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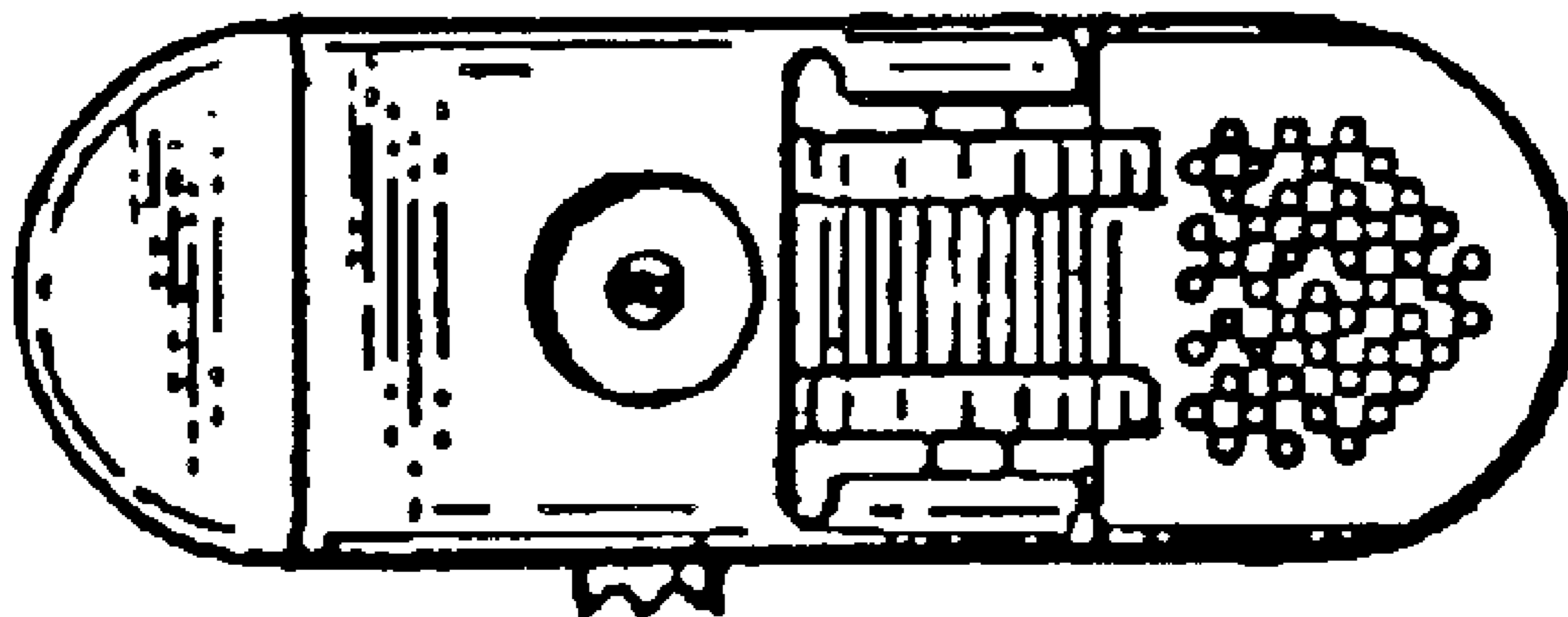
(57) **CLAIM**

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

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front view of the lighter showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a left side view of the lighter of FIG. 1;
FIG. 3 is a right side view of the lighter of FIG. 1;
FIG. 4 is a rear view of the lighter of FIG. 1;
FIG. 5 is a top plan view of the lighter of FIG. 1;
FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view of the lighter of FIG. 1; and,
FIG. 7 is a front perspective view of the lighter of FIG. 1.

