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[54] **NEEDLE SHIELD**  
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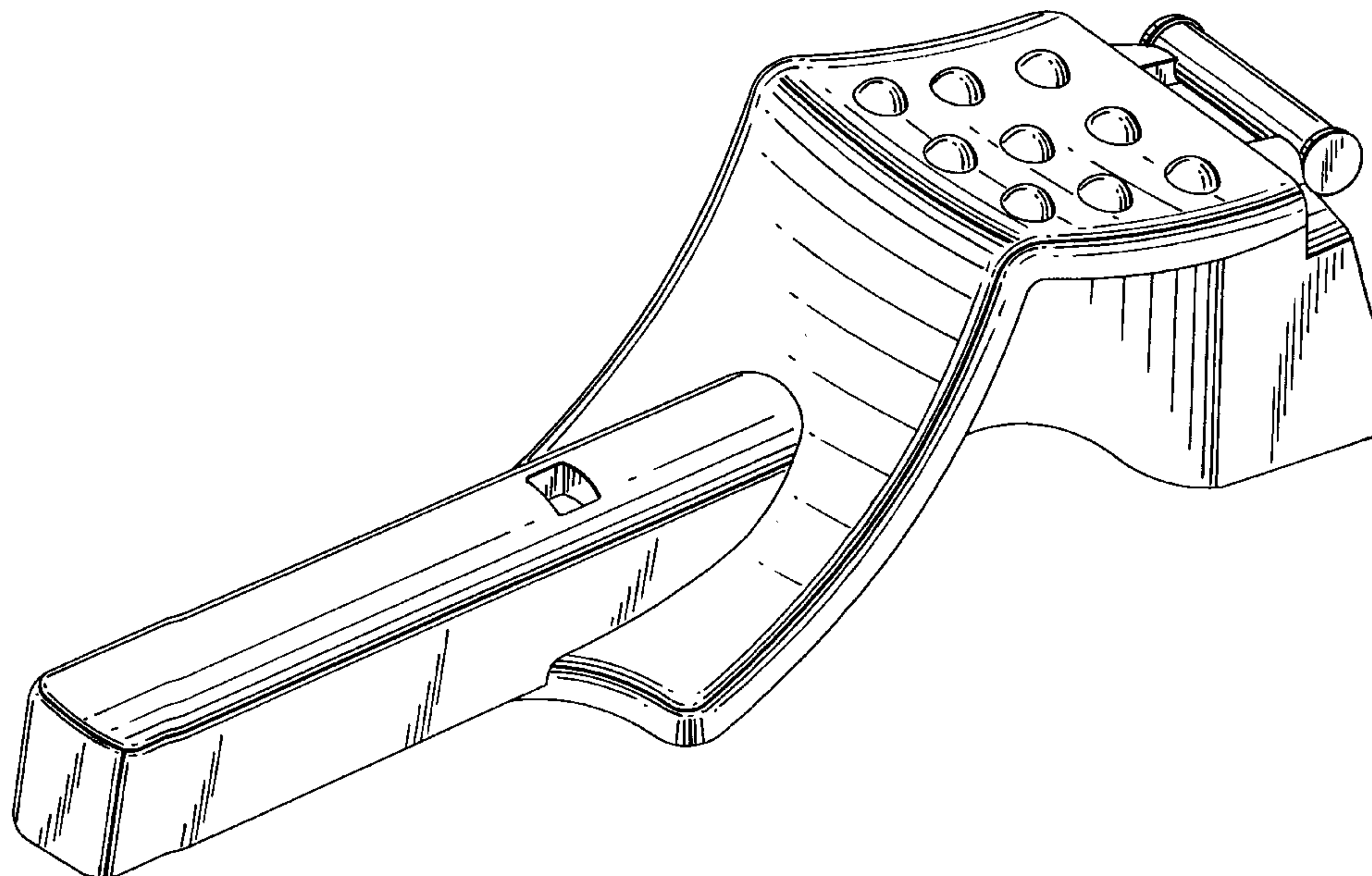
[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a needle shield, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the needle shield;  
FIG. 2 is a forward elevational view of the needle shield of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 3 is a rearward elevational view of the needle shield of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 4 is a top plan view of the needle shield of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 5 is a side elevational view of the needle shield of FIG. 1; and,  
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view of the needle shield of FIG. 1.

