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(54) **FRANKING MACHINE**
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The ornamental design for a franking machine, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

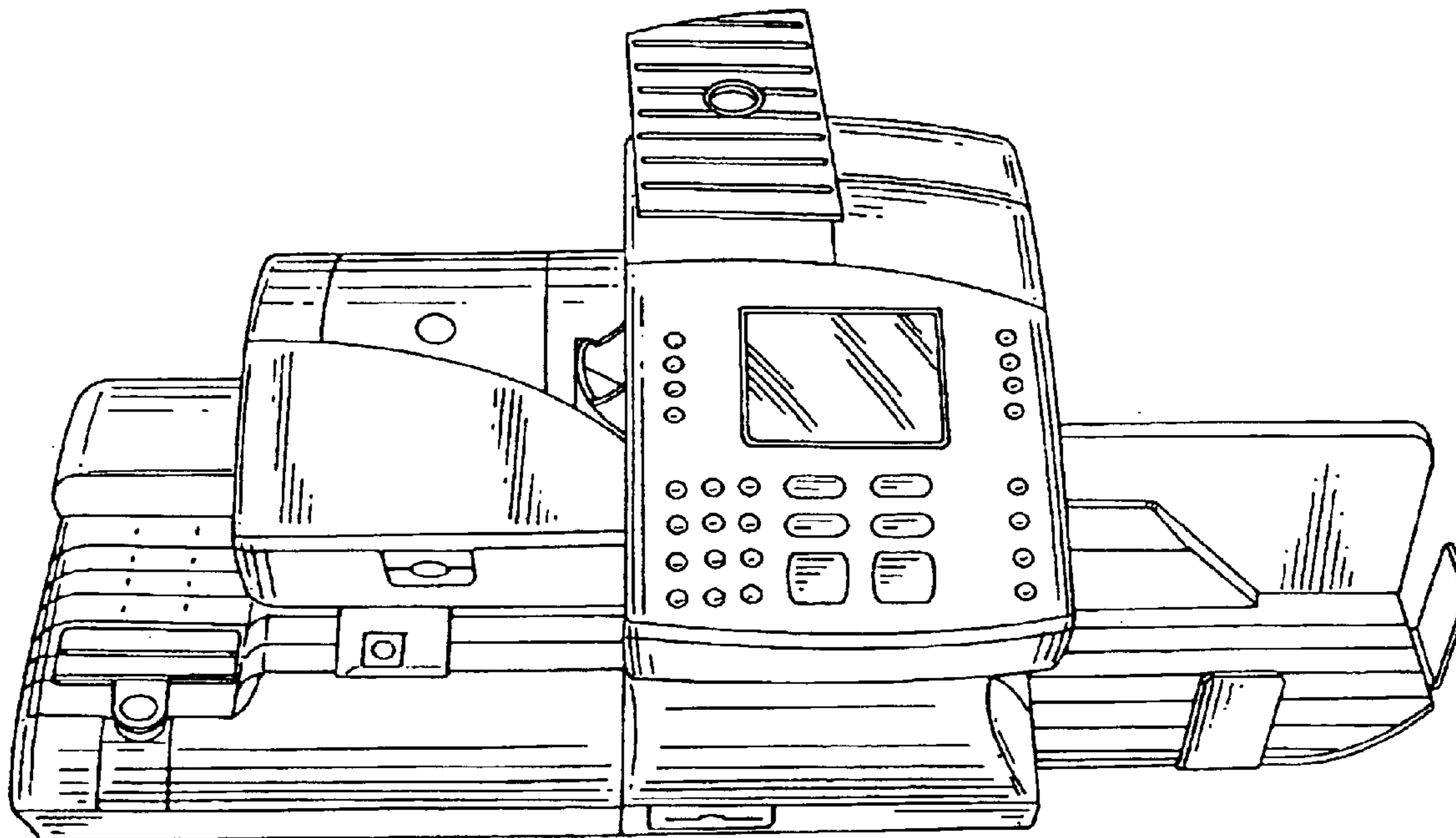
FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a franking machine showing my new design;
FIG. 2 is a top perspective view thereof;
FIG. 3 is a right side perspective view thereof;
FIG. 4 is a left side perspective view thereof;
FIG. 5 is a front perspective view thereof;
FIG. 6 is a bottom perspective view thereof;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

