



US00D582119S

(12) **United States Design Patent**
Chafe et al.

(10) **Patent No.:** **US D582,119 S**
(45) **Date of Patent:** **** Dec. 2, 2008**

(54) **LID FOR A CONTAINER**

(75) Inventors: **Adam J. Chafe**, Hudson, OH (US);
Stuart F. Bedford, Hudson, OH (US);
Kenneth W. Erdmann, Chagrin Falls,
OH (US); **James E. MacDonald**,
Medina, OH (US); **Dilip R. Tamhane**,
Avon Lake, OH (US); **Oliver J. Ramsey**,
Brunswick, OH (US); **Ronald D. Hudas**,
Massillon, OH (US); **Charlie Watling**,
Raleigh, NC (US); **Forrest A. Burney**,
Raleigh, NC (US); **Bob Bruno**, Avon,
CT (US); **Scott Belliveau**, Plainfield, IL
(US)

(73) Assignee: **The Sherwin-Williams Company**,
Cleveland, OH (US)

(**) Term: **14 Years**

(21) Appl. No.: **29/220,705**

(22) Filed: **Jan. 5, 2005**

(51) **LOC (8) Cl.** **07-07**

(52) **U.S. Cl.** **D32/54**

(58) **Field of Classification Search** D32/53.1,
D32/54; 222/570; 220/570, 757, 754, 697,
220/507, 695, 793, 571, 571.1; 15/257.05,
15/257.06; 206/216; D3/276, 304
See application file for complete search history.

(56) **References Cited**

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

1,554,824 A	9/1925	Knoblock	
2,275,305 A	3/1942	Morgan	
2,659,096 A	11/1953	Mencfeldowski, Jr.	15/121.2
2,723,410 A	11/1955	Sprung et al.	15/121.2
2,827,648 A	3/1958	Geisz	
2,893,030 A	7/1959	Averna	
2,911,663 A	11/1959	Geary	15/121.2

3,091,793 A	6/1963	Bentley, Jr.	15/257.06
3,493,983 A	2/1970	Tidwell	
3,536,187 A	10/1970	Stafford	206/15.1
3,553,762 A	1/1971	Padgett, Jr. et al.	

(Continued)

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EP 0153059 A1 8/1985

(Continued)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

PCT International Search Report, Int'l App. No. PCT/US2005/
000222, International Filing Date May 1, 2005.

Primary Examiner—Freda S. Nunn

Assistant Examiner—Kevin K Rudzinski

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm*—Arthi K. Tirey; Robert E.
McDonald; Eryn Ace Fuhrer

(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a lid for a container, as shown and
described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a bottom perspective view of a container on which
the lid is used.

FIG. 2 is a perspective view of a container on which the lid is
used.

FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view of a lid for a container.

