

SUPPLY #63

Muslin
Fiberfill
Ticking fabric
Calico Print fabric
Burlap fabric
Raffia
4 sticks for face
Orange paint
Green paint.
Rusty safety pins

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19" BLACK SCARE CROW DOLL



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This to date is the smallest ScareCrow I have ever created. A great look for your door or hang from a peg or door knob. The 19" measurement is not including the hat.

The torso and head are made of muslin. I prefer cutting out my patterns, but you do whatever you are used to. So I cut out pattern, lay on dbled muslin and cut out. Sew and Clip the curves and corners and turn right side out. Now stuff the old boy. I prefer stuffing him farely tight. Next step, hand stitch the sticks for the eyes, nose and mouth. Now you are ready to grunge for the first time. Bake to dry at 200 degree temp. When dry, grunge again. Keep doing this (at least to the head) until you get the look you want.

Now cut out his pants and shirt, sew, clip and turn. Now soak in grunge and dry in oven or in sun. Don't forget to attach the bib before grunging. Next, cut out and stitch the hat. I like using burlap fabric to make the straw hat. Once you have cut out the brim, stitch completely around the outside. Fold in half and cut out the circle. Cut out the top of the hat, stitch and turn right side out. Now you will fit the top half into the brim and hand stitch around. Once finished, grunge the hat and dry. It will shed a few strings to make it look rough. I used a rusty pin to pin it up in the front.

When the hat, shirt and bibs are dry. Slip them all onto the torso. Use fiberfil to stuff the arms of the shirt and legs of the pants. Then stitch around the waist to hold the pants in place. Put the dried hat on his head and hand stitch in place. Now make little bundles of raffia (looking at the picture for length) 4 of them. I stuck them into the sleeve and tie jute around the sleeve to hold the raffia. Then stick the raffia bundles up the pant leg and I whip stitched that from the back to hold in place.

Now using a contrast fabric hand stitch a little patch onto one knee. Tie the grunged pc. of cheesecloth around his neck.

Lil' Punkin: Cut this out of muslin, stitch completely around the entire punkin. Cut a 1" slit in the back of the punkin for turning and stuffing. Now stuff this lightly. With orange acrylic (I dilute the paint with the

grunge mixture) paint the punkin and with green, paint the stem. Dry, sand and grunge.

