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(54) **CIGARETTE PACKAGE**

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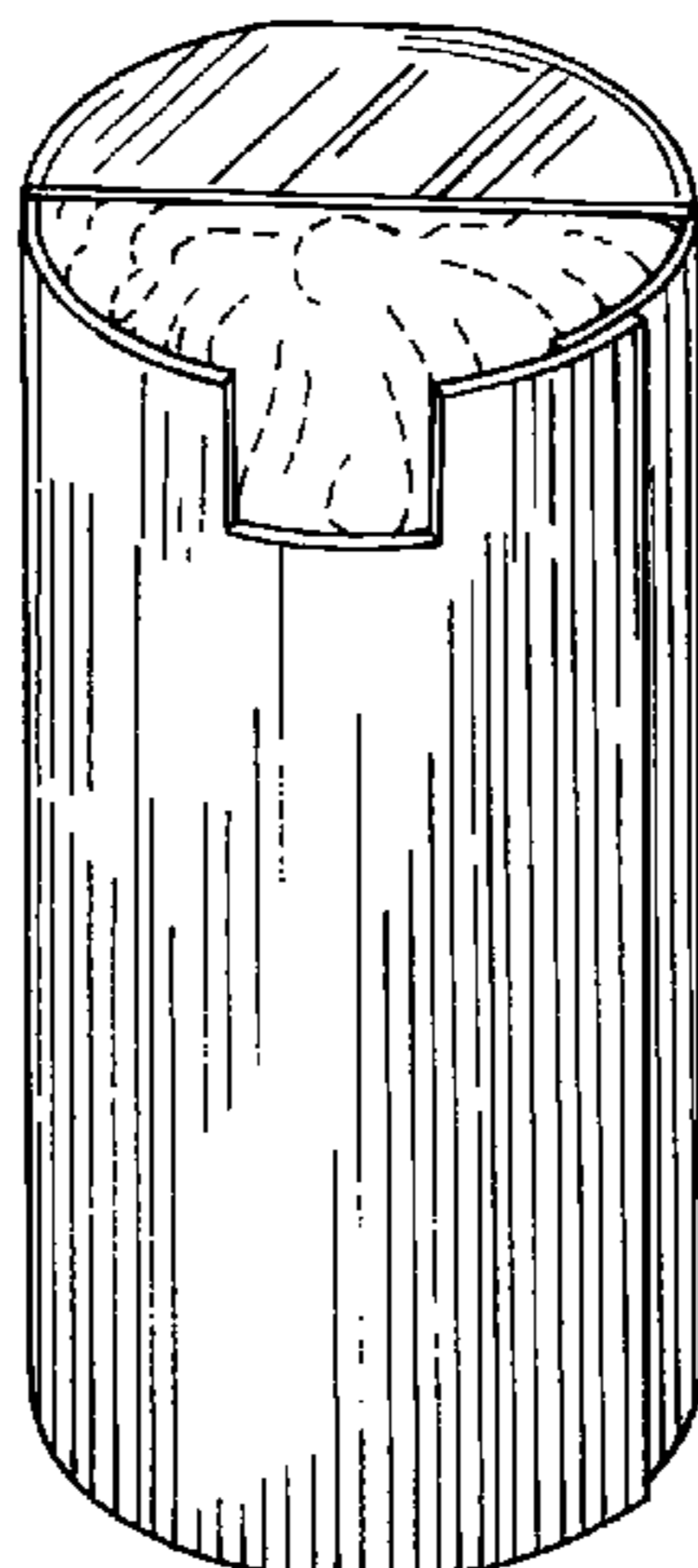
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a cigarette package, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of the cigarette package; FIG. 2 is a front elevation view of the cigarette package of FIG. 1; FIG. 3 is a back elevation view of the cigarette package of FIG. 1; FIG. 4 is a top plan view of the cigarette package of FIG. 1; FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view of the cigarette package of FIG. 1; FIG. 6 is a right side elevation view of the cigarette package of FIG. 1; and, FIG. 7 is the left side elevation view of the cigarette package of FIG. 1.  
