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#### (57) CLAIM

The ornamental design for a seal, as shown and described.

#### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 represents a perspective view of an embodiment of a seal showing our new design;

FIG. 2 represents a right side view of the design shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 represents a top view of the design shown in FIG. 1; FIG. 4 represents a cross-sectional view of the design shown in FIG. 3 along the line 4, illustrating the interior contour of the design;

FIG. 5 represents a left side view of the design shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a perspective view of another embodiment thereof the only difference being a poppet inserted therein;

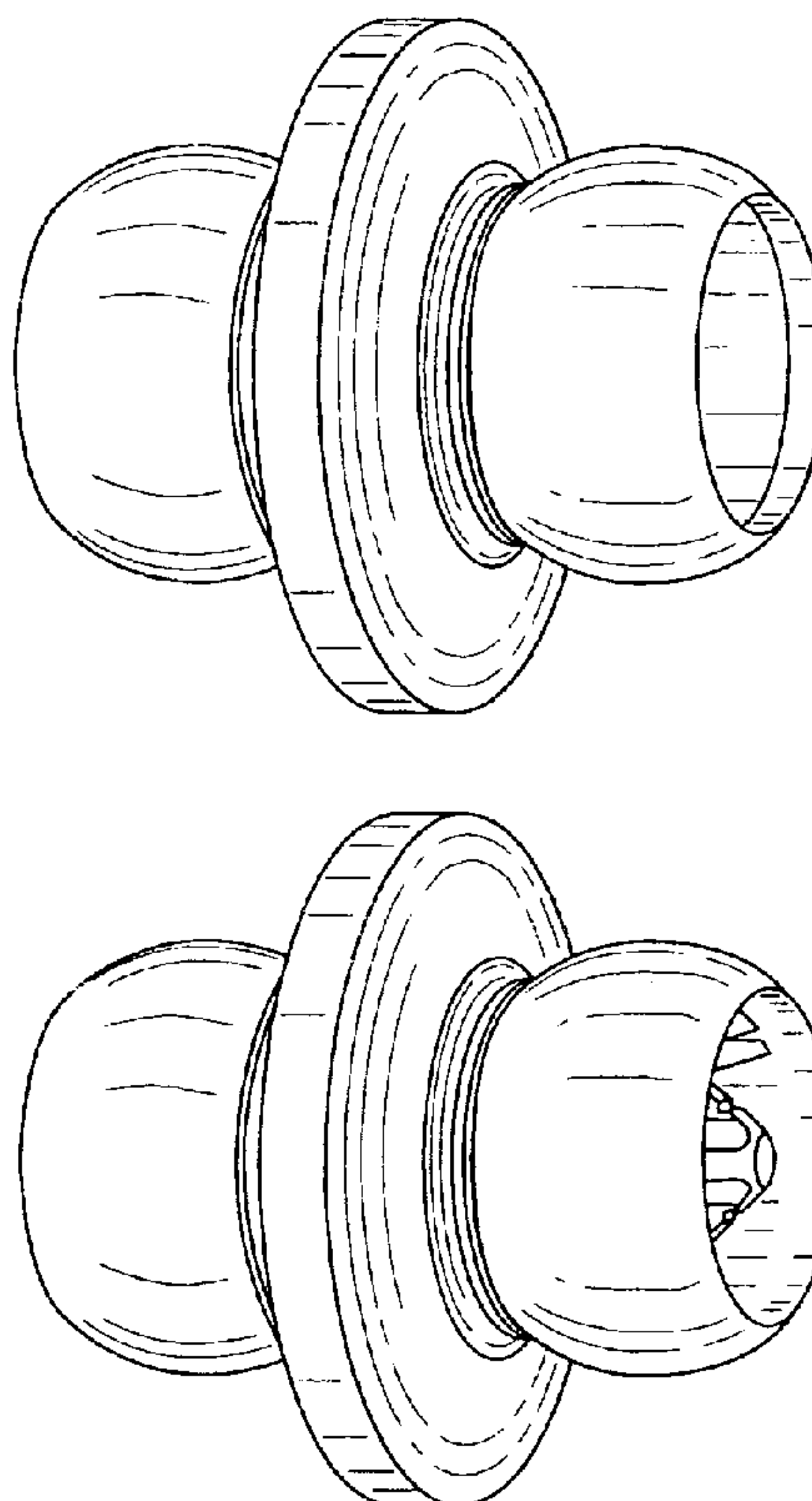
FIG. 7 represents a right side view of the designs shown in FIG. 6;