1 Claim, 3 Drawing Sheets



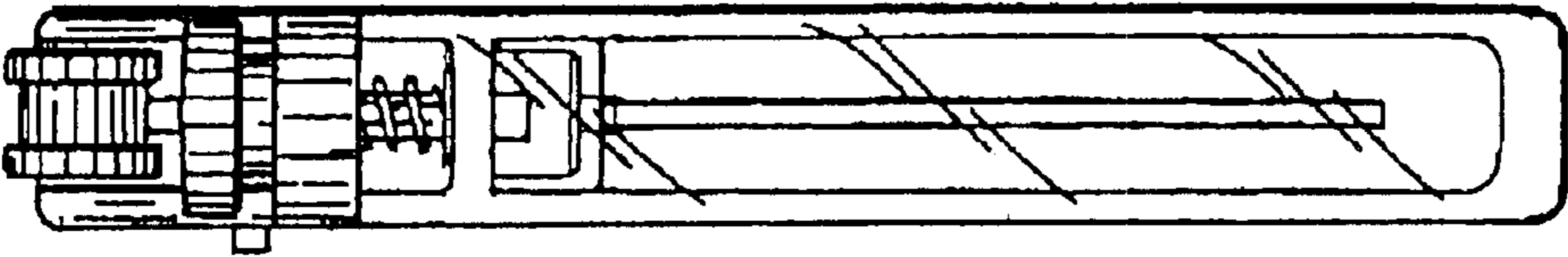


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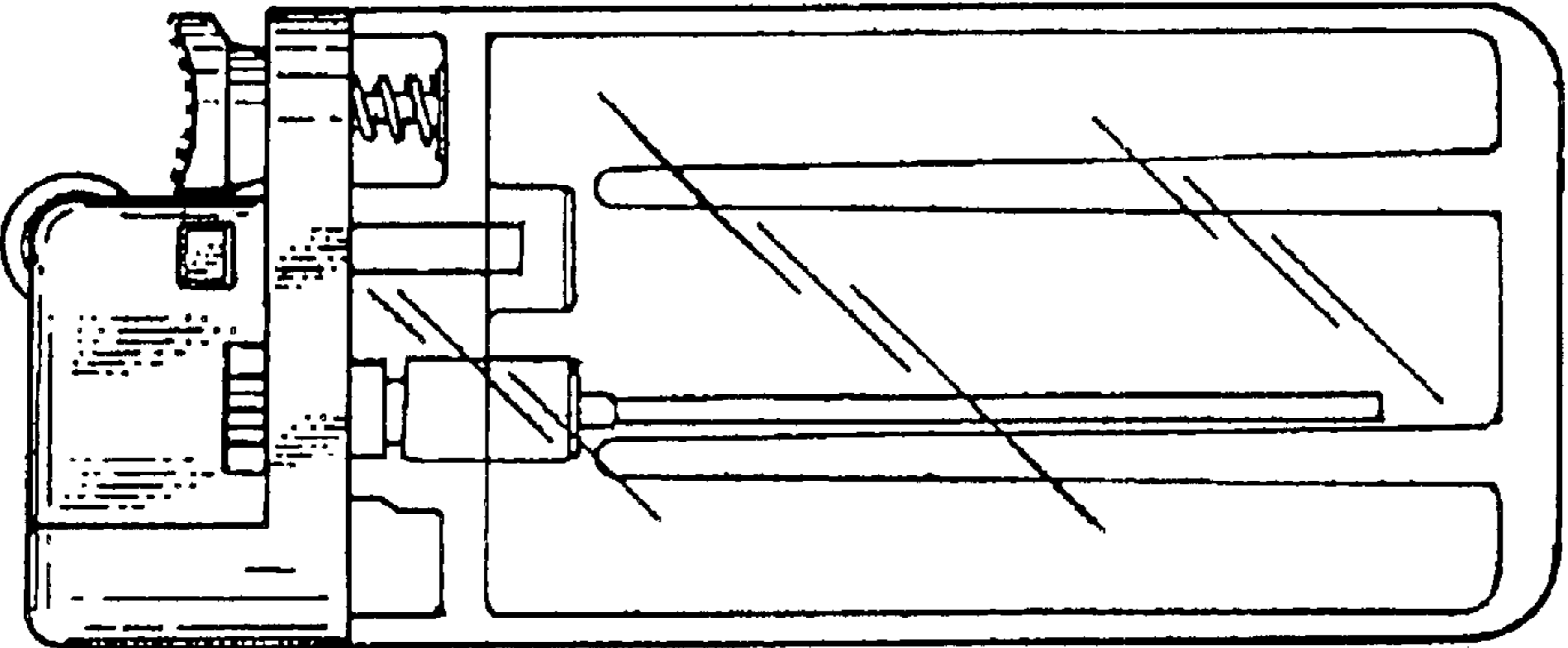


