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(54) **PLASTIC SHOPPING CART BASKET**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a plastic shopping cart basket, as  
shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a top perspective view of the plastic shopping cart  
basket showing our design.

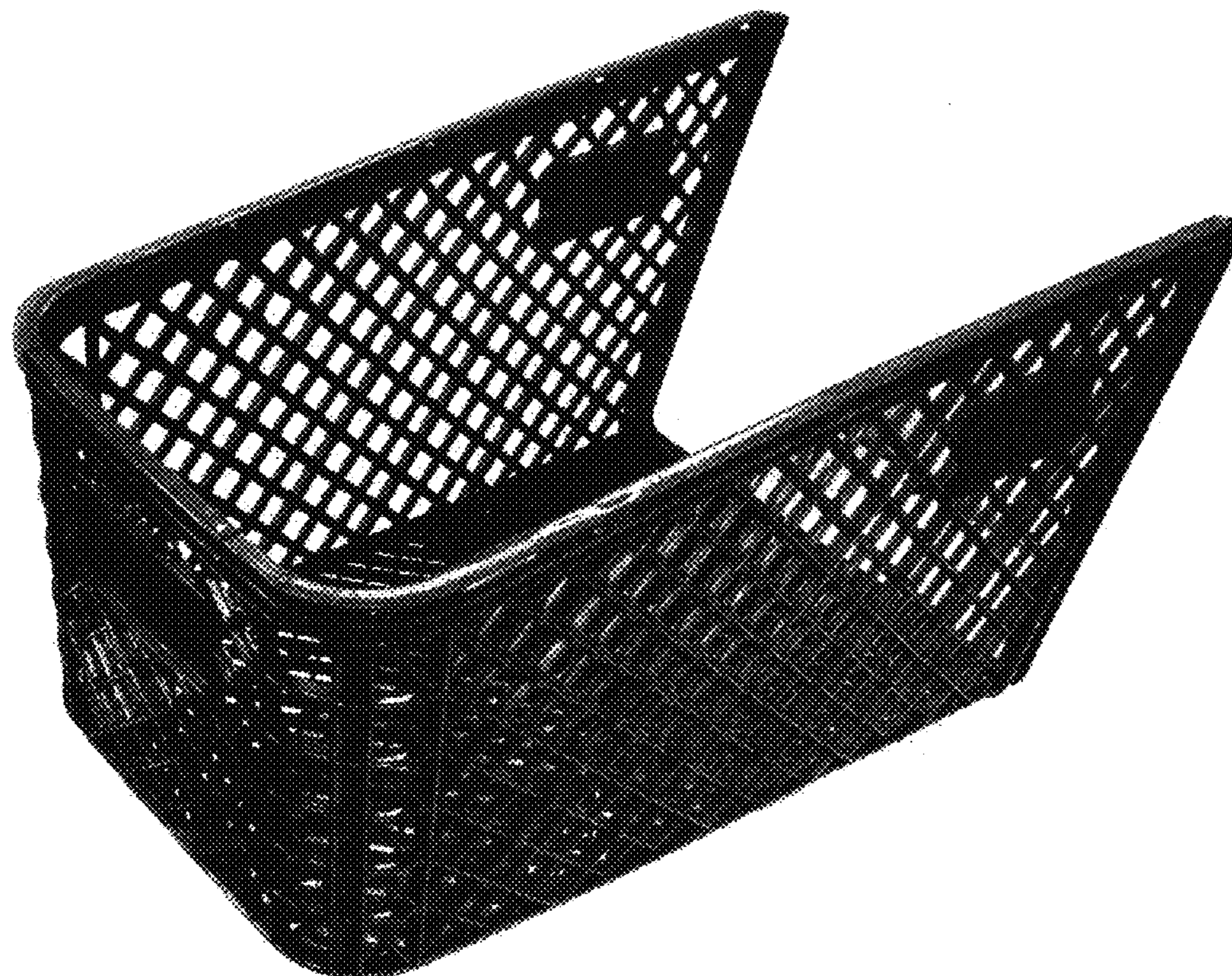
FIG. 2 is a right side elevational view thereof, the left side  
being identical thereto.

FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof.

FIG. 4 is a top view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is an elevational view showing the curved corner  
which joins the front and left sides, the curved corner joining  
the front and right sides being identical thereto.

**1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets**



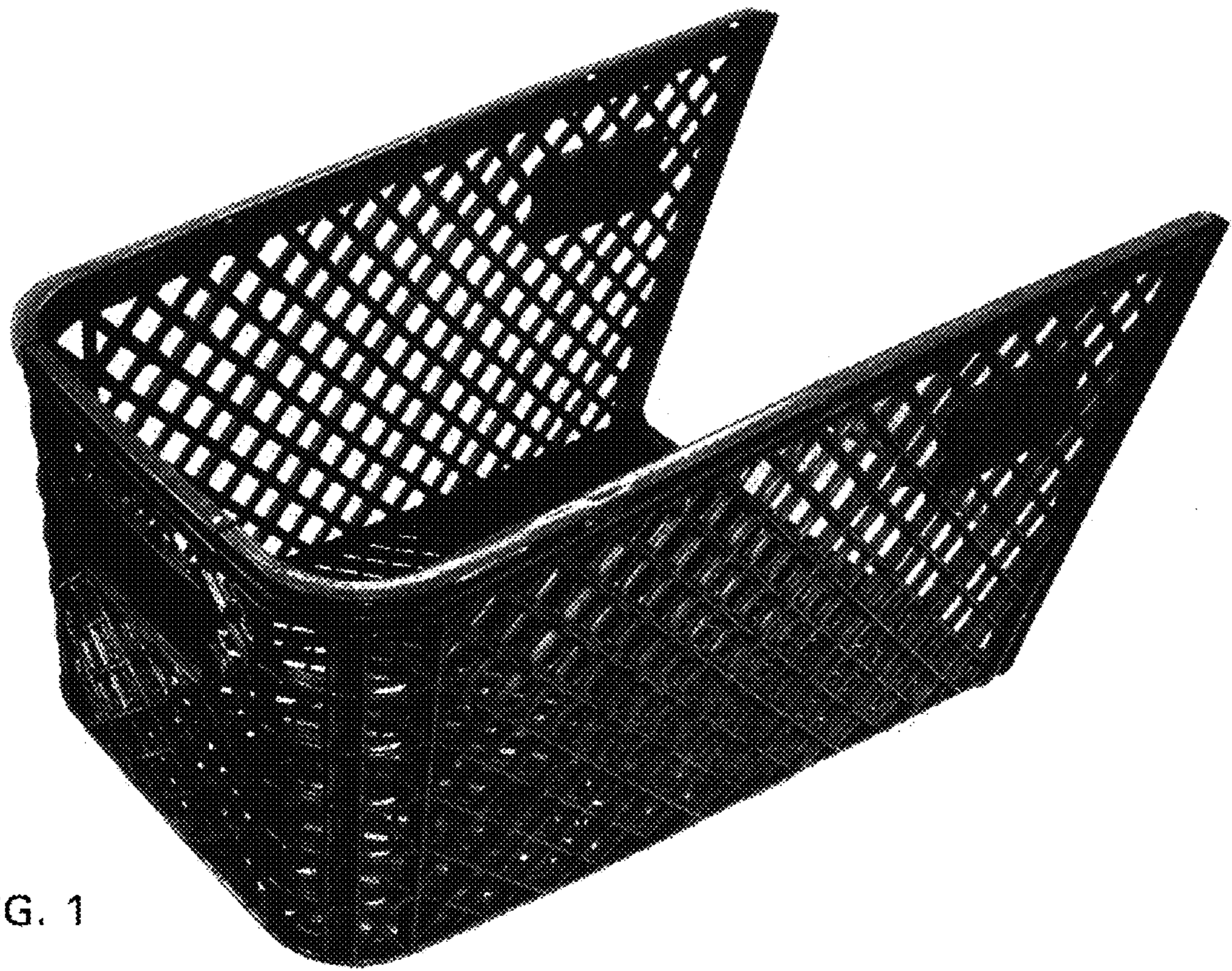


FIG. 1

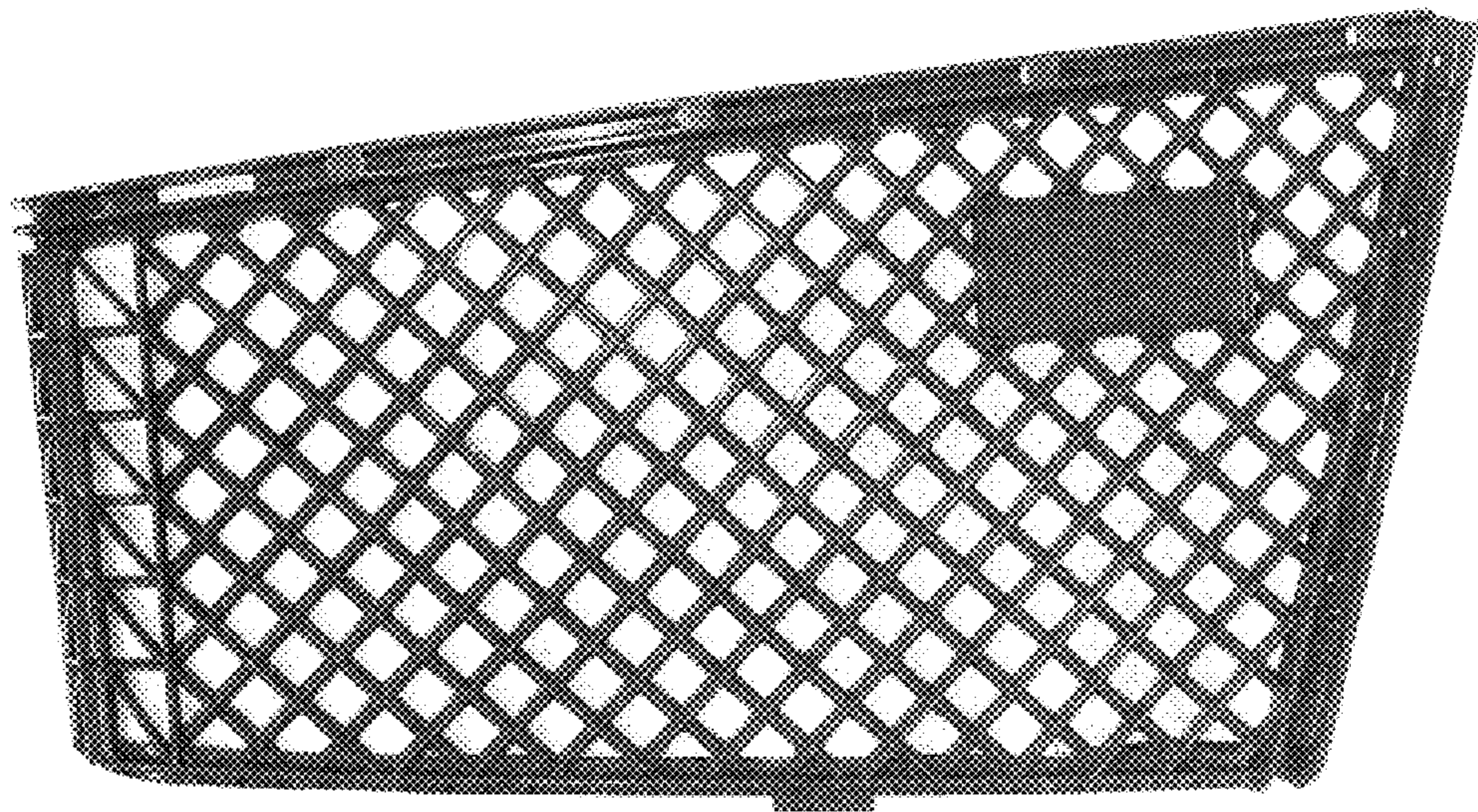


FIG. 2

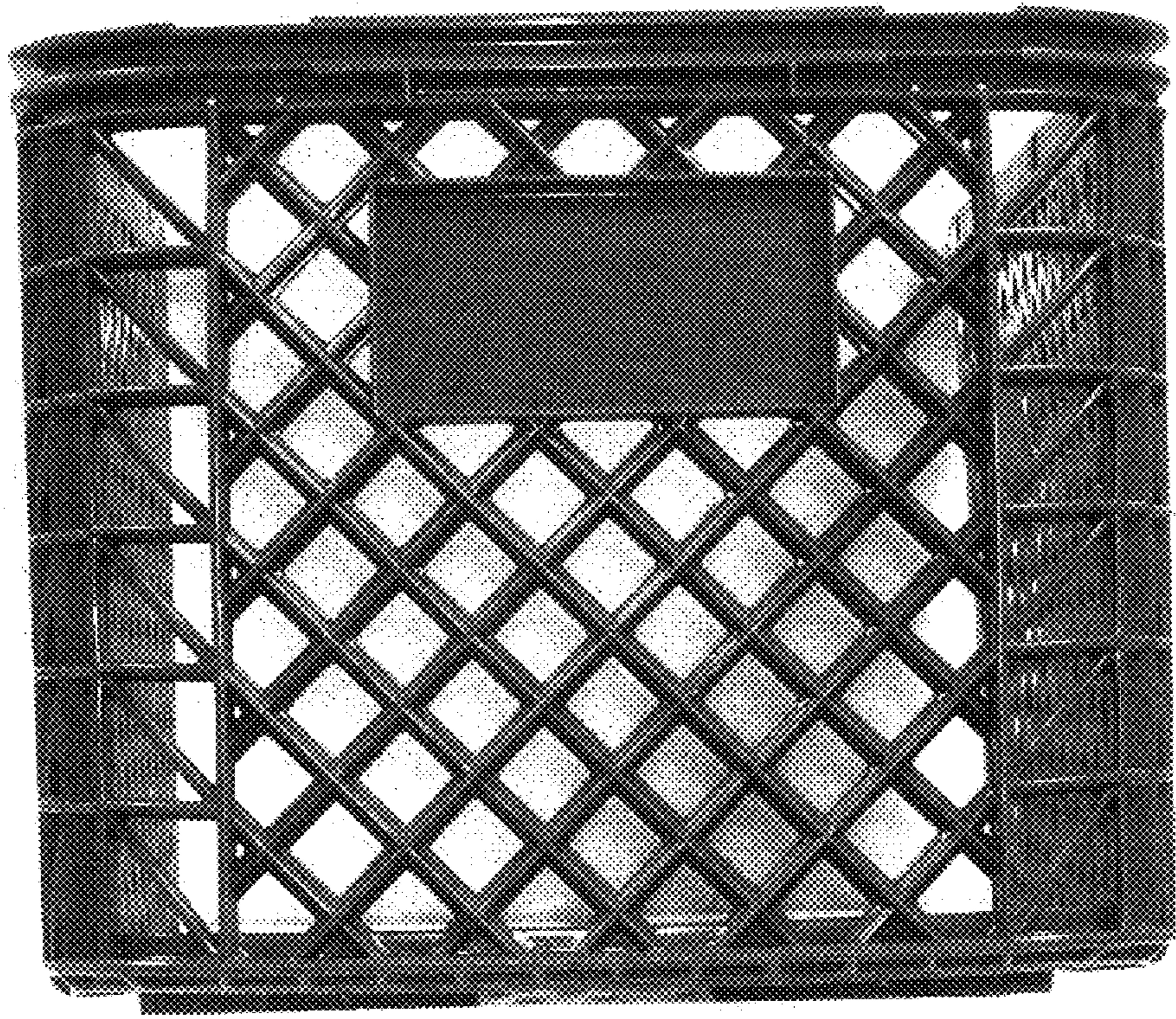