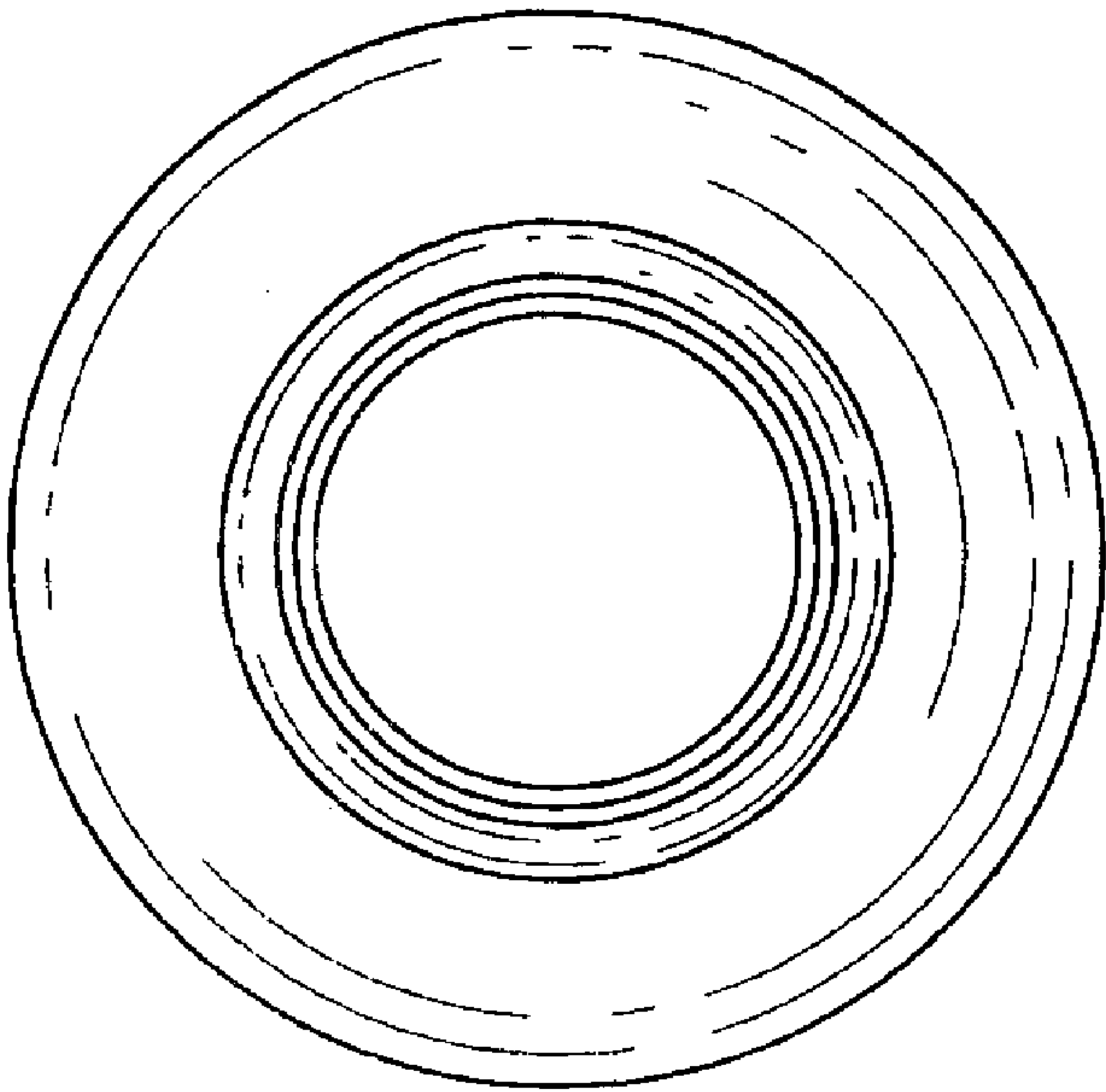
FIG. 8 represents a top view of the designs shown in FIG. 6;

FIG. 9 represents a cross-sectional view of the designs shown in FIG. 8 along the line 9, illustrating the interior contour of the designs; and,

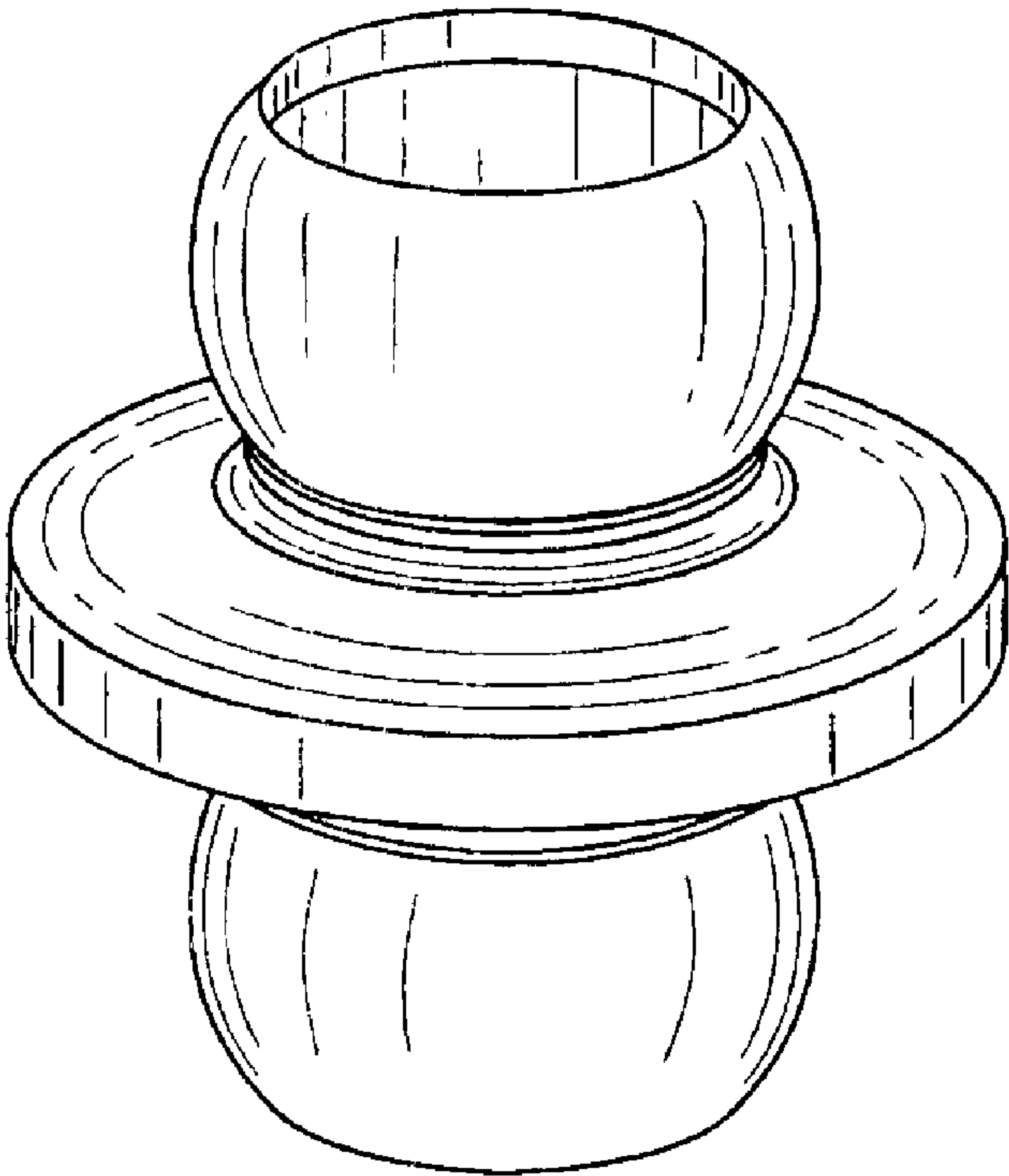
FIG. 10 represents a left side view of the designs shown in FIG. 6.