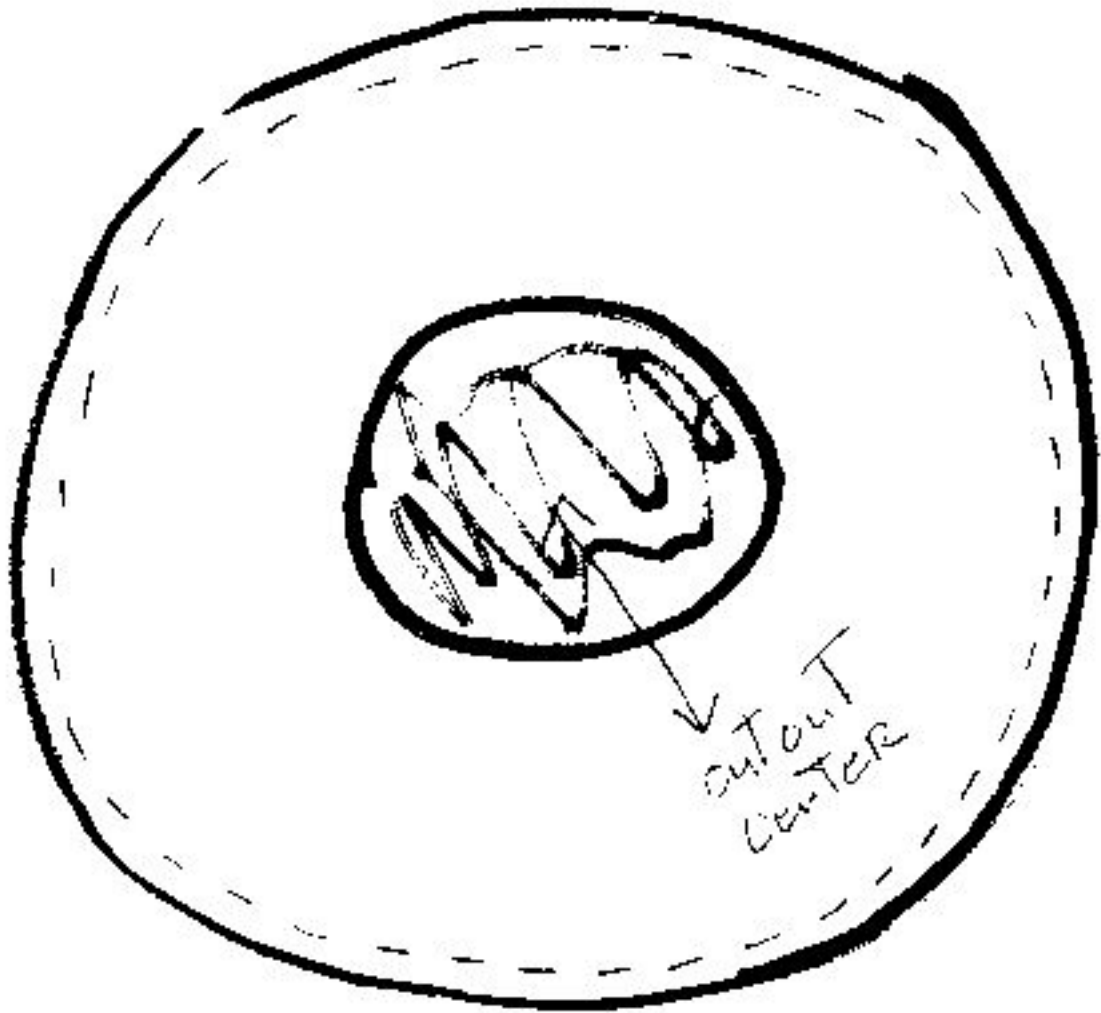
GRUNGE: 1 cup instant coffee
2 cups hot water
1/4 cup vanilla

NOW BRUCH HIM ALL OVER WITH A SPICE MIXTURE OF CINNAMON AND NUTMEG.....