The dashed lines shown in FIGS. 1, 2, 4, 6, and 7, which are indicative of the contents of the package, form no part of the claimed invention.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



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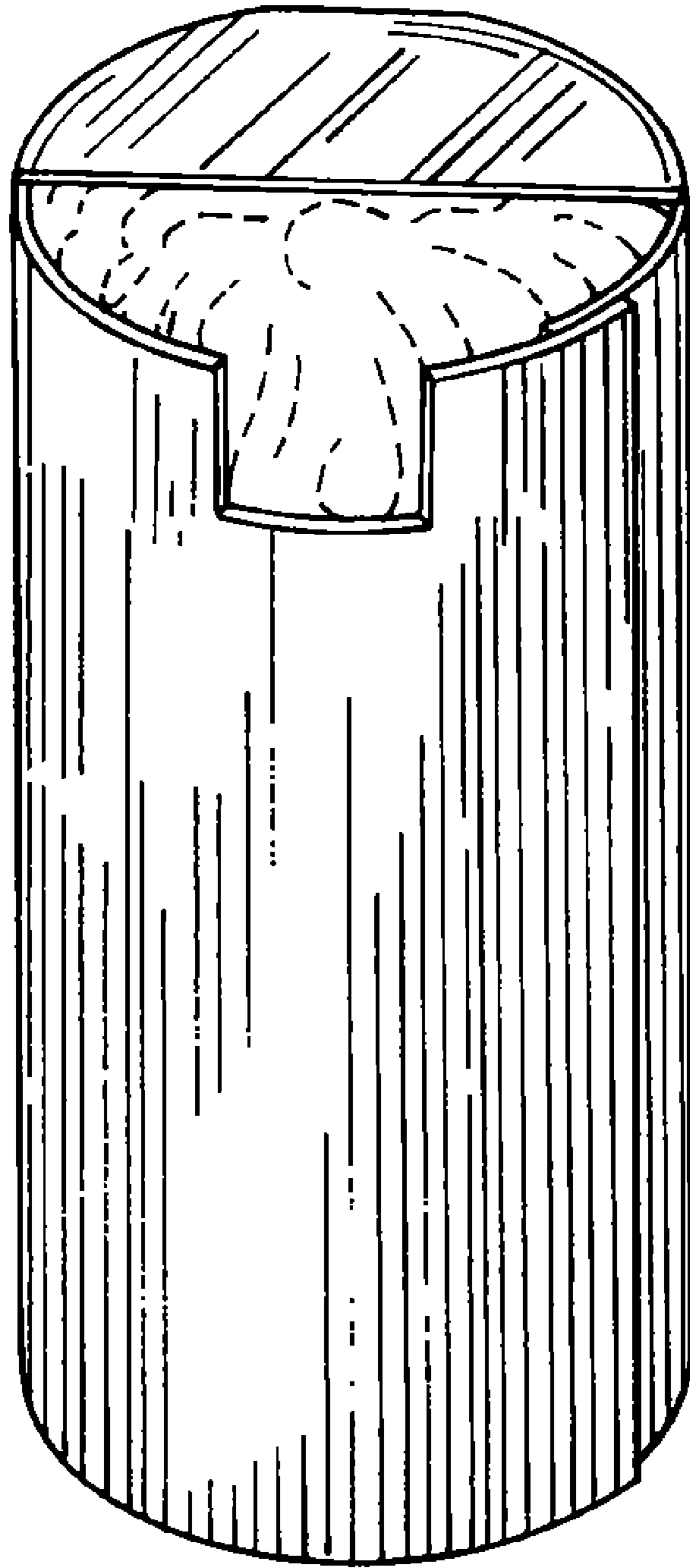


Fig. 1

