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(54) **NEEDLE-NOSE SPRING CLAMP**

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The ornamental design for a needle-nose spring clamp, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front view of the needle-nose spring clamp of my invention;

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FIG. 2 is a side view taken from the right side of FIG. 1 of the needle-nose spring clamp of my invention;

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FIG. 3 is a side view taken from the left side of FIG. 1 of the needle-nose spring clamp of my invention;

FIG. 4 is a back view of the needle-nose spring clamp of my invention;

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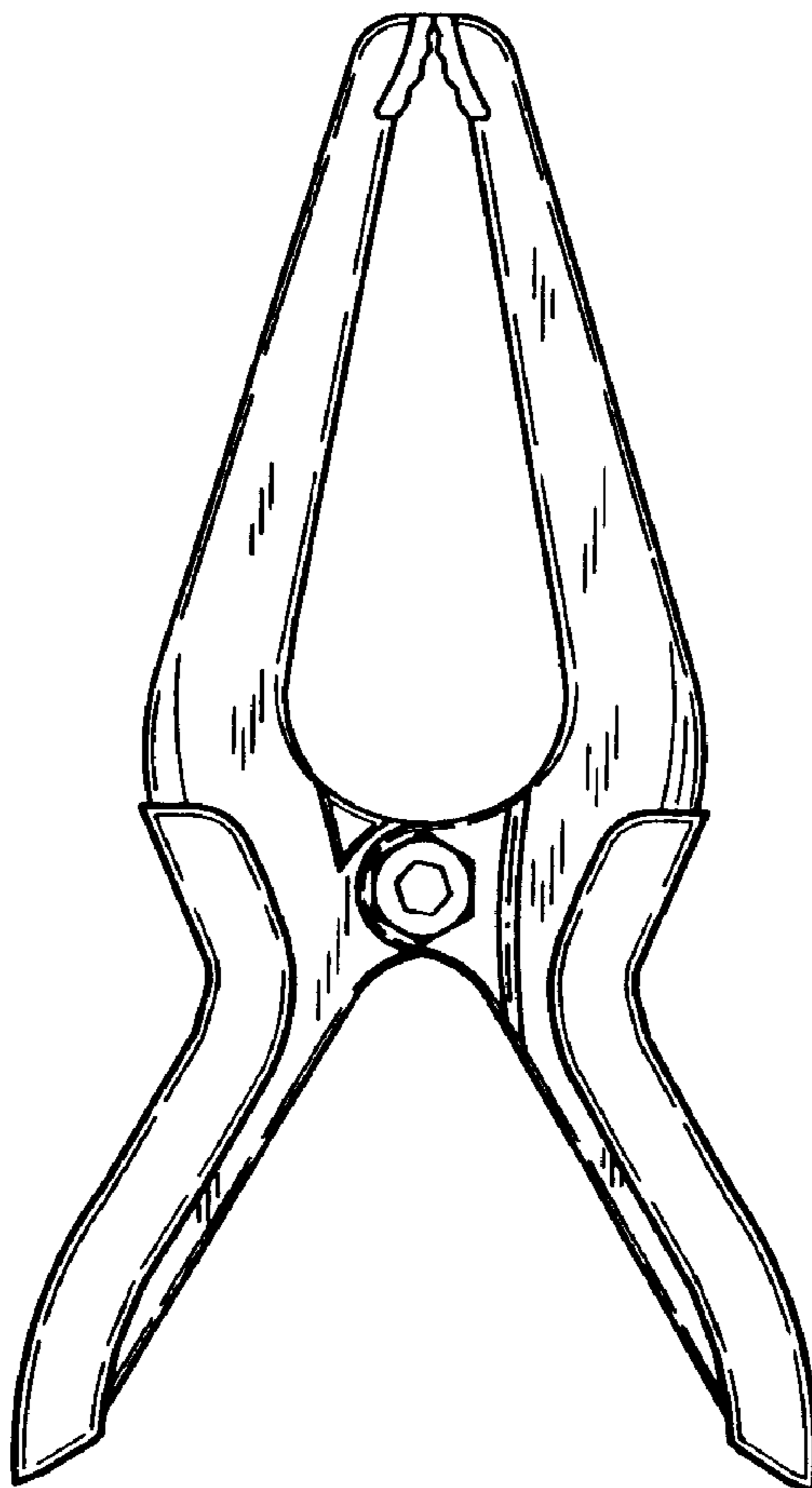
FIG. 5 is a plan view of the end of the needle-nose spring clamp of my invention; and,

FIG. 6 is a end view taken from the handle end of the needle-nose spring clamp.

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1 Claim, 1 Drawing Sheet



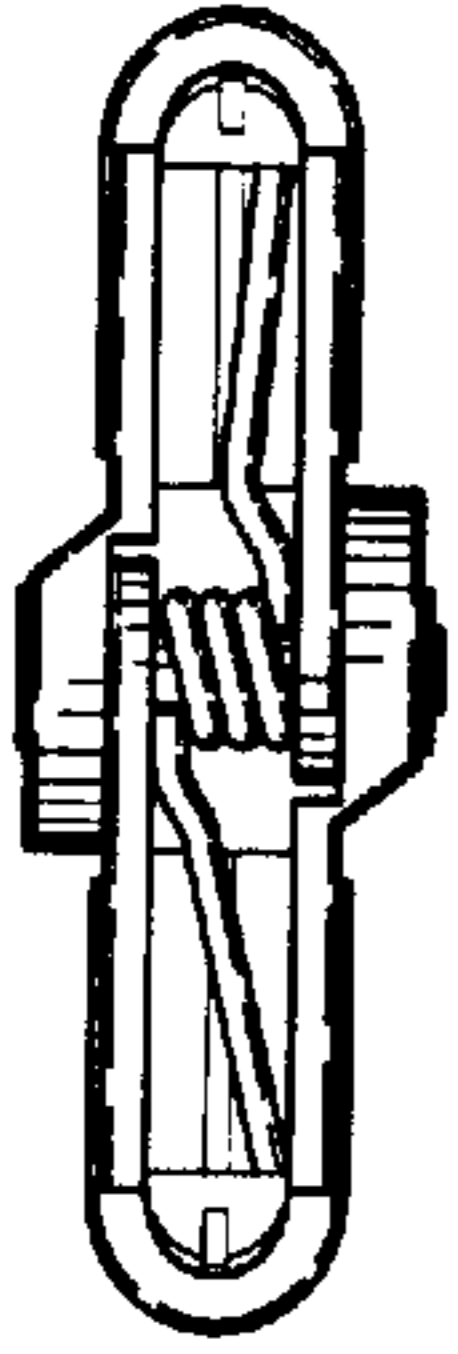


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Fig. 1

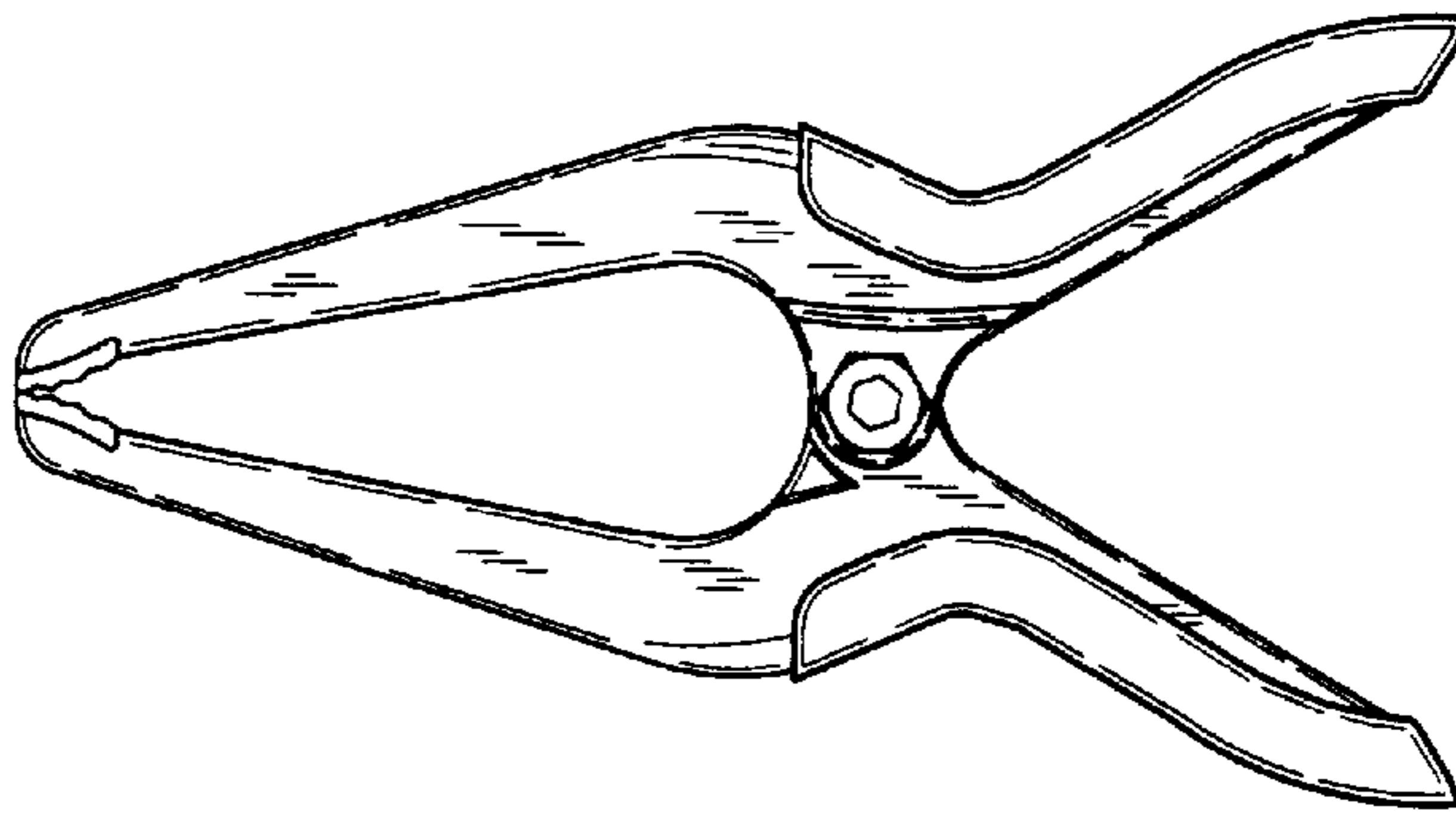


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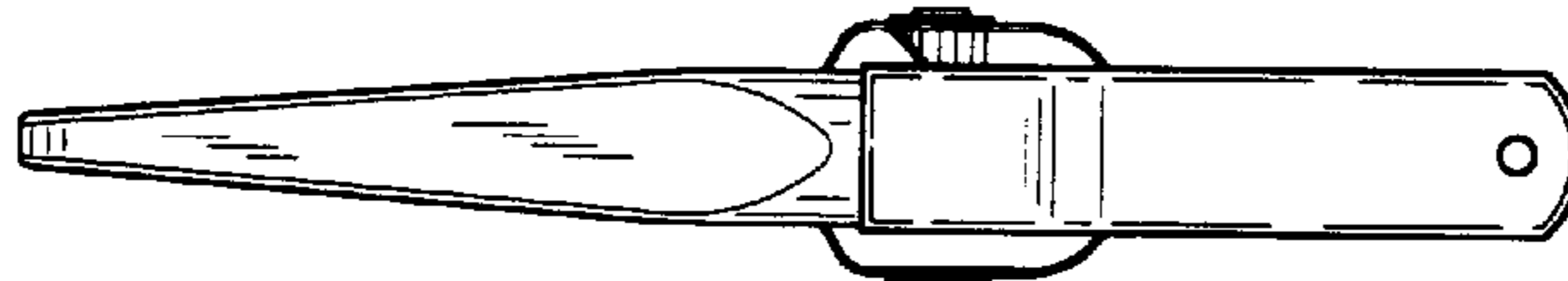


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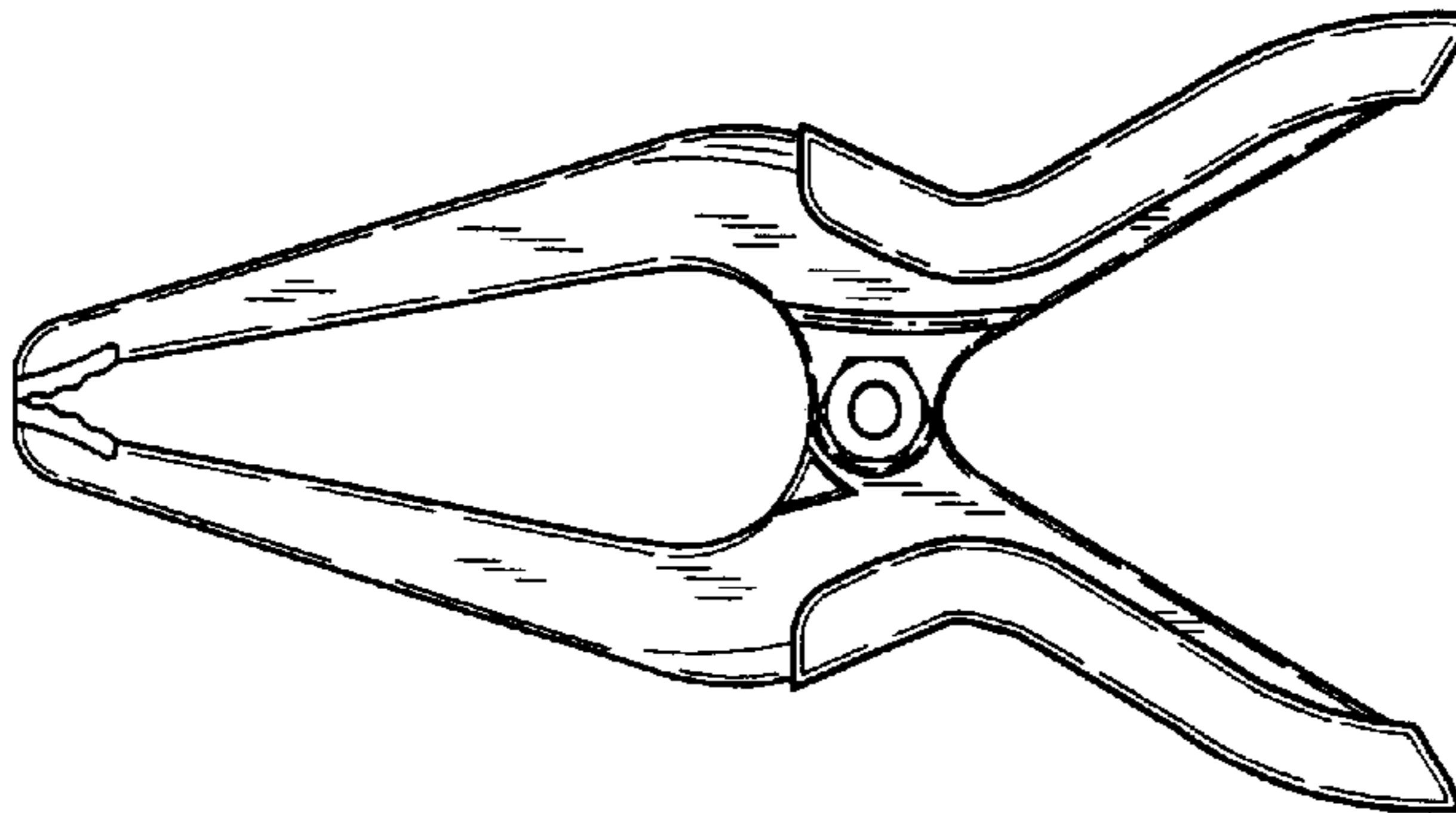


Fig. 2

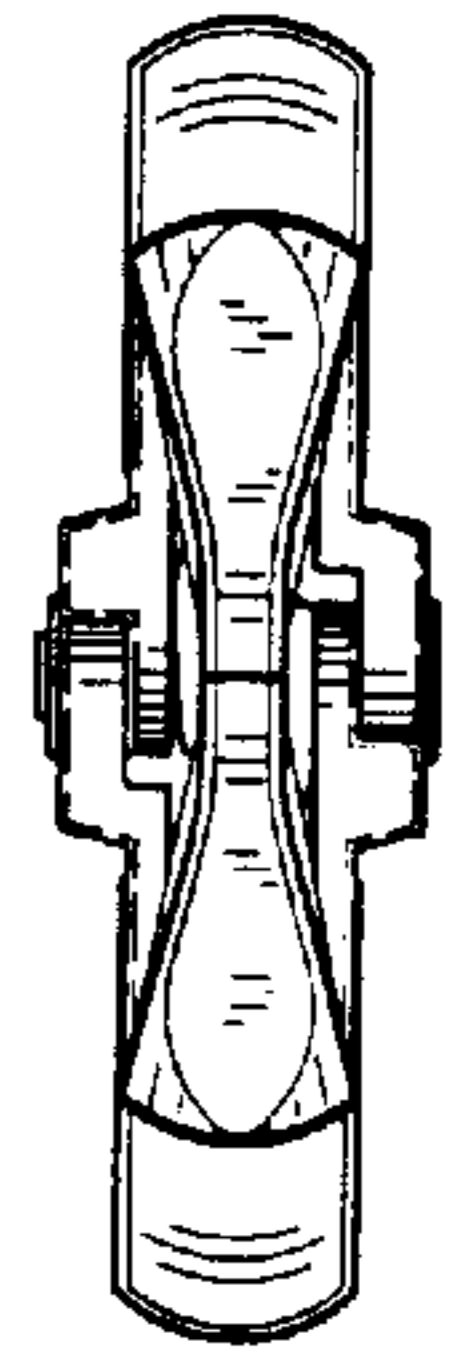
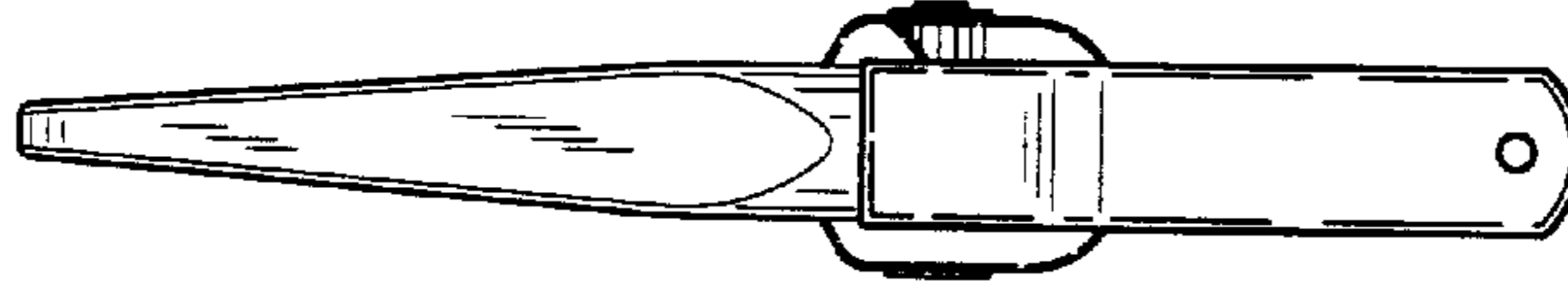


Fig. 5