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(54) **SKID PLATE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

We claim the ornamental design for a skid plate, as shown and described.

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

DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a skid plate according to our invention.

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FIG. 2 is a front view of the skid plate.

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FIG. 3 is a rear view of the skid plate.

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FIG. 4 is a left side view of the skid plate.

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FIG. 5 is a right side view of the skid plate.

FIG. 6 is a top view of the skid plate; and,

FIG. 7 is a bottom view of the skid plate.

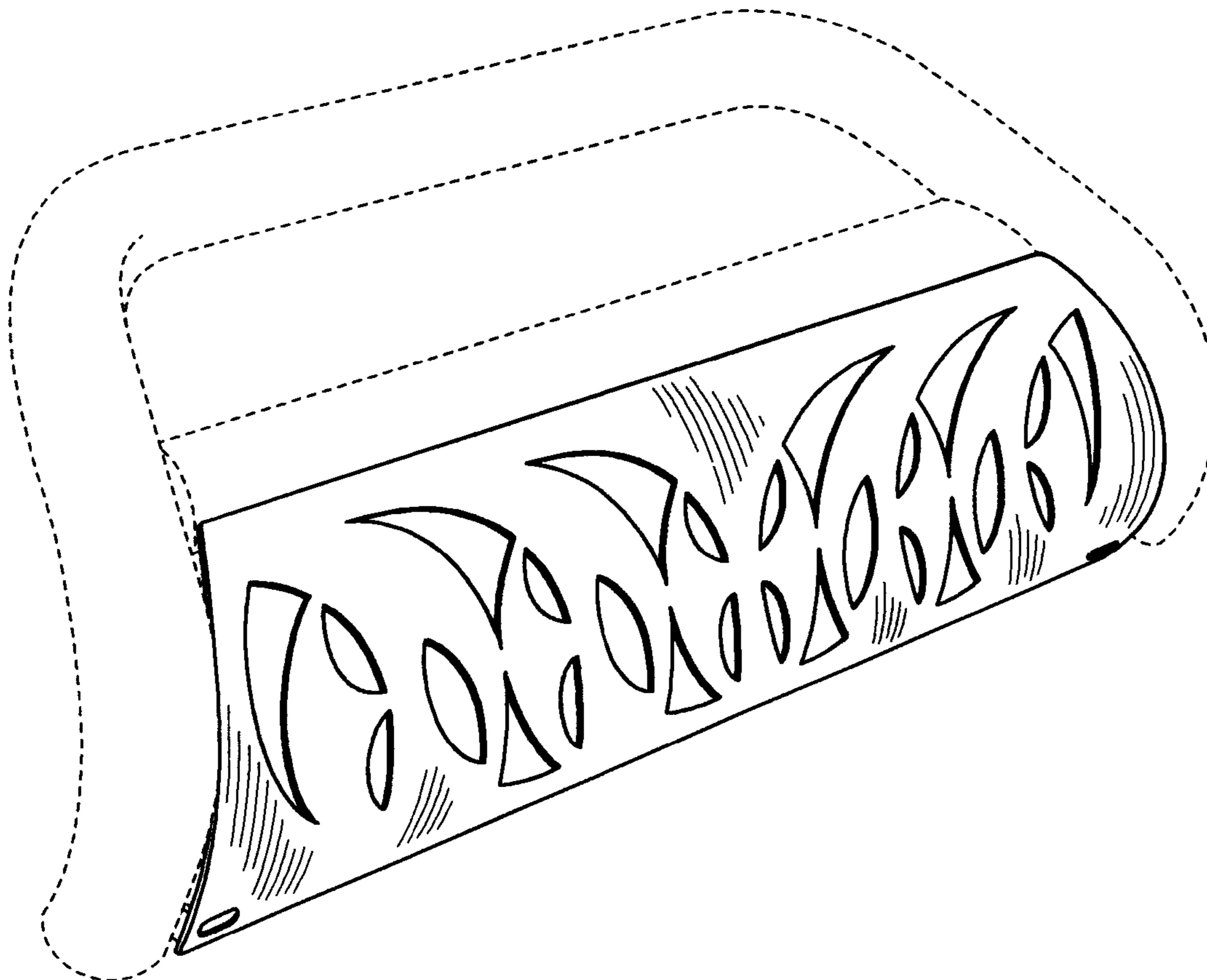
The skid plate of the invention is characterized by vertical intersecting radii that resemble "Switchblade". The broken lines are shown for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

