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[54] **PRUNING SHEARS**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for pruning shears, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of pruning shears showing my new design;

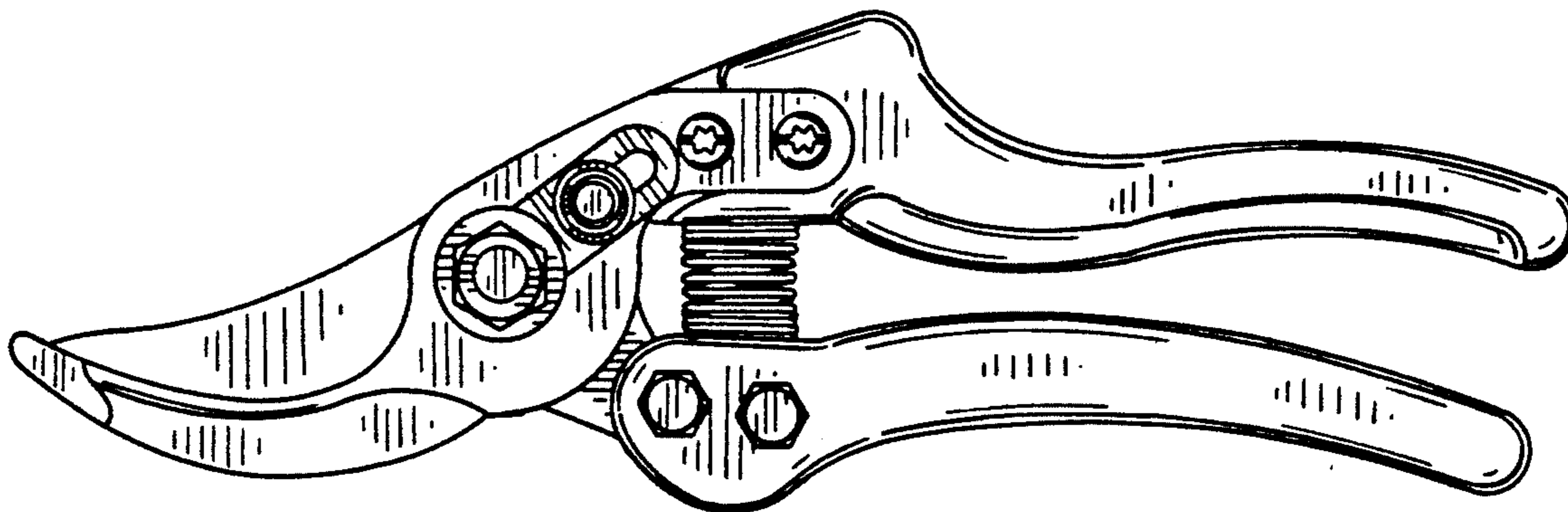
FIG. 2 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof.