FIG. 3

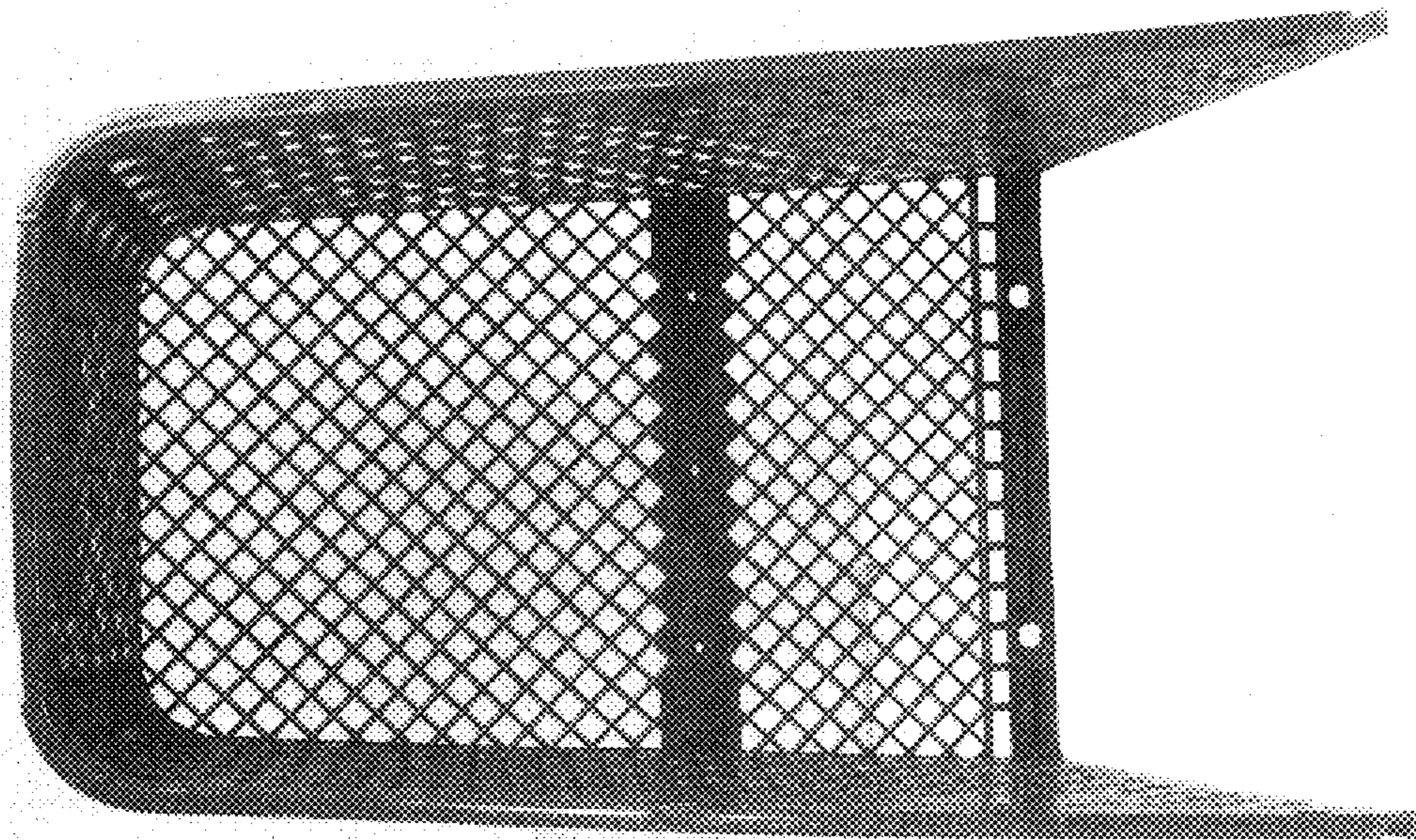


FIG. 4

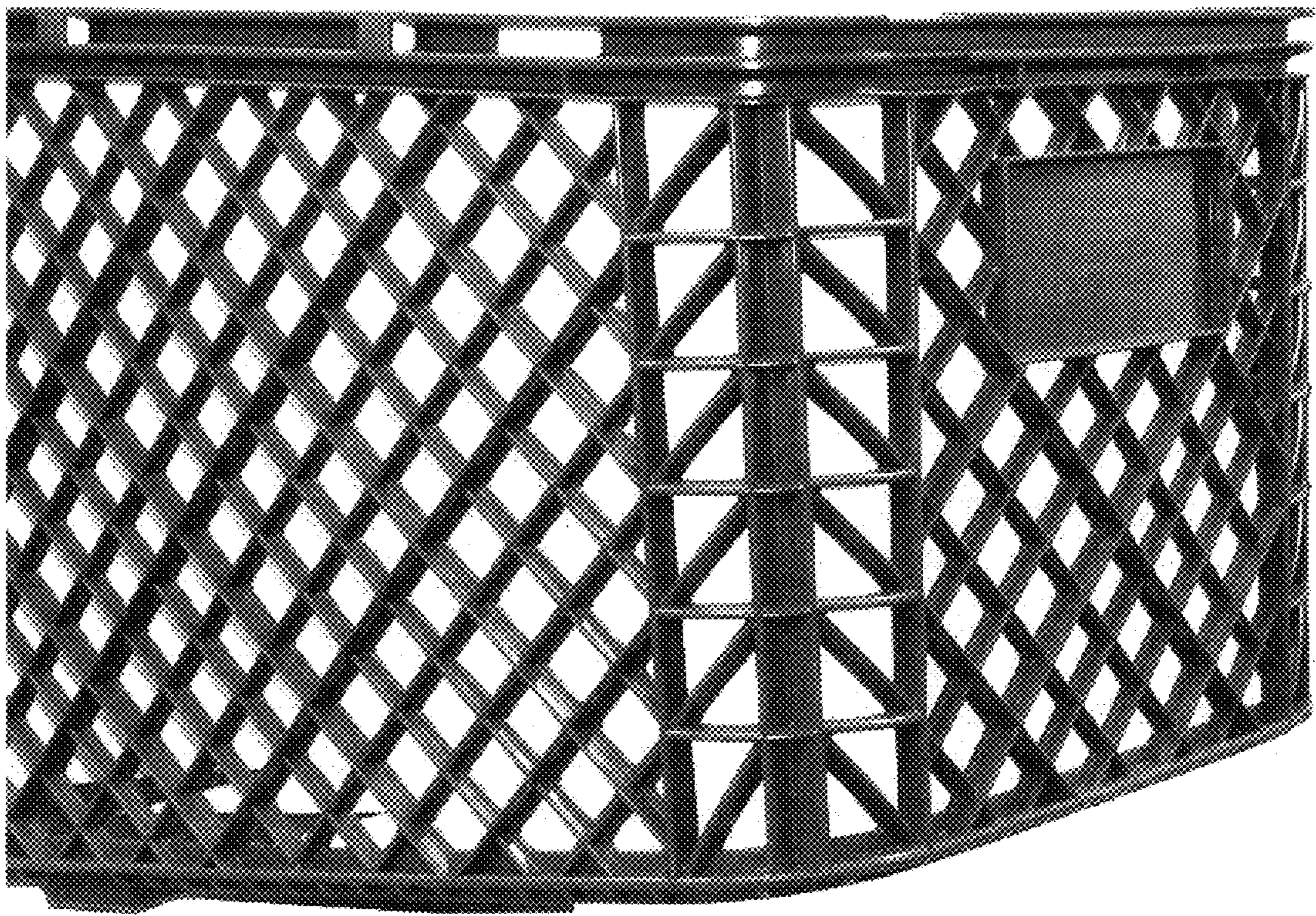


FIG. 5