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[54] **BLOOD SAMPLING INSTRUMENT**

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a blood sampling instrument, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a right-side elevational view of a blood sampling instrument showing our new design;

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FIG. 2 is a left-side elevational view of FIG. 1;

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FIG. 3 is a top elevational view of FIG. 1;

FIG. 4 is a bottom elevational view of FIG. 1; and,

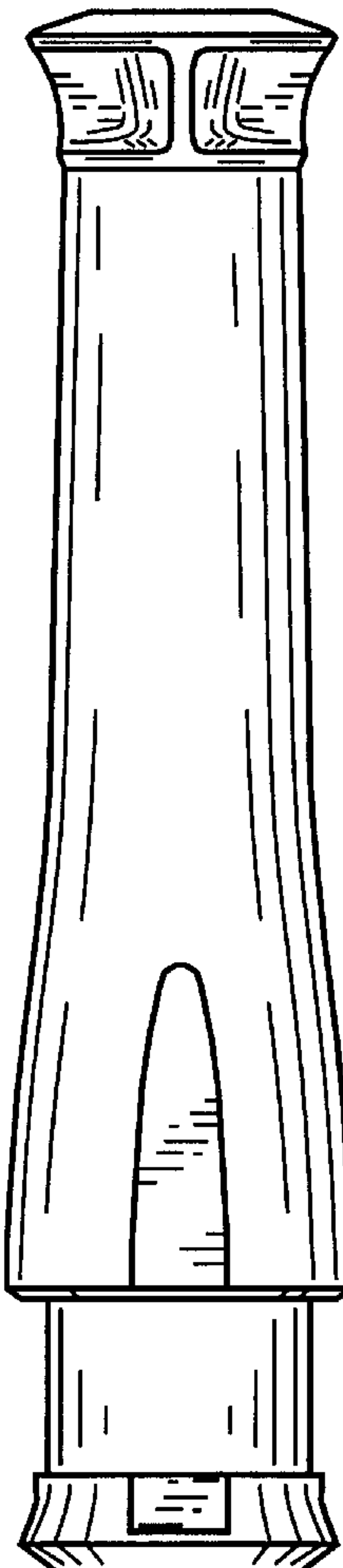
FIG. 5 is a top perspective view of FIG. 1.

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1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



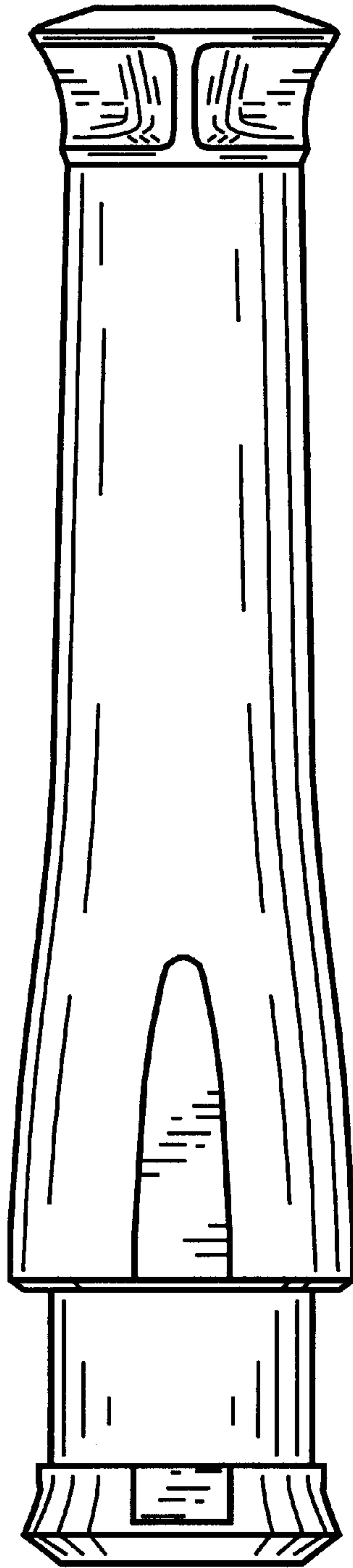


FIG. 1

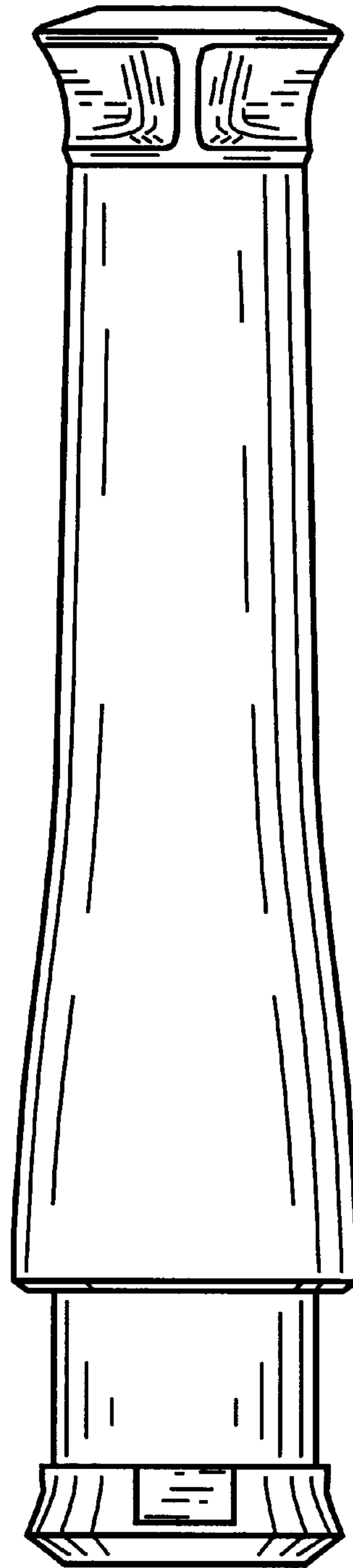


FIG. 2

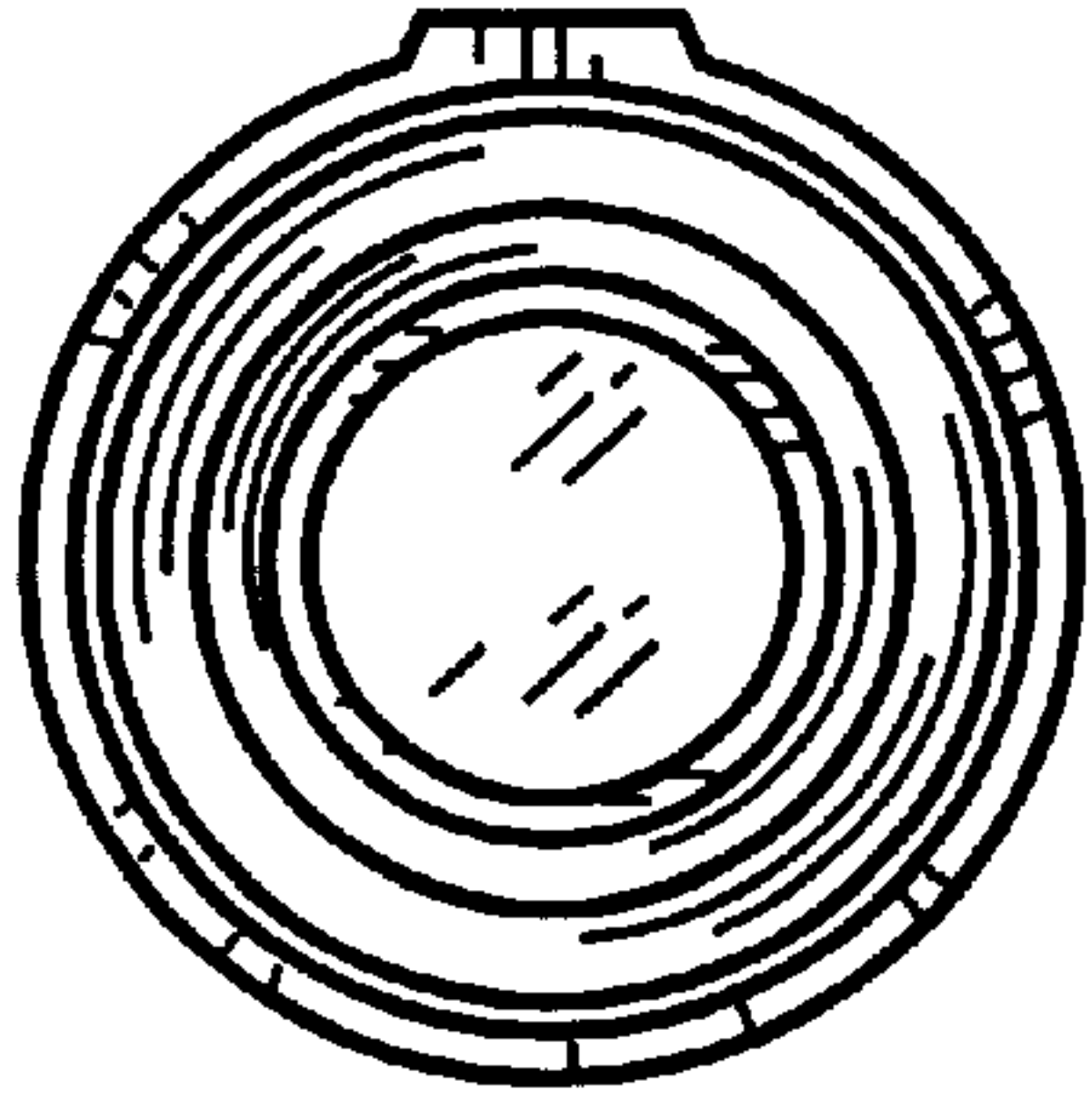


FIG. 4

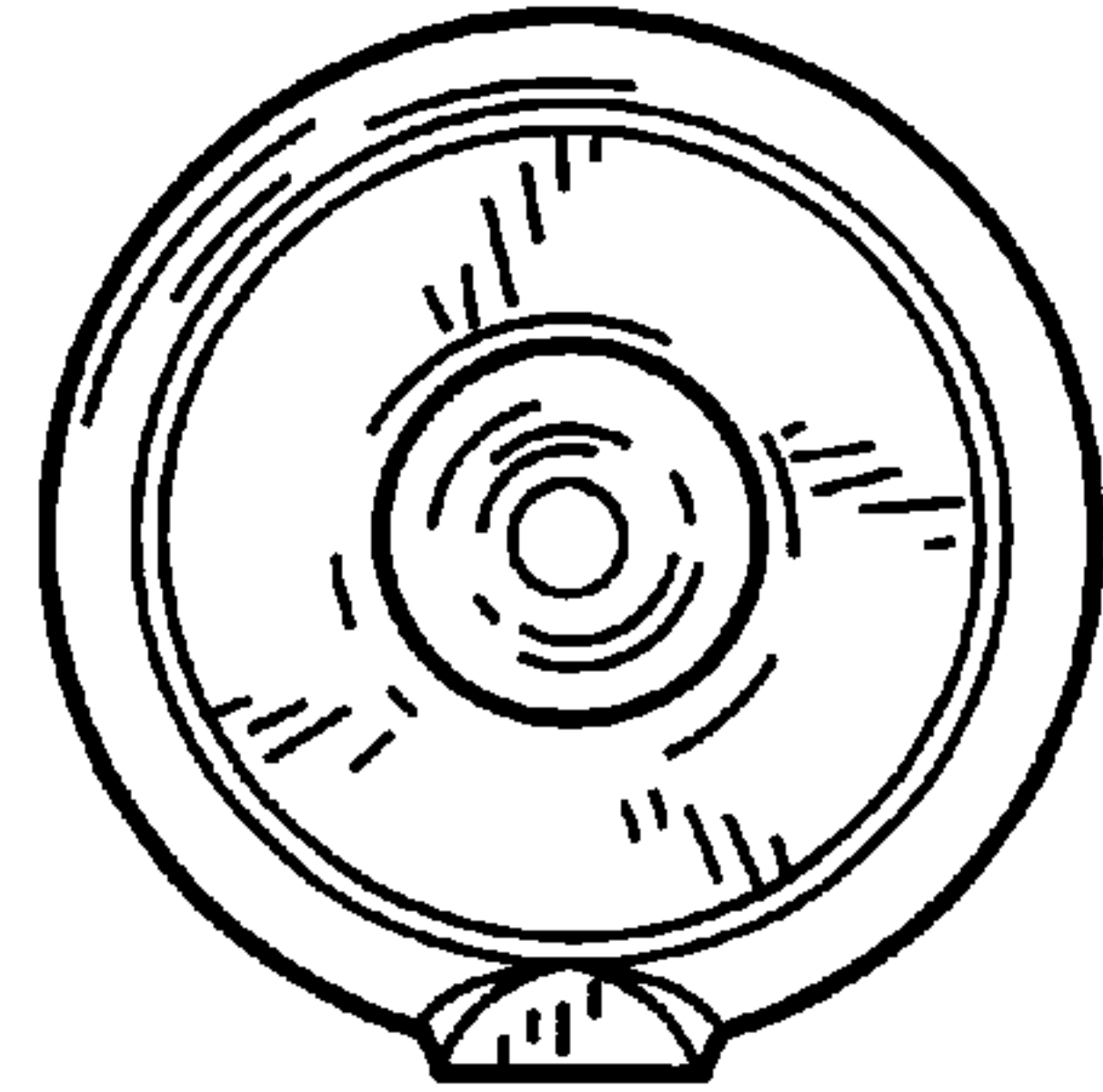


FIG. 3

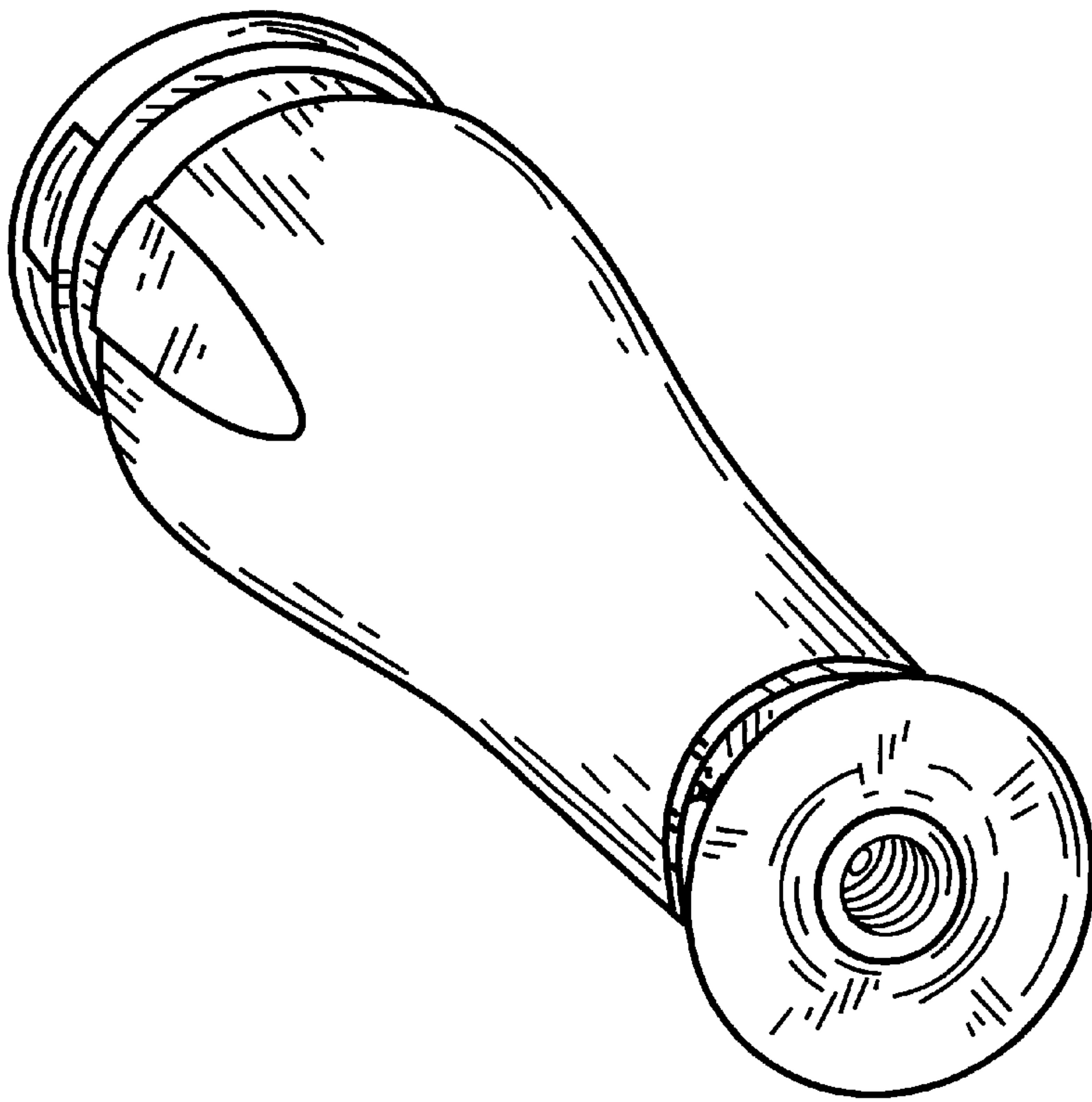


FIG. 5