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(54) **HANDHELD DIAGNOSTIC INSTRUMENT**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a handheld diagnostic instrument, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the front of the handheld diagnostic instrument in open position;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 8 is a perspective view of the back of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 1;

FIG. 9 is a perspective view of the front of the handheld diagnostic instrument in closed position;

FIG. 10 is a front elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9;

FIG. 11 is a rear elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9;

FIG. 12 is a left side elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9;

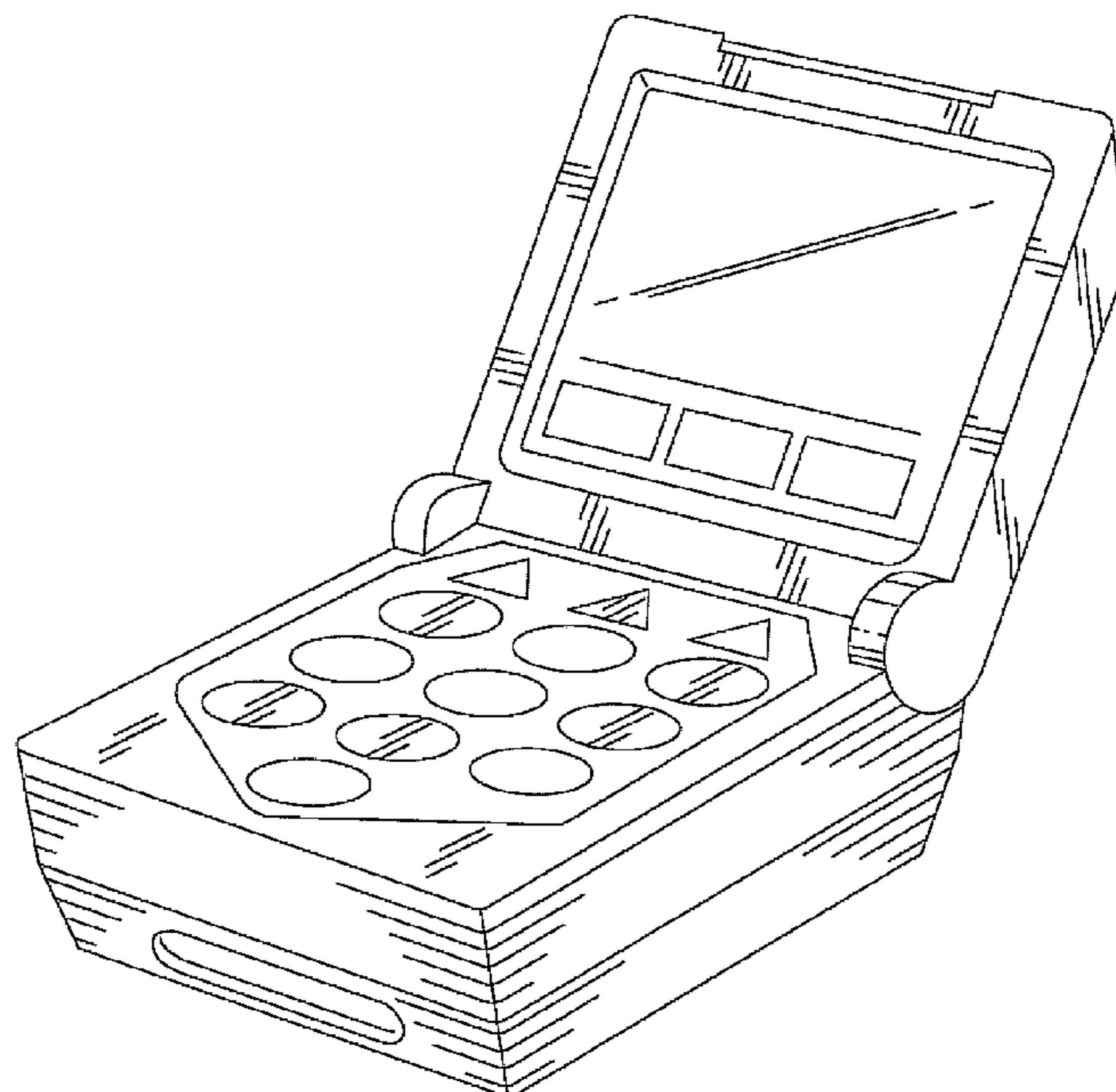
FIG. 13 is a right side elevational view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9;

FIG. 14 is a top plan view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9;

FIG. 15 is a bottom plan view of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9; and,

FIG. 16 is a perspective view of the back of the handheld diagnostic instrument shown in FIG. 9.