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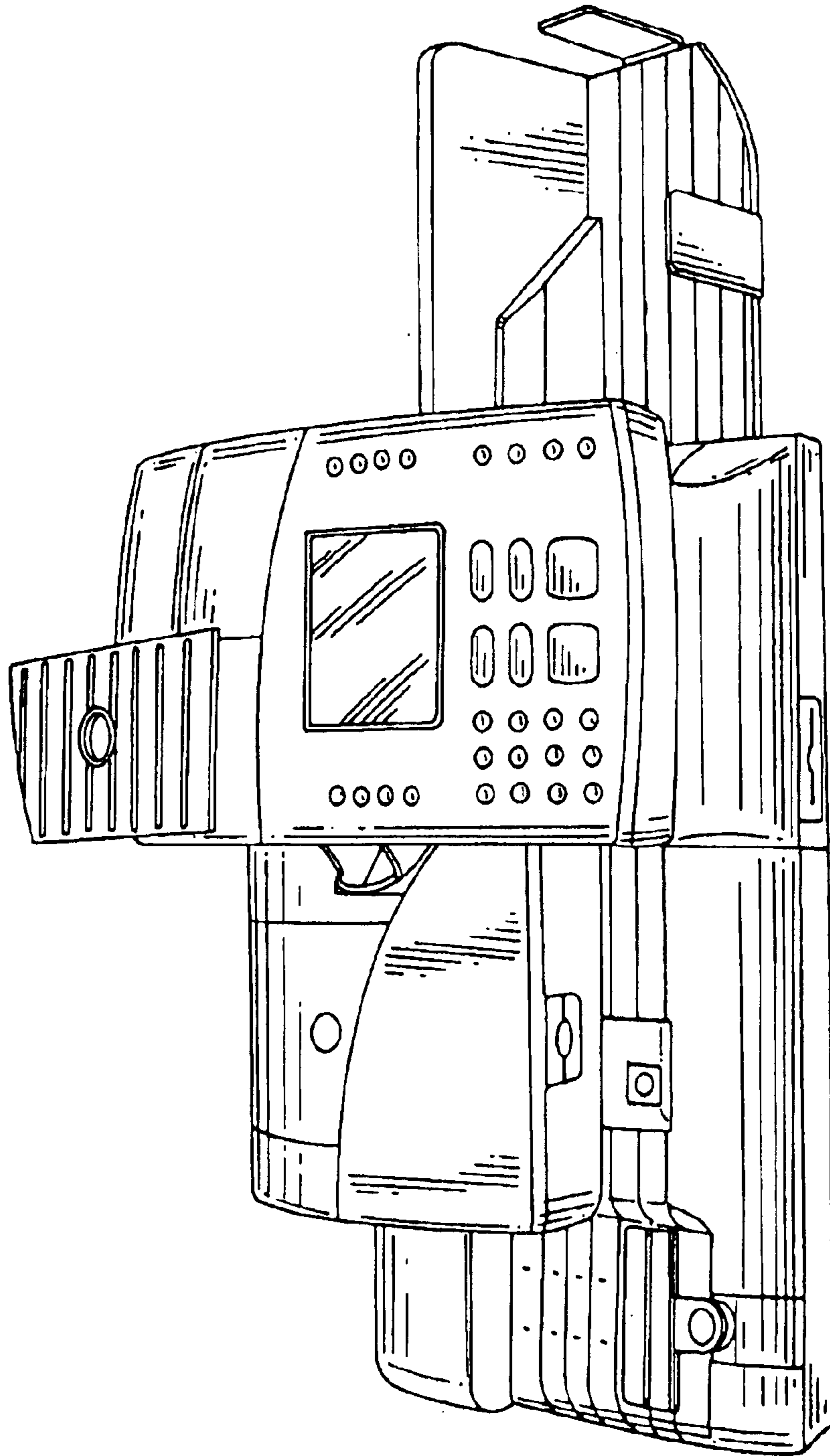


