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(54) **WRITING INSTRUMENT**

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The ornamental design for a writing instrument, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

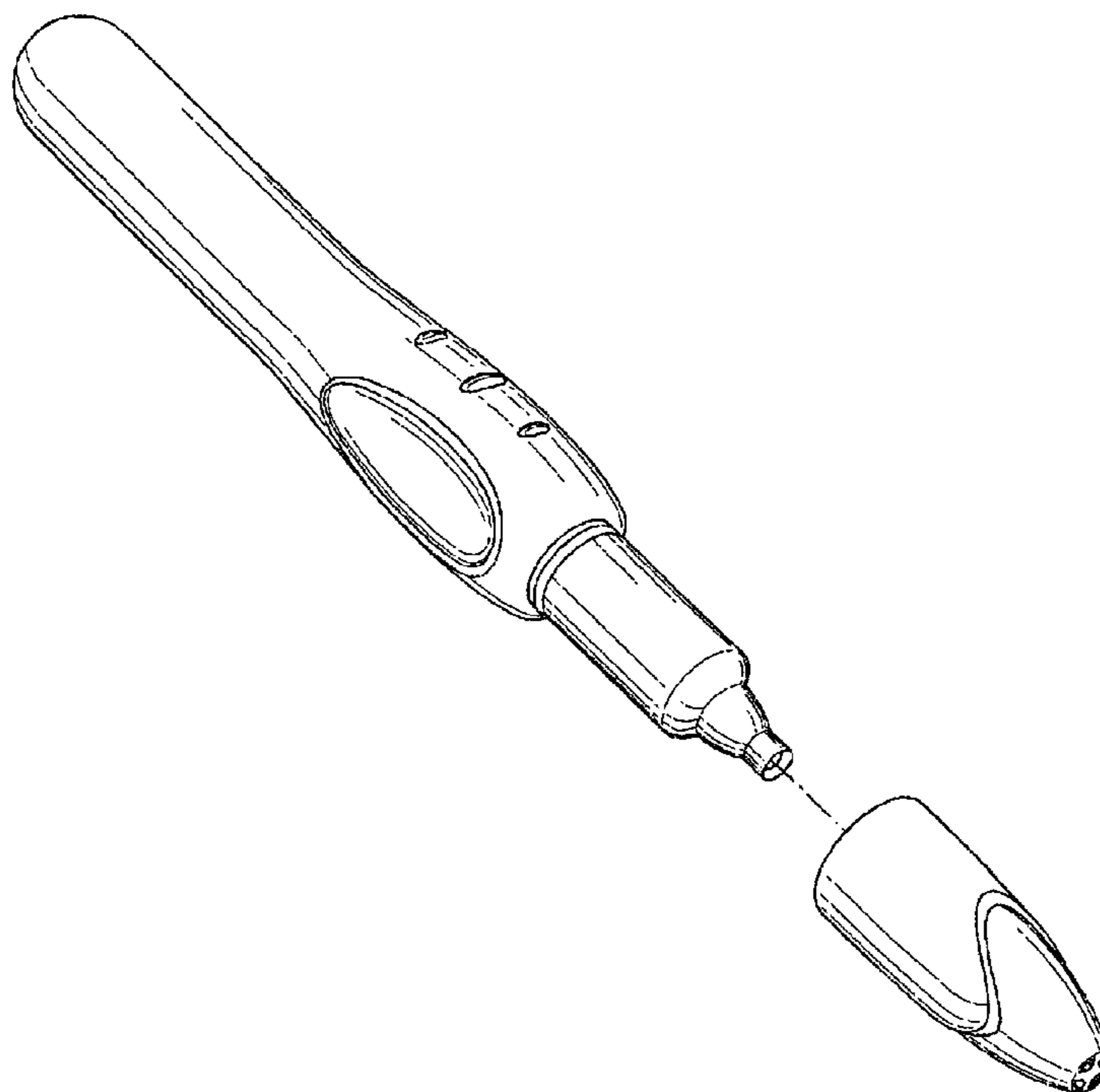
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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a writing instrument showing our new design in an exploded condition; FIG. 2 is a perspective view with the cap member in place; FIG. 3 is a side elevational view taken in the direction of arrows 3—3 in FIG. 2, the opposite side being identical; FIG. 4 is a second side elevational view taken in the direction of arrows 4—4 in FIG. 2, the opposite side being identical; FIG. 5 is an end view taken in the direction of arrows 5—5 in FIG. 2; and, FIG. 6 is an end view taken in the direction of arrows 6—6 in FIG. 2.

