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(54) **PROTECTIVE CAP FOR A PRESSURIZED VESSEL VALVE**

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The ornamental design for a protective cap for a pressurized vessel valve, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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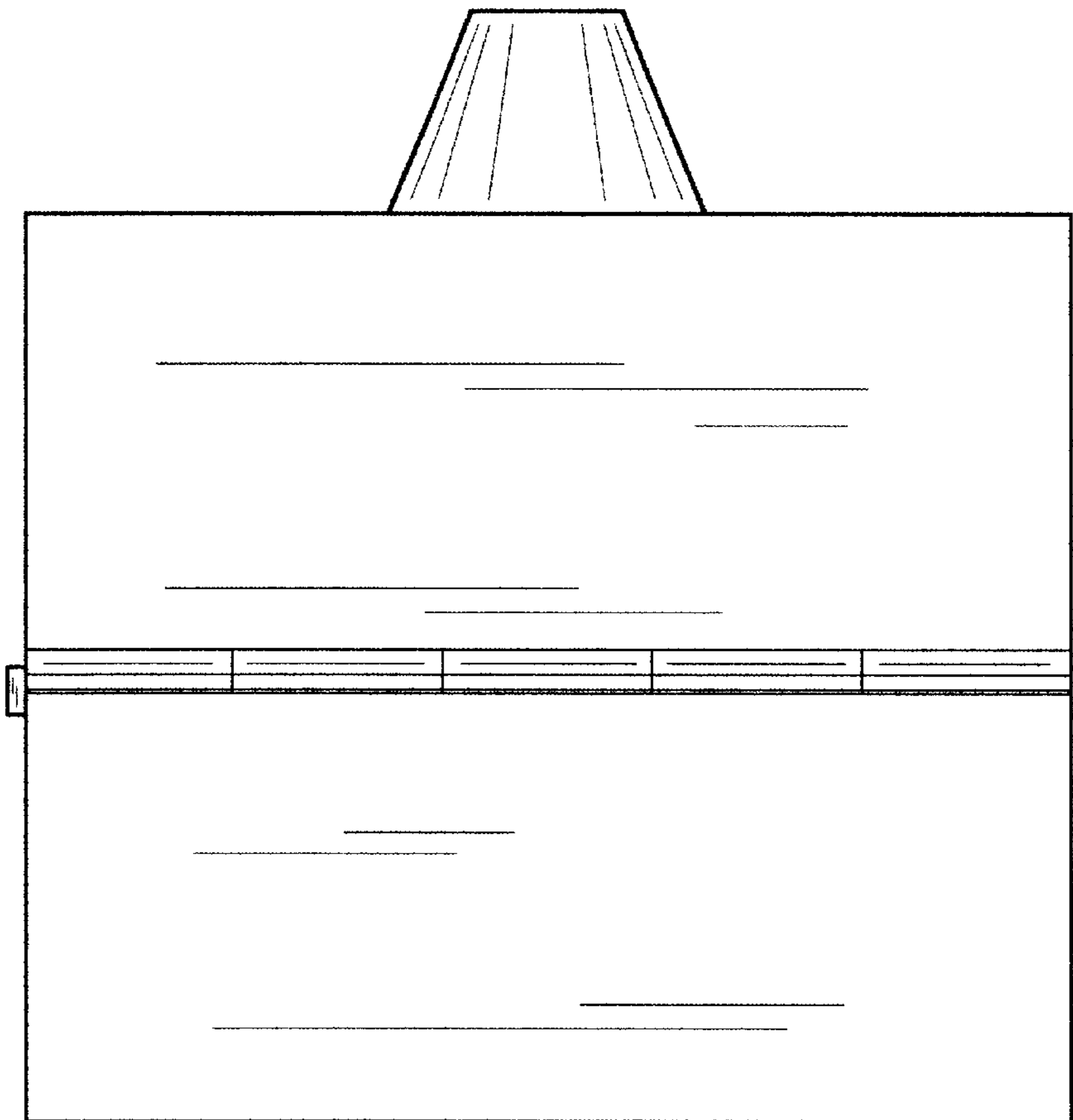
FIG. 1 is a front elevational view of a protective cap for a pressurized vessel valve showing my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a rear elevational view thereof;  
FIG. 3 is a side view, taken from the left side of FIG. 1, the right side view being the same thereas;  
FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof; and,  
FIG. 5 is a bottom plan view thereof.