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**FIG. 2**



**FIG. 1**

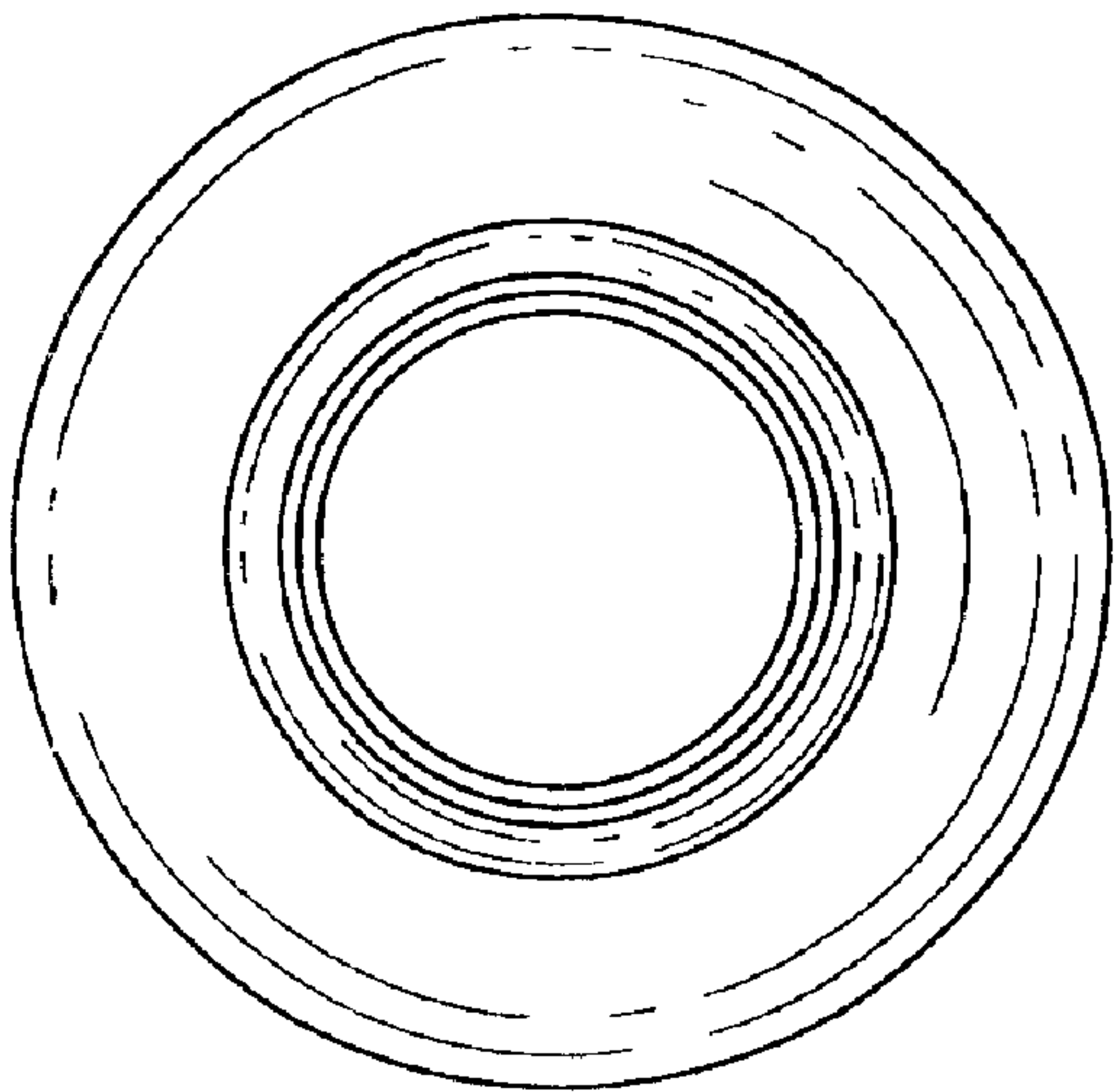


