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[54] **EXTERNAL FLOPPY DISK DRIVE FOR A NOTEBOOK PERSONAL COMPUTER**

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## [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for an external floppy disk drive for a notebook personal computer, as shown and described.

## DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front, left side, top perspective view of an external floppy disk drive for a notebook personal computer showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;

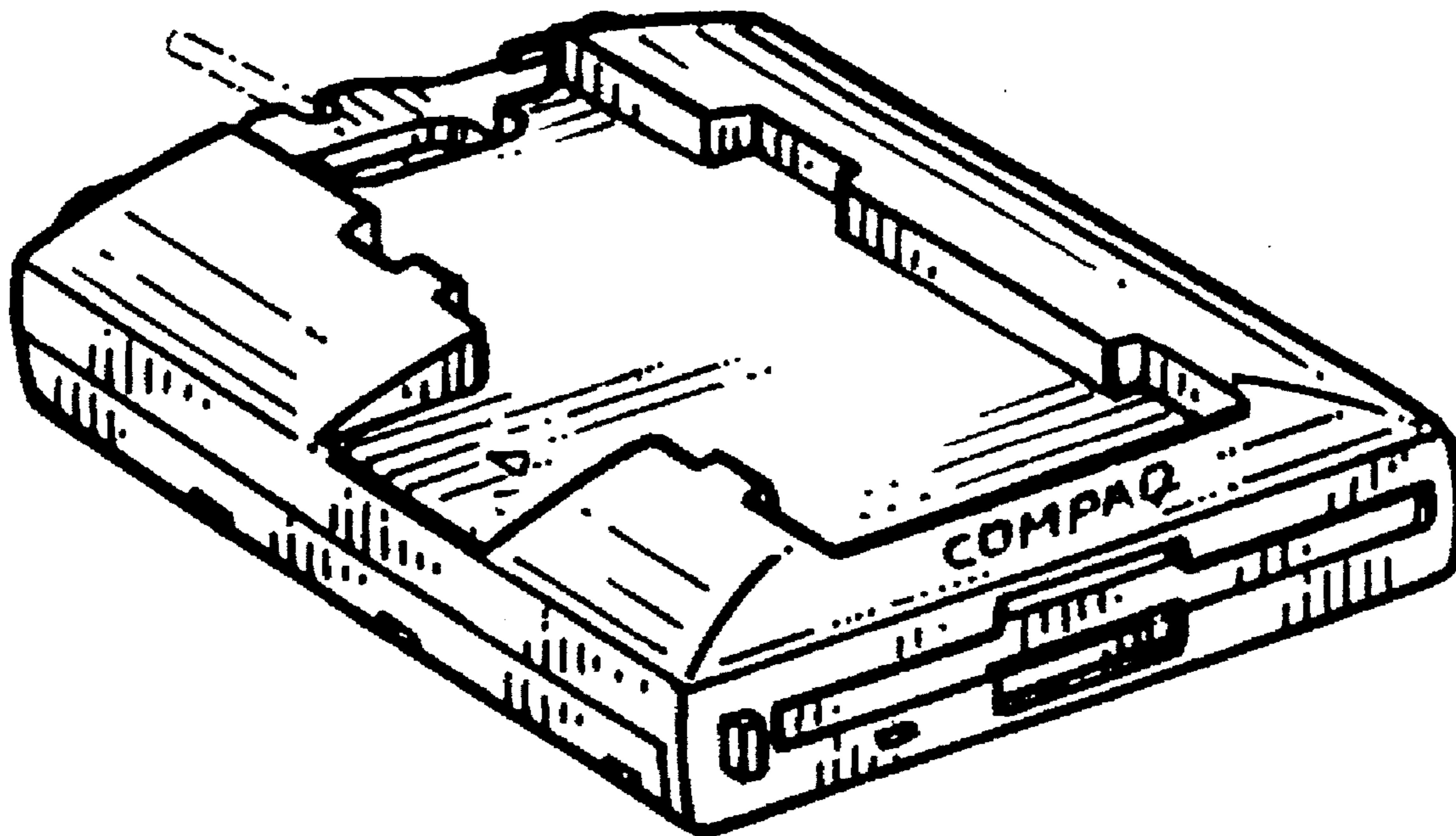
FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof; and,

