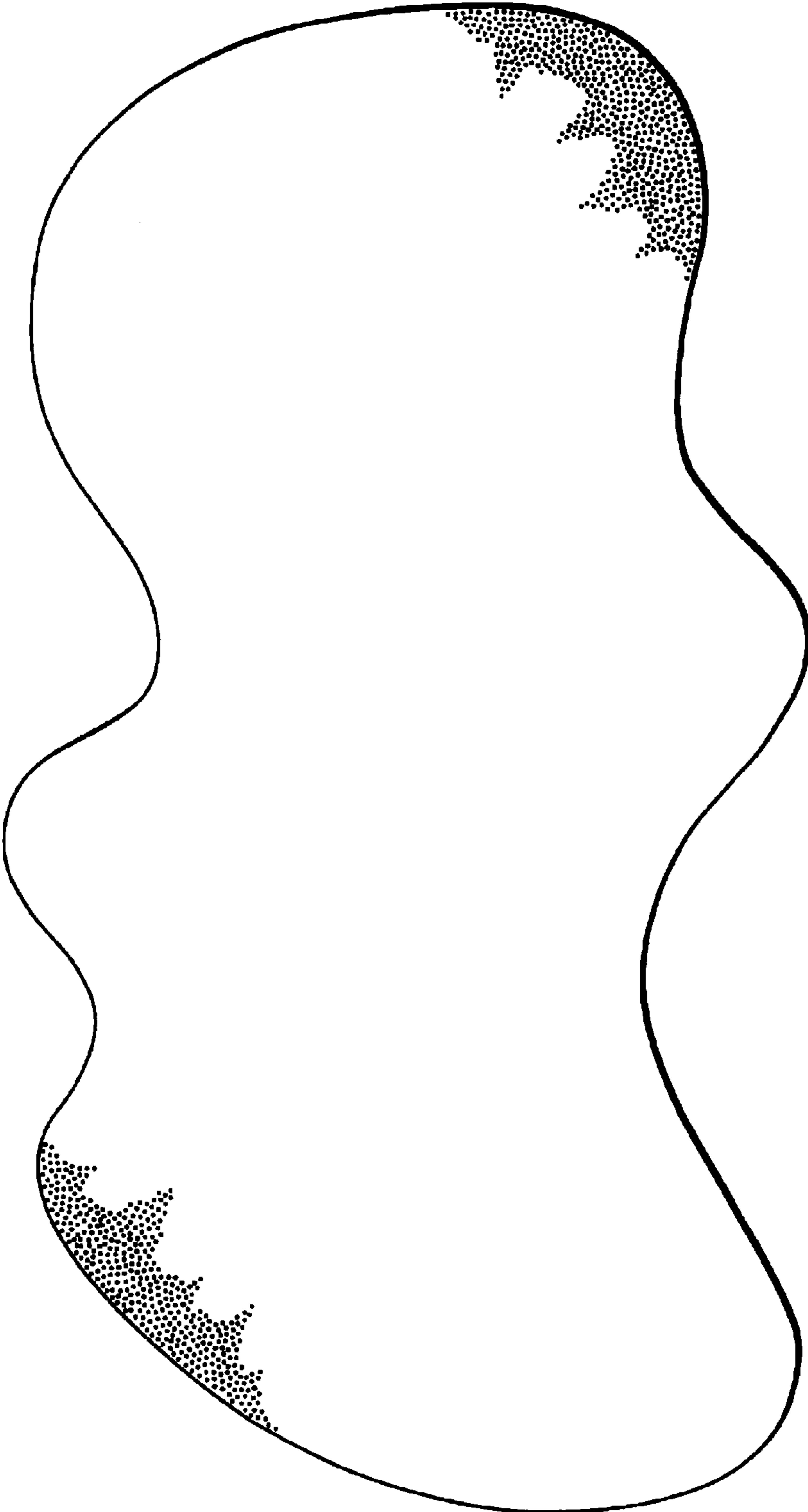


FIG. 3