FIG. 5

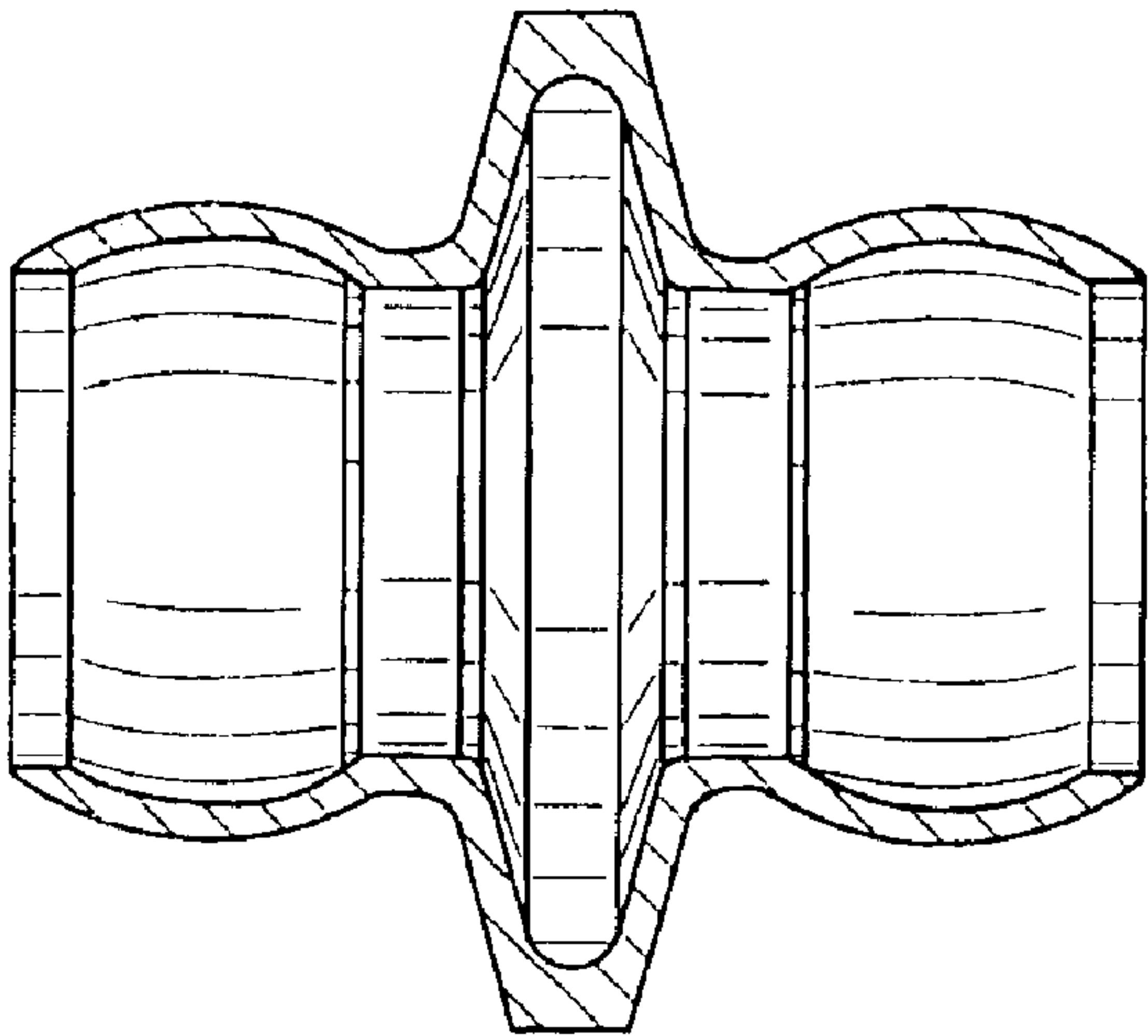


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