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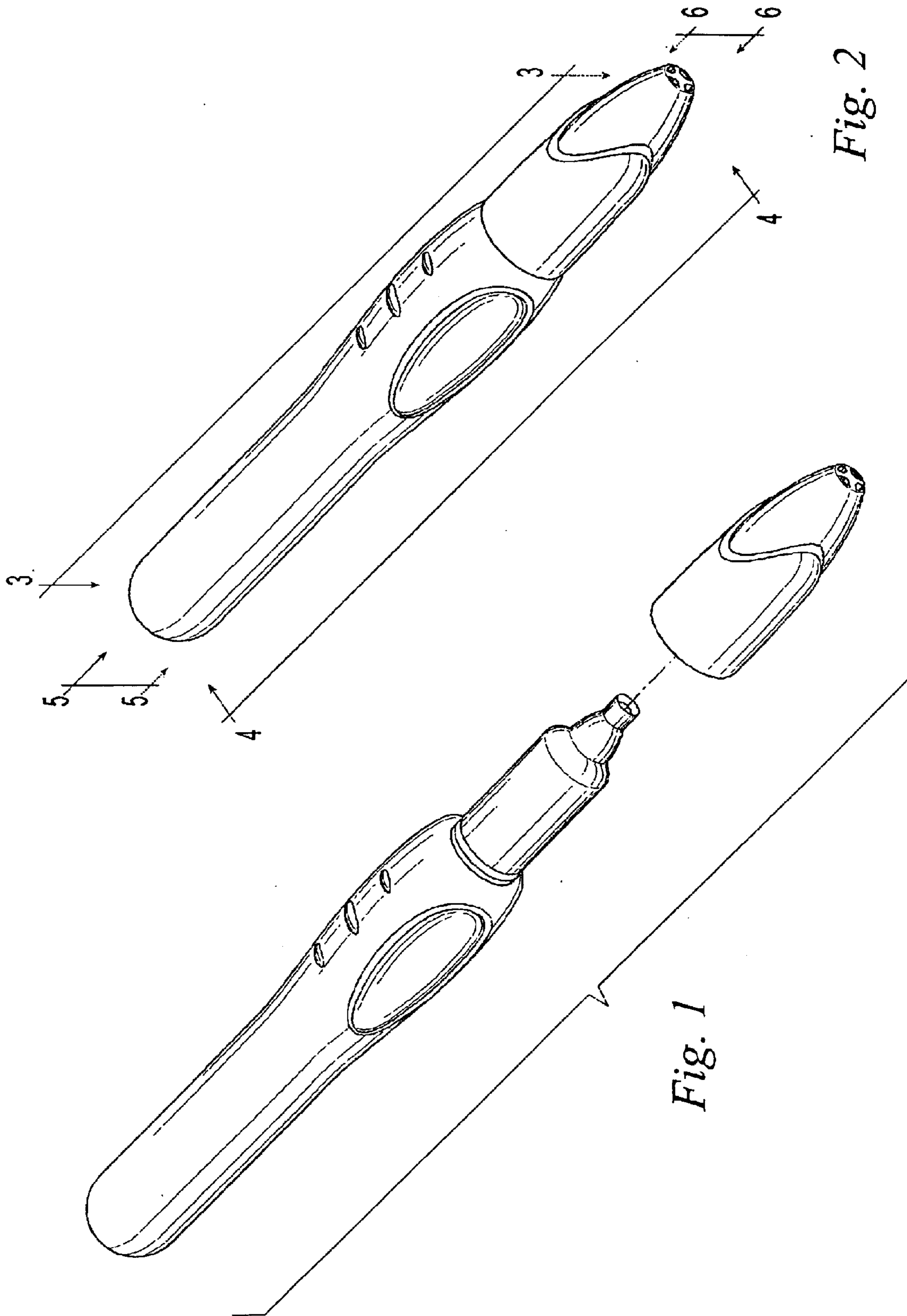


