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(54) **PORTS CAP FOR RESPIRATORY MASK**

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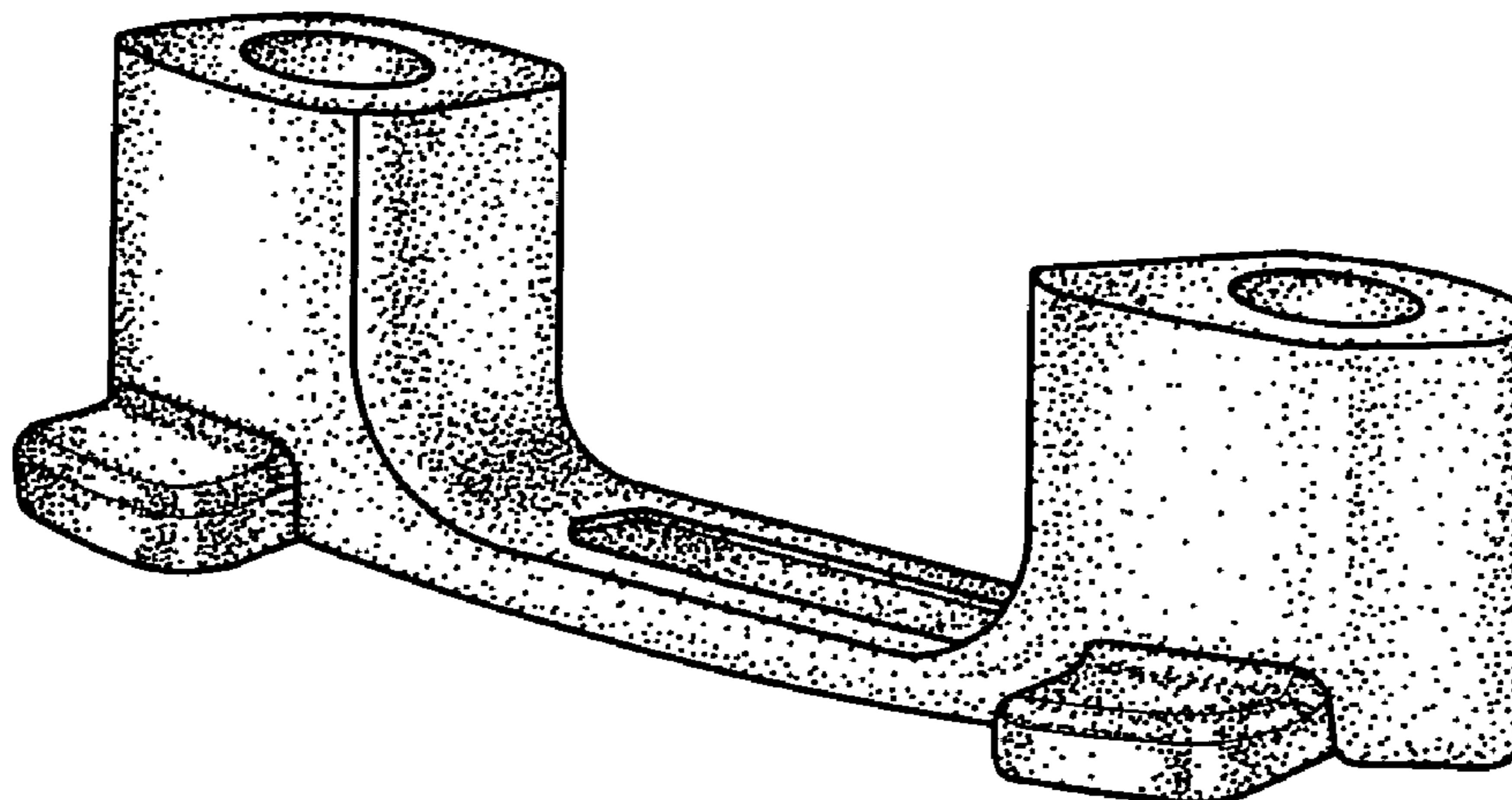
CLAIM

(57) The ornamental design for a ports cap for a respiratory mask, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a ports cap for a respiratory mask according to our design;
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a bottom view thereof; and,
FIG. 6 is a right side view thereof, with the left side view being a mirror image thereof.

