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(54) **HOOD FOR AN AUTOMOBILE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a hood for an automobile, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of a hood for an automobile showing our new design;

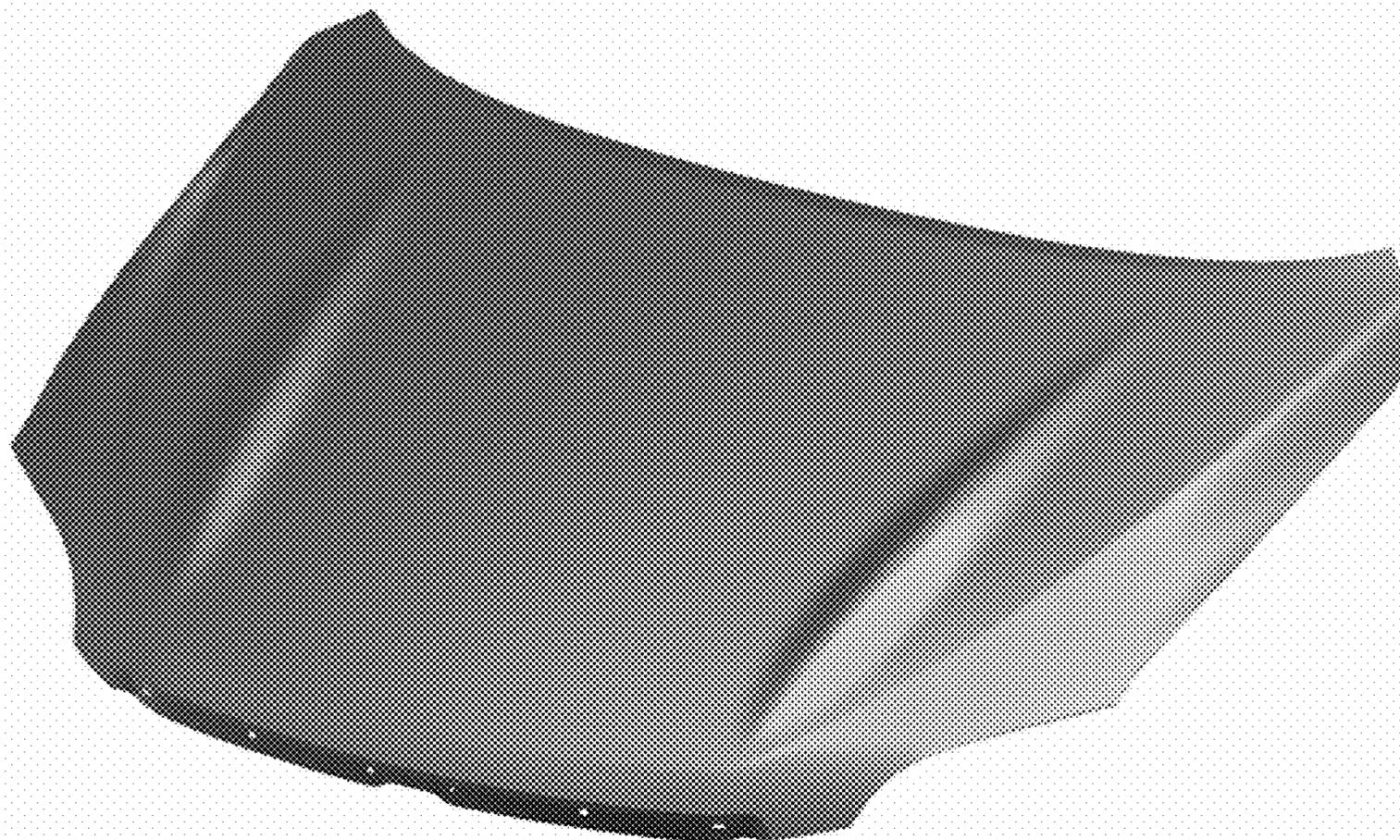
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a right-side view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is a left-side view thereof.

