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[54] **PENCIL SHARPENER**

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Photographs of a pencil sharpener with a yellow bottom portion and a green, red and black upper portion from Faber Castel available to applicant approximately Jan. 25, 1997. Photographs and photocopies of pencil sharpener and packaging for Bulldog Pencil Sharpener, Boston®, © 1996 Hunt Manufacturing Co., Statesville, N.C. 28677 U.S.A.

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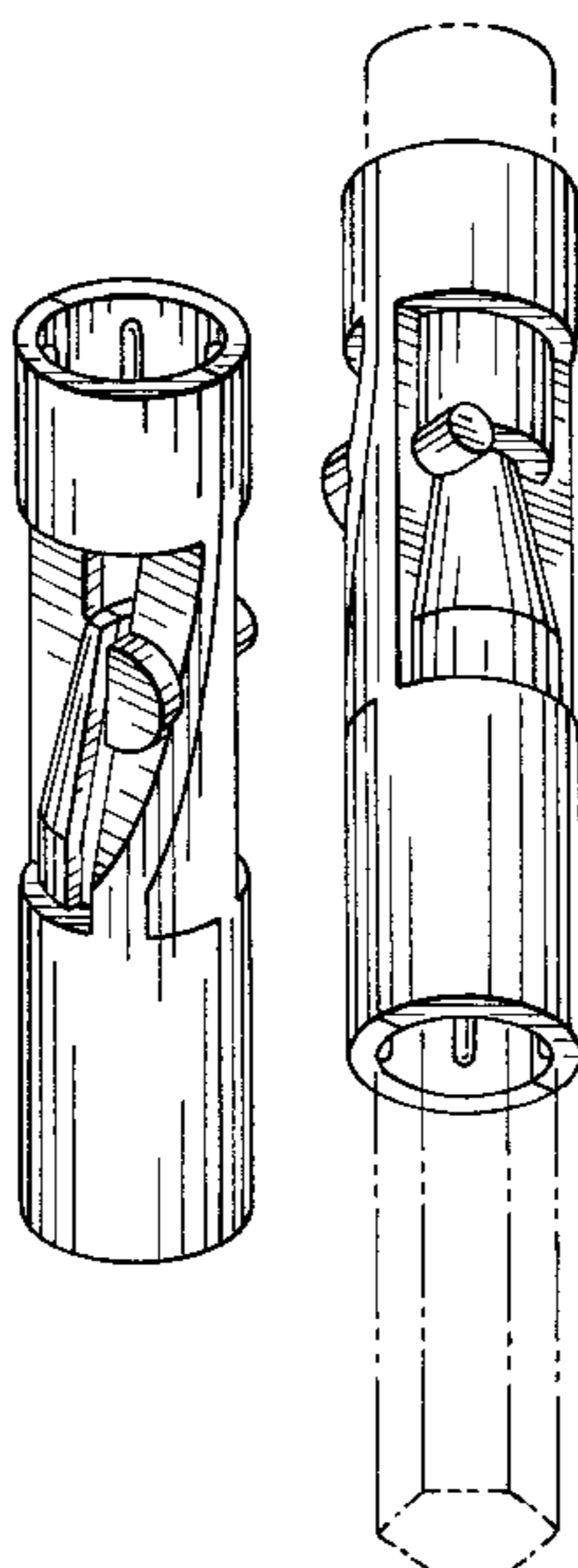
[57] CLAIM

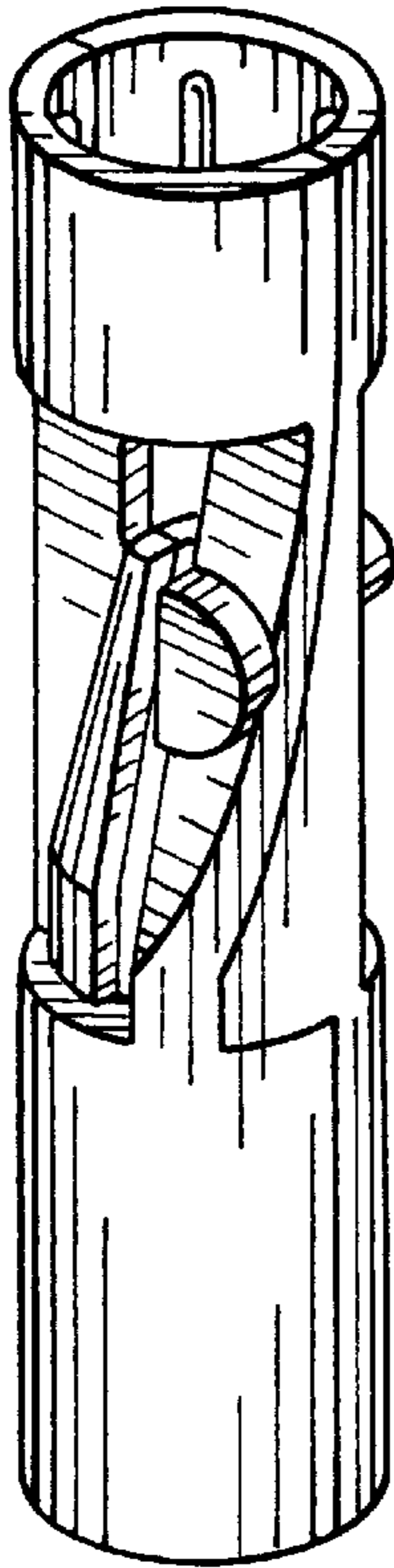
The ornamental design for a pencil sharpener, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

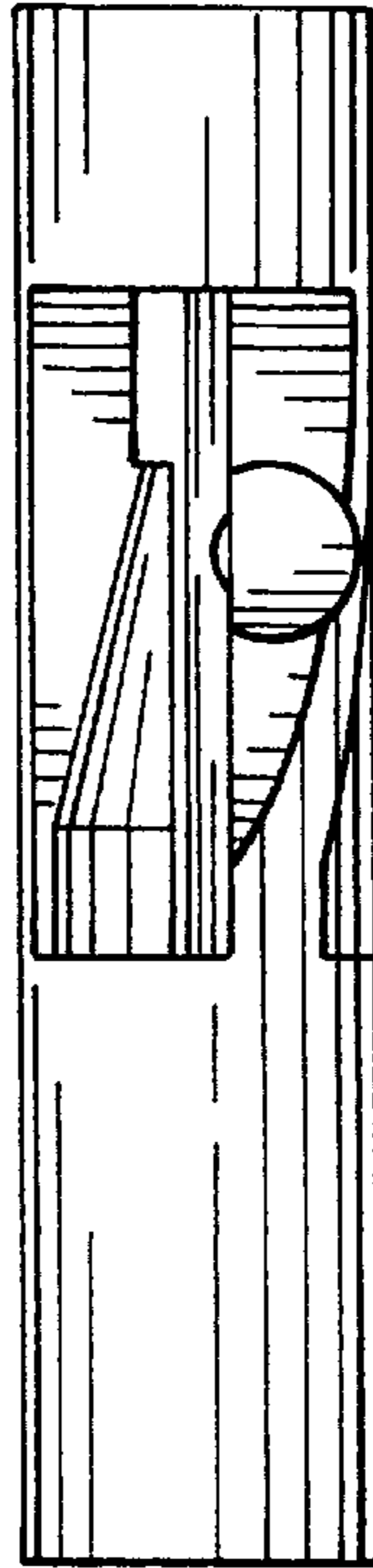
FIG. 1 is a right front top perspective view of the pencil sharpener;
FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a rear view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a right side view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a left side view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a top view thereof;
FIG. 7 is a bottom view thereof; and,
FIG. 8 is a left rear bottom view thereof. The broken lines showing an eraser and a portion of a pencil are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets

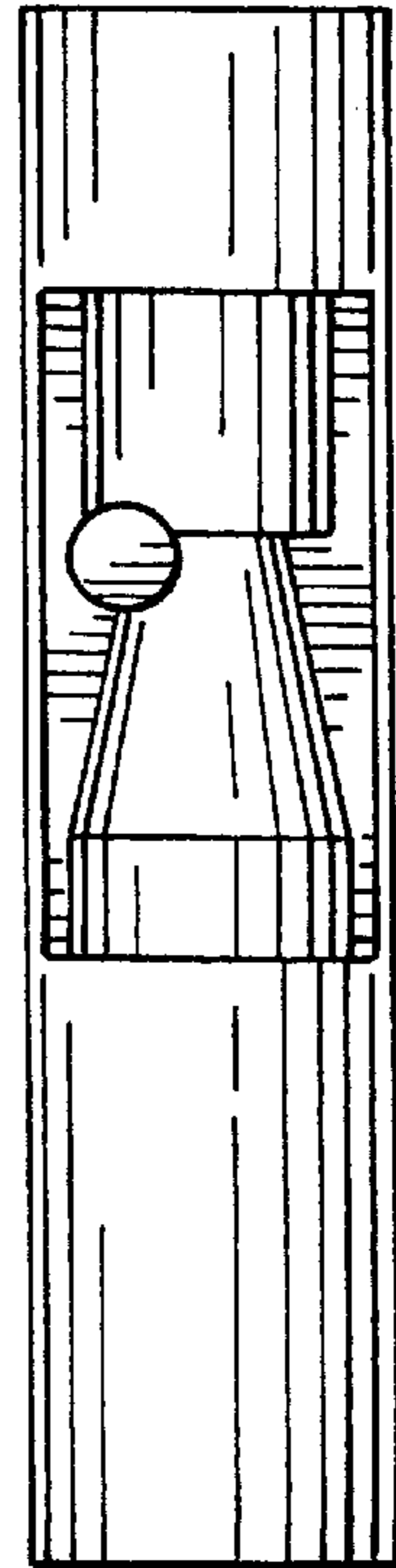




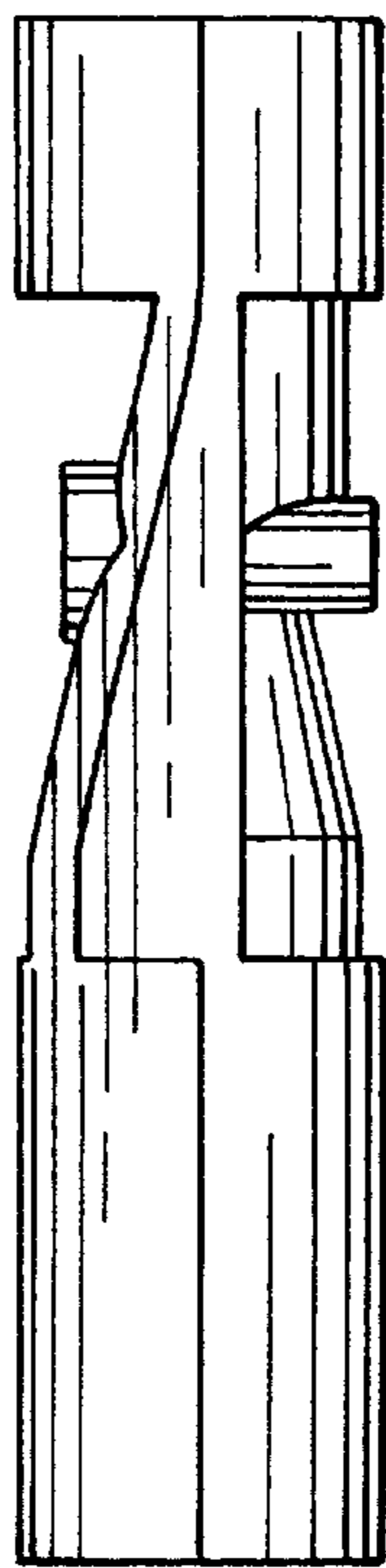
— *FIG. 1.*



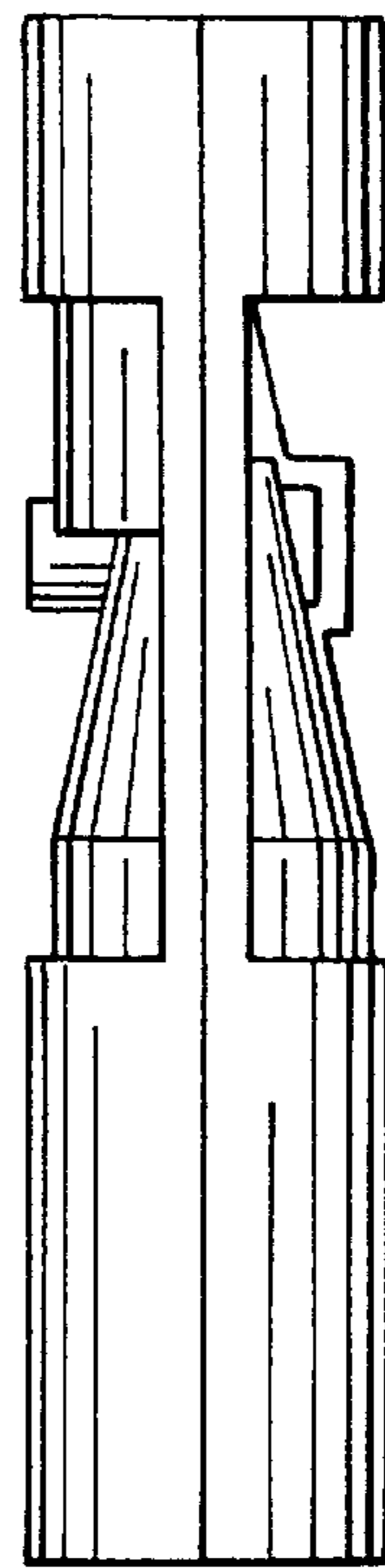
— *FIG. 2.*



— *FIG. 3.*



— *FIG. 4.*



— *FIG. 5.*

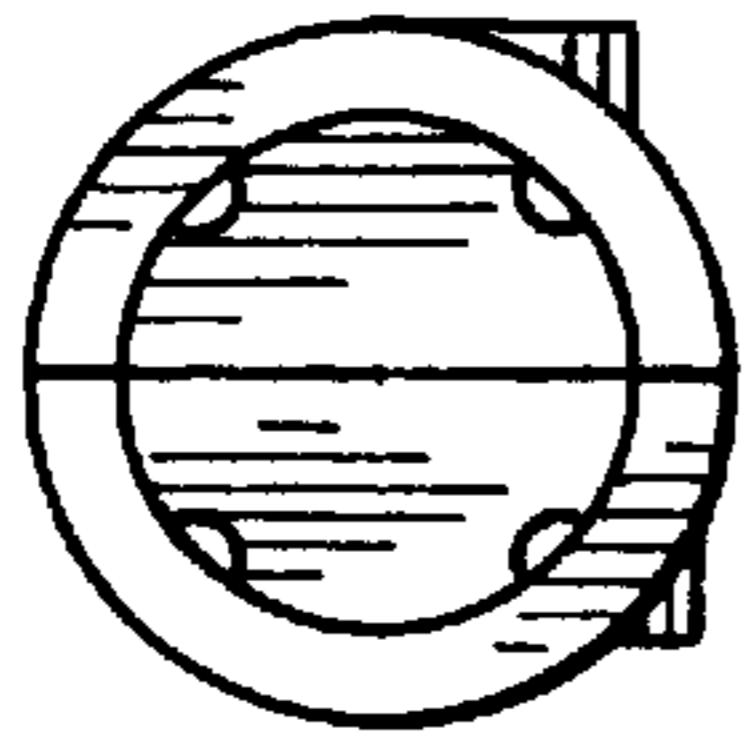


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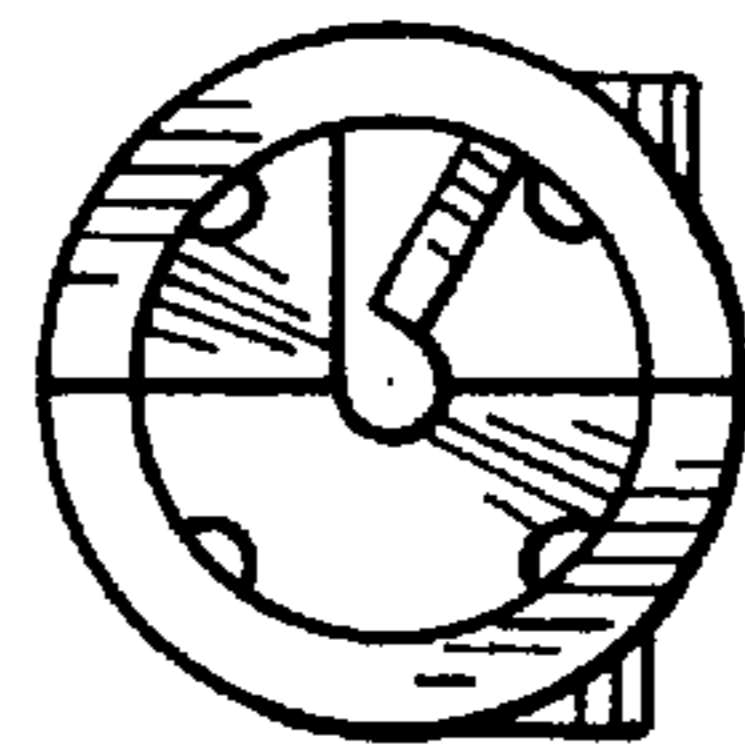


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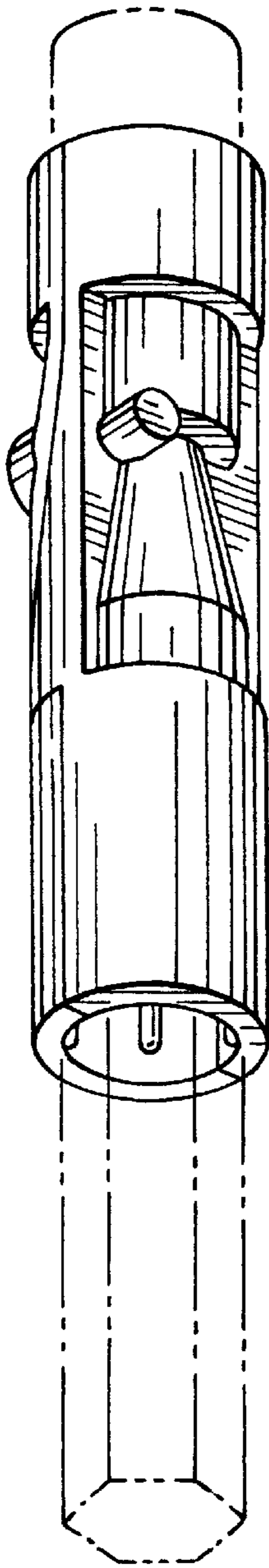


FIG. 8.