WHAT A CUTIE THIS FELLOW IS. ENJOY HIM FOR YEARS TO COME.....Hugs, Susan

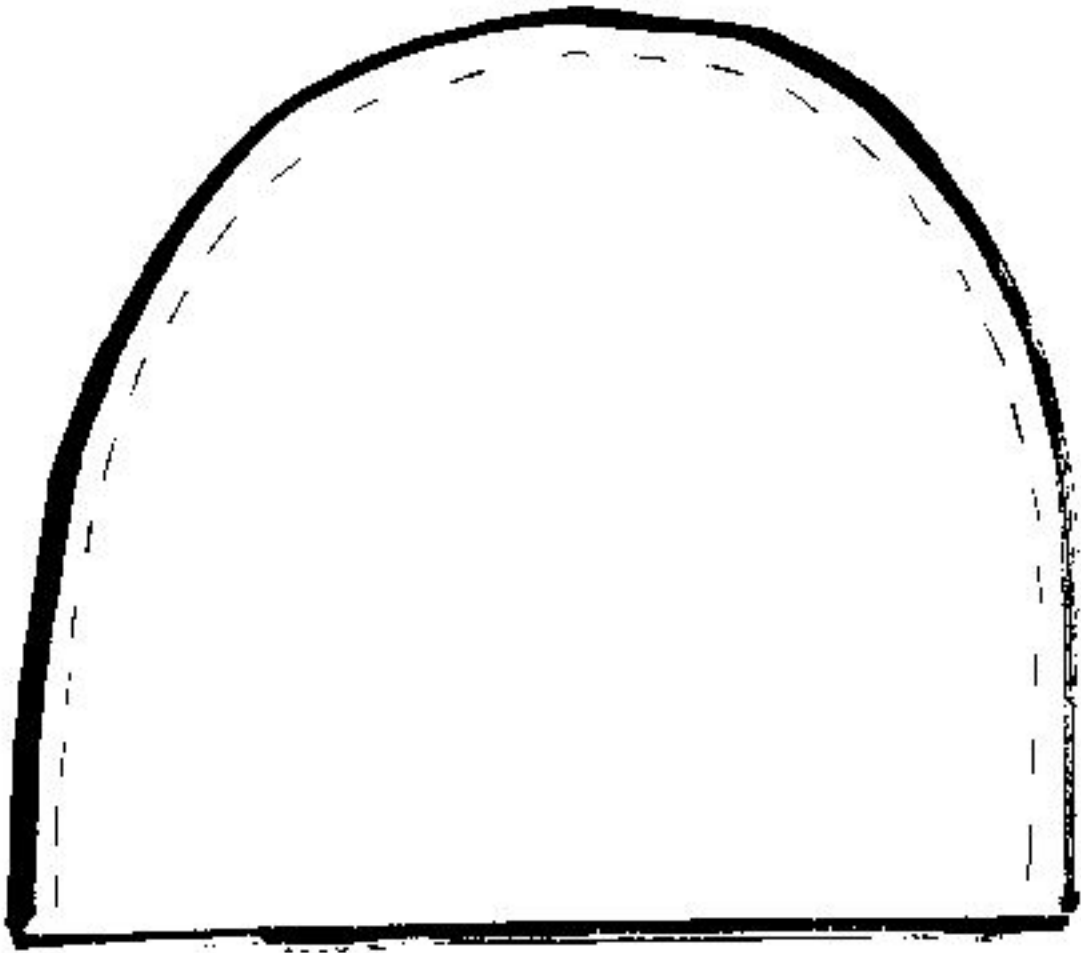