**1 Claim, 9 Drawing Sheets**



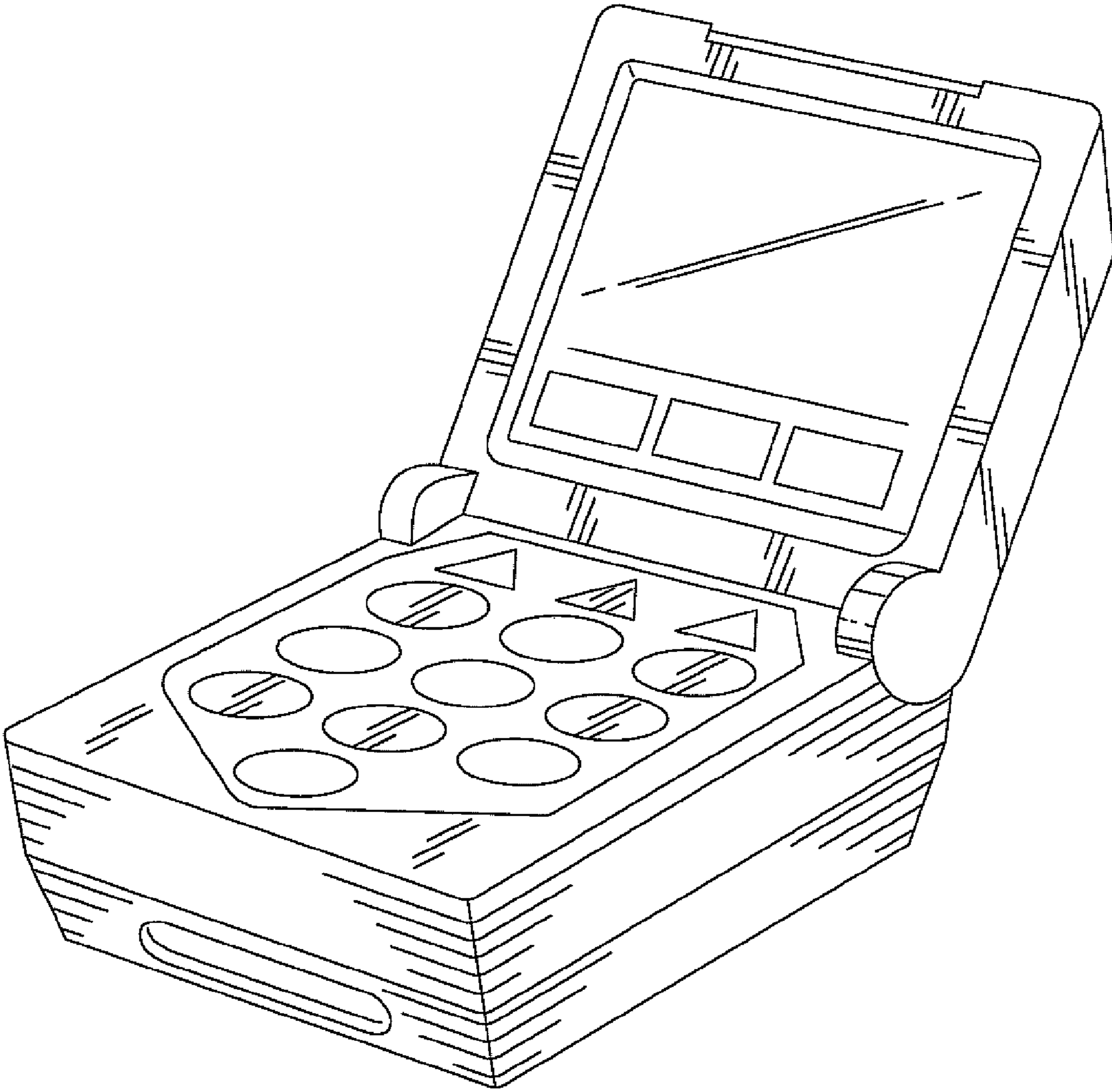
