

[54] WRITING INSTRUMENT

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[57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a writing instrument, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a right side elevational view of a writing instrument showing our new design, the left side being a mirror image thereof;
FIG. 2 is a rear elevational view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof; and
FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof.



FIG. 1

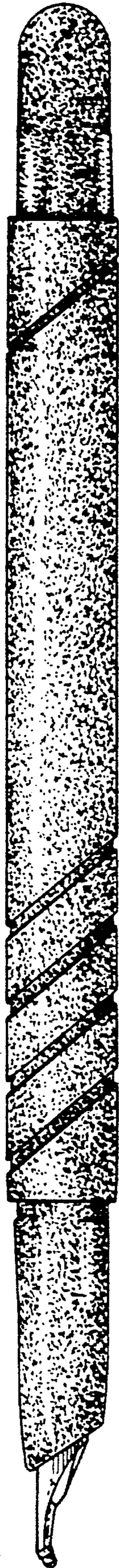


FIG. 2



FIG. 3



FIG. 4



FIG. 5