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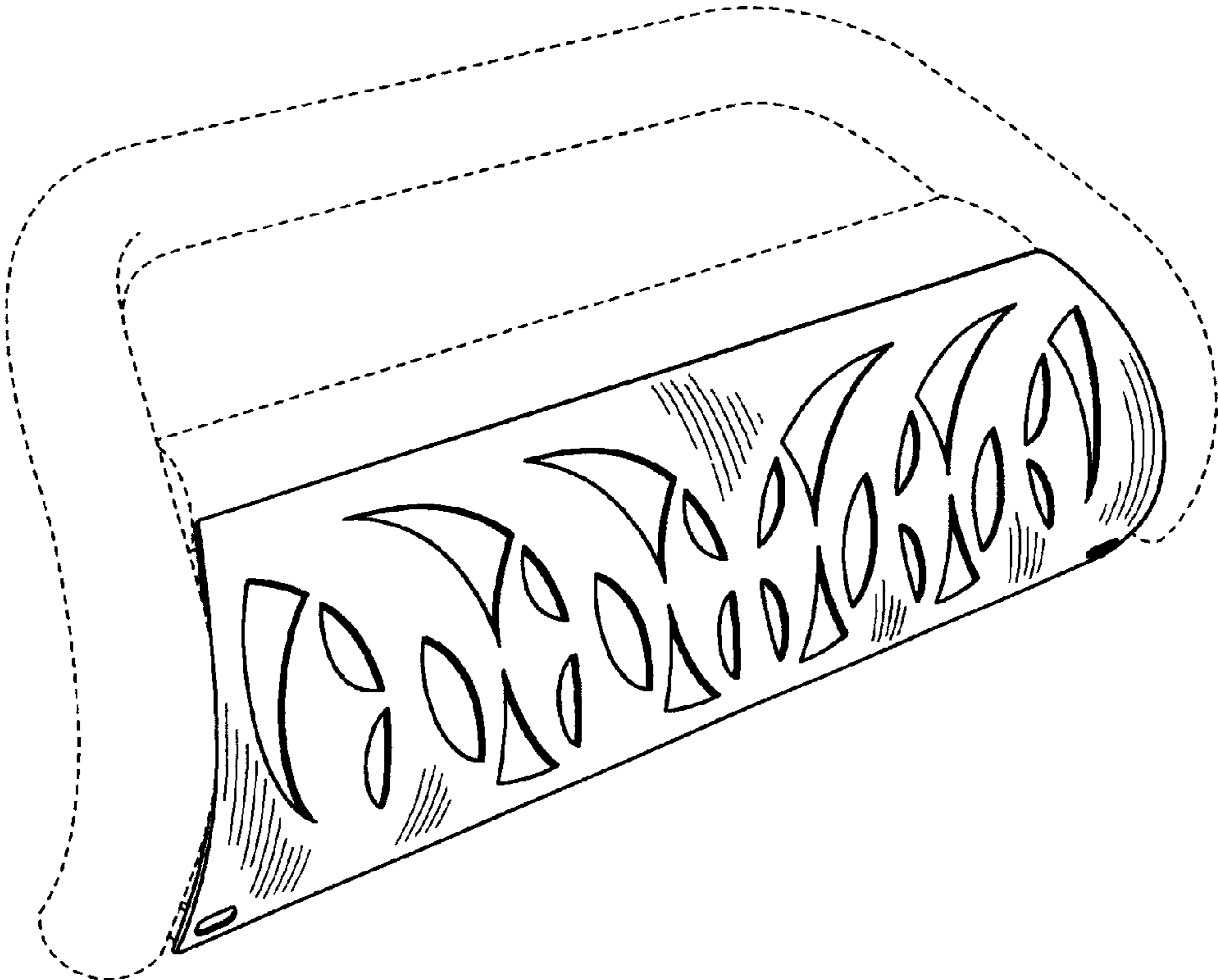