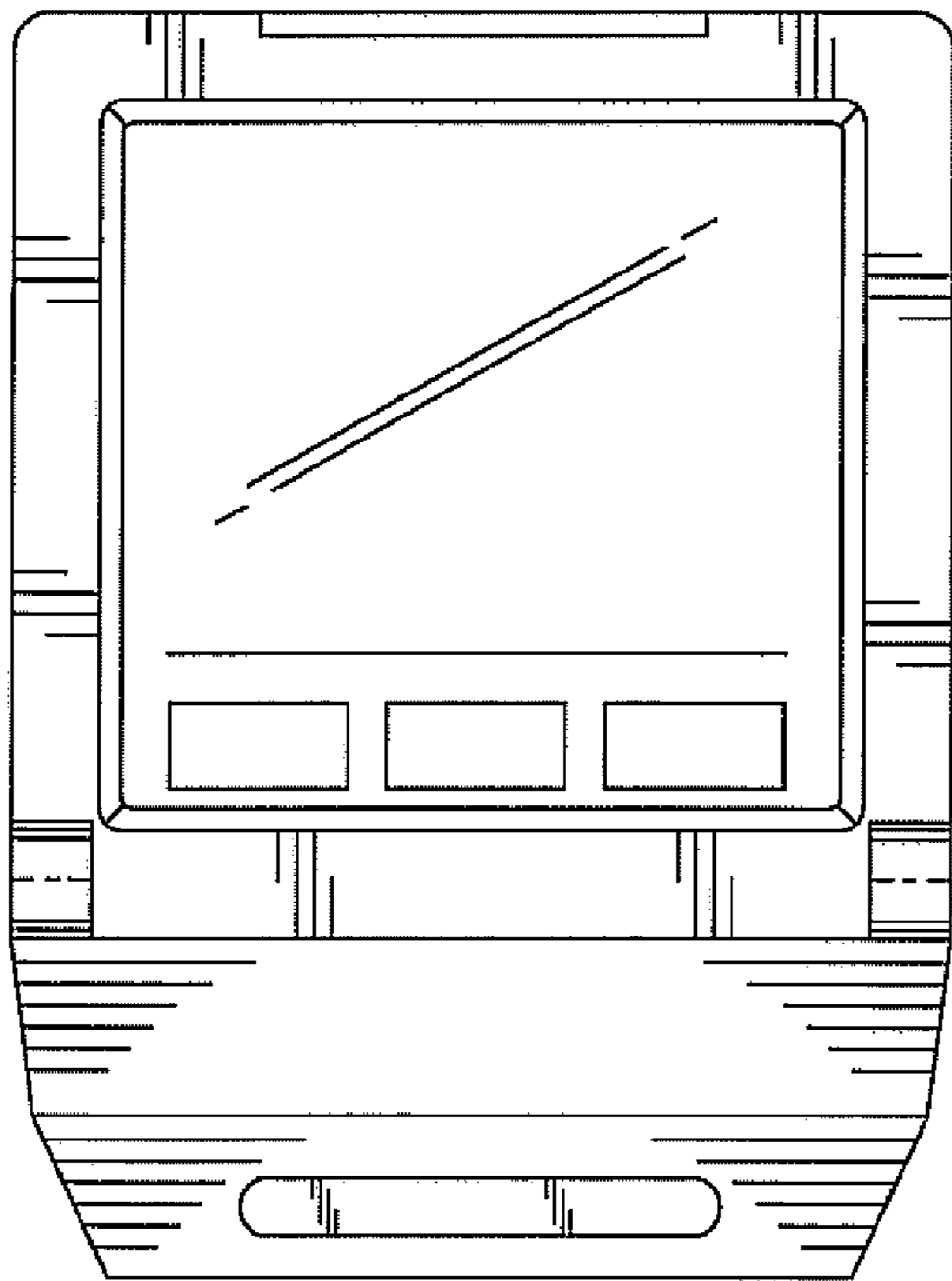
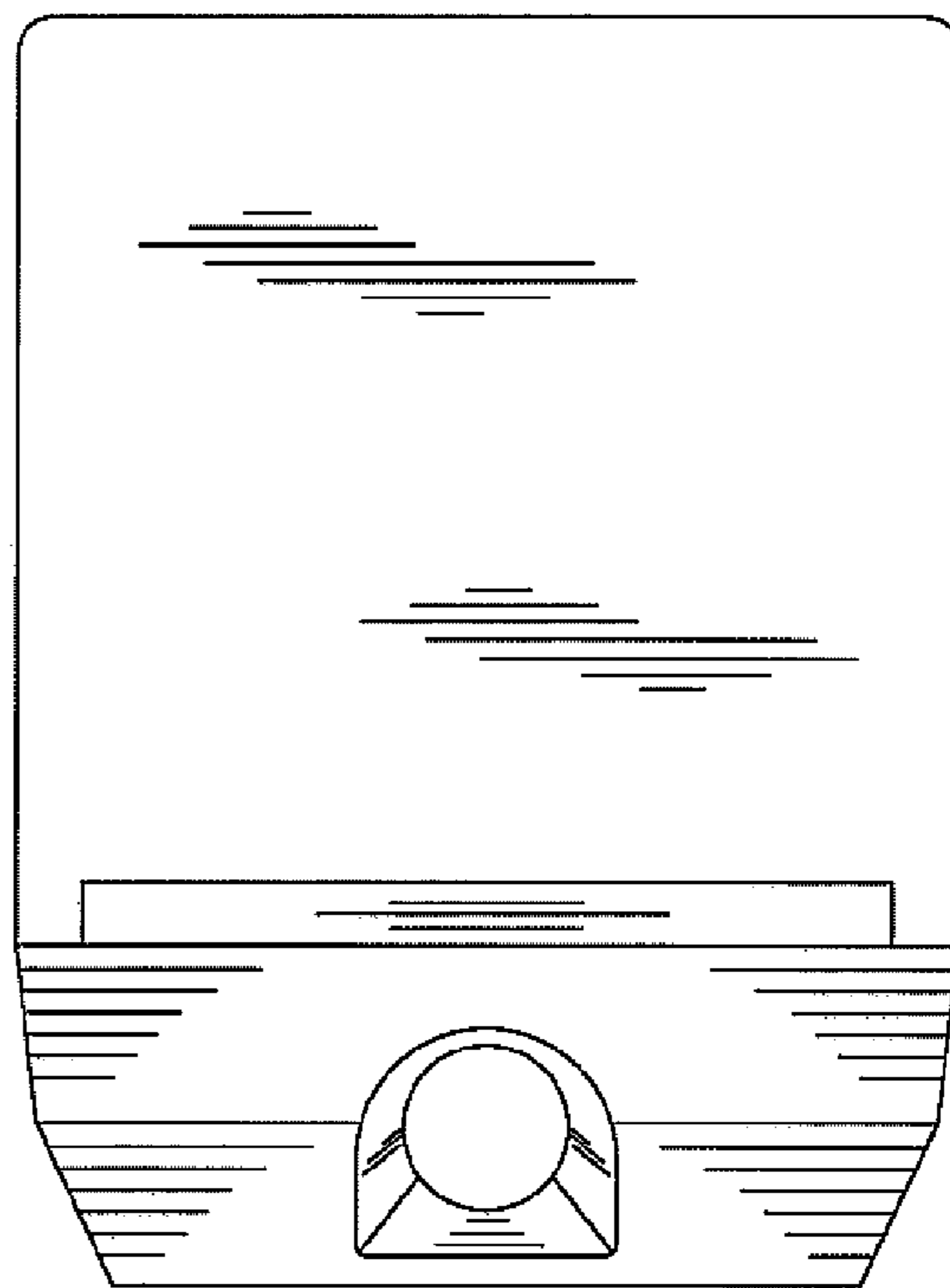


