

[54] CAMERA OR SIMILAR ARTICLE

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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a camera or similar article, substantially as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a camera or similar article embodying my new design;
 FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a left side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a right side elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 7 is a top plan view with the lens cap covering the regular lens;
 FIG. 8 is a top plan view with the built-in close-up lens positioned in front of the regular lens;
 FIG. 9 is a top perspective view of the camera taken from the front end; and
 FIG. 10 is a bottom perspective view of the camera as seen from the rear end.

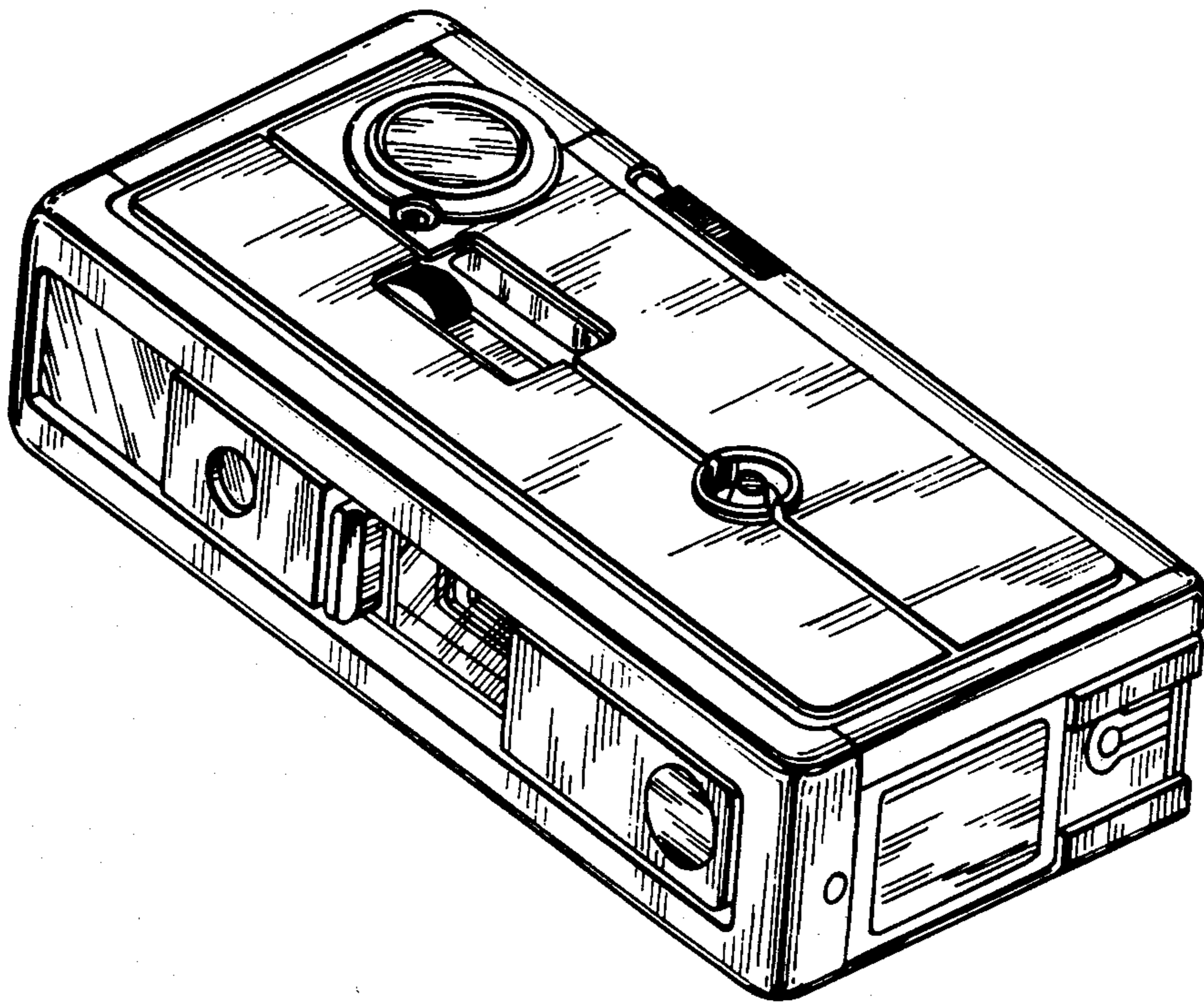


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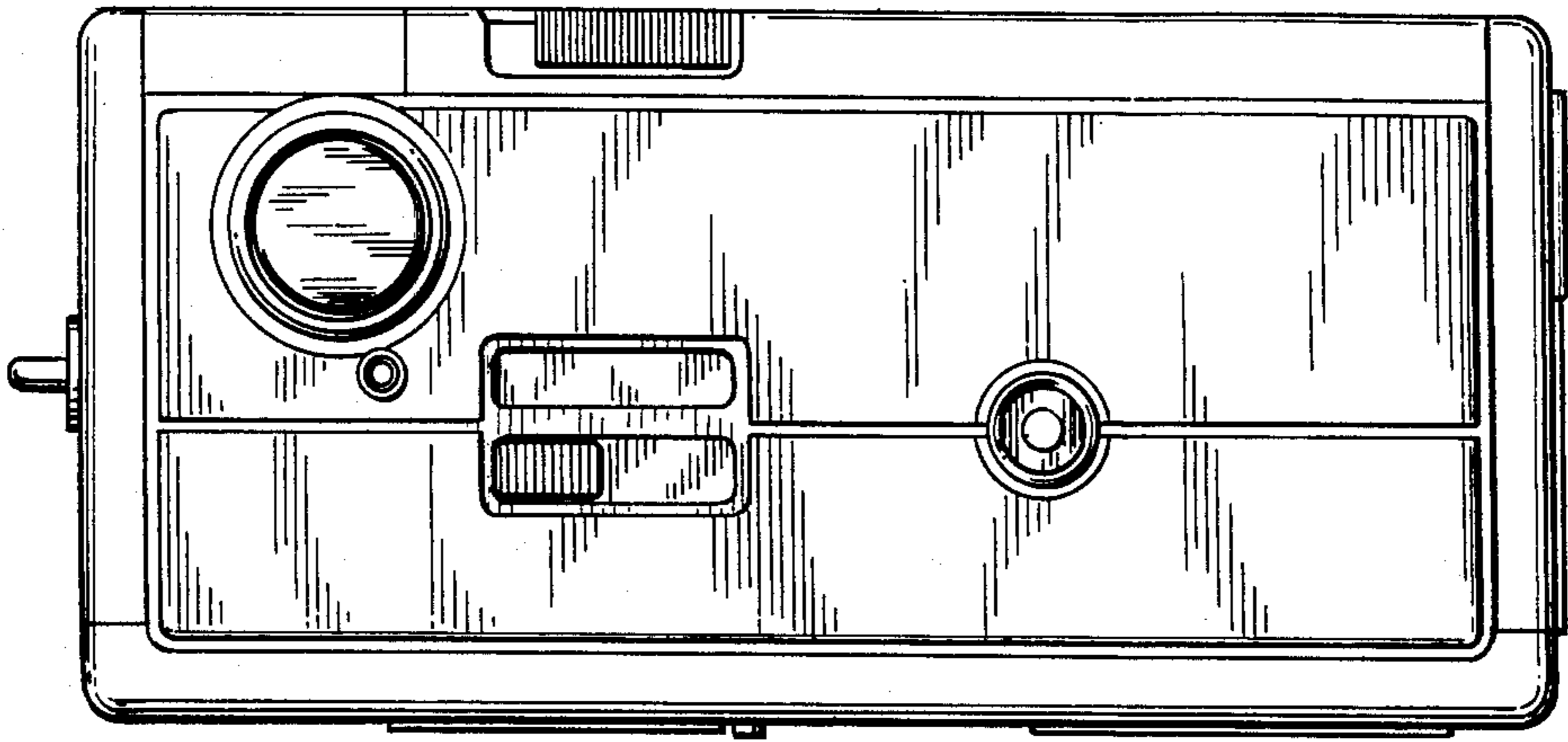


