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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a mule, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front perspective view of the mule showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a top view thereof; and,

FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof.

The broken lines depicting portions of the mule sole show portions of the mule that form no part of the claimed design.

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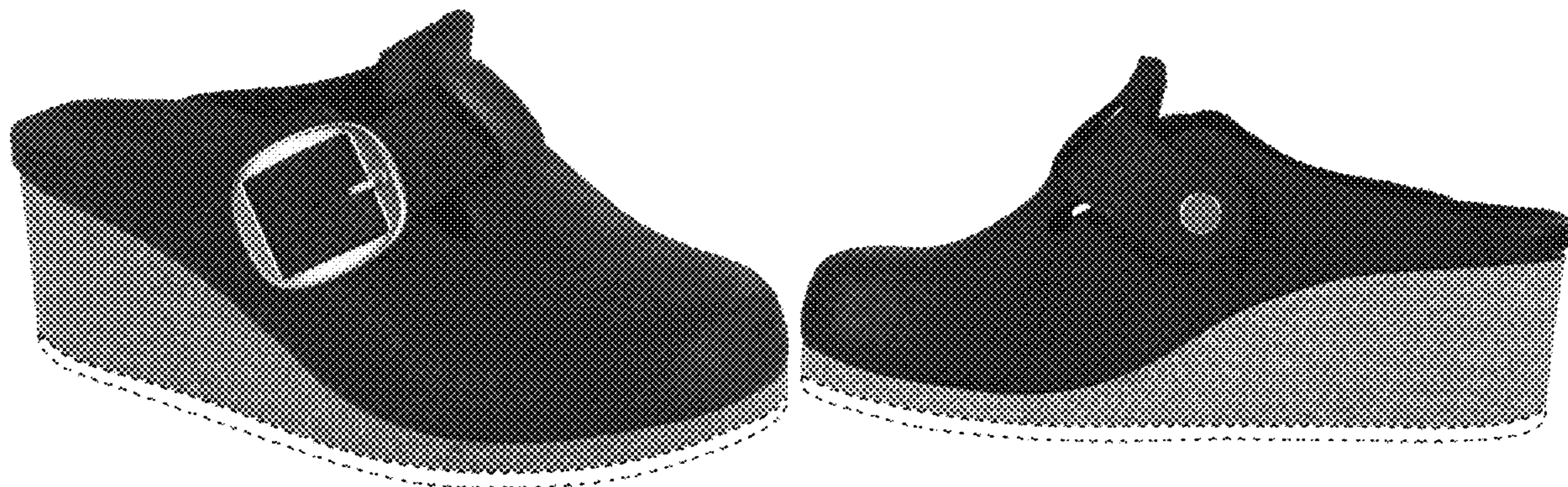






FIG. 1





FIG. 2





FIG. 3



FIG. 4





FIG. 5





FIG. 6

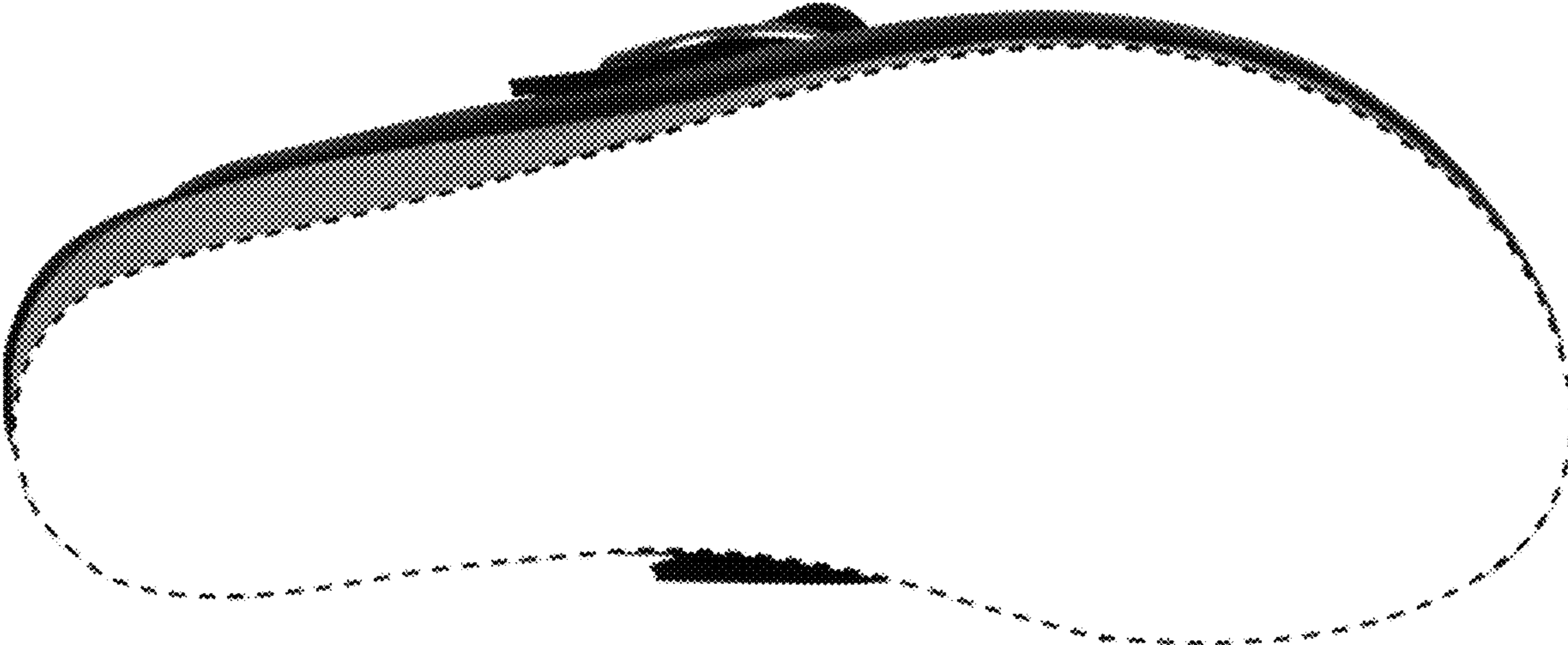


FIG. 7