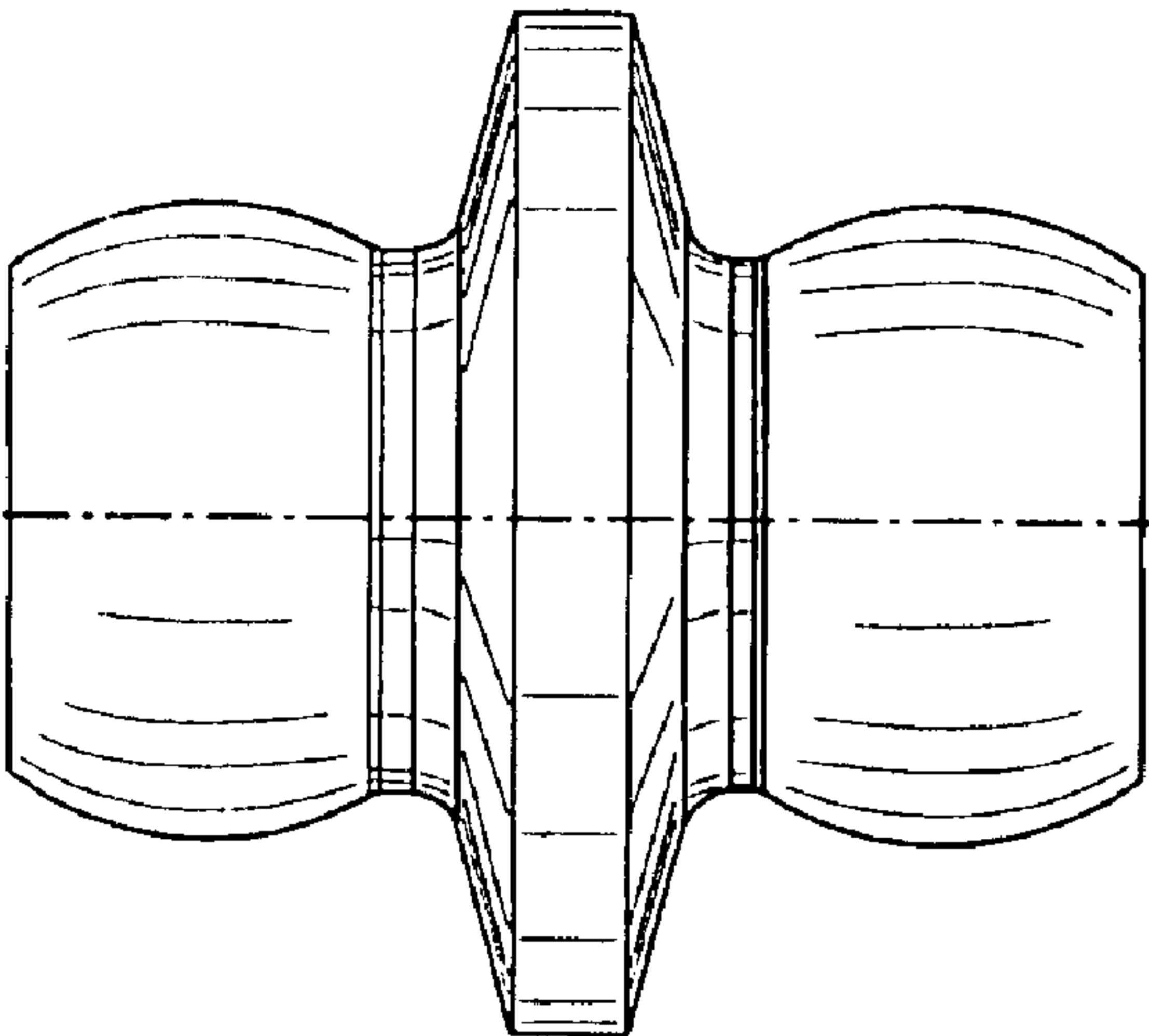
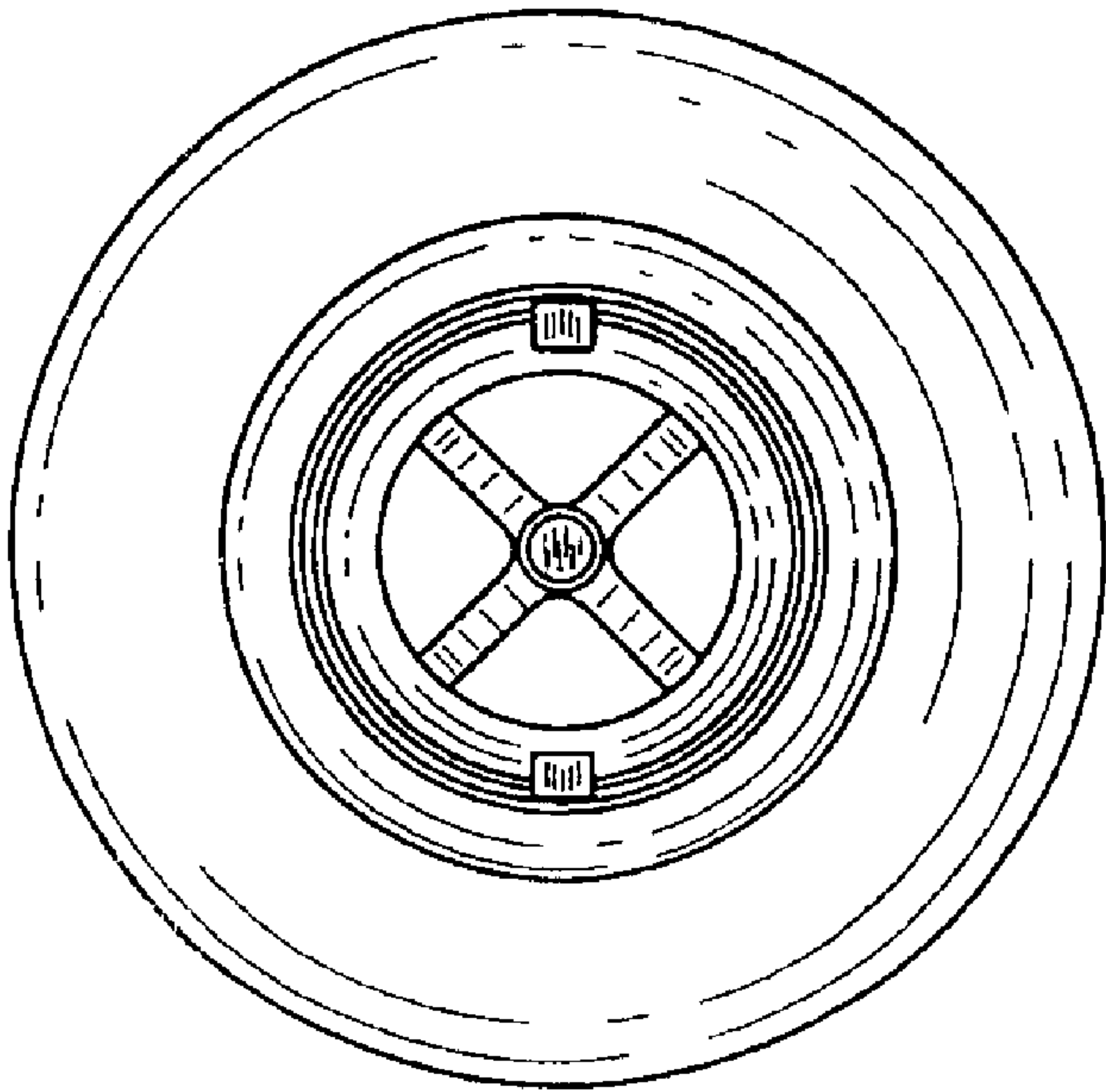


