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[54] **SHAPE AND LETTER CUTTING APPARATUS**

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[57] **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a shape and letter cutting apparatus, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

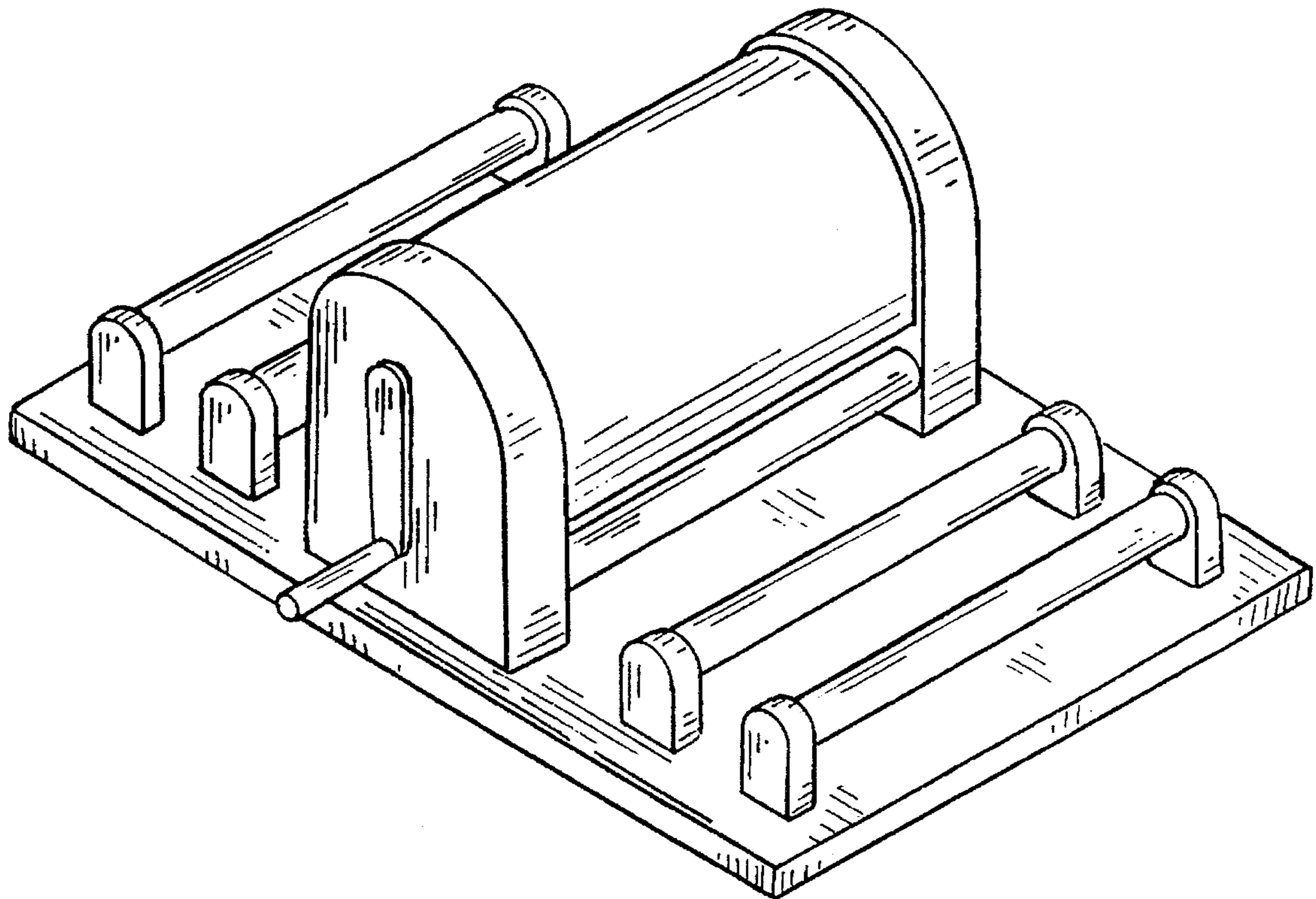
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the shape and letter cutting apparatus showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 3 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof; and, FIG. 6 is an elevational view taken from the right end of FIG. 3, the opposing end elevational view being a mirror image thereof.

