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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a paper clip, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a paper clip showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view, the rear being a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a side elevational view, the opposite side being a mirror image thereof; and  
FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof.

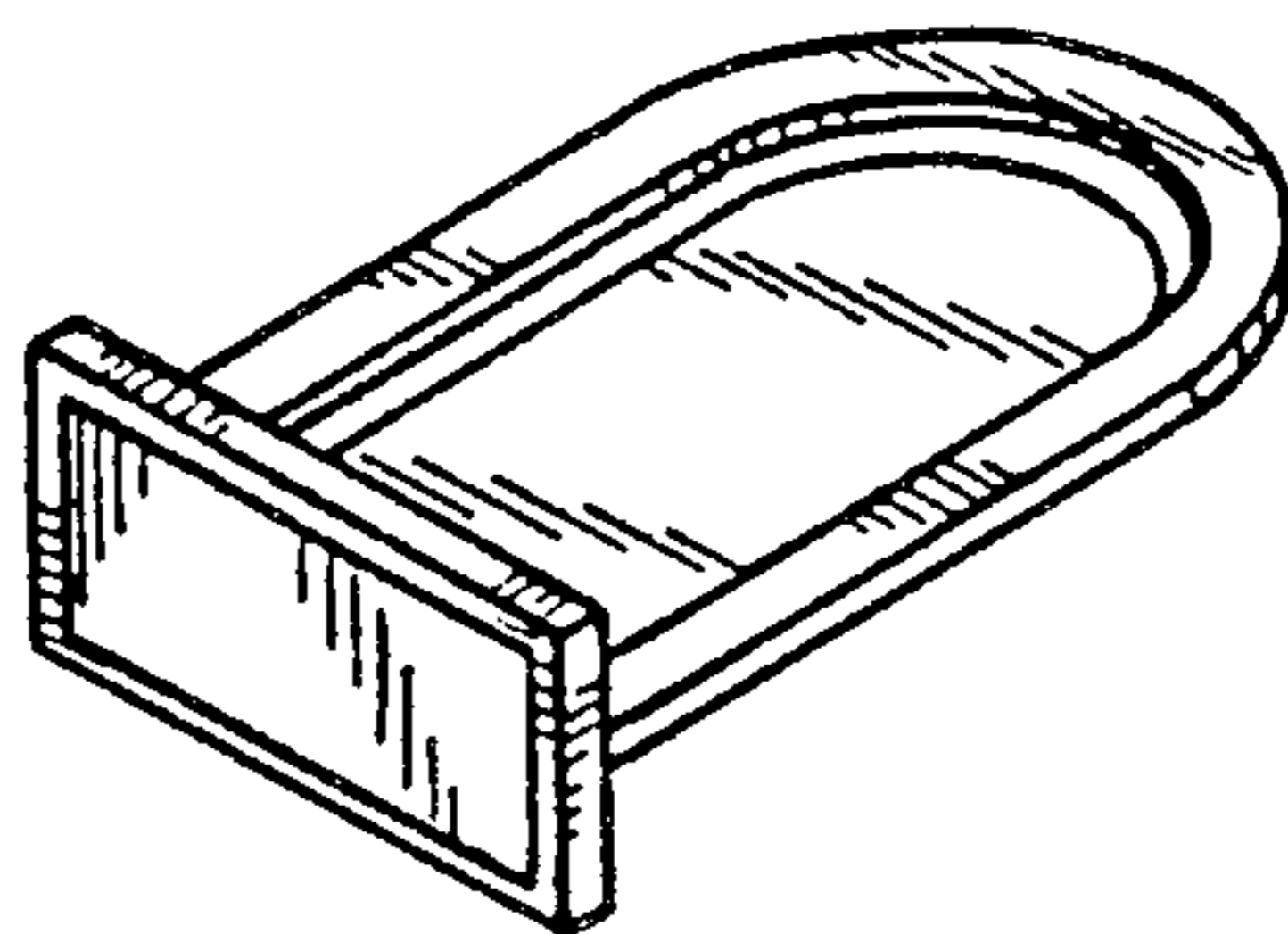


FIG. 1

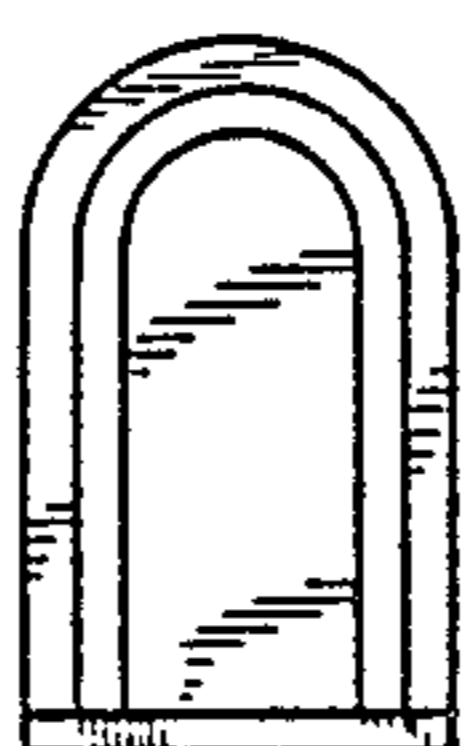
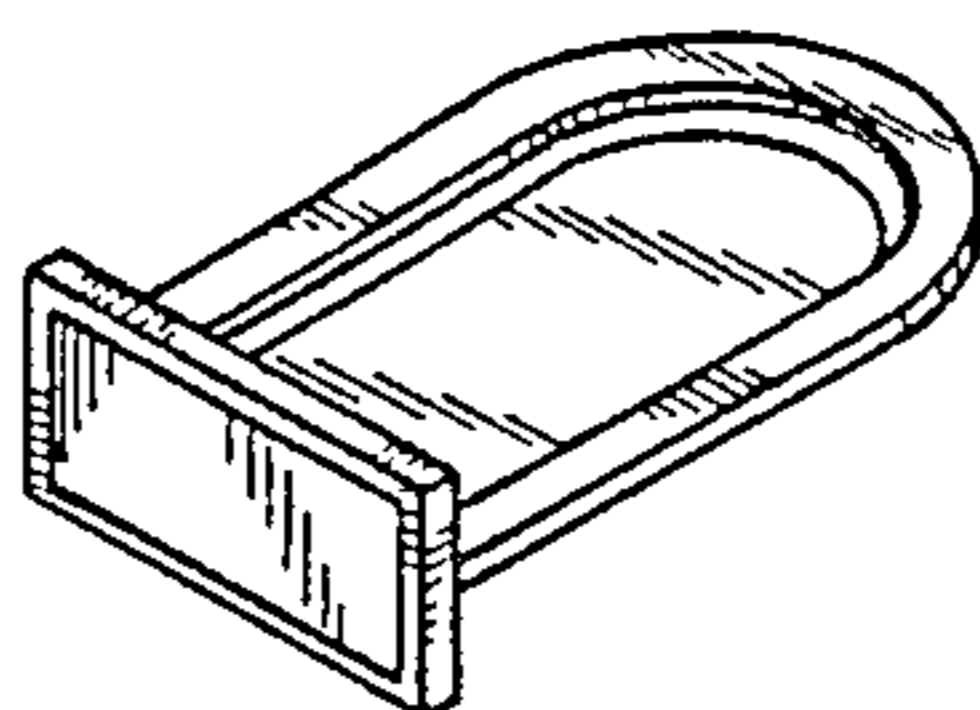


FIG. 2

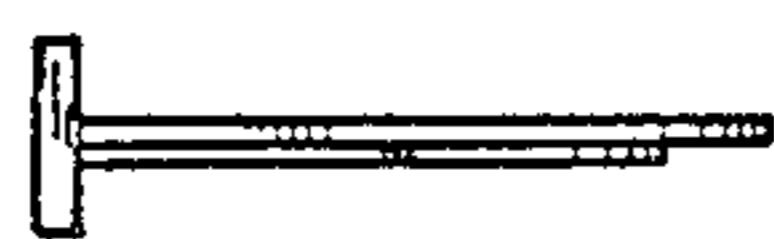


FIG. 3



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