

US00D498396S

(12) **United States Design Patent**  
**Overthun et al.**

(10) **Patent No.: US D498,396 S**

(45) **Date of Patent: \*\* \*Nov. 16, 2004**

(54) **SHEARS**

(75) **Inventors:** **Thomas Overthun**, San Francisco, CA (US); **David M. Webster**, San Francisco, CA (US); **James R. Yurchenco**, Palo Alto, CA (US); **Annetta M. Papadopoulos**, Palo Alto, CA (US); **Opher D. Yom-Tov**, San Francisco, CA (US)

(73) **Assignee:** **Zyliss USA Corp.**, Foothill Ranch, CA (US)

(\*) **Notice:** This patent is subject to a terminal disclaimer.

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

(21) **Appl. No.:** **29/180,501**

(22) **Filed:** **Apr. 24, 2003**

(51) **LOC (7) Cl.** ..... **08-01**

(52) **U.S. Cl.** ..... **D8/5**

(58) **Field of Search** ..... D8/4, 5; 30/252-254

(56) **References Cited**

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

D431,761 S \* 10/2000 Deville ..... D8/5

D458,816 S \* 6/2002 Meyerratken ..... D8/5

\* cited by examiner

*Primary Examiner*—Holly Baynham

(74) *Attorney, Agent, or Firm*—Snell & Wilmer LLP

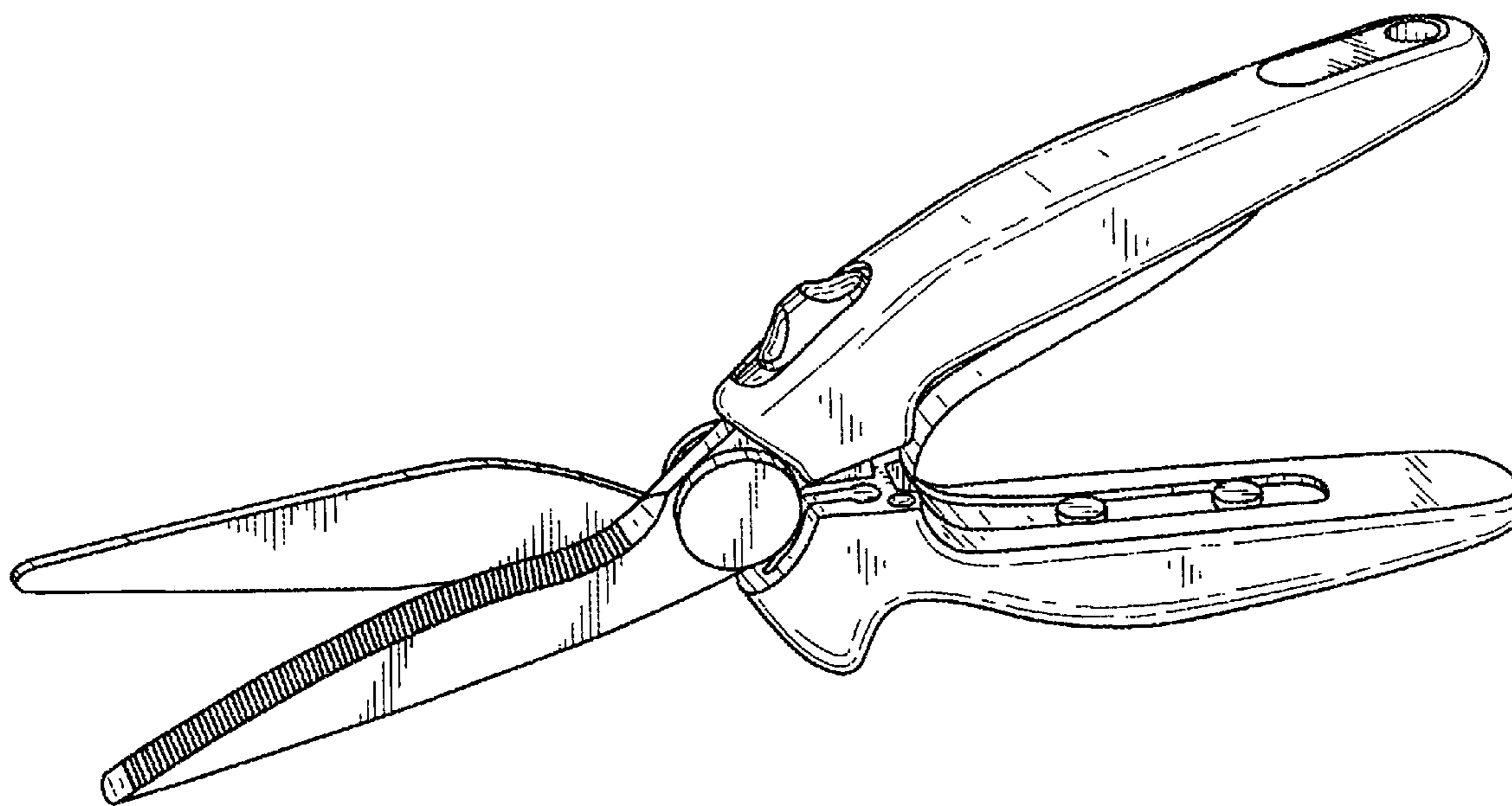
(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for the shears, as shown.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a side perspective view of shears showing an exemplary embodiment of our new design; FIG. 2 is a left side view of the shears of FIG. 1; FIG. 3 is a right side view of the shears of FIG. 1; FIG. 4 is a front view of the shears of FIG. 1; FIG. 5 is a back view of the shears of FIG. 1; FIG. 6 is a top view of the shears of FIG. 1; and, FIG. 7 is a bottom view of the shears of FIG. 1.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**