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1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



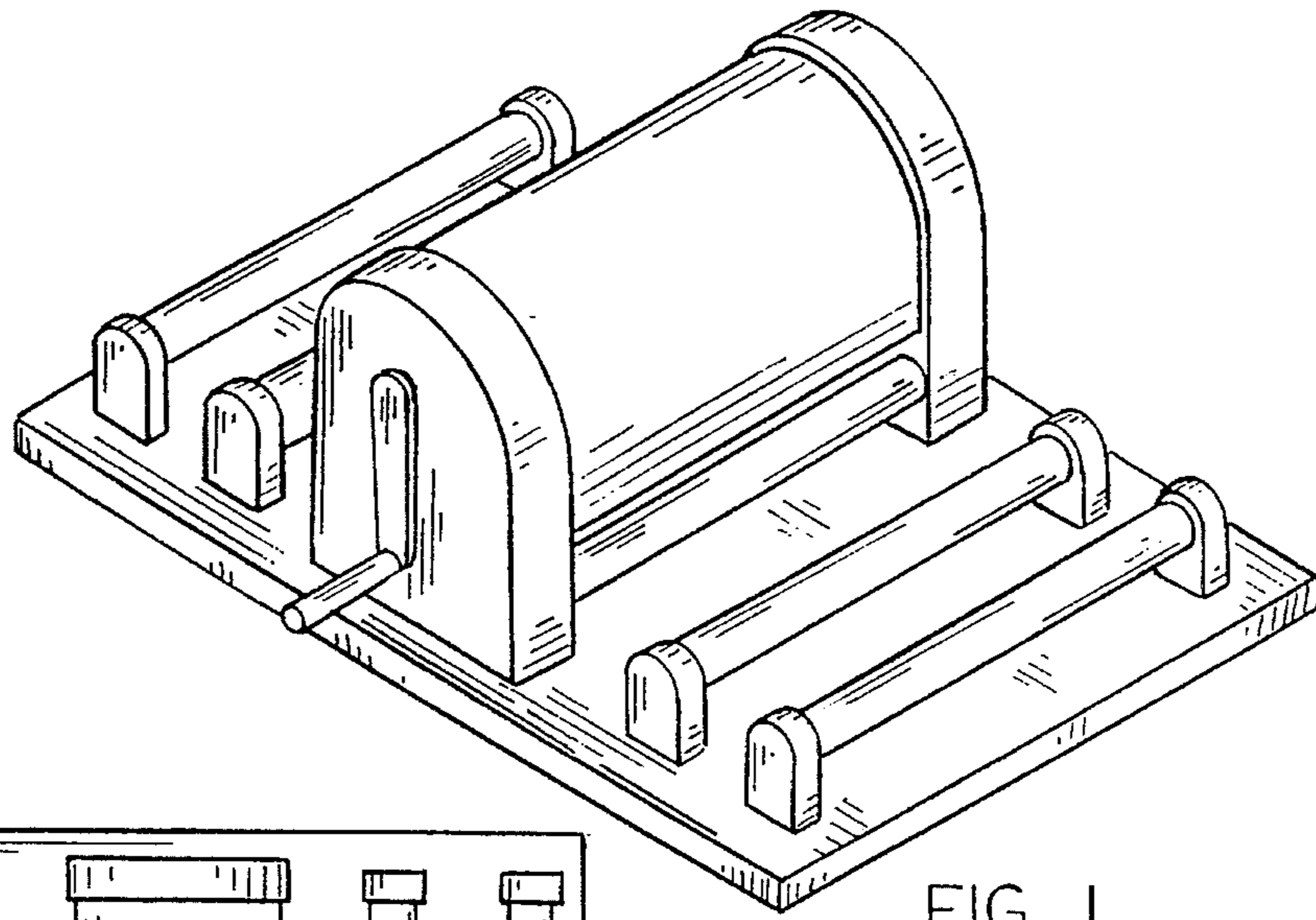


FIG. 1

