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(54) **BALUSTER**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a top front perspective view of the baluster of the present design;

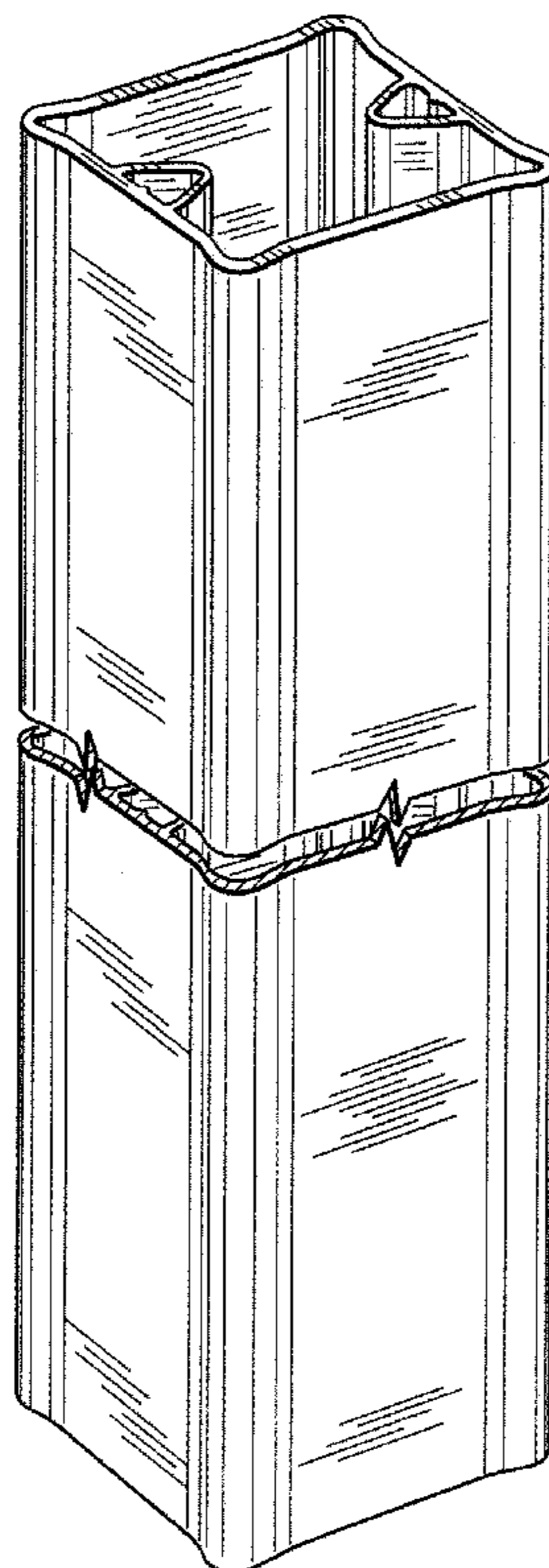
FIG. 2 is a bottom front perspective view of the baluster of FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a front elevation view of the baluster of FIG. 1 (side and back views are identical); and,

FIG. 4 is a top view of the baluster of FIG. 1 (bottom view is identical).

The claimed design is broken in the center to indicate indeterminate length.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



