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(54) **TOP PORTION OF A SPRING CORE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a top portion of a spring core, as
shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

Related U.S. Application Data

(63) Continuation of application No. 29/234,472, filed on Jul. 19,
2005, now abandoned, which is a continuation of application
No. 11/148,941, filed on Jun. 9, 2005.

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a top portion of a spring core
showing our design;

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267/91

FIG. 2 is an enlarged fragmentary view taken from the top
left corner in FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a side elevational view;

FIG. 4 is an enlarged fragmentary view taken from the far
left in FIG. 3;

FIG. 5 is a side elevational view, showing the side opposite
that shown in FIG. 3;

FIG. 6 is an enlarged fragmentary view taken from the far
left in FIG. 5;

FIG. 7 is an end elevational view;

FIG. 8 is an enlarged fragmentary view taken from the far left
in FIG. 7;

FIG. 9 is an end elevational view showing the end opposite
that shown in FIG. 7; and,

FIG. 10 is an enlarged fragmentary view taken from the far
right in FIG. 9.

The broken lines are for environmental purposes only and
form no part of the claimed design.

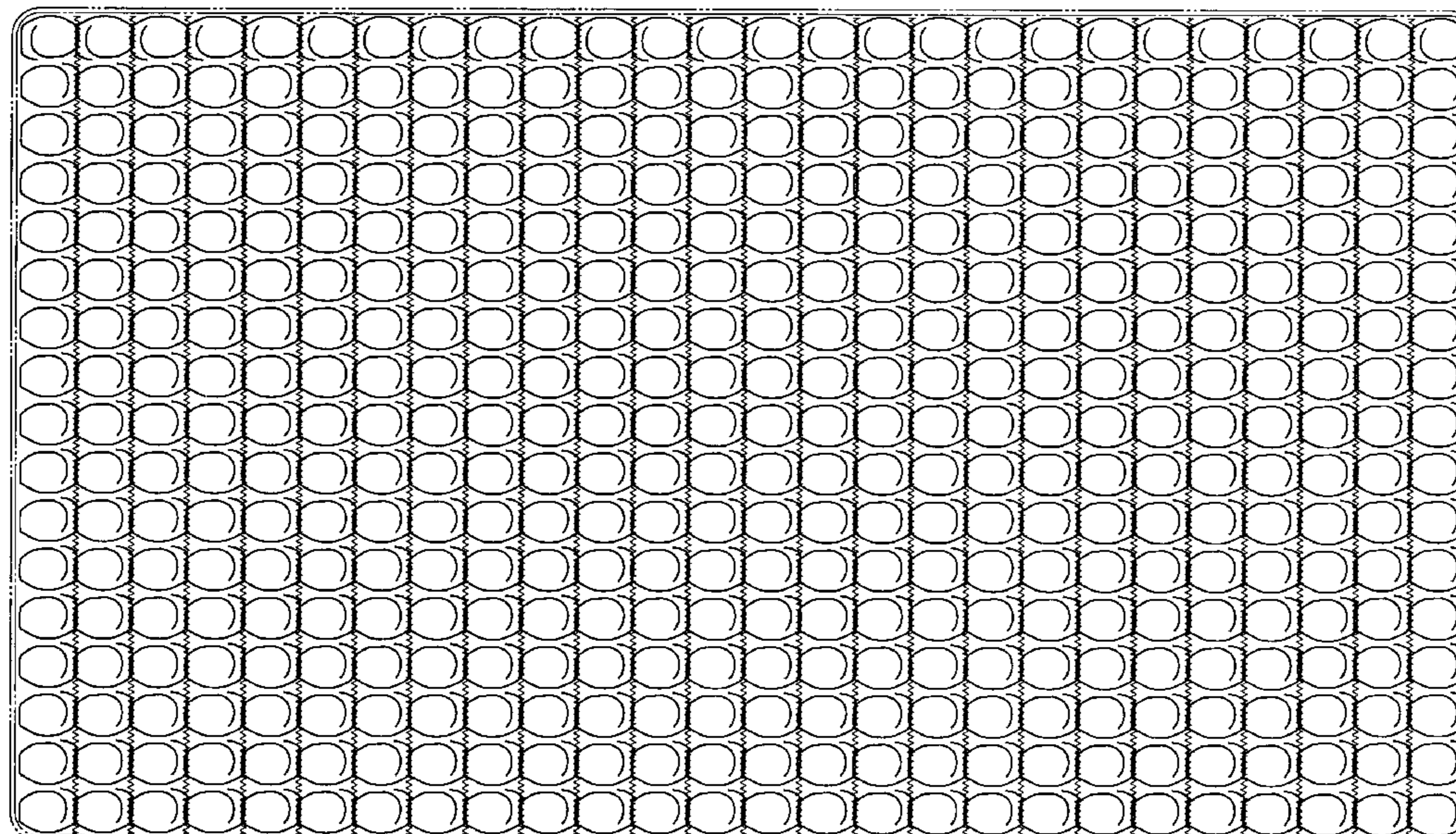
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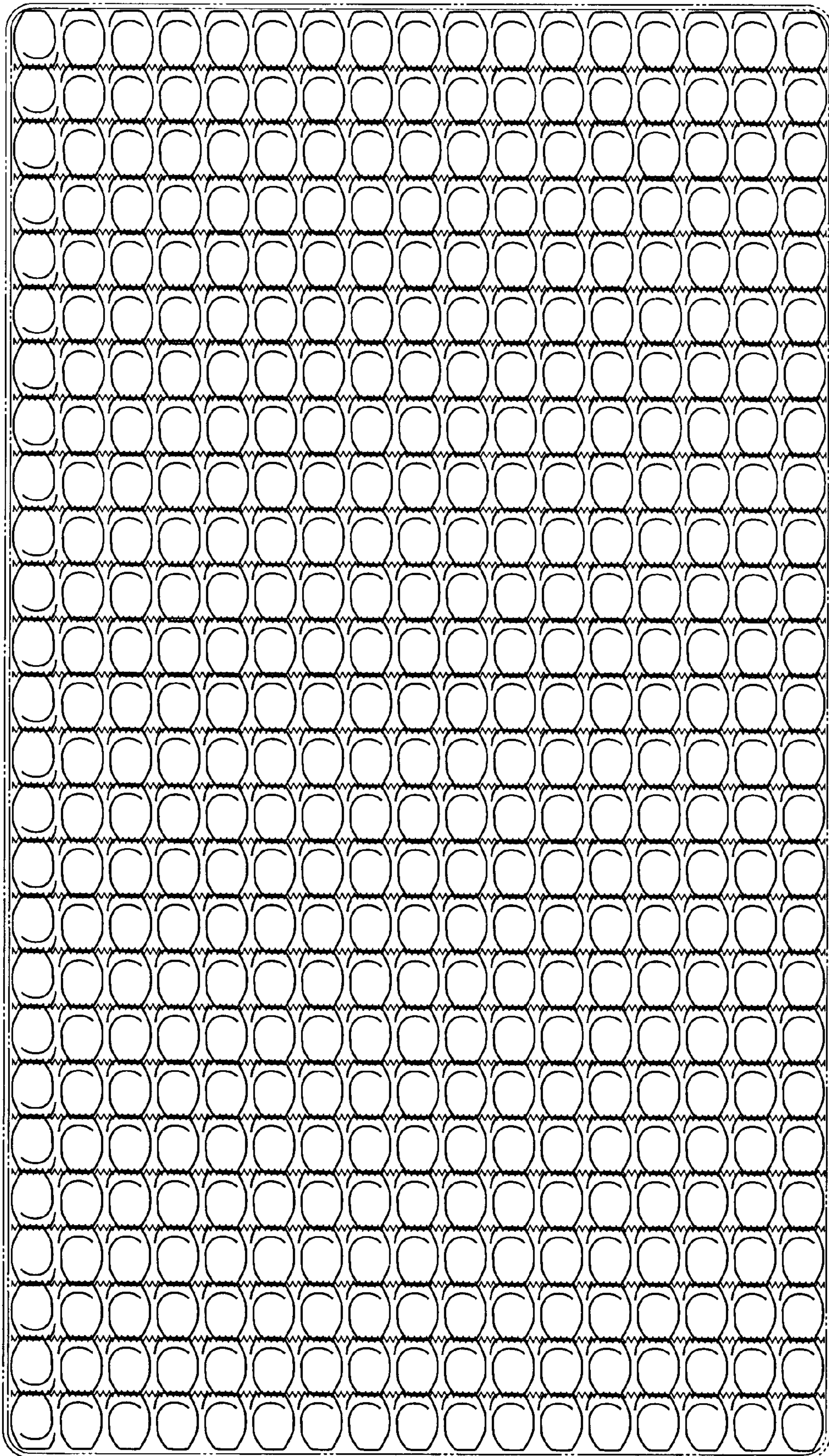