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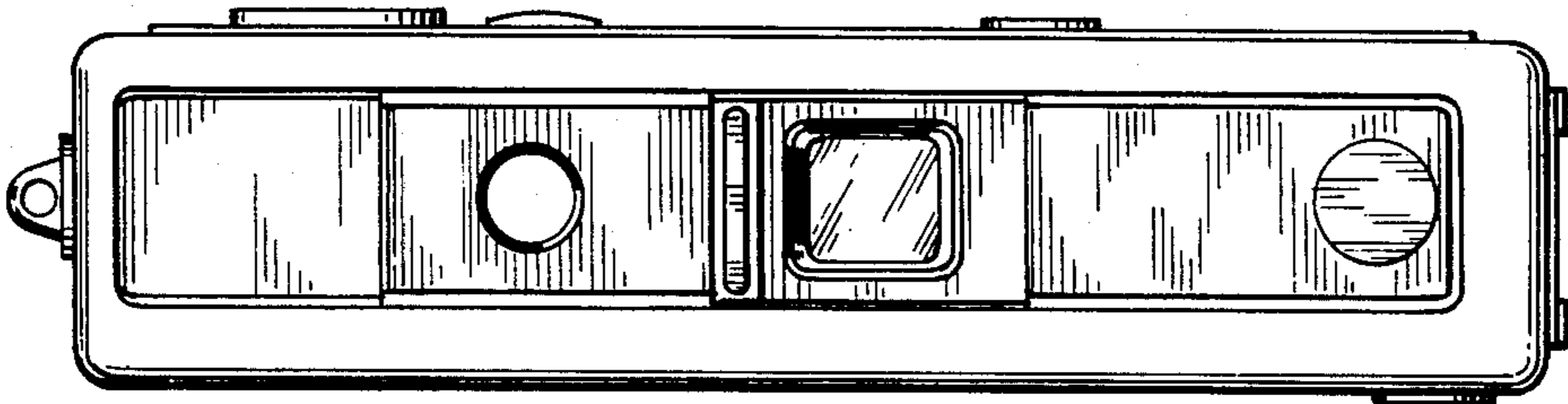


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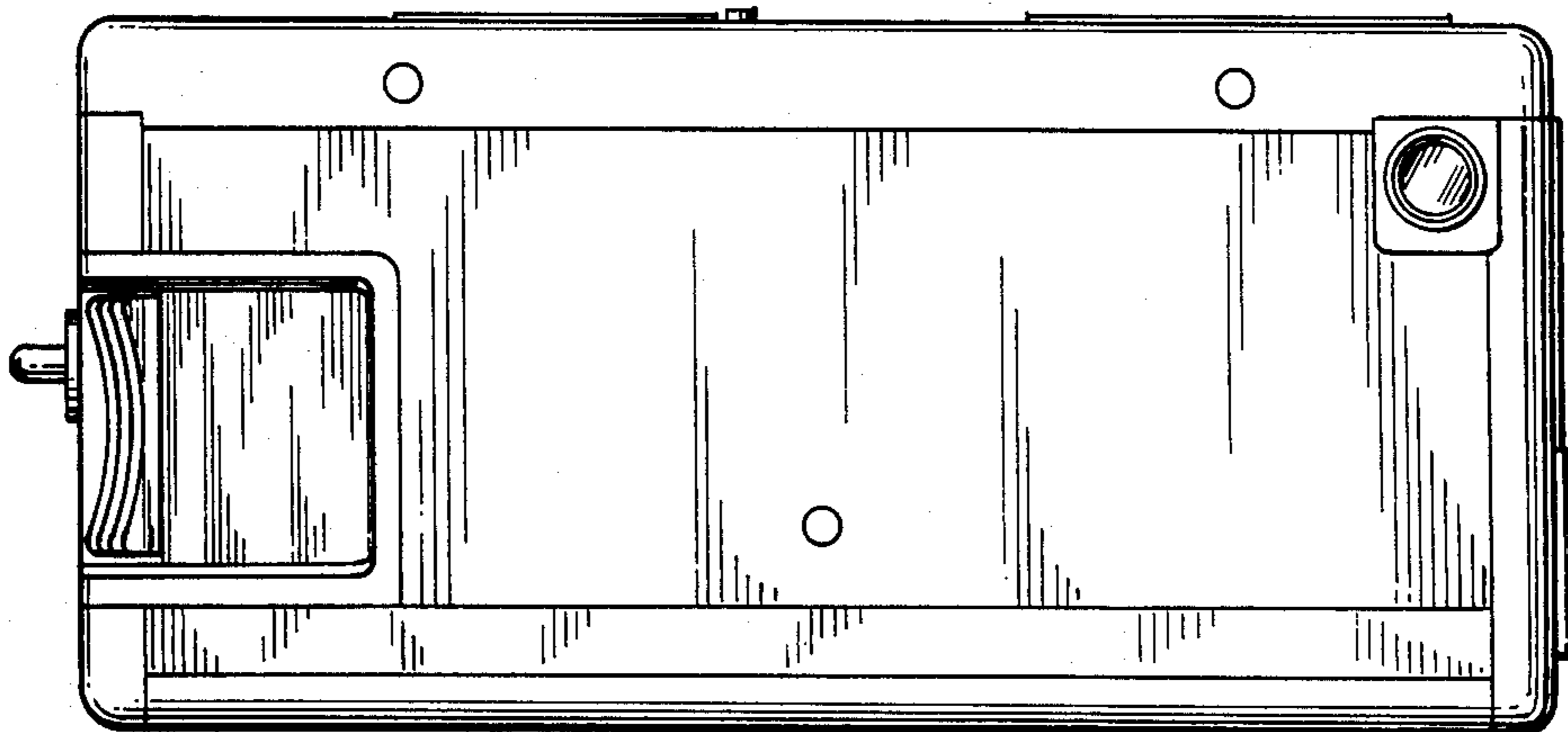


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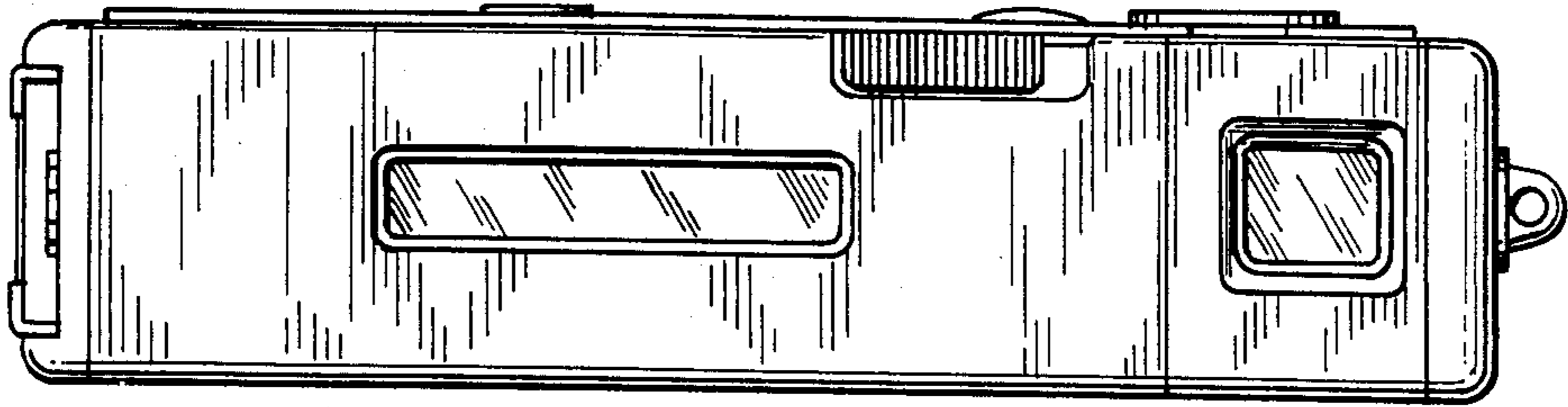


