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(54) **PROBE THERMOMETER**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a probe thermometer, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. **1** is a perspective view of the probe thermometer showing our new design;
FIG. **2** is a right side elevation view of the probe thermometer shown in FIG. **1**, the left side elevation view being a mirror image thereof;
FIG. **3** is a front elevation view of the probe thermometer of FIG. **1**;
FIG. **4** is a top plan view of the probe thermometer shown in FIG. **1**;
FIG. **5** is a bottom plan view of the probe thermometer shown in FIG. **1**;
FIG. **6** is a back plan view of the probe thermometer shown in FIG. **1**;
FIG. **7** is a perspective view of an alternate embodiment of the invention in which a portion of the probe of FIG. **1** is uncovered;
FIG. **8** is a perspective view of an alternate embodiment of the invention in which a portion of the probe of FIG. **1** is uncovered;
FIG. **9** is a right side elevation view of the probe thermometer of FIG. **7**, with the left side elevation view being a mirror image thereof;
FIG. **10** is a front elevation view of the probe thermometer of FIG. **7**;
FIG. **11** is a top plan view of the probe thermometer of FIG. **7**; and,
FIG. **12** is a back elevation of the probe thermometer of FIG. **7**.

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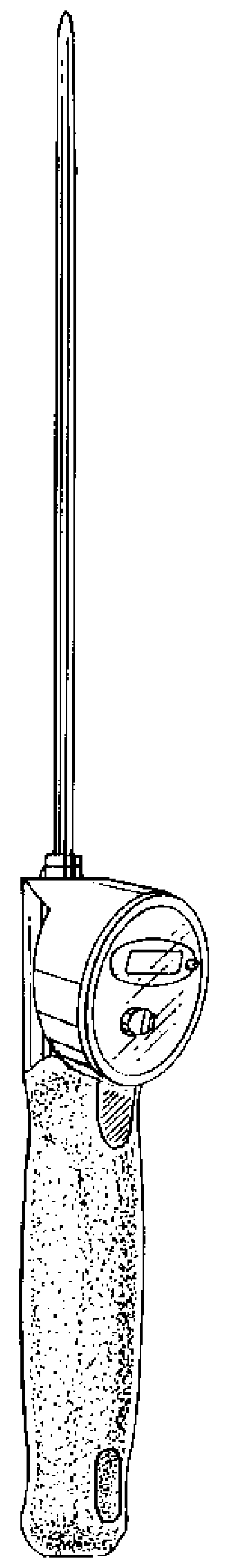

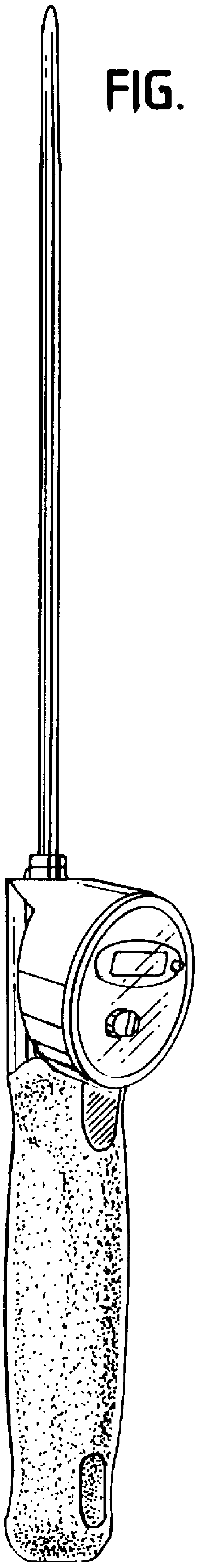

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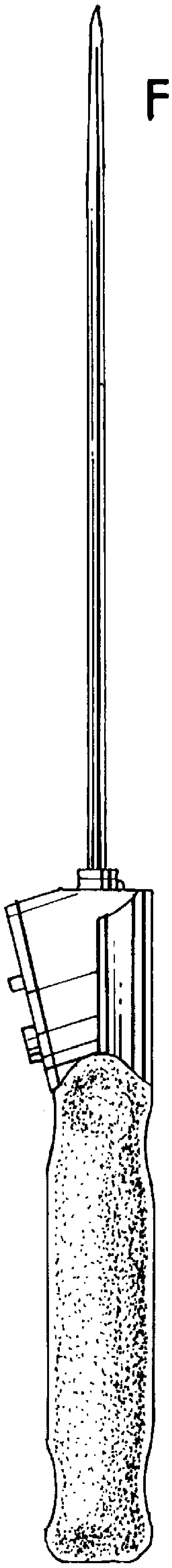

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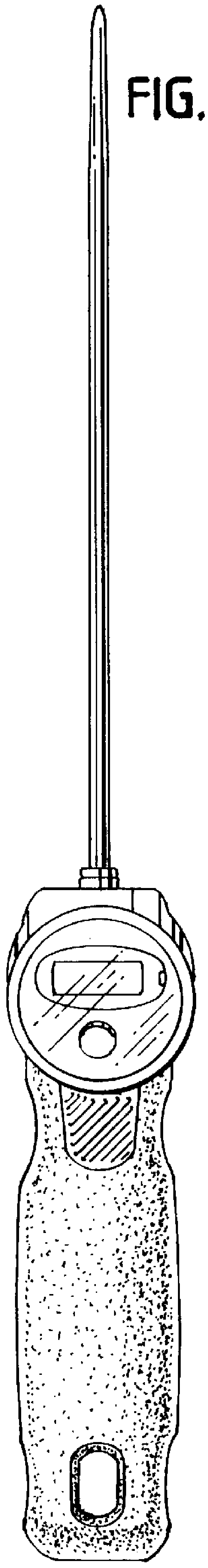

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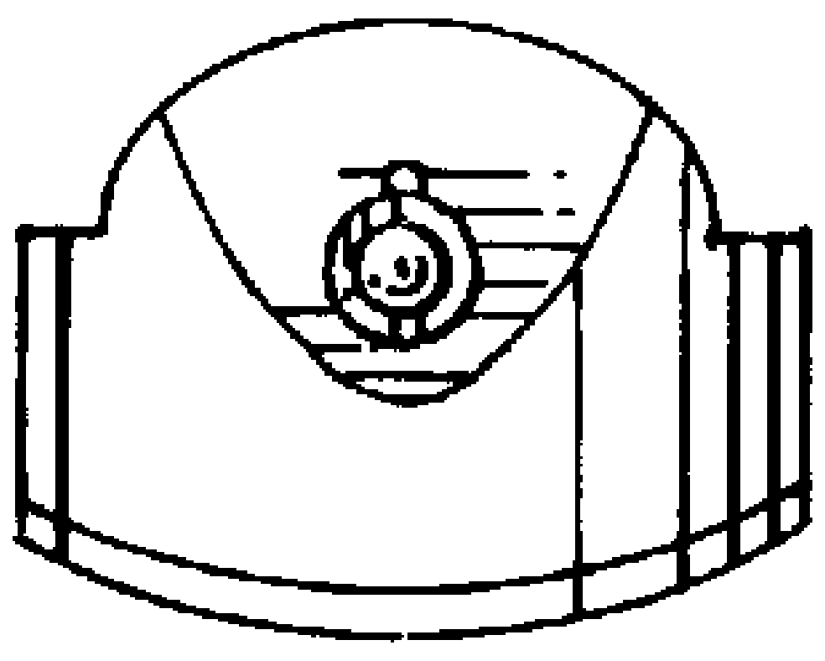

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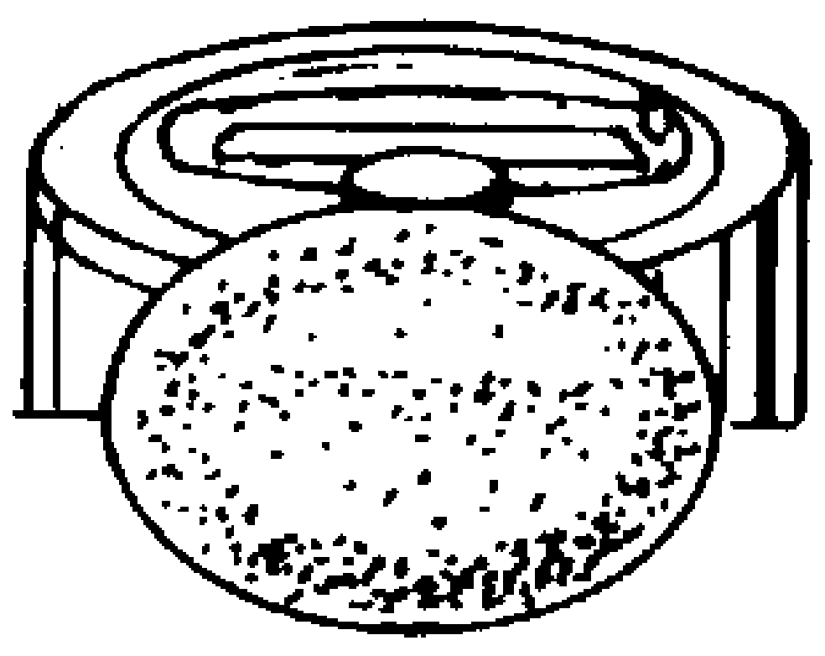

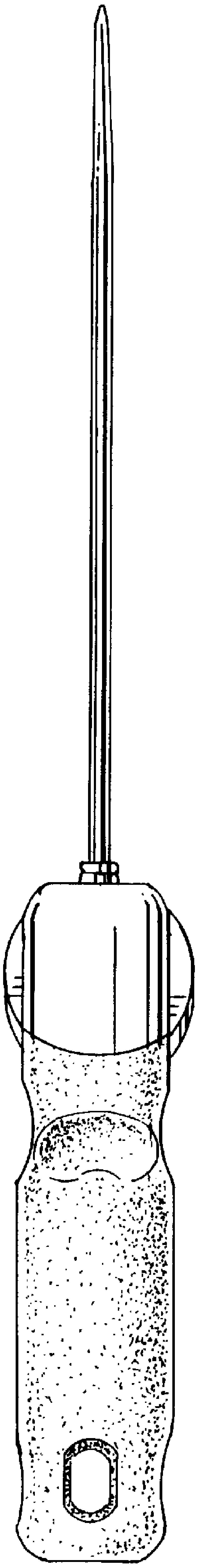

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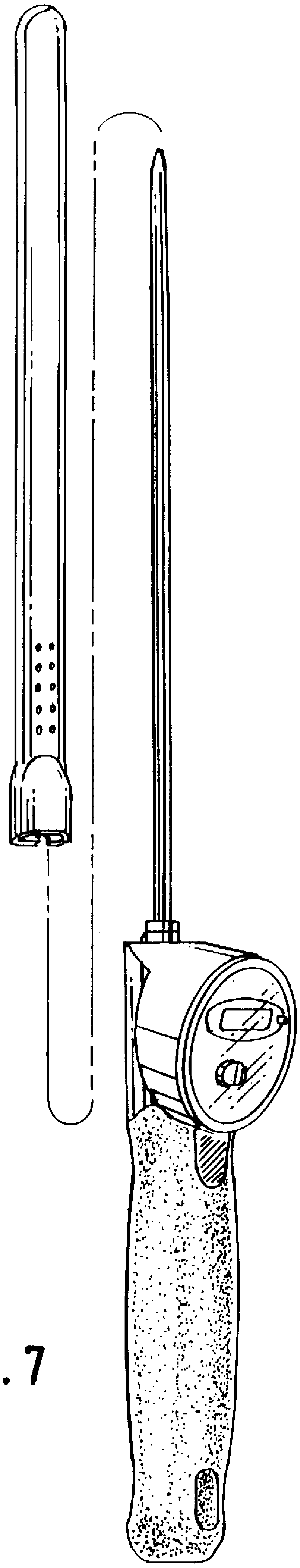

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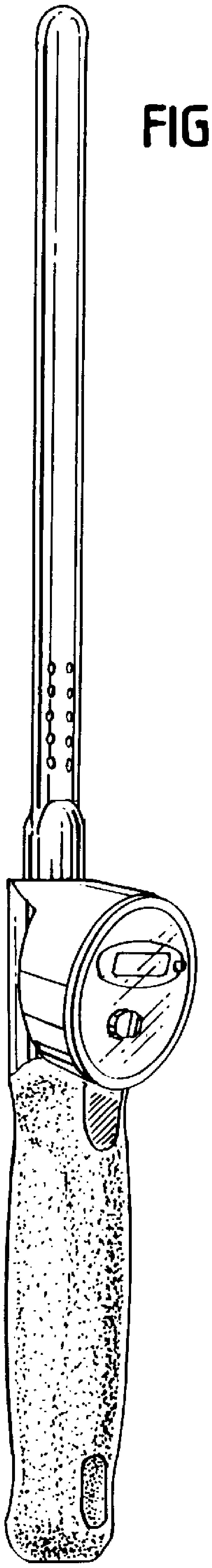

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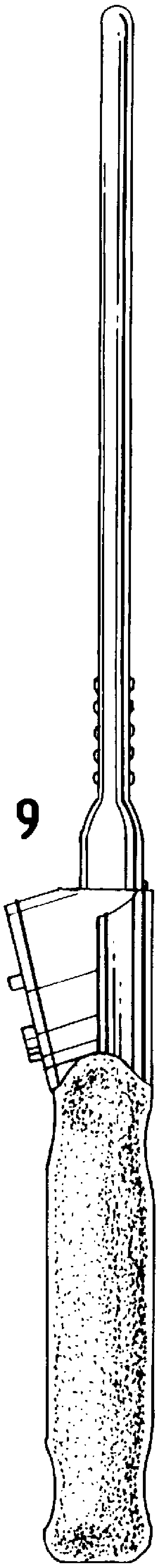

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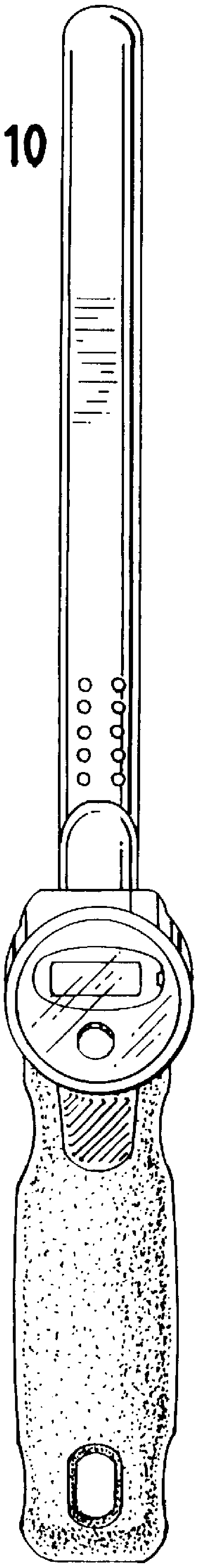

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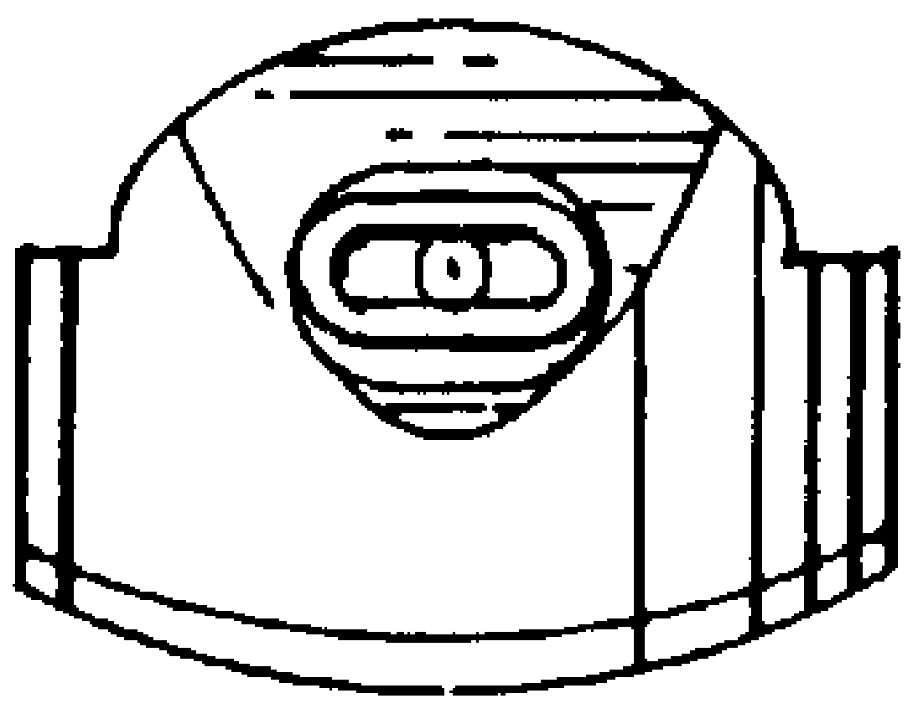

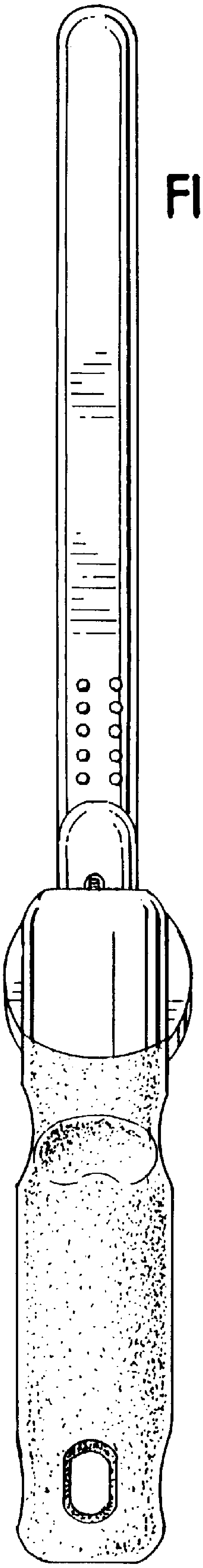

FIG. 12