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[54] **JOINT AND ARM PORTIONS OF SPRING BIASED HINGE**

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[57] CLAIM

We claim the ornamental design for a joint and arm portions of spring biased hinge, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of joint and arm portions of a spring biased hinge showing our new design, with the two pivotally connected arms of the hinge extending substantially parallel, and with typical arm portions that comprise no part of the design being depicted by broken lines;

FIG. 2 is a bottom plan view thereof;

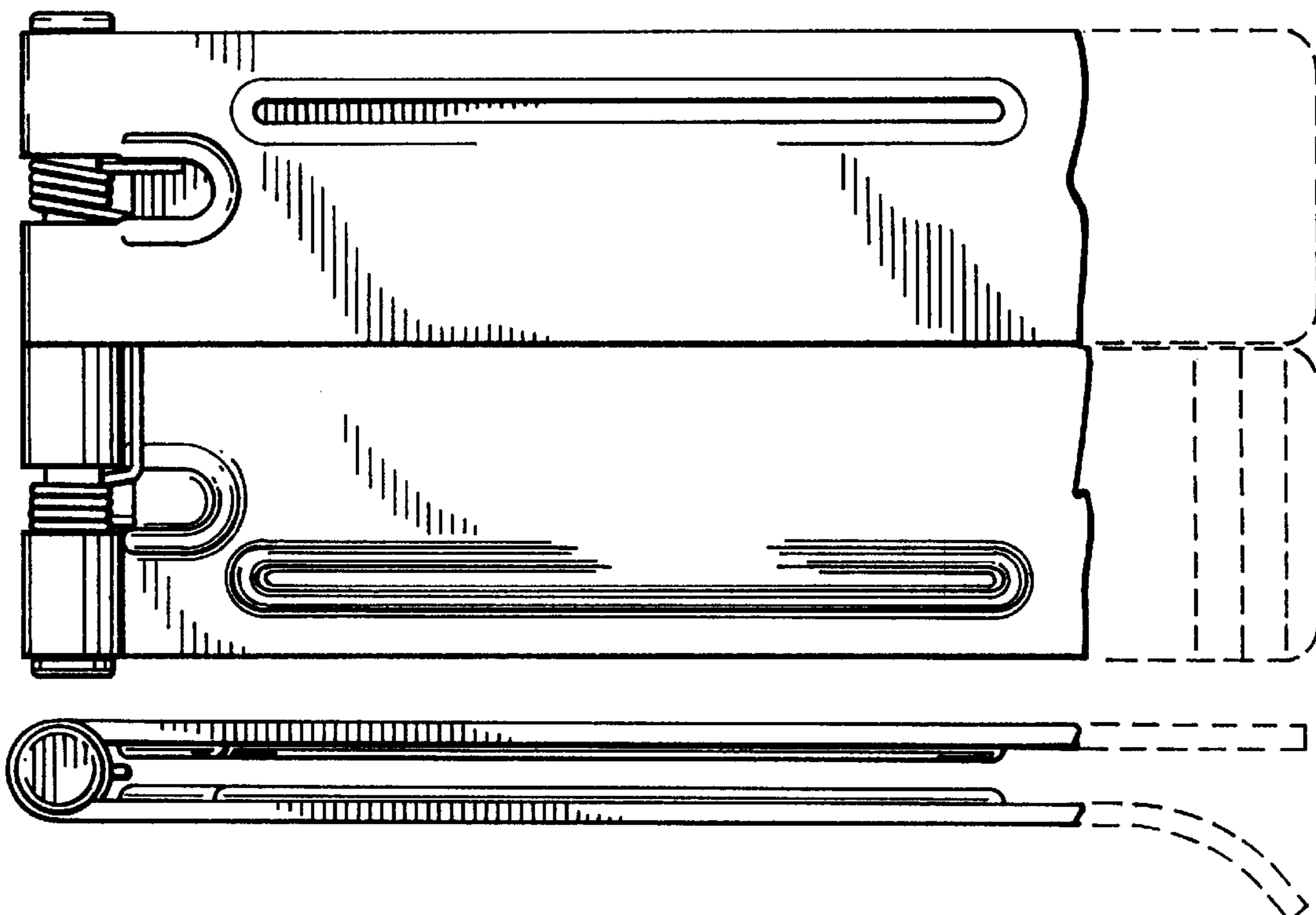
FIG. 3 is a right end elevational view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a left end elevational view thereof; and,

FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof.

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1 Claim, 2 Drawing Sheets



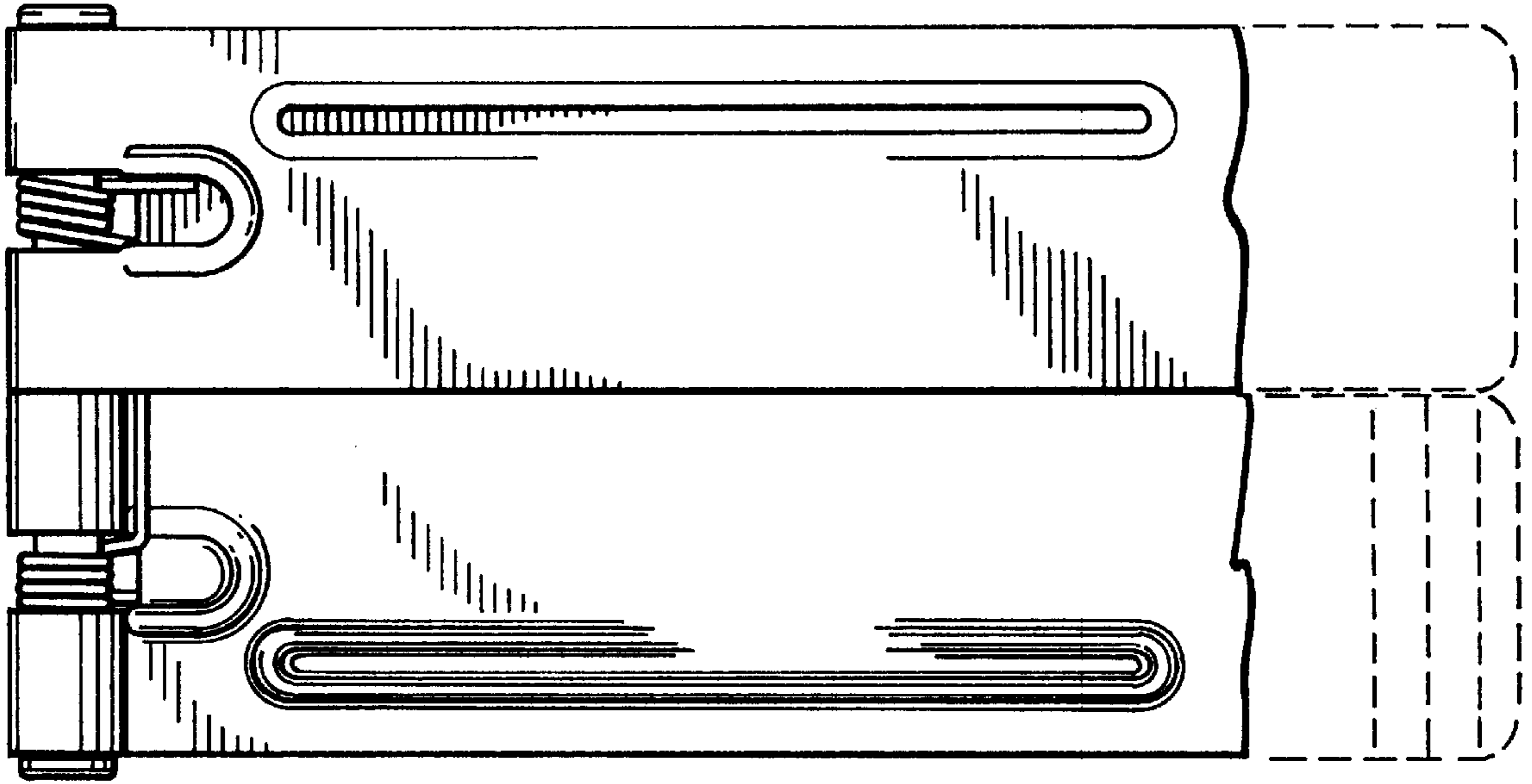


FIG. 1

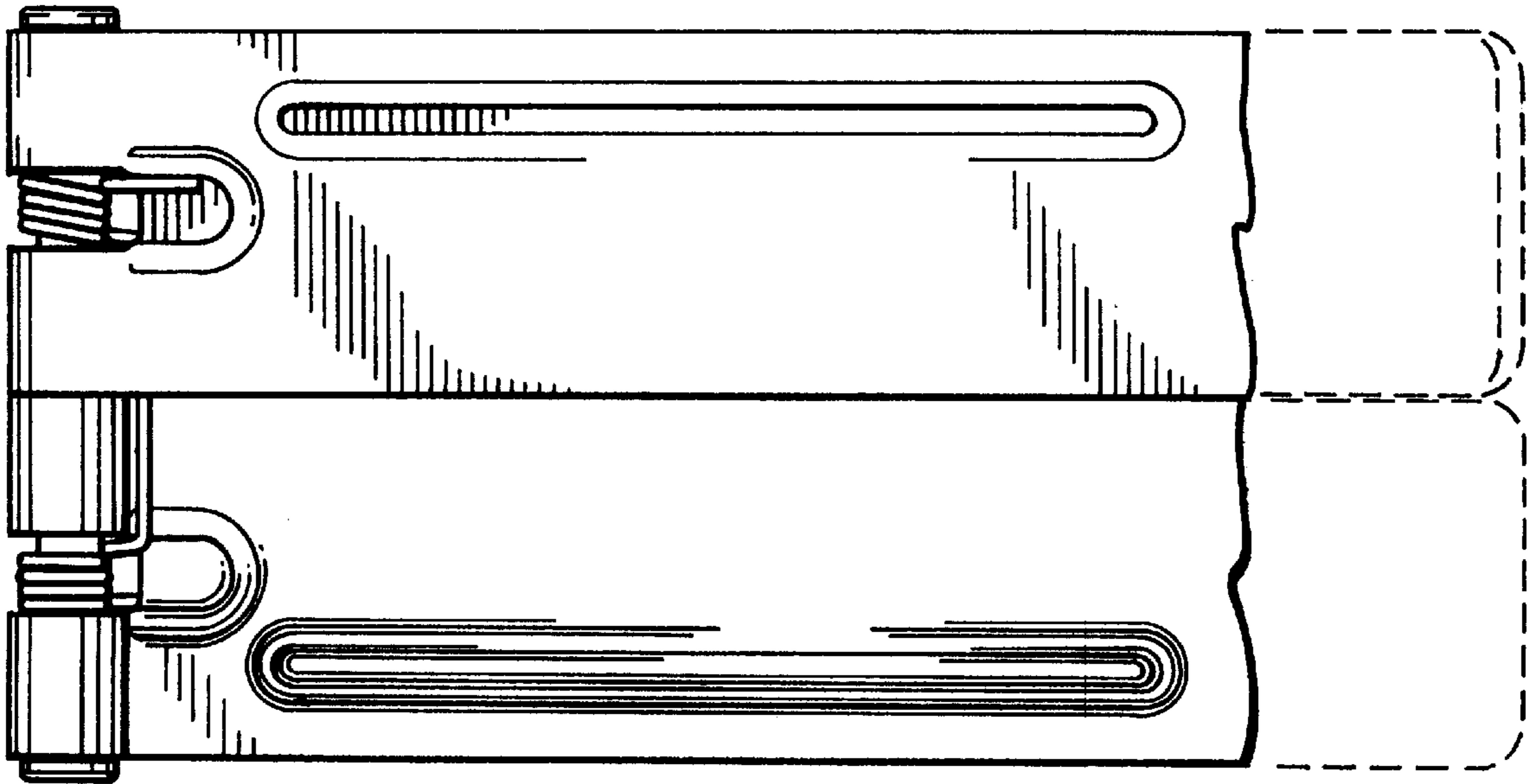


FIG. 2

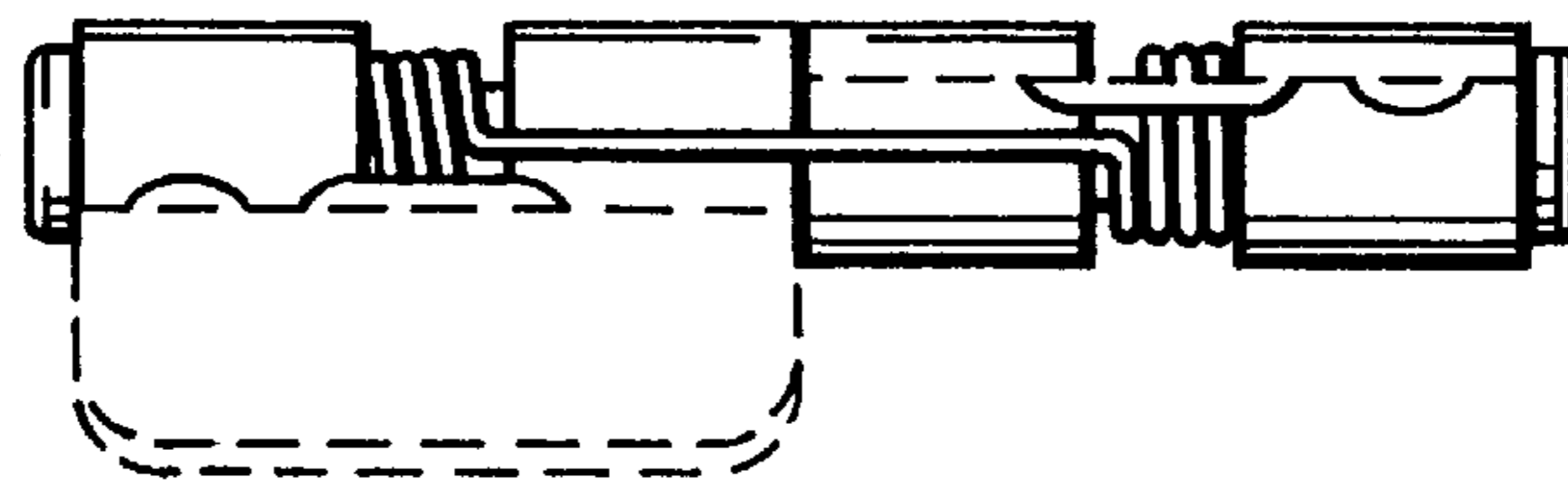


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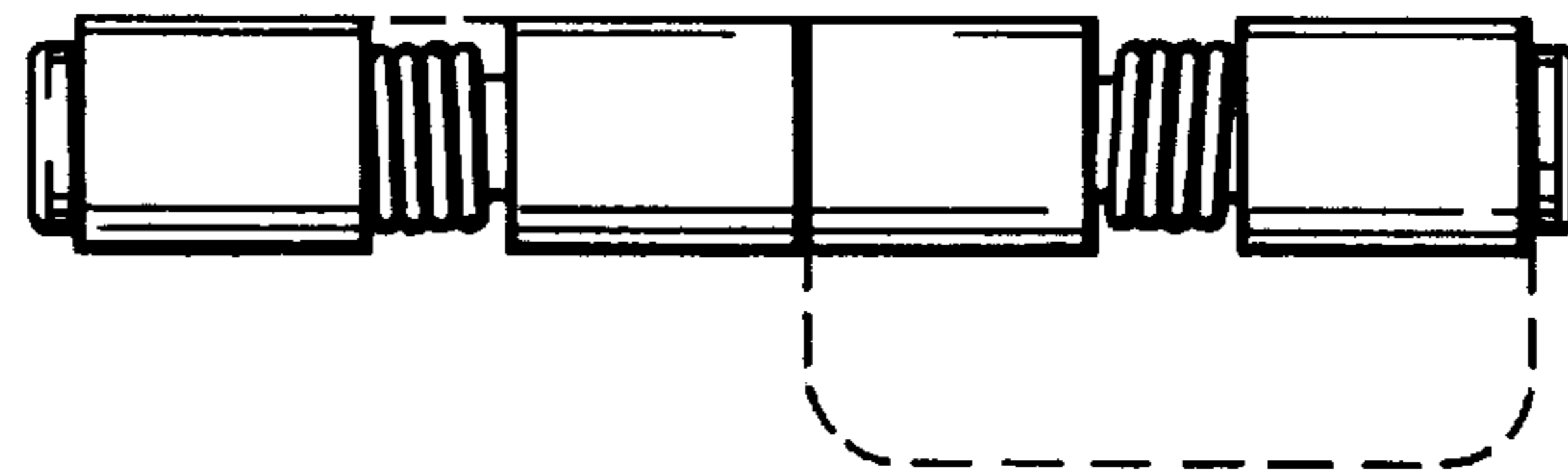


FIG. 4

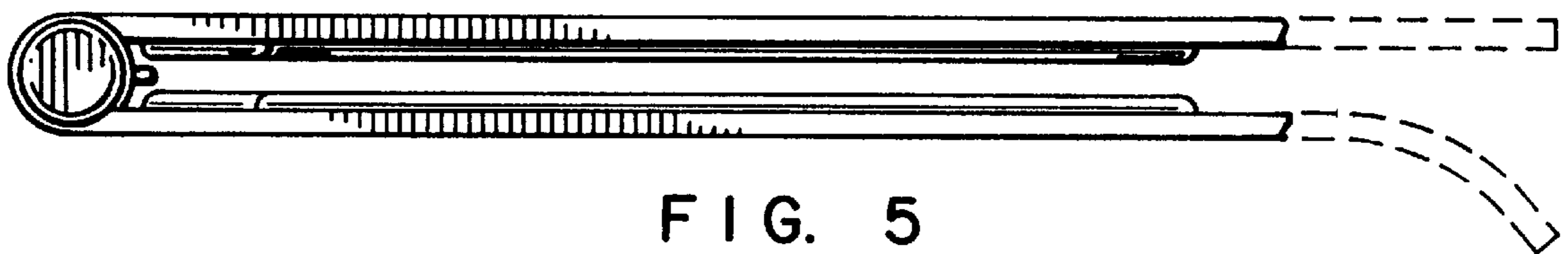


FIG. 5