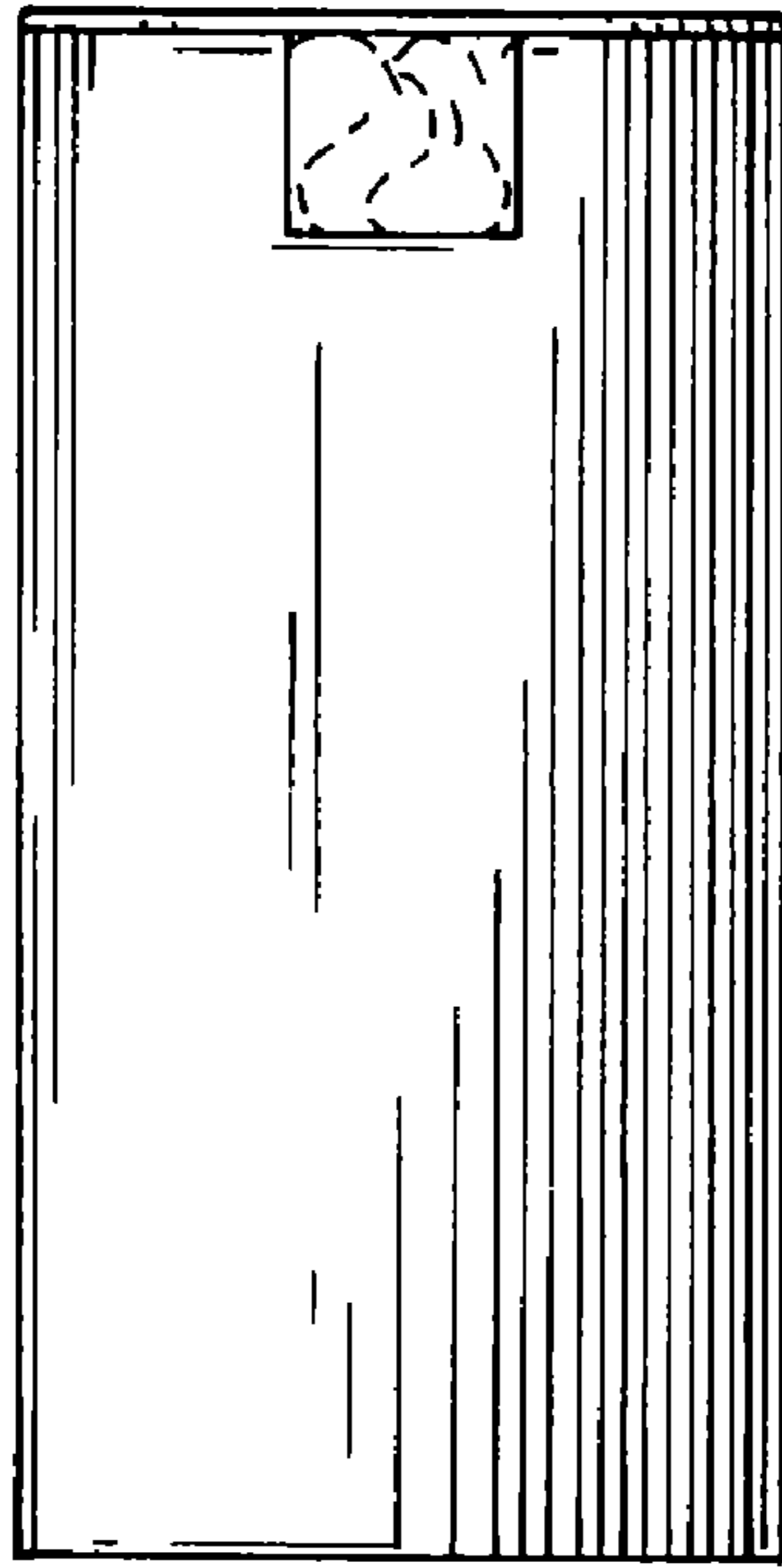


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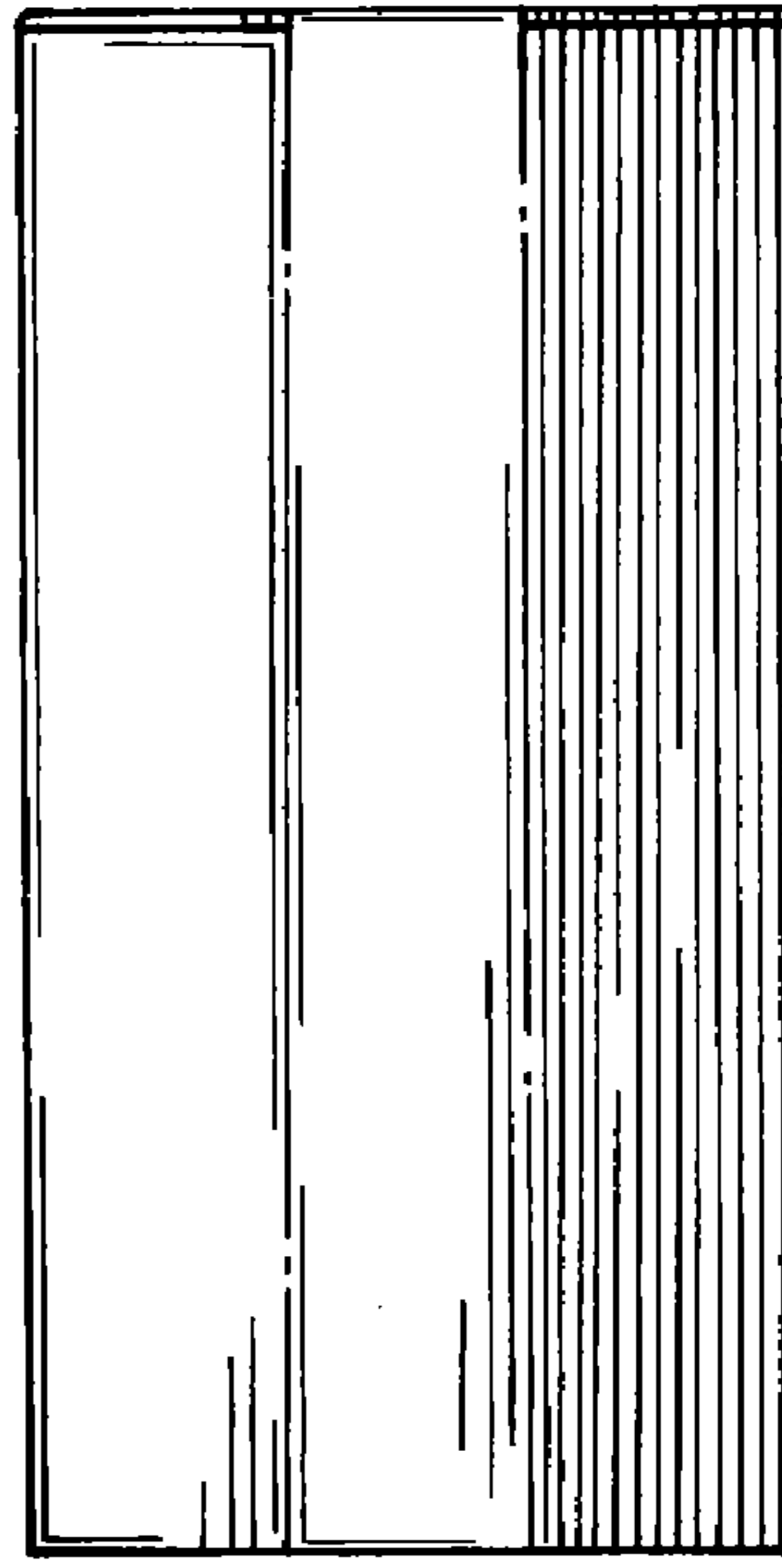


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