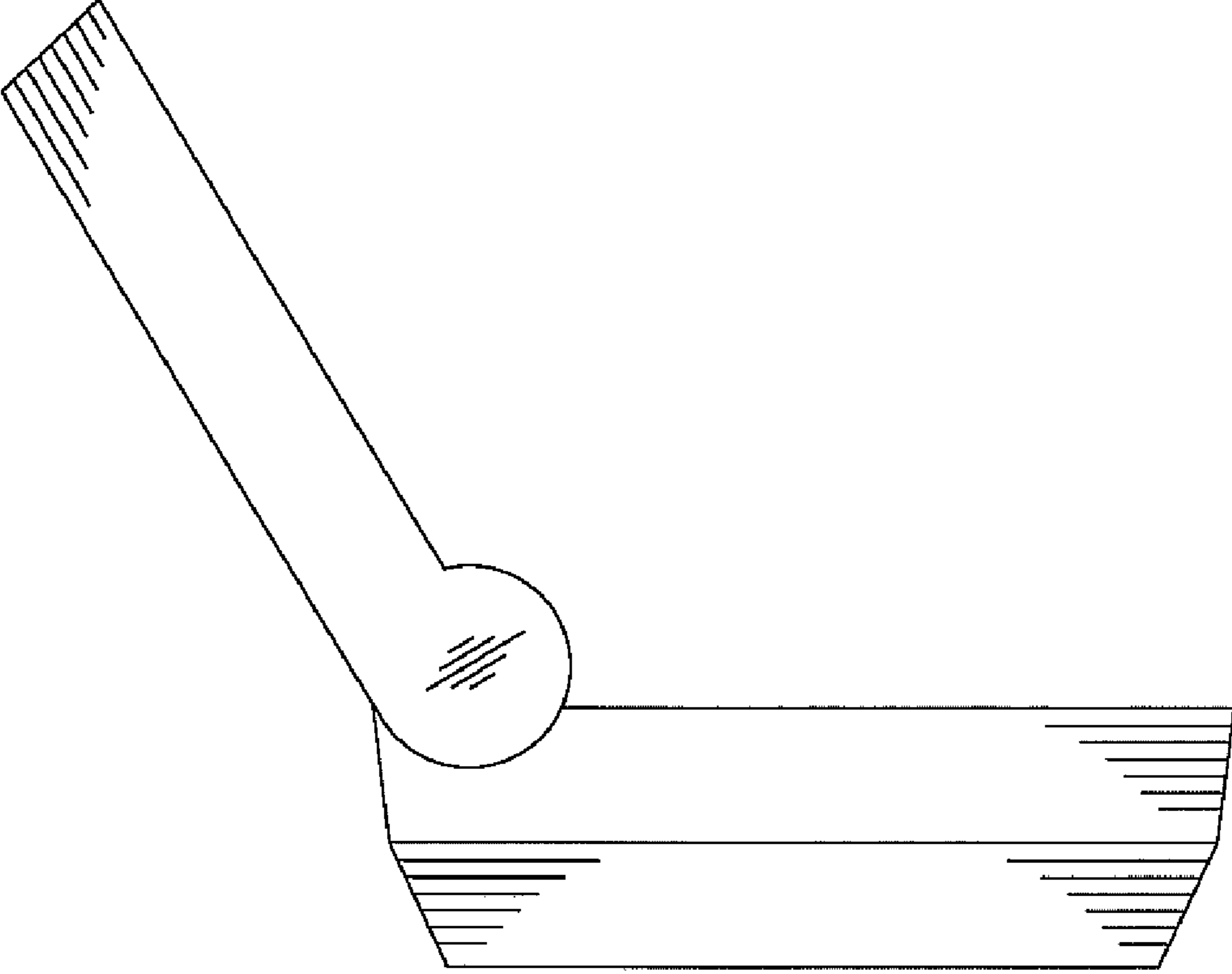
FIG. 1



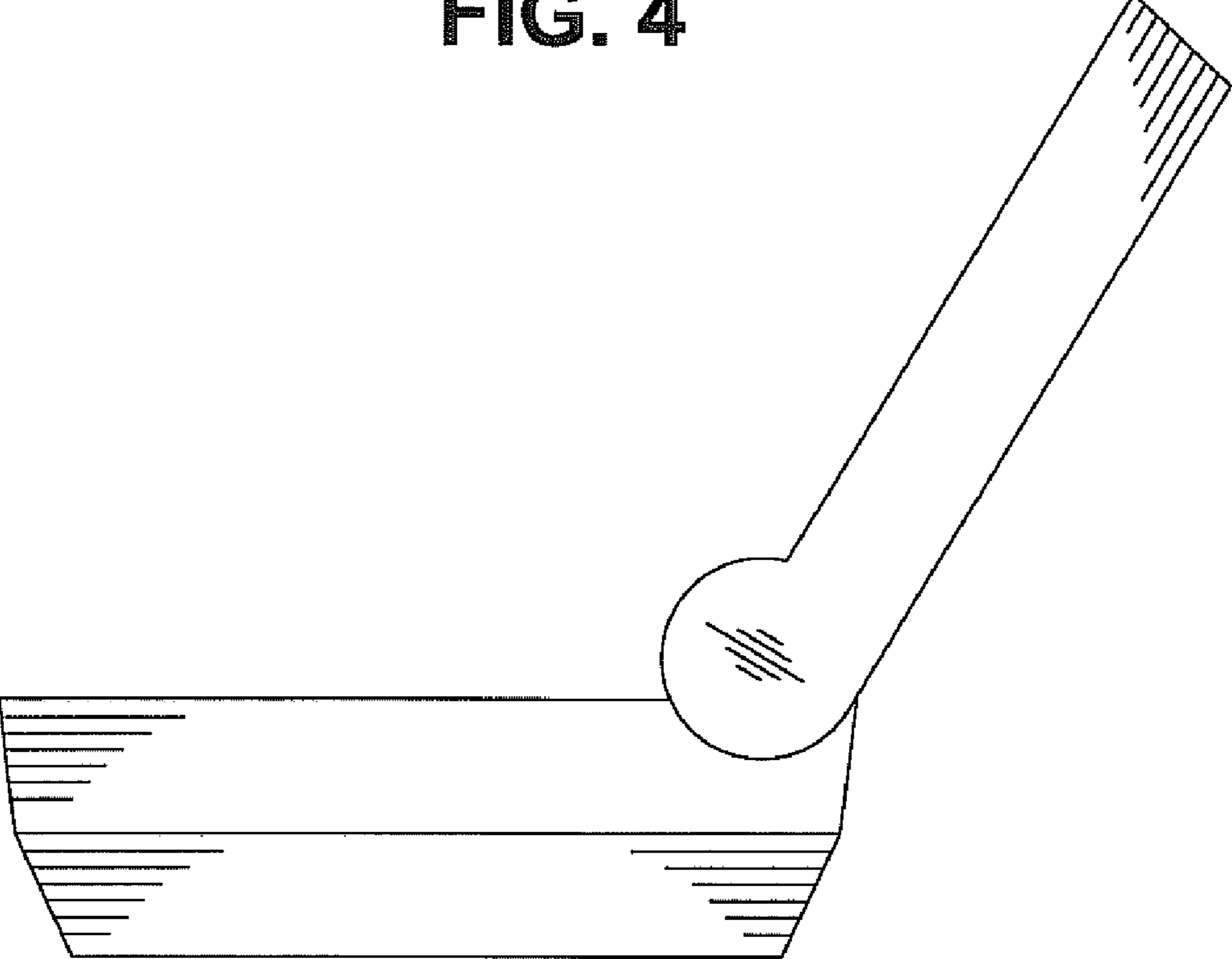
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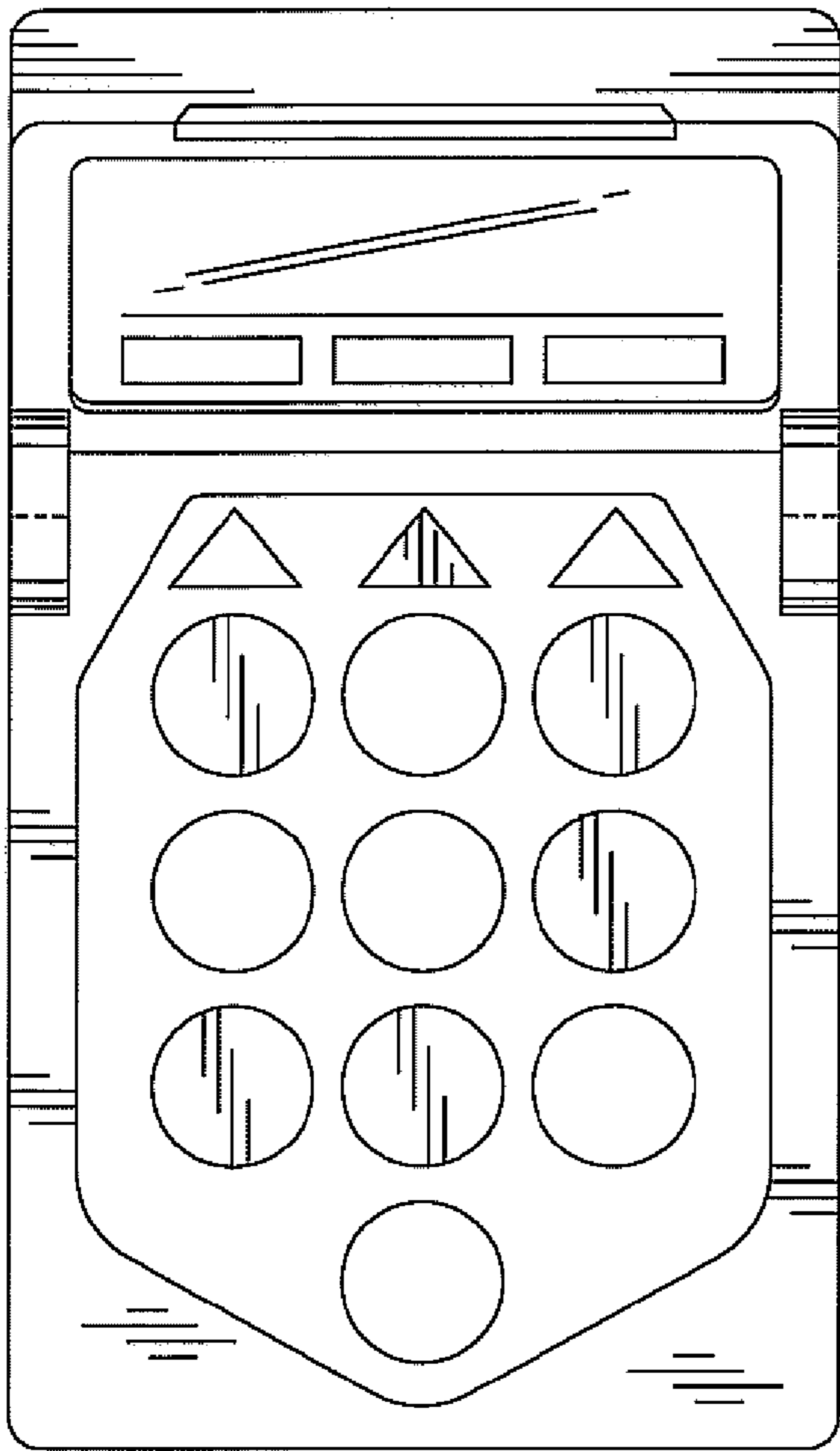