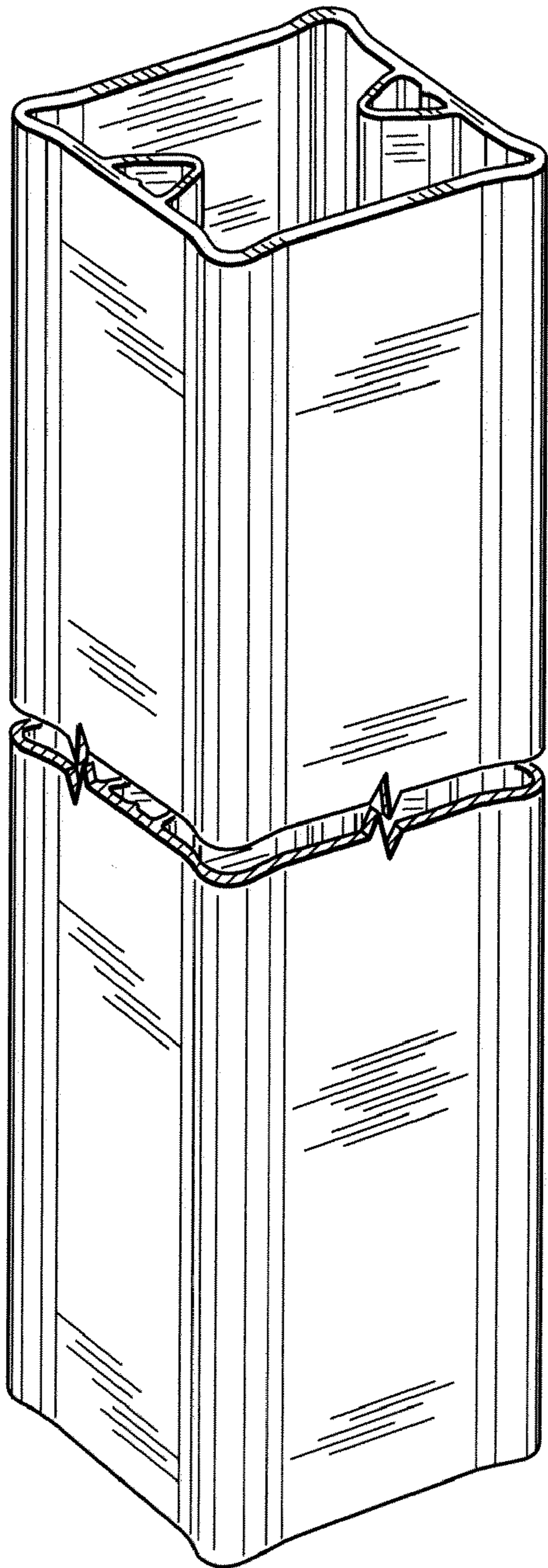


FIG. 1

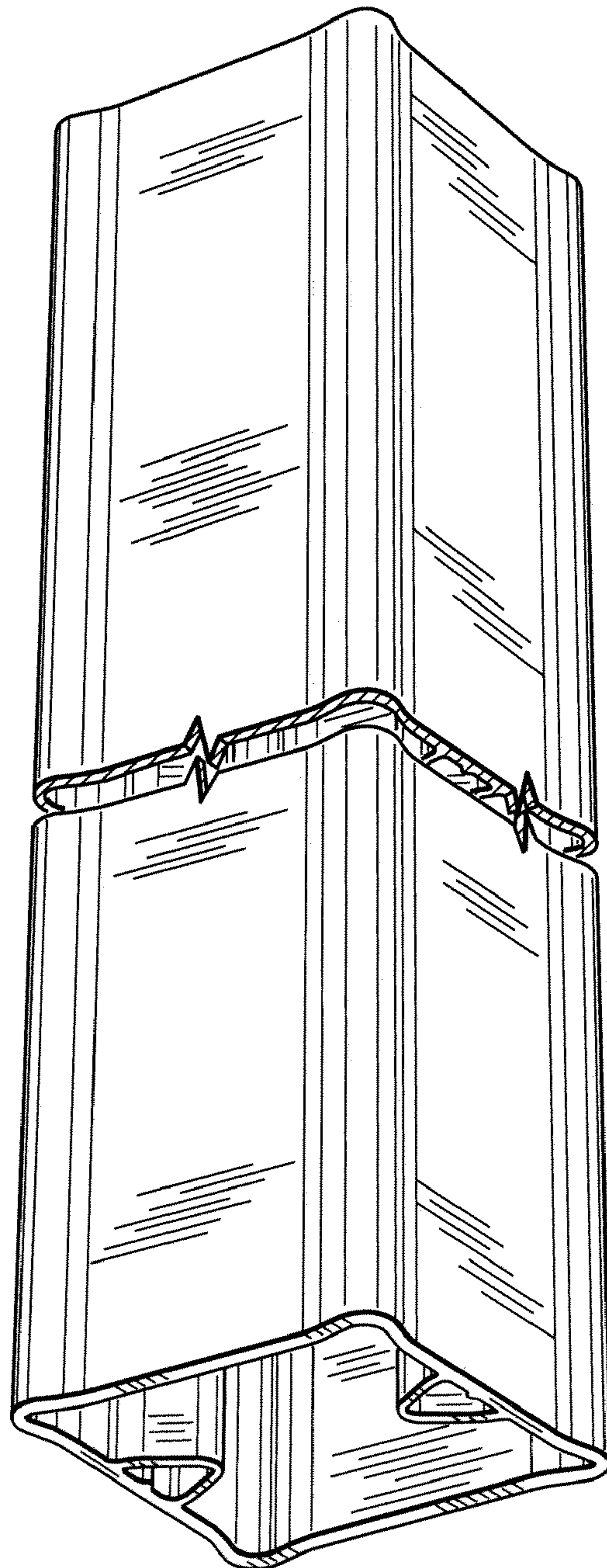