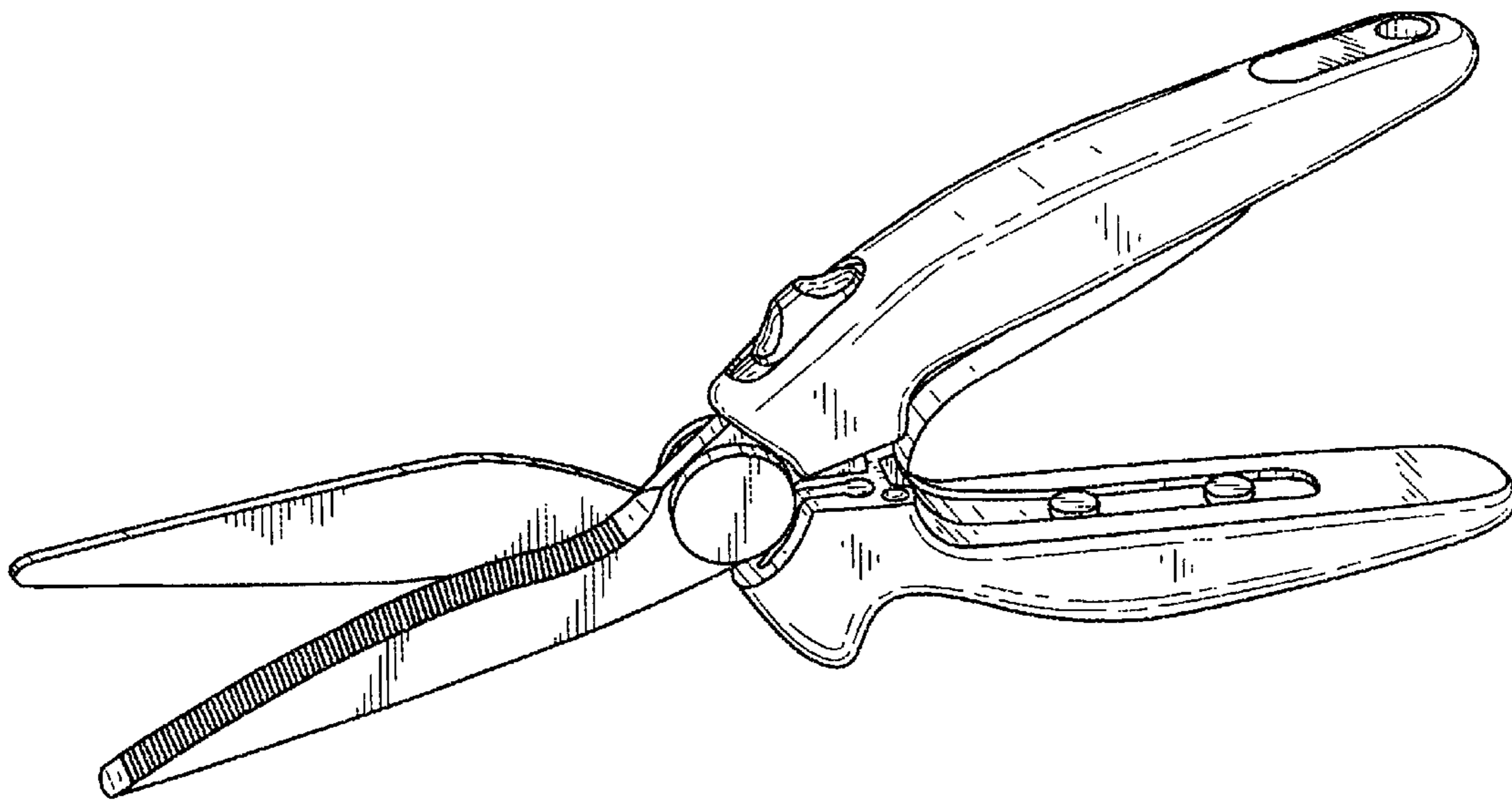


FIG. 1

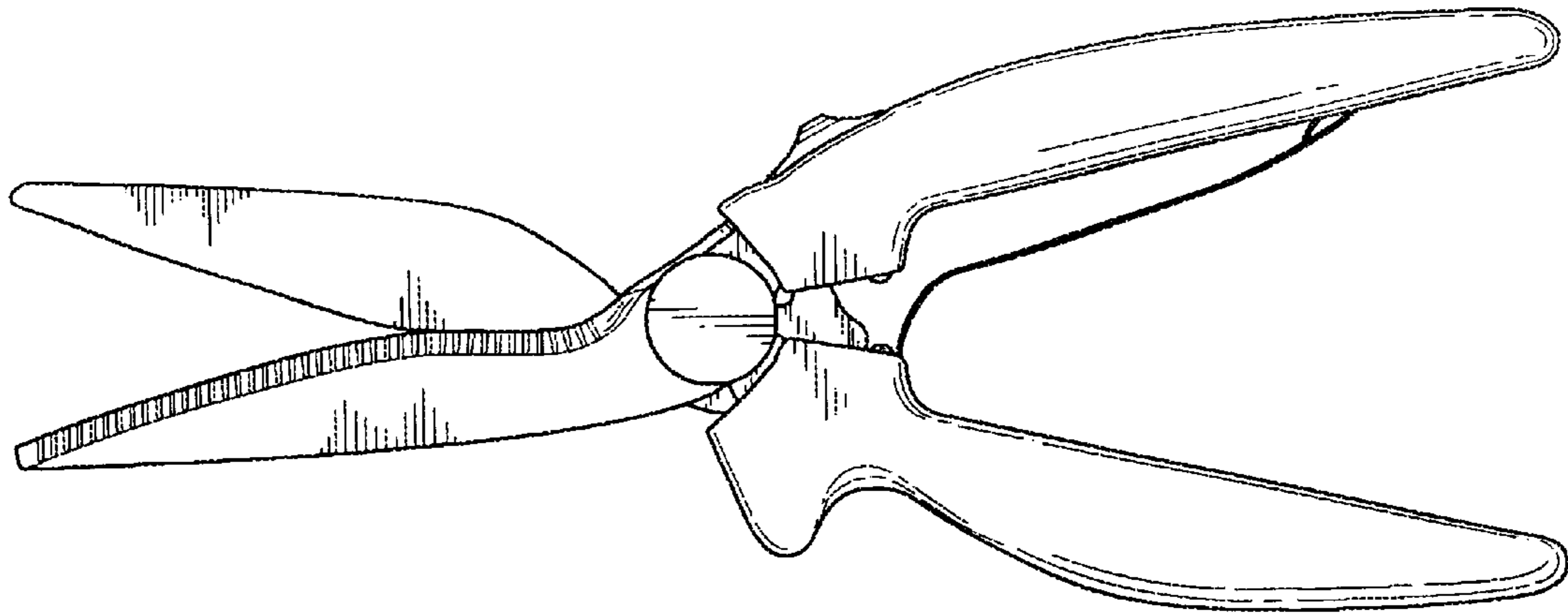