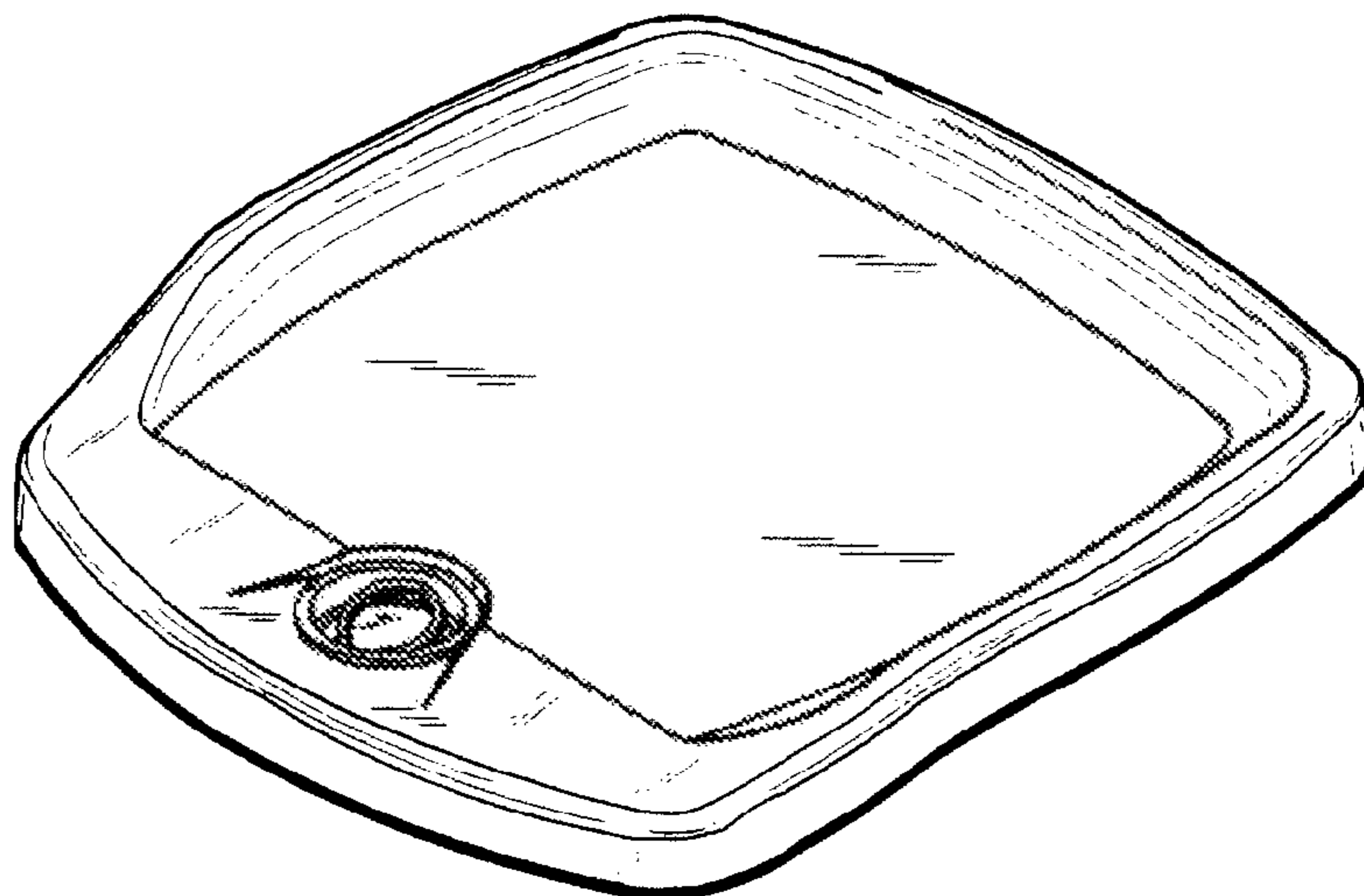
FIG. 4 is a side elevation view of a lid for a container.

FIG. 5 is a front elevation view of a lid for a container; and,

FIG. 6 is a top perspective view of a lid for a container.

The broken line showing the container in FIG. 2 is included
for the purpose of illustration only and forms no part of the
claimed design.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



