

[54] BUCKLE ASSEMBLY FOR TIGHTENING STRAP

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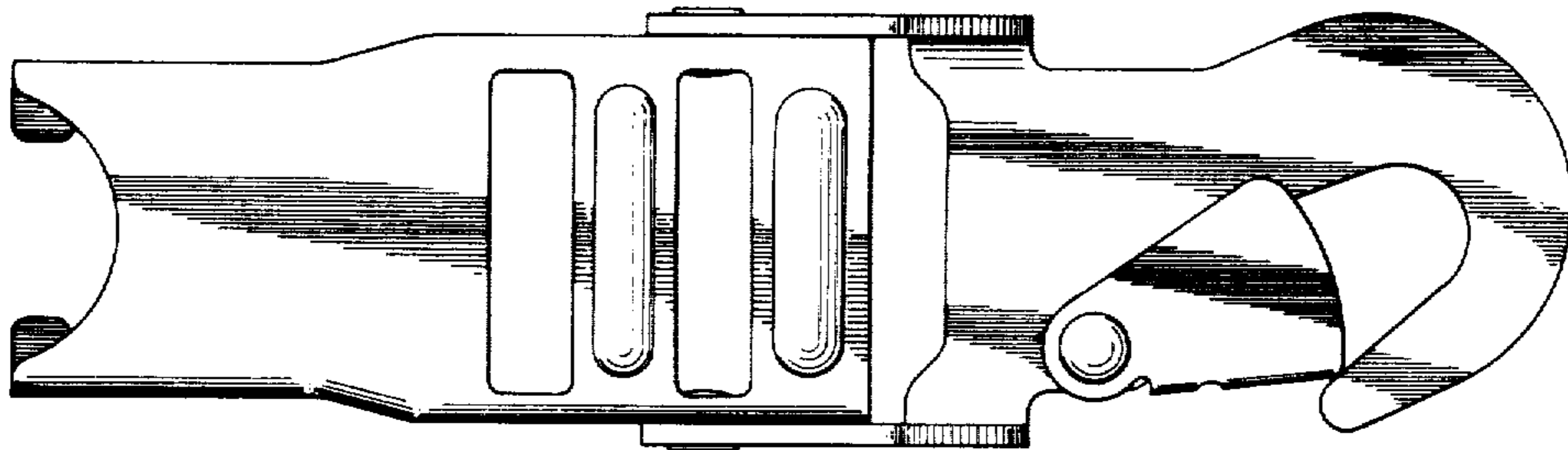
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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a buckle assembly for tightening strap, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top plan view showing my new design for a buckle assembly for tightening strap; FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 3 is a side elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a side elevational view thereof of the side opposite to that shown in FIG. 3; FIG. 5 is an end elevational view thereof; and FIG. 6 is an end elevational view thereof of the side opposite to that shown in FIG. 5.