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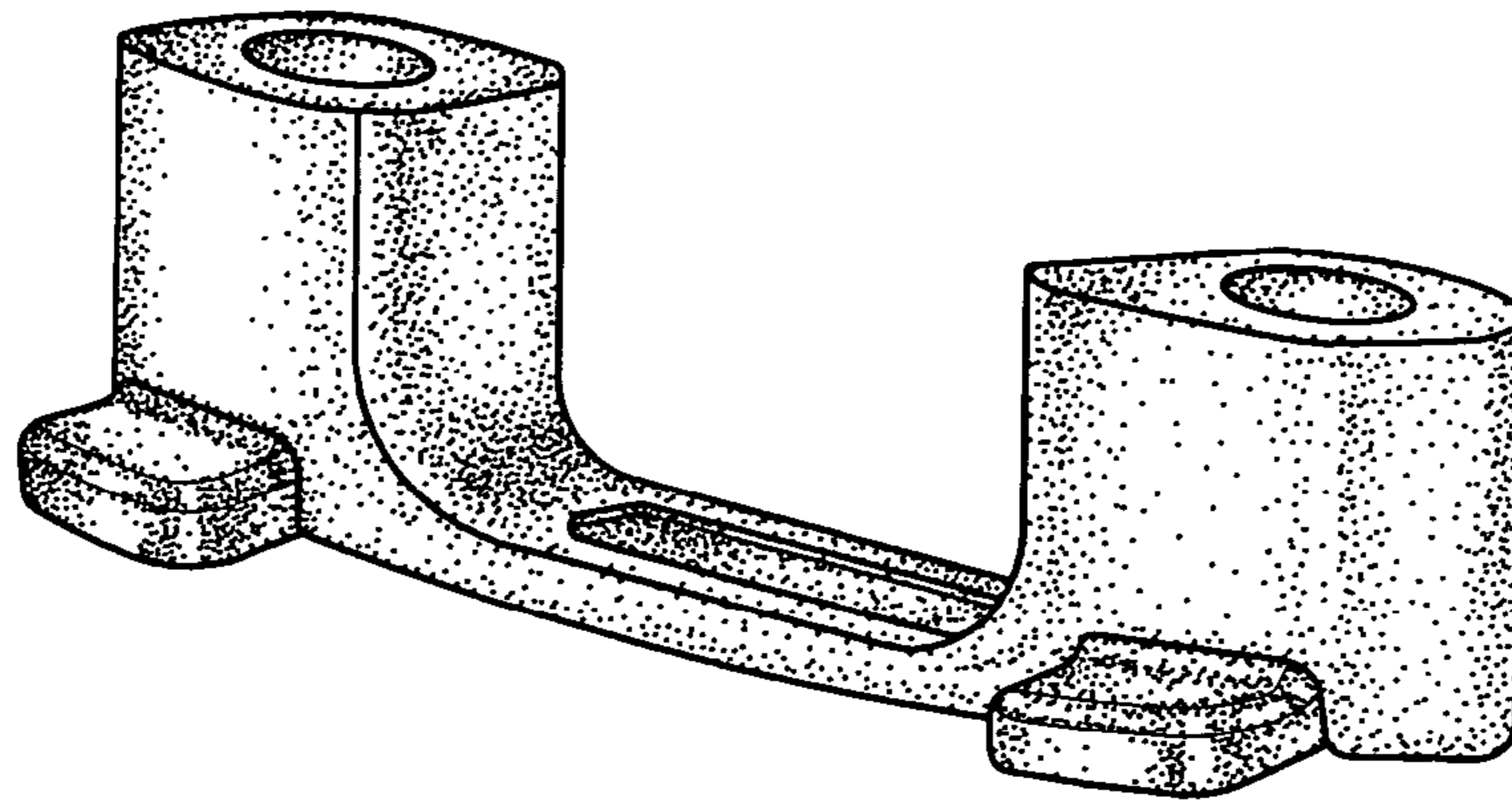


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