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(54) **INFLATABLE SAFETY CONE**
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(57) **CLAIM**

We claim the ornamental design for an inflatable safety cone, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

A plastic conically shaped safety cone, which can inflate and deflate. The base is either a solid or filled cylinder, which anchors the entire apparatus, allowing it to stand upright. On top of the base is an expandable plastic cone with a nozzle for inflation. The expandable section of the cone is collapsible for portability.

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of my design, which shows the nozzle;

FIG. 2 is a back elevational view;

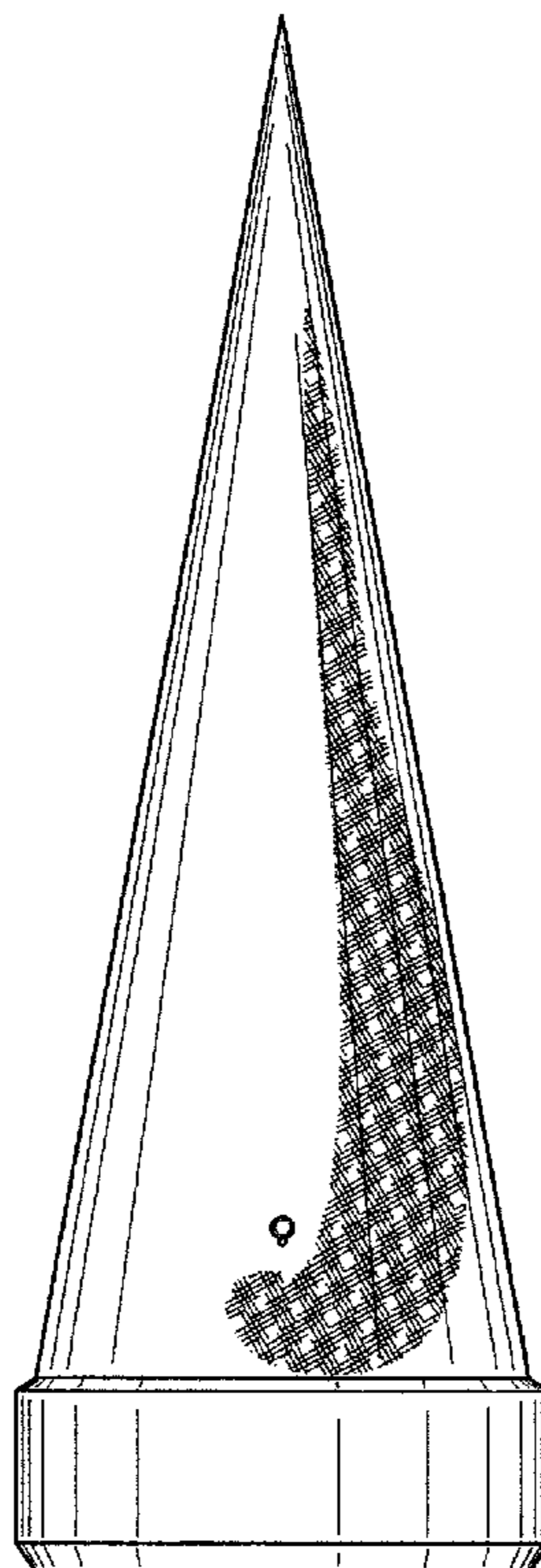
FIG. 3 is a side elevational view;

FIG. 4 is a top perspective view; and,

FIG. 5 is a bottom perspective view.