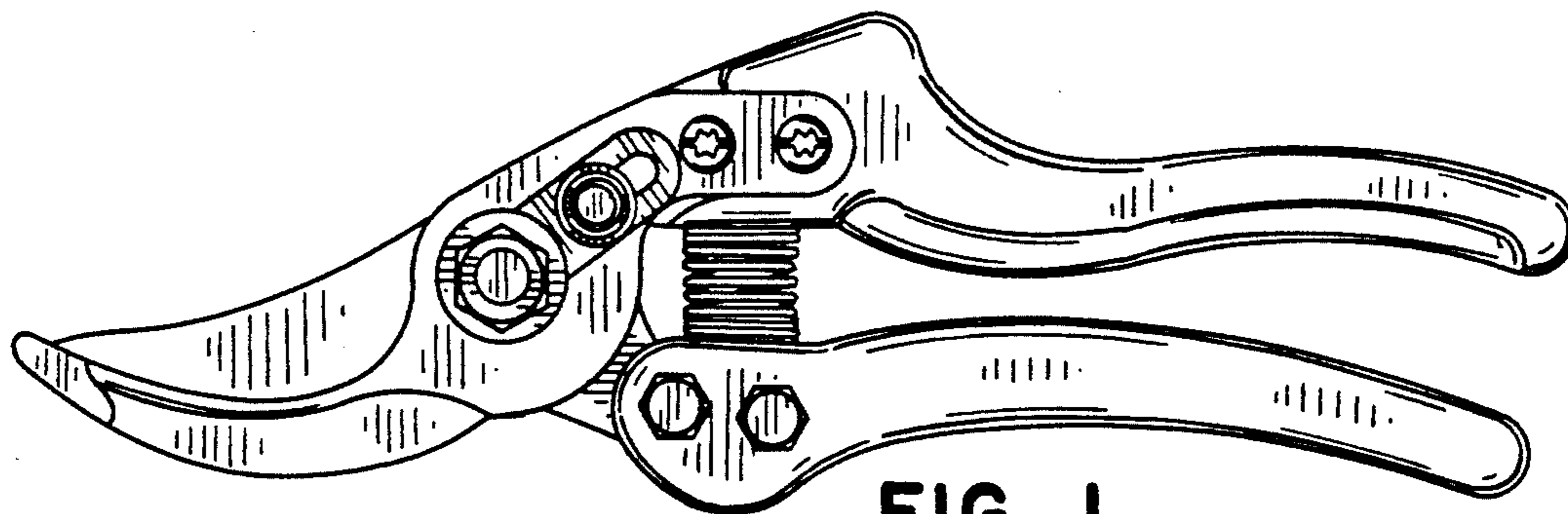


FIG. 1

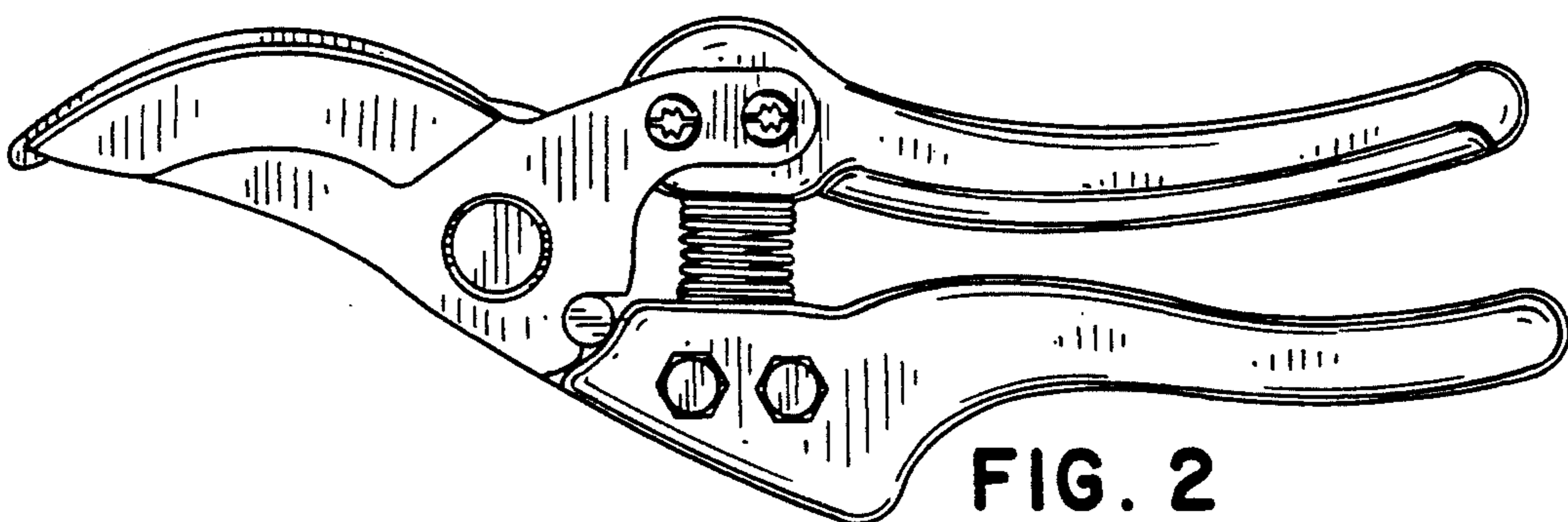


FIG. 2

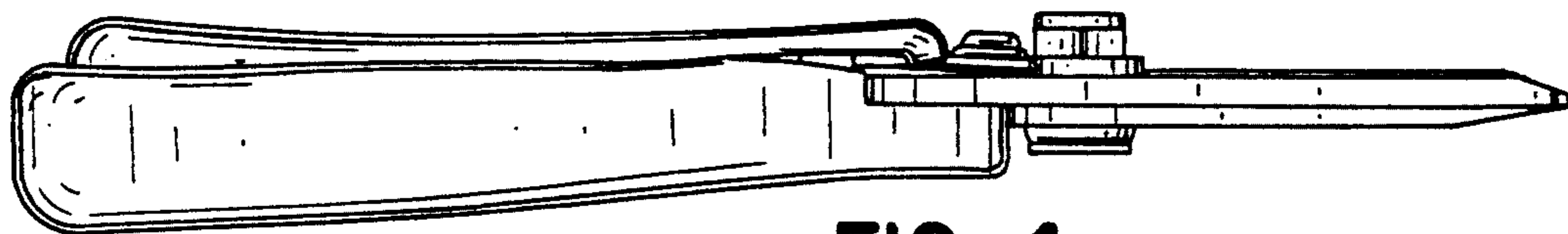