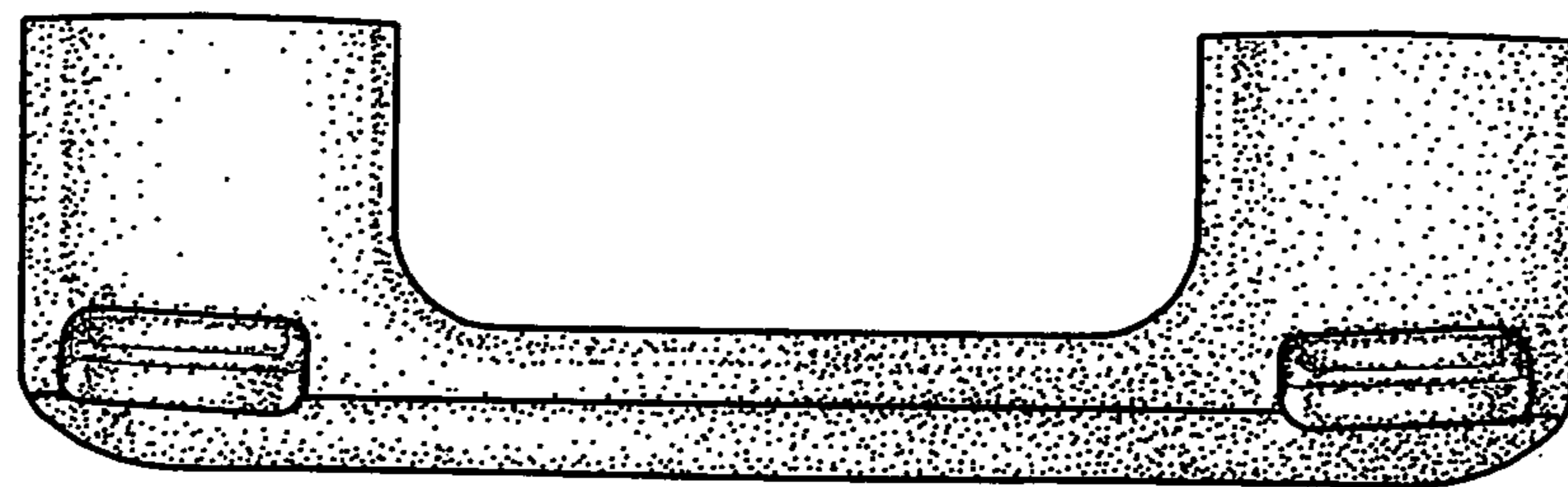


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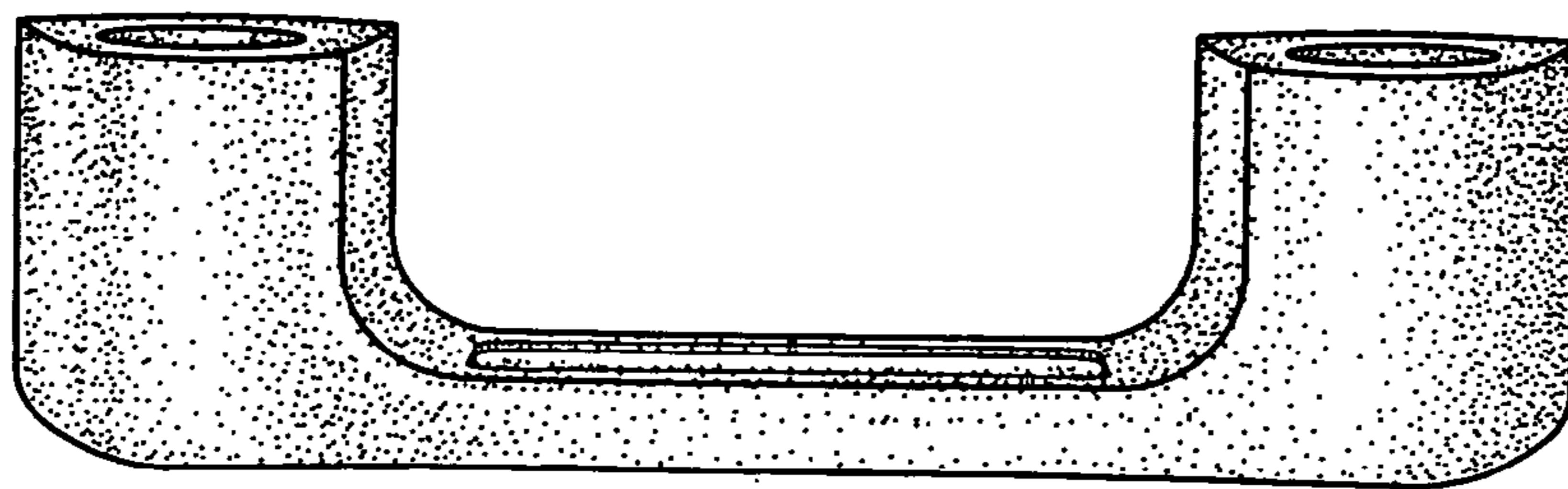