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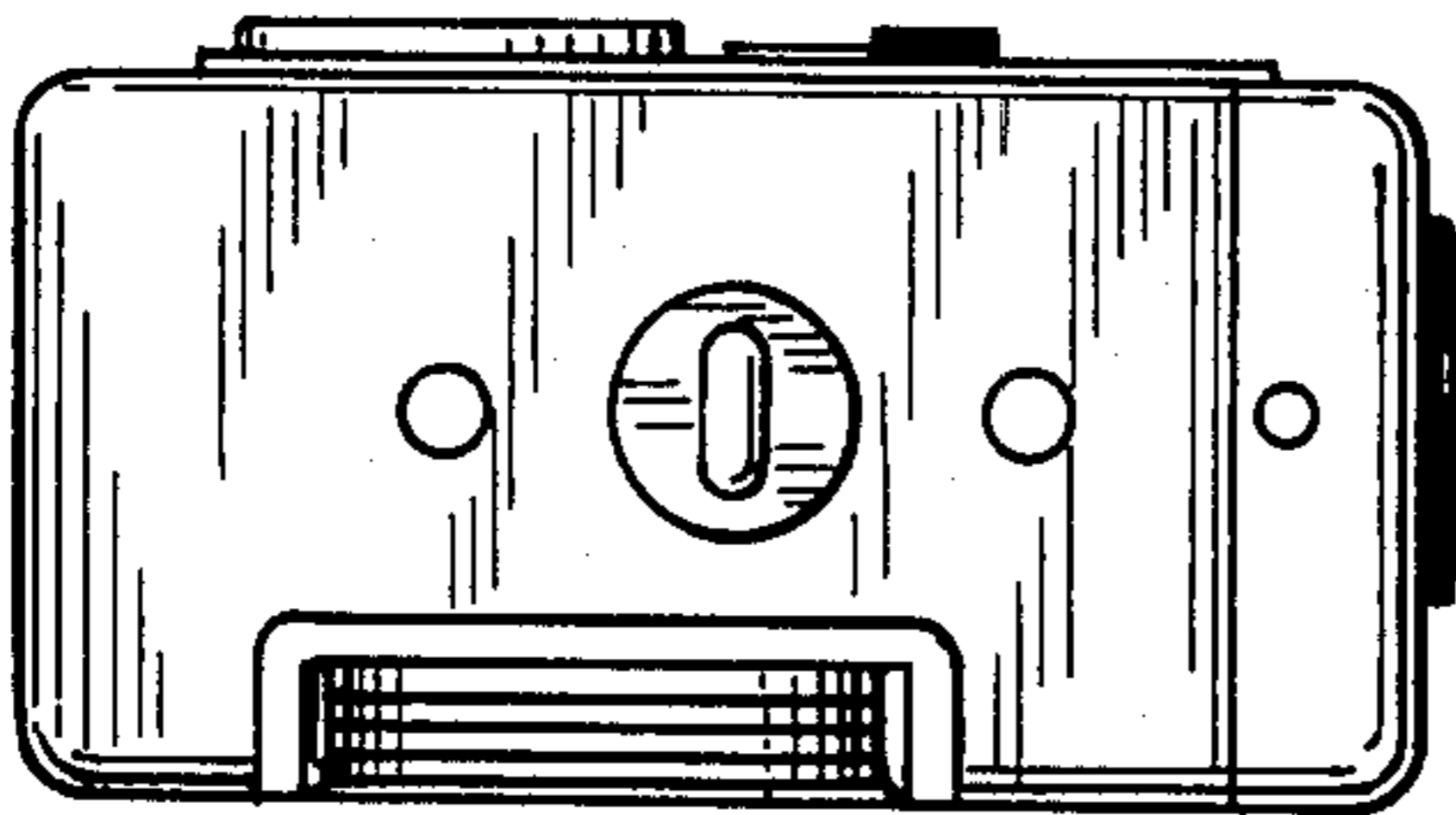


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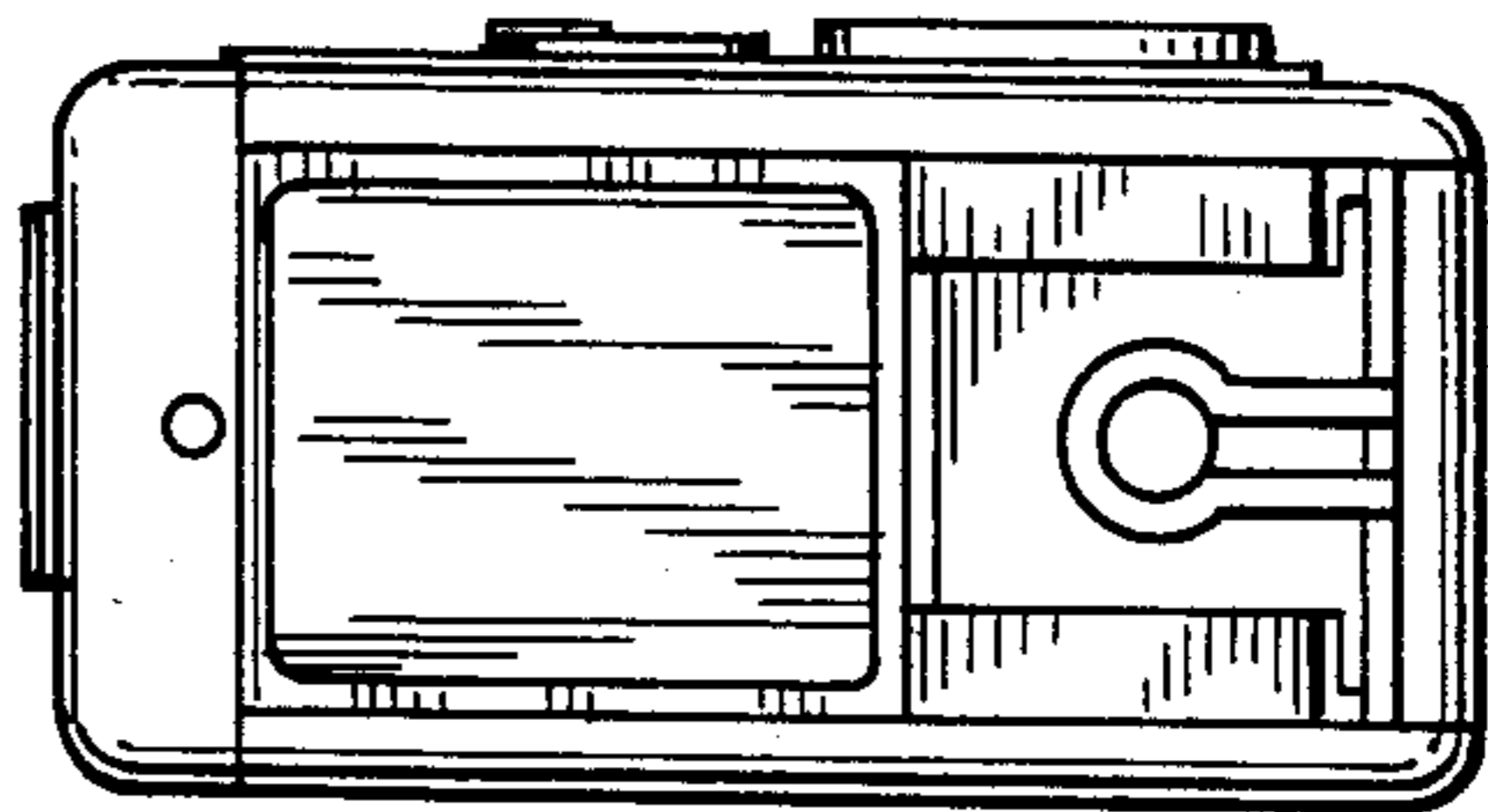