FIG. 2

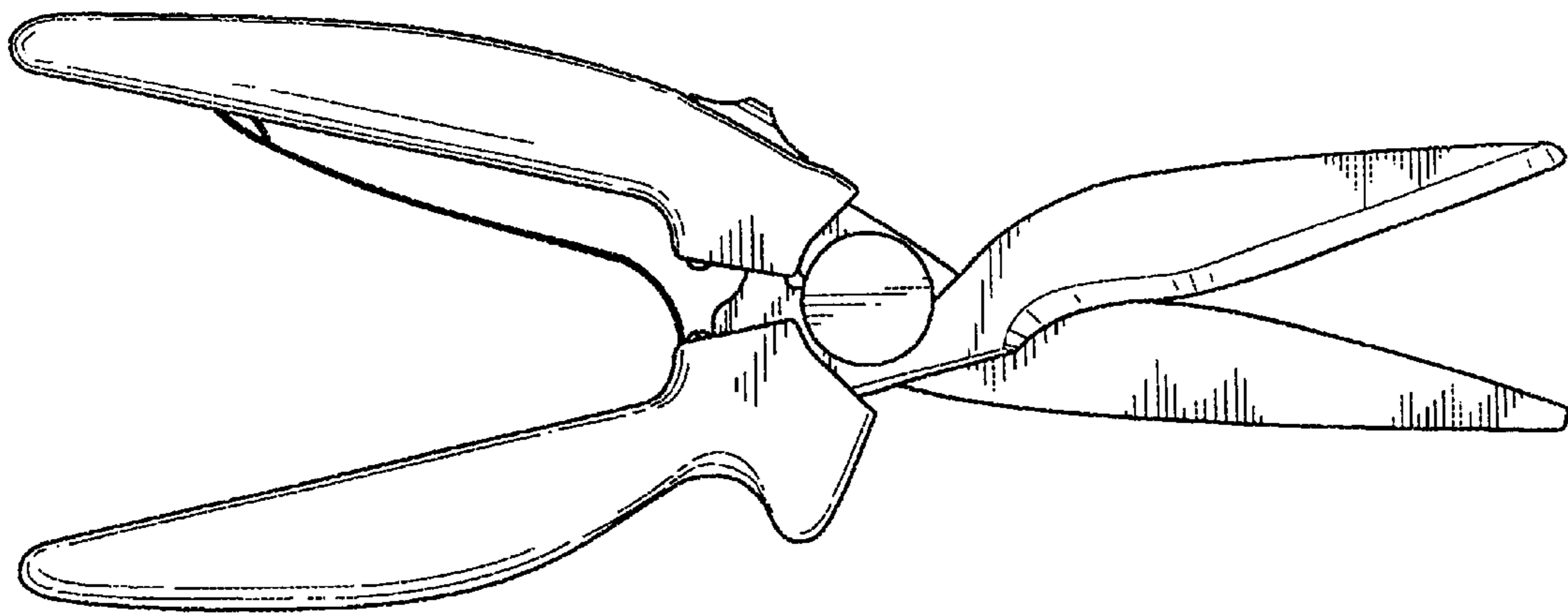


FIG. 3

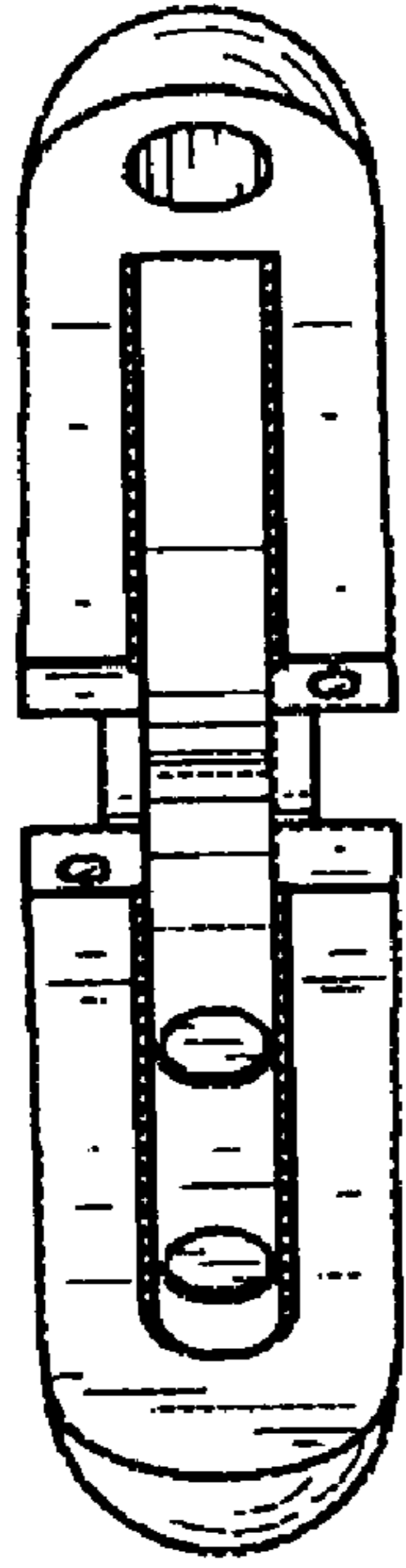