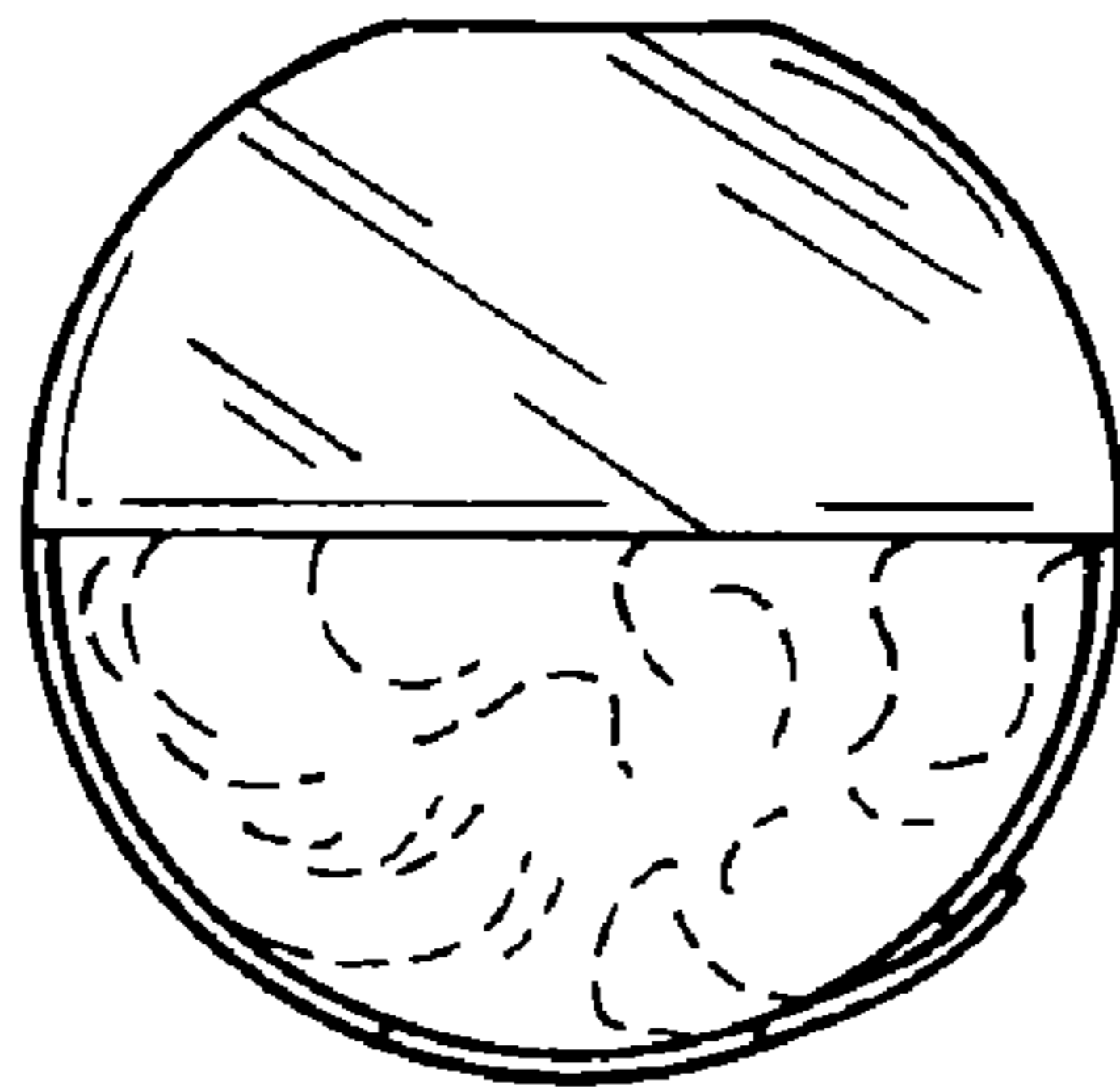


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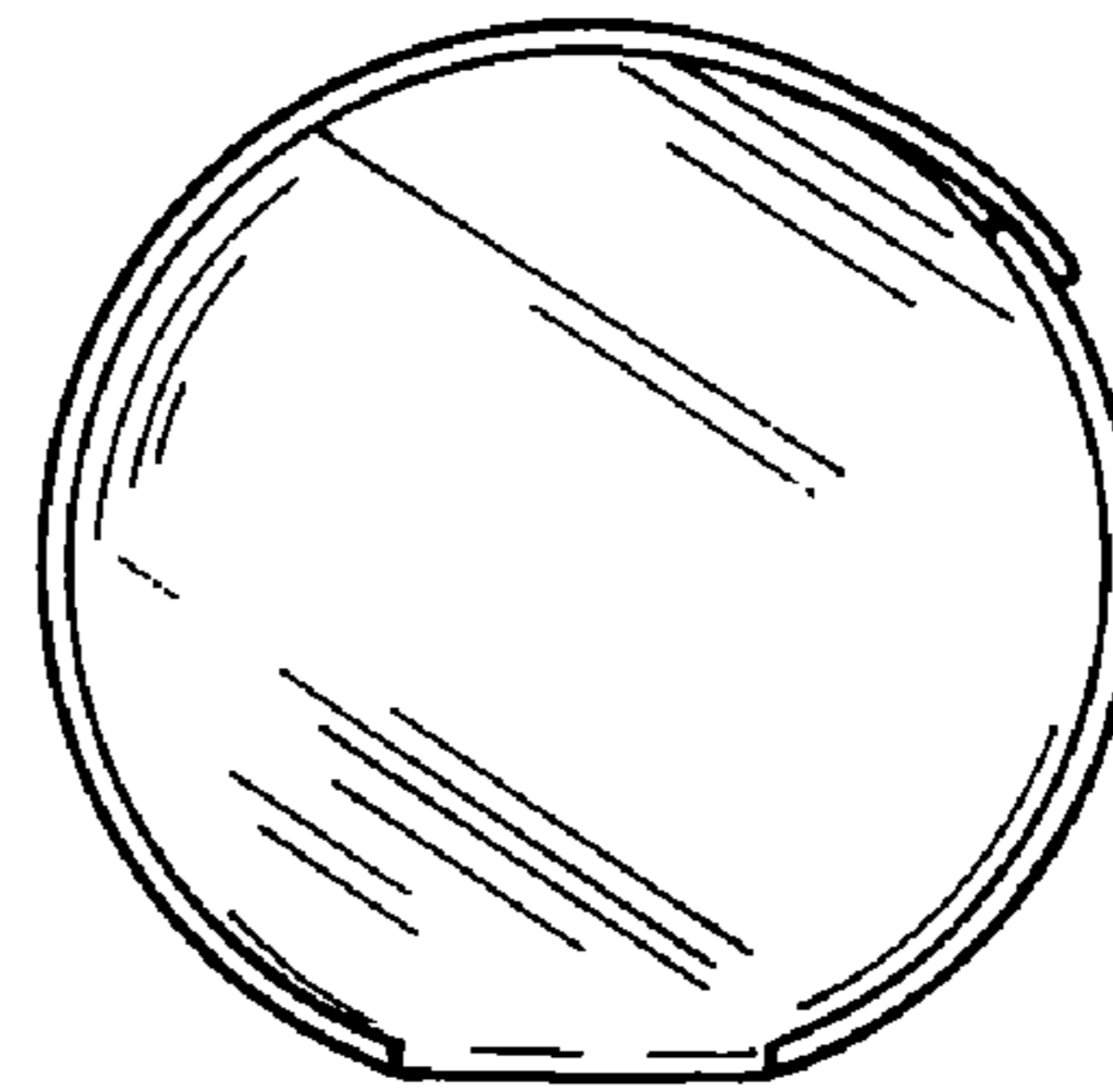