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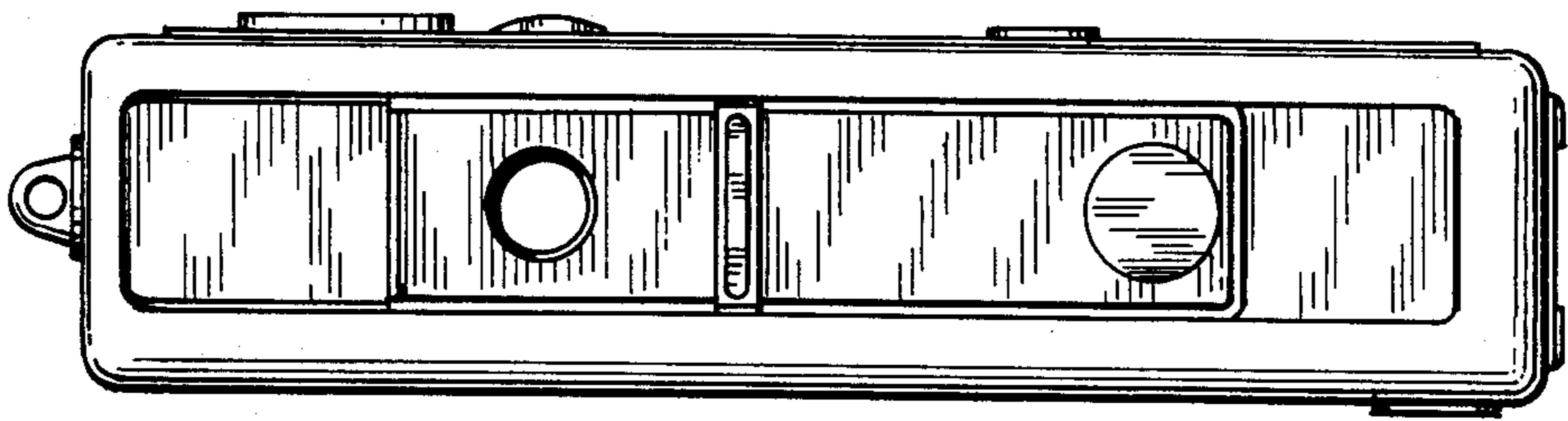


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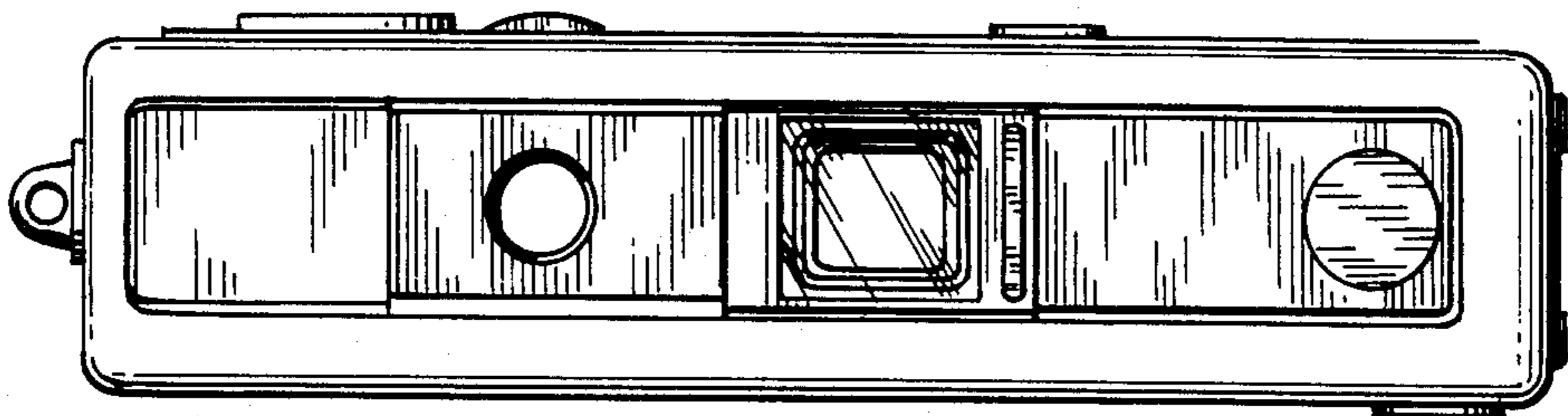


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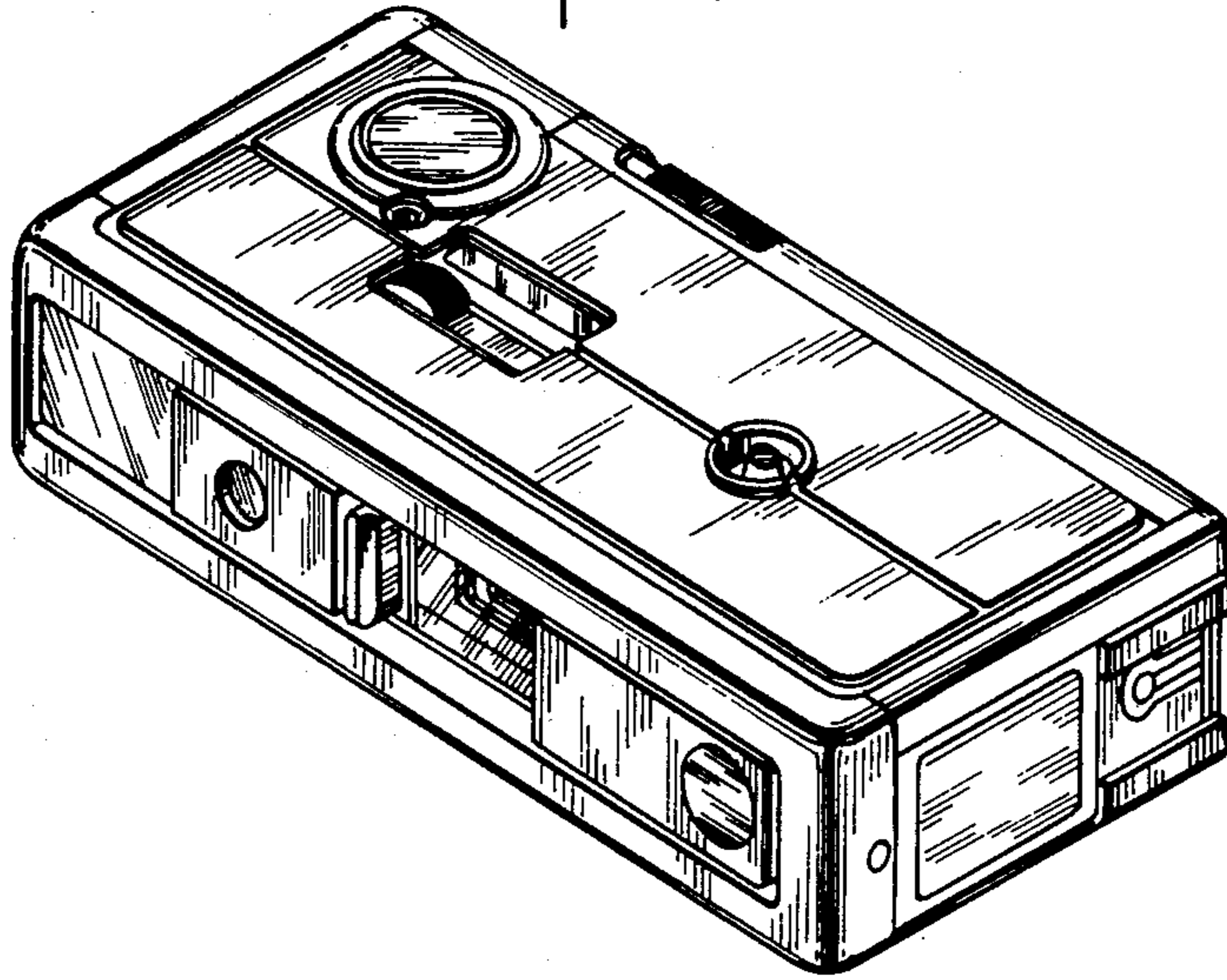