FIG. 4

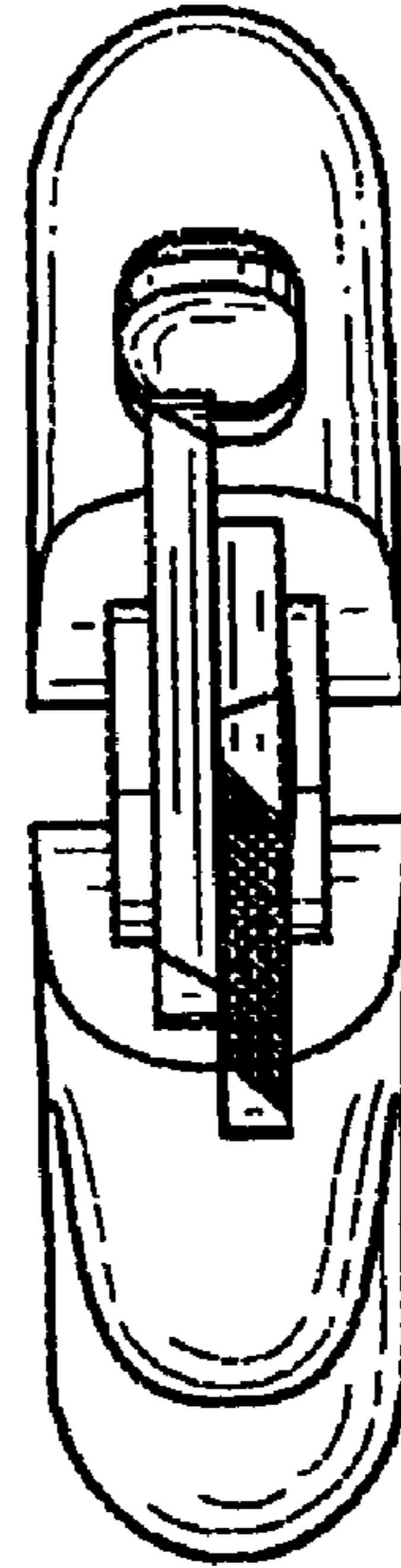


FIG. 5