FIG. 1

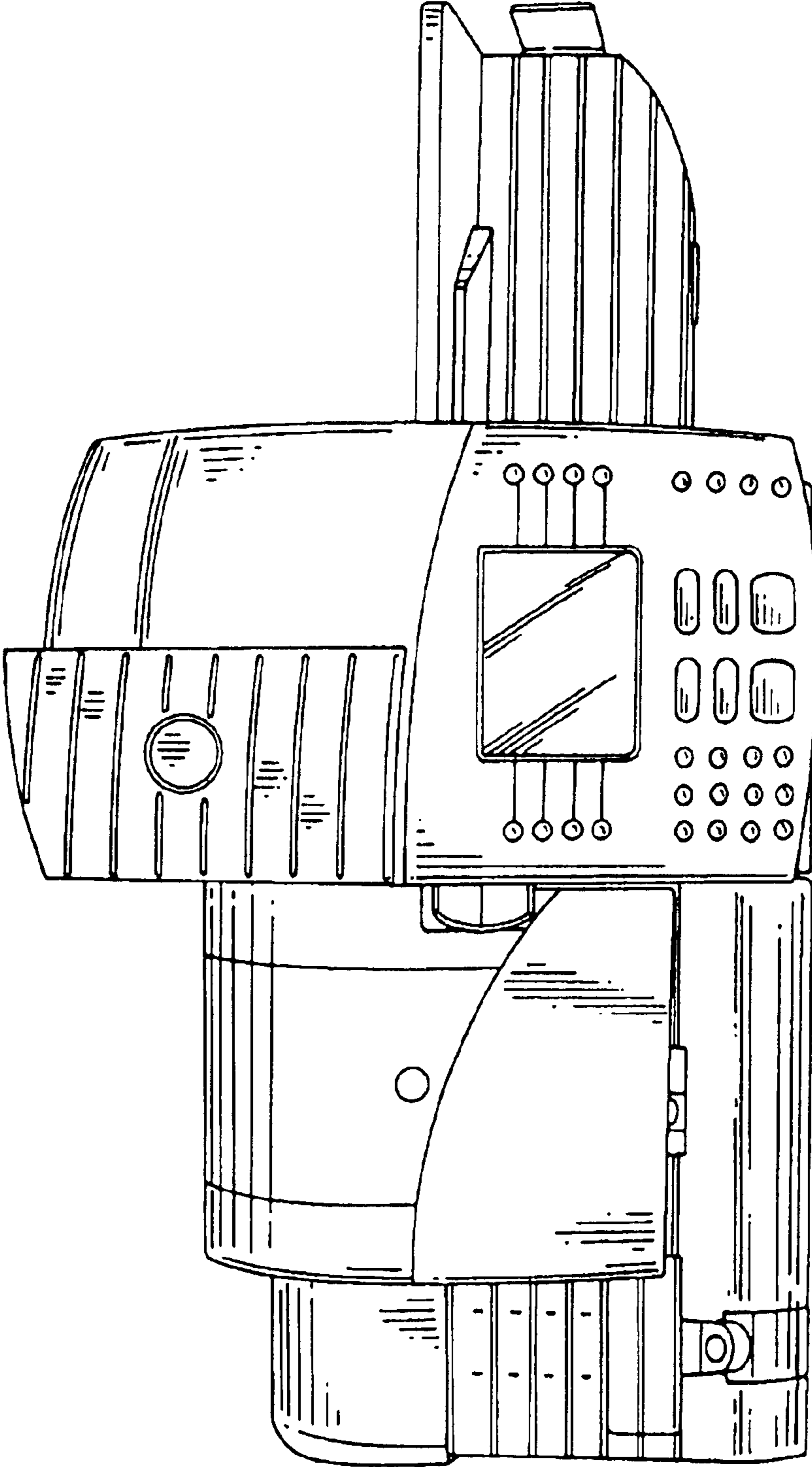


FIG. 2

