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- [54] HOUSING FOR A MEASURING TAPE
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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a housing for a measuring tape, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top, front, and left side perspective view of a housing for a measuring tape showing our new design; FIG. 2 is a left side elevational view; FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view; FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view; FIG. 5 is a top plan view; and FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof.

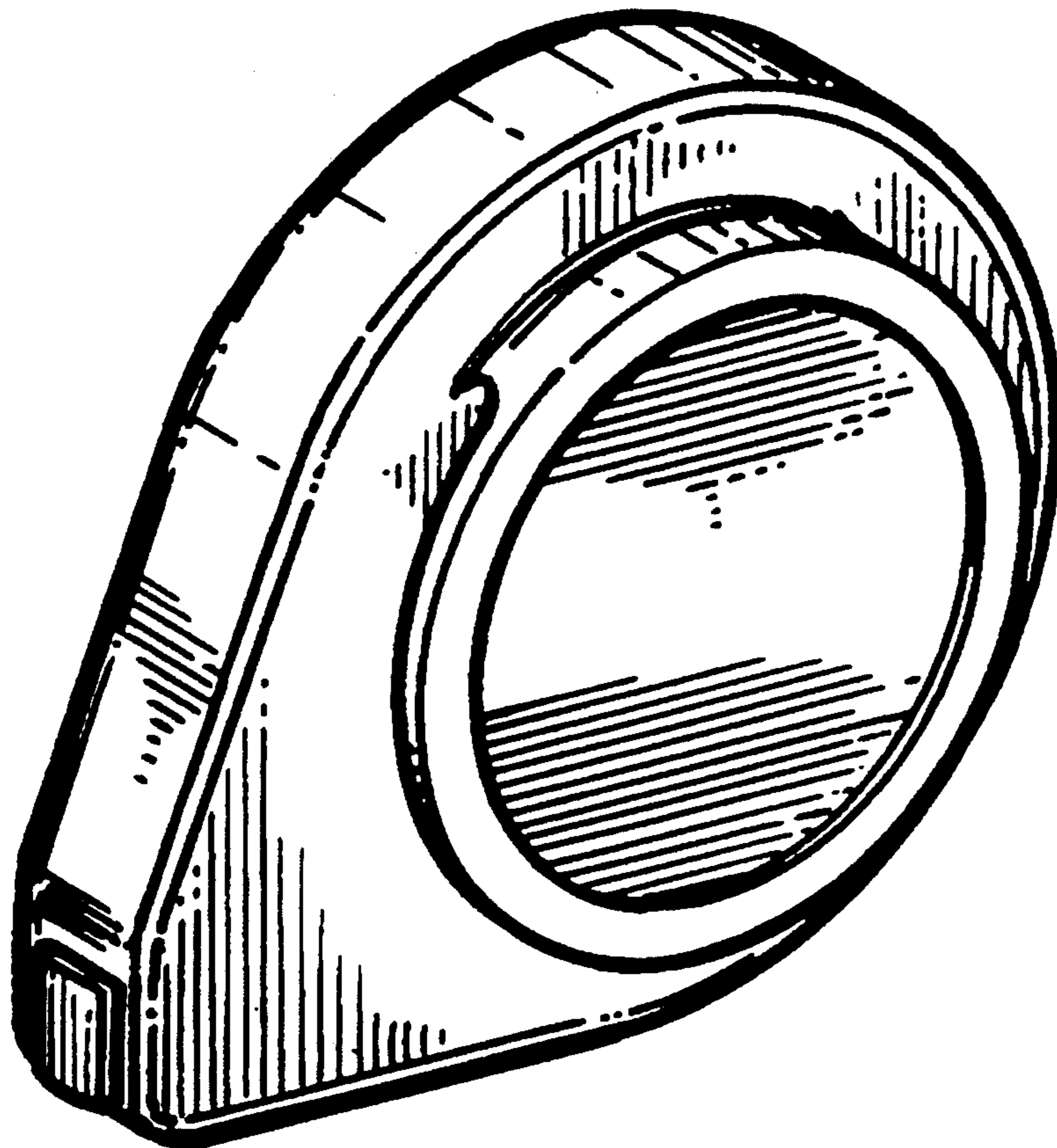


Fig. 1

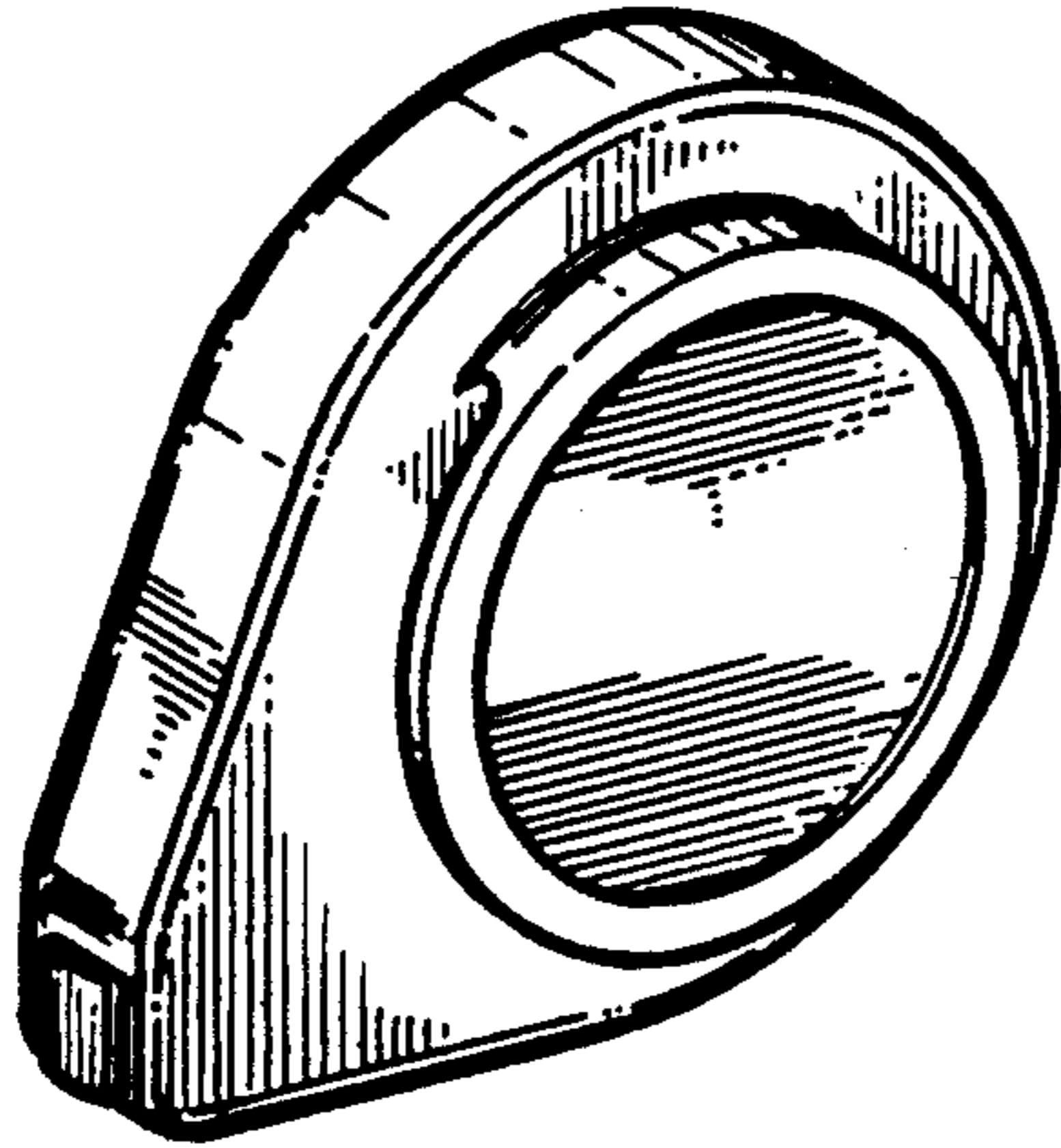


Fig. 2



Fig. 4



Fig. 3

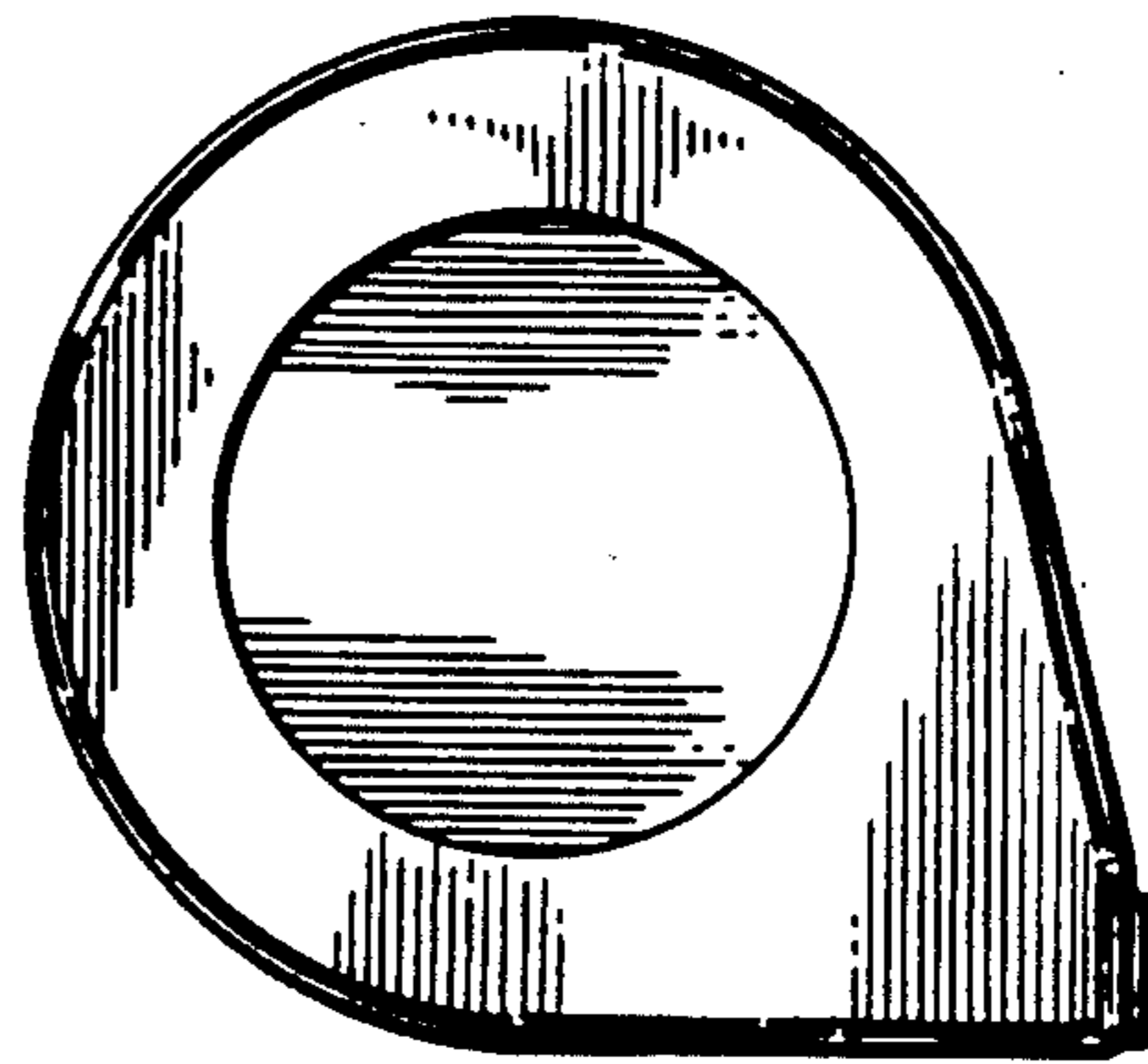


Fig. 5

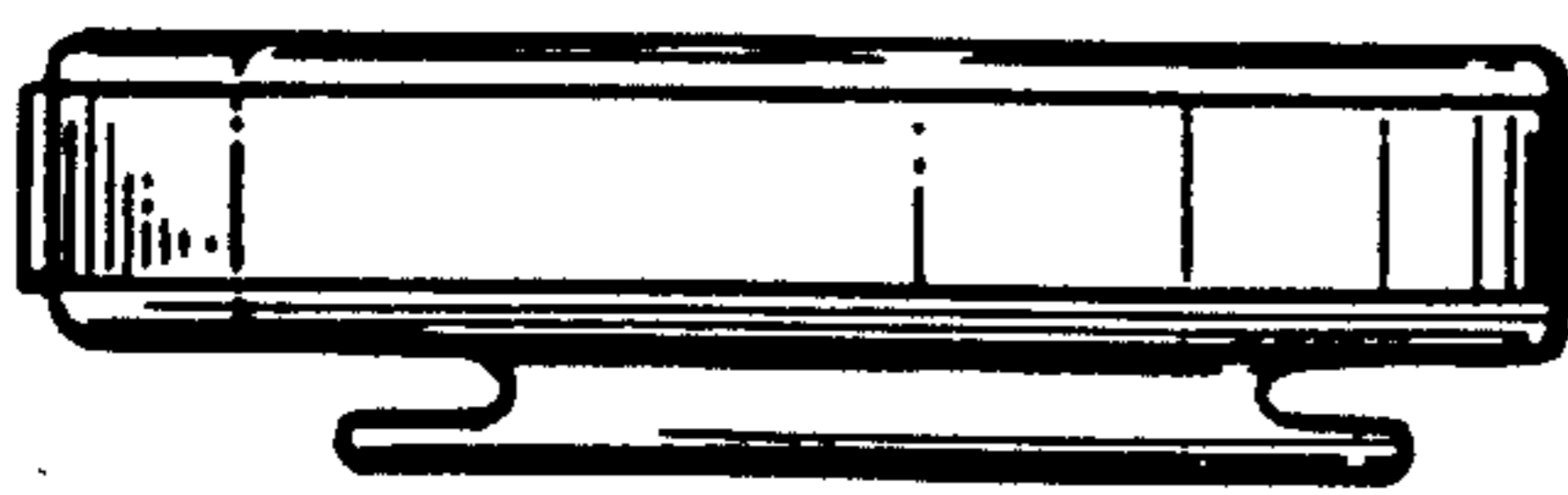


Fig. 6