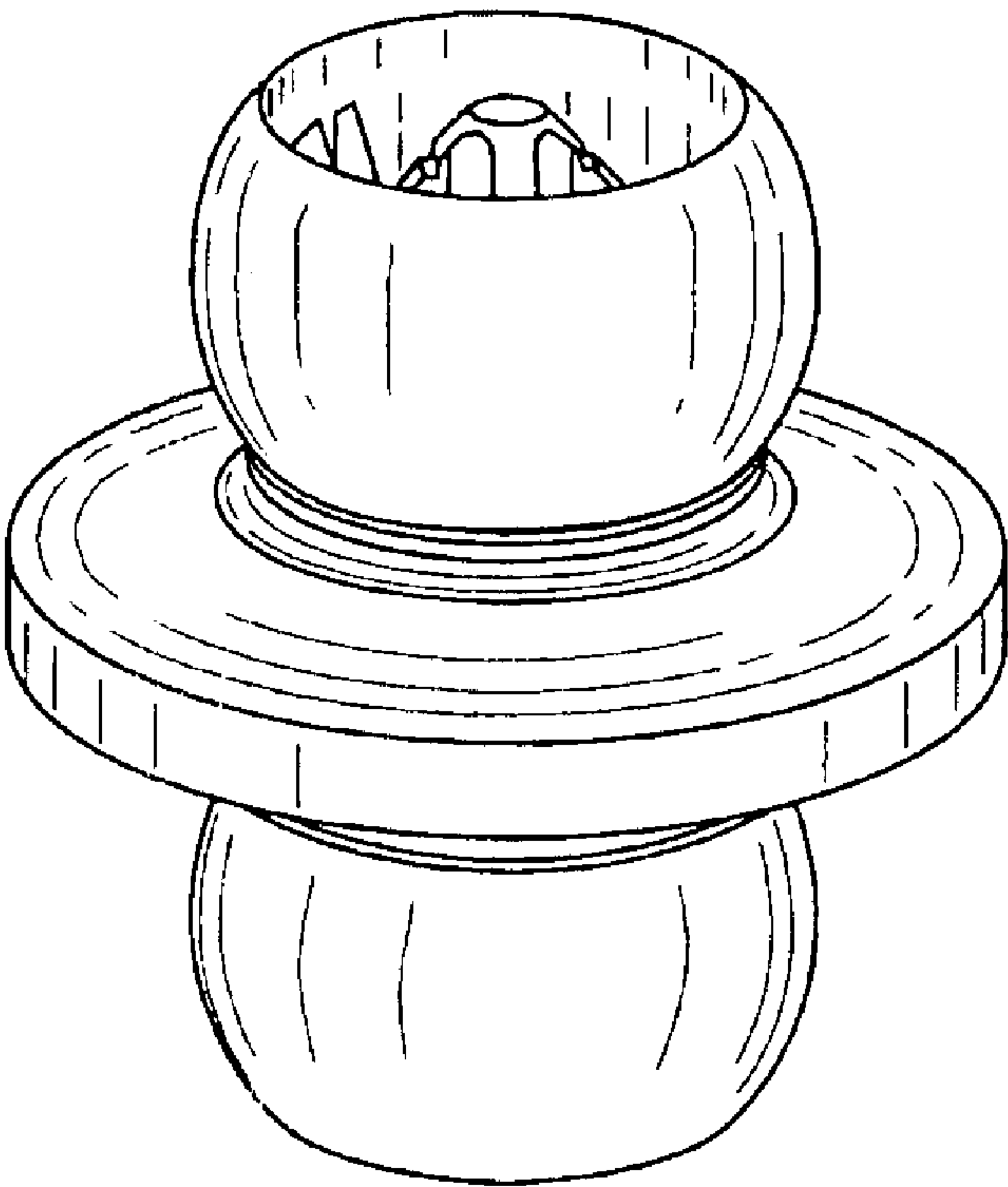
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**FIG. 7**