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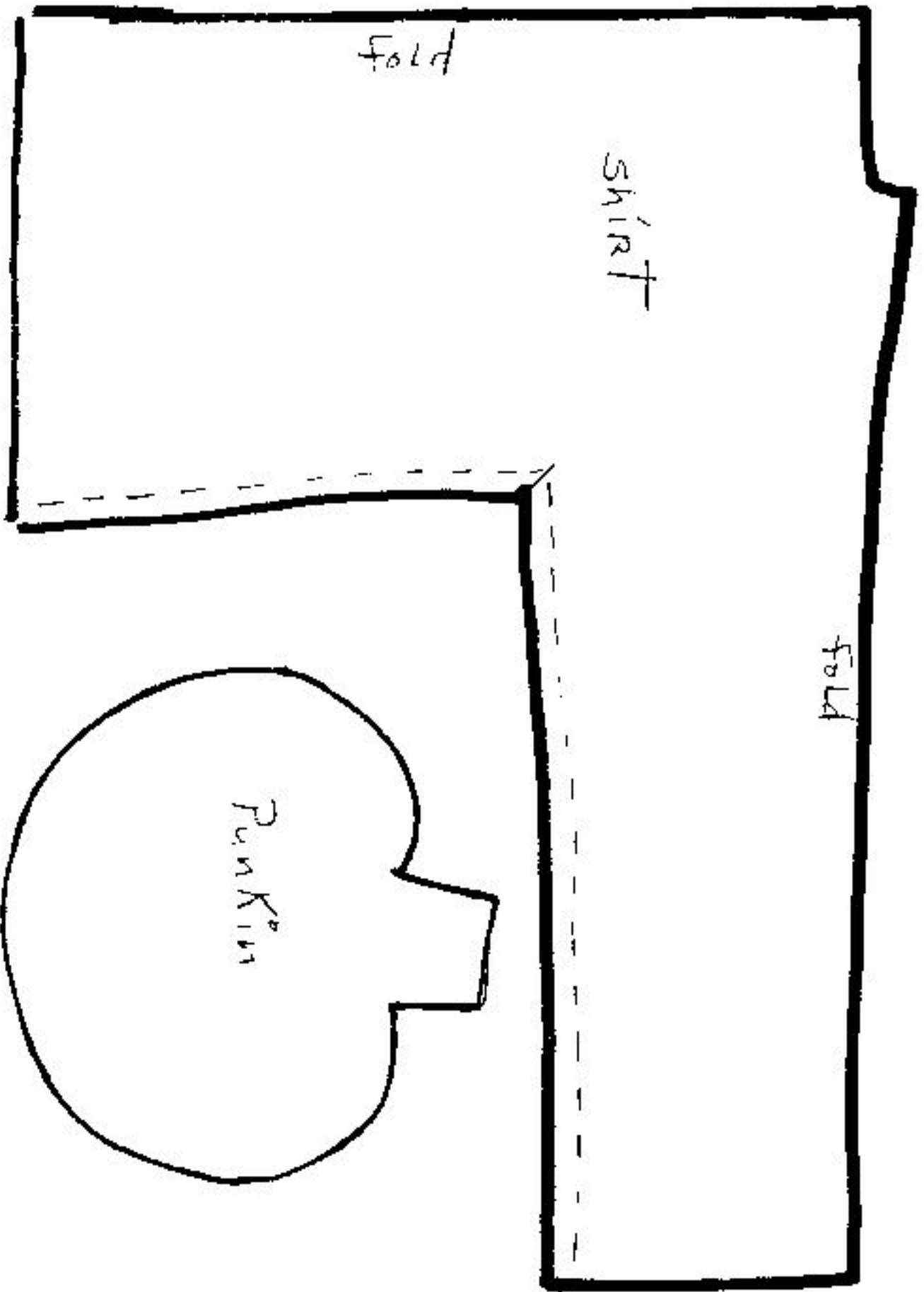