The partial showing of surface texture in FIGS. 1-4 is understood to repeat uniformly across the surface on which it is shown.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



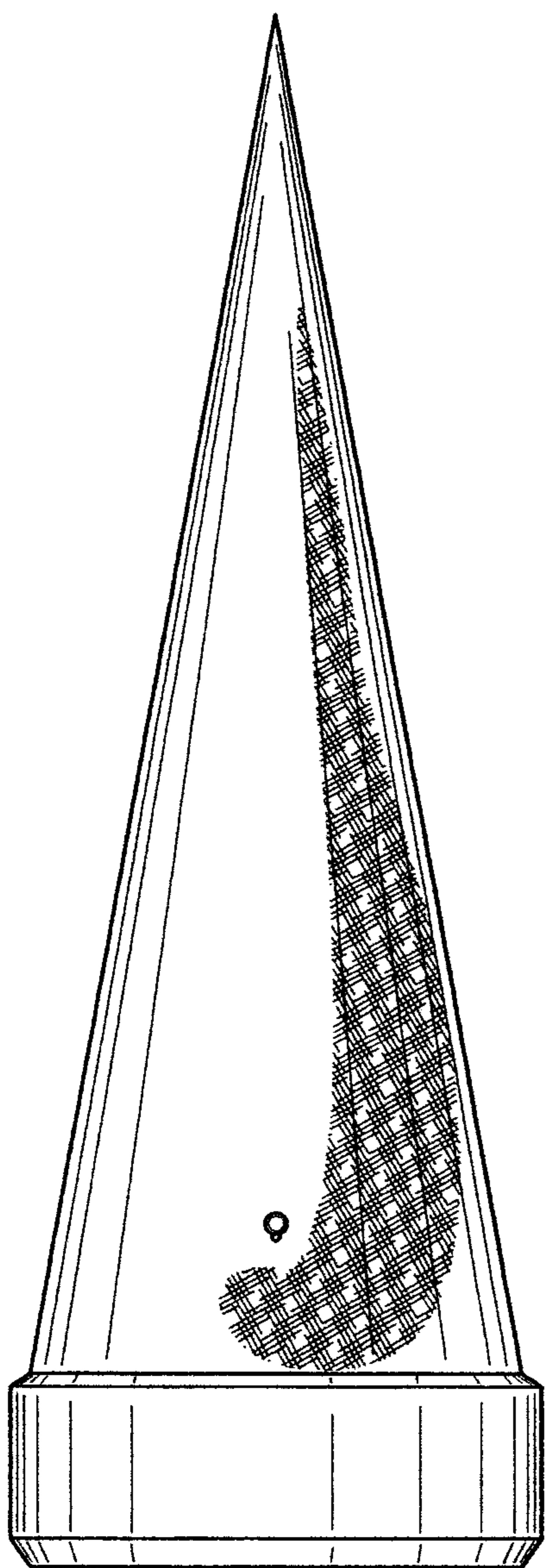


FIG. 1

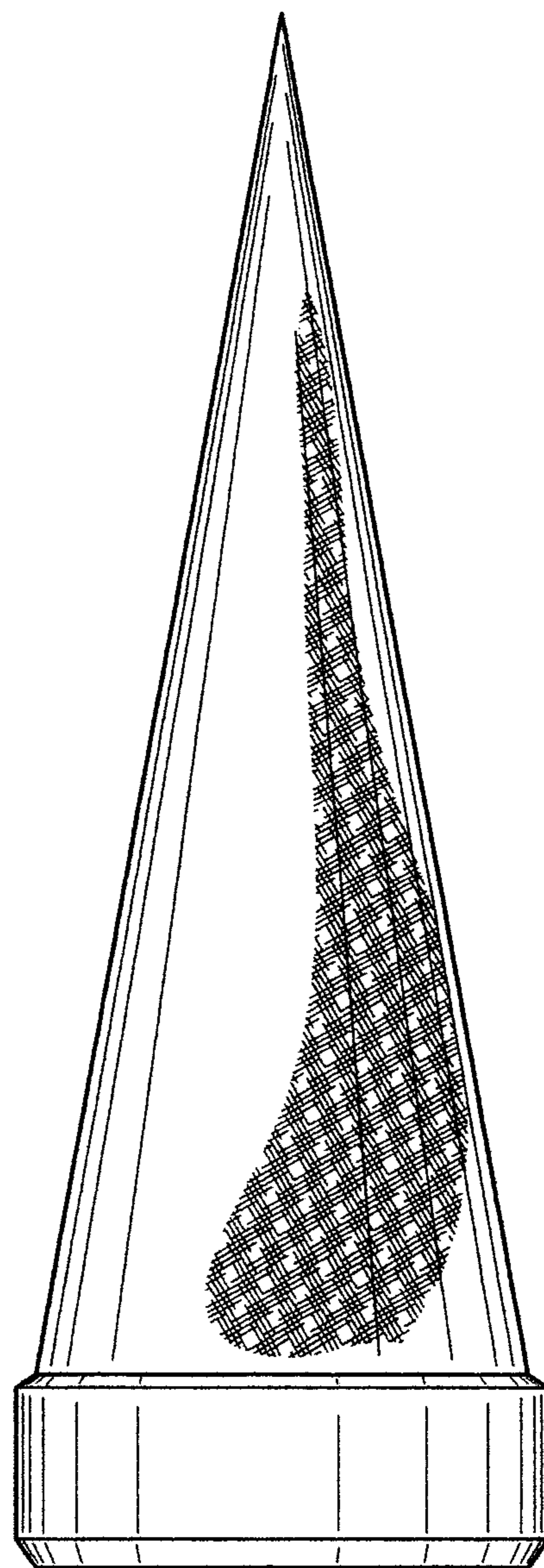