FIG. 1

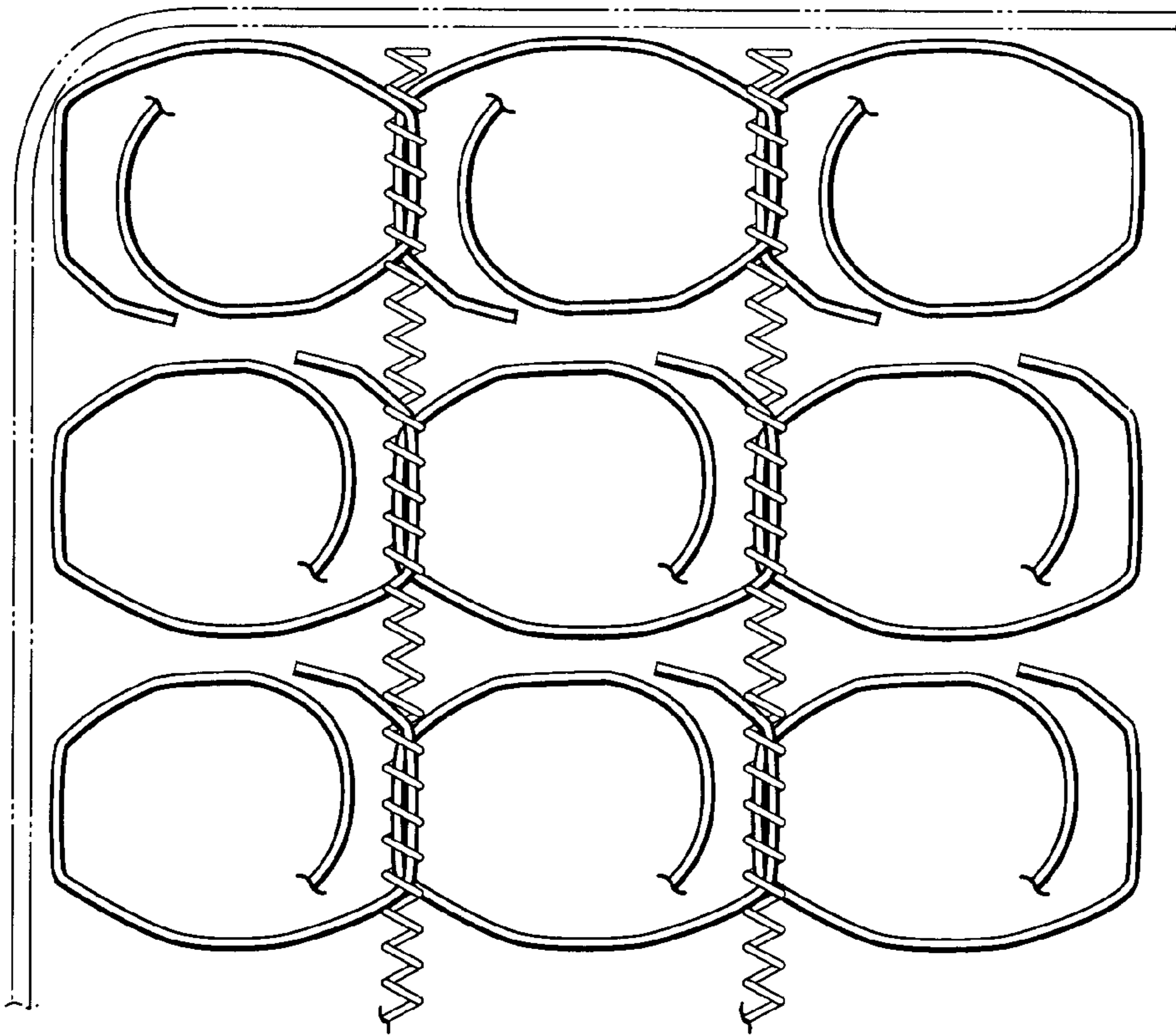


FIG. 2

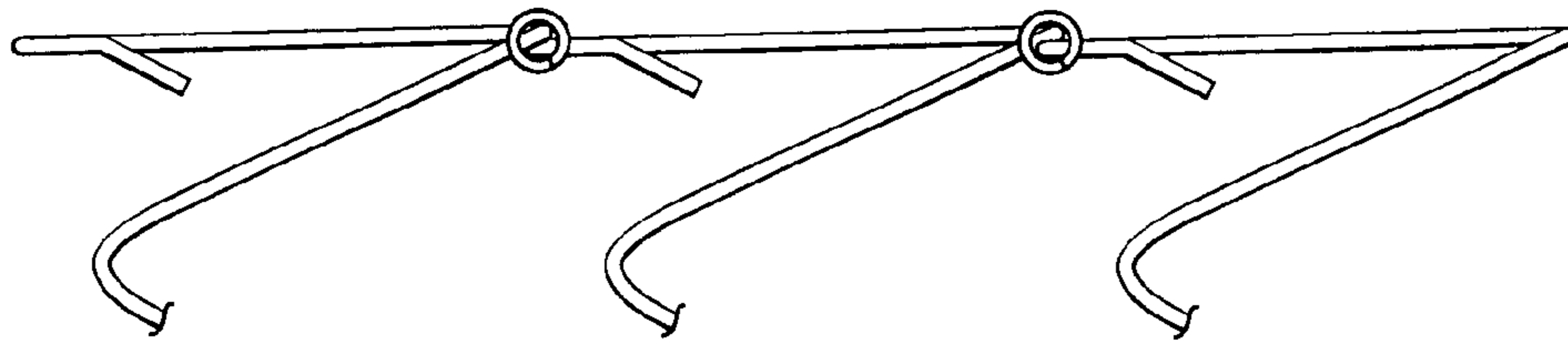


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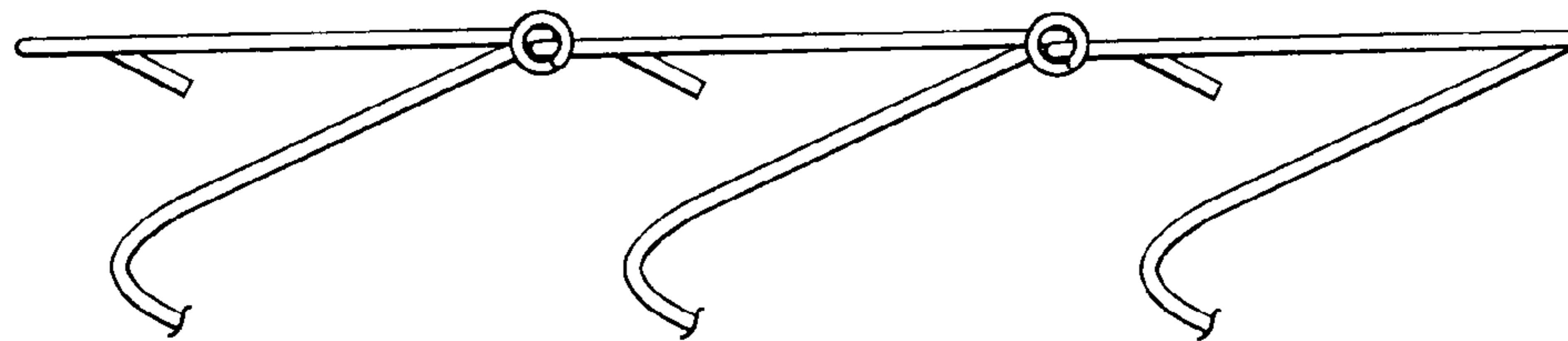