US D582,119 S

Page 2

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

3,576,045	A	4/1971	Stafford	
3,756,451	A	9/1973	Popeil	
3,828,389	A	8/1974	Heisler	15/257.06
3,940,824	A	3/1976	Gioia et al.	15/257.06
D264,147	S	5/1982	Heath	D4/38.2
4,445,250	A	5/1984	Seidl	
4,491,234	A	1/1985	Wilcock	
4,547,926	A	10/1985	Kern	15/257.06
4,651,379	A	3/1987	Kern	15/257
4,691,838	A	9/1987	Graham et al.	220/93
D293,144	S *	12/1987	Papke et al.	D32/53.1
4,865,282	A	9/1989	Yonkman et al.	
4,928,843	A	5/1990	Gunderson	220/90
5,085,317	A	2/1992	Jensen et al.	206/229
5,251,979	A	10/1993	Larsen	
5,283,928	A	2/1994	Linn et al.	15/257
D345,833	S *	4/1994	Truran	D32/54
5,314,061	A	5/1994	Bedrossian	206/229
5,316,137	A	5/1994	Kyllonen	206/209
5,335,806	A	8/1994	Dedoes	
5,341,969	A *	8/1994	Accardo et al.	222/465.1
D355,287	S	2/1995	Camp, Jr.	D32/53.1
5,400,916	A	3/1995	Weber	220/404
5,404,611	A	4/1995	Raney	15/257
5,472,111	A *	12/1995	Renfrew	220/570
5,533,228	A	7/1996	Jarecki et al.	15/257.06
5,546,628	A	8/1996	Silvera	
5,553,701	A	9/1996	Jarecki et al.	206/15.2
5,566,861	A	10/1996	Serano	
5,660,302	A	8/1997	Trout	220/790
5,727,708	A	3/1998	Erickson	
5,810,196	A	9/1998	Lundy	220/736
5,855,304	A	1/1999	Dean et al.	222/481
5,941,410	A	8/1999	Mangano	220/735

5,960,946	A	10/1999	Gramlich	206/209
5,966,772	A	10/1999	Woodnorth et al.	15/230.11
6,065,633	A	5/2000	Abbey	
6,102,235	A	8/2000	Stern et al.	220/212
6,105,813	A	8/2000	Abbey	220/570
6,119,303	A	9/2000	Passafiume	15/257.06
6,199,718	B1	3/2001	Ellis	220/735
6,237,799	B1	5/2001	Emerson	220/480
6,305,045	B1	10/2001	Walsh et al.	
6,419,106	B1	7/2002	Bebak	
6,543,635	B2	4/2003	Ciccone	220/276
6,622,884	B1	9/2003	Gartner	220/570
D510,481	S *	10/2005	Hodgson	D3/304
2002/0056714	A1	5/2002	Schinkel	
2002/0096527	A1	7/2002	Arenas et al.	
2003/0012887	A1	1/2003	Orlikowski	427/428
2003/0160051	A1	8/2003	Ciccone	220/276
2003/0197014	A1	10/2003	Muchin et al.	220/318
2004/0195267	A1	10/2004	Dean et al.	
2004/0222226	A1	11/2004	Guttainer et al.	220/284
2004/0226958	A1	11/2004	Robellard et al.	
2005/0017012	A1	1/2005	Hodge	220/501
2005/0098564	A1	5/2005	Verbrugge et al.	
2005/0224506	A1 *	10/2005	Withers	220/793

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EP	0151876	B1	4/1989
EP	0144135	B1	3/1992
EP	0402 370	B1	5/1993
WO	WO 89/07532		8/1989
WO	99/22946		5/1999
WO	WO 02/074633	A2	9/2002
WO	WO 03/078179		9/2003
WO	WO 2004/030937		4/2004