FIG. 1

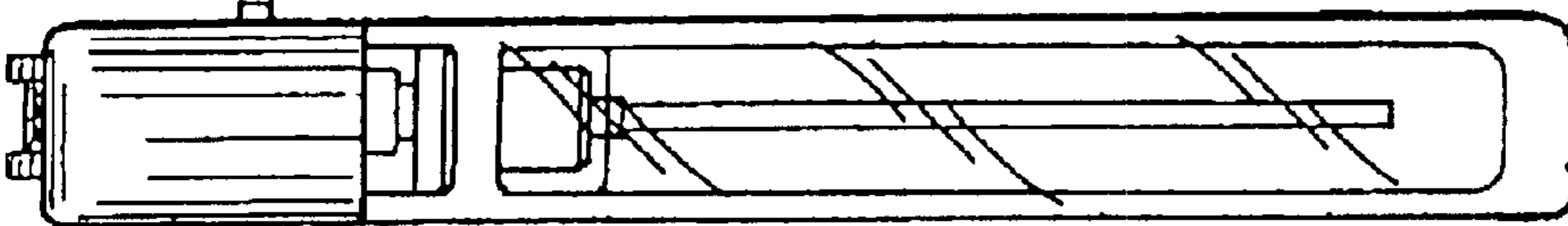


FIG. 2

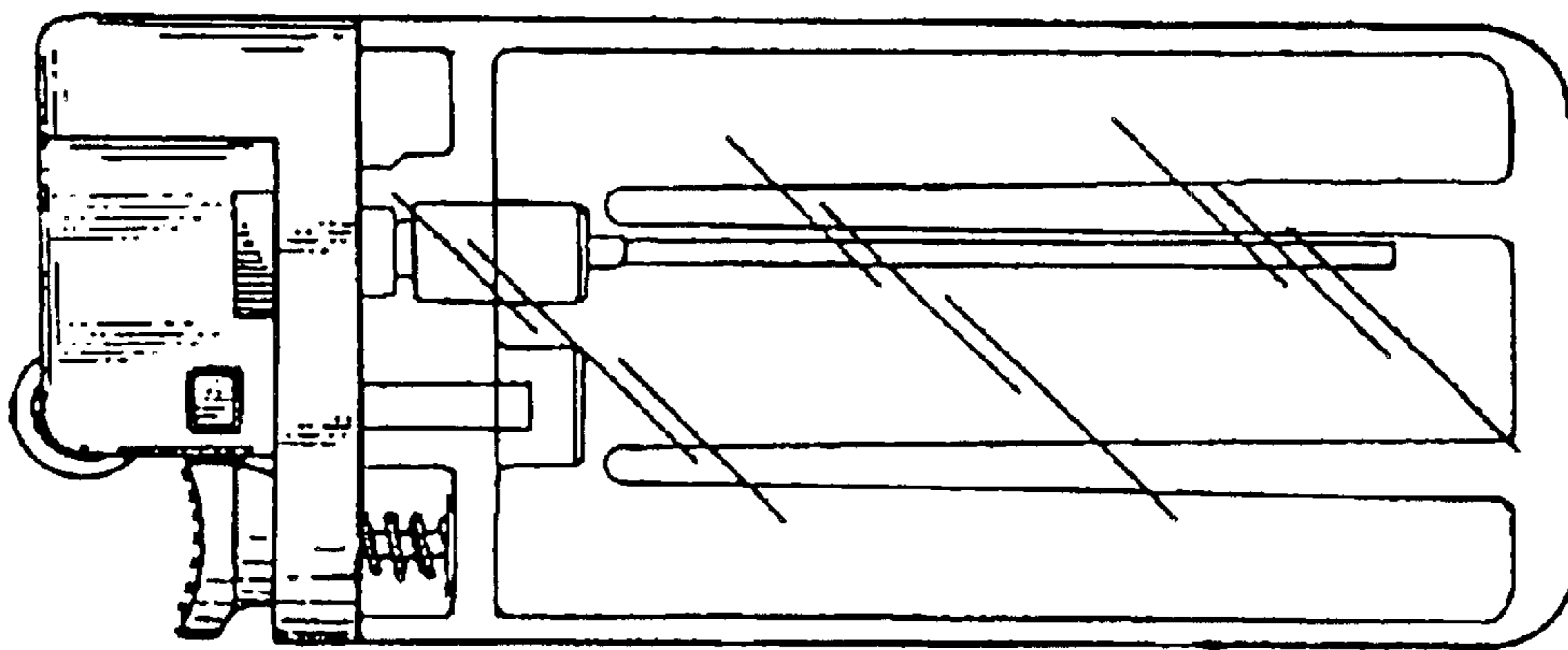


