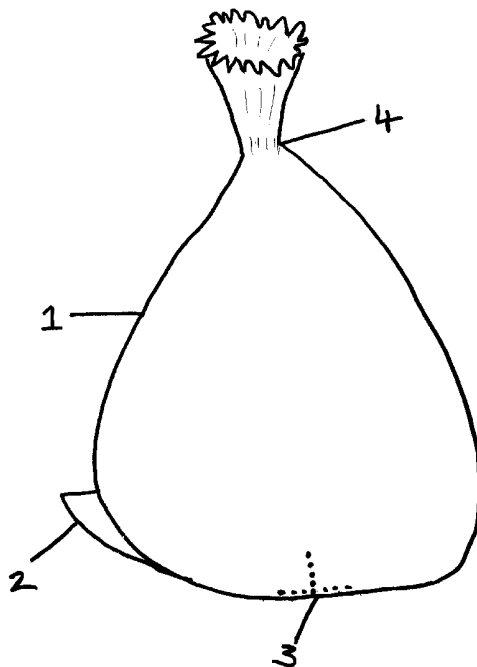


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(57) A bag 1 suitable for 'boil-in-the-bag' cooking has a mouth at one end and an opposite closed end in which there is an array of perforations 3 forming the shape of a cross. Water may enter or drain from the bag through the perforations. A tab 2 adjacent to the closed end provides for easy lifting of the bag. The mouth of the bag may be closed by tying its gathered neck 4 which will remain relatively cool during cooking so that the bag may be held by it.

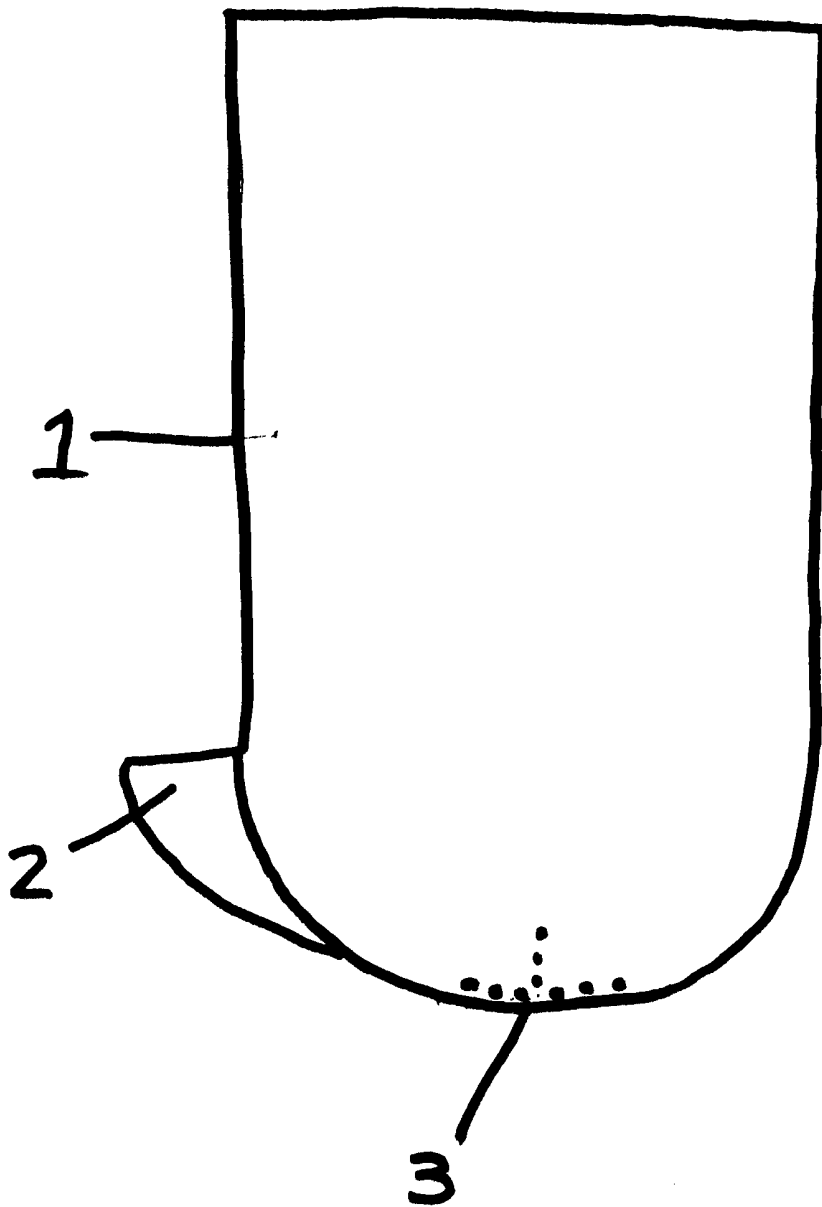


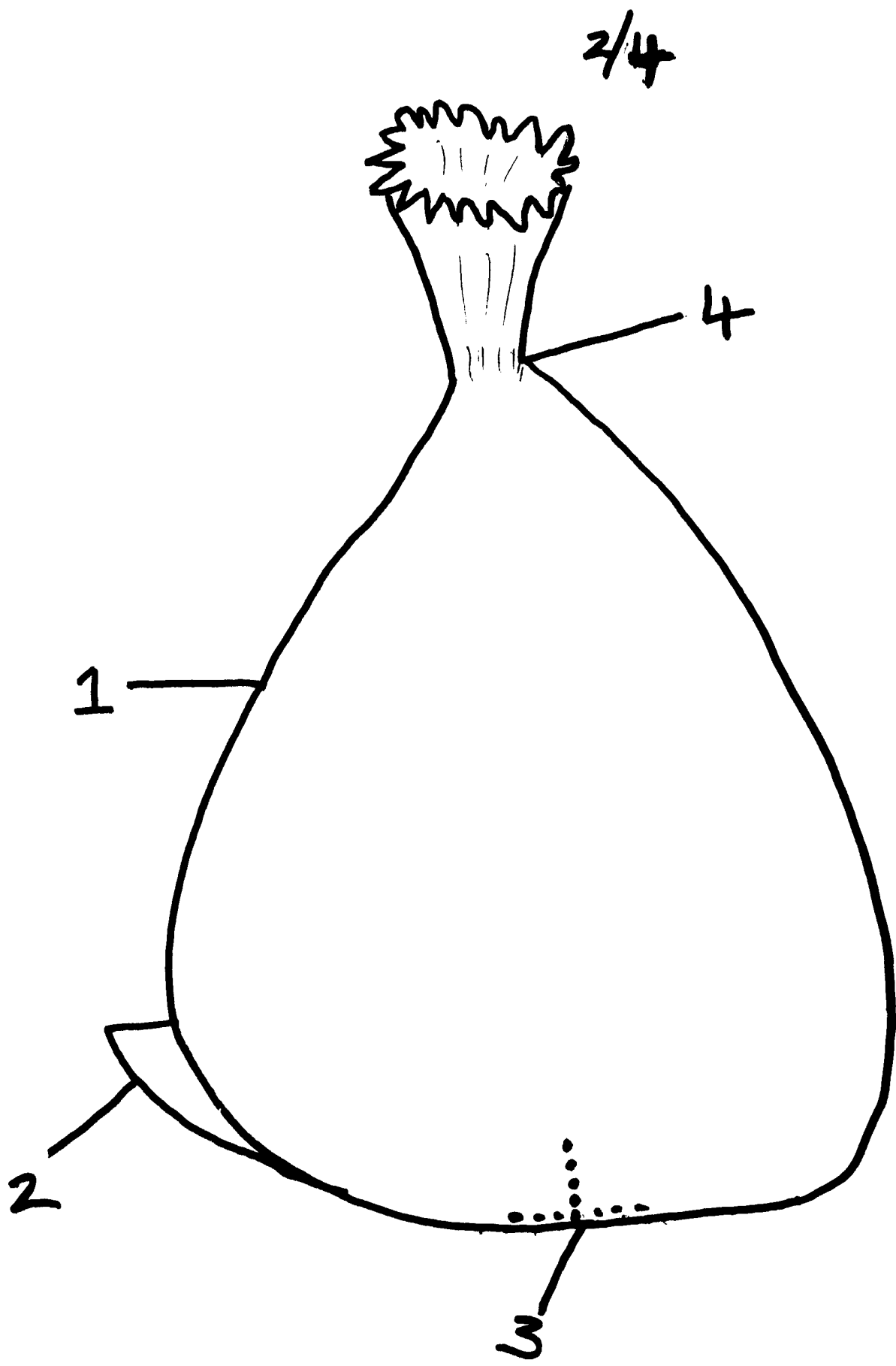
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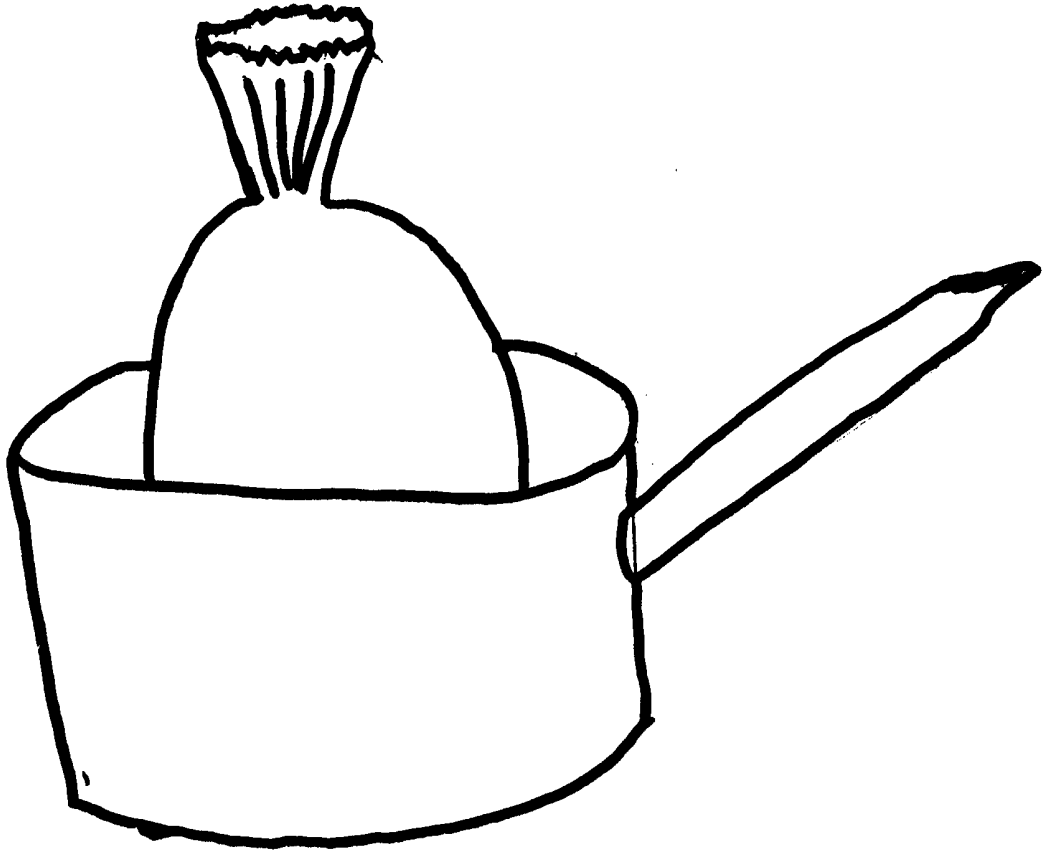
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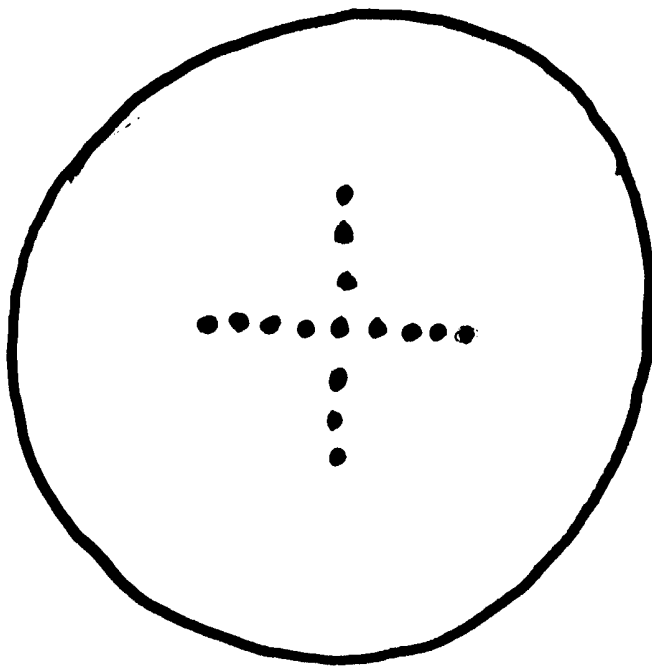




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Description

1. "Polythermal food boiling bag, with cross shape perforation holes at bottom centre".
2. Easy lifting tab.
3. Cross shape perforation for filling and draining.
4. Gathered tied neck.

Reduces danger of scalding

Reduces odours

Ideal for old people, handling difficulties

Keeps food hot longer when taken from heat

Can be removed easily from hot water - by lifting cold top of bag.

2.

Claims

1. Polythermal boiling bag
2. Easy lifting tab
3. Crossed shaped preferations



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