**1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets**



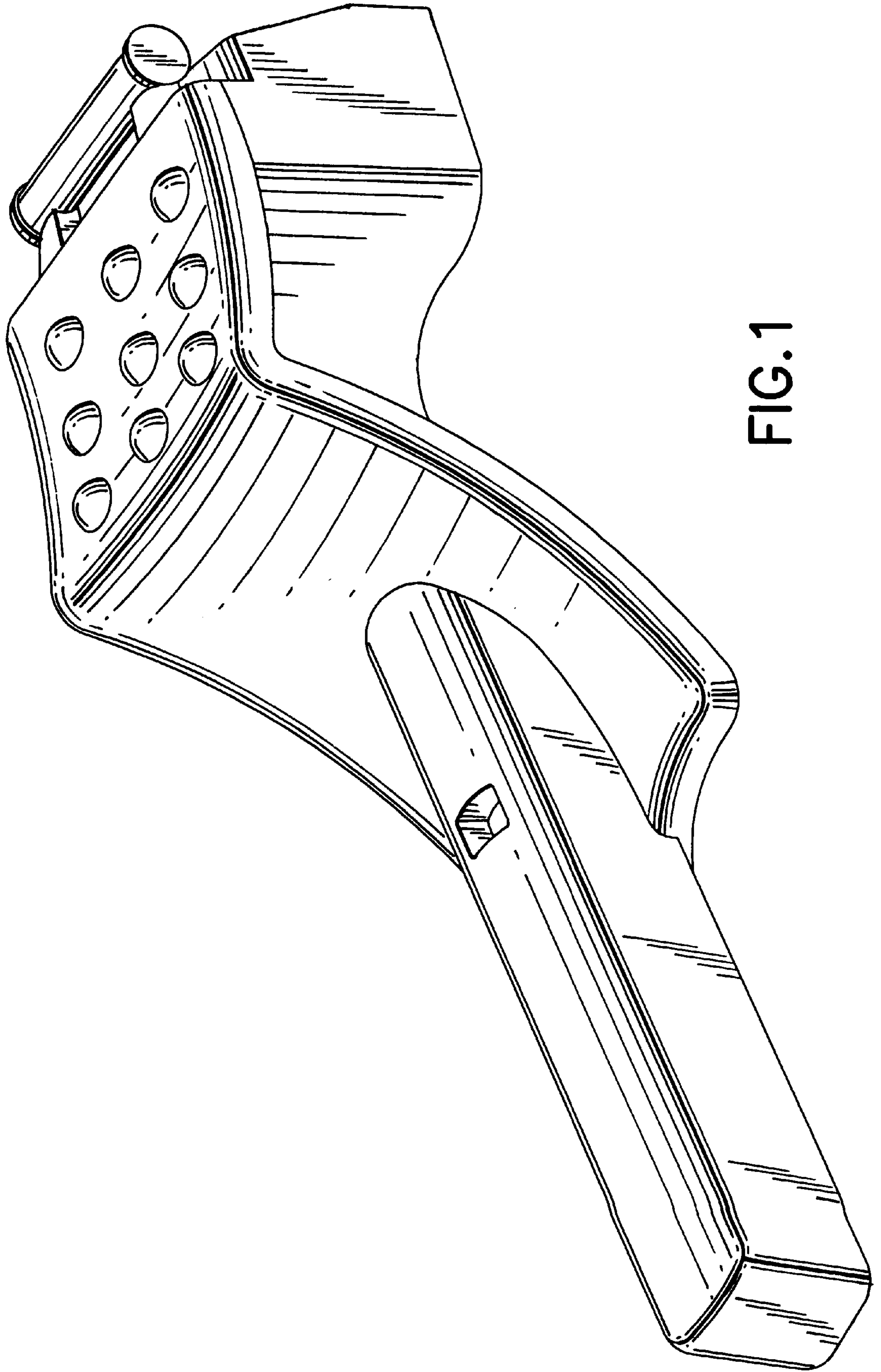