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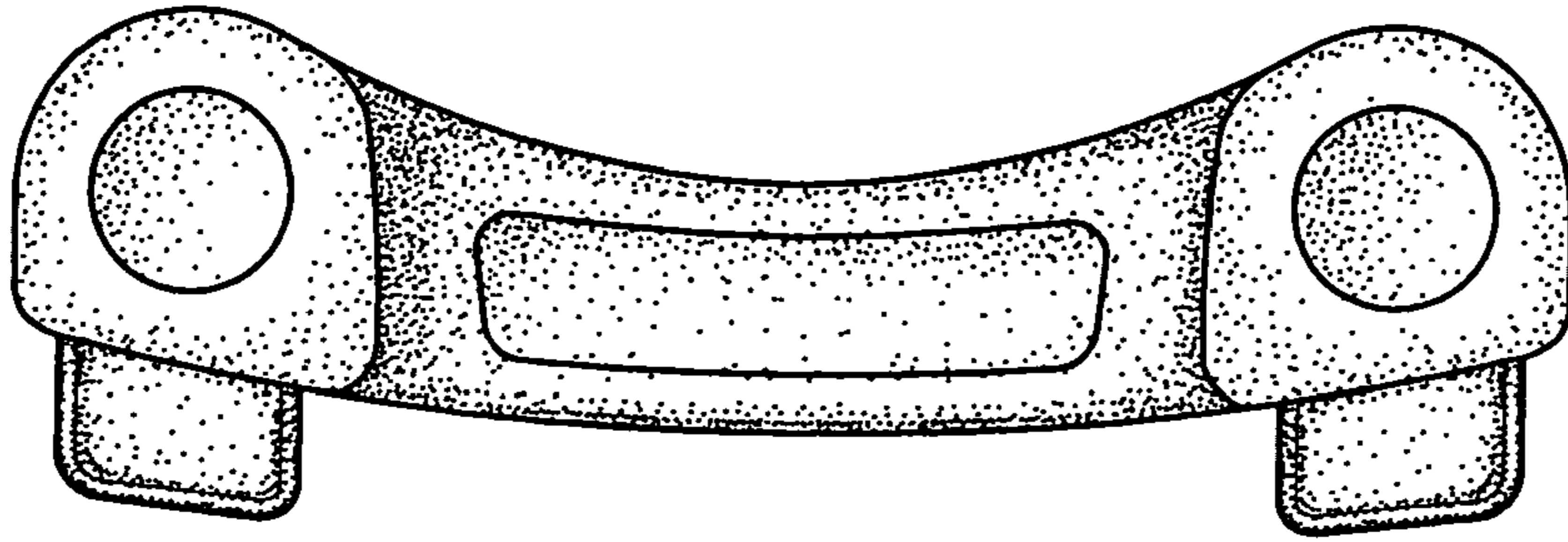


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