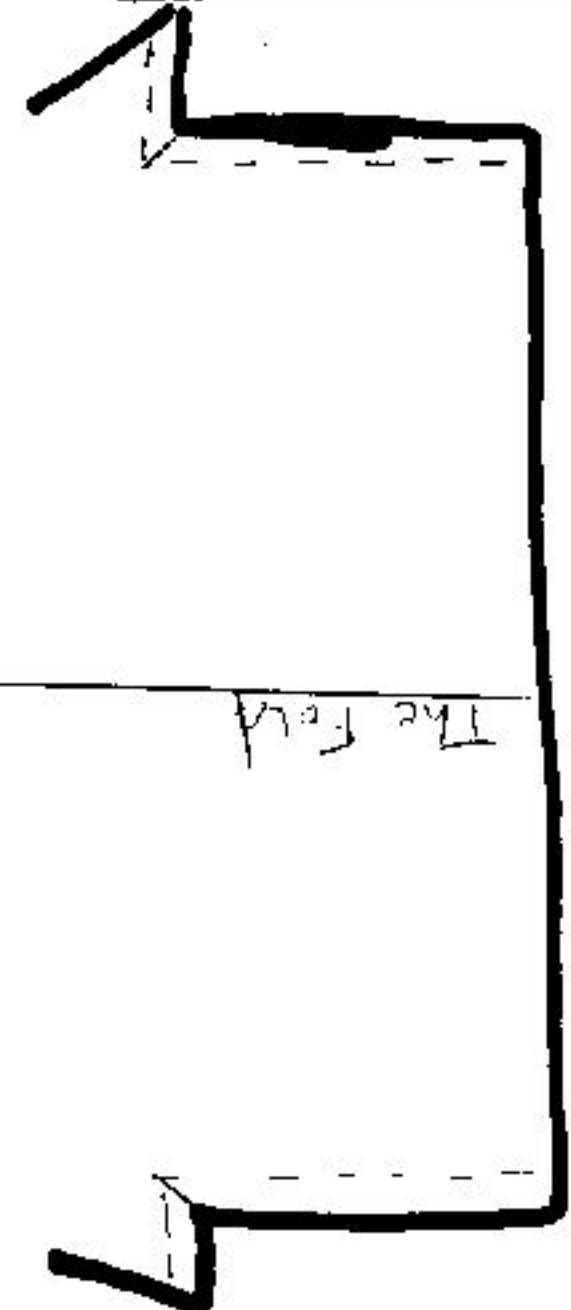
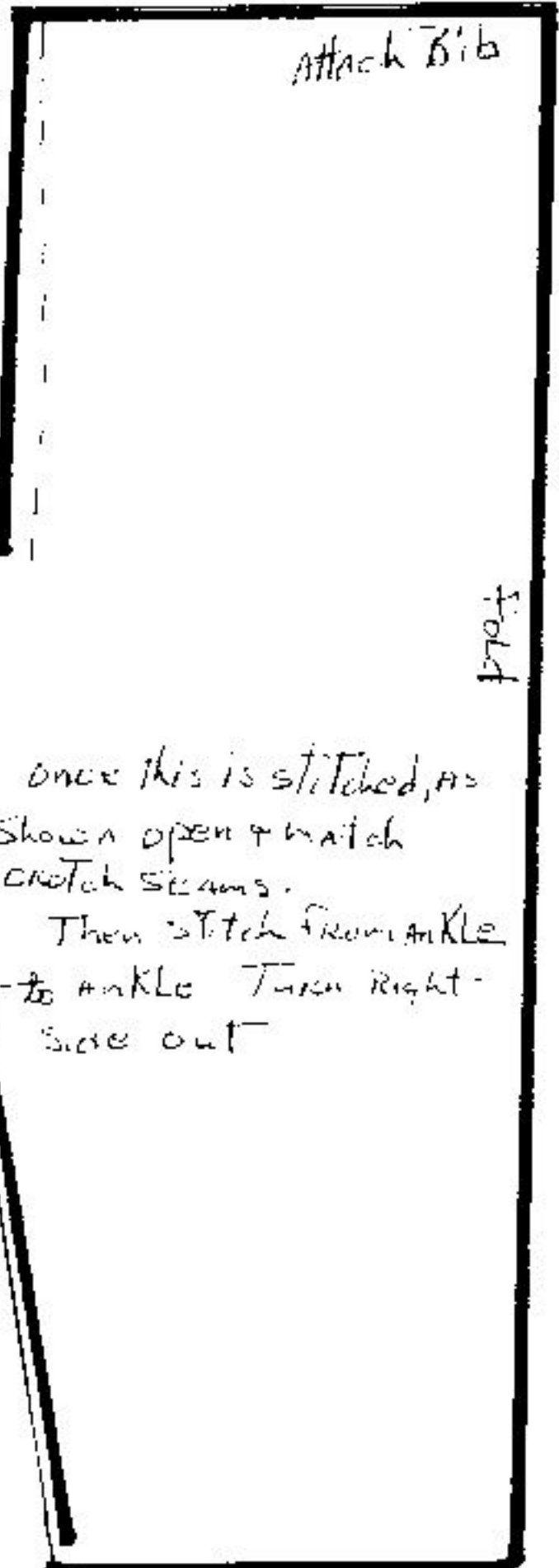
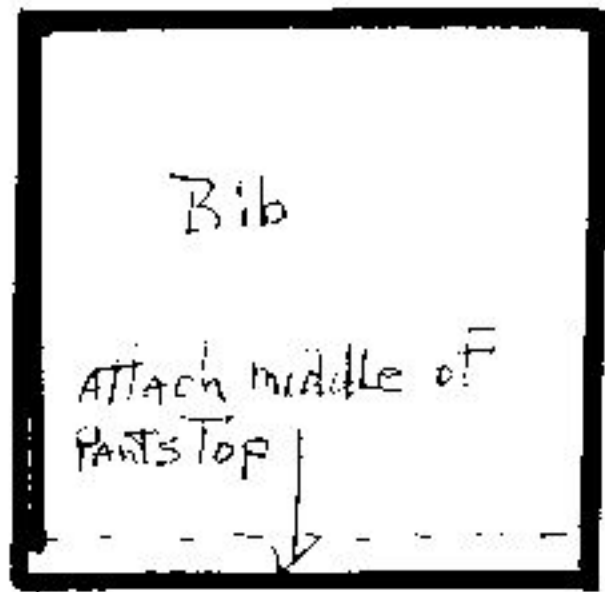
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