FIG. 1

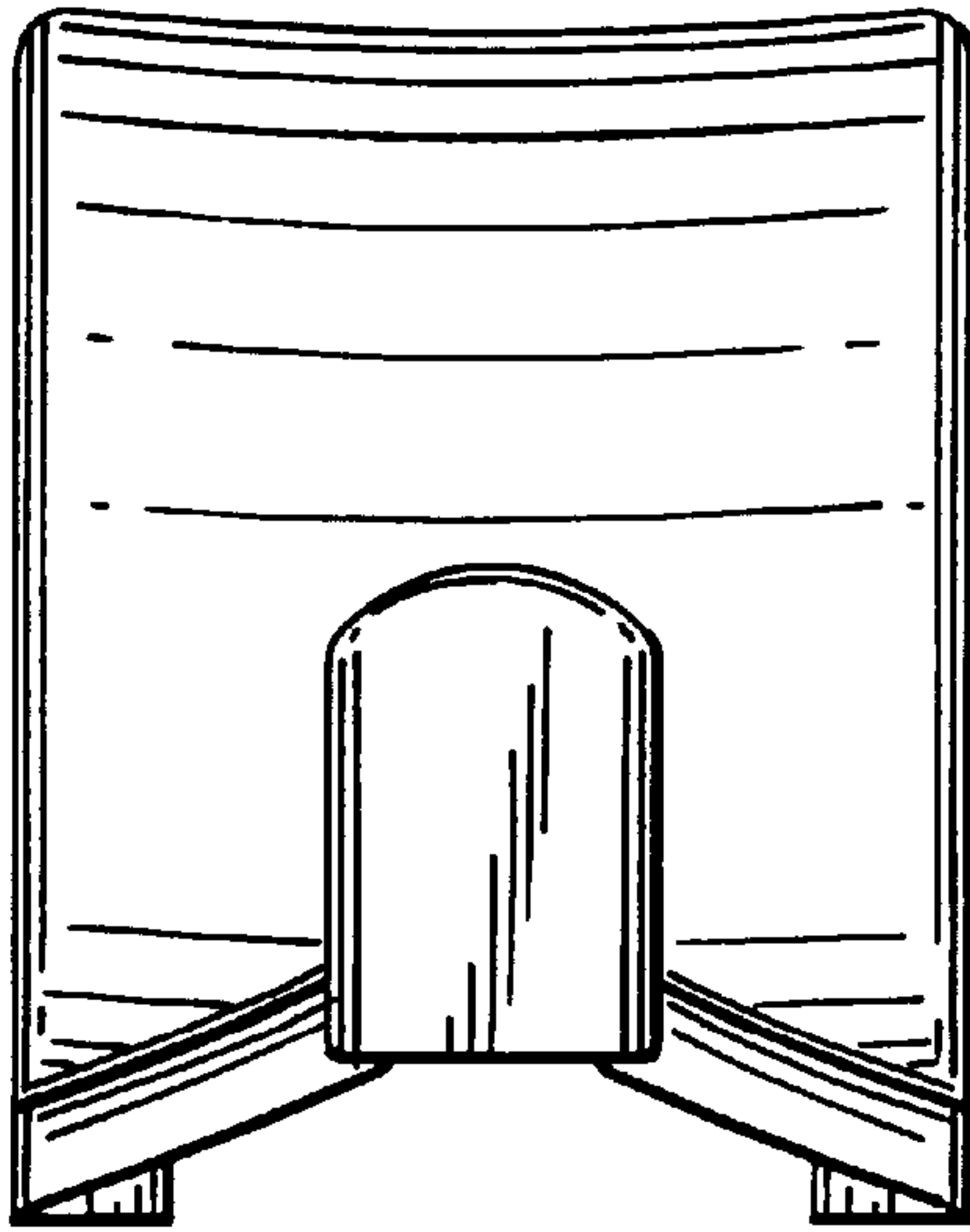


FIG. 2

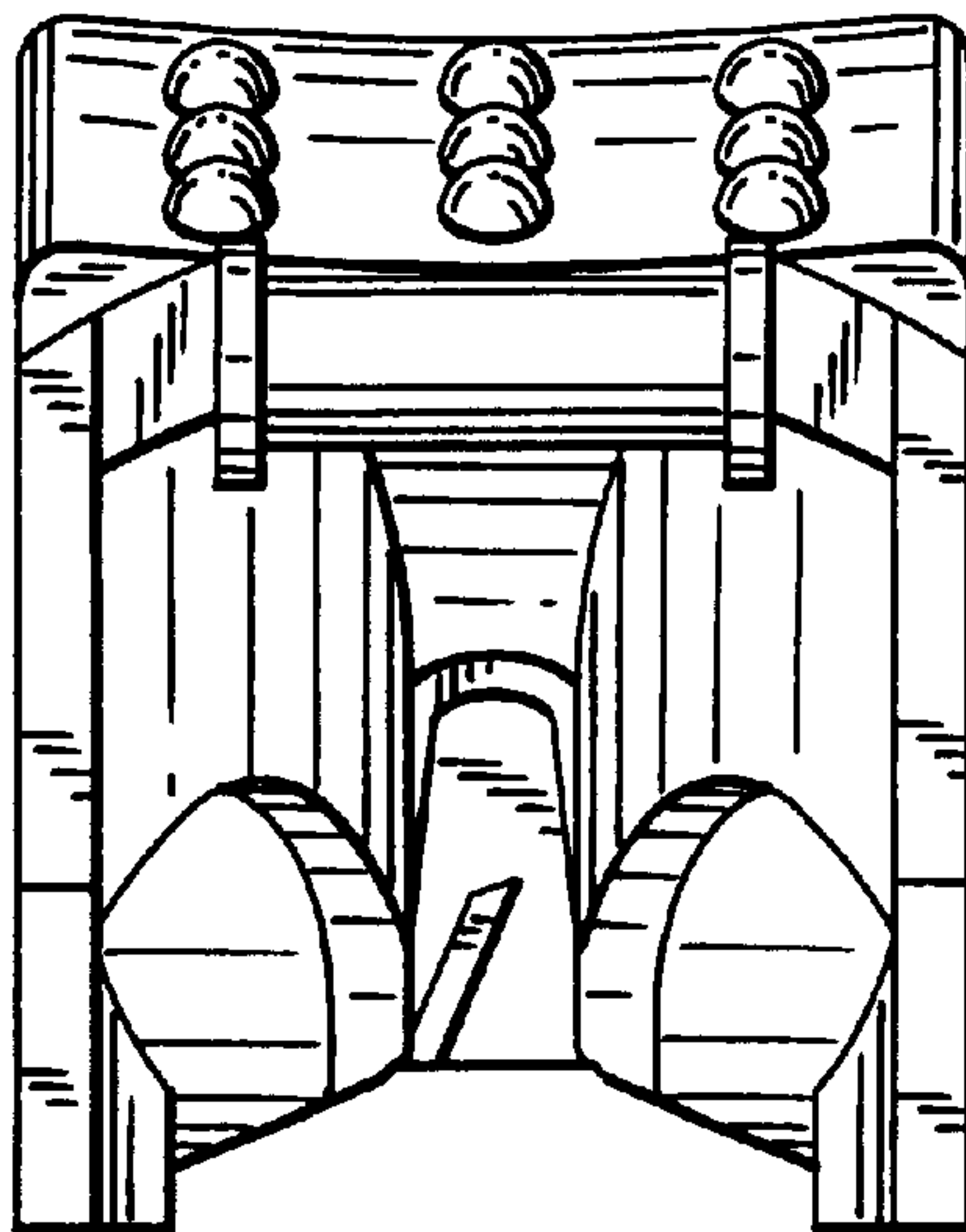