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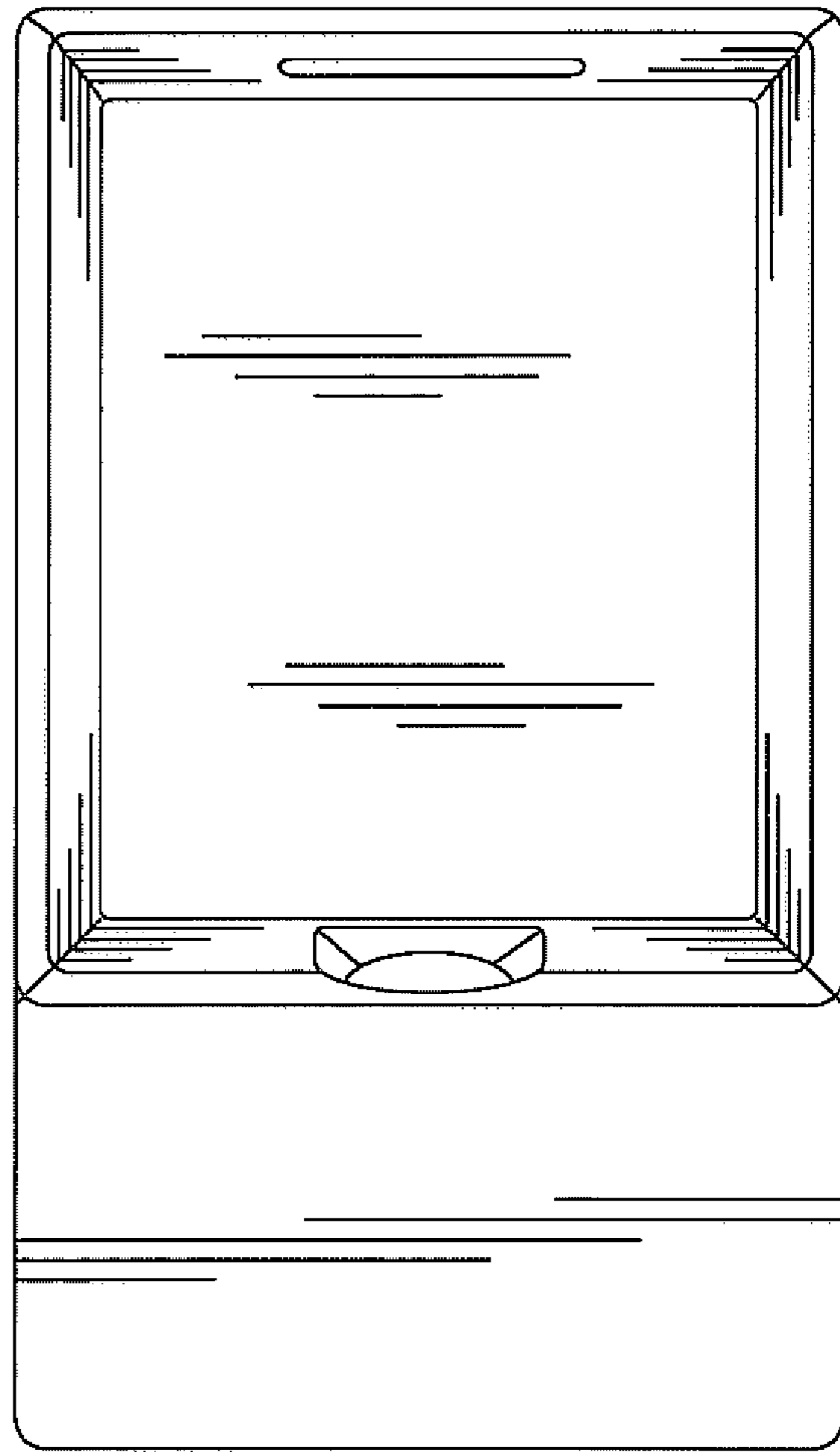
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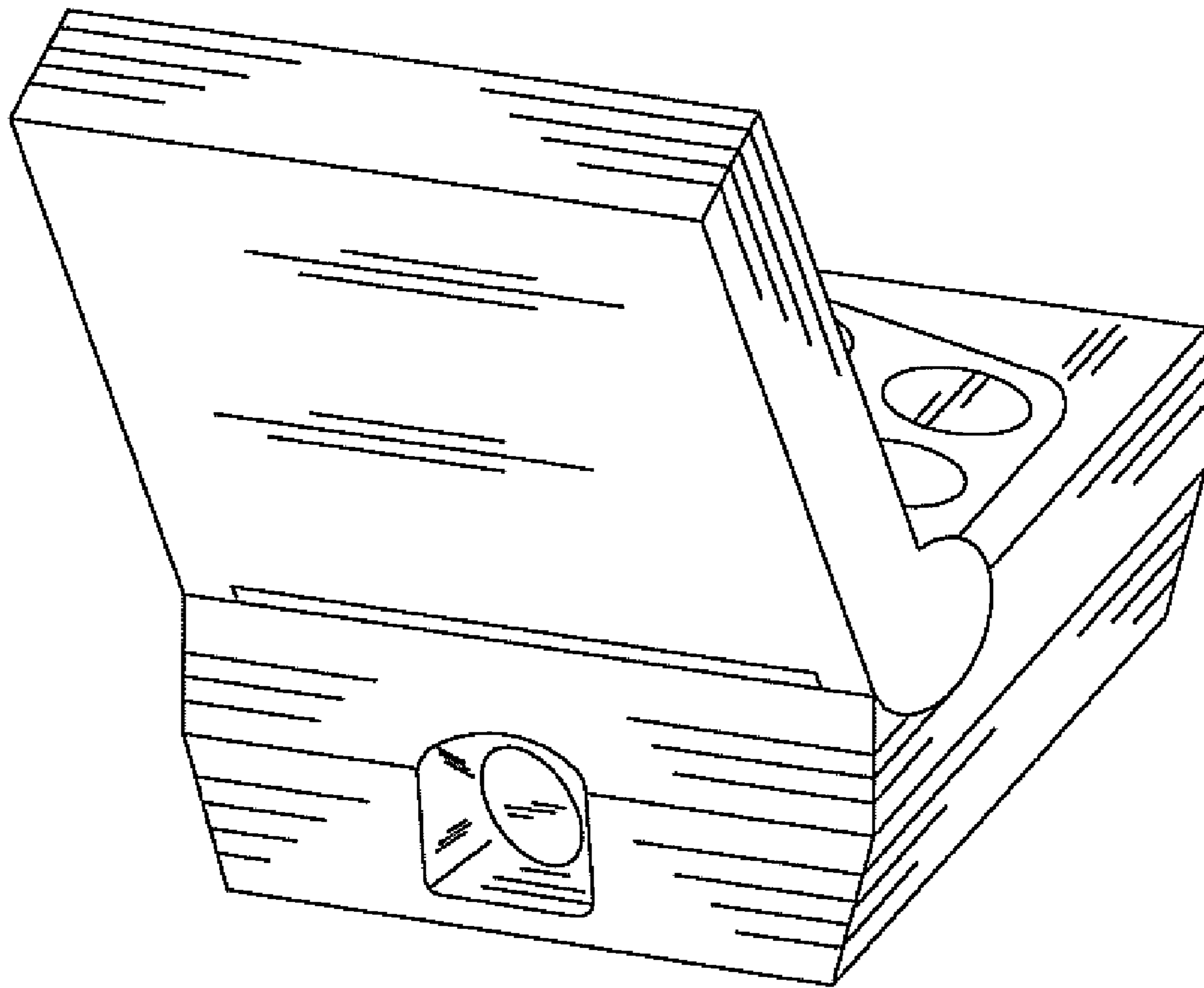
**FIG. 5**