**FIG. 6**



FIG. 9

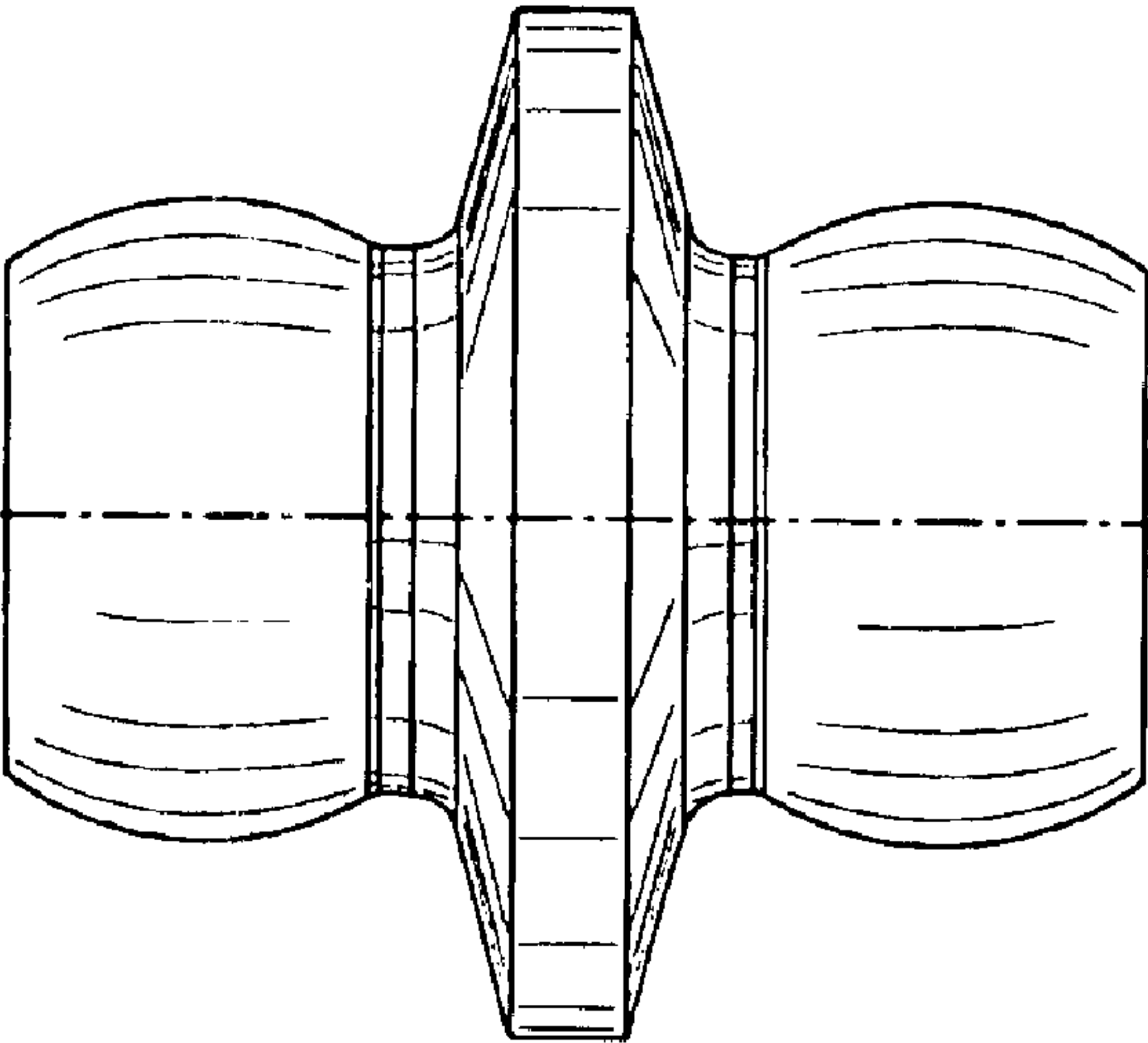


FIG. 9