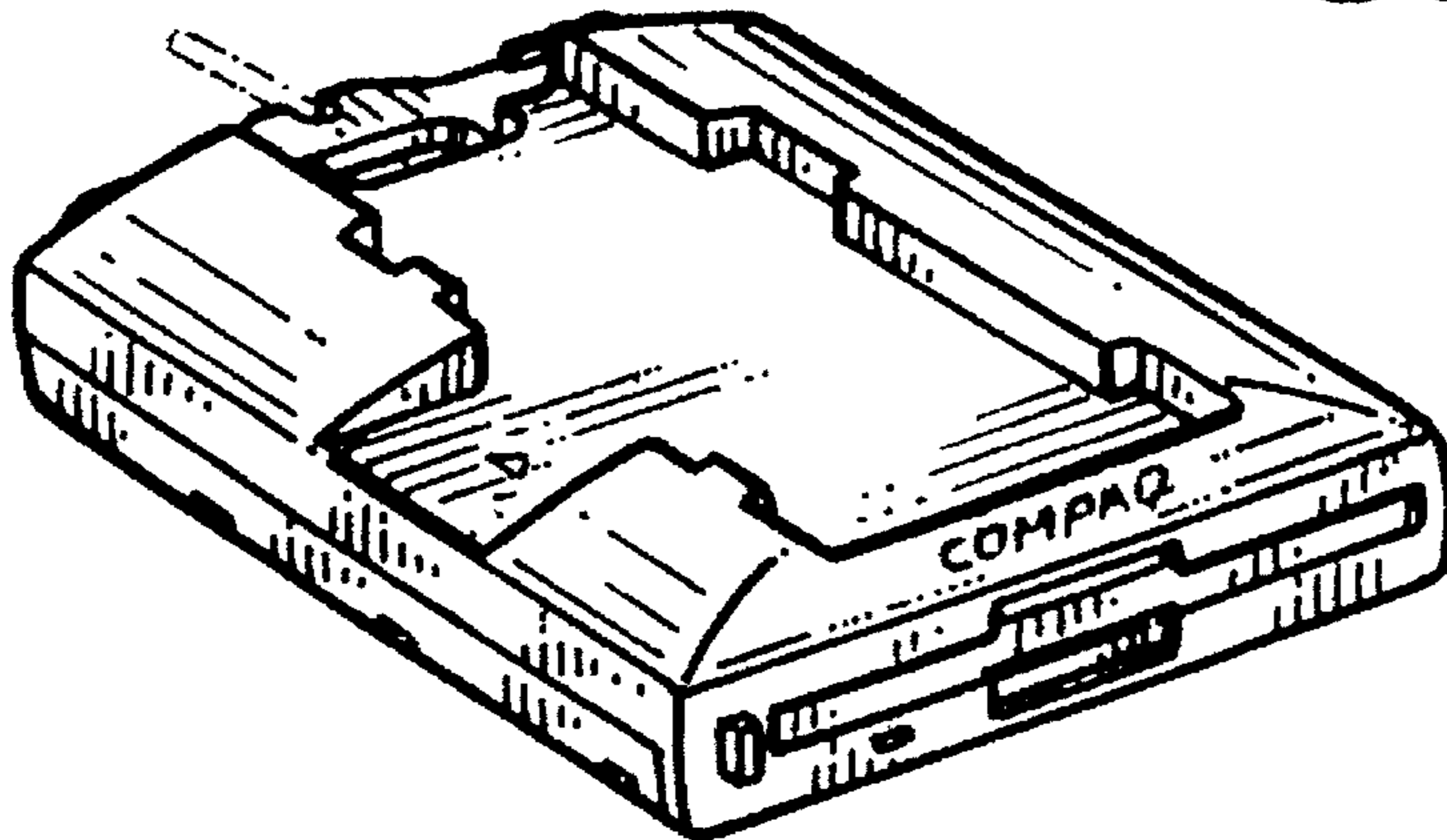
FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof.

The cord is shown in broken lines in the views for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