Fig. 1

Fig. 2

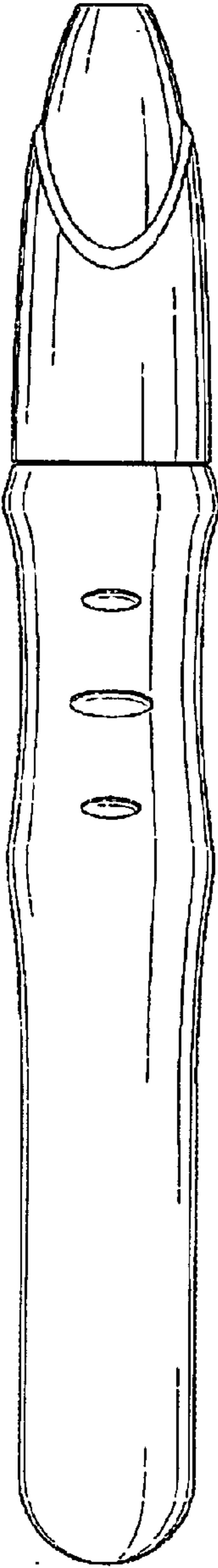


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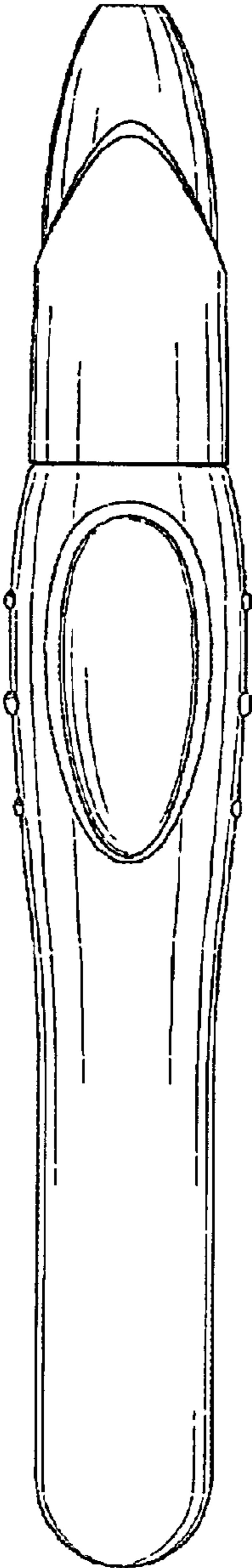


Fig. 4

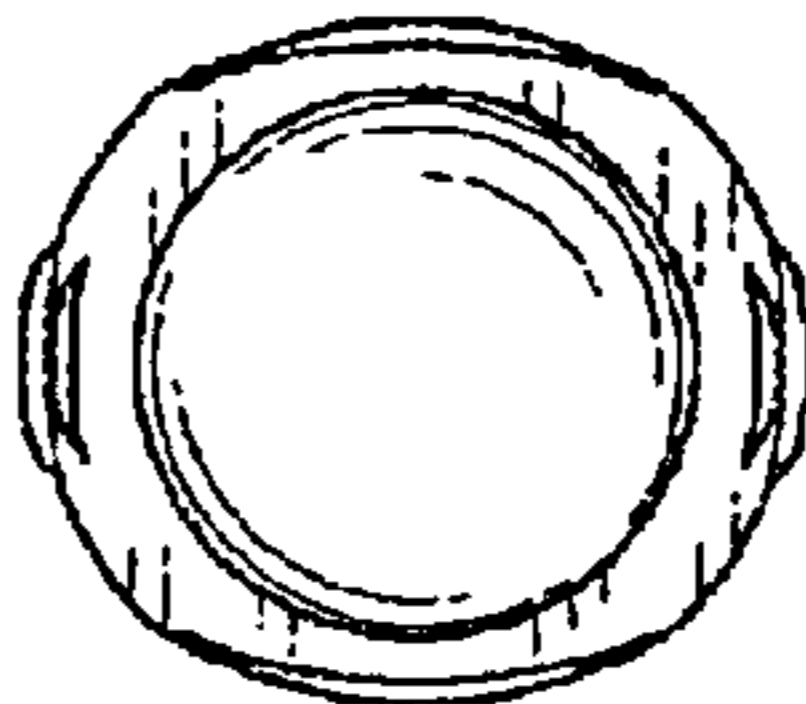


Fig. 5

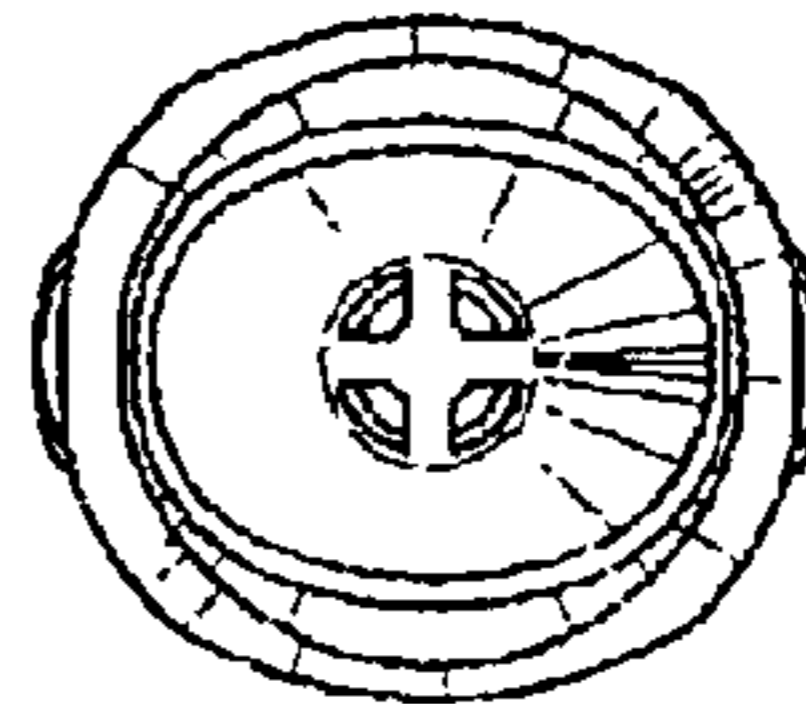


Fig. 6