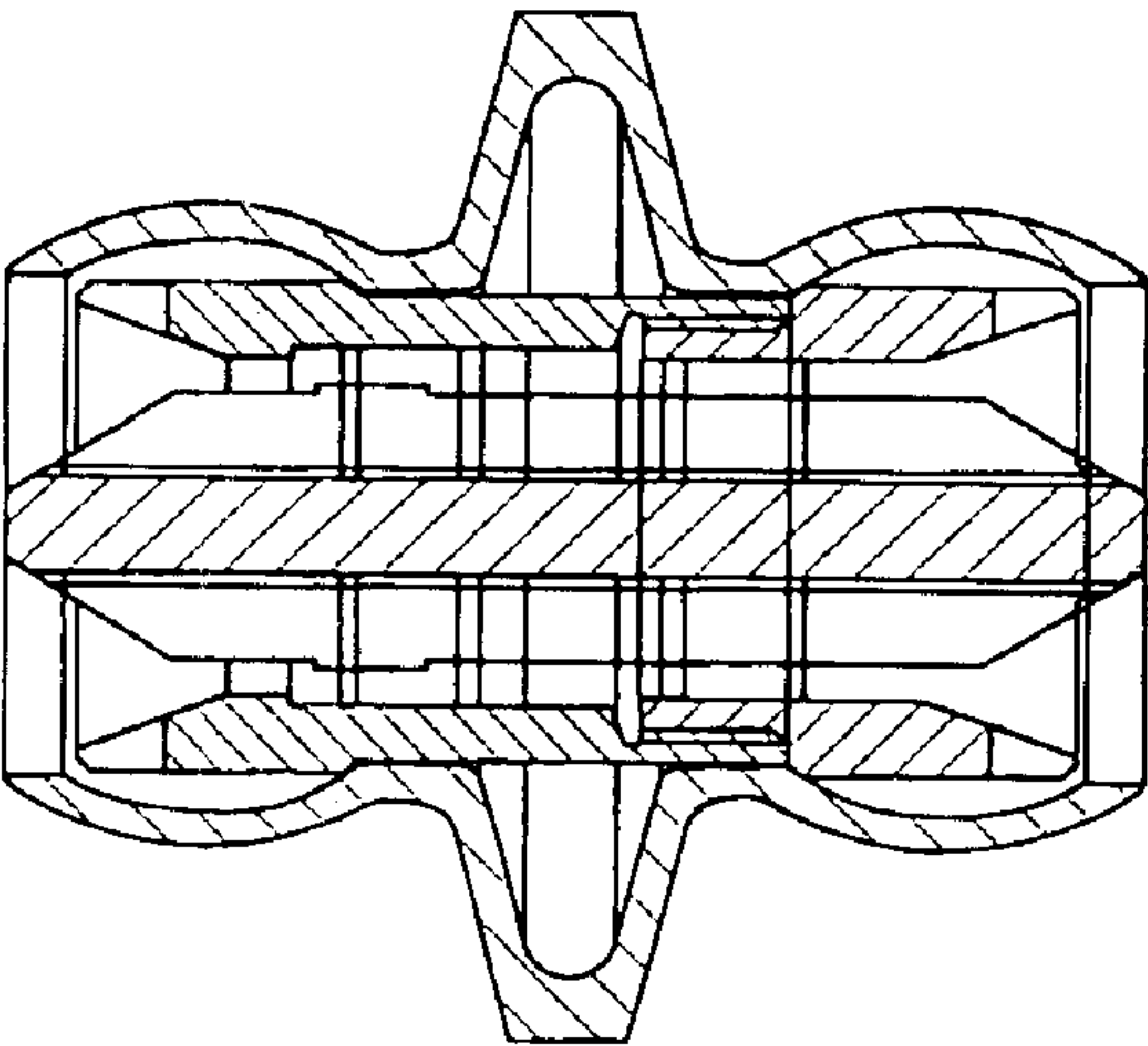


FIG. 9

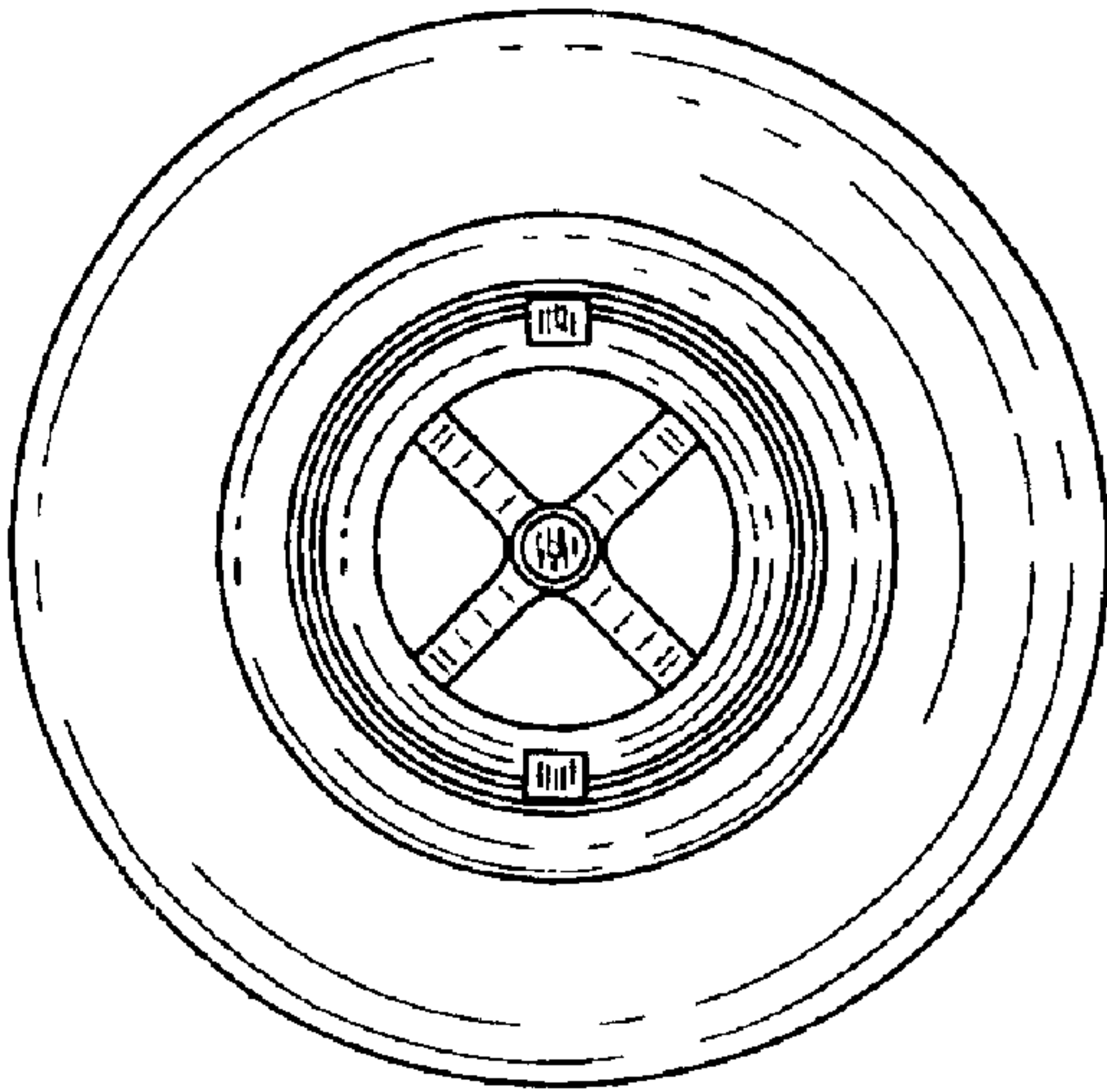


FIG. 10