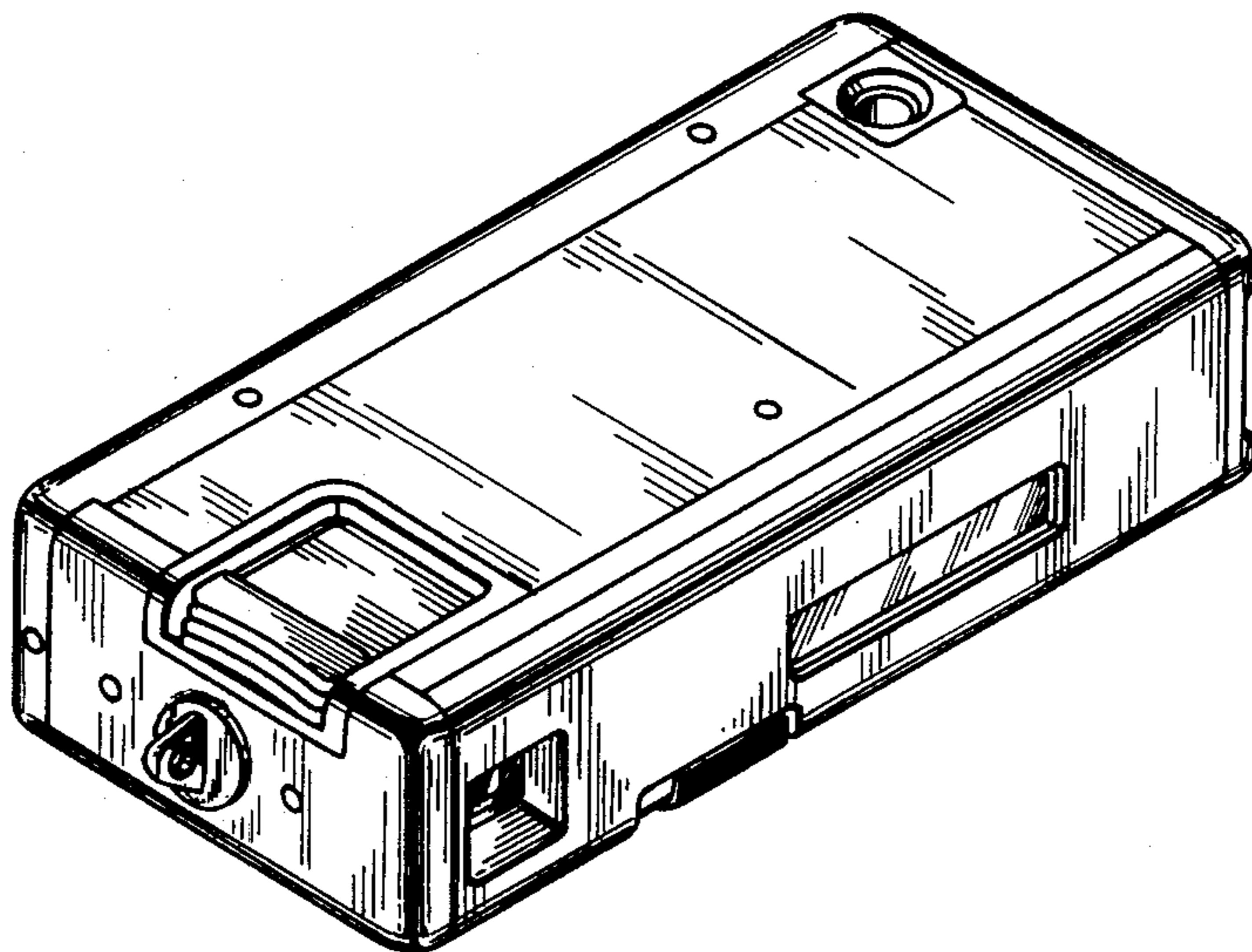


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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

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