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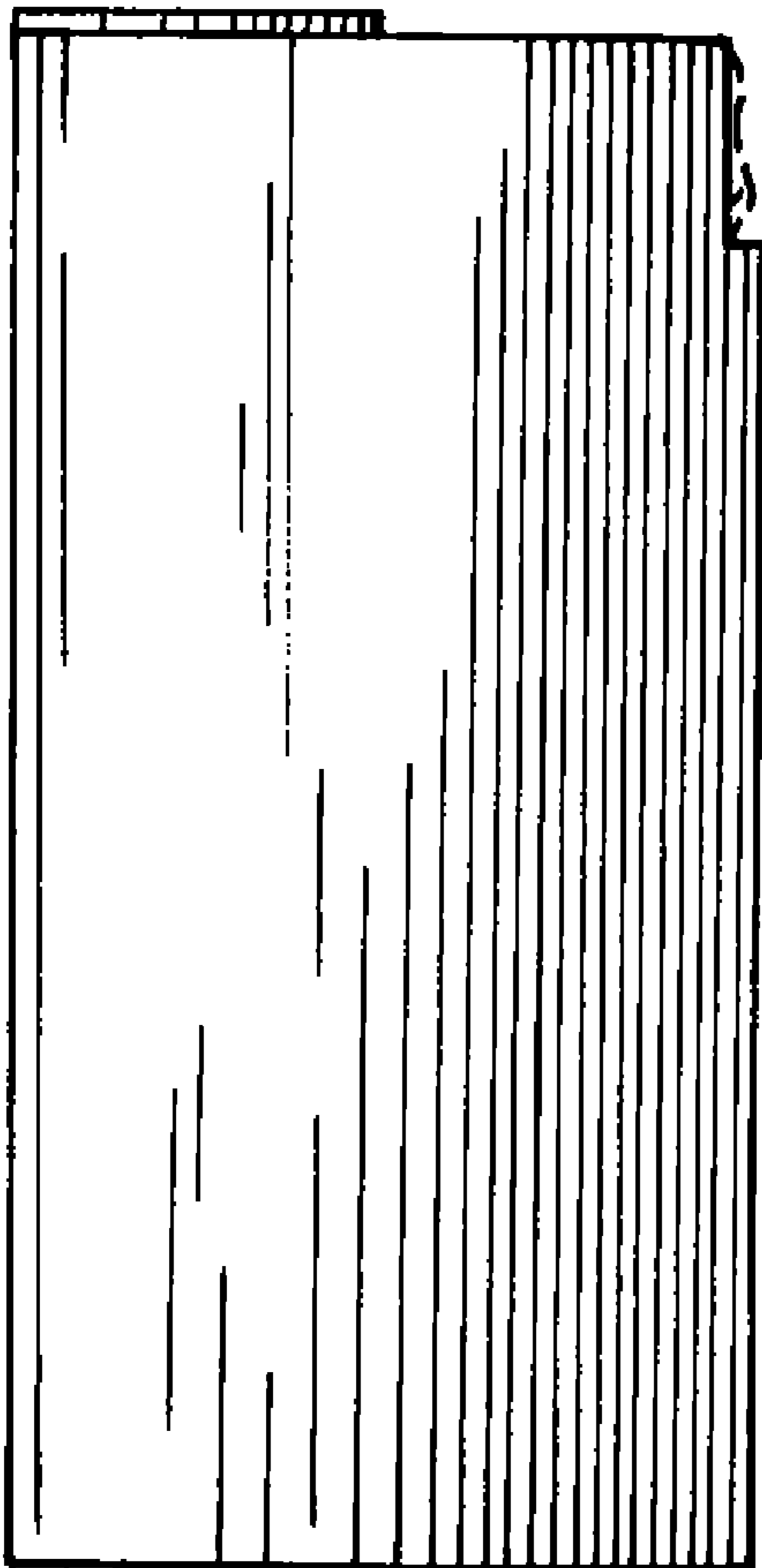


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