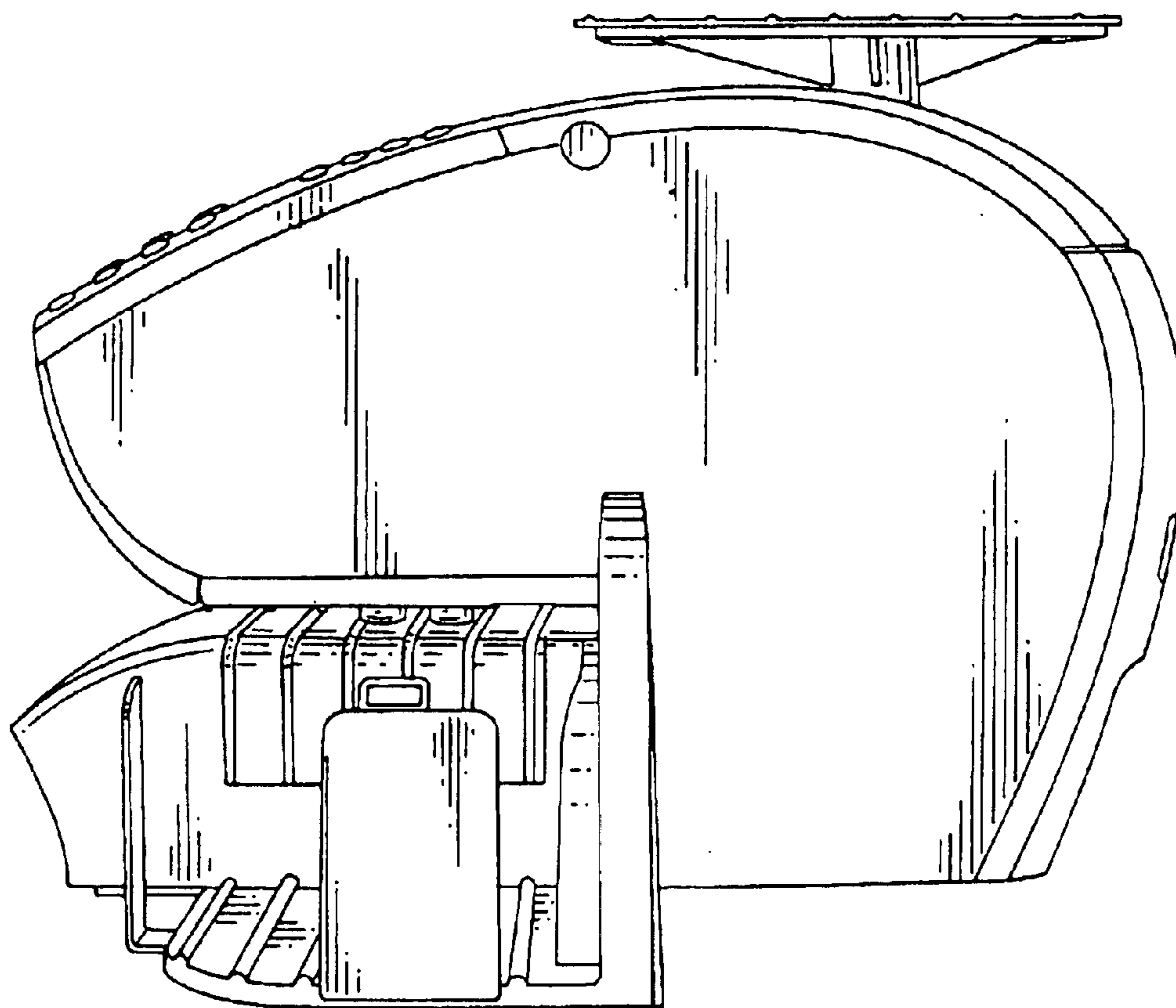


FIG. 3

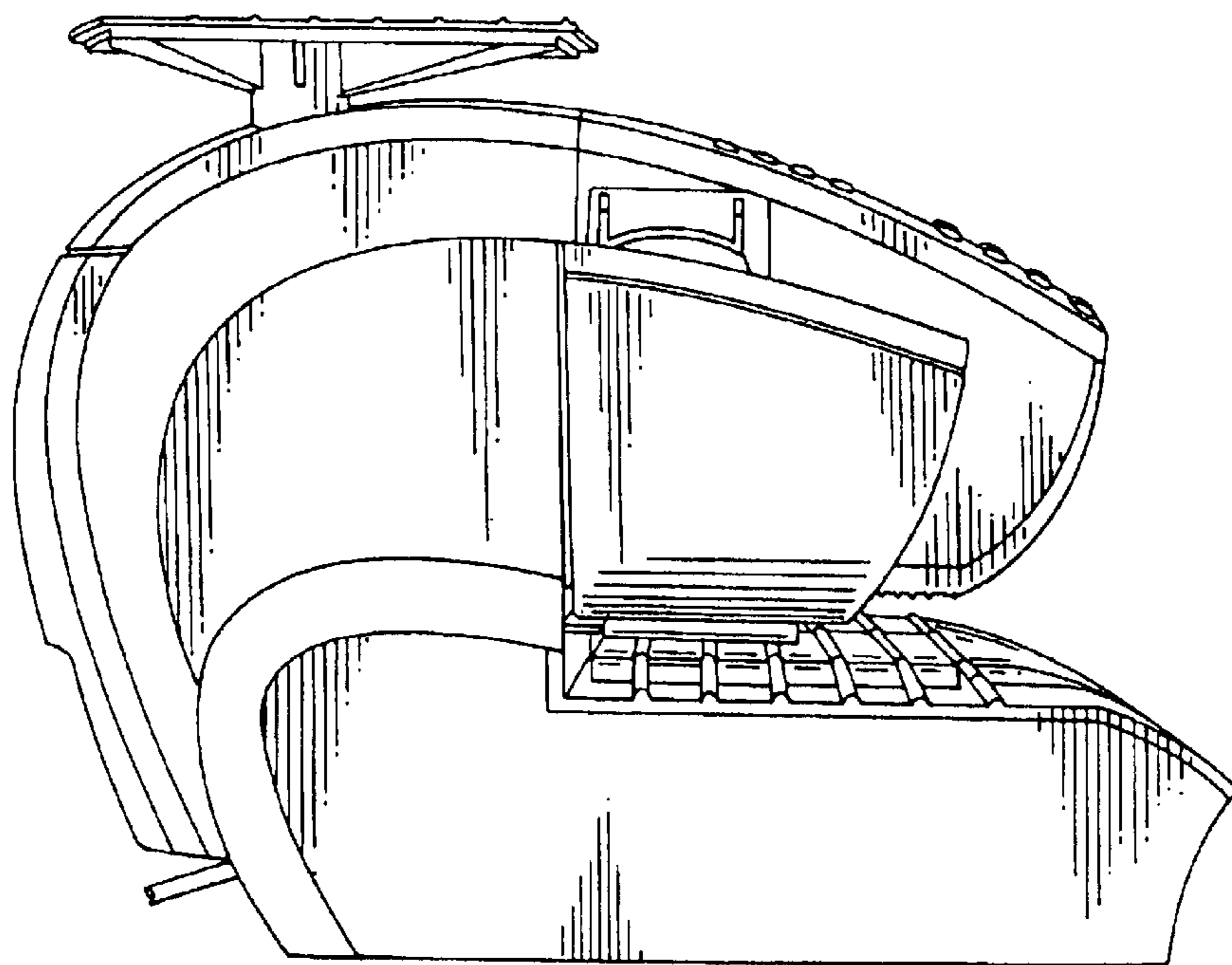