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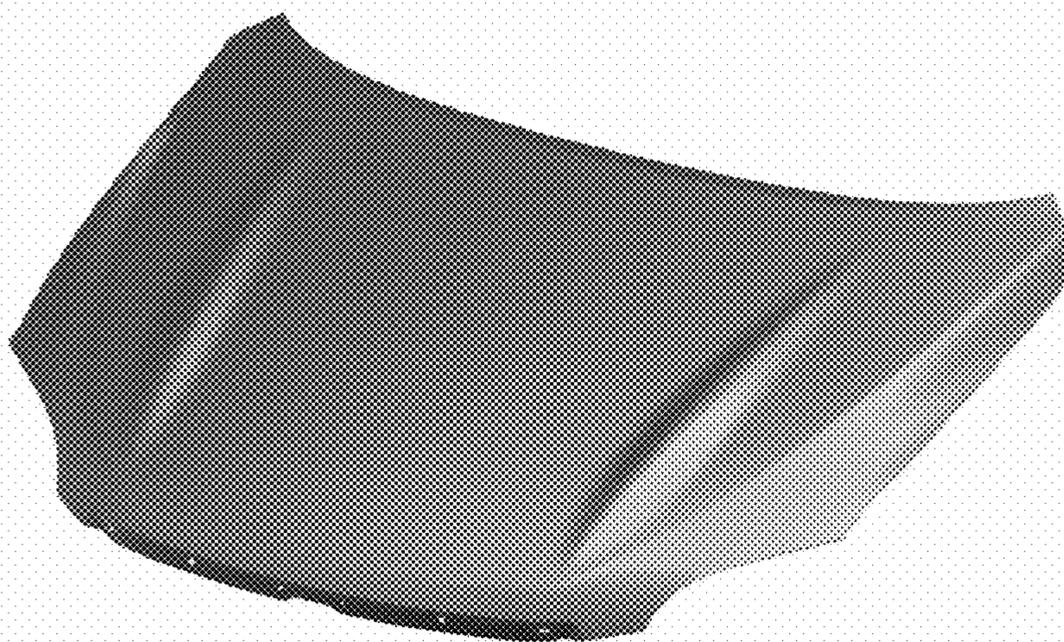


