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(54) **SHIFTING ROD FOR CRUISER MOTORCYCLES**

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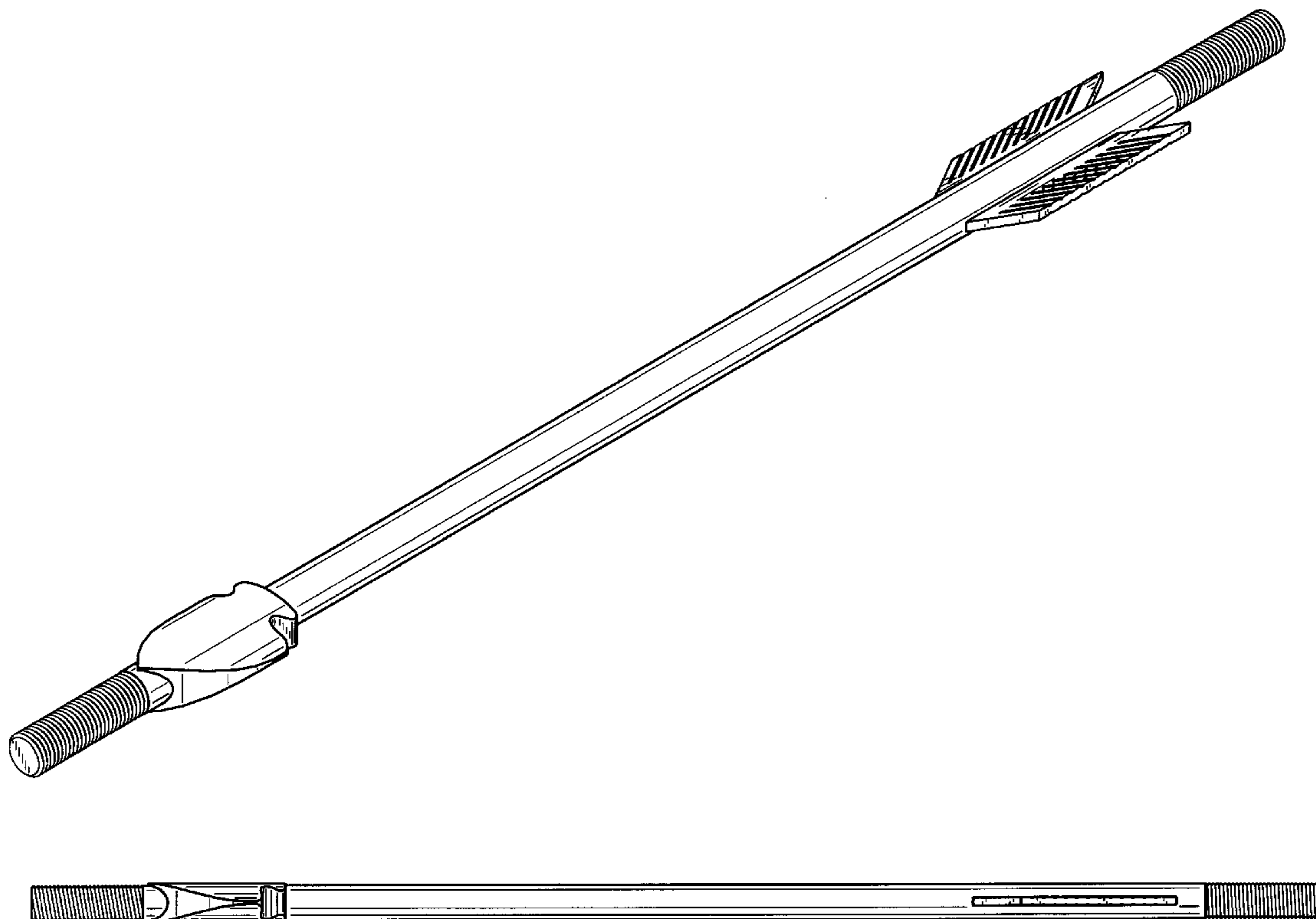
(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for a shifting rod for cruiser motorcycles, as shown.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of my new design;
FIG. 2 is a right side view of the design of FIG. 1, with the left side view being identical;
FIG. 3 is a front view of the design in FIG. 1;
FIG. 4 is a rear view of the design in FIG. 1;
FIG. 5 is a top view of the design in FIG. 1, with the bottom view being identical;
FIG. 6 is a perspective view of the alternate embodiment of FIG. 1;
FIG. 7 is a right side view of the alternate embodiment of FIG. 6, with the left side view being identical;
FIG. 8 is a front view of the alternate embodiment of FIG. 6;
FIG. 9 is a rear view of the alternate embodiment of FIG. 6; and,
FIG. 10 is a top view of the alternate embodiment of FIG. 6, with the bottom view being identical.

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



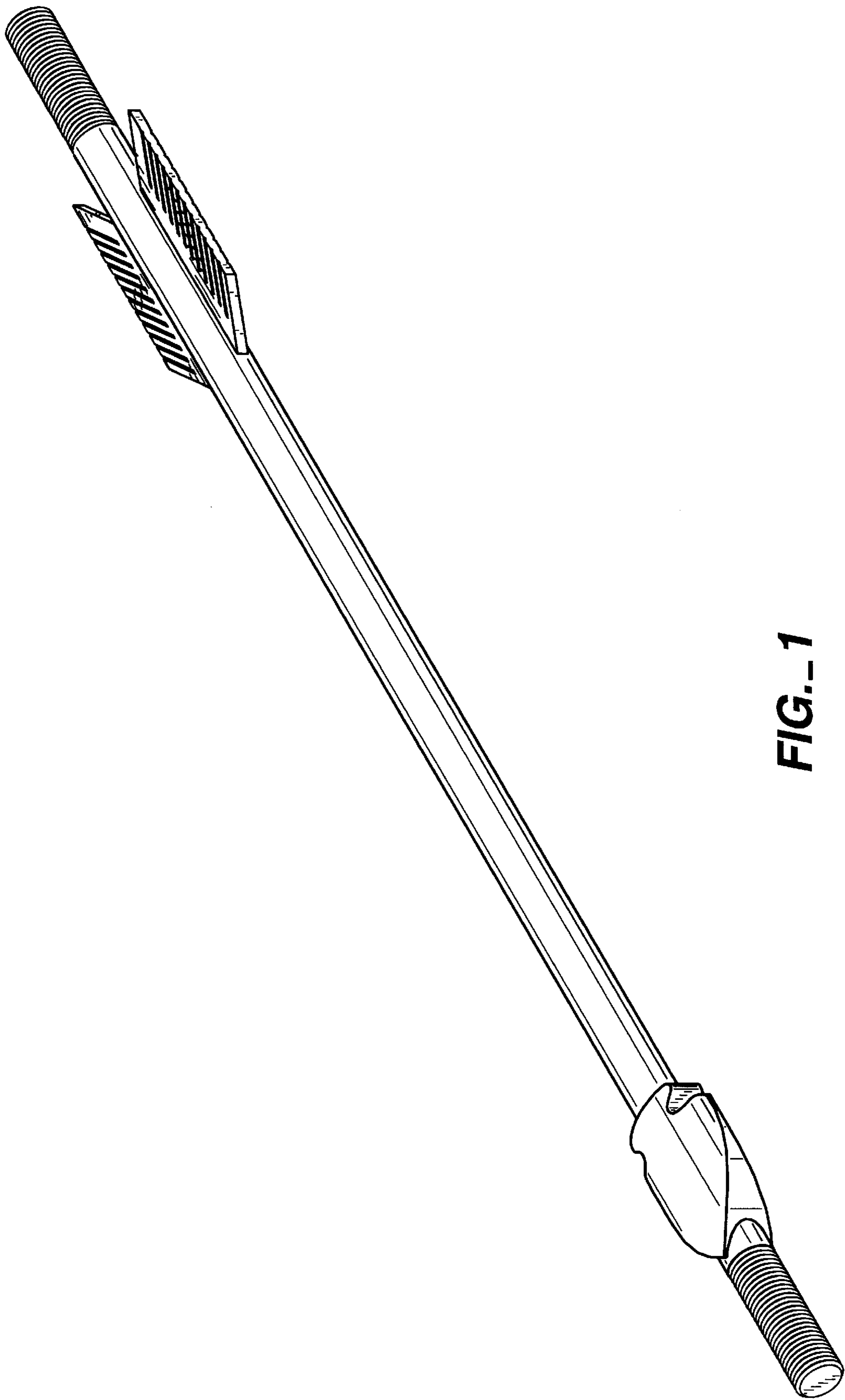


FIG. 1

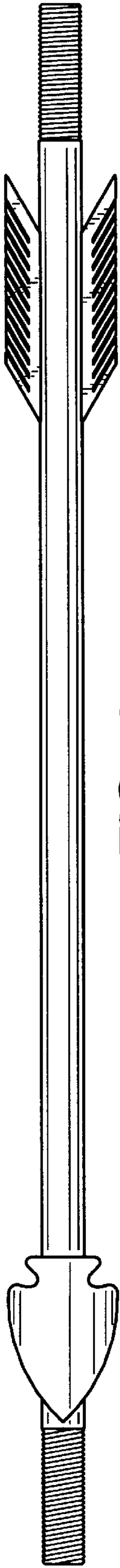


FIG. 2

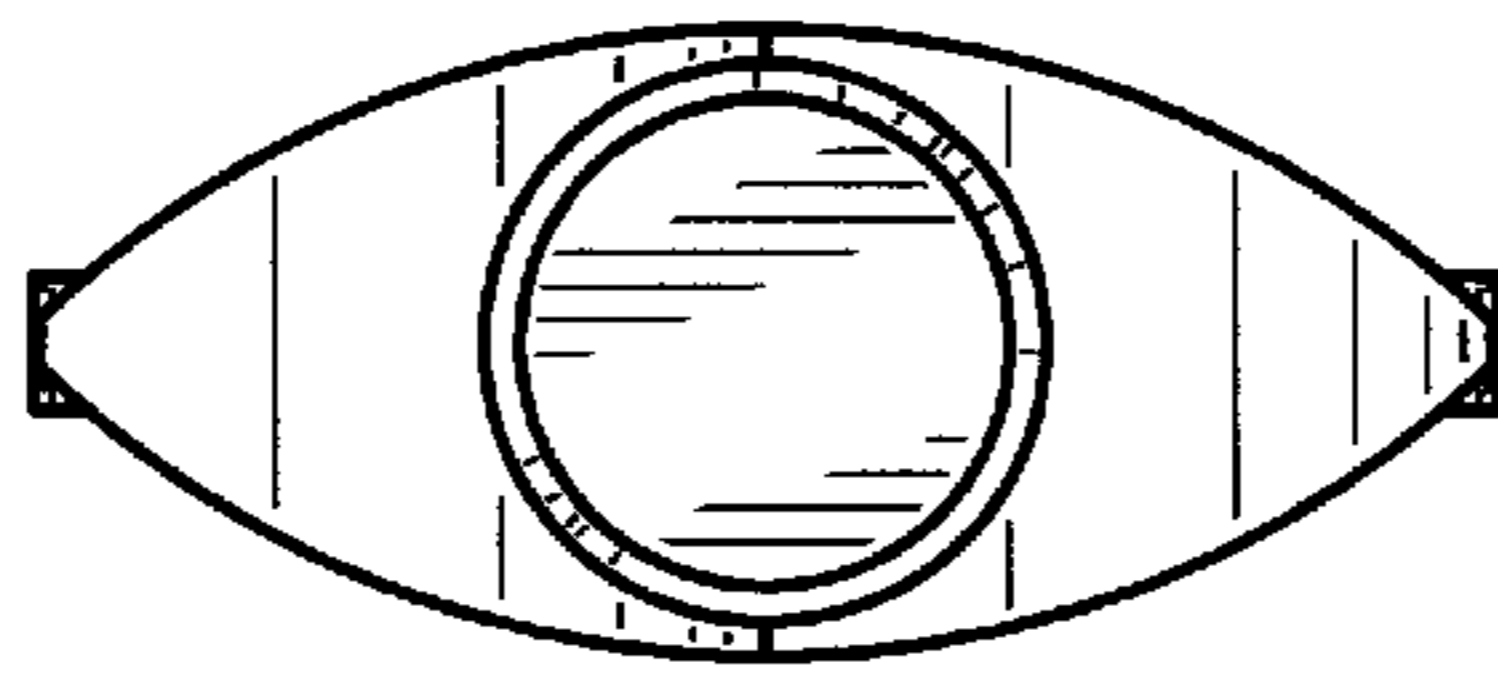


FIG. 3

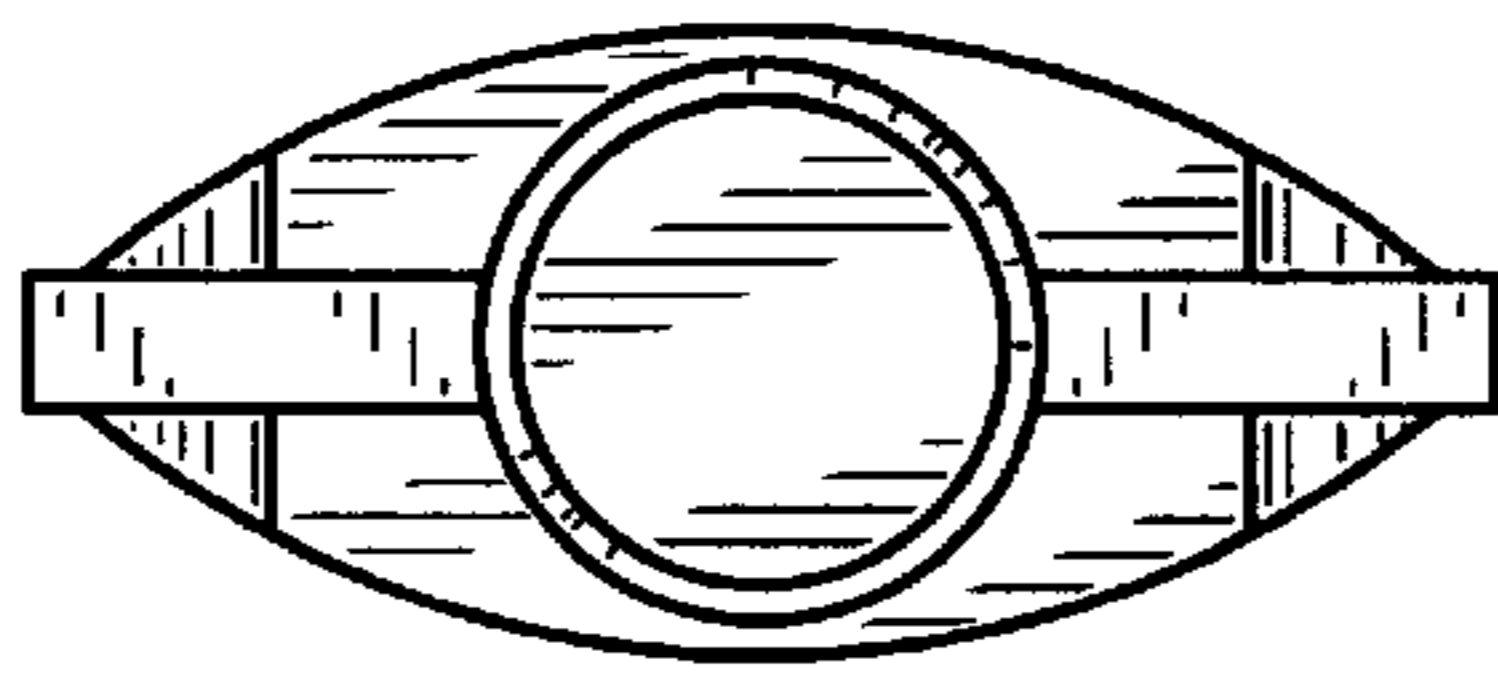


FIG. 4



FIG. 5

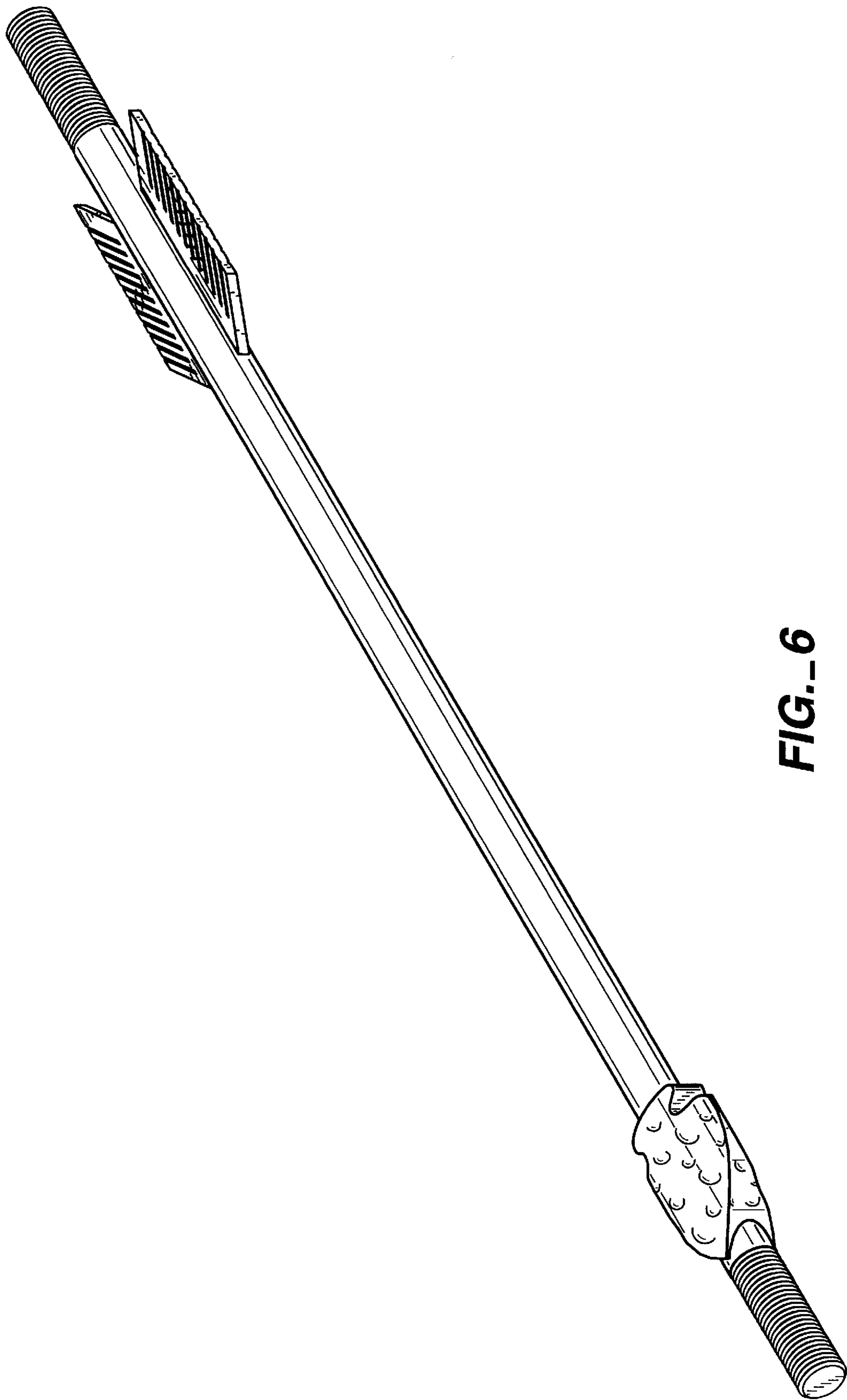


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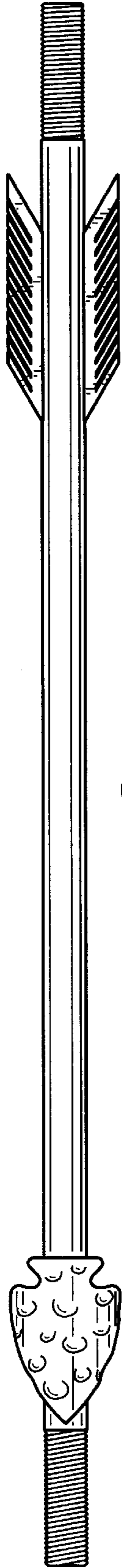


FIG. 7

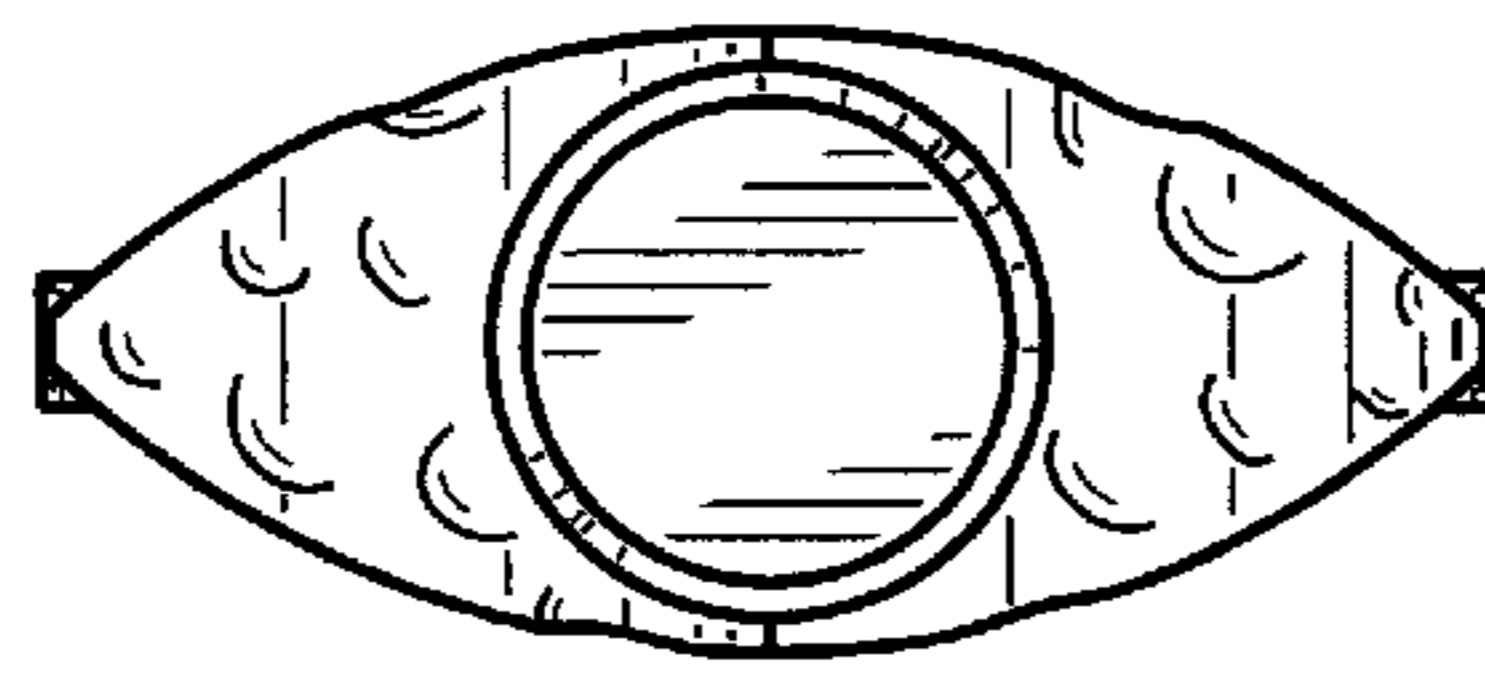


FIG. 8

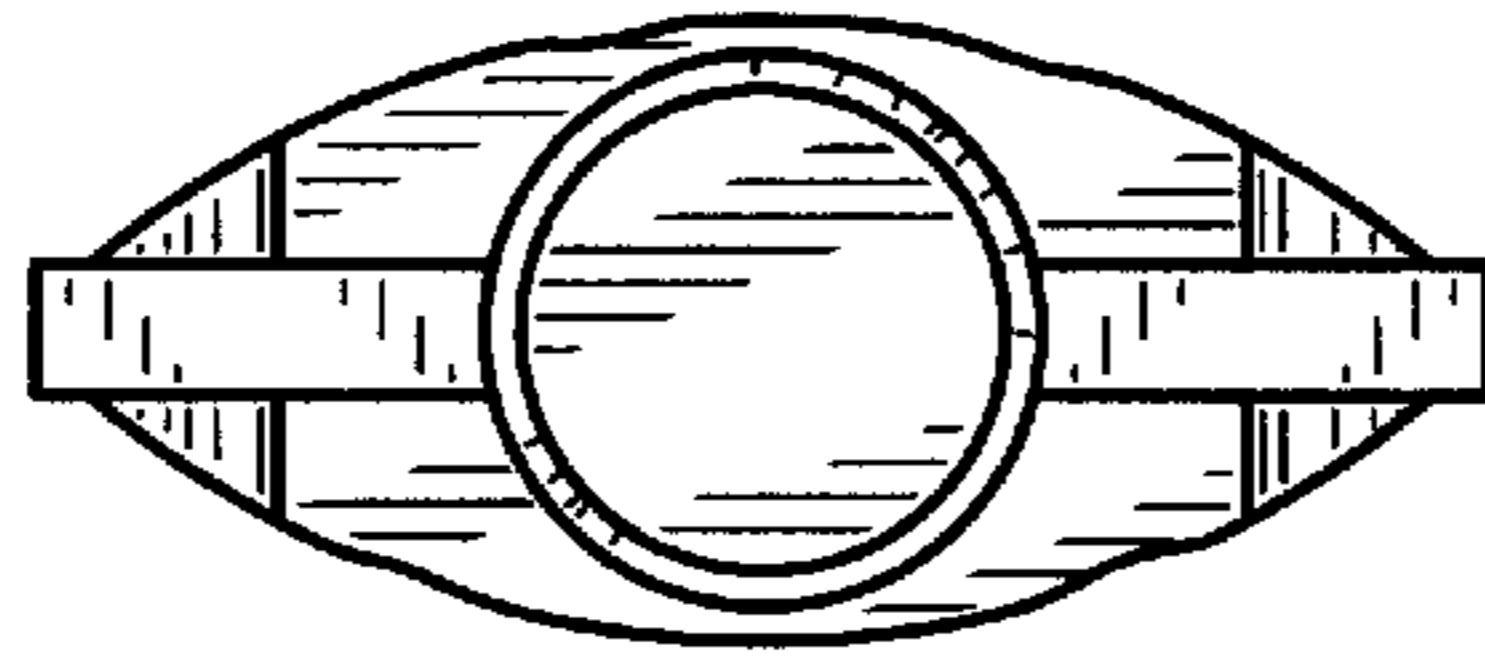


FIG. 9



FIG. 10