**FIG. 6**

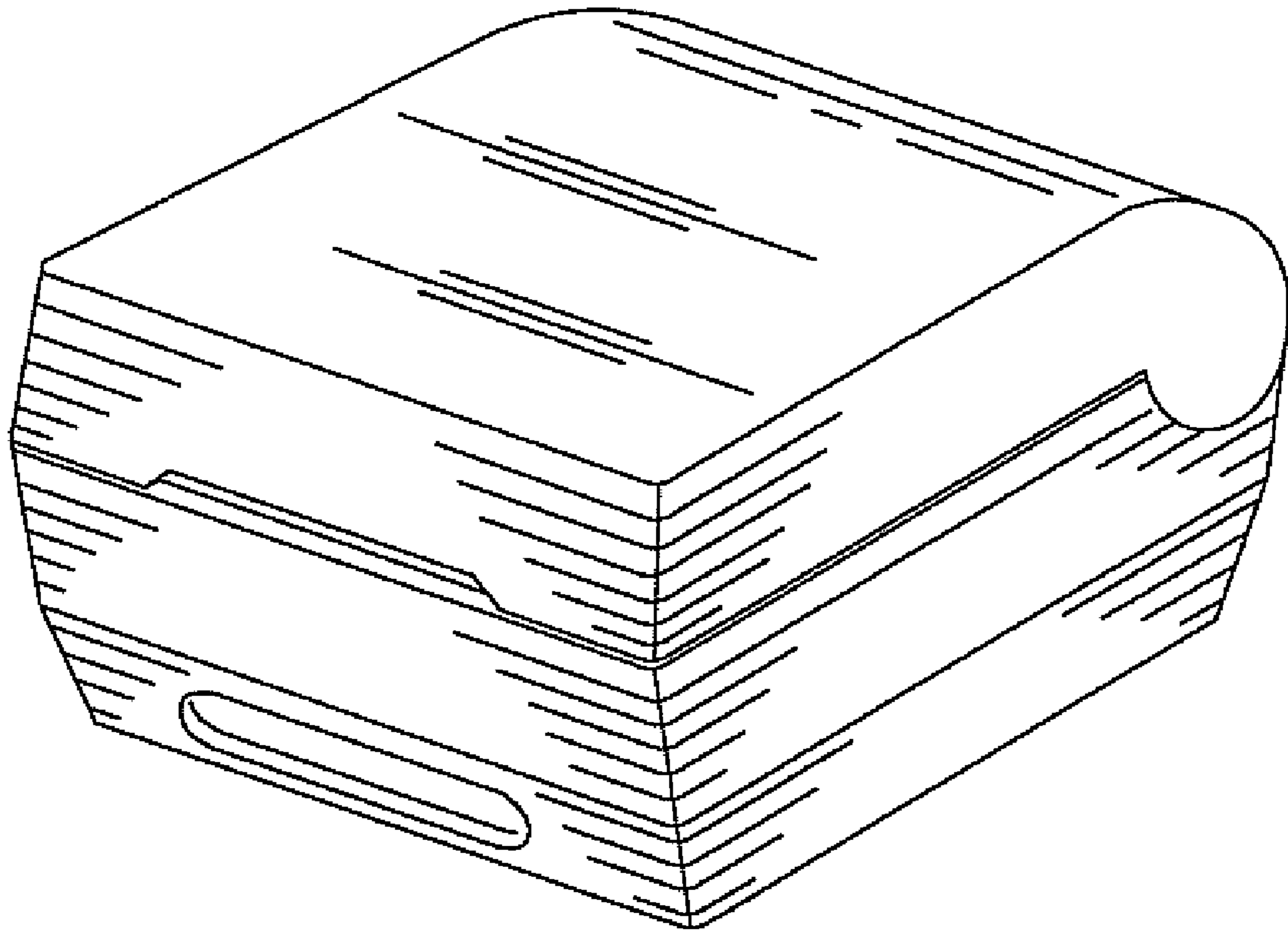


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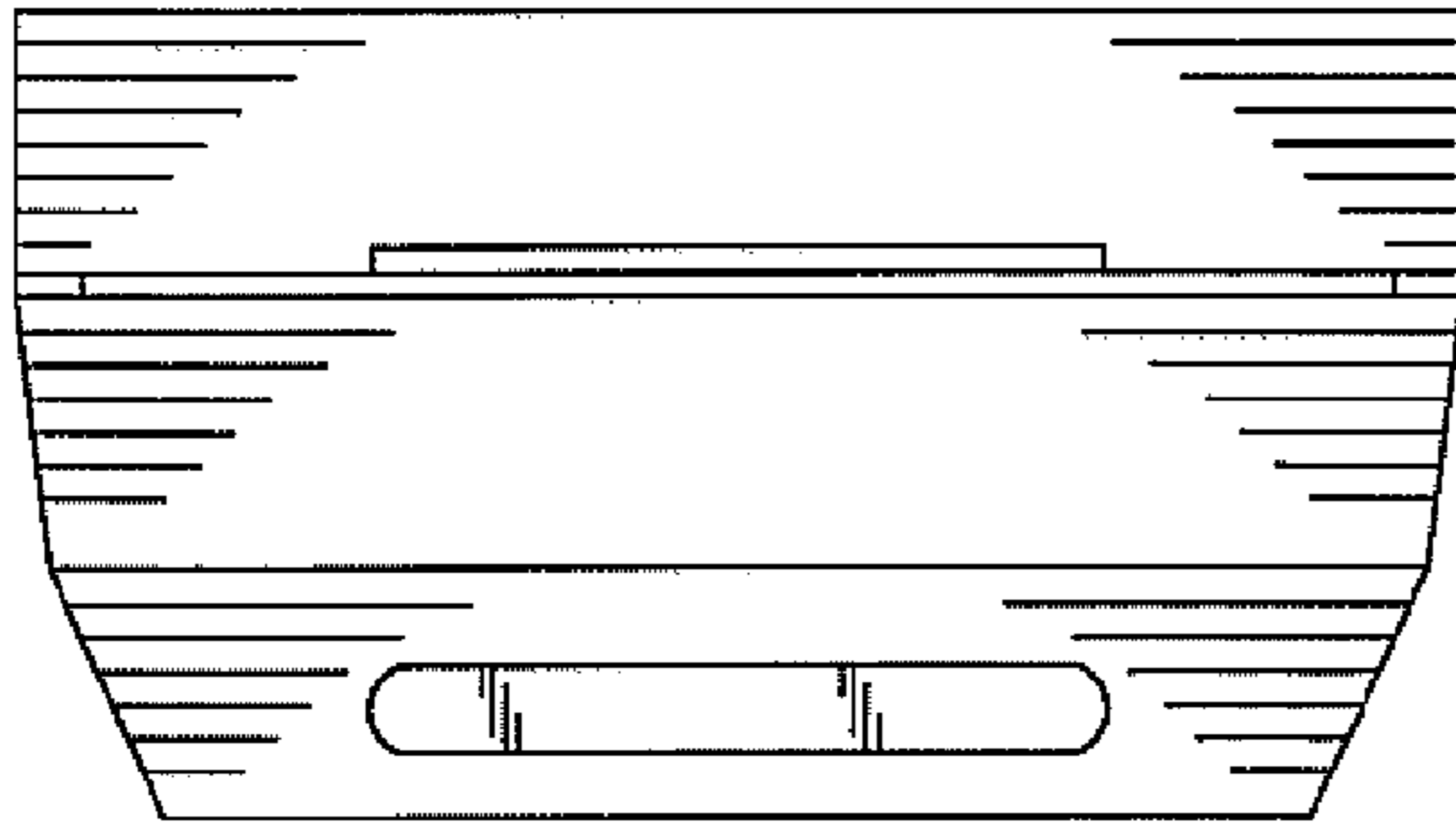


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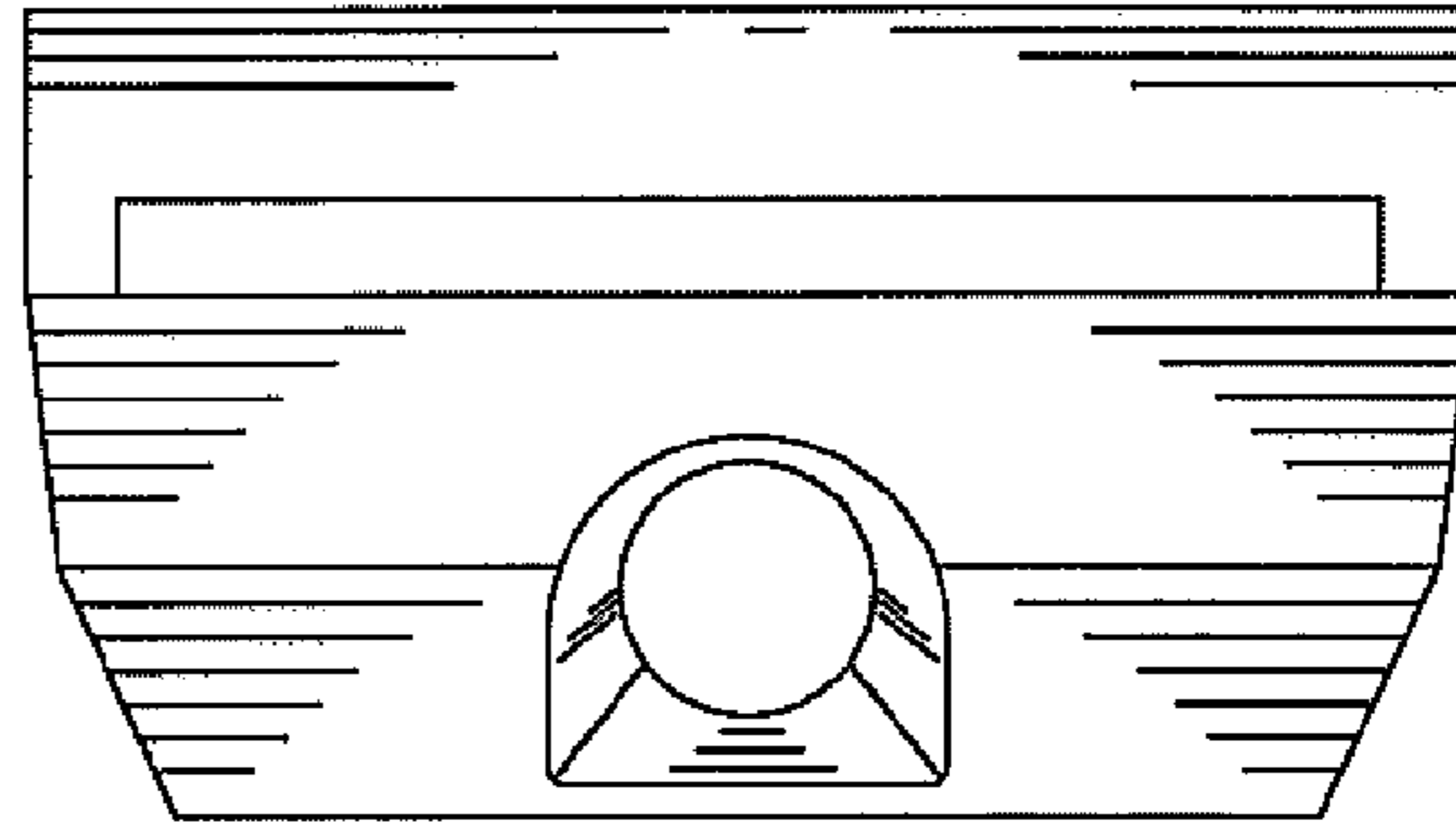