FIG. 4

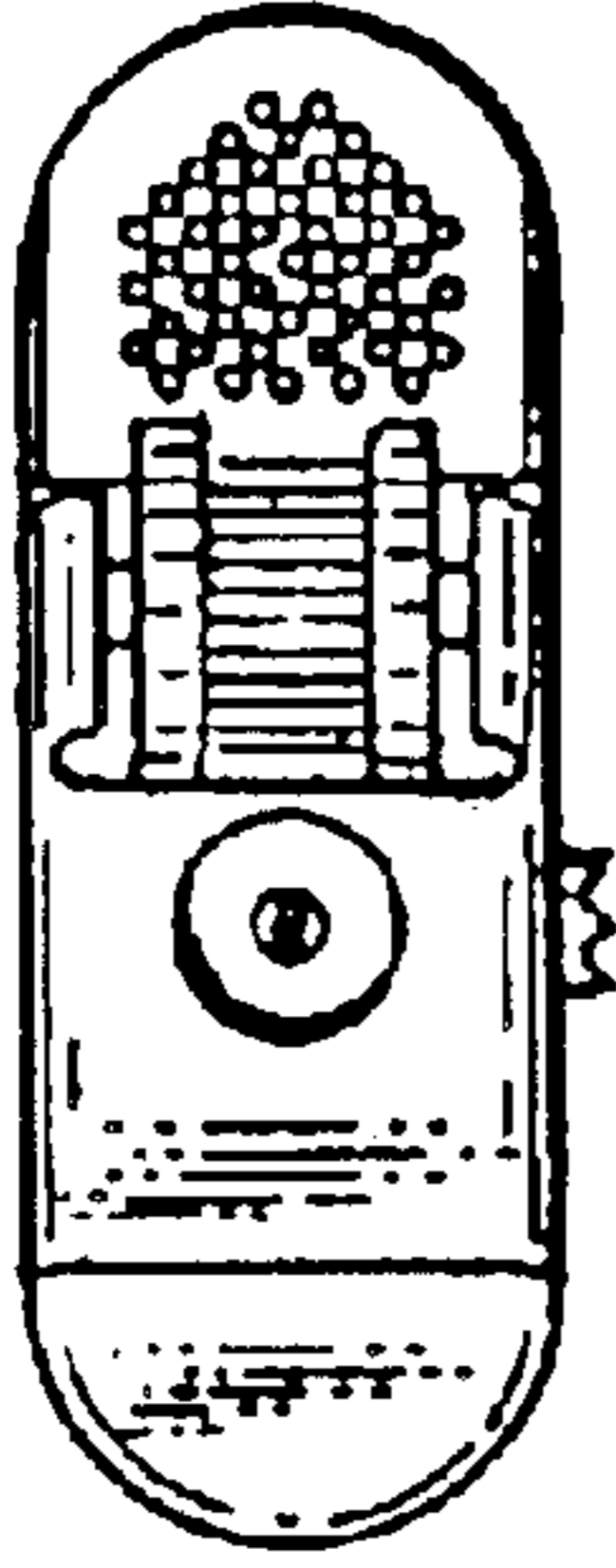


FIG. 5