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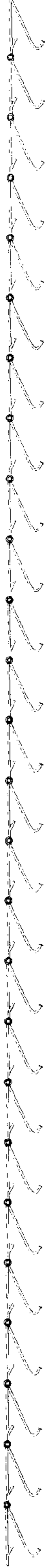


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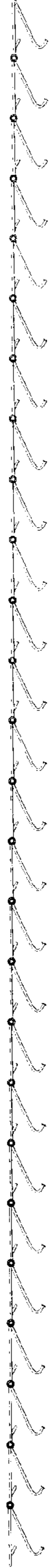


FIG. 5



FIG. 7



FIG. 9

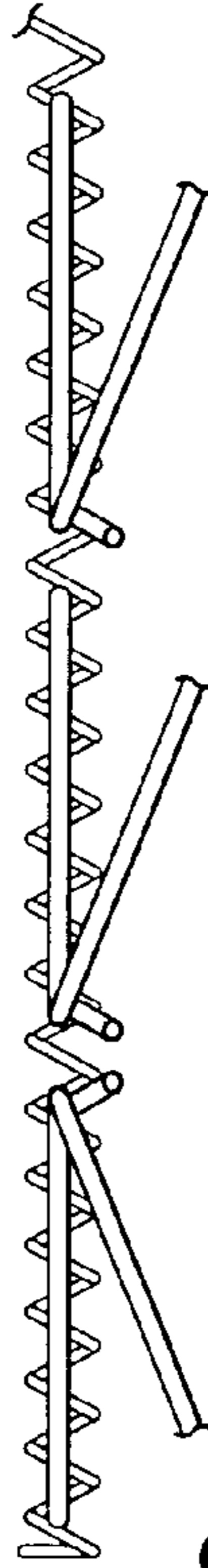


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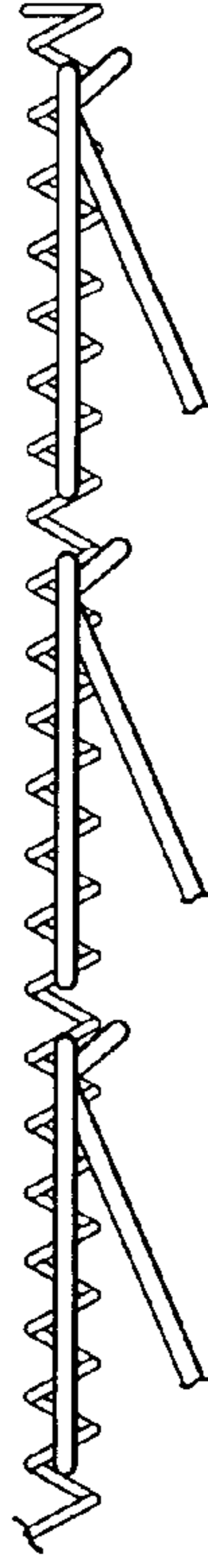


FIG. 10