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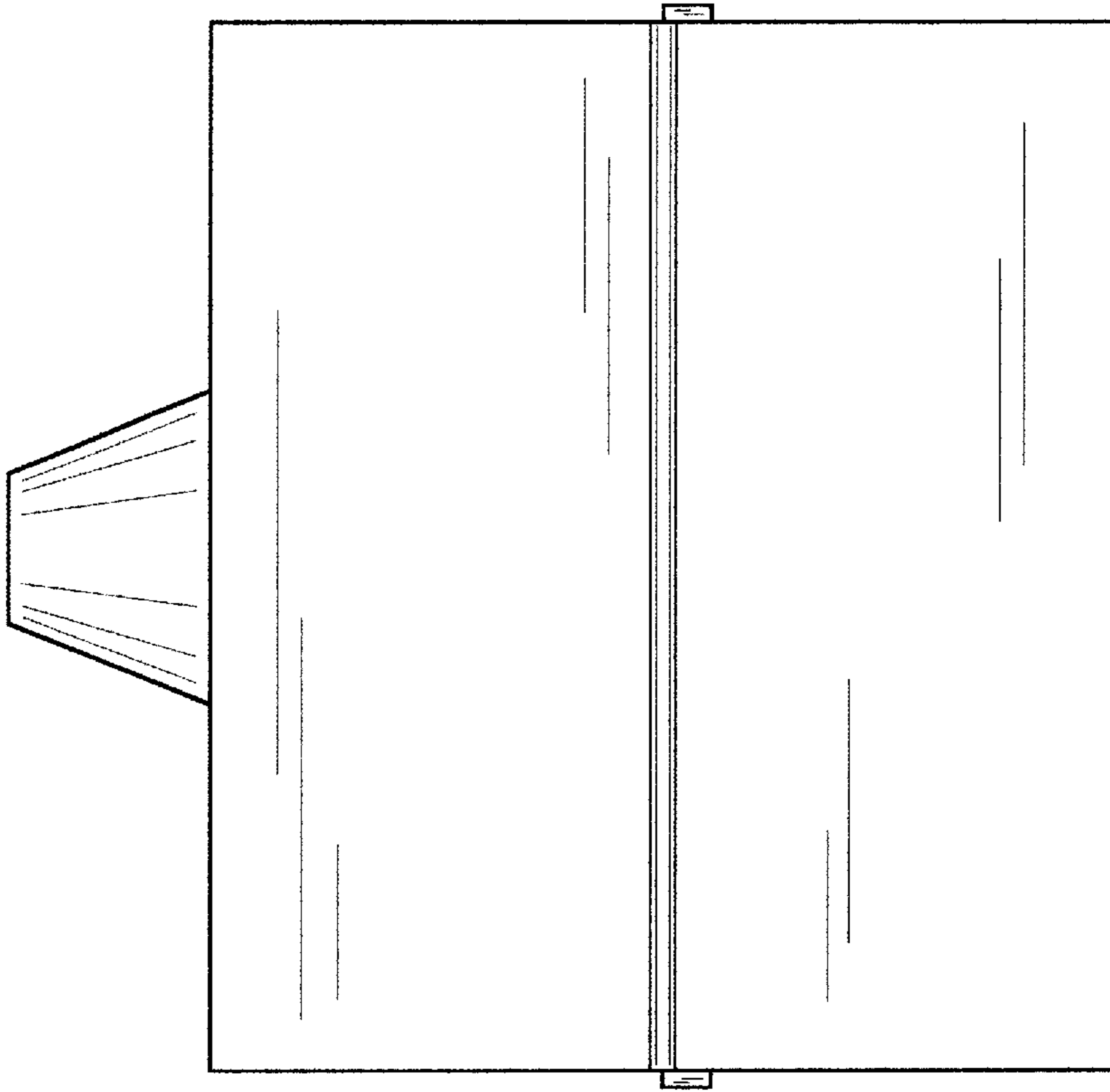


FIG. 2

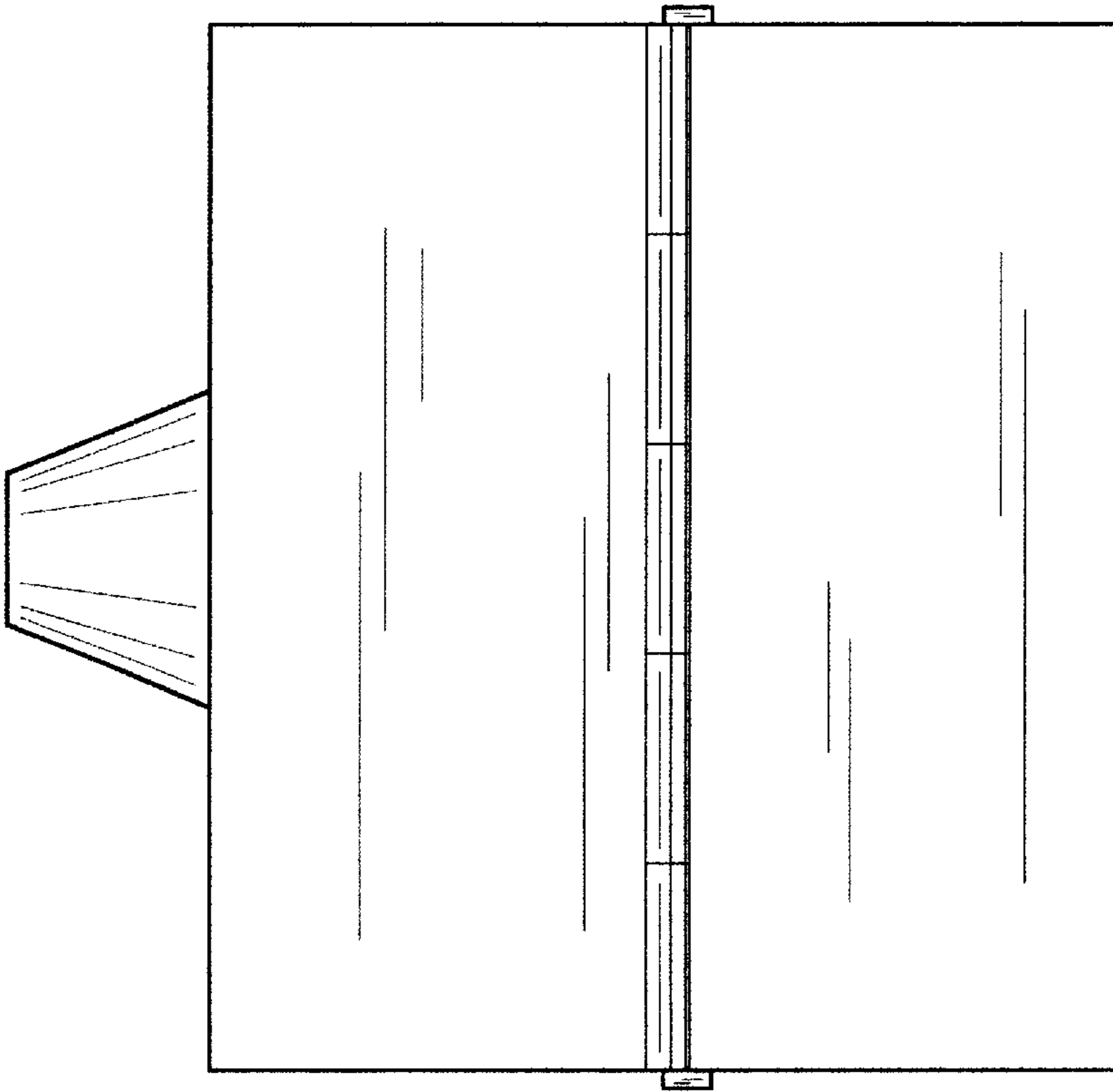


FIG. 1

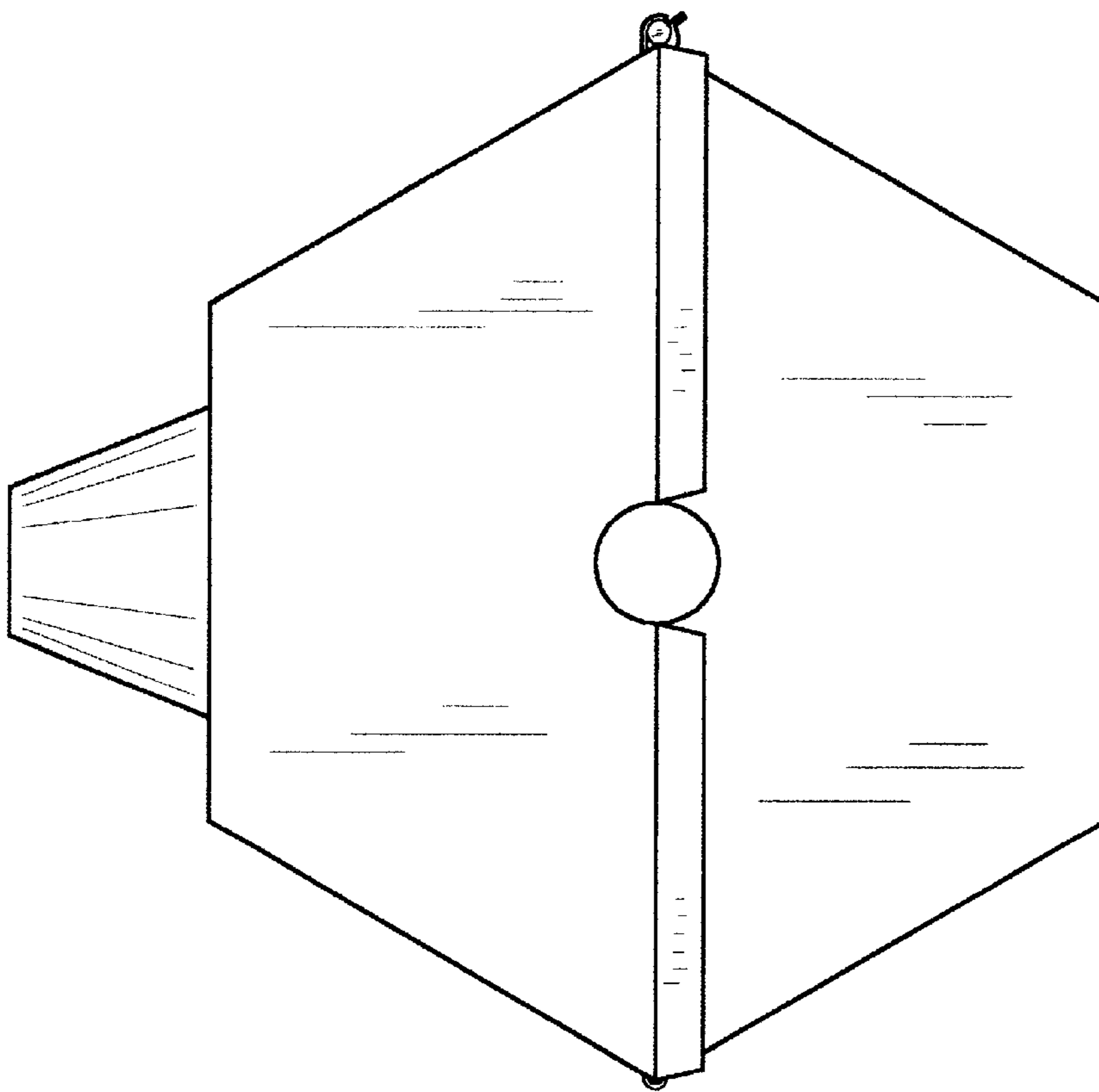


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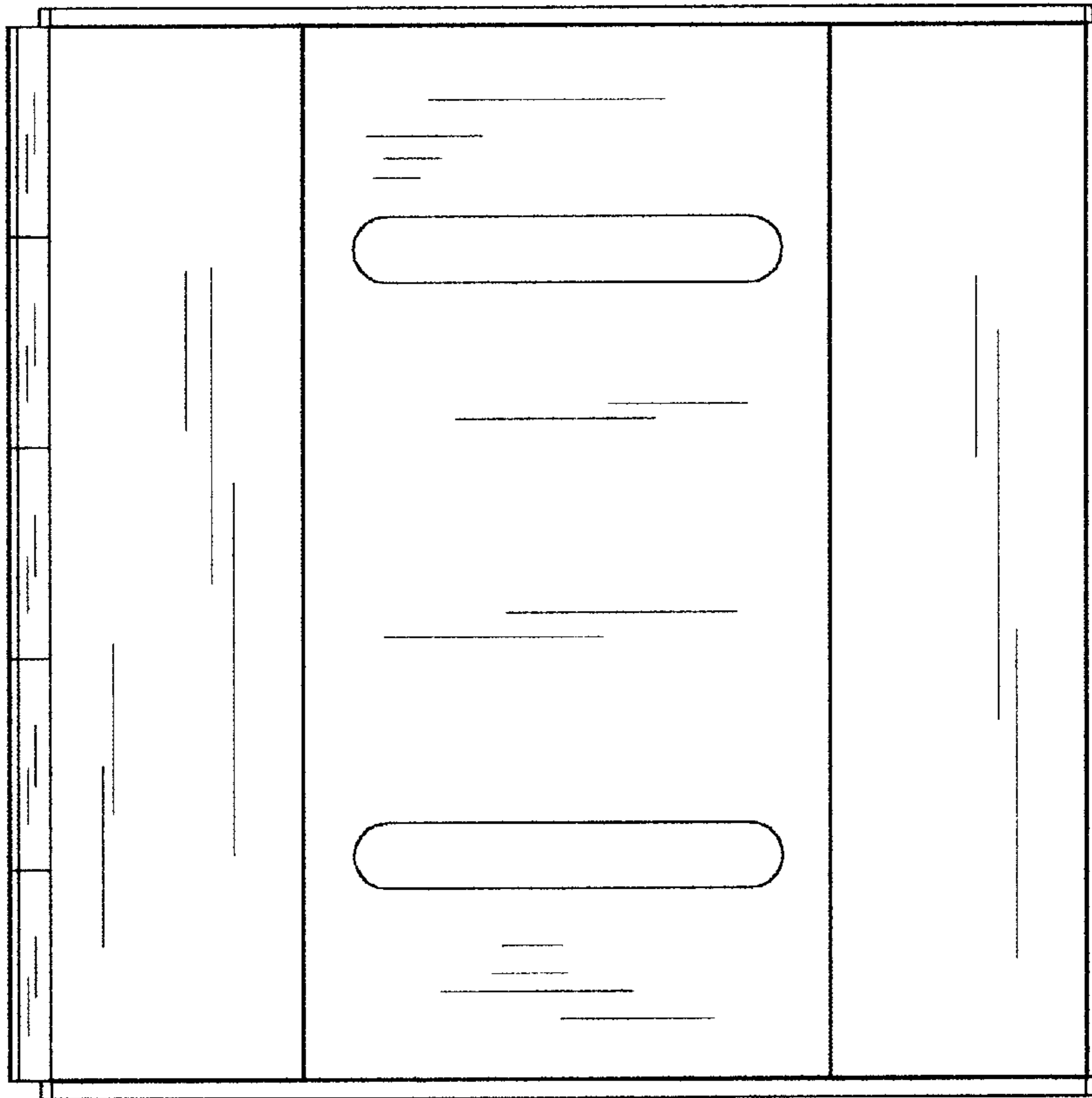


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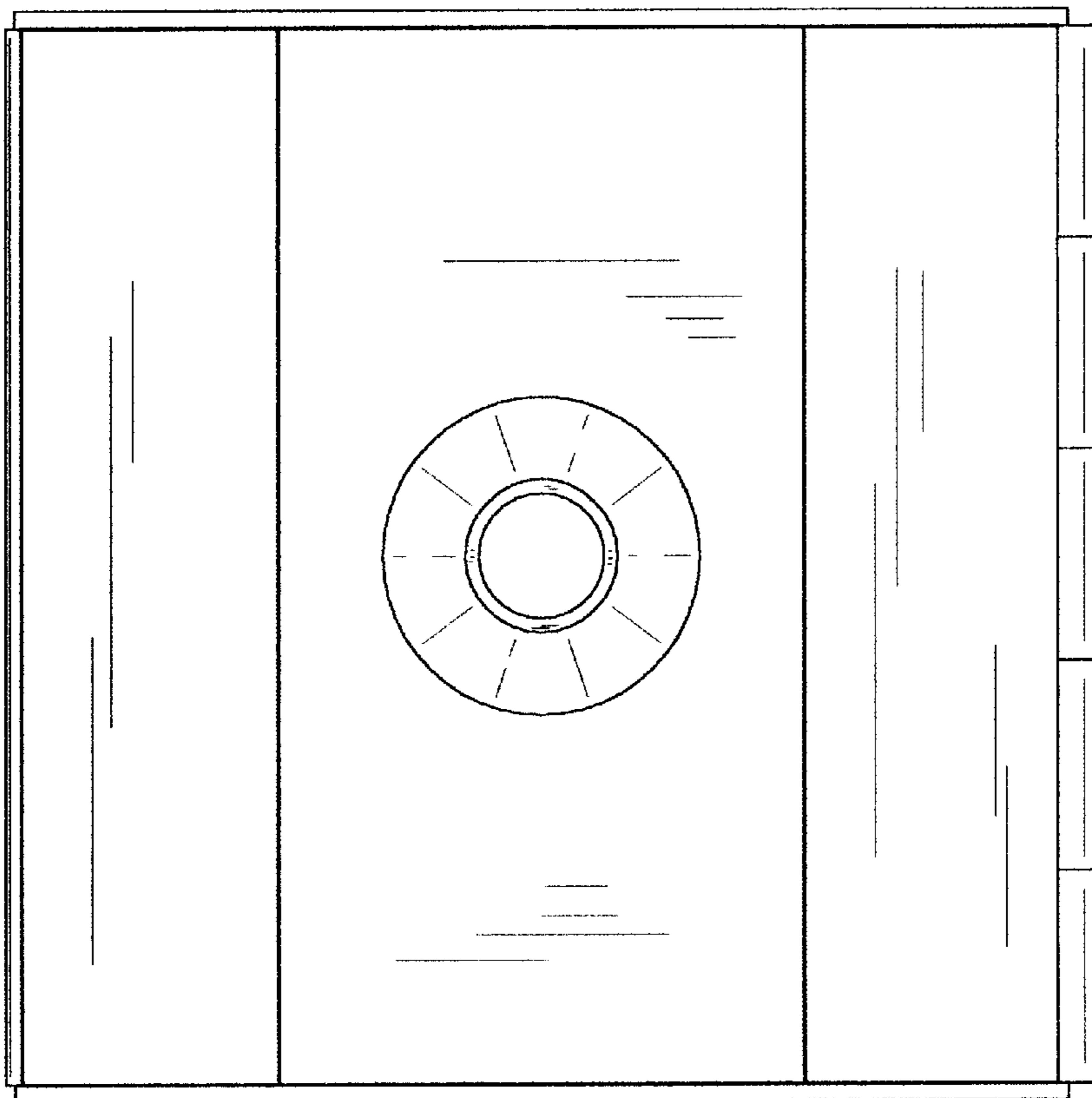


FIG. 4