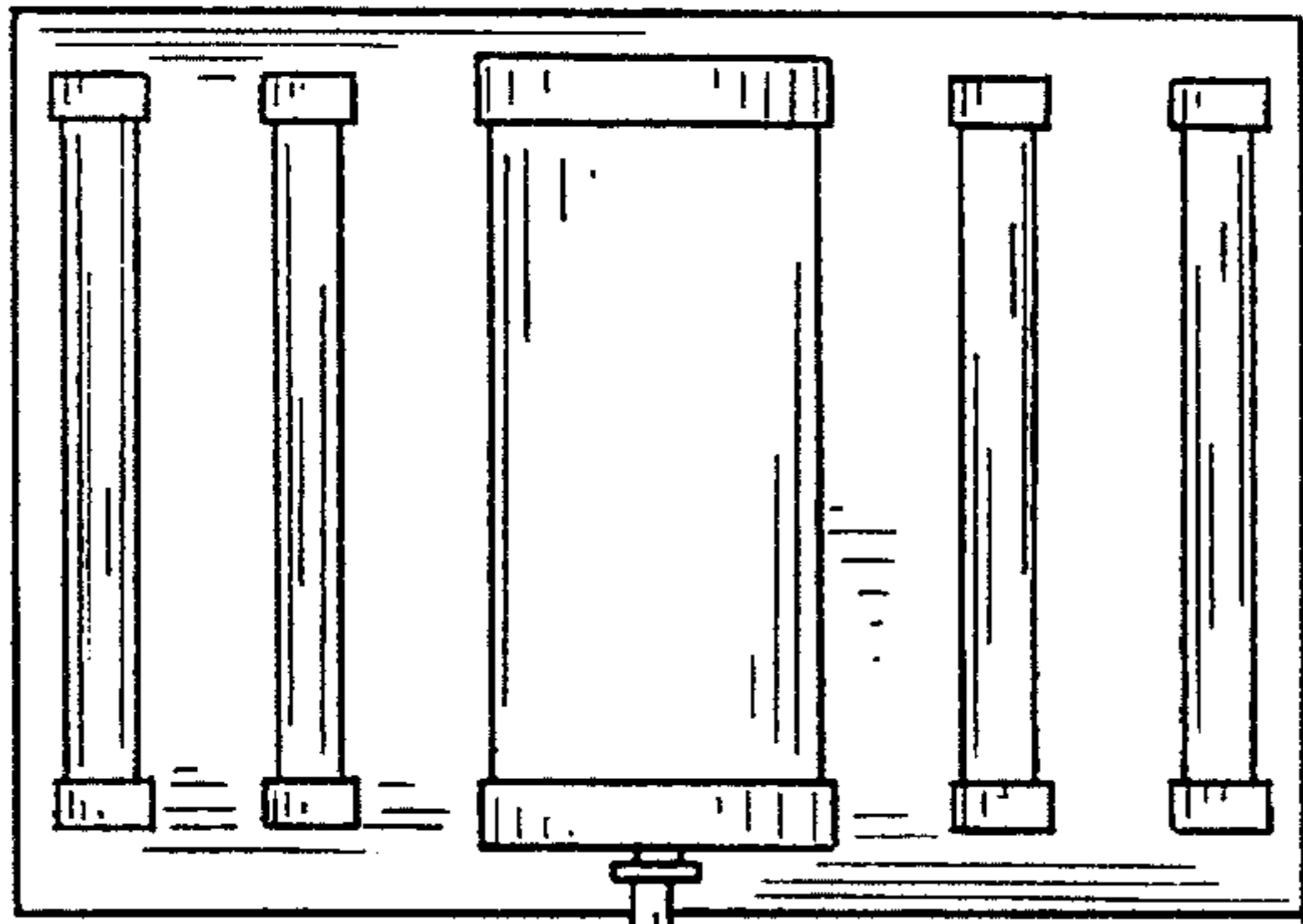


FIG. 2

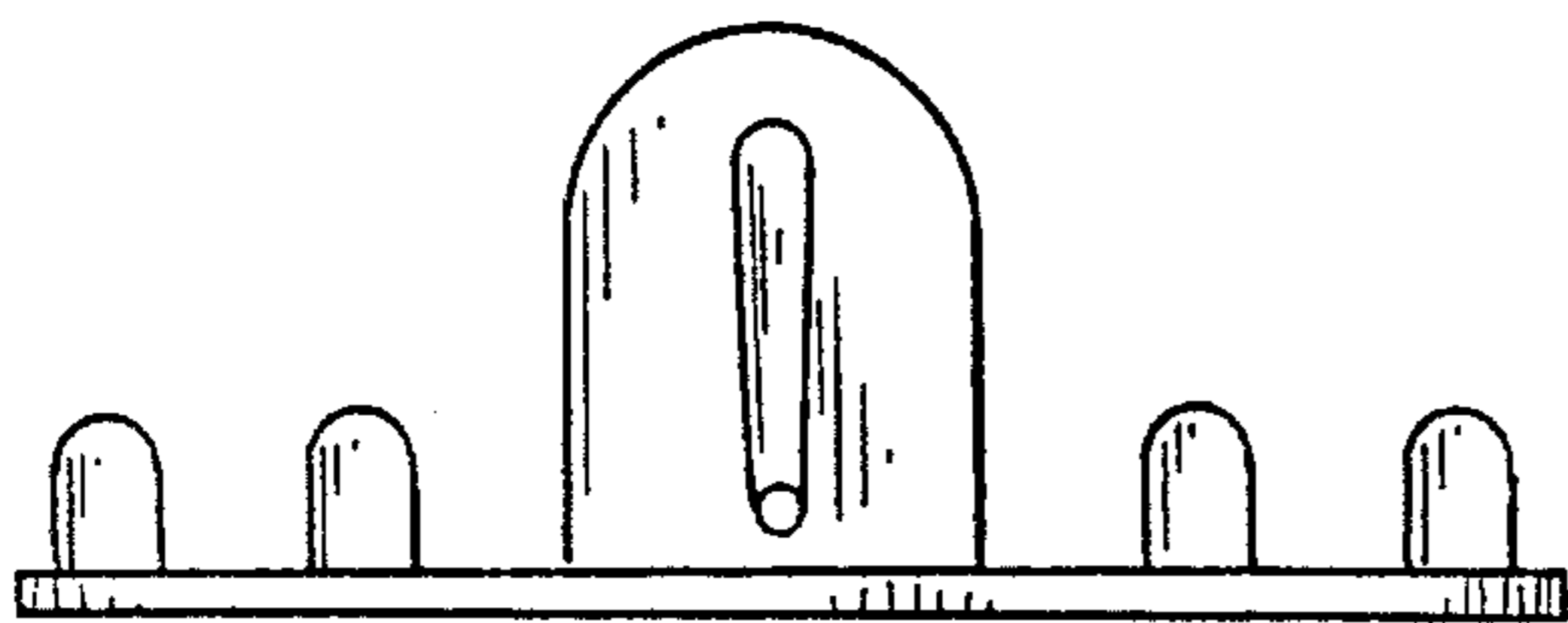