* cited by examiner

FIG. 1

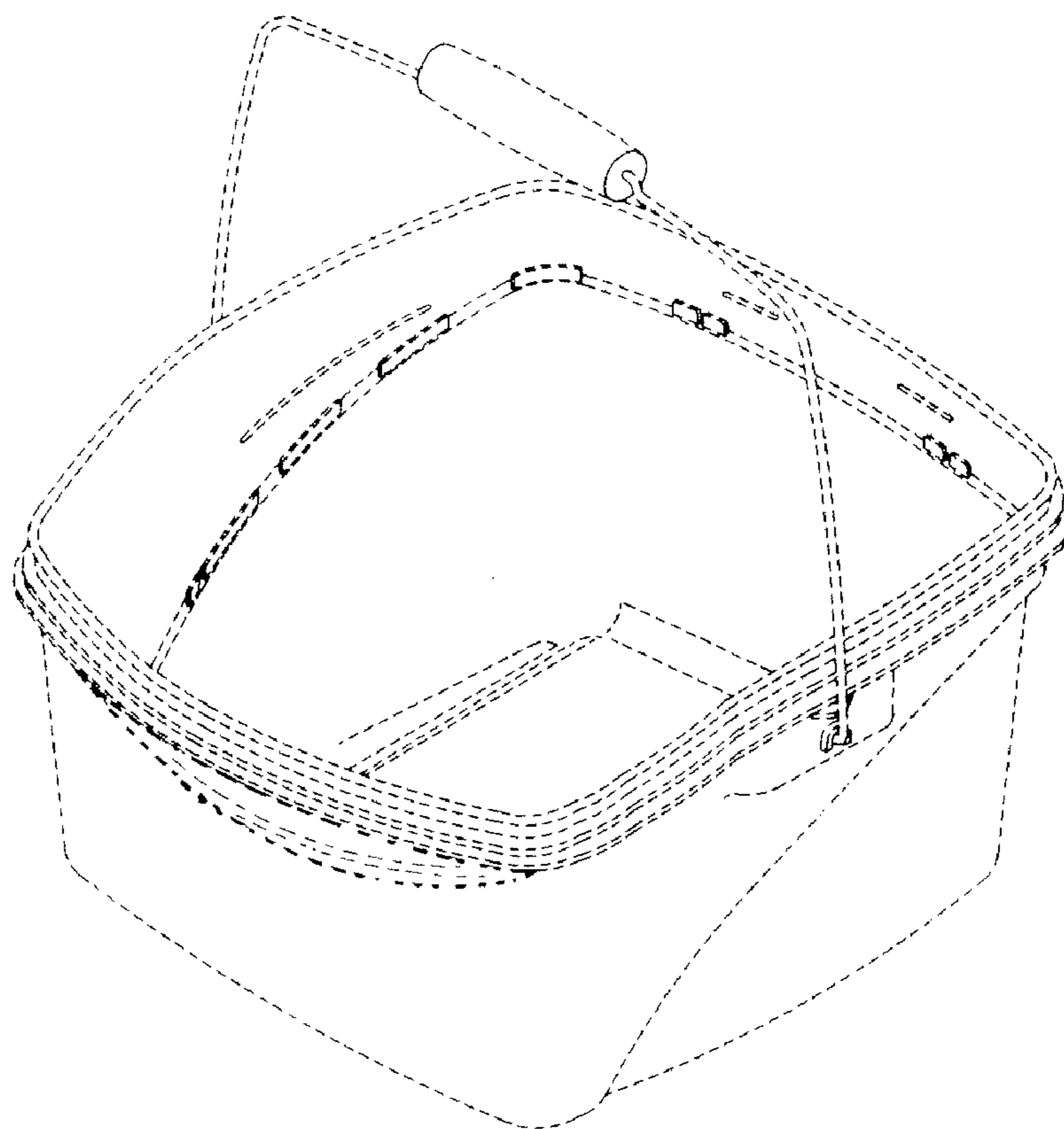
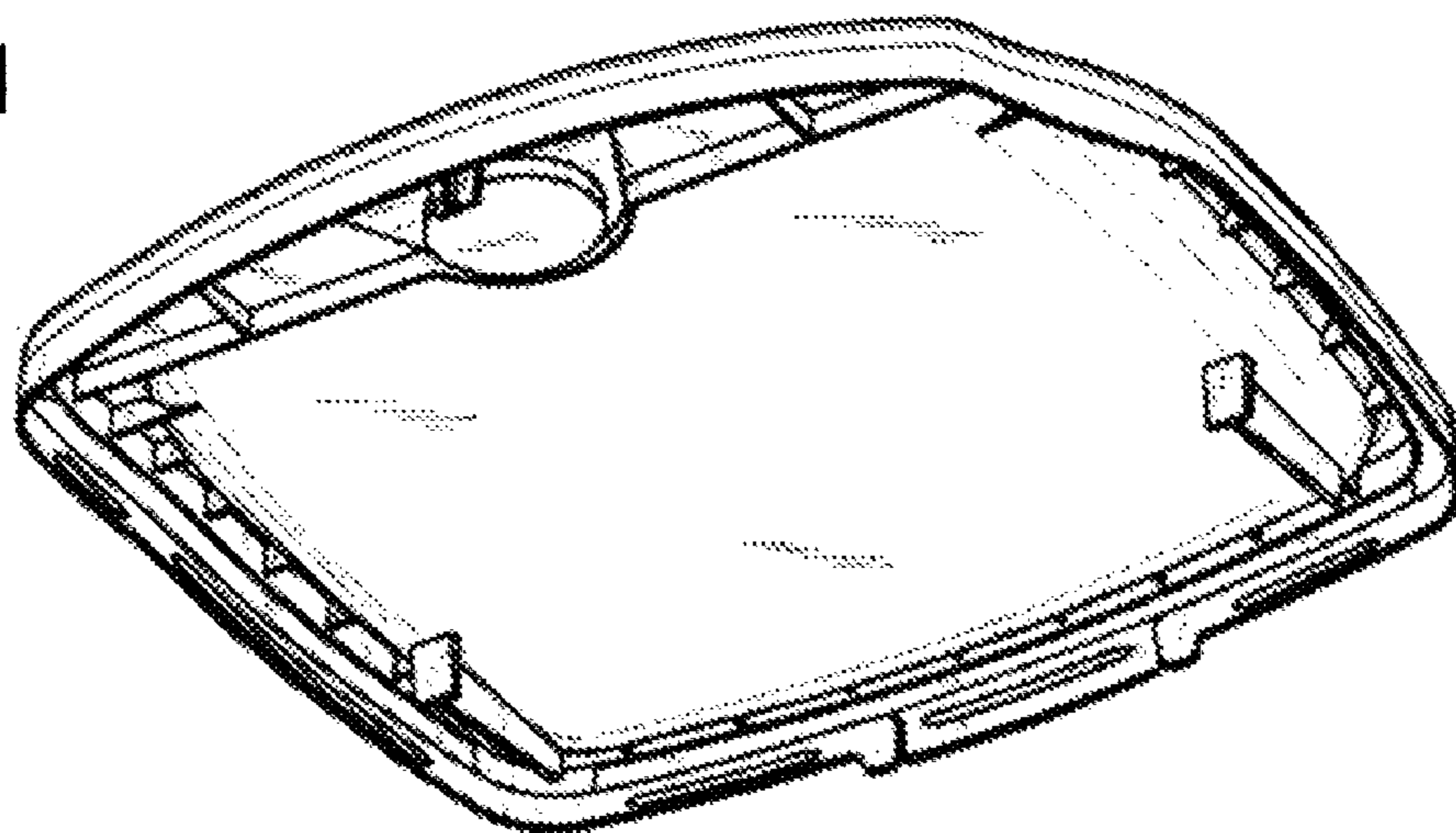


FIG. 2

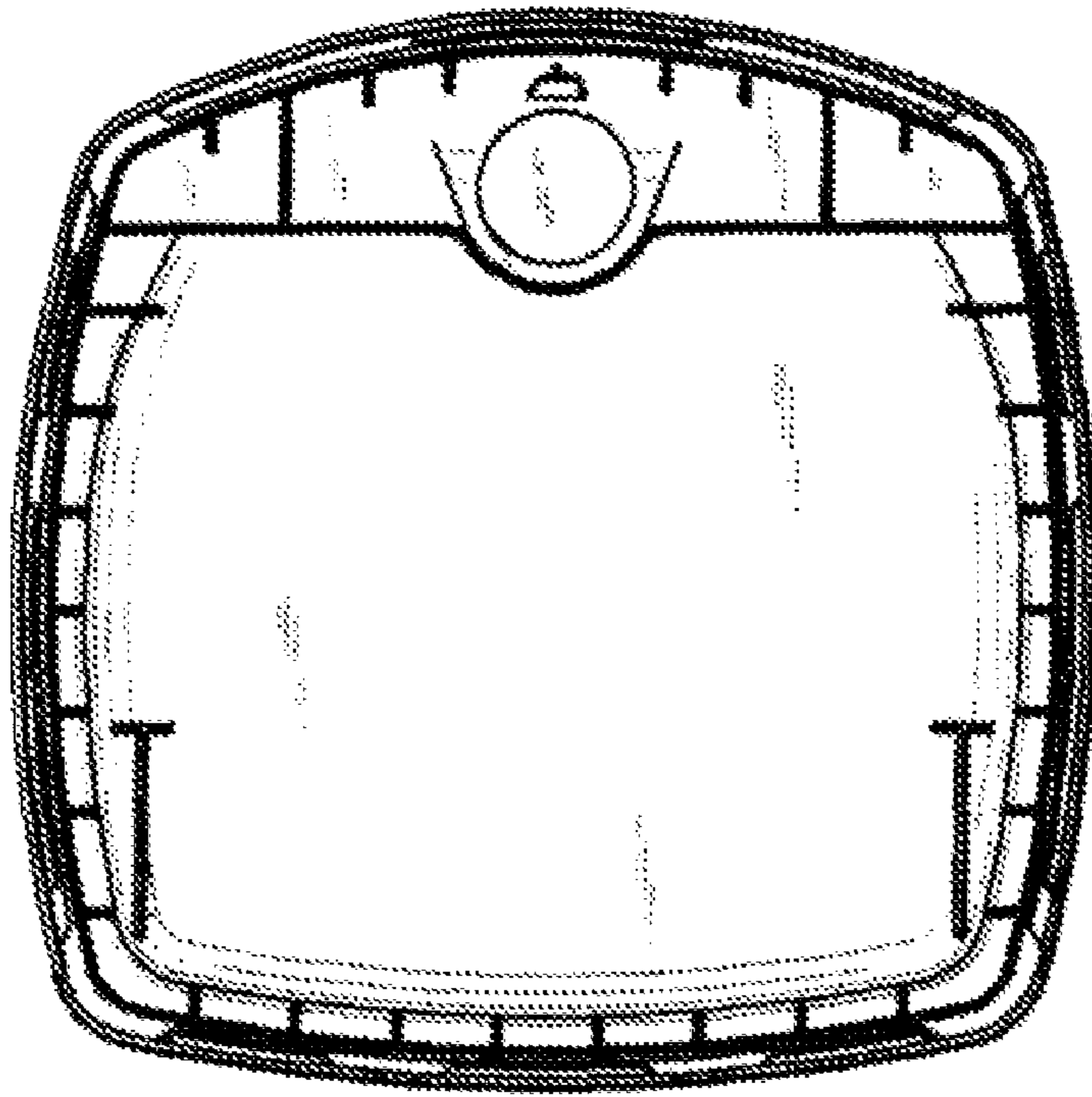


FIG. 3



FIG. 4

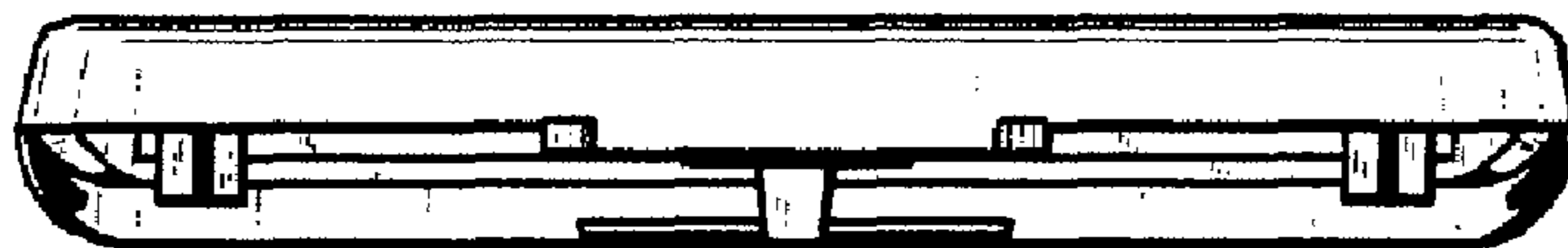


FIG. 5

FIG. 6