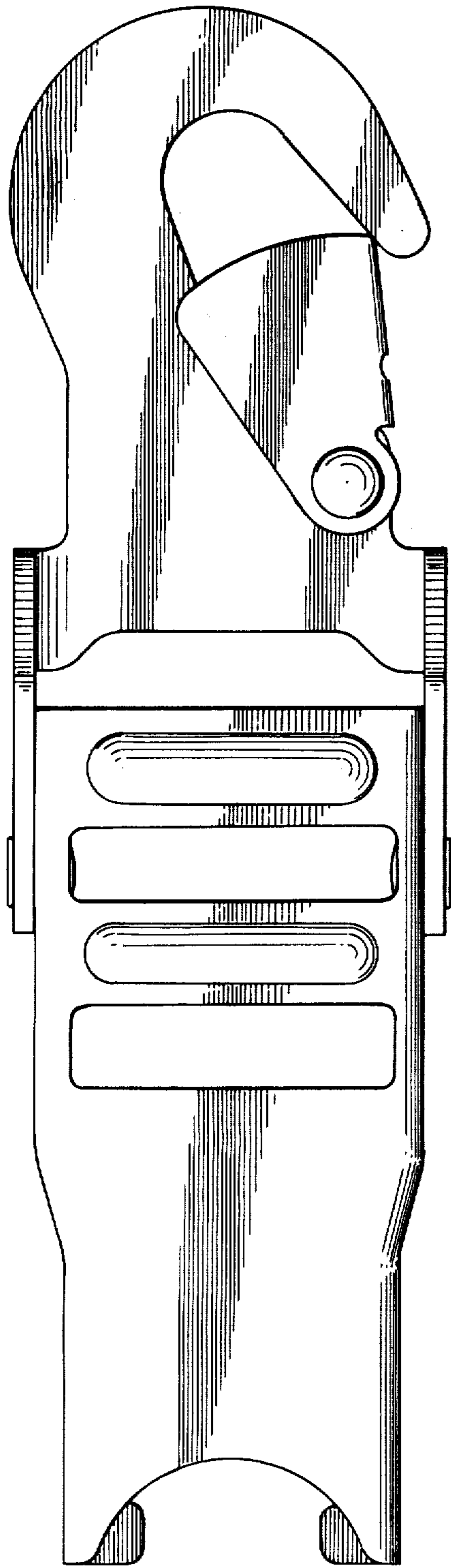


FIG. 1

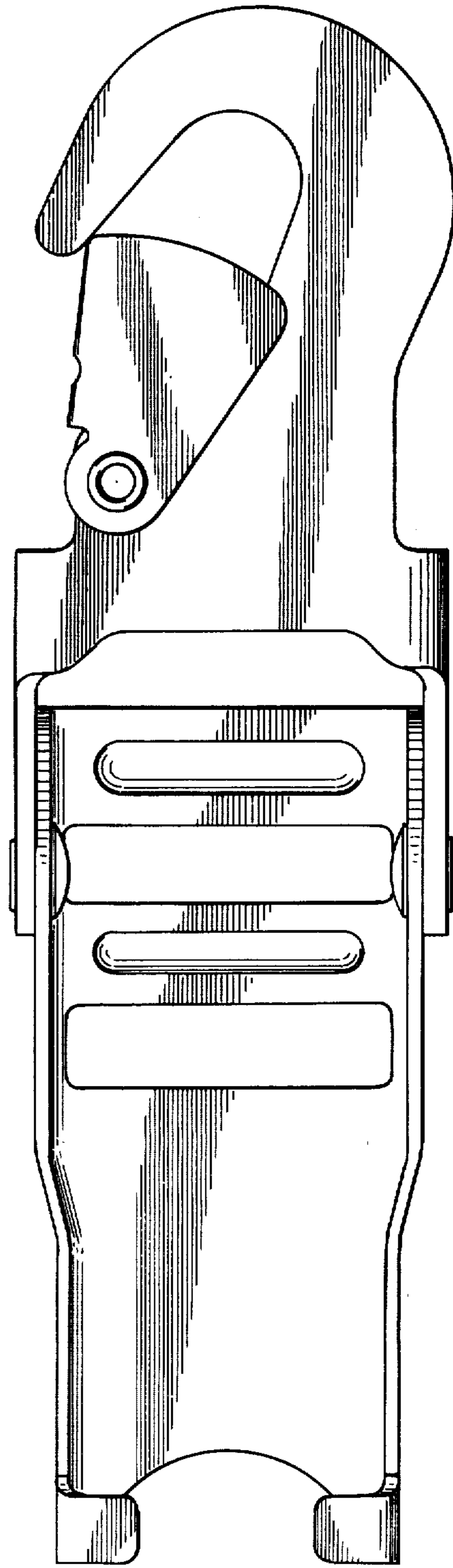


FIG. 2

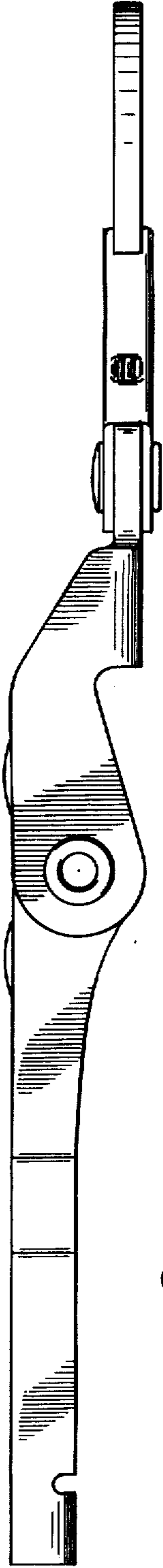


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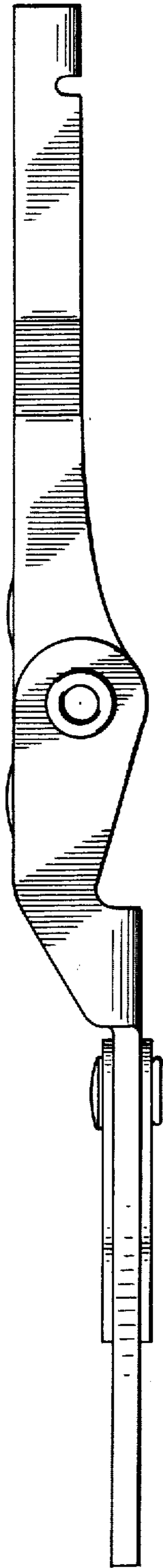