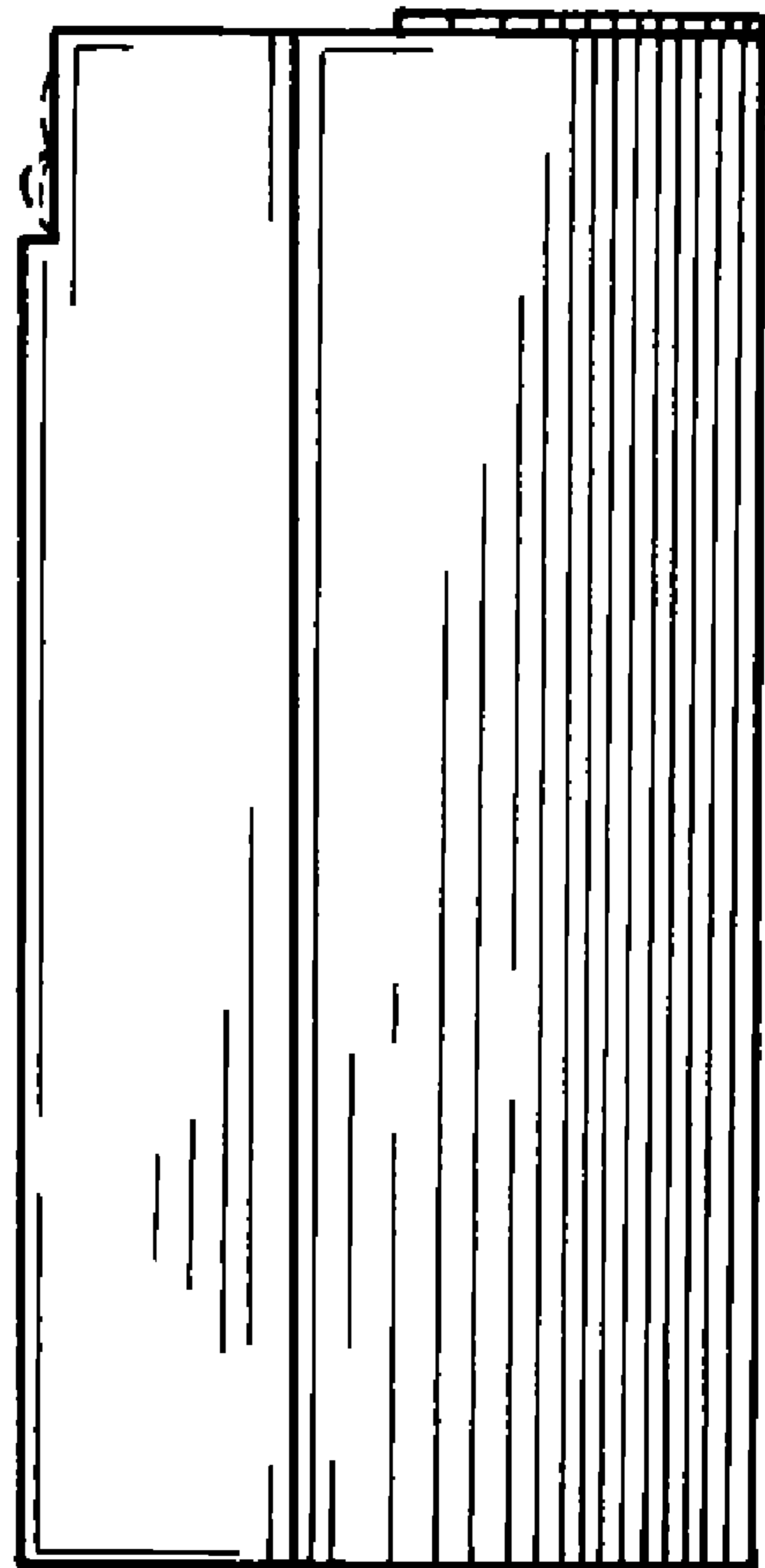


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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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Item (75), replace "Kemersville" with --Kernersville--.

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