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[54] **FAUCET HANDLE**

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[57] **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a faucet handle, as shown and described.

[\*\*] Term: **14 Years**

**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a faucet handle showing our new design;

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FIG. 2 is a front elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a left side elevational view thereof;

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125, DIG. 24, DIG. 30, DIG. 41

FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a faucet handle showing another embodiment of our new design;

[56] **References Cited**

FIG. 9 is a front elevational view of the faucet handle shown in FIG. 8;

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FIG. 10 is a rear elevational view of the faucet handle shown in FIG. 8;

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FIG. 11 is a left side elevational view of the faucet handle shown in FIG. 8;

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FIG. 12 is a right side elevational view of the faucet handle shown in FIG. 8; .

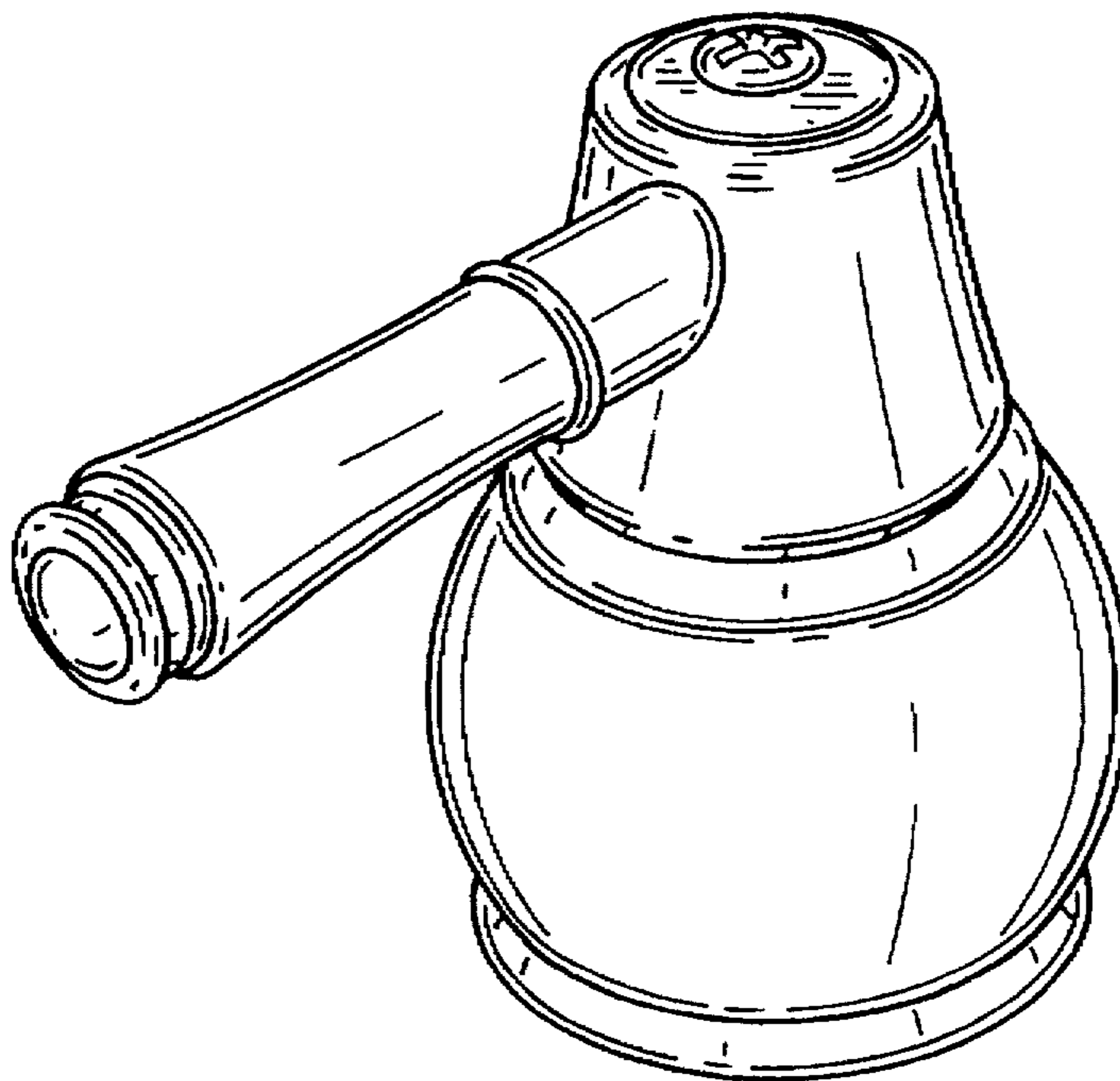
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FIG. 13 is a top plan view of the faucet handle shown in FIG. 8; and,

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FIG. 14 is a bottom plan view of the faucet handle shown in FIG. 8.

**1 Claim, 8 Drawing Sheets**



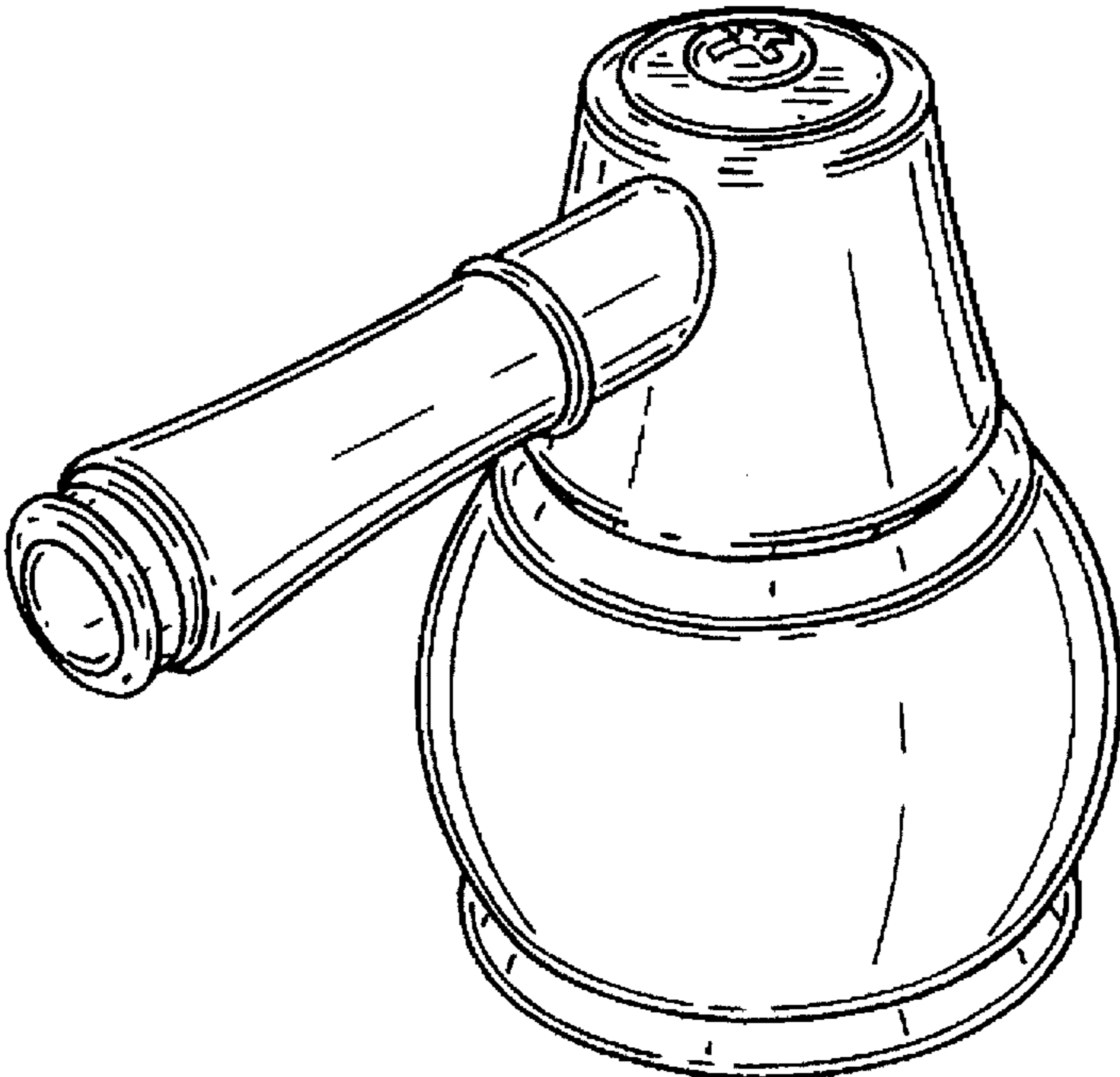


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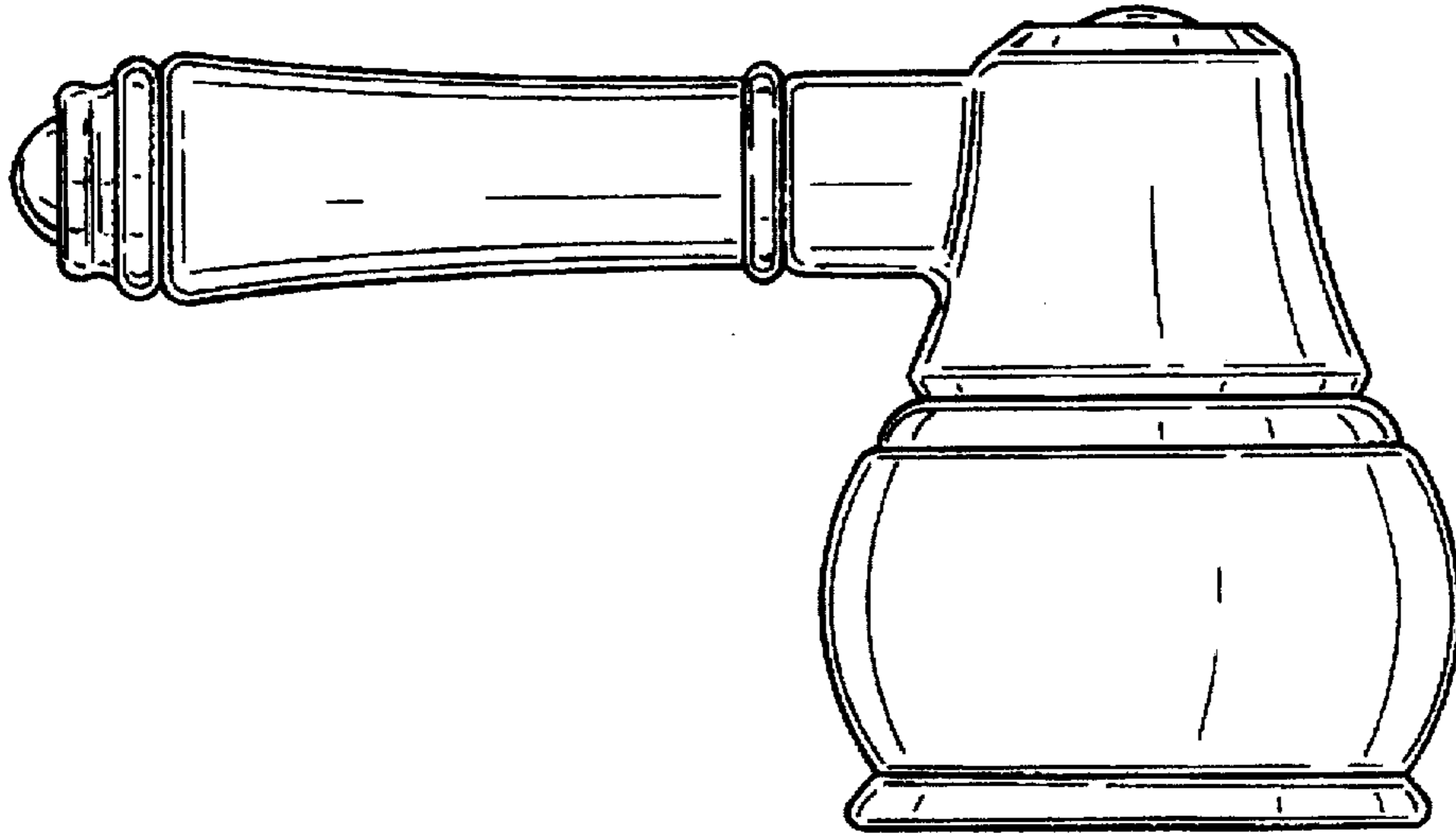


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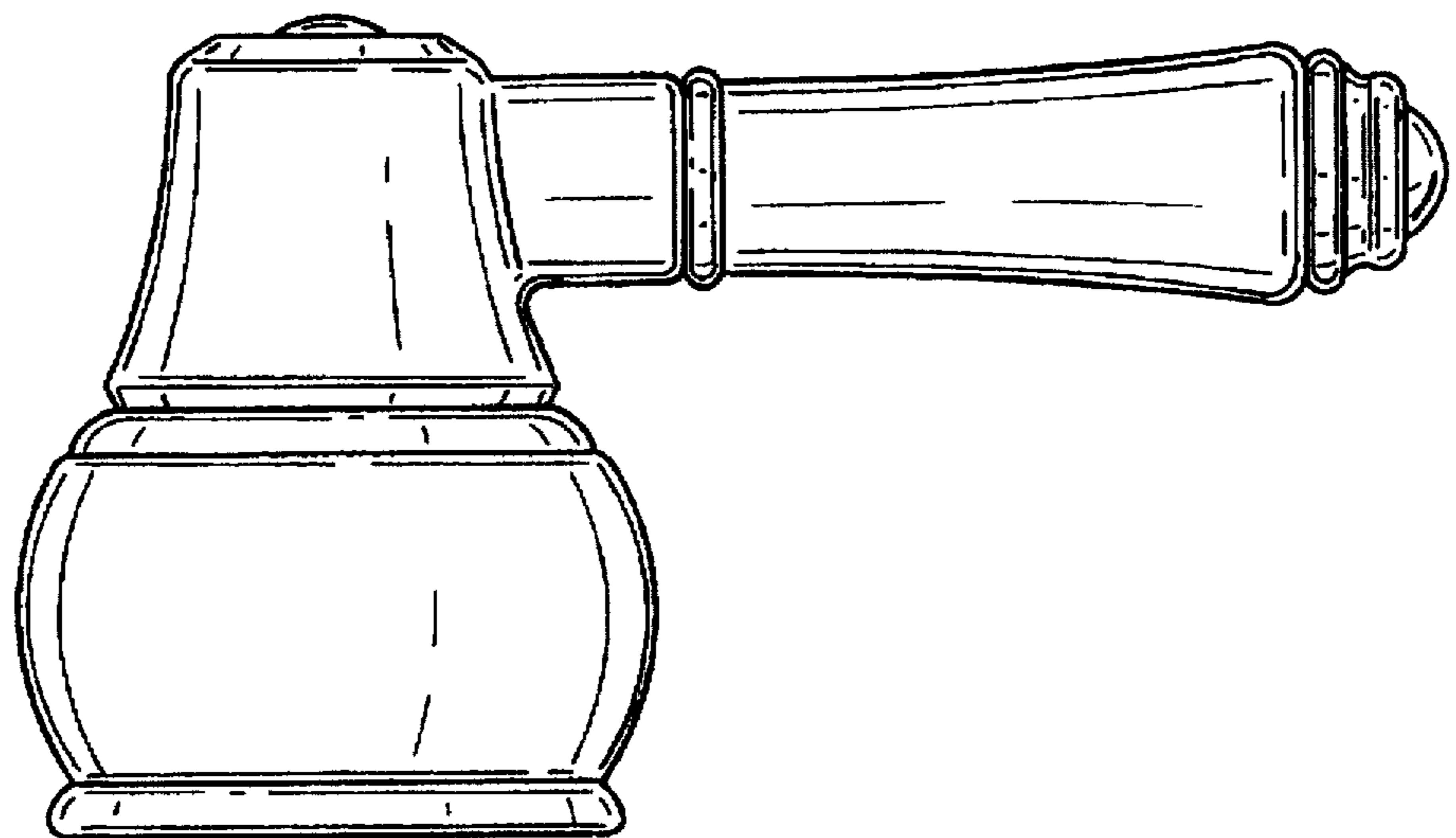


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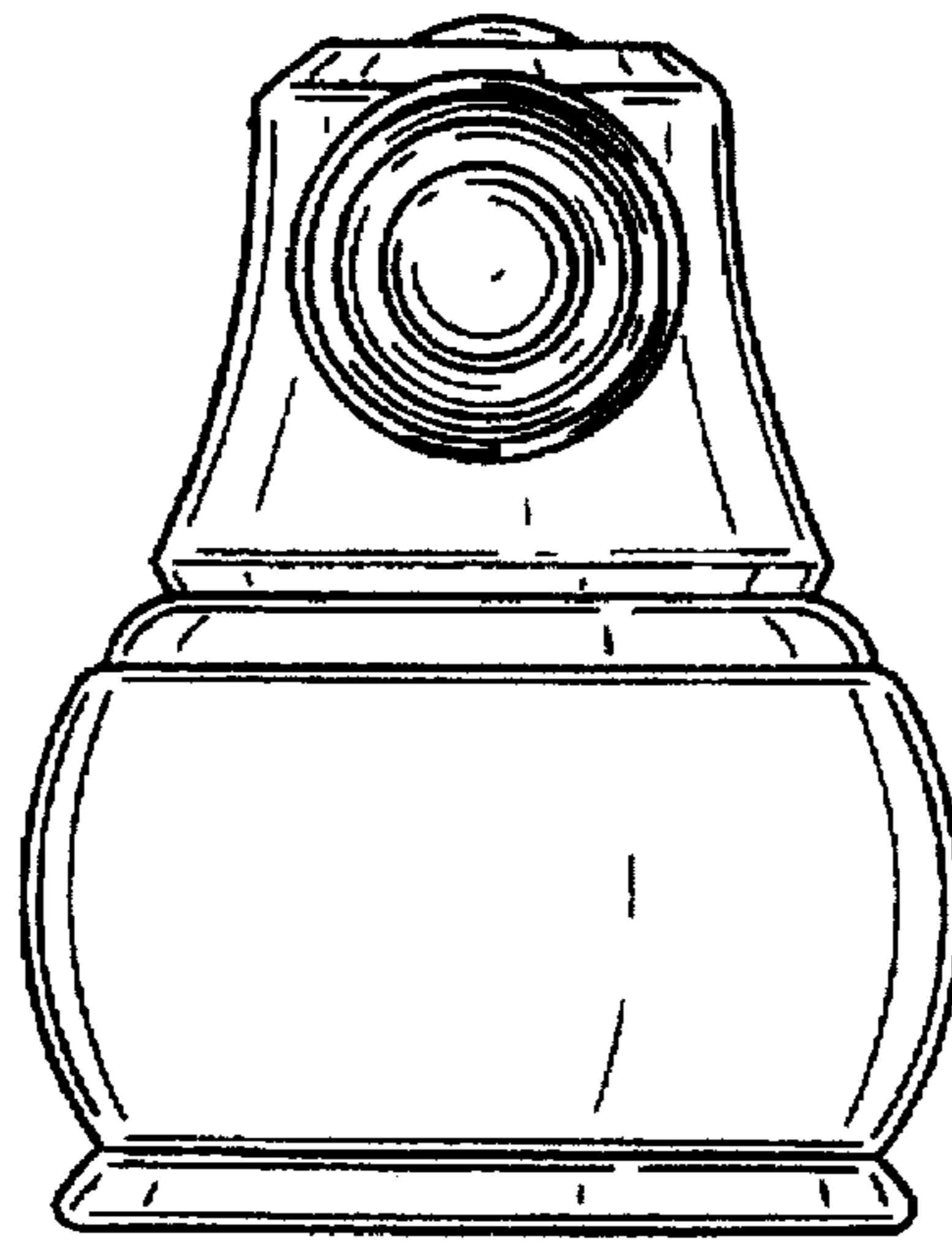


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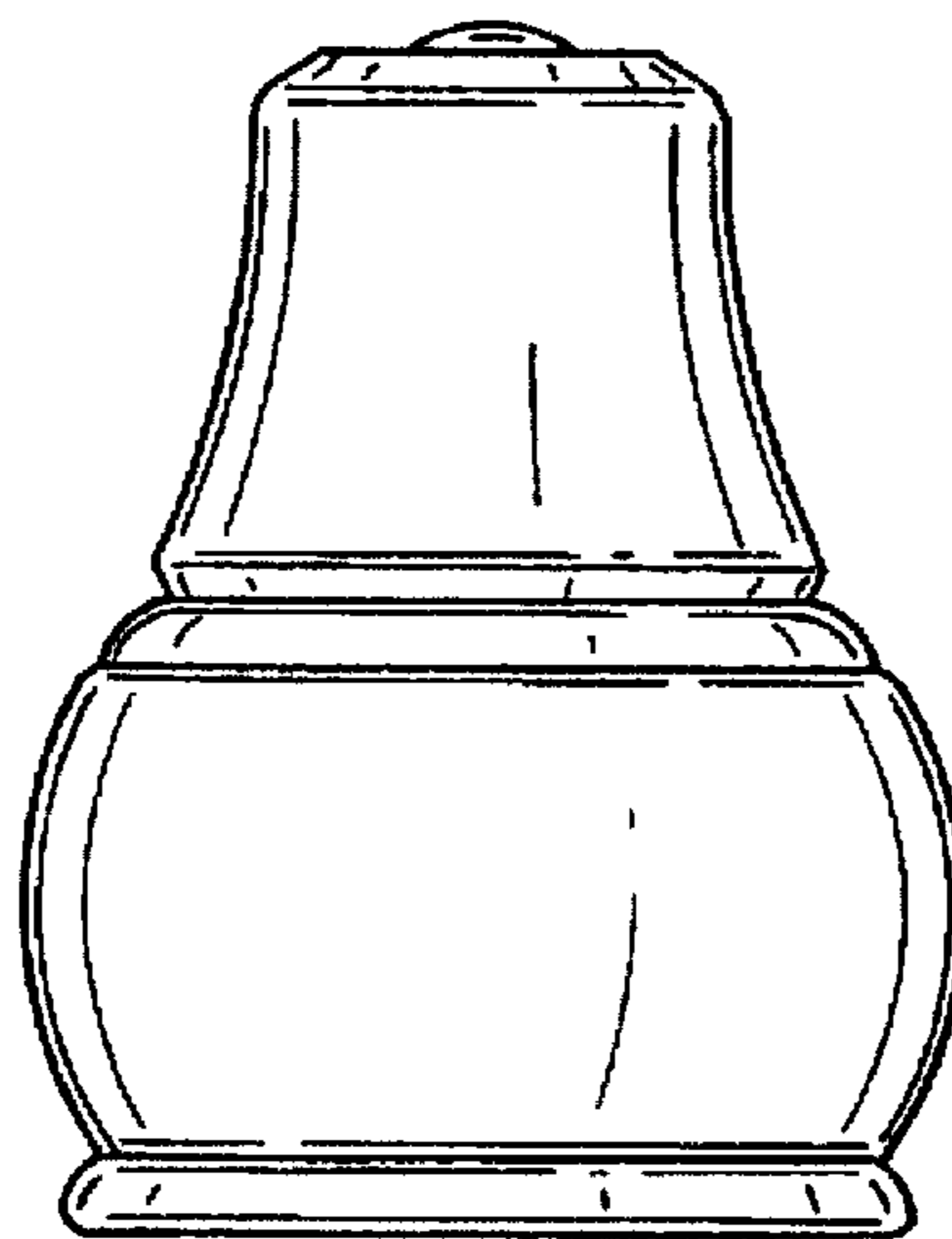


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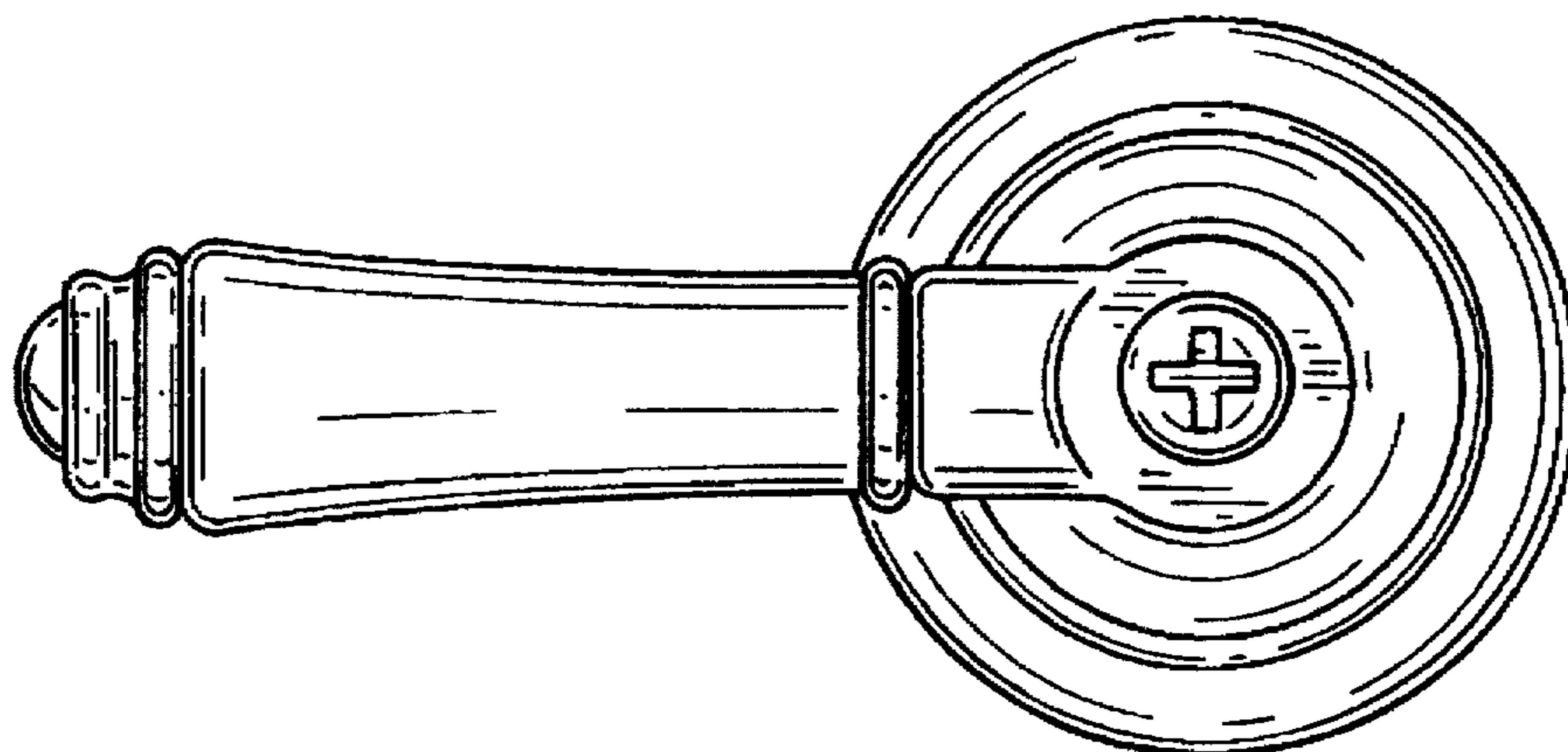


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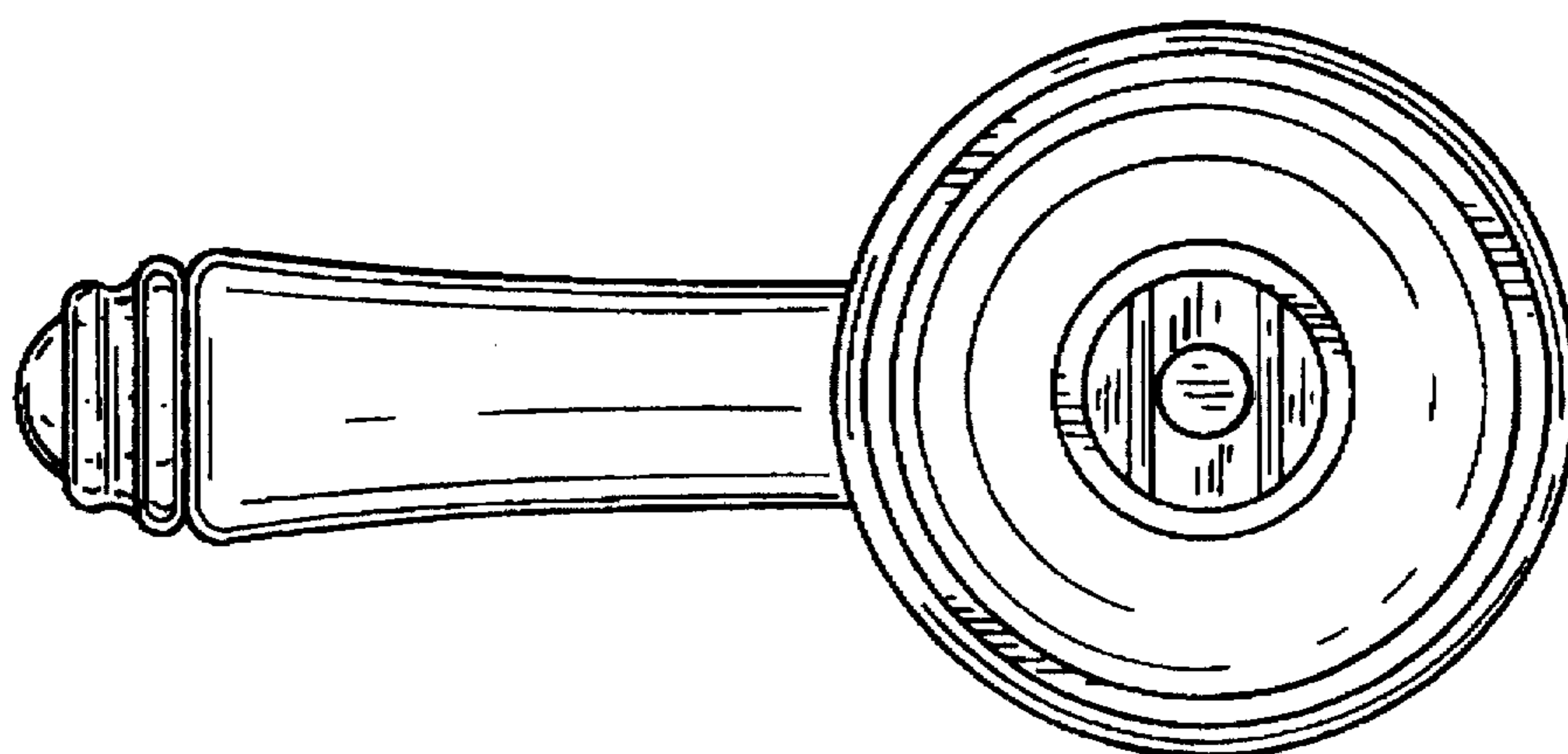


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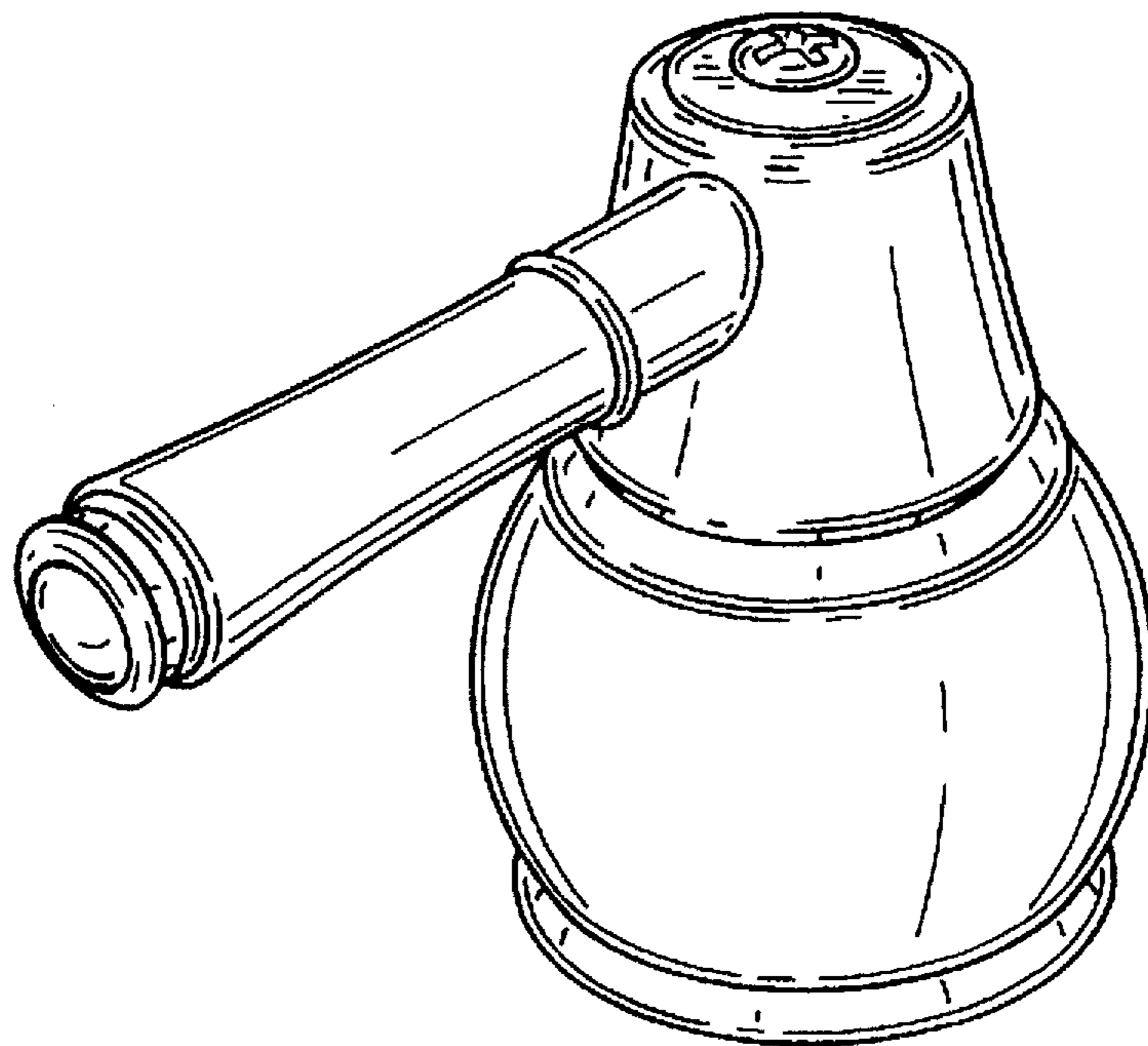


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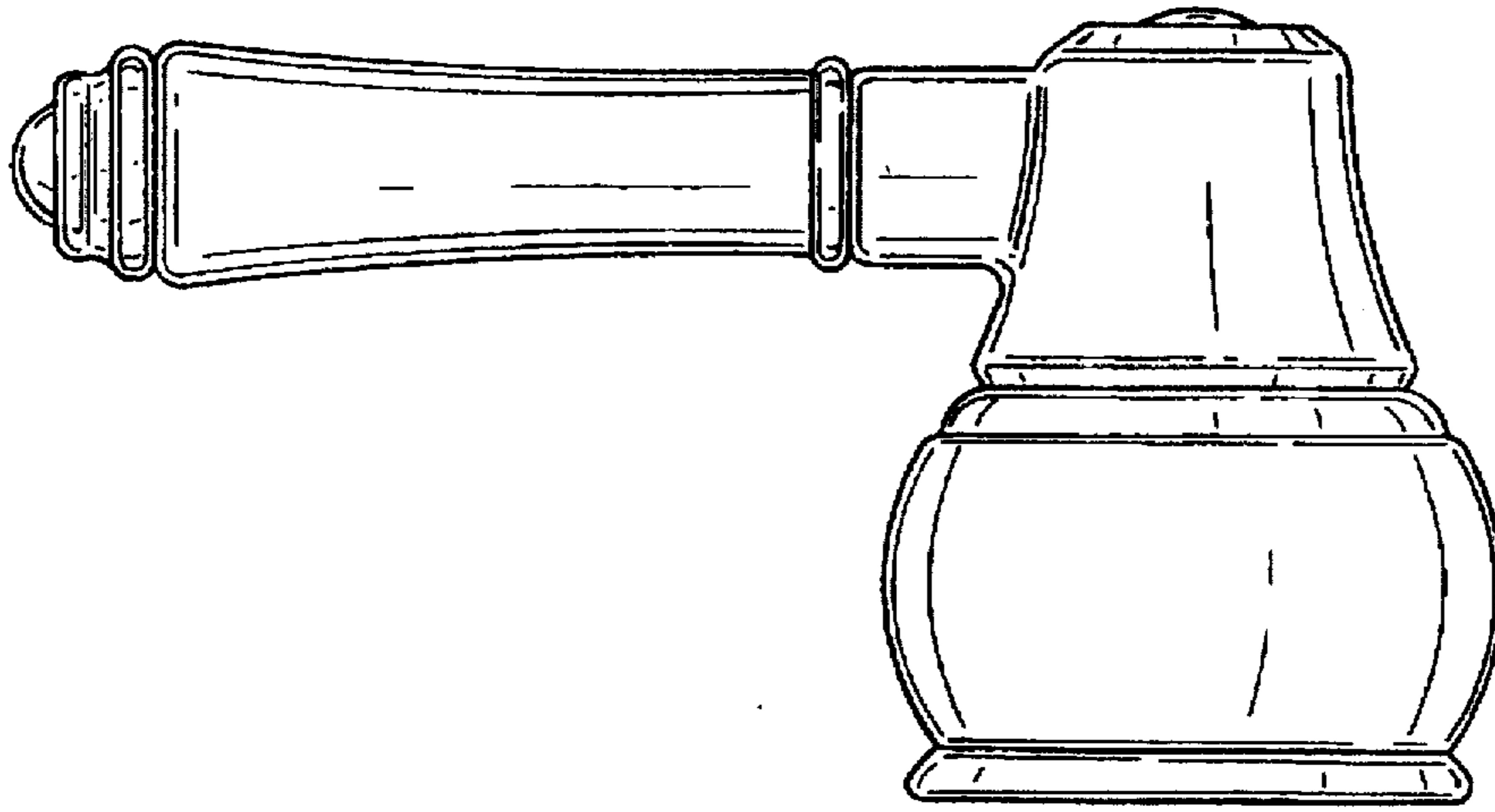


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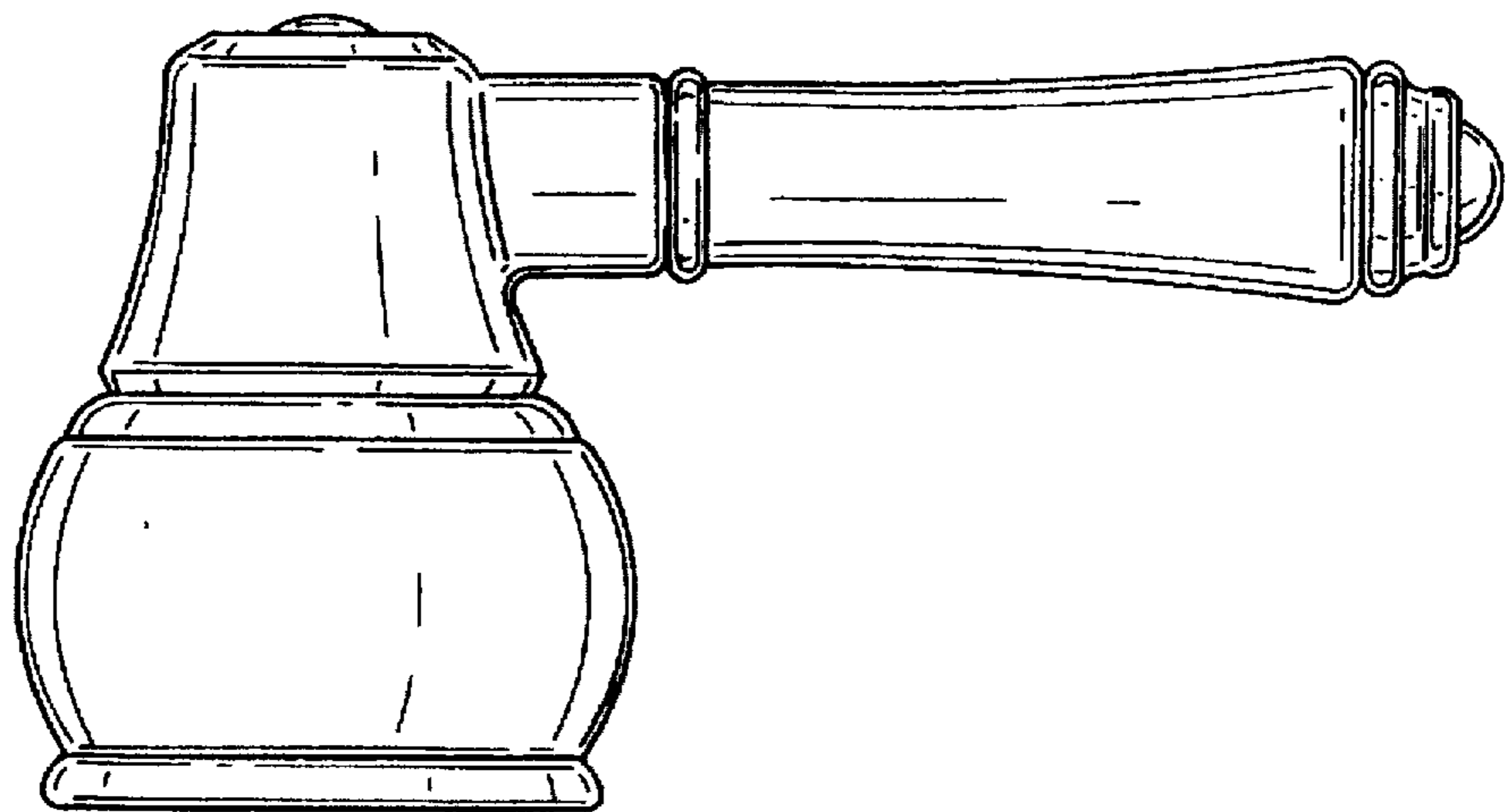


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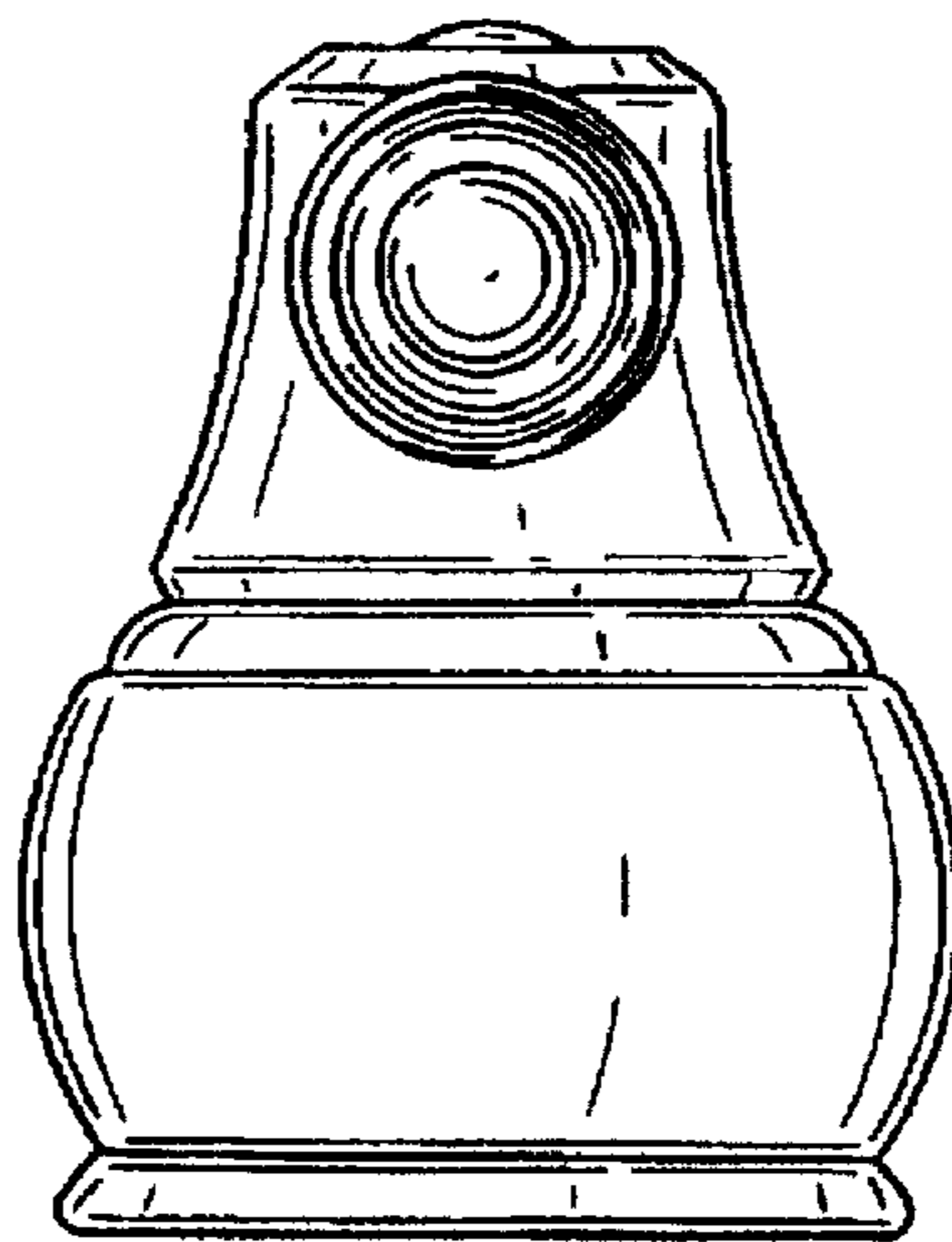


FIG. 11

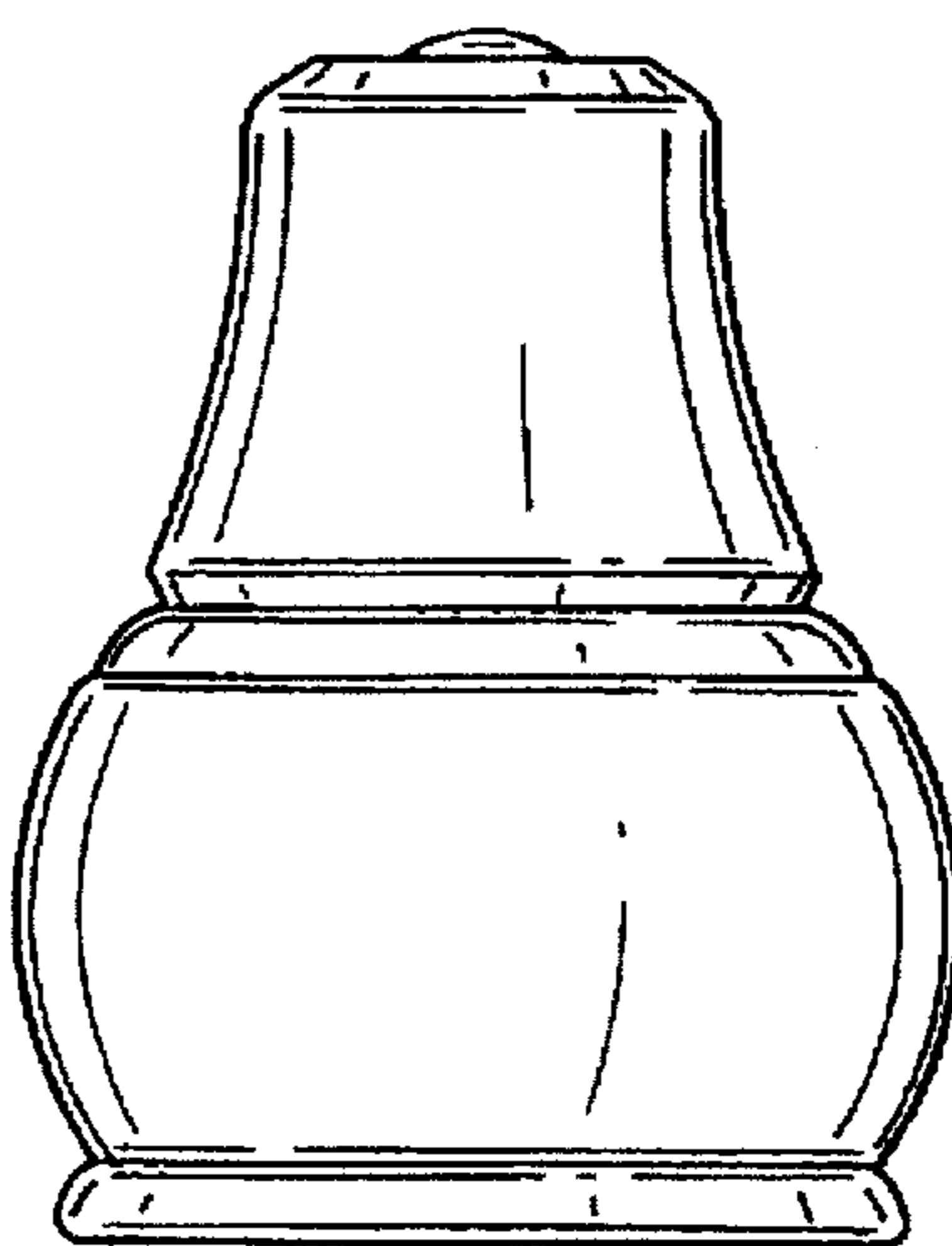


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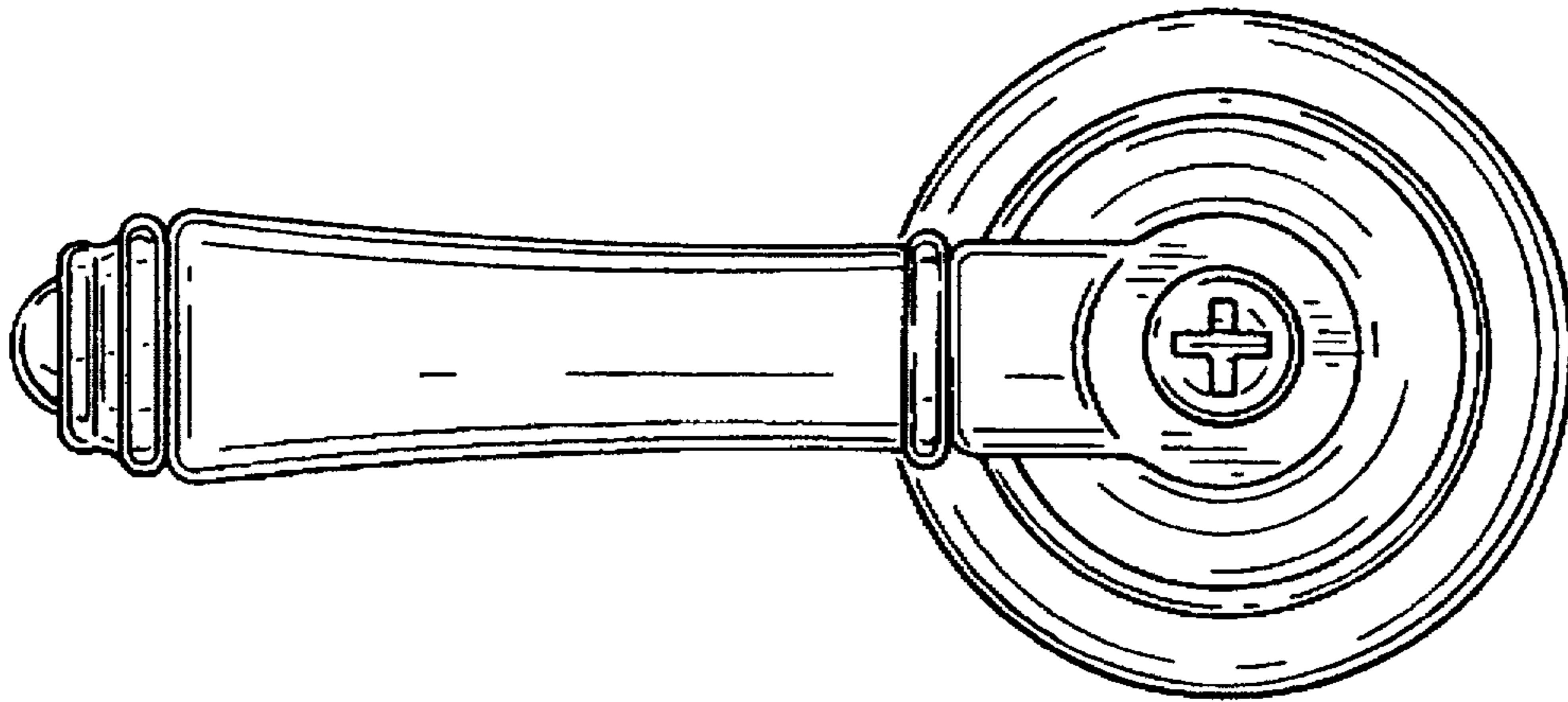


FIG. 13

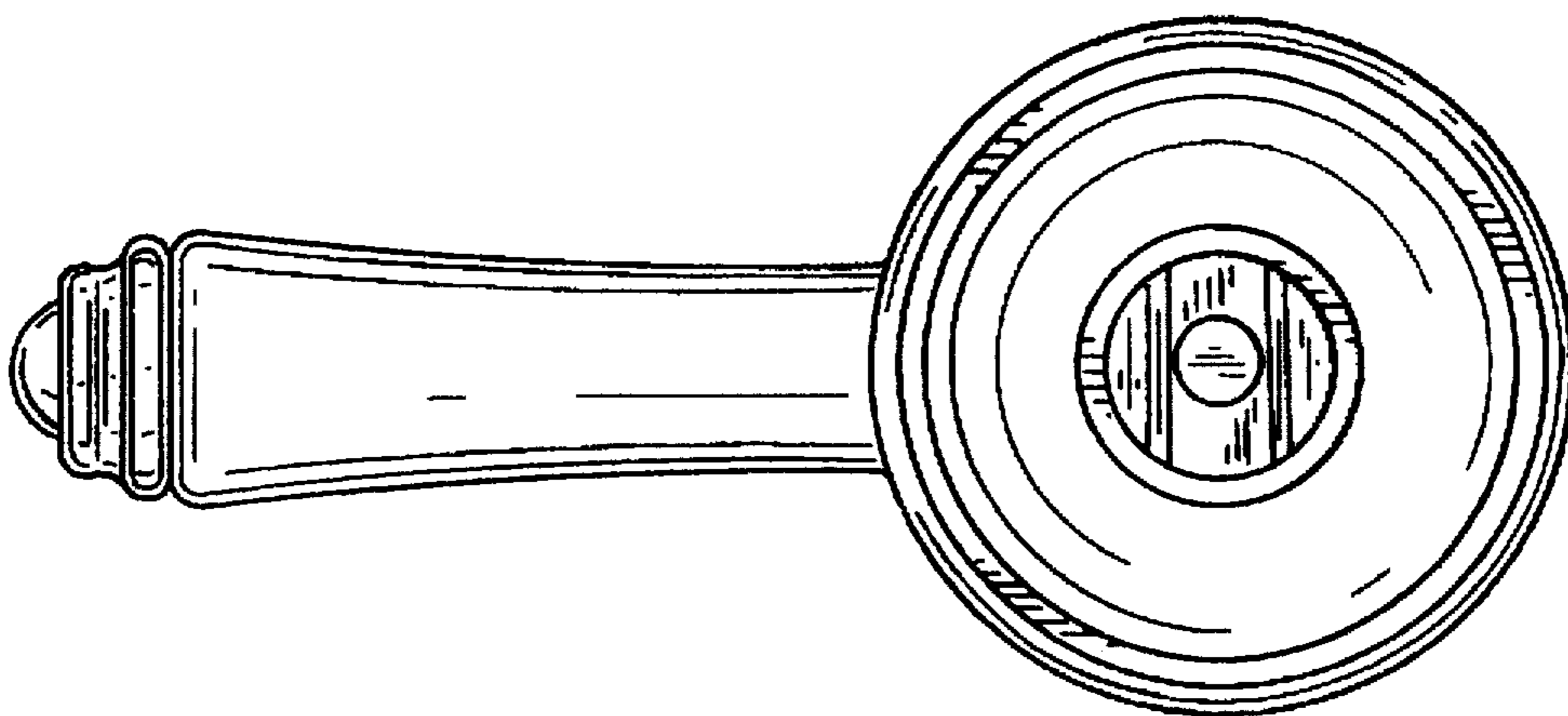


FIG. 14