FIG. 1

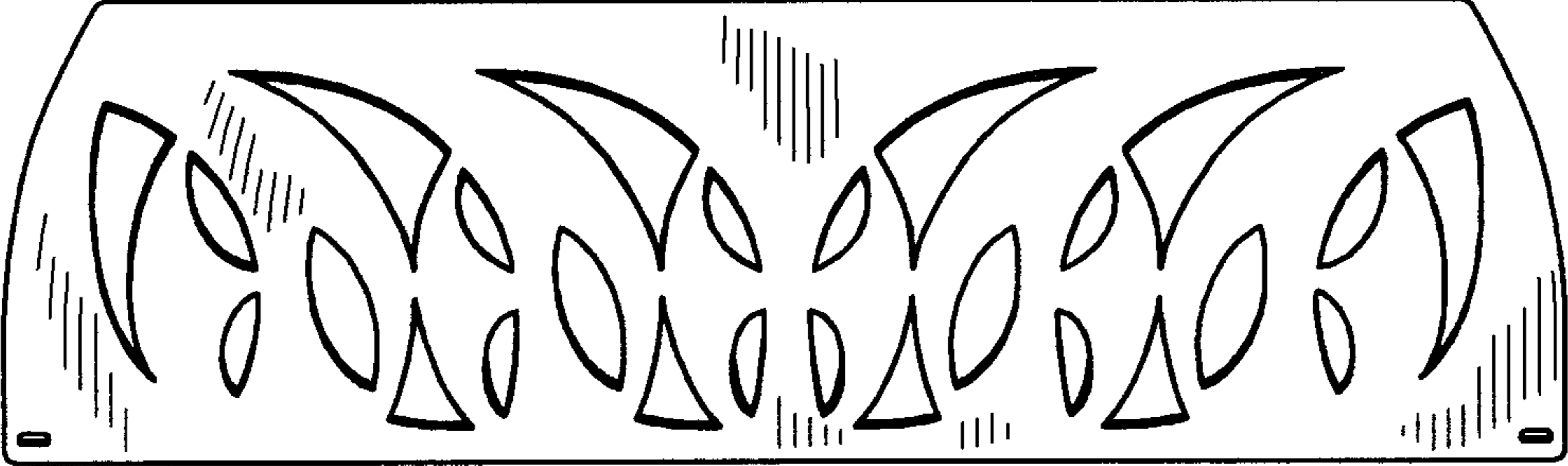


FIG. 2

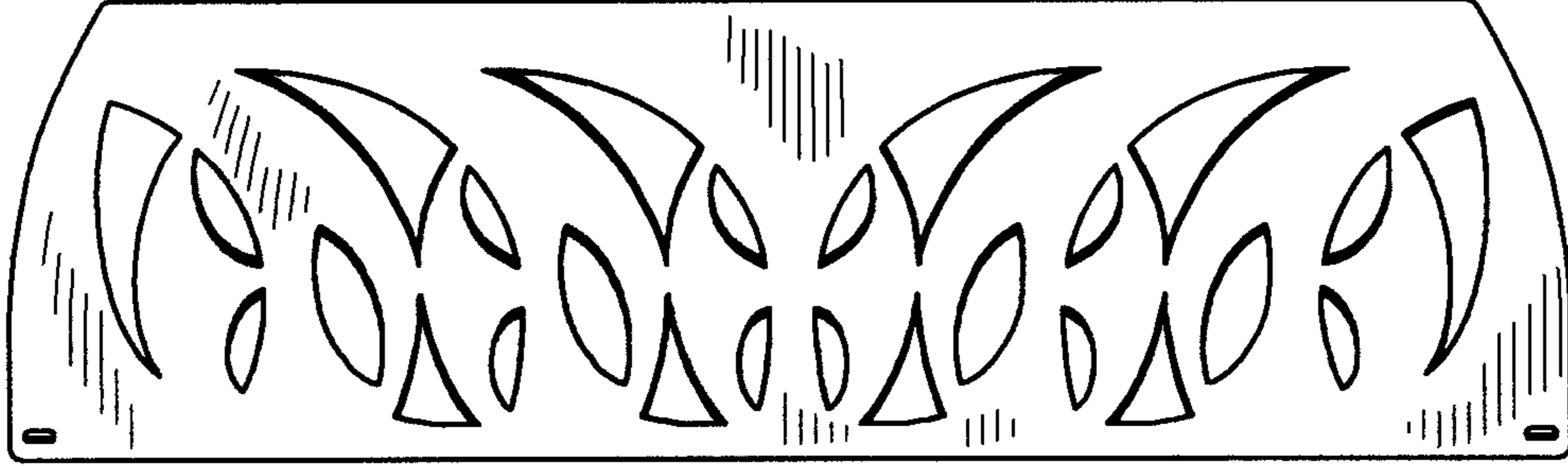


FIG. 3



FIG. 4



FIG. 5



FIG. 6



FIG. 7