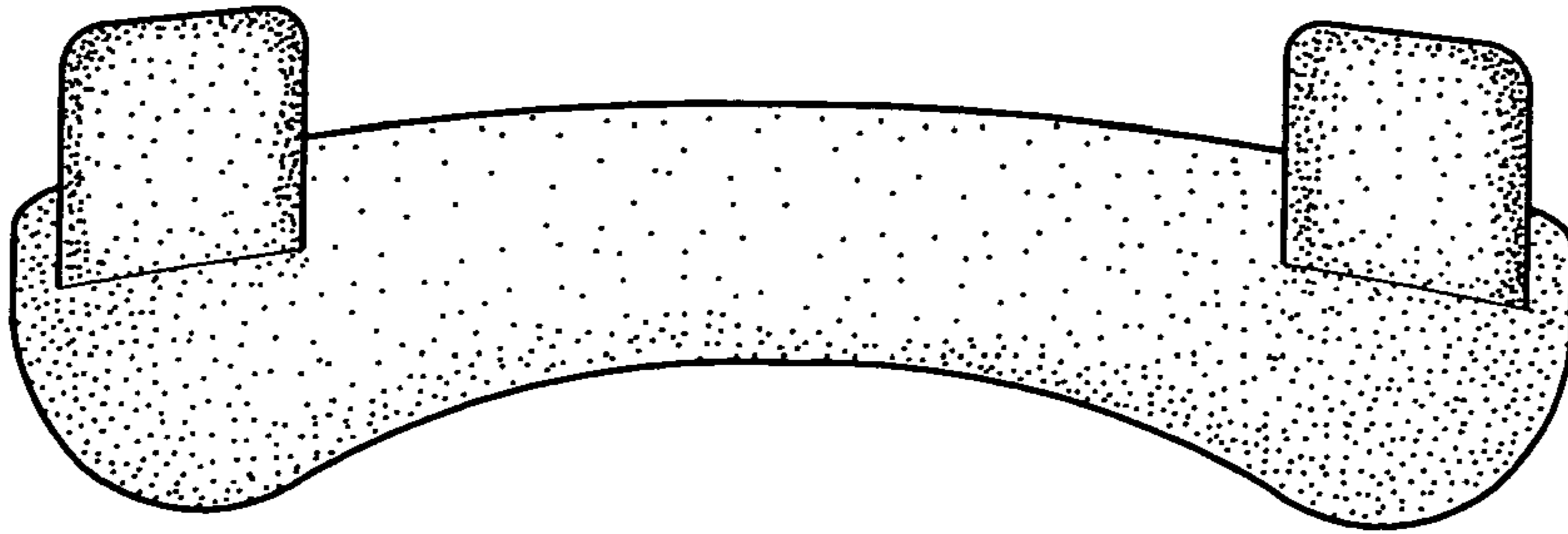


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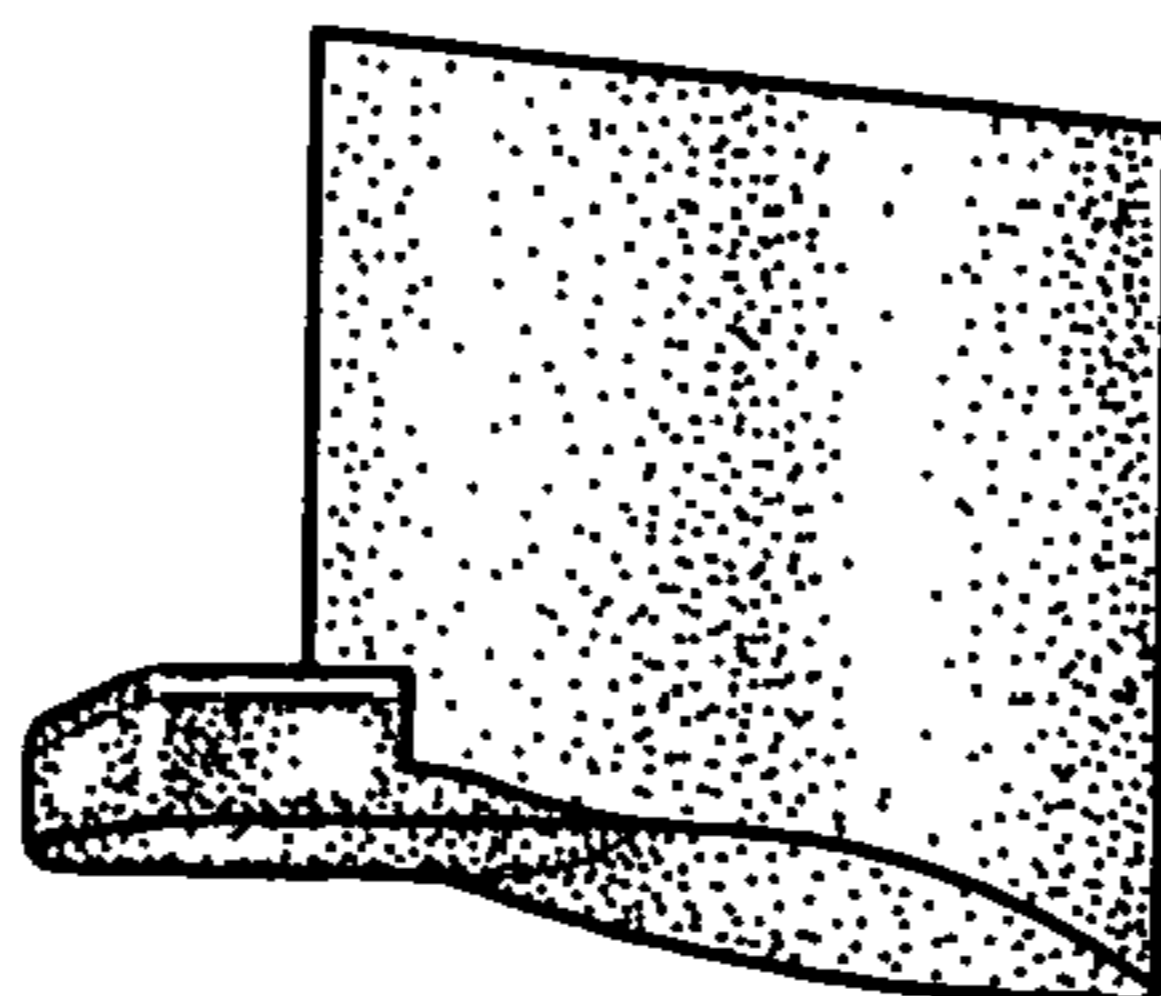


FIG. 6