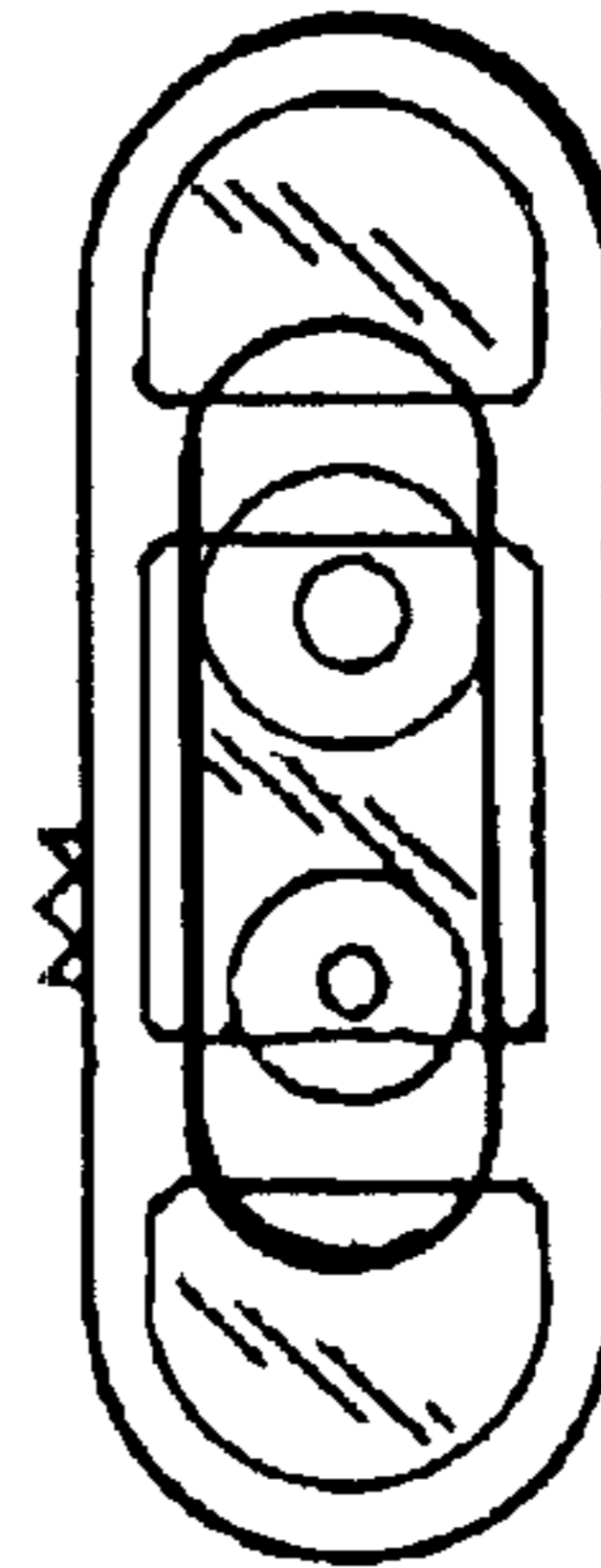


FIG. 6

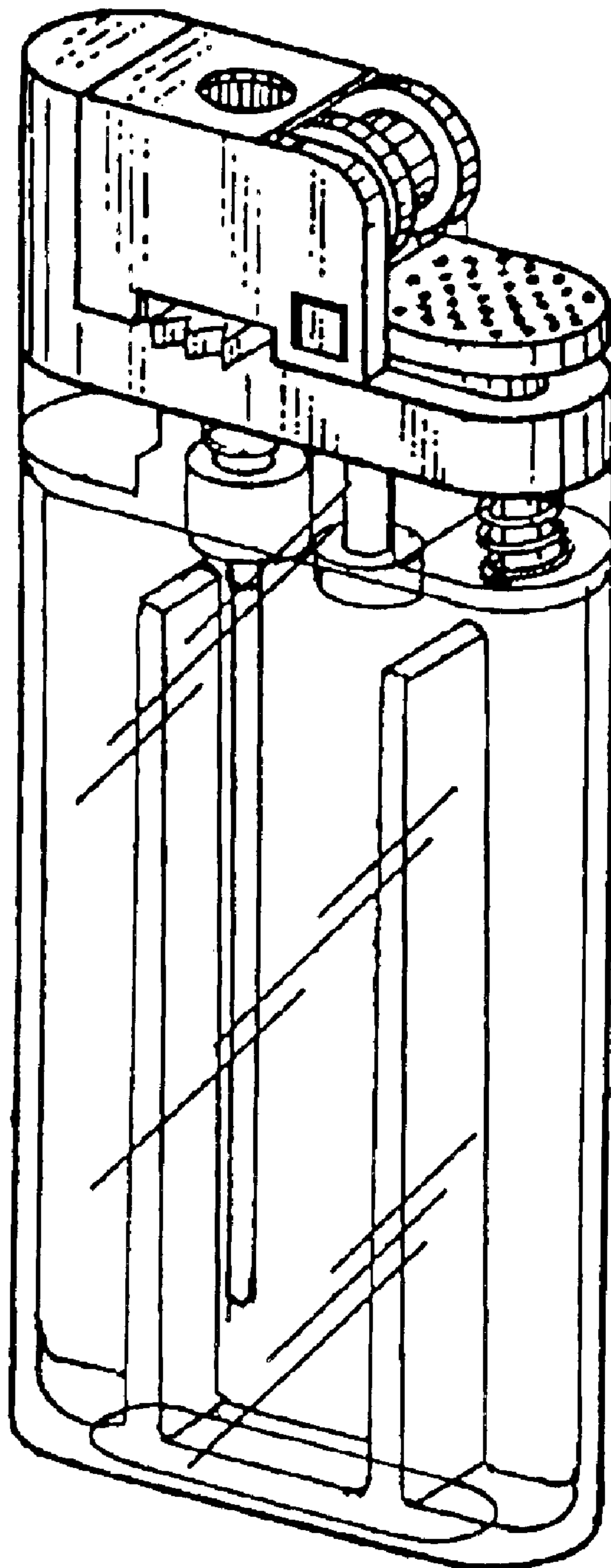


FIG. 7