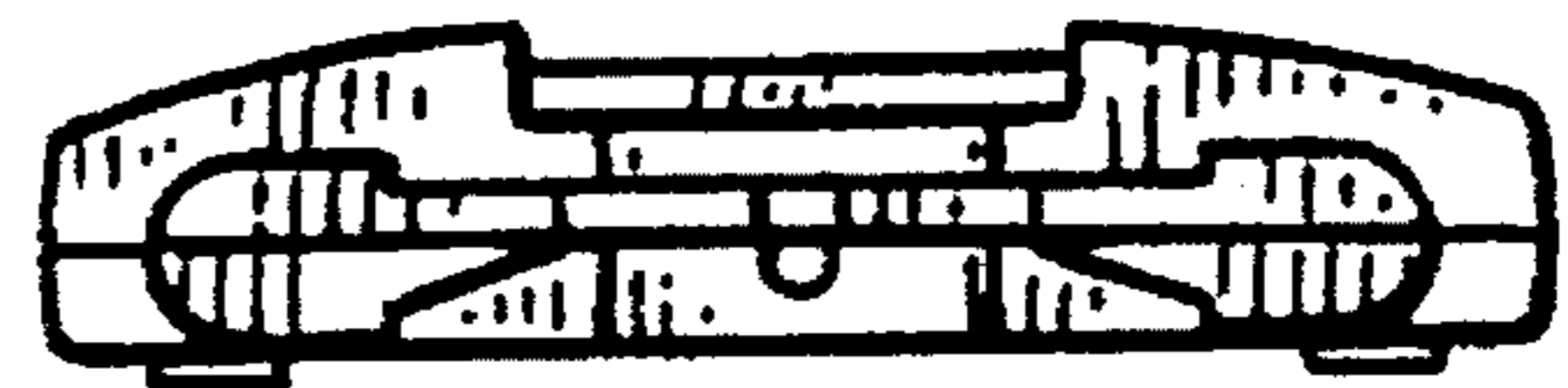
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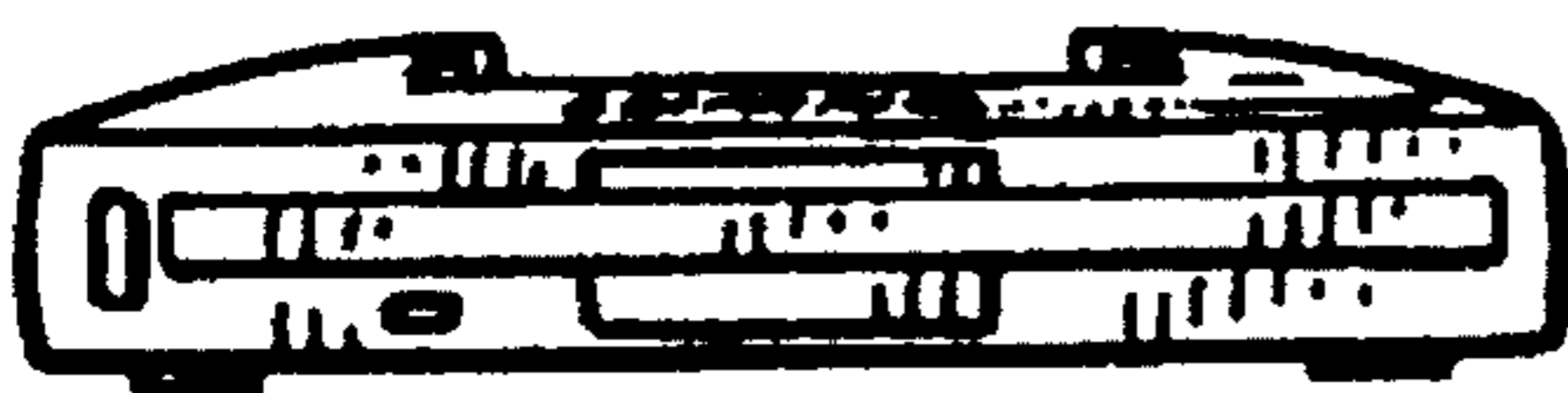
**Fig. 1**