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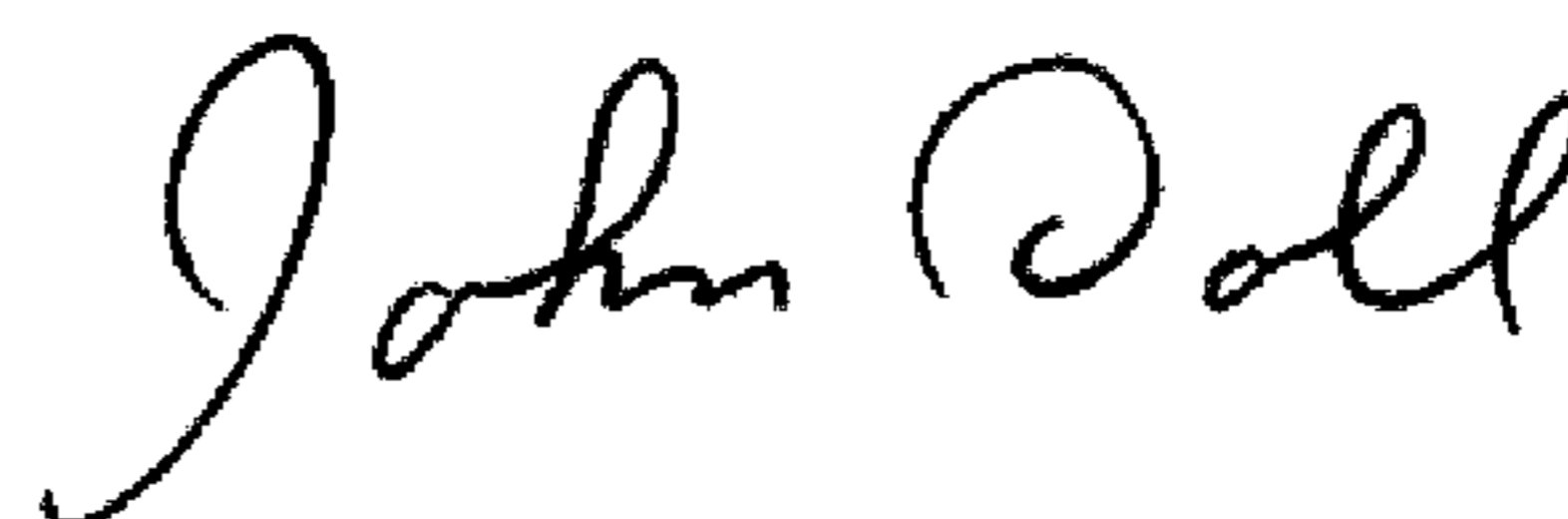
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