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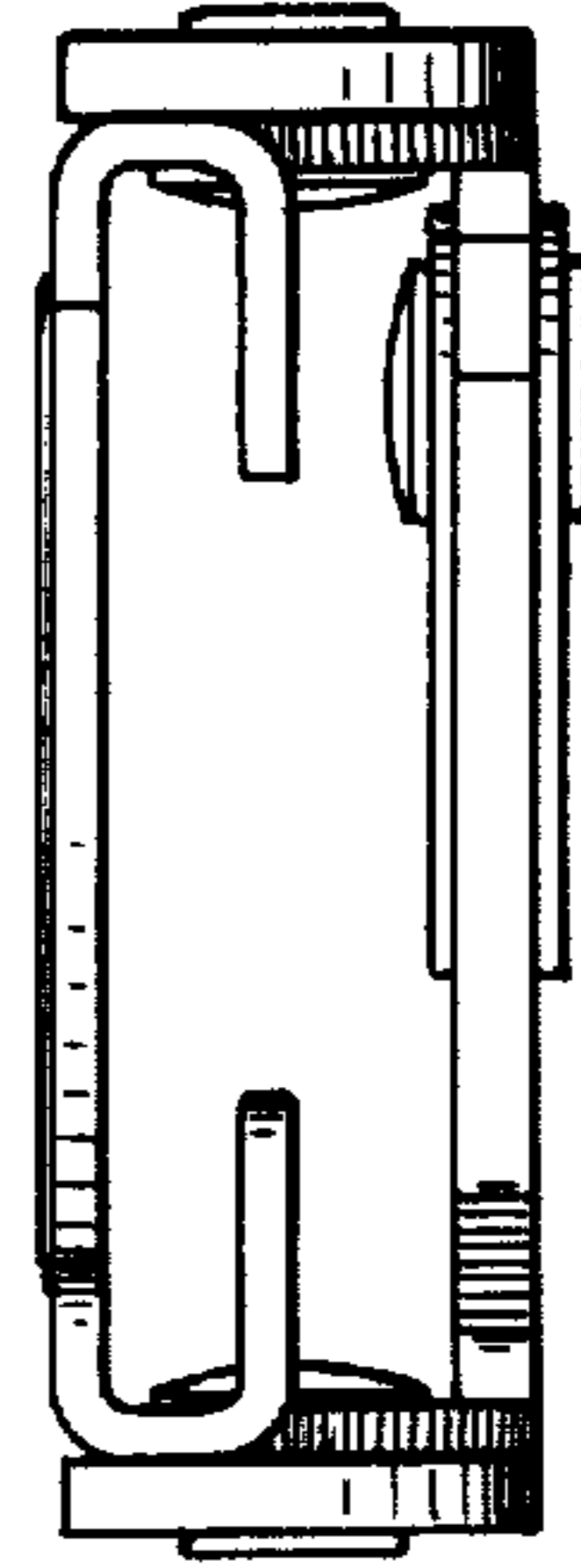


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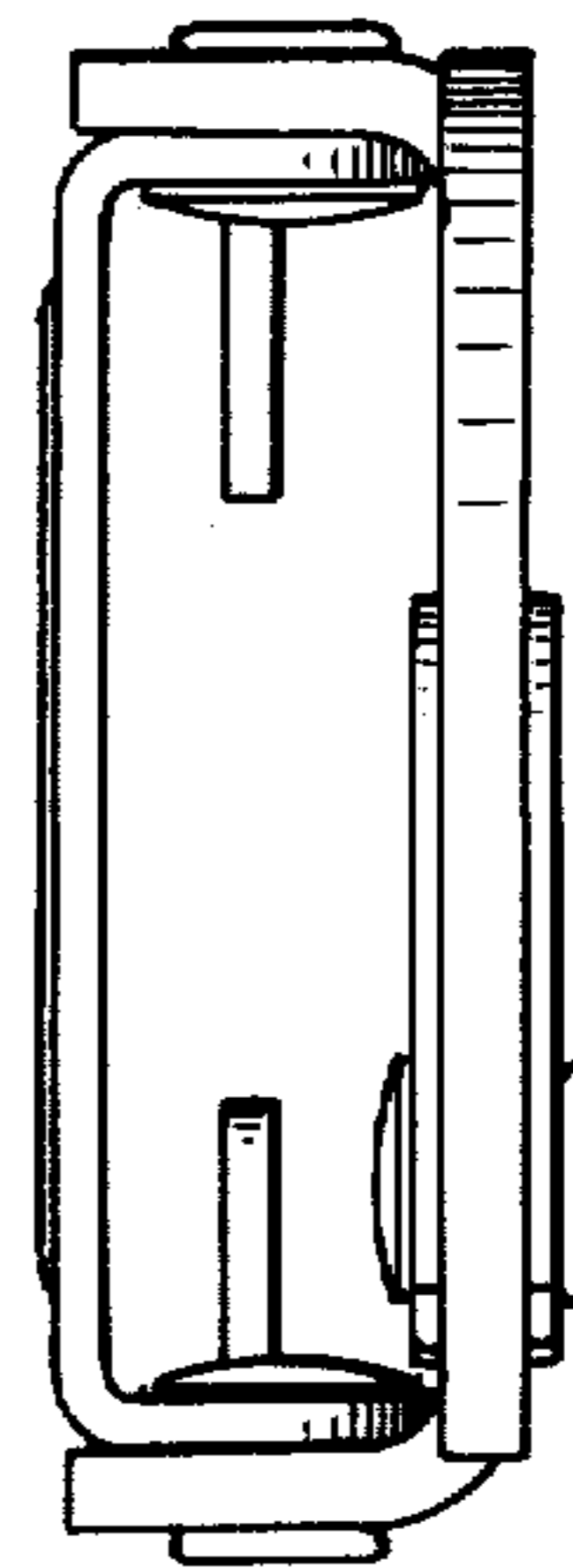


FIG. 5