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(54) **NOSTRIL DILATOR**

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(57) **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a nostril dilator, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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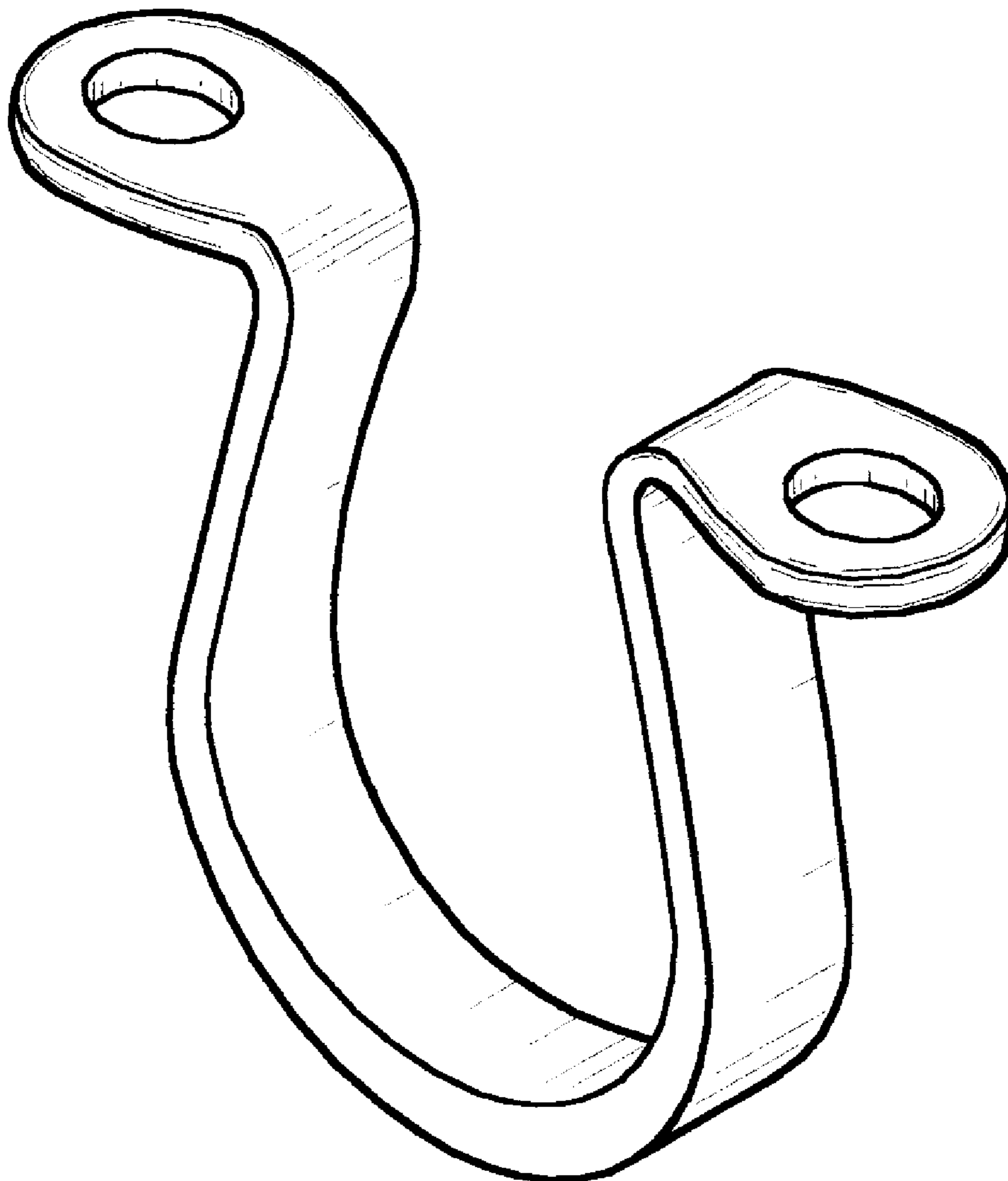
FIG. 1 is a top, front, right side perspective view of the nostril dilator of the present invention;  
FIG. 2 is a front elevational view of the nostril dilator of FIG. 1, the rear view being a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a left side elevational view of the nostril dilator of FIG. 1, the right view being a mirror image thereof;  
FIG. 4 is a top plan view of the nostril dilator of FIG. 1; and,  
FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view of the nostril dilator of FIG. 1.