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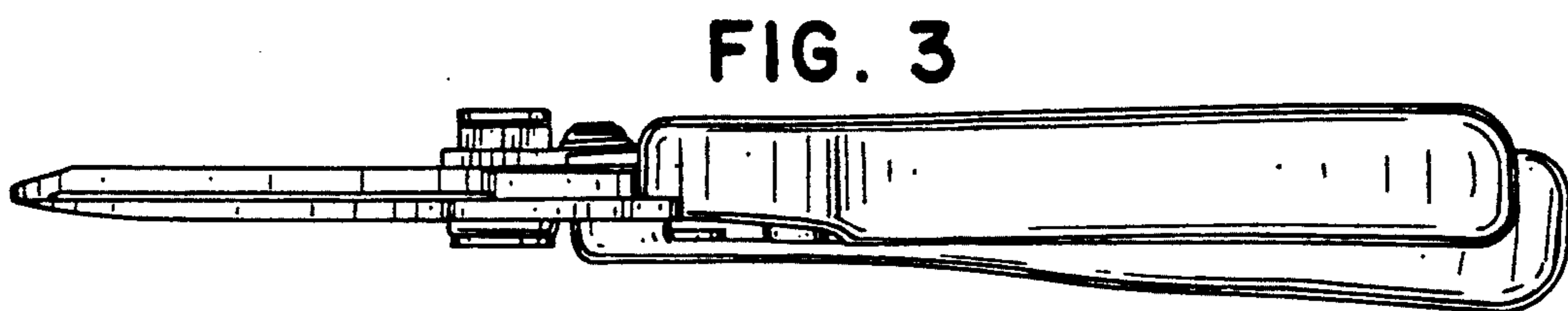


FIG. 3

FIG. 5

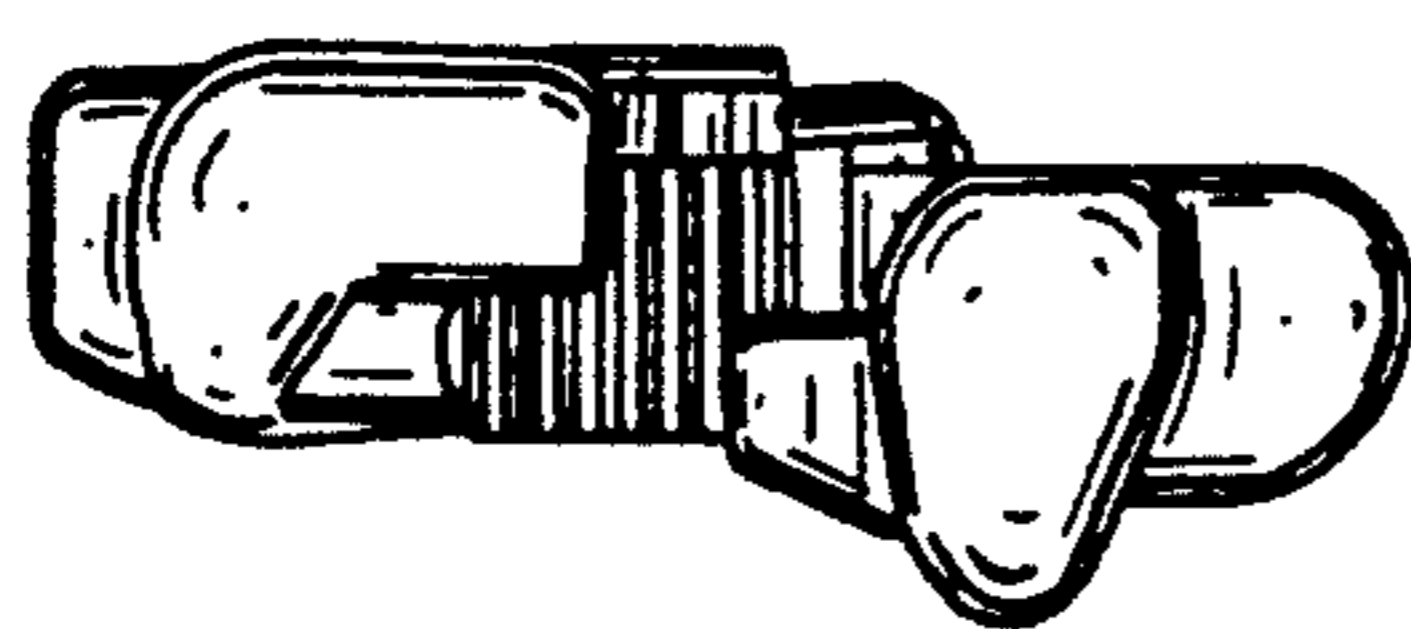


FIG. 6

