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(54) **TOWEL BAR**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a towel bar, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a towel bar showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a front view thereof;

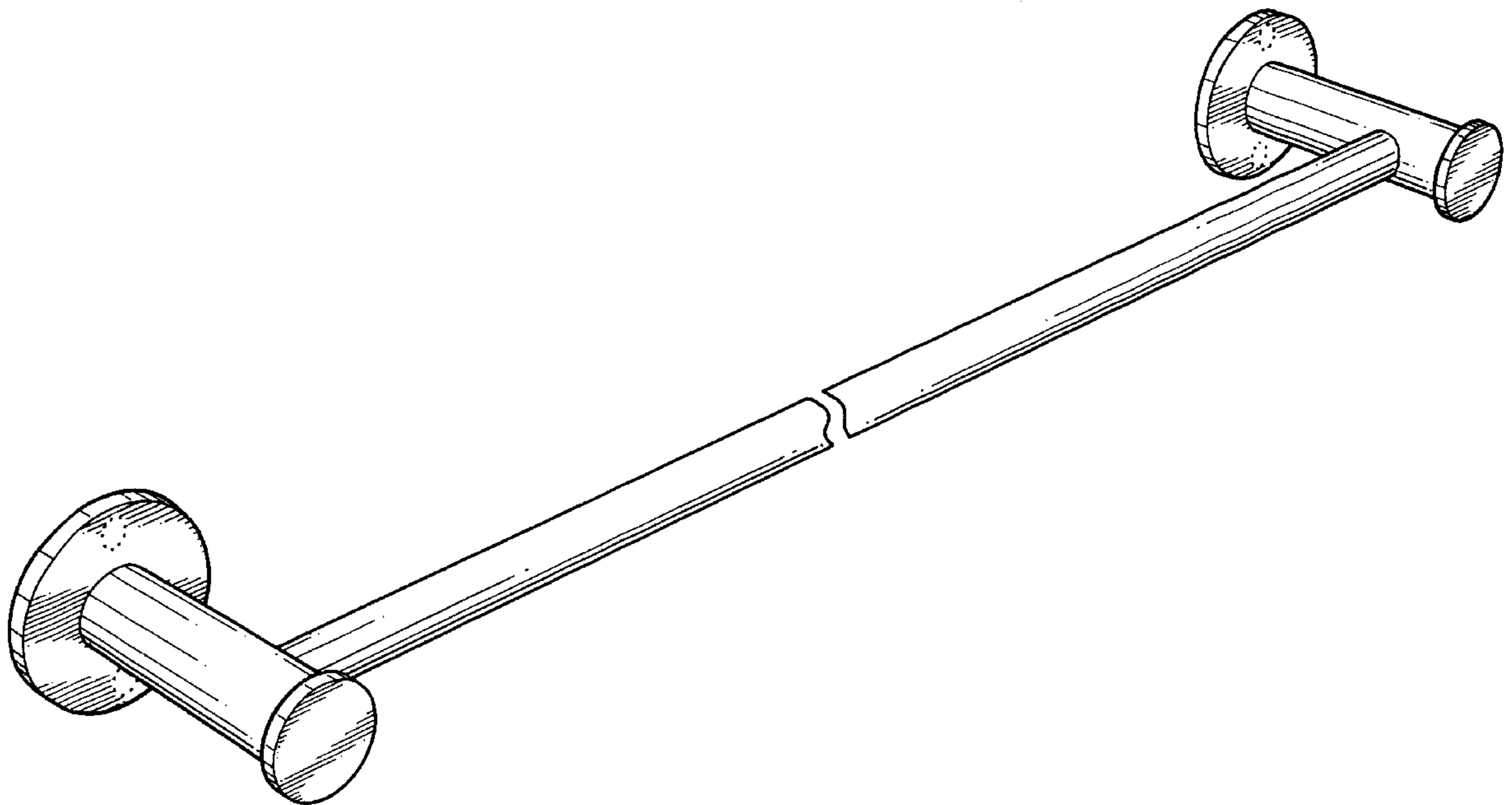
FIG. 3 is a right side view thereof; the left side view being a mirror image; and,

FIG. 4 is a top view thereof, the bottom view being a reverse image (top to bottom).

The rear view is omitted and forms no part of the claimed design.

The dotted lines shown in FIGS. 1 and 2 represent boundaries between claimed and unclaimed subject matter and form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets**



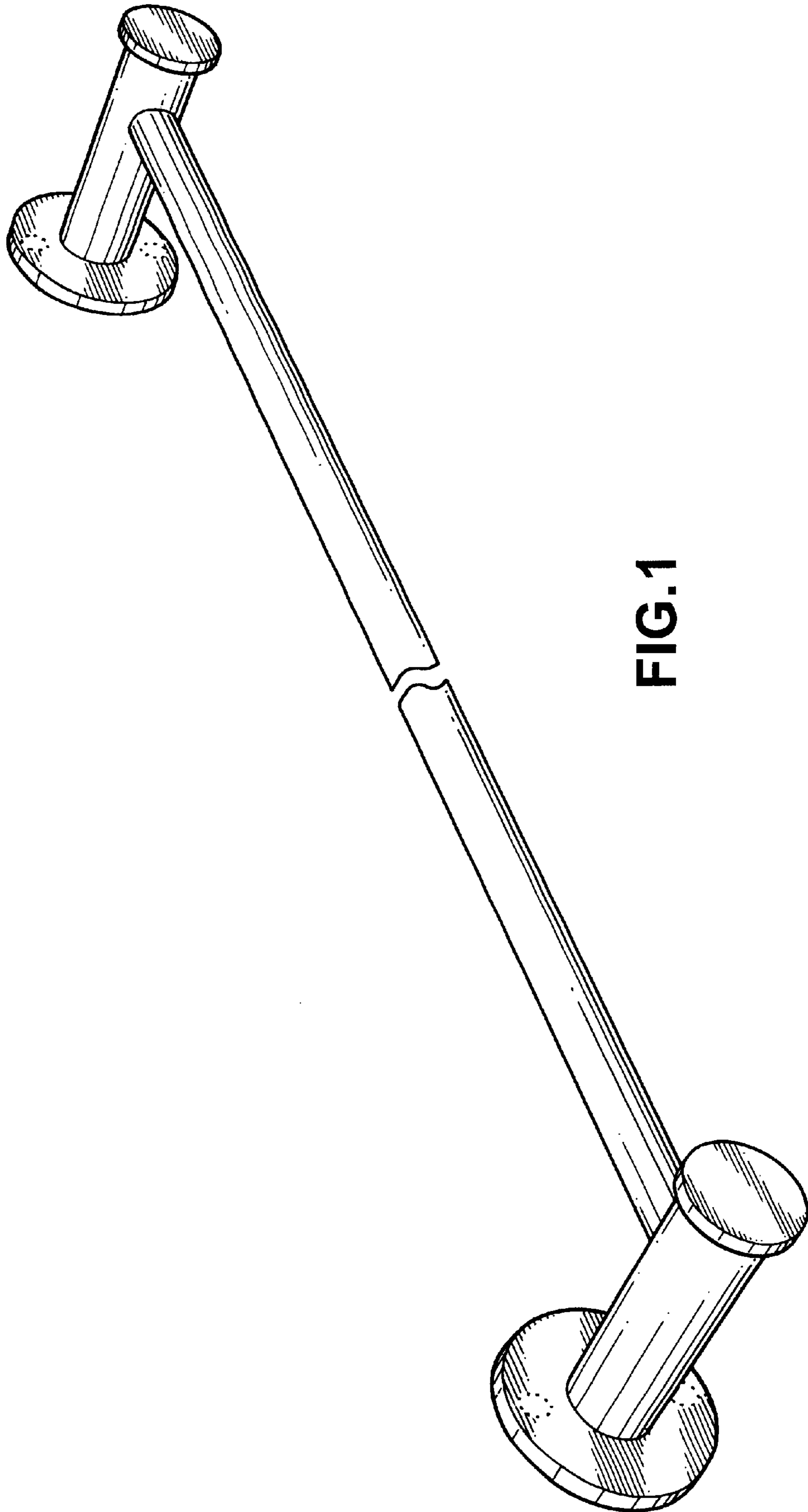


FIG. 1

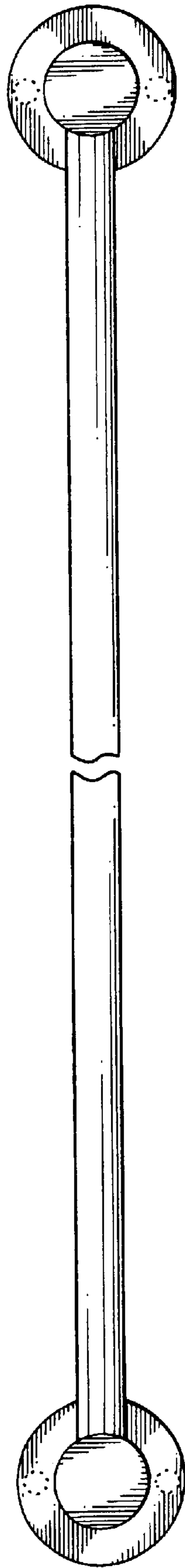
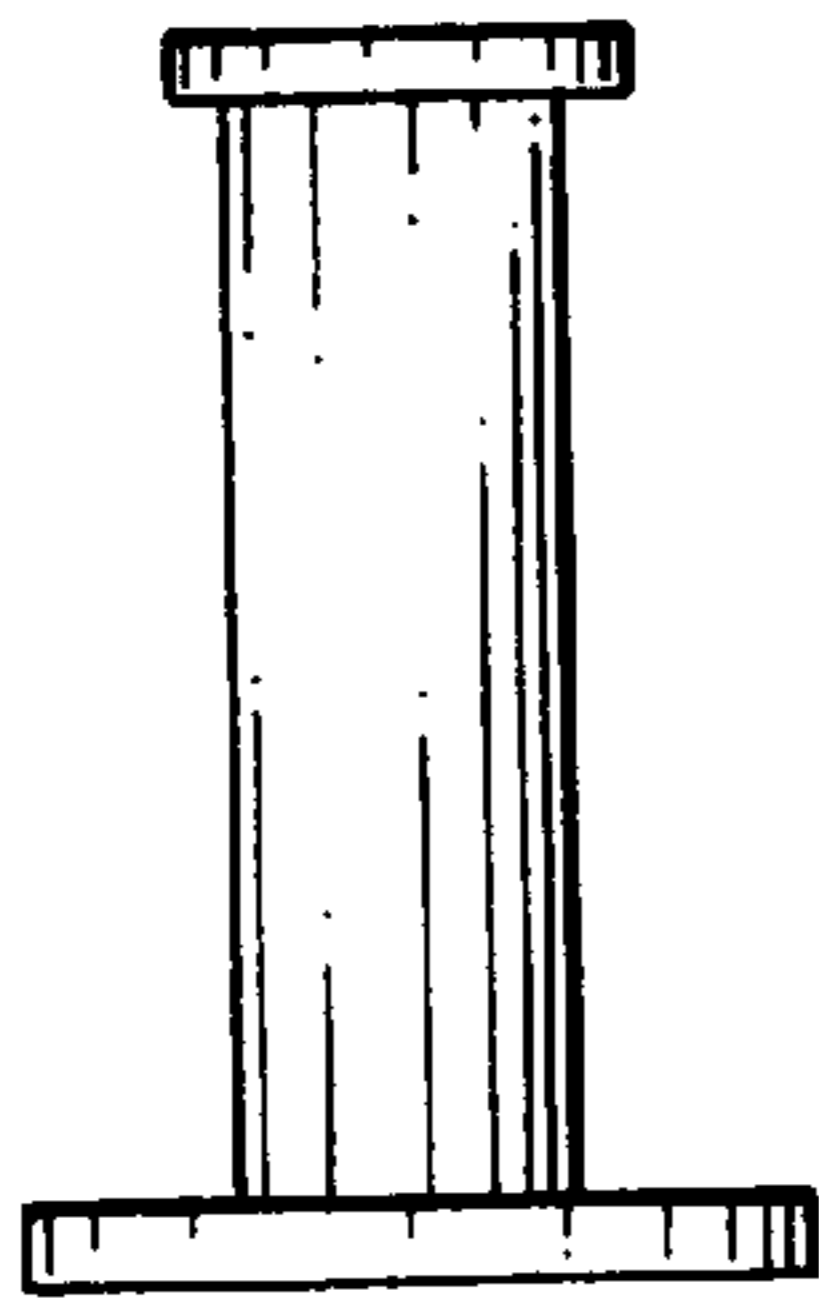
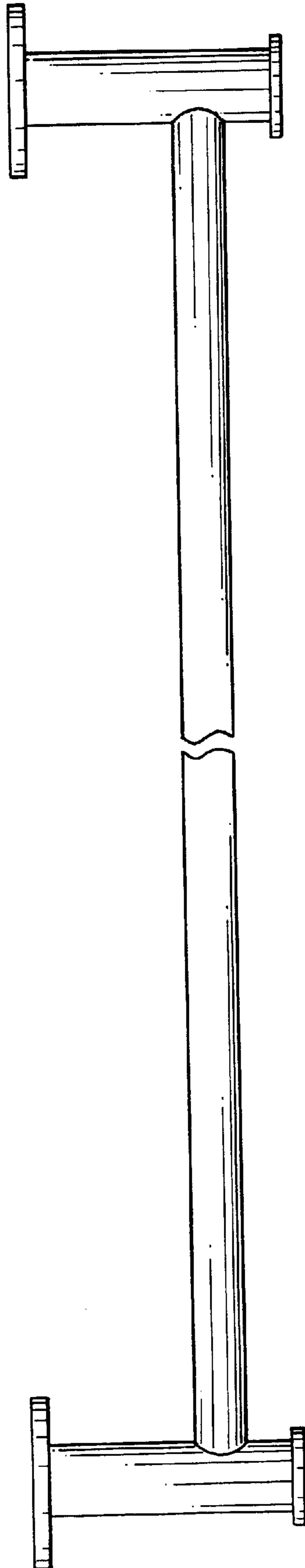


FIG. 2



**FIG.3**



**FIG.4**