FIG. 3

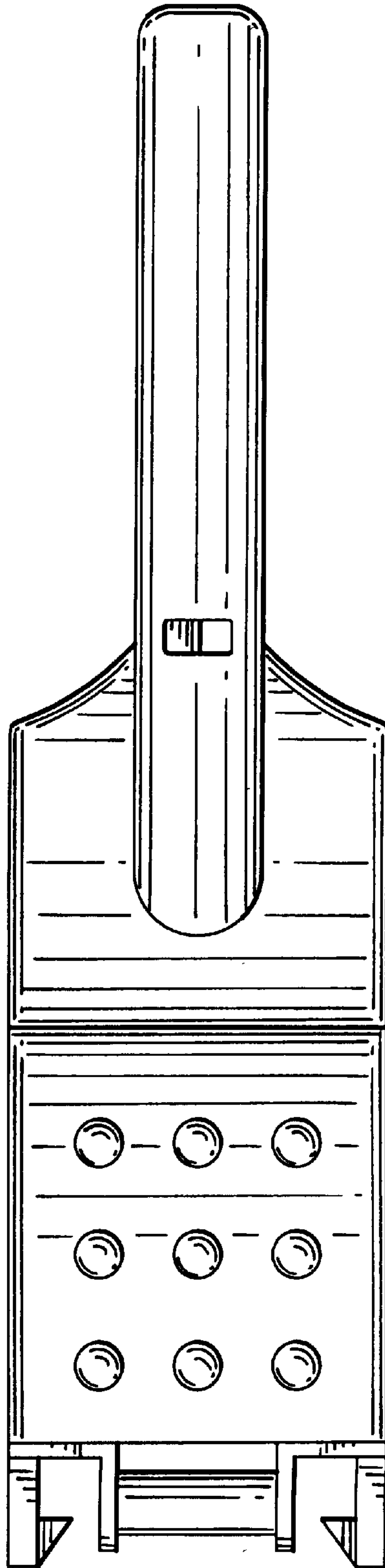


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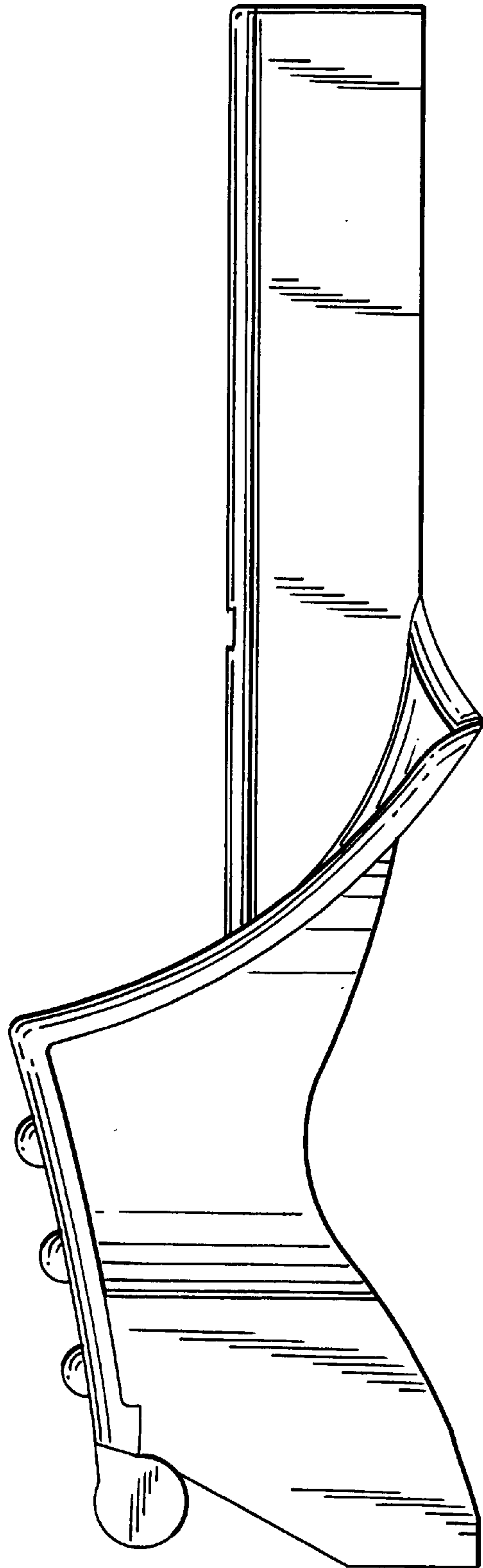


FIG.5



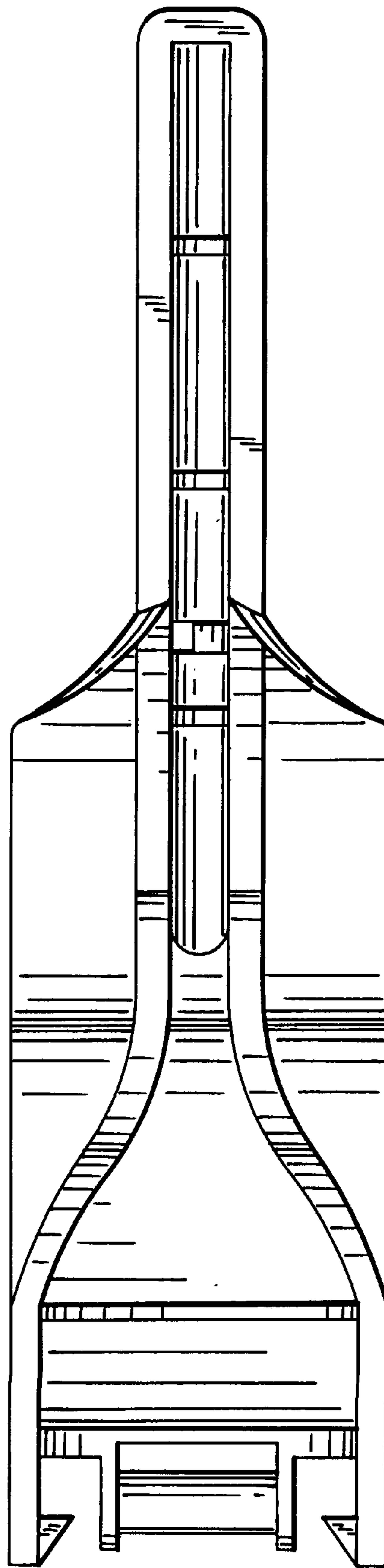


FIG. 6