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[54] **TUBING CONNECTOR**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a tubing connector, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a tubing connector showing our new design, the portion shown in broken lines is for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design;

FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side elevation view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a top view thereof;

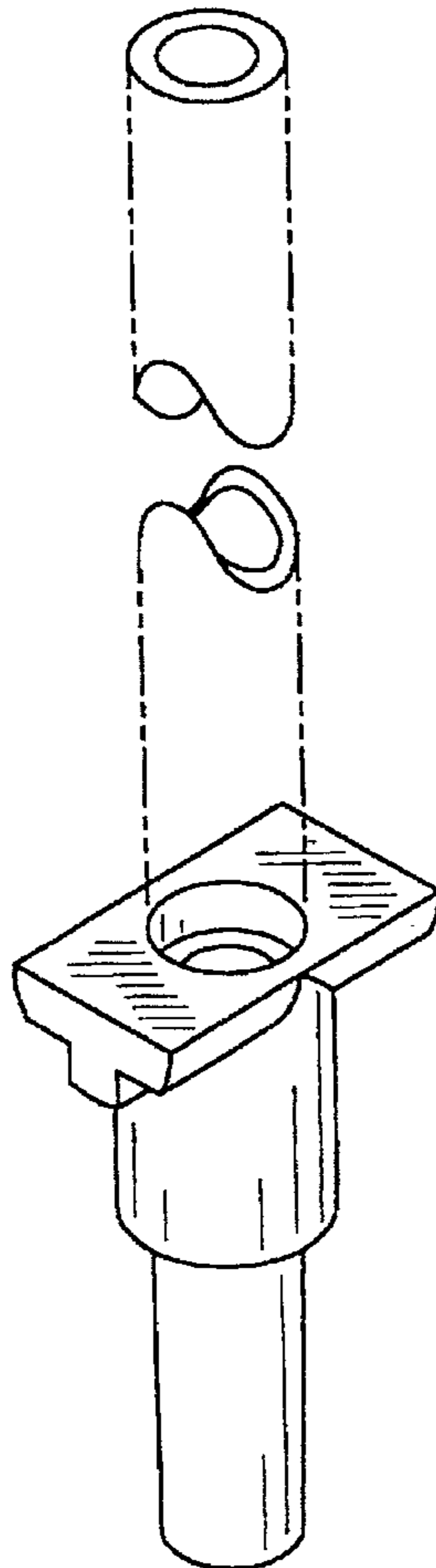
FIG. 5 is a right elevation view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a rear elevation view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof; and,

FIG. 8 is a cross-sectional view thereof taken along line 8—8 of FIG. 4.

**1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets**



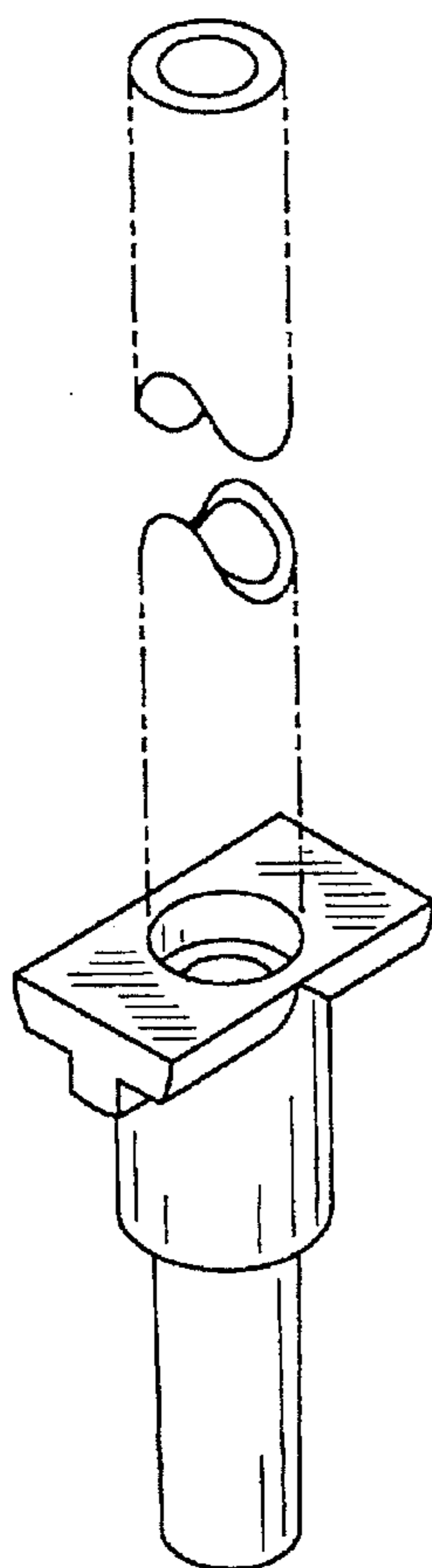


FIG-1

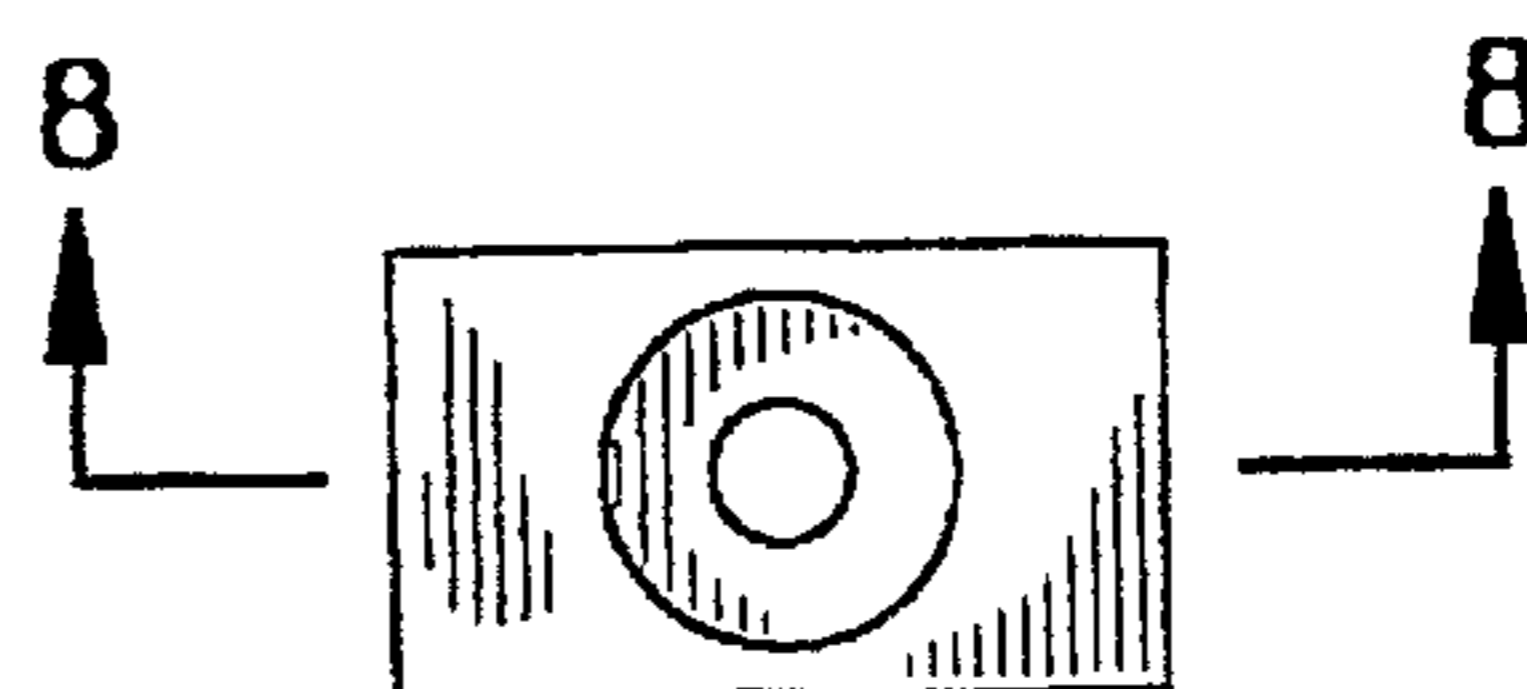


FIG-4



FIG-3

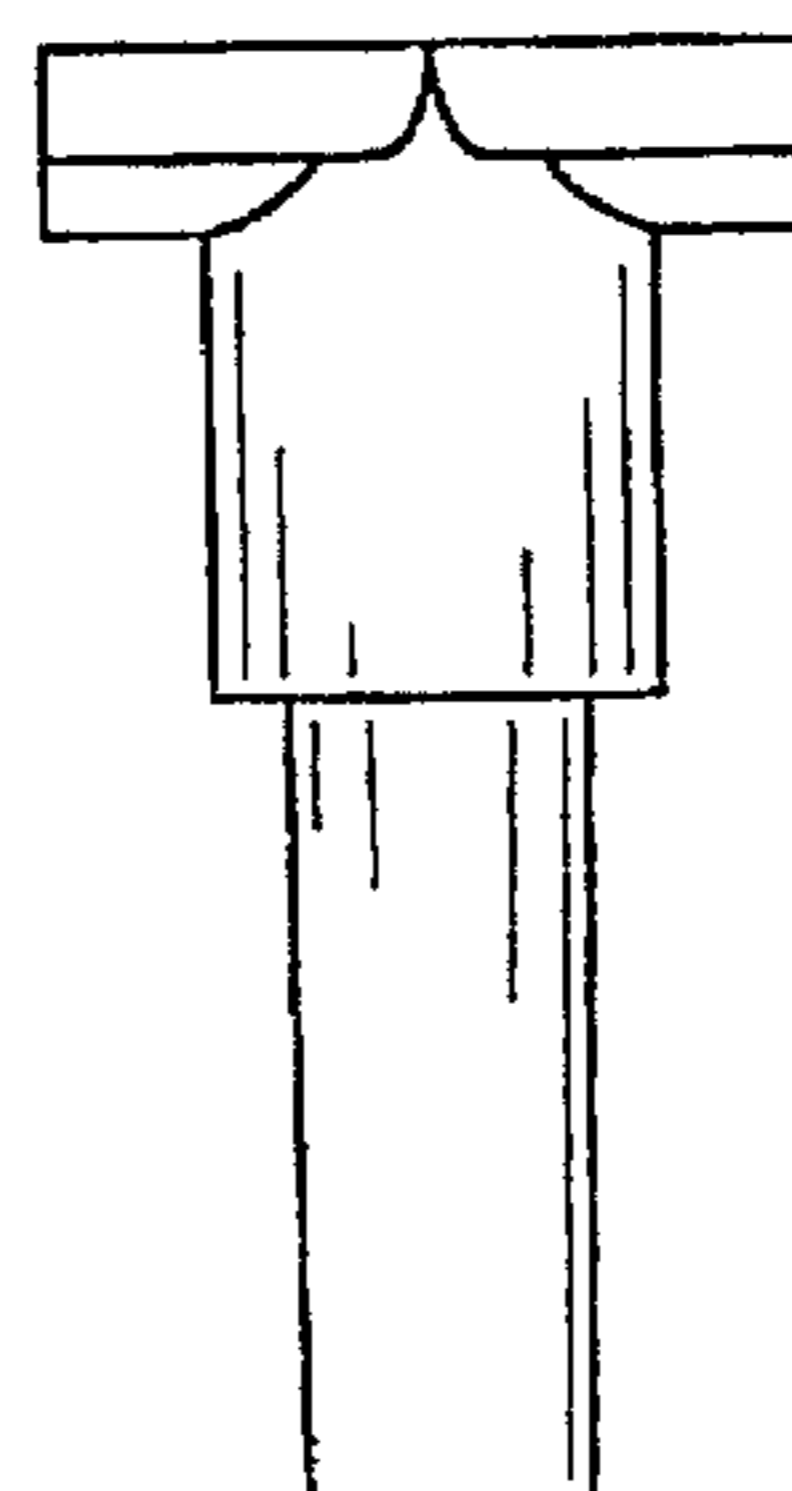


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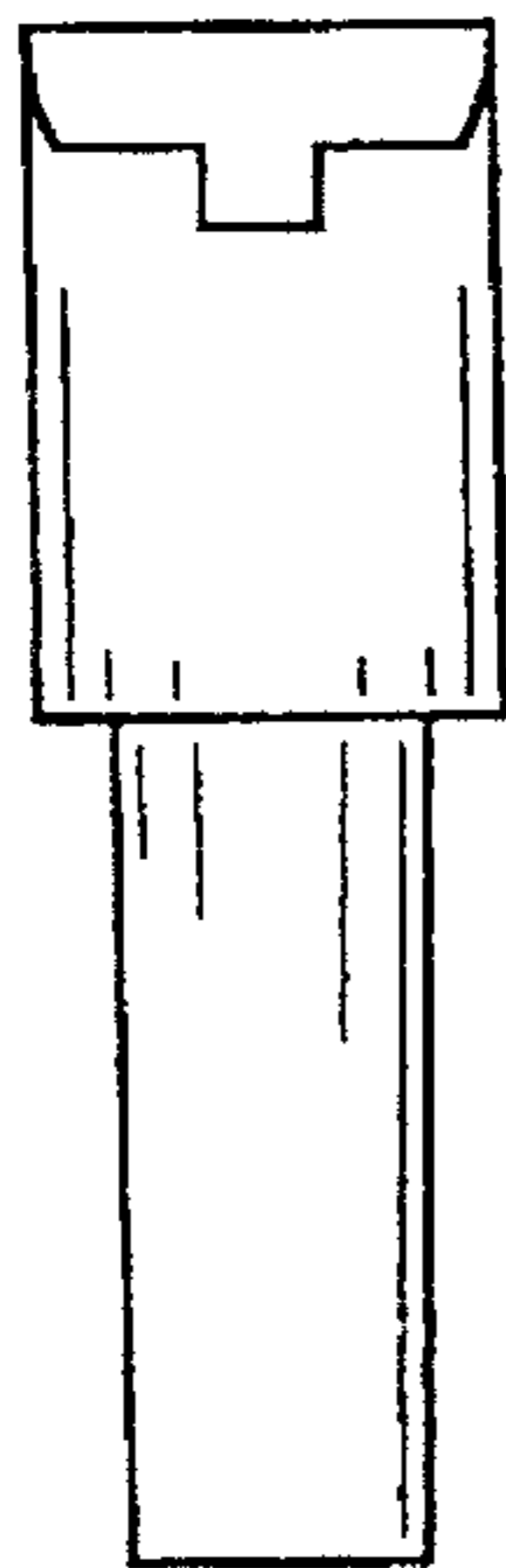


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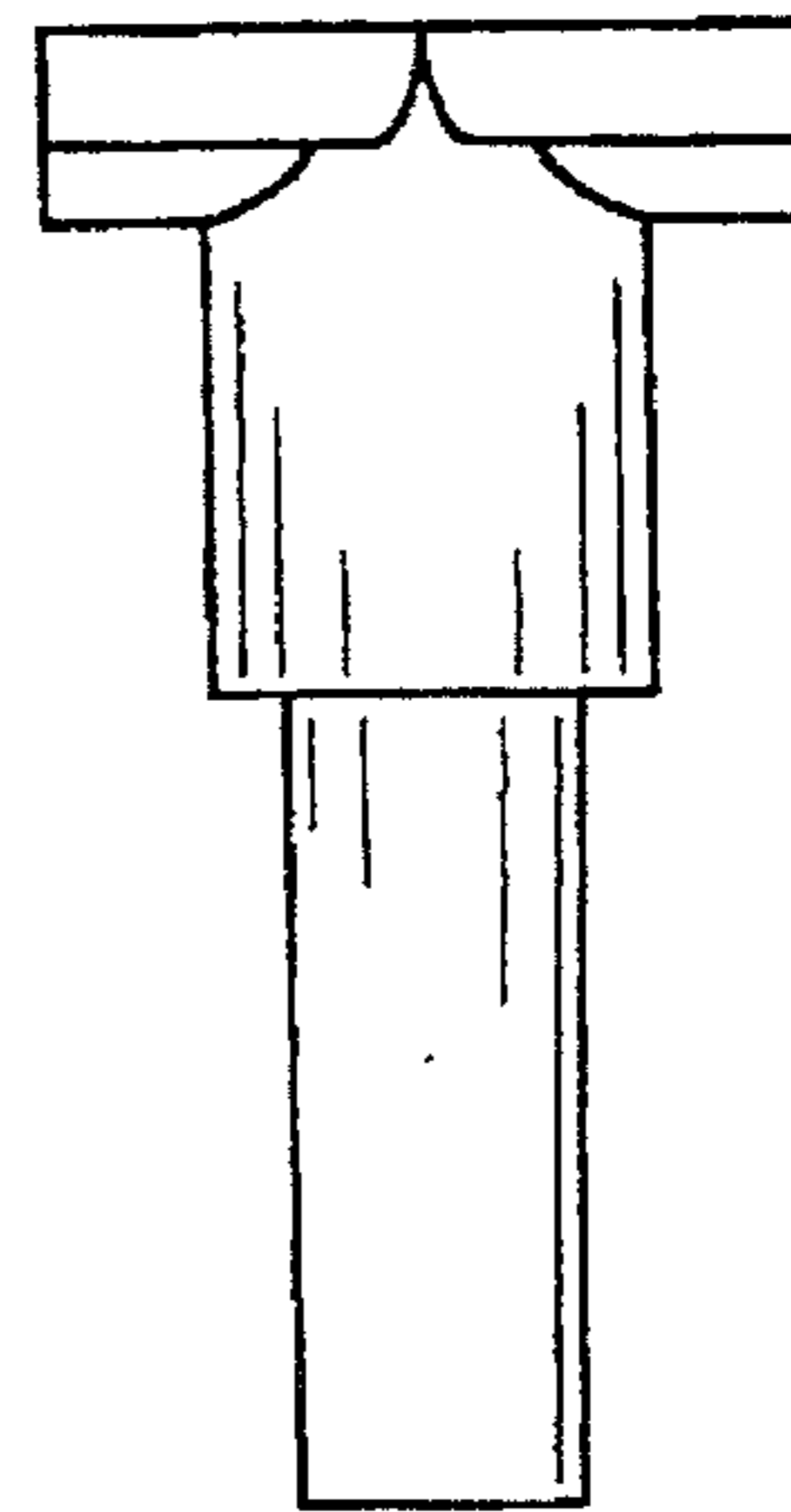


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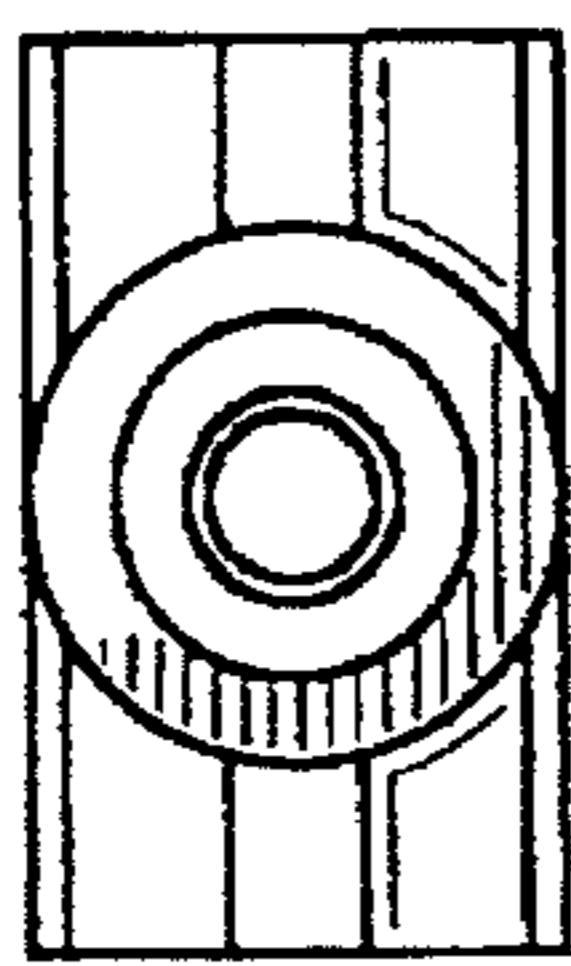


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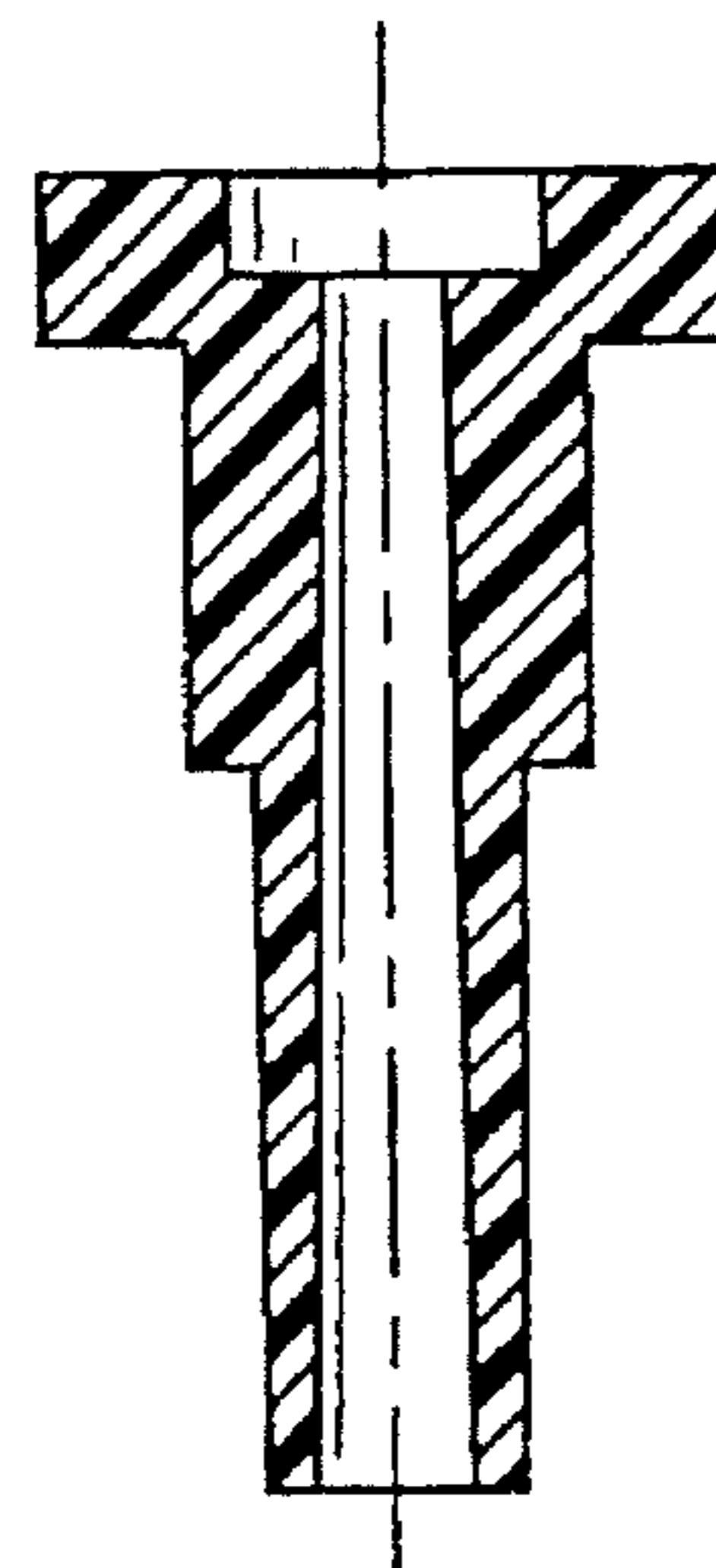


FIG-8

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : Des. 382,957  
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In the description, line 8, change "right" to --right side--.

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