FIG. 4

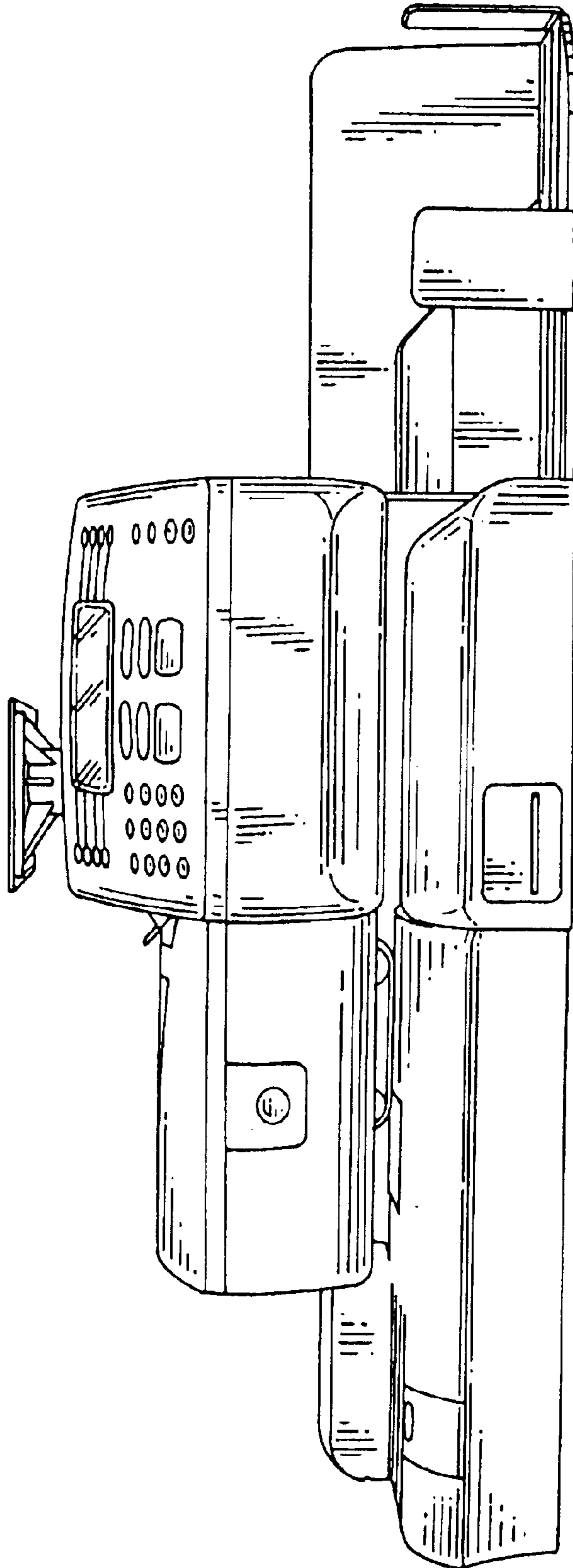


FIG. 5