FIG. 3

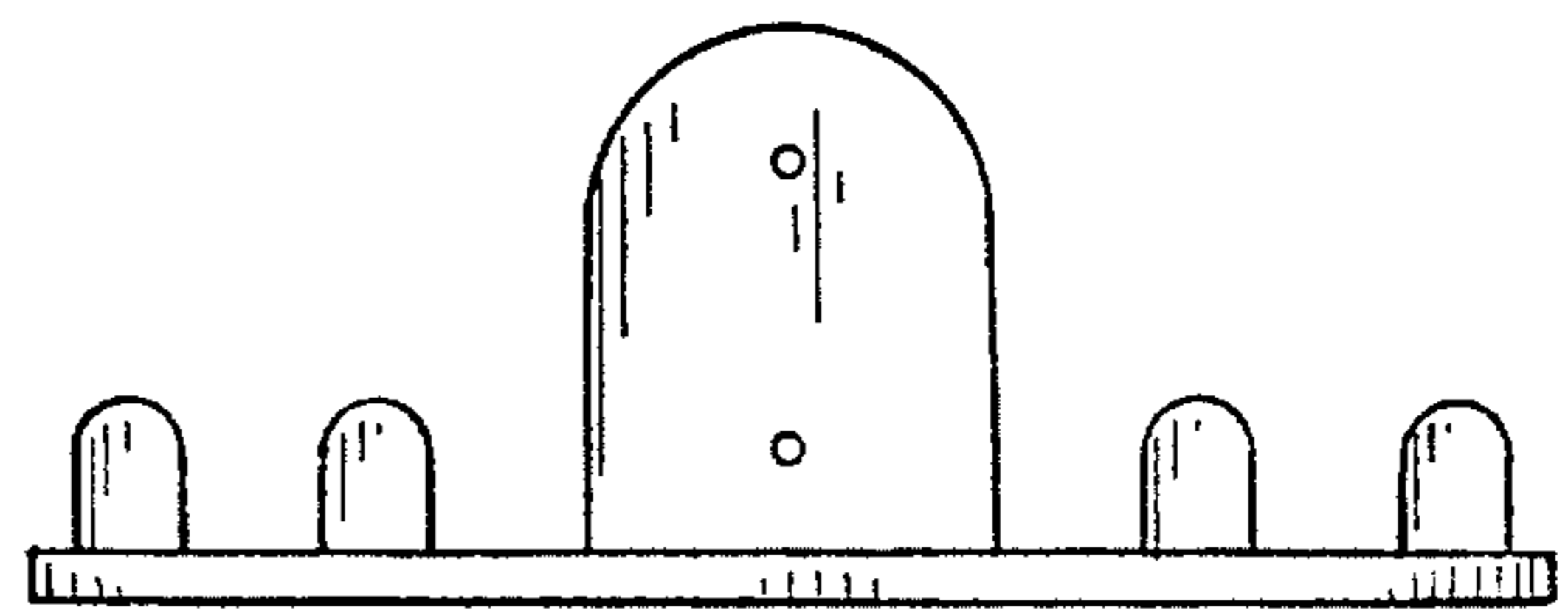


FIG. 4