FIG. 2

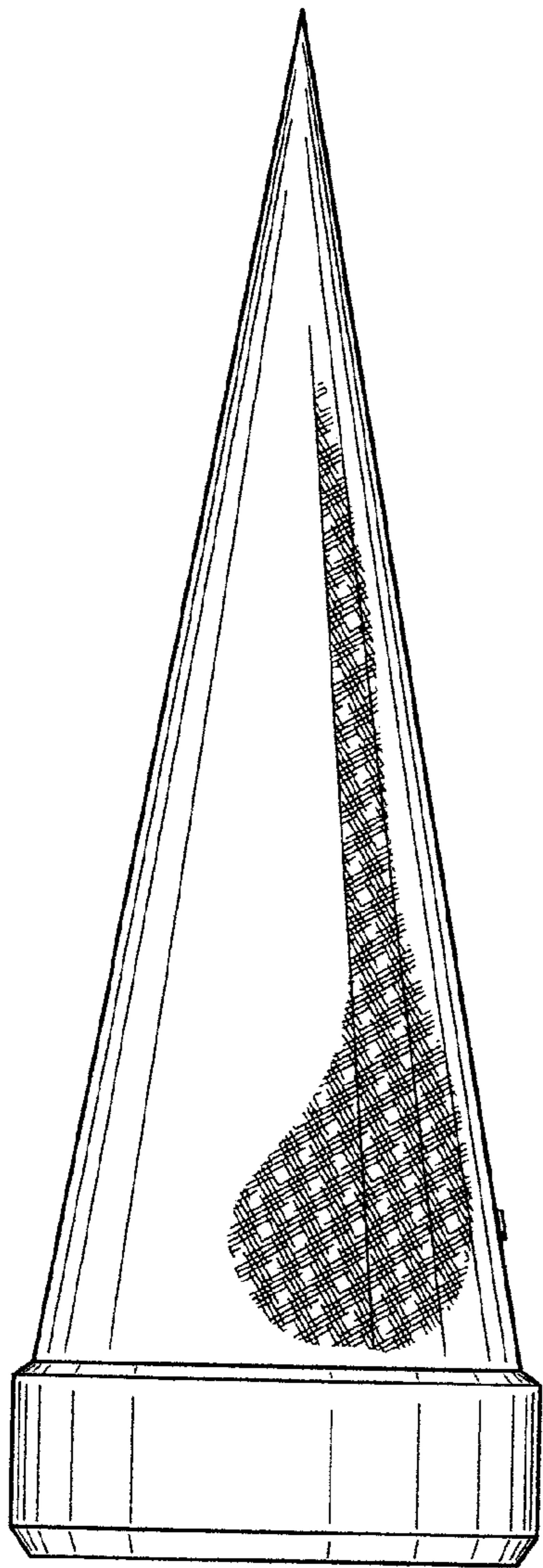


FIG. 3



FIG. 4

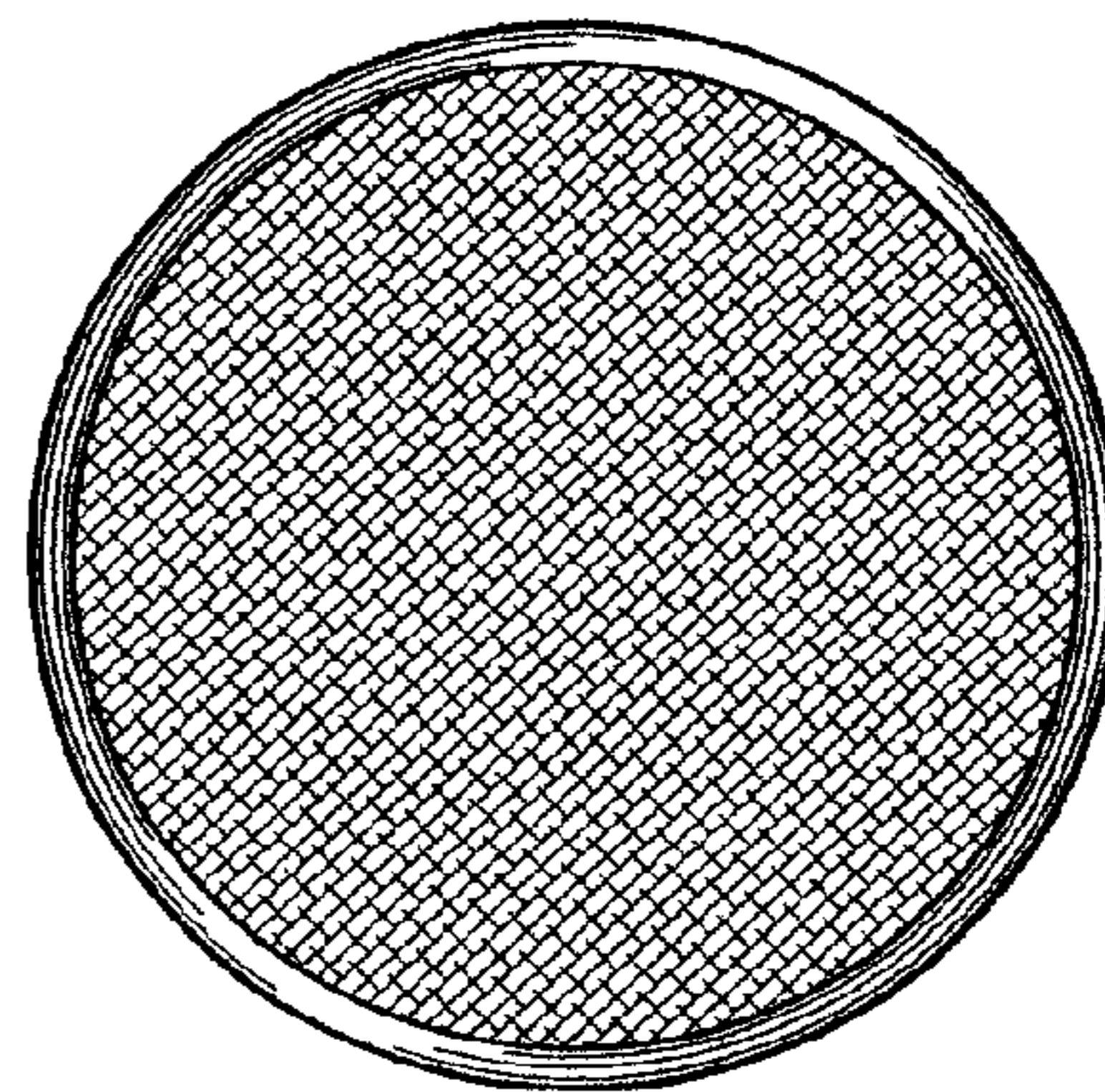


FIG. 5