FIG. 1

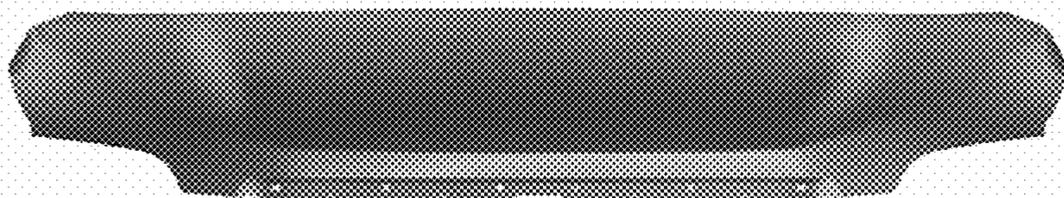


FIG. 2

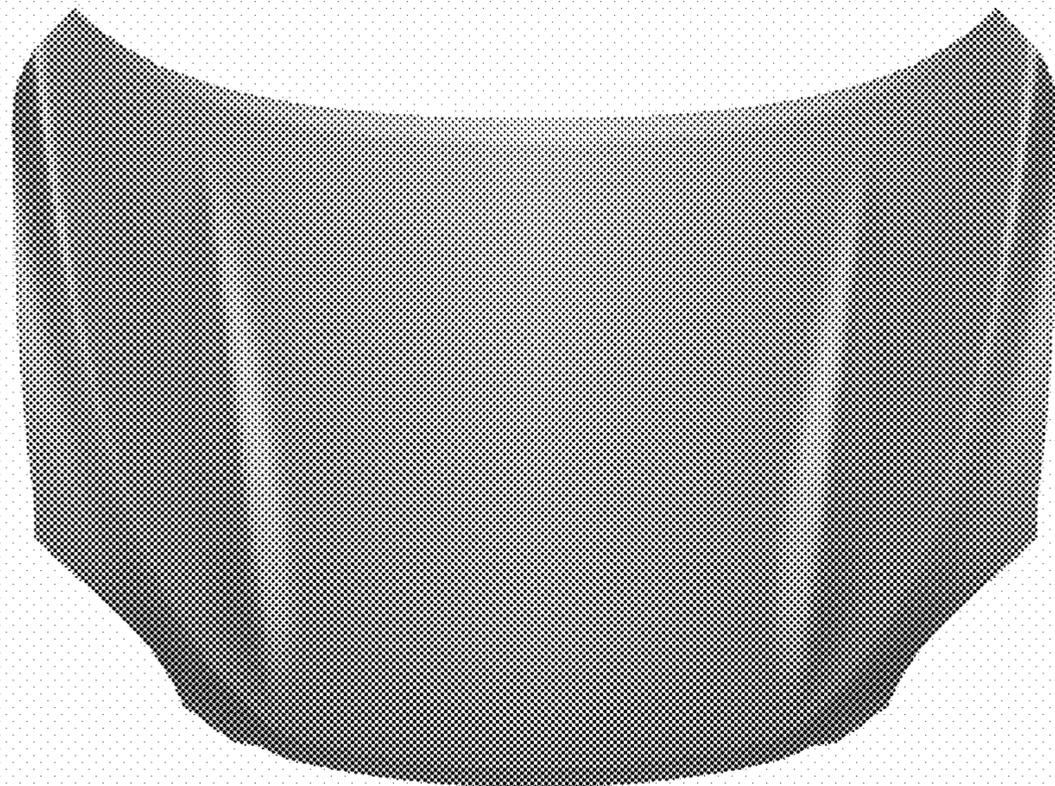
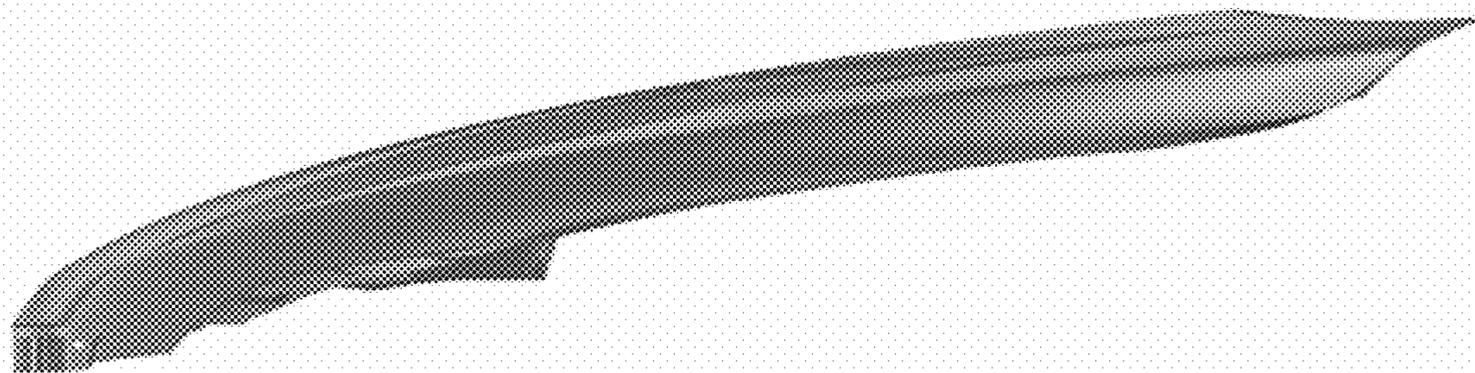
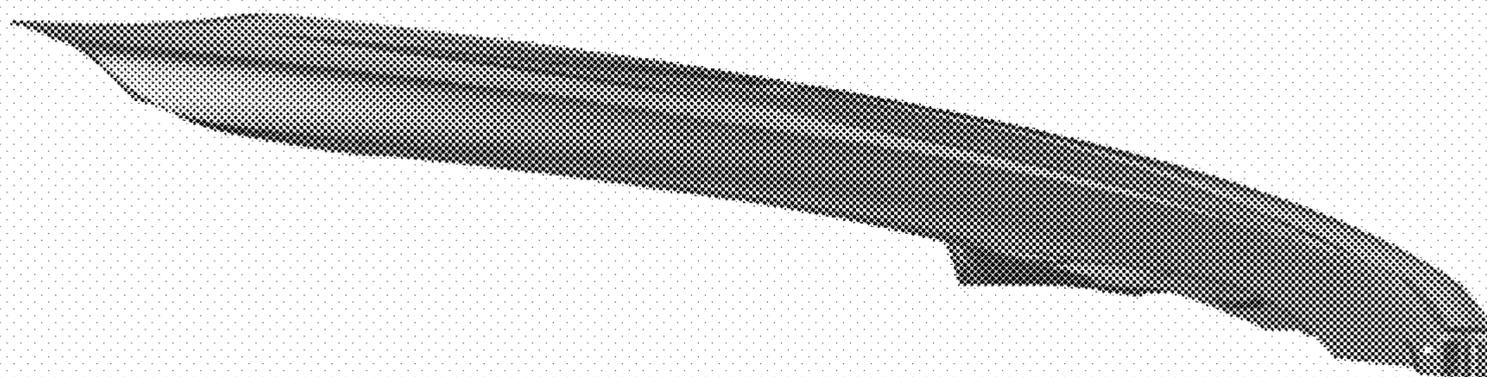


FIG. 3



**FIG. 4**



**FIG. 5**