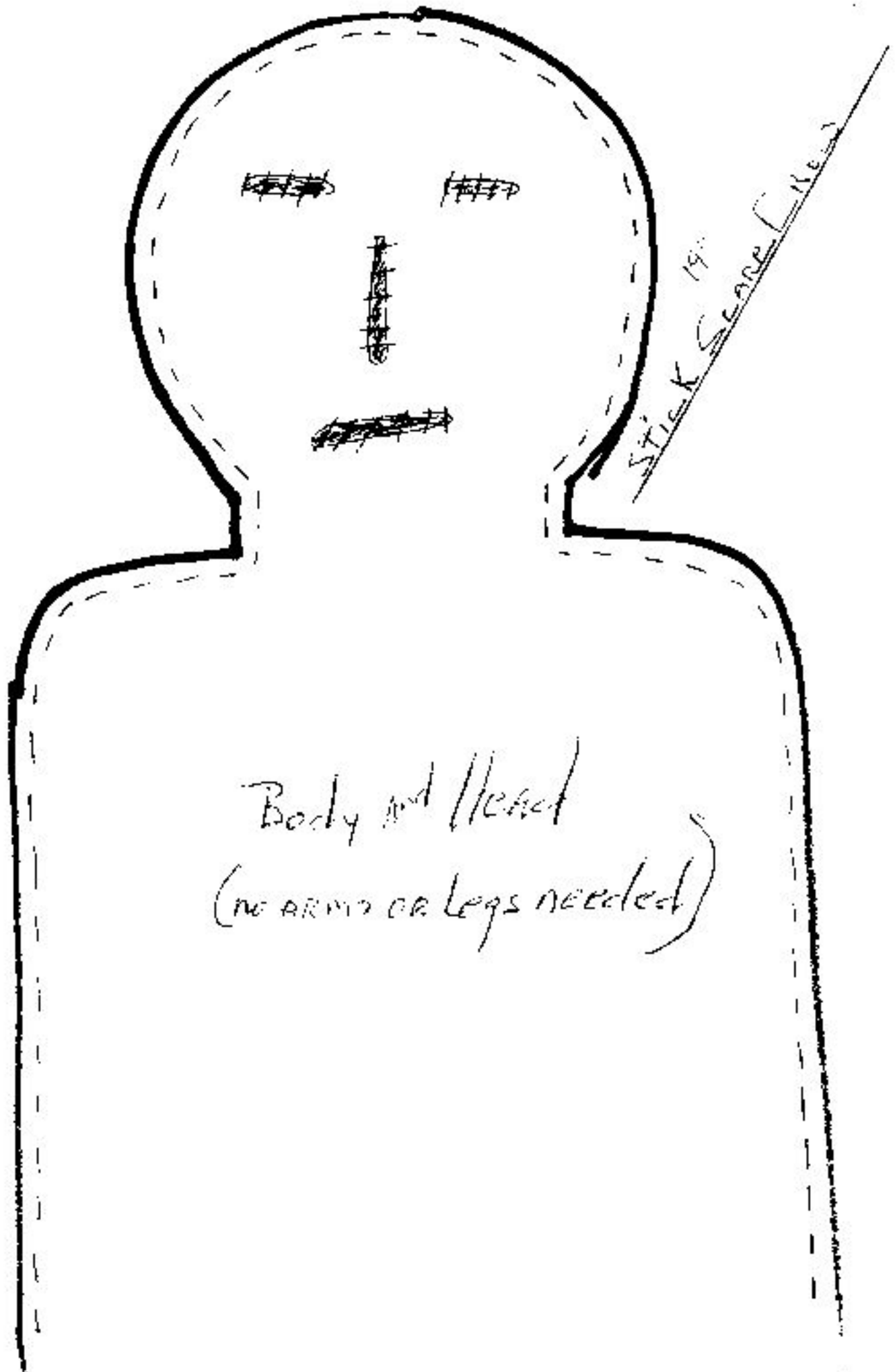
STRAWS HAT



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Stick Figure (Head)

Body and Head
(no arms or legs needed)