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[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 front elevational view of a writing instrument, showing our new design;

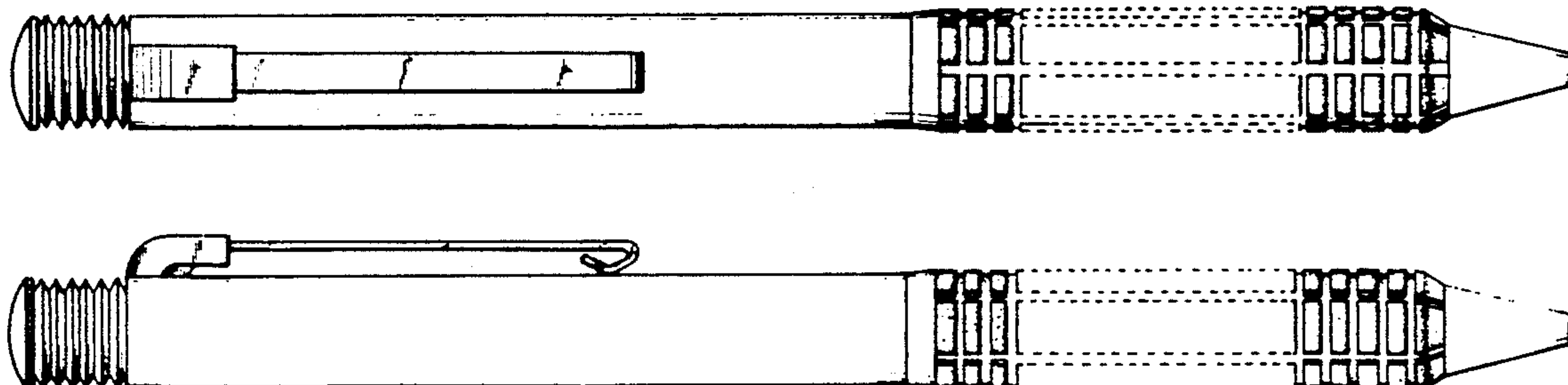
FIG. 2 is a left side elevational view, the right side being a mirror image thereof;

FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view;

FIG. 4 is a top plan view; and,

FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof.

The pattern on the barrel of the writing instrument is continuous throughout the area indicated.



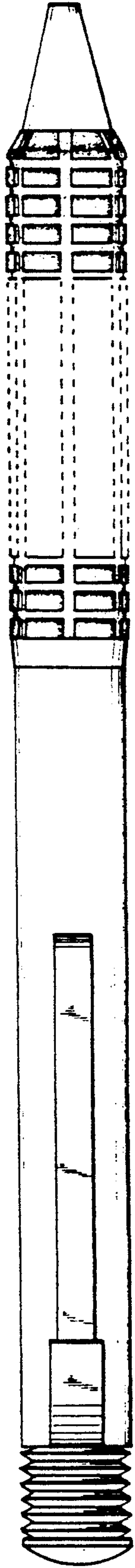


FIG. 1

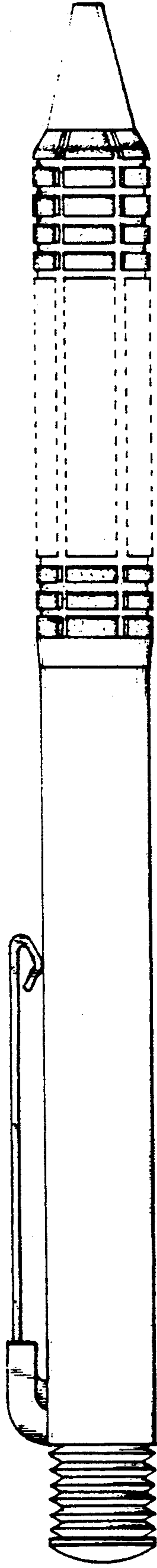


FIG. 2

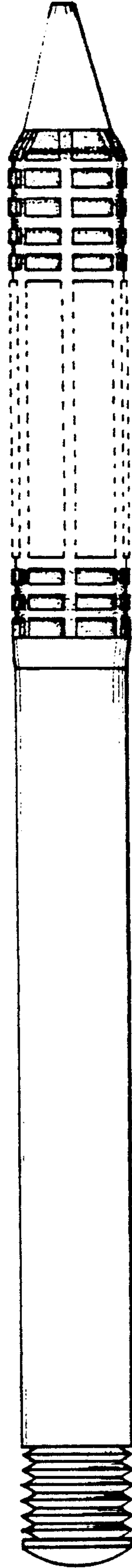


FIG. 3

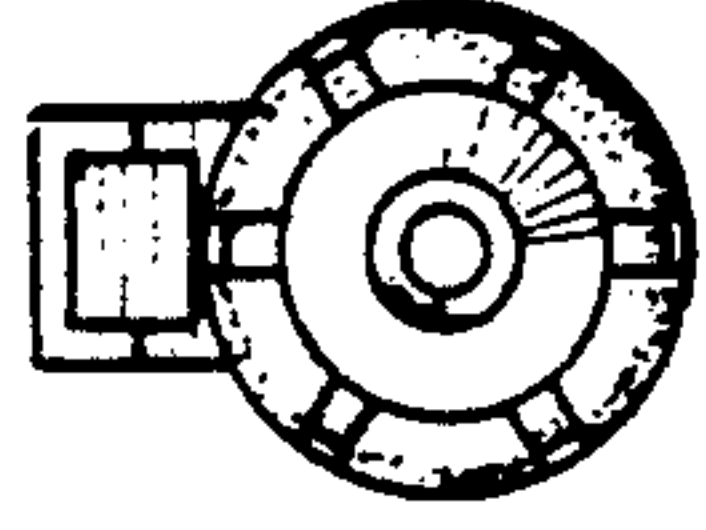


FIG. 5

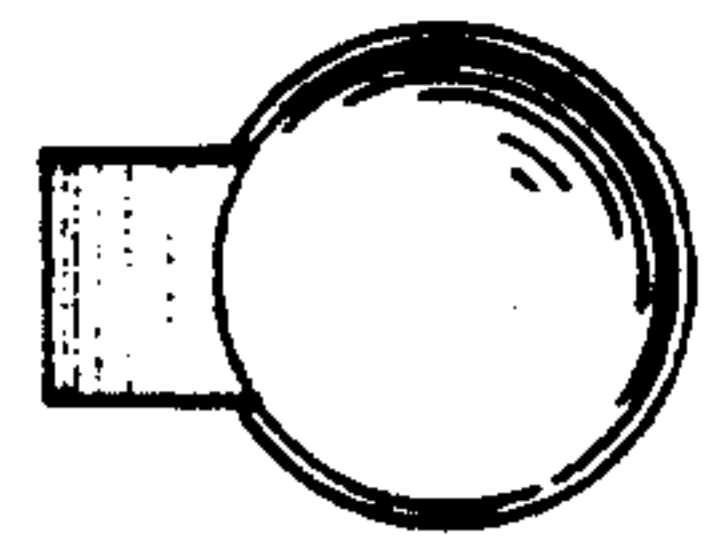


FIG. 4