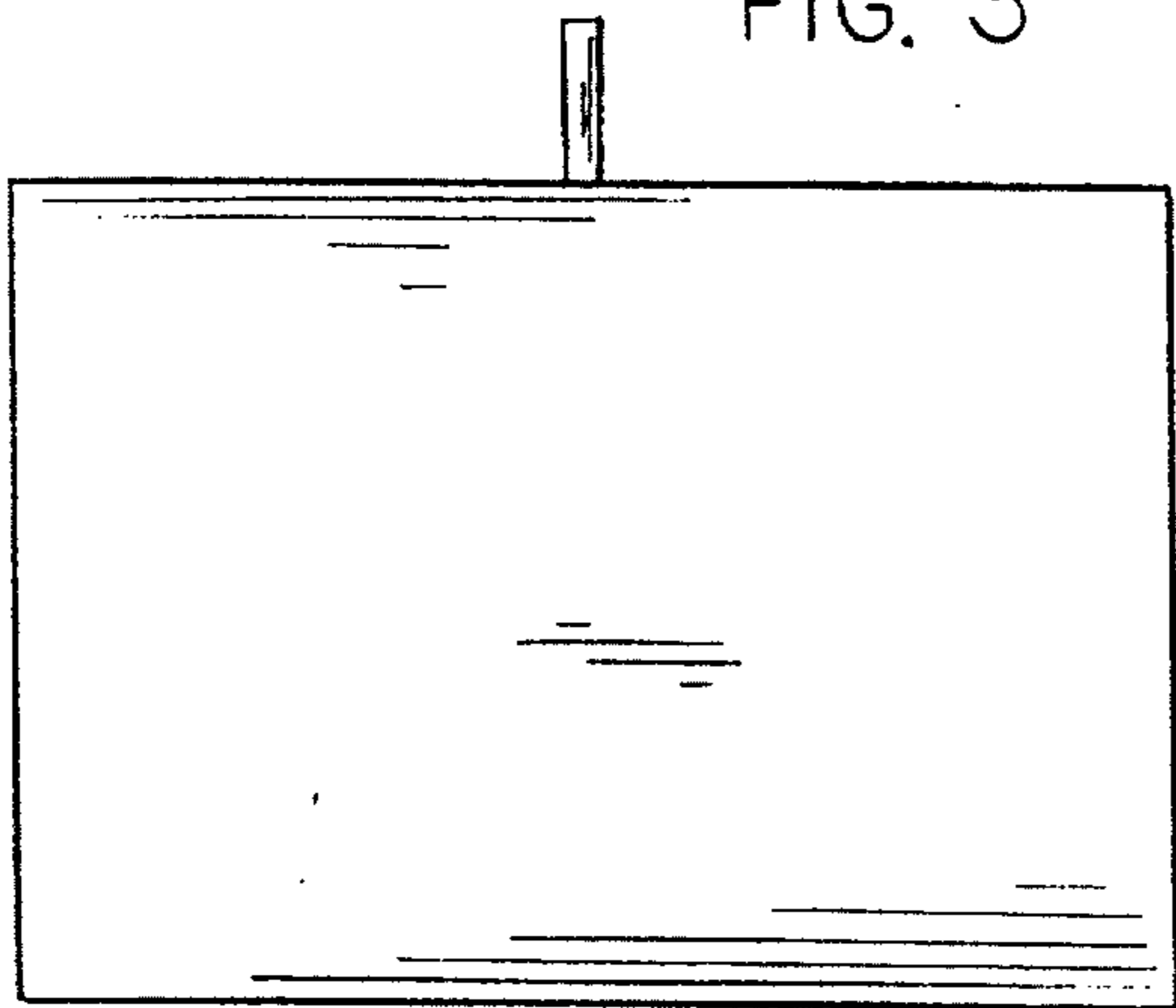


FIG. 5

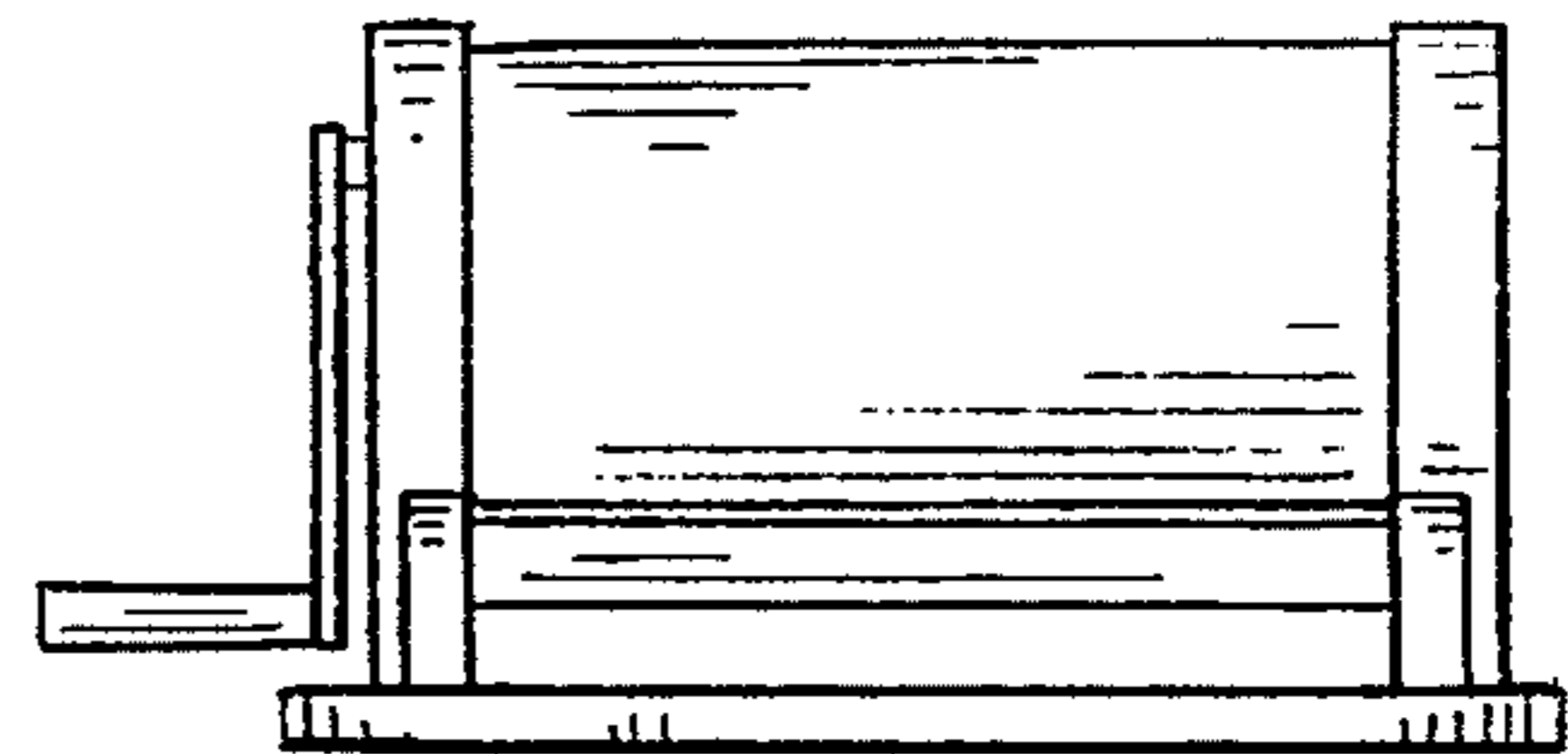


FIG. 6