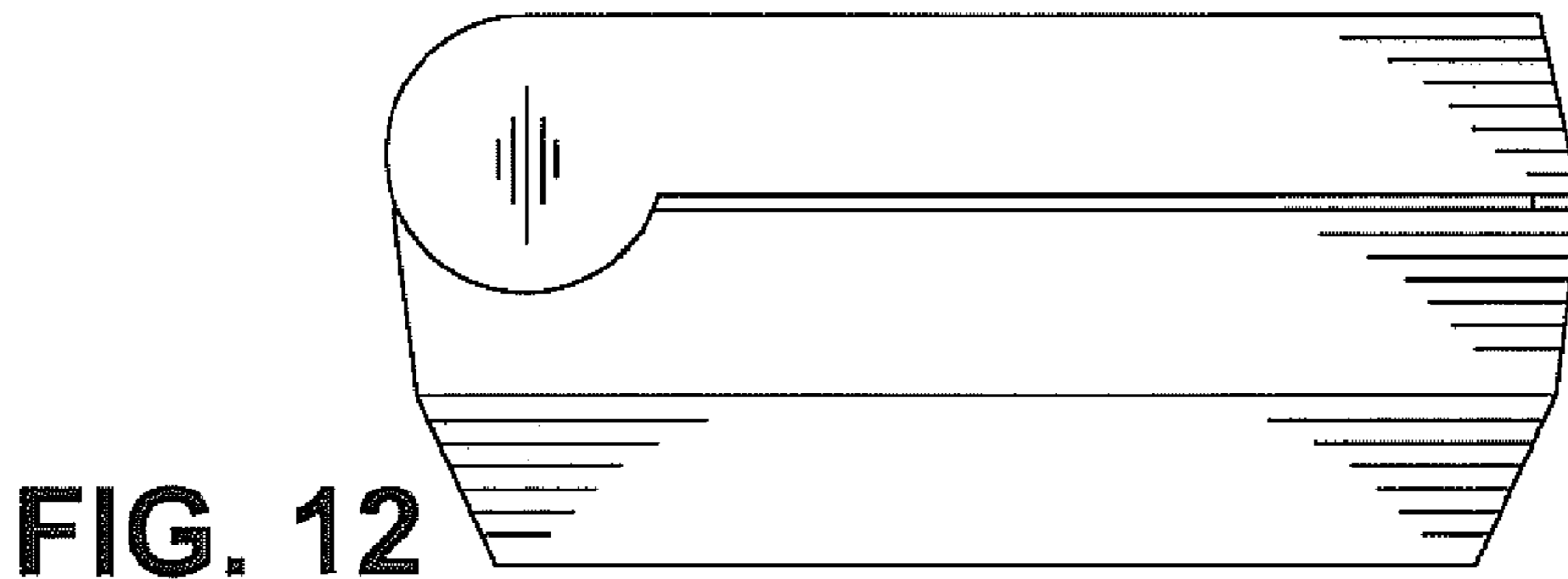
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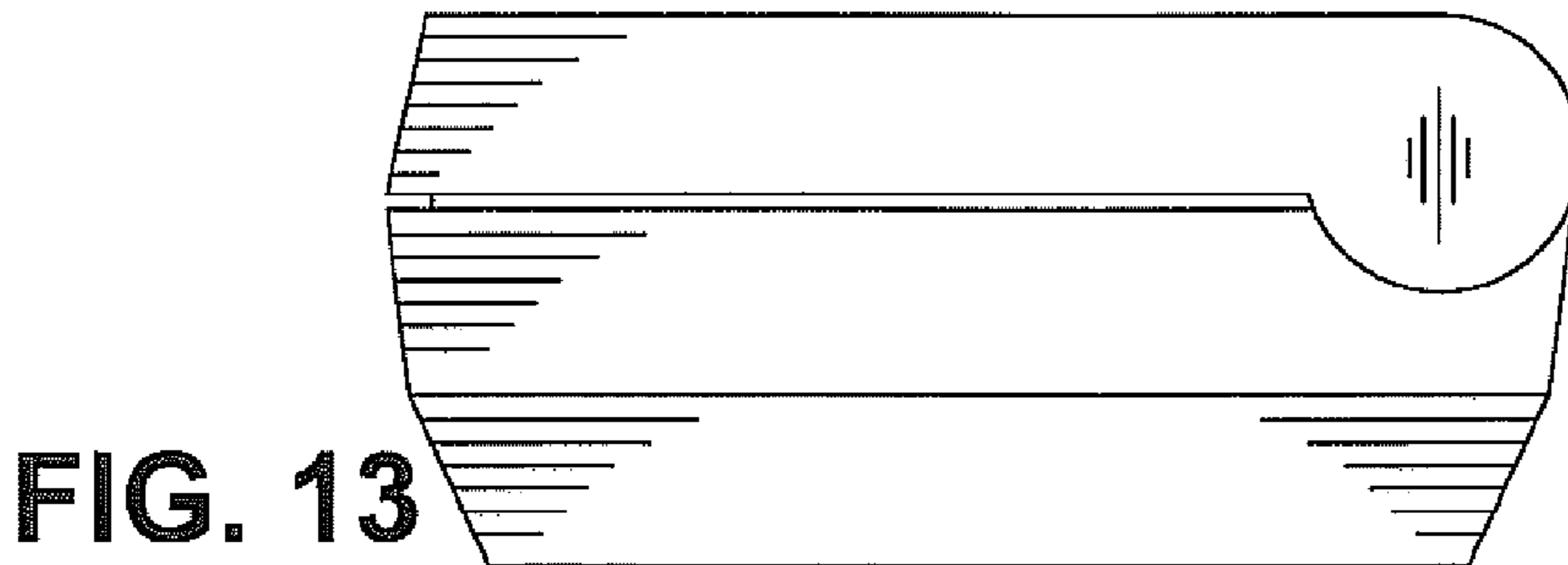
**FIG. 10**