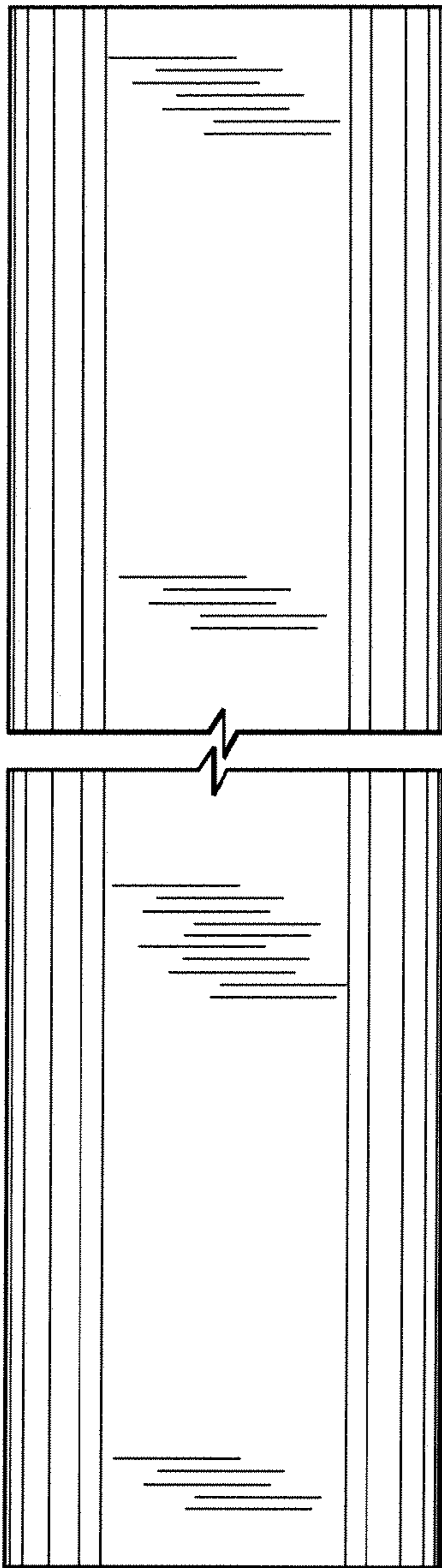
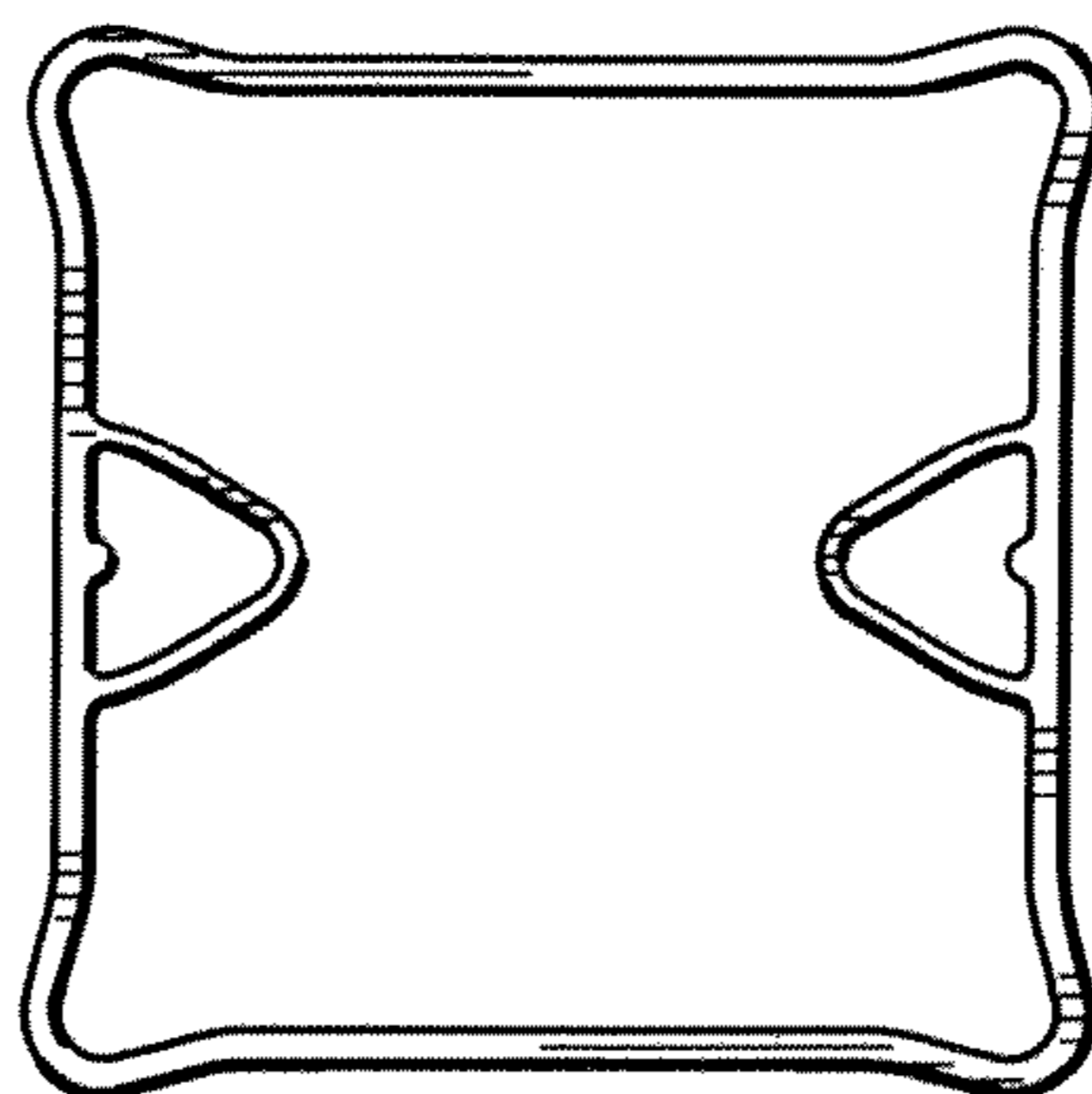


FIG. 2



**FIG. 3**



**FIG. 4**