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(54) **STAPLER**

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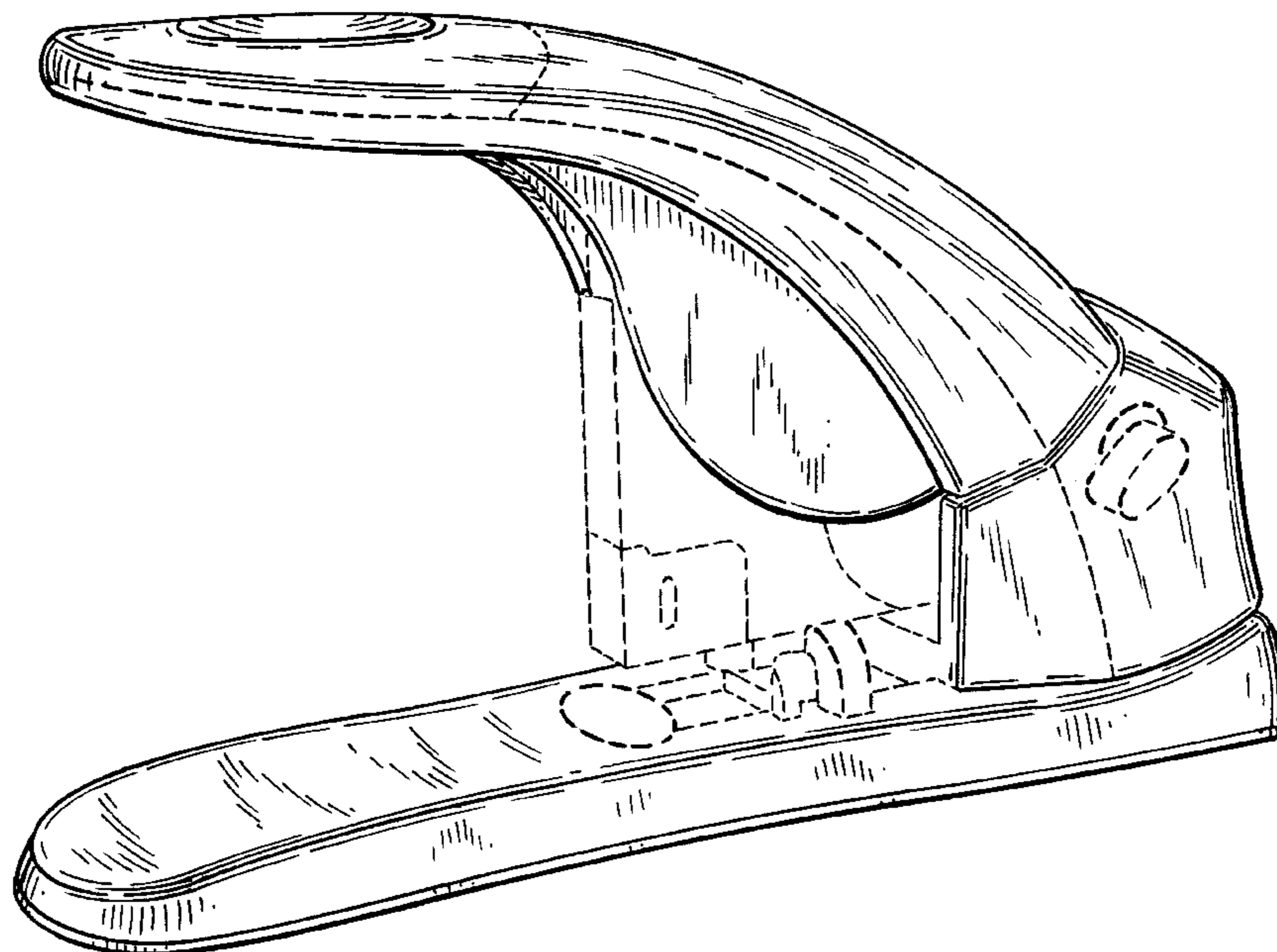
(57) **CLAIM**

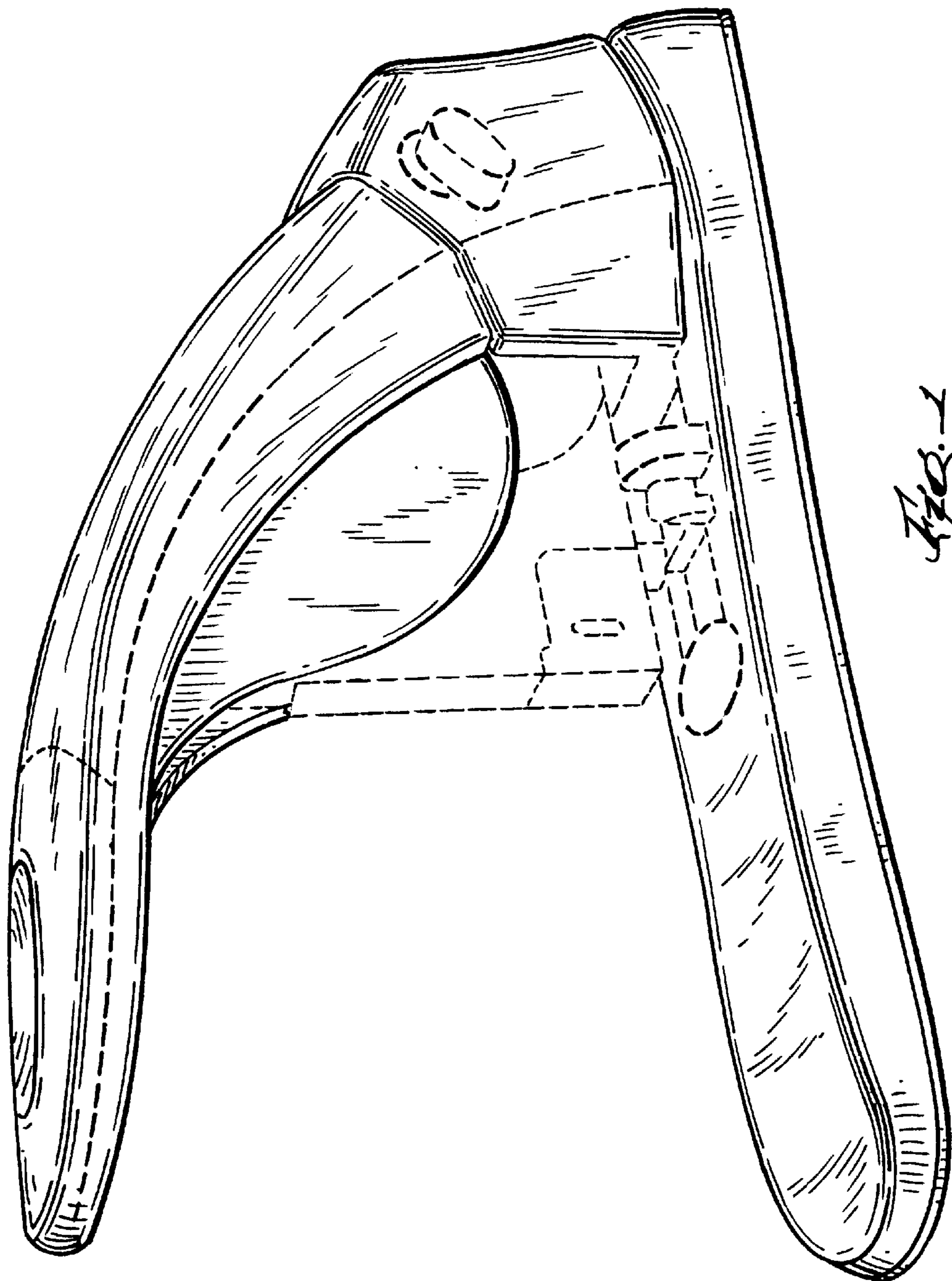
The ornamental design for a stapler, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

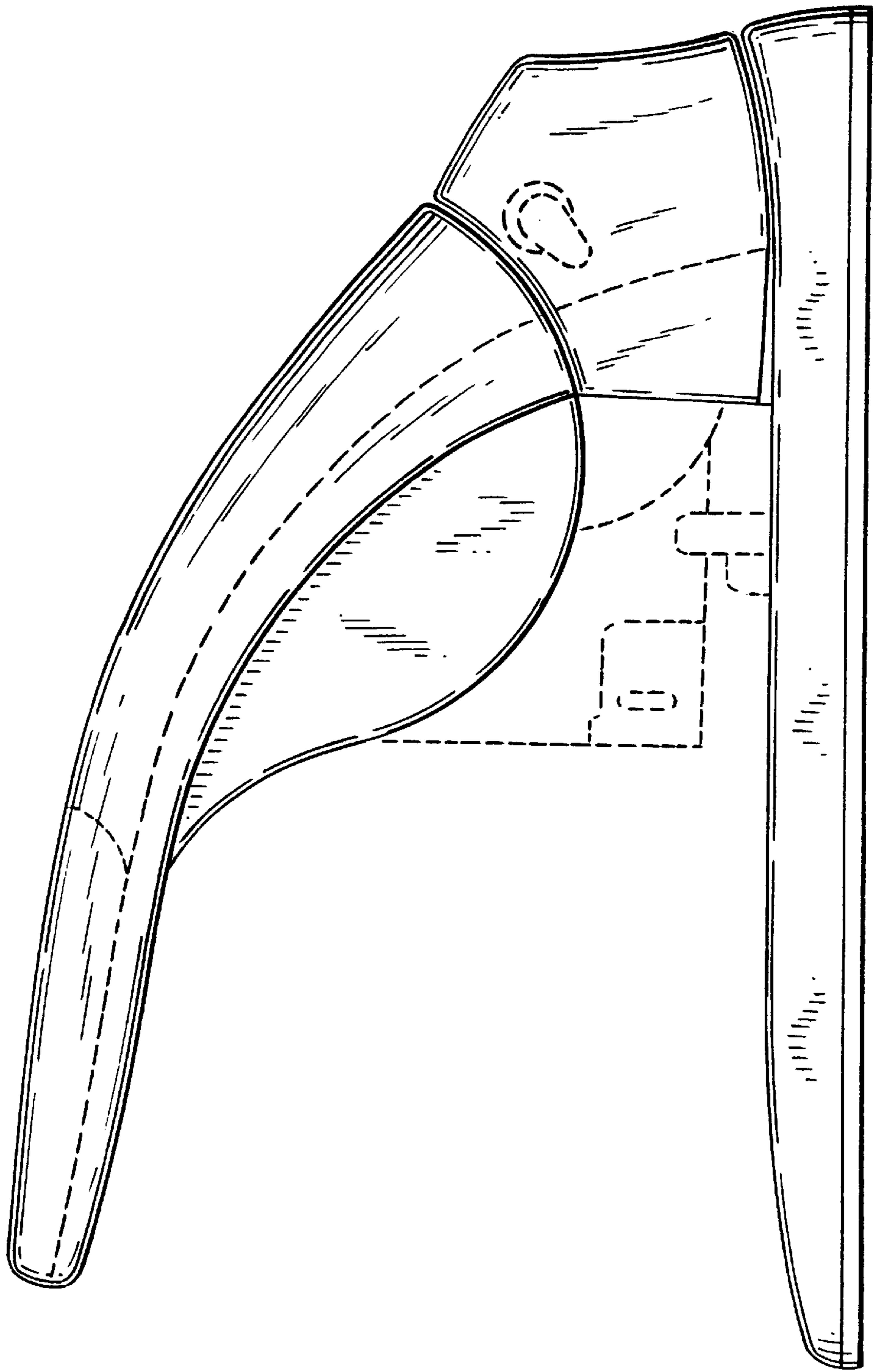
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a stapler embodying the present invention.  
FIG. 2 is side view of the stapler.  
FIG. 3 is a top view of the stapler.  
FIG. 4 is a front view of the stapler; and,  
FIG. 5 is a rear view of the stapler.  
The portions of the stapler in broken lines are shown as environment or for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**

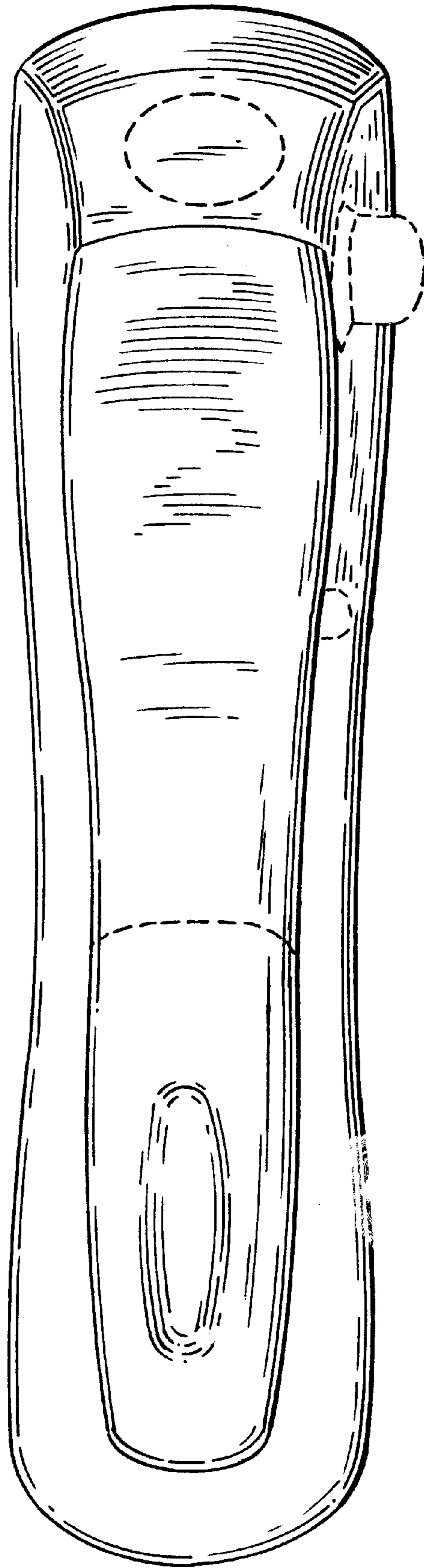




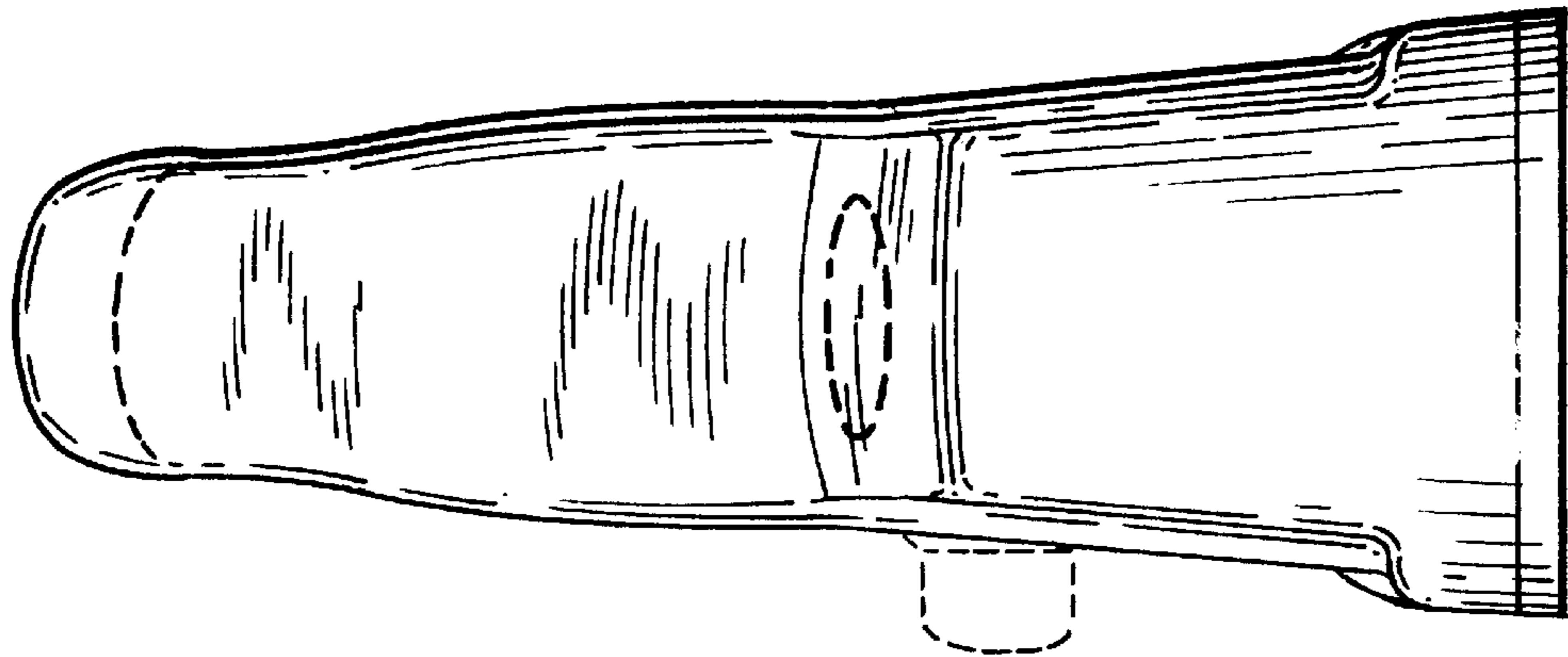
*Fig. 1*



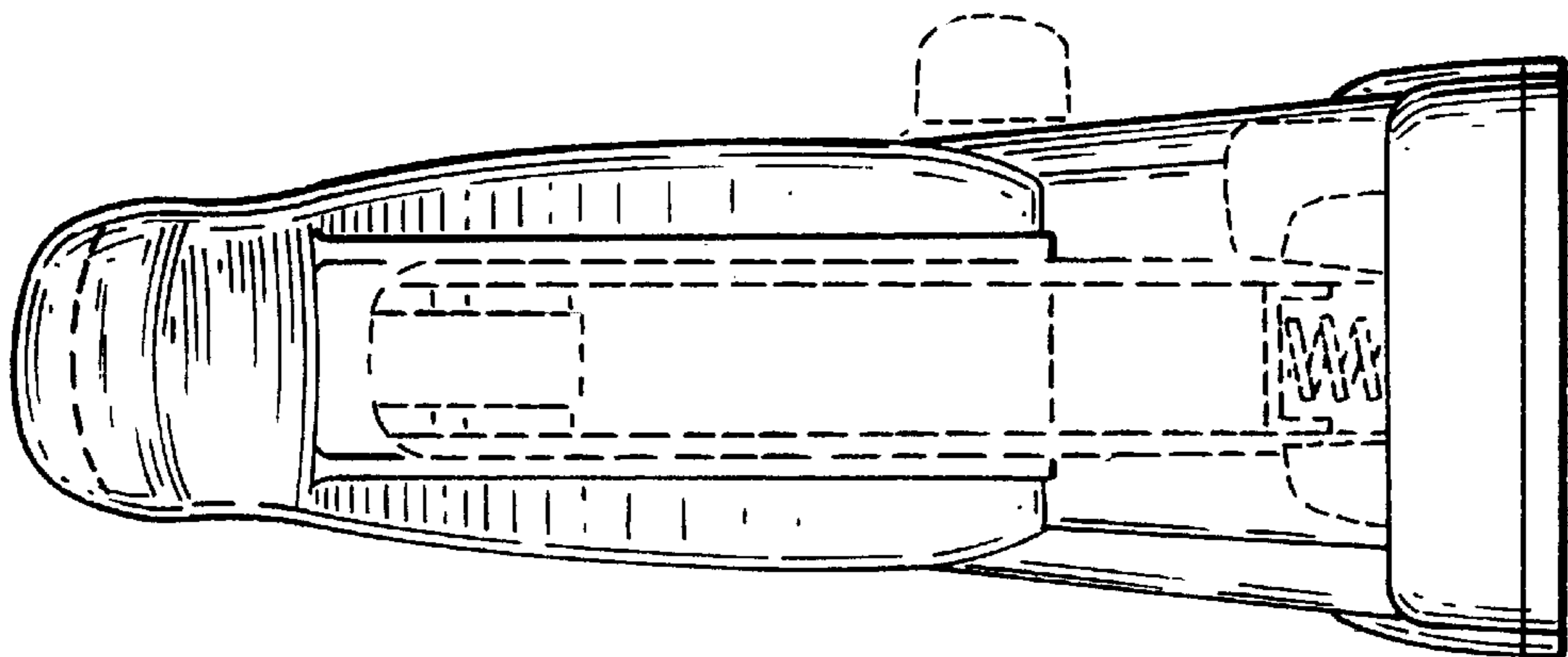
*Fig. 2*



*FIG. 3*



*Fig. 5*



*Fig. 4*