**FIG. 11**

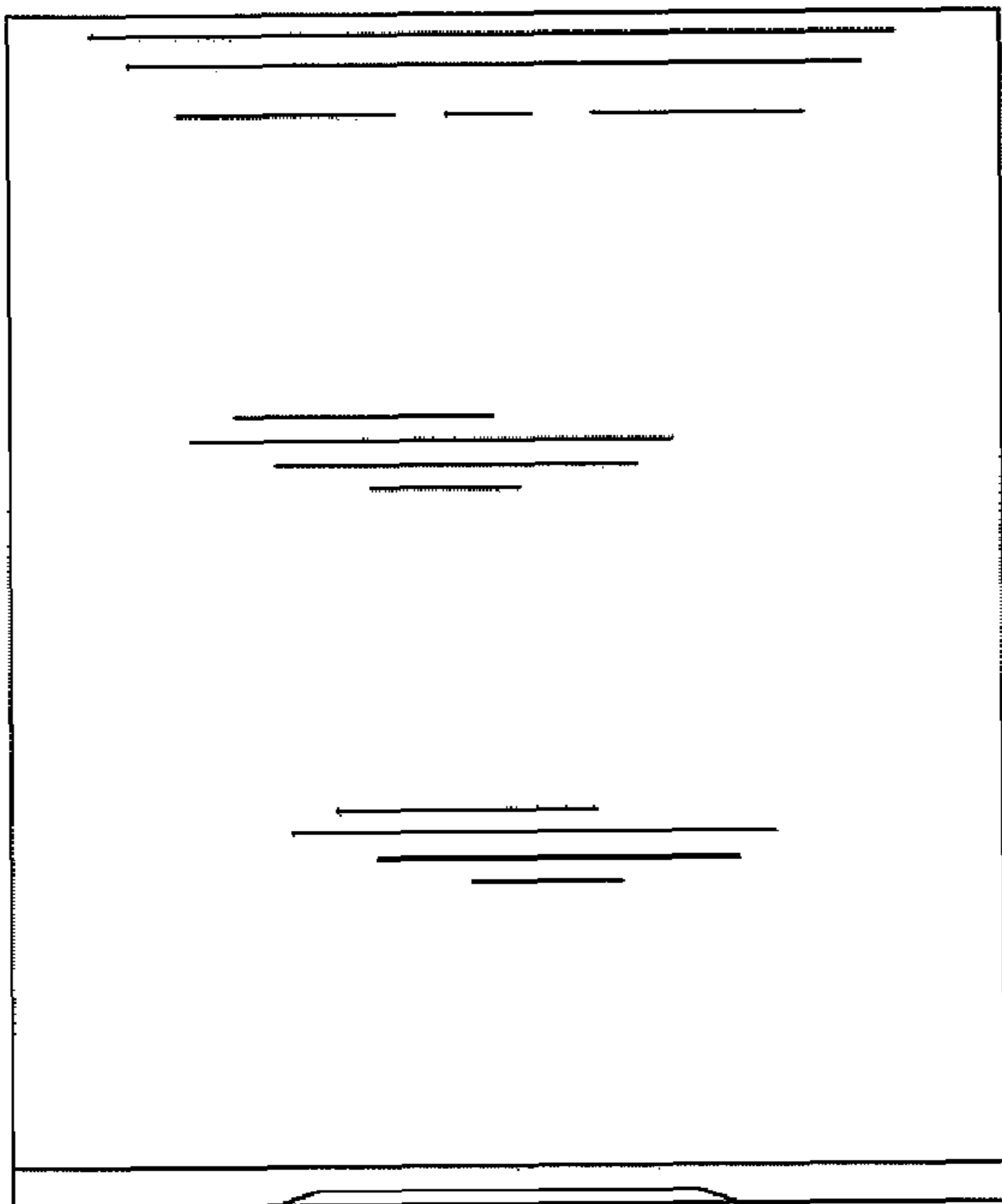


**FIG. 12**

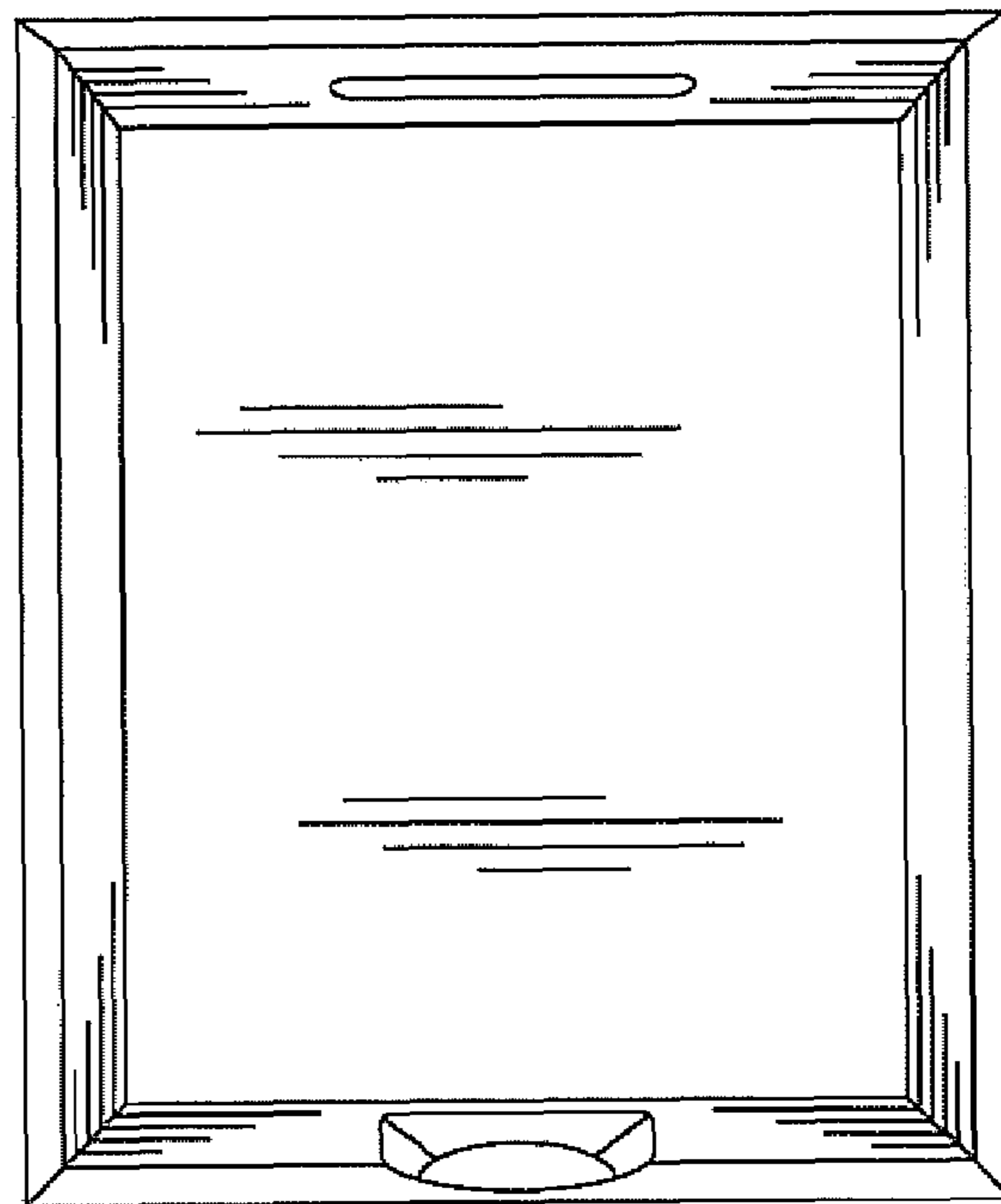


**FIG. 13**

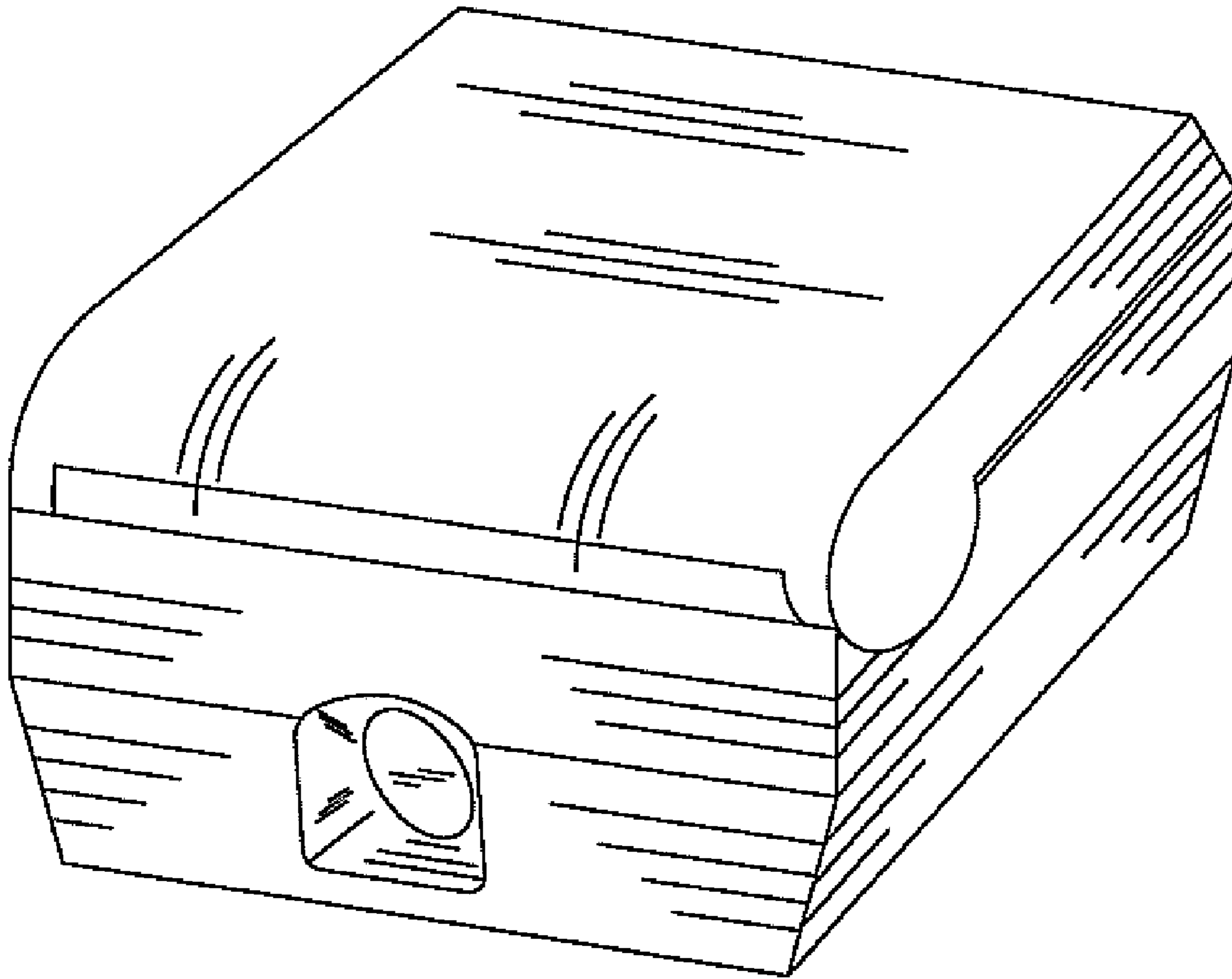




**FIG. 14**



**FIG. 15**



**FIG. 16**