



US00D589311S

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

(10) **Patent No.:** **US D589,311 S**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **** Mar. 31, 2009**

(54) **PLANT PROTECTOR**

(76) Inventors: **Joseph M. Hoover**, 36698 Law Rd.,
Grafton, OH (US) 44044-9658; **Joan Hoover**, 36698 Law Rd., Grafton, OH
(US) 44044-9658

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

(21) Appl. No.: **29/288,016**

(22) Filed: **May 25, 2007**

(51) **LOC (9) Cl.** **08-01**

(52) **U.S. Cl.** **D8/1**

(58) **Field of Classification Search** D8/1;
47/30, 84, 69, 75

See application file for complete search history.

(56) **References Cited**

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

97,259	A	11/1869	Watson	
1,114,933	A	10/1914	Stricklen	
1,828,031	A *	10/1931	Davis	47/30
2,275,542	A *	3/1942	Menges	206/769
3,869,828	A *	3/1975	Matsumoto	47/84
4,236,353	A *	12/1980	Sorenson	47/81

4,291,493	A *	9/1981	Monson	47/14
4,791,754	A *	12/1988	Demars, Jr.	47/29.2
4,977,703	A *	12/1990	Blanc	47/84
5,426,887	A	6/1995	Spencer et al.	
5,950,363	A *	9/1999	Rotondo	47/84
6,968,948	B2 *	11/2005	Scott	206/423

* cited by examiner

Primary Examiner—Holly H Baynham

Assistant Examiner—Sheryl Lane

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm*—Raymond M. Galasso;
Galasso & Assoc. LP

(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a plant protector, as shown and described.

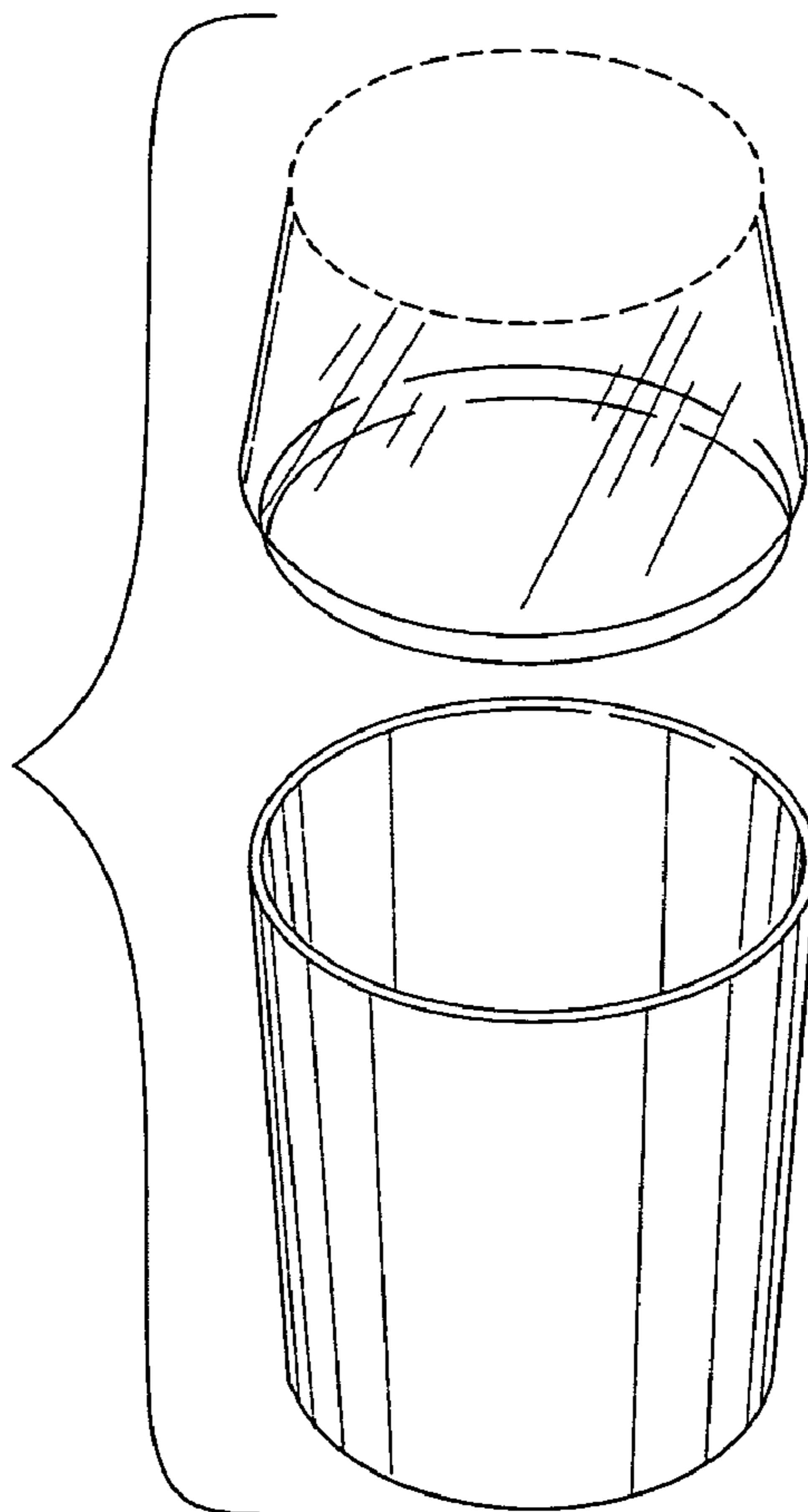
DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view depicting an embodiment of a plant protector as disclosed herein; and,