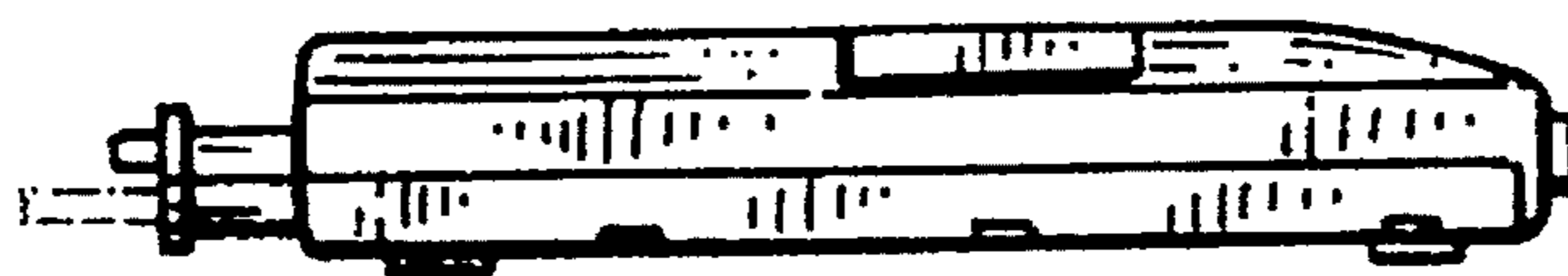
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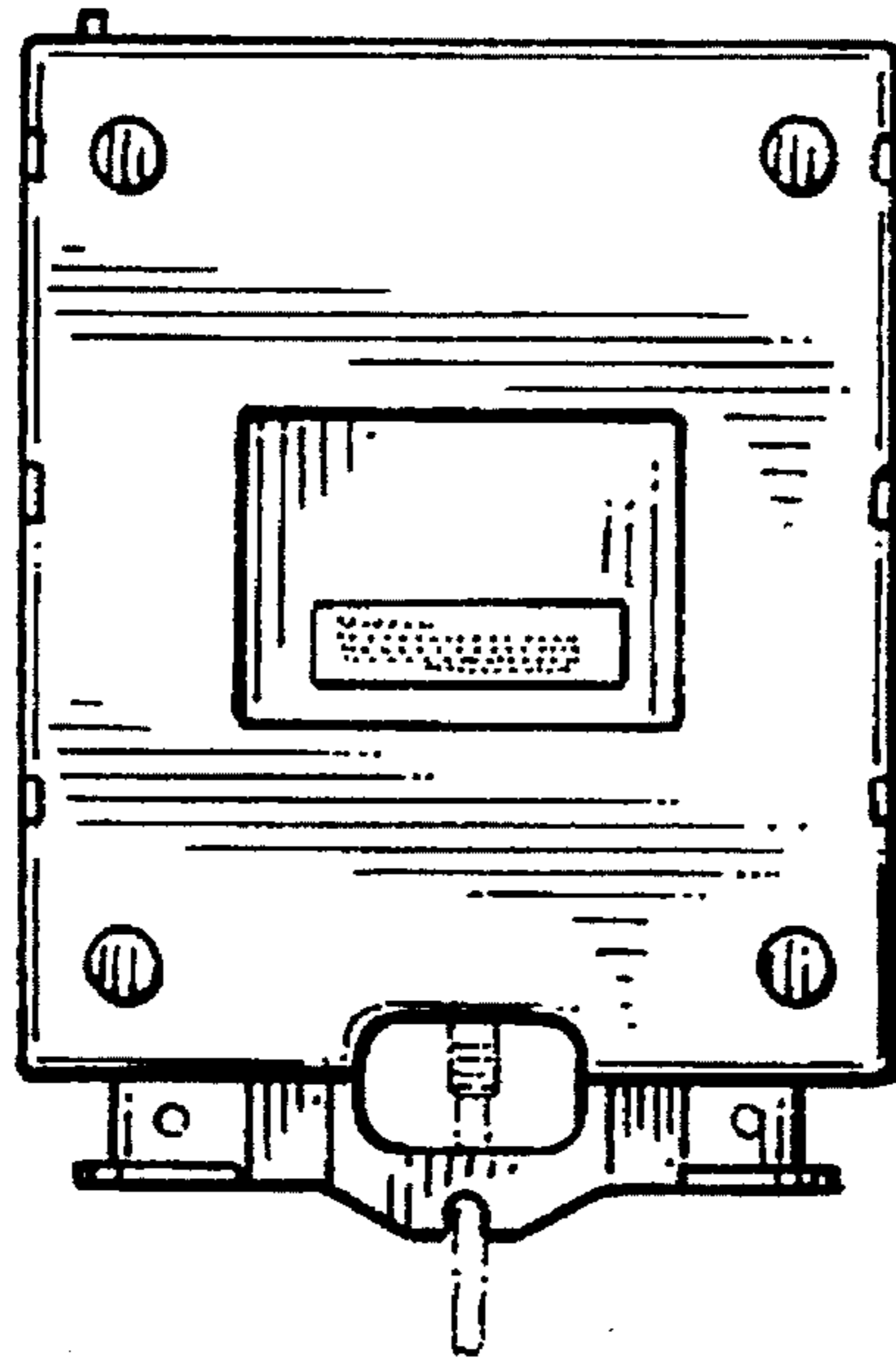
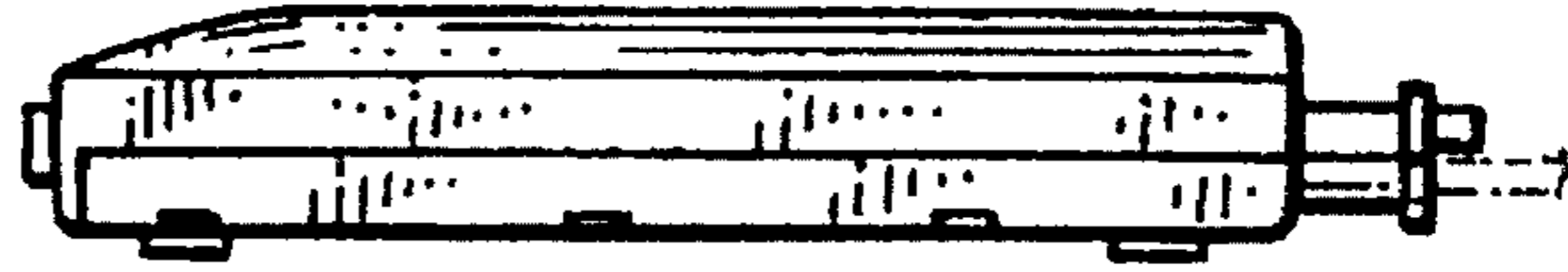
**Fig. 2**



**Fig. 4**



**Fig. 5**



**Fig. 6**

**Fig. 7**