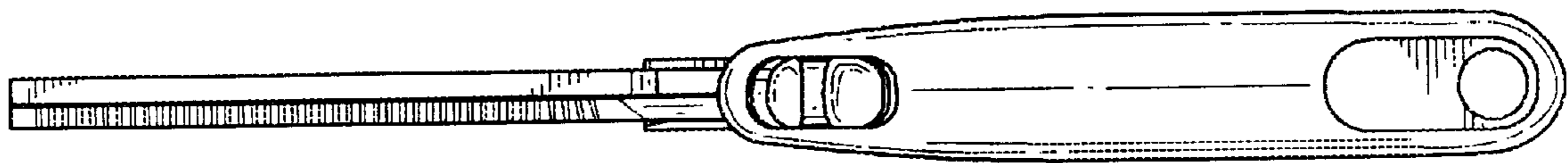


FIG. 6

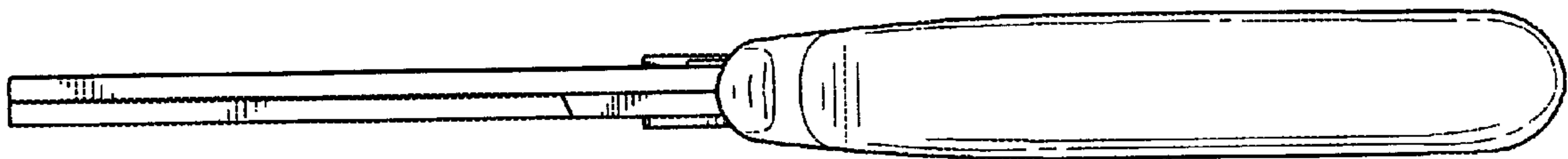


FIG. 7