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(54) **Snapping and hinging arrangements for watches**

(57) A leaf spring element and a base element to be used with a watch case are disclosed.

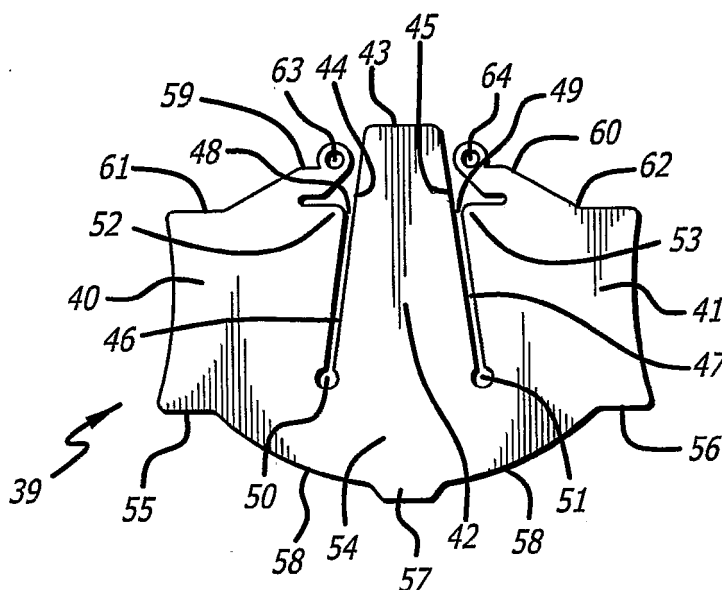


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