FIG. 2 is a perspective view of an optional top for the plant protector.

The portion of the article shown in broken lines form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



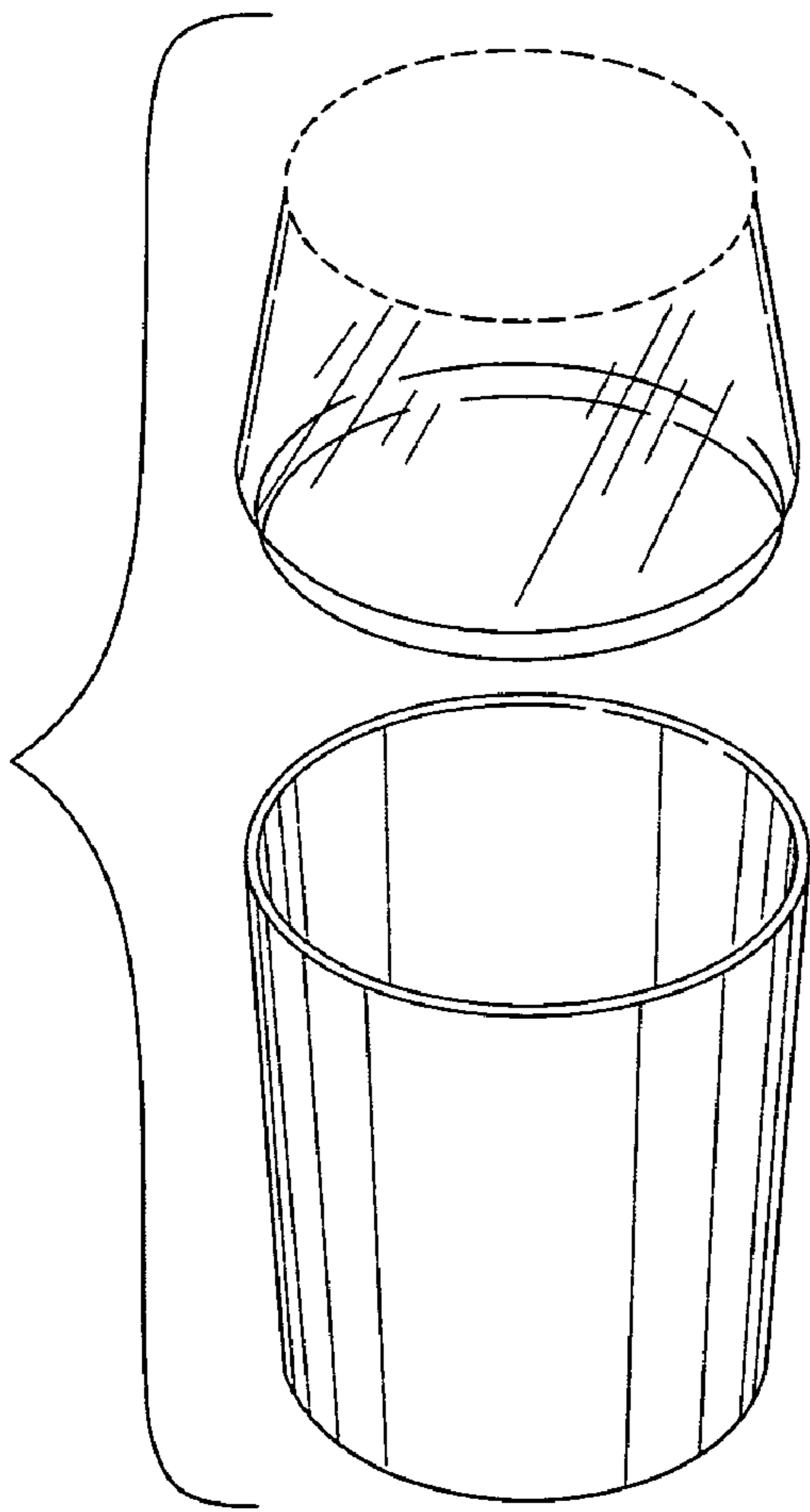


FIG. 1

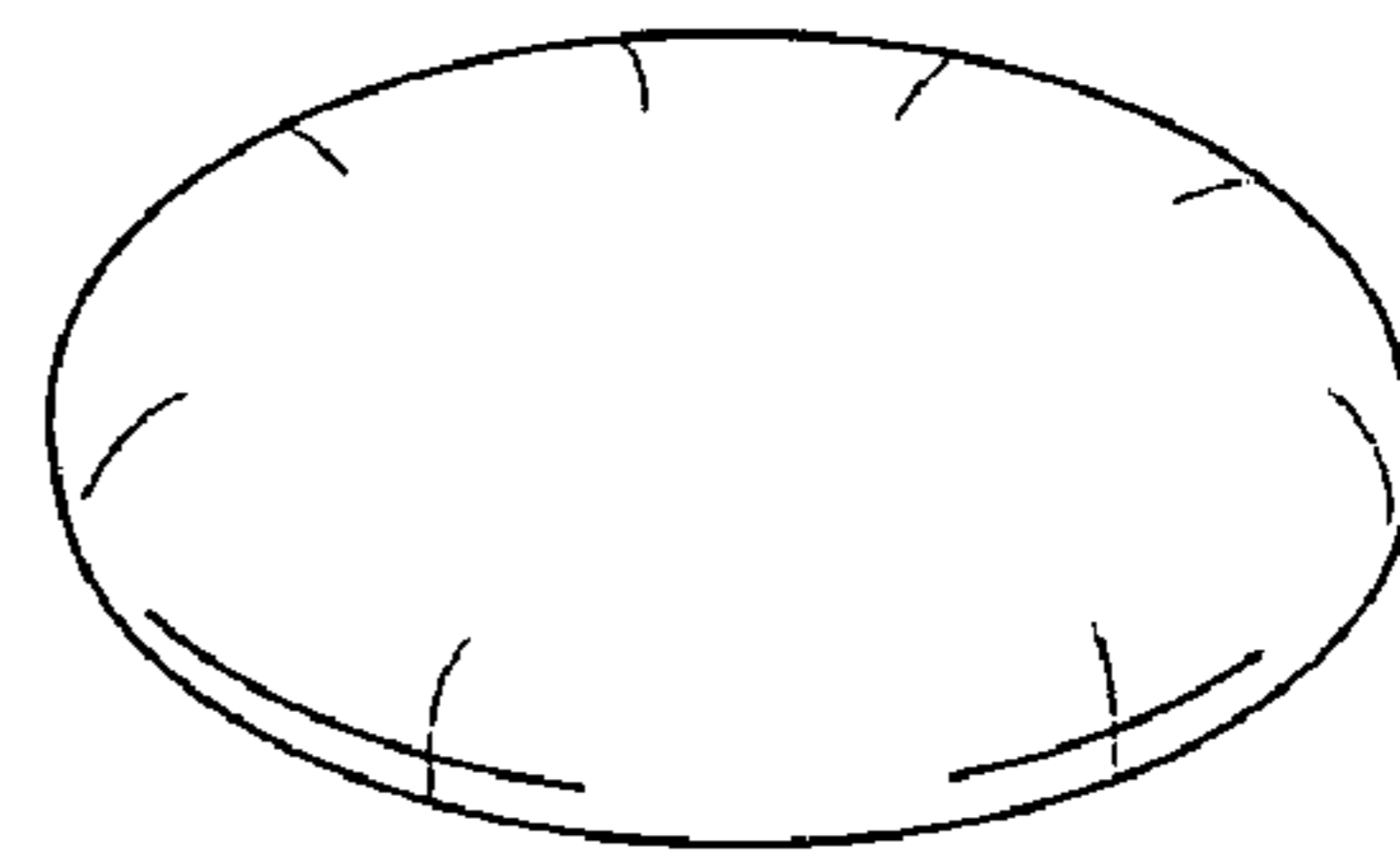


FIG. 2