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(54) **SURGICAL NEEDLE HOLDER WITH TIP GUARD**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a surgical needle holder with t.ip guard, as shown and described.

(**) **Term:** **14 Years**

DESCRIPTION

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FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a surgical needle holder with tip guard, showing my new design;

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FIG. 2 is a side elevational view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a side elevational view thereof, opposite that shown in FIG. 2;

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FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof, with the jaws shown in open position;

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FIG. 5 is an enlarged fragmentary cross-sectional view thereof, taken along the lines 5—5 of FIG. 4; and,

FIG. 6 is an enlarged perspective view thereof.

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The broken line showing in FIGS. 2, 3, and 6 are for illustrative purposes only and forms no part of the claimed design.

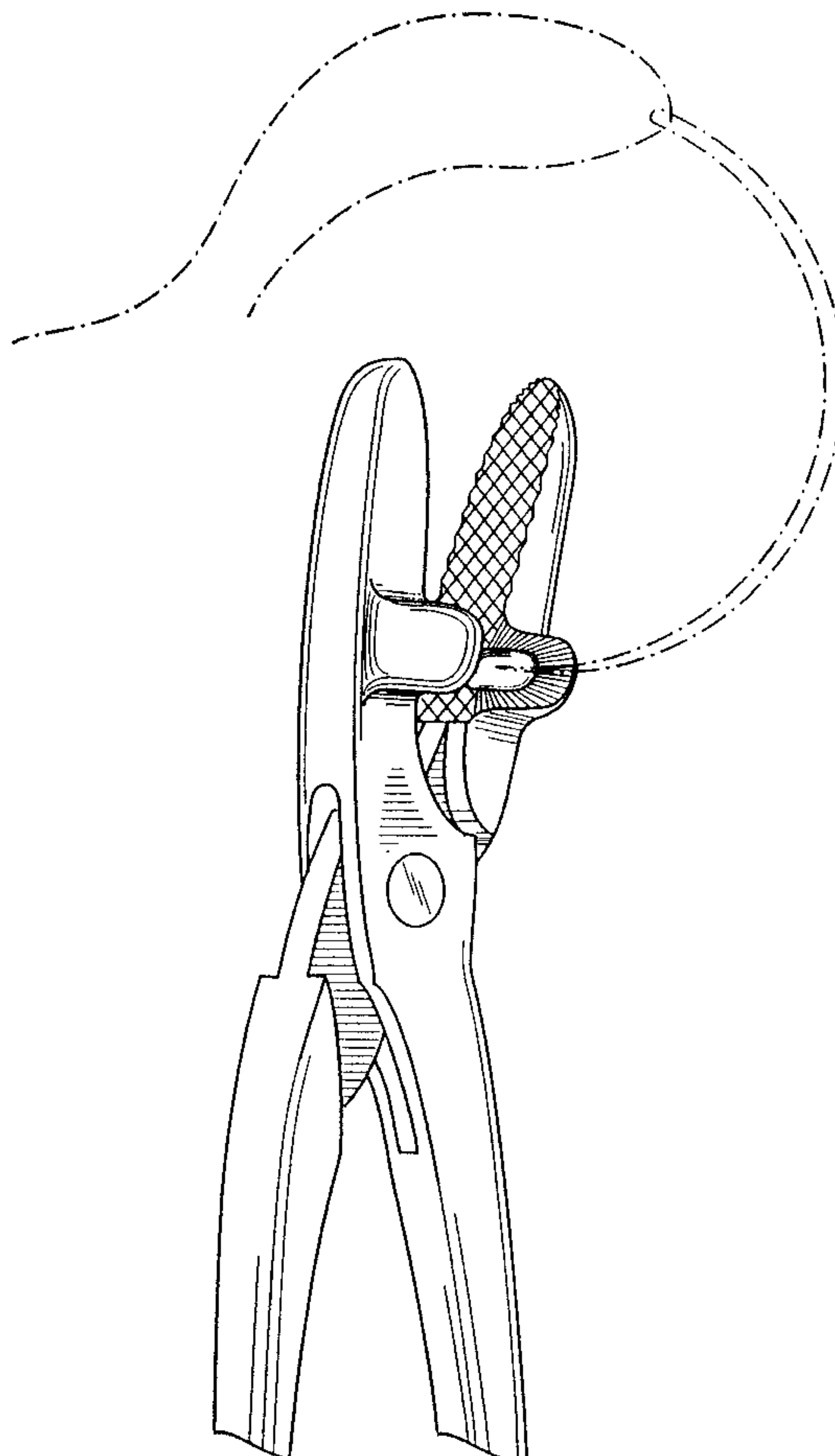
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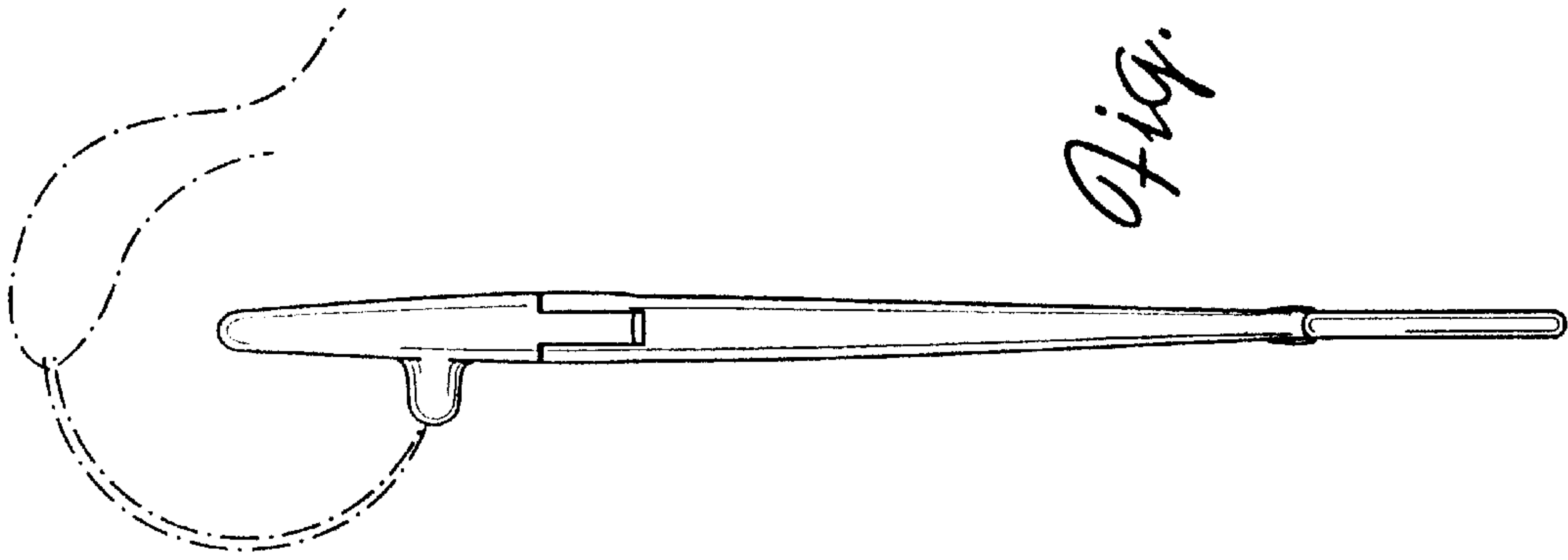


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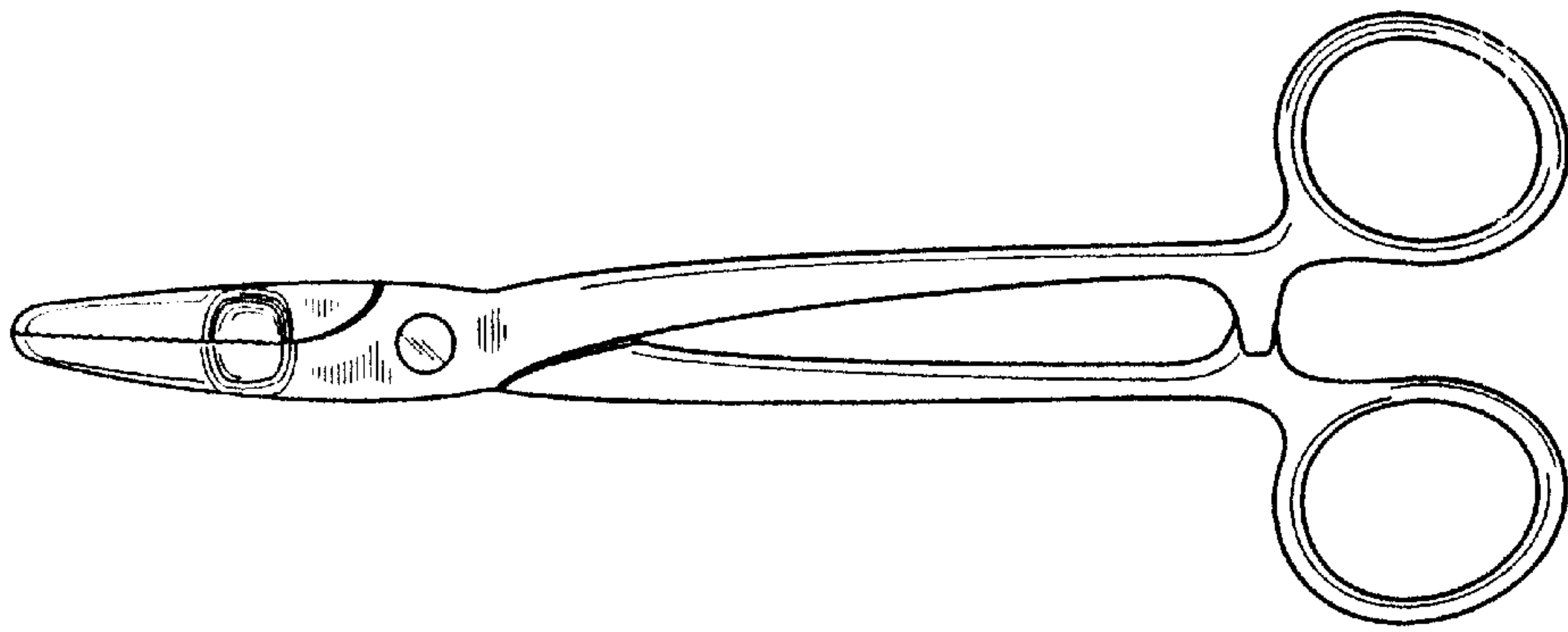


Fig. 1

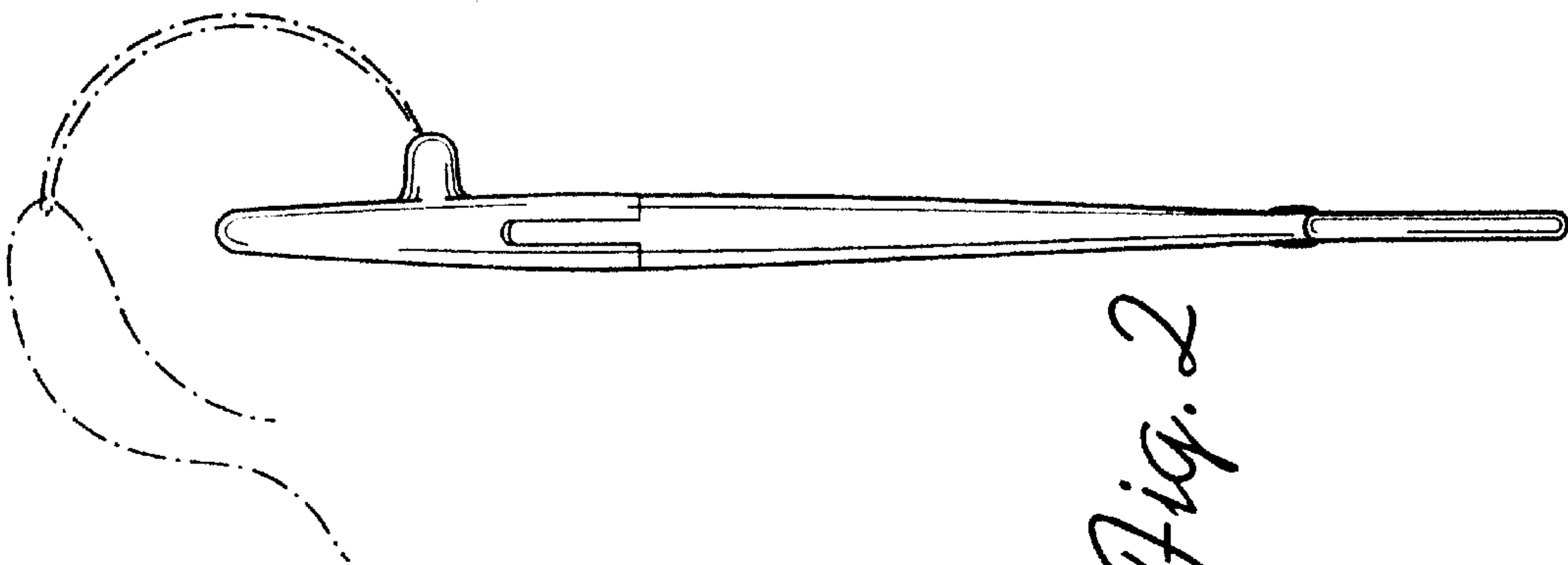


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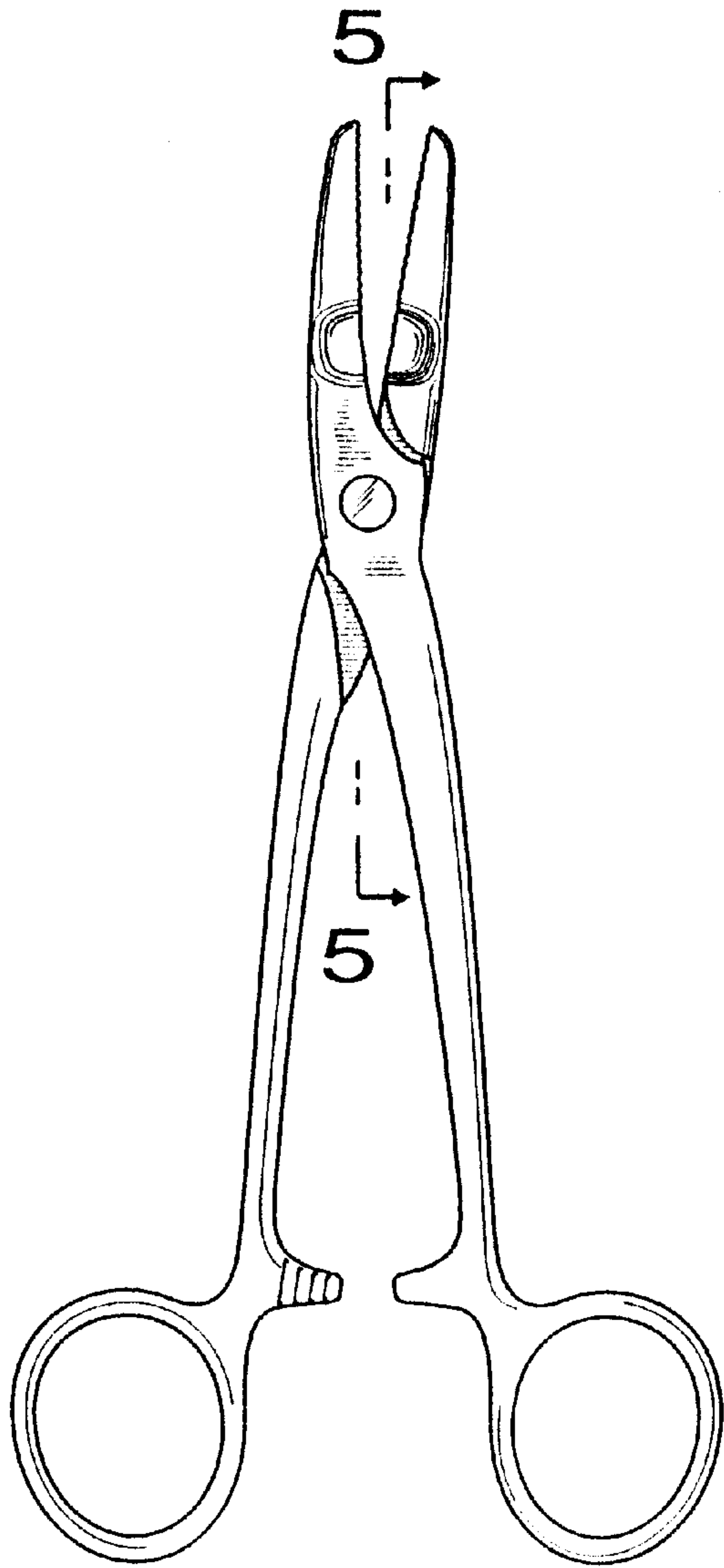


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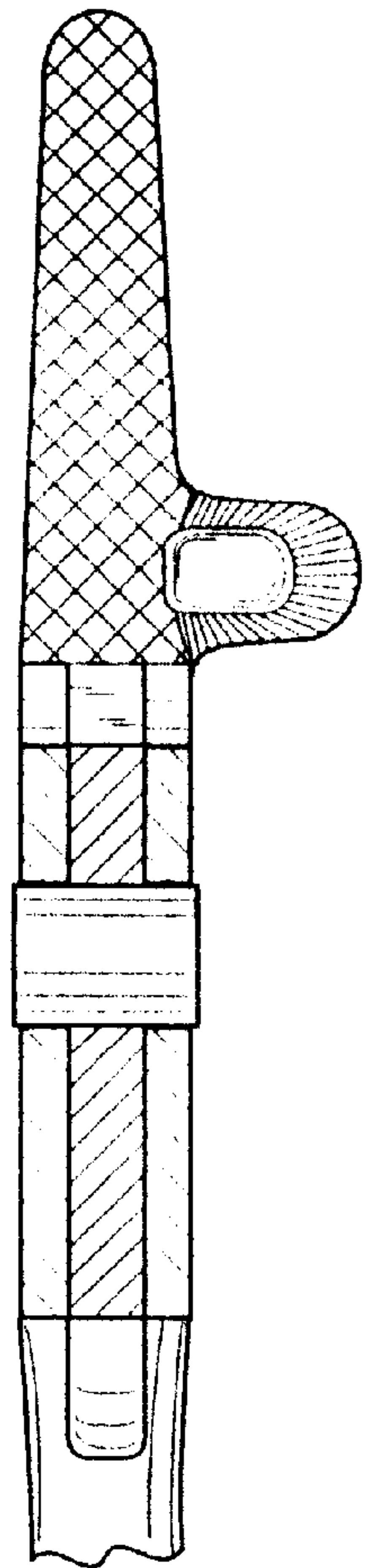


Fig. 5

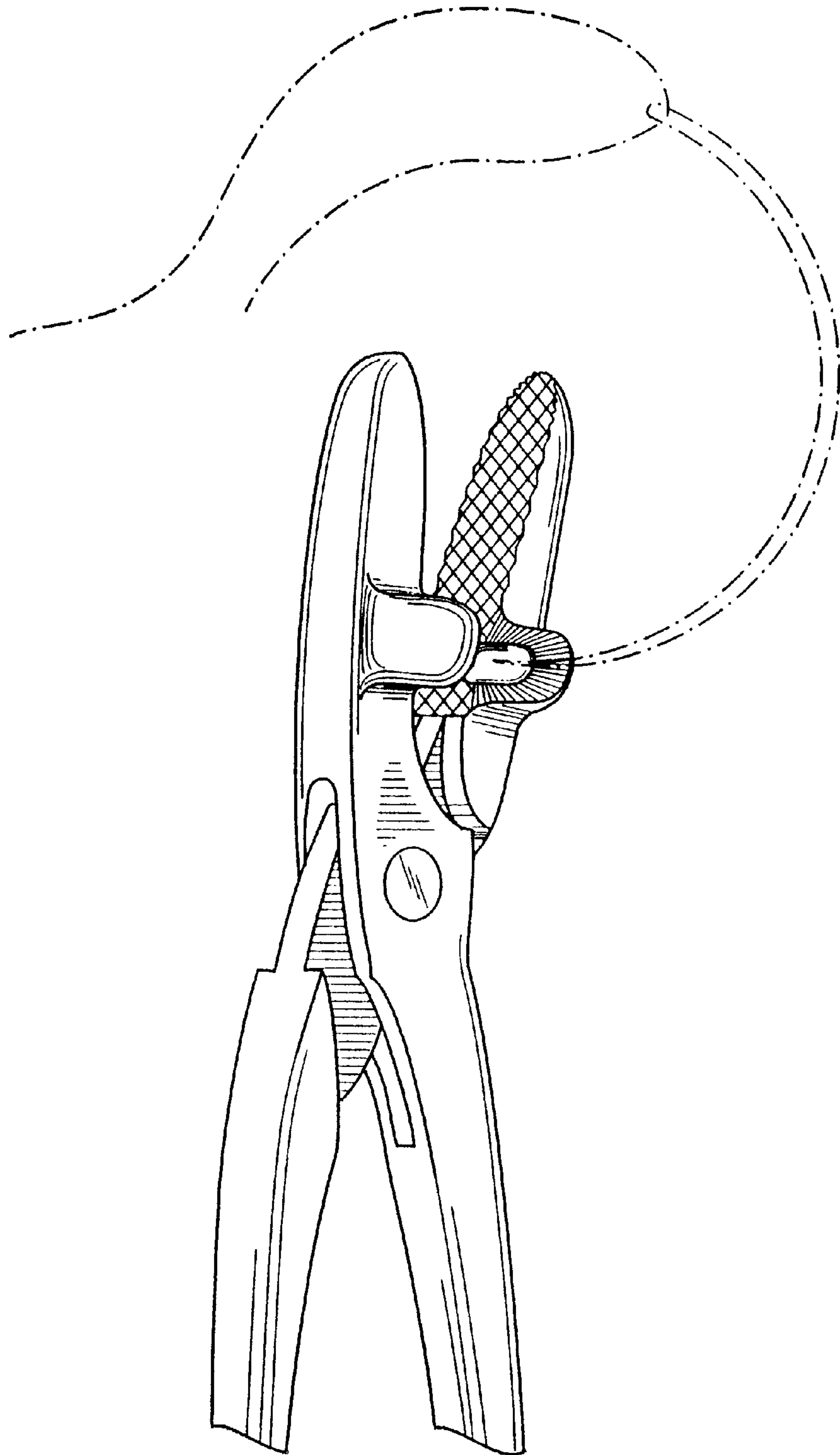


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