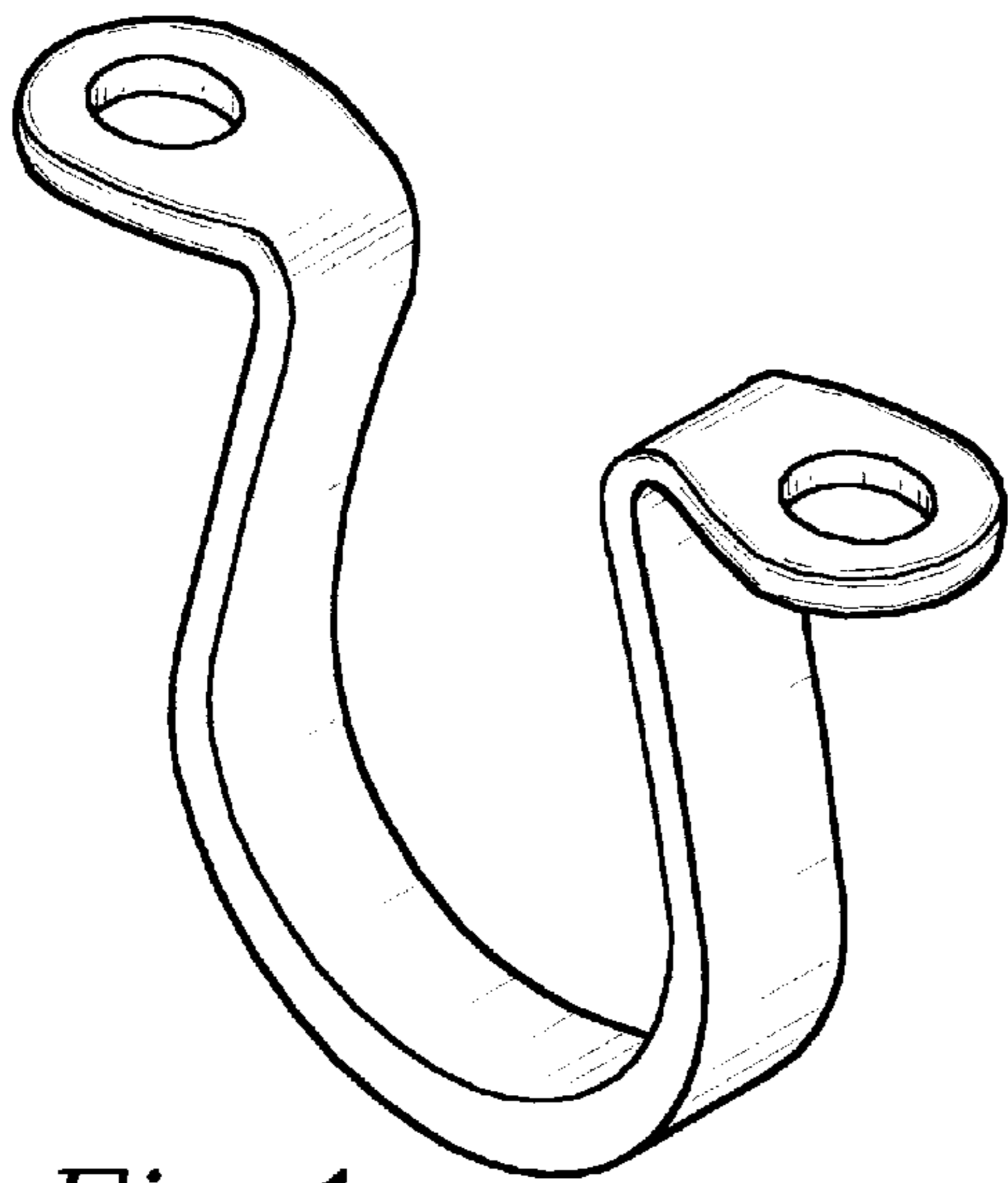
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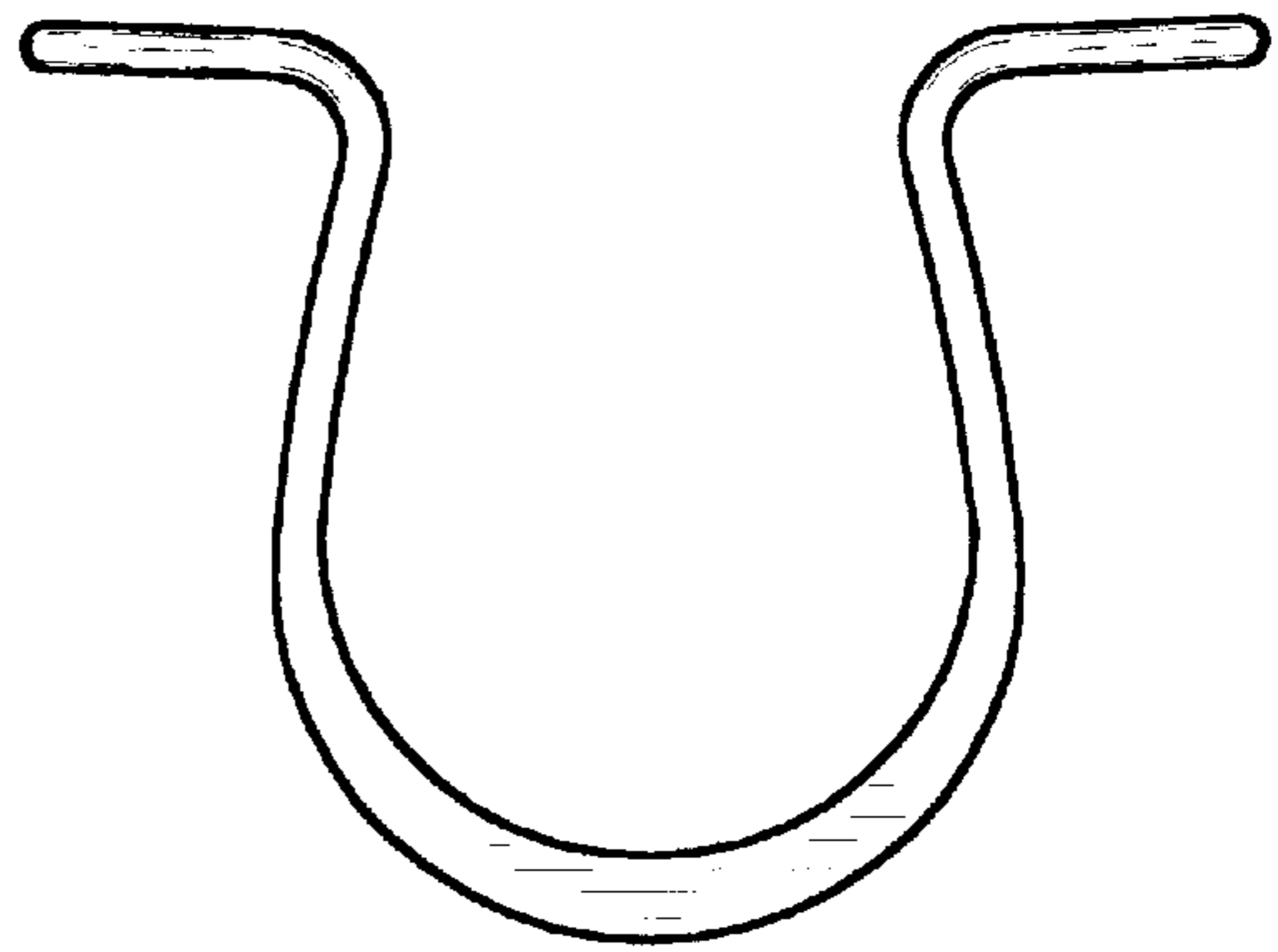
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**1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet**

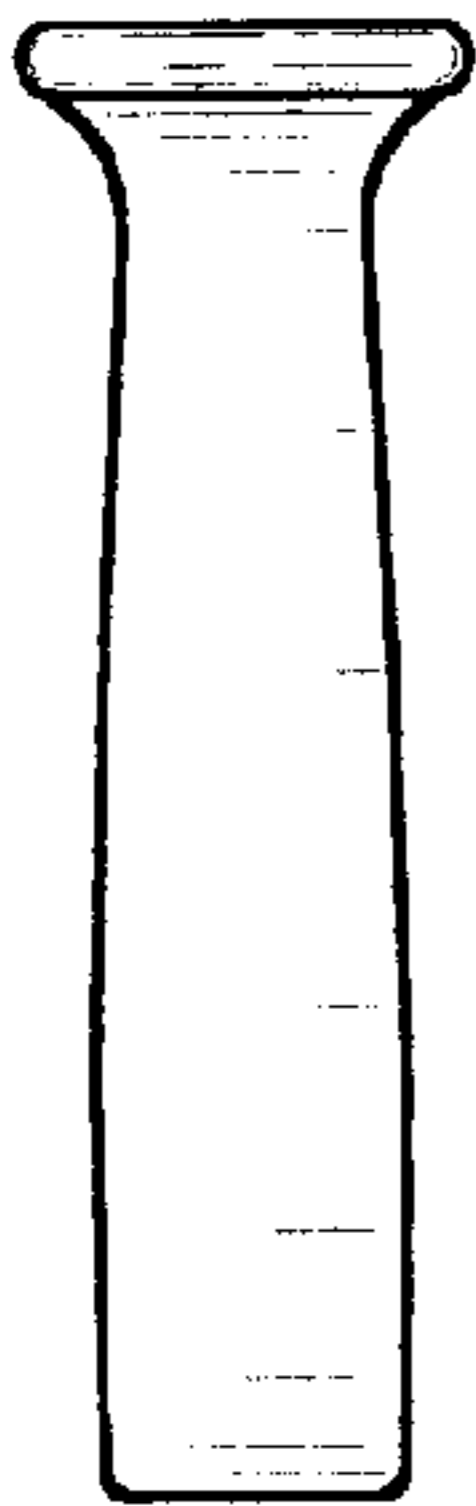




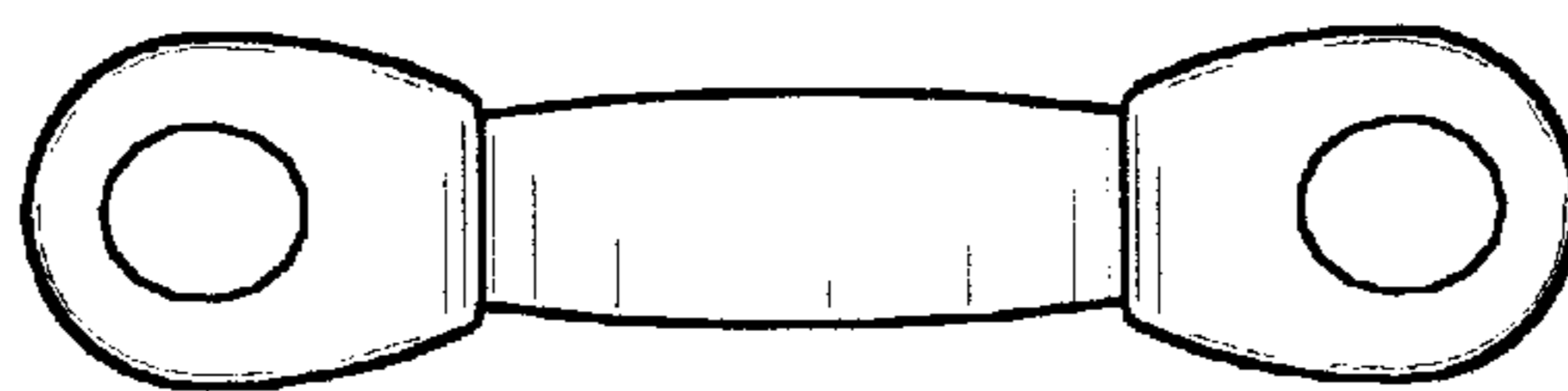
*Fig. 1*



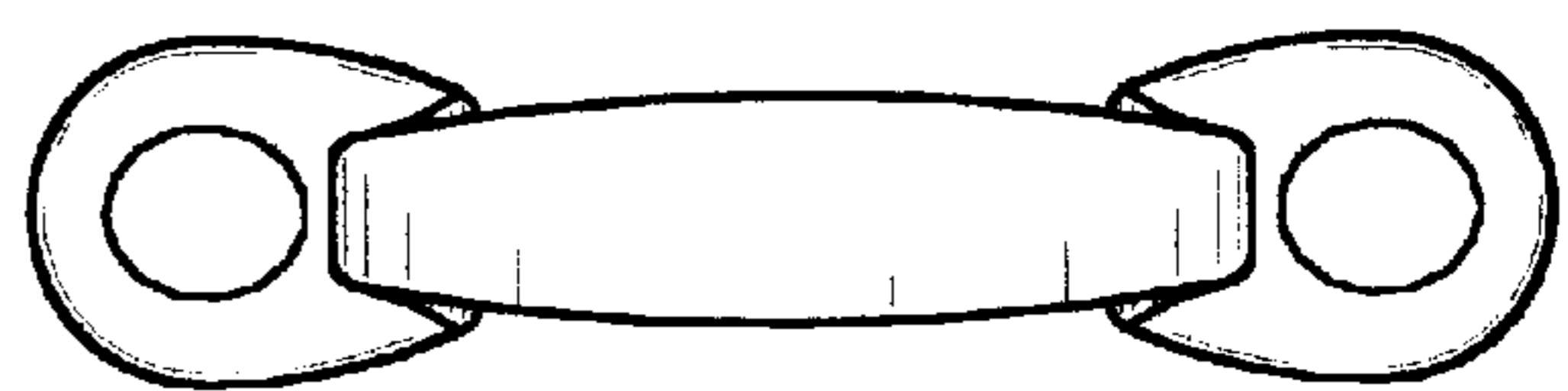
*Fig. 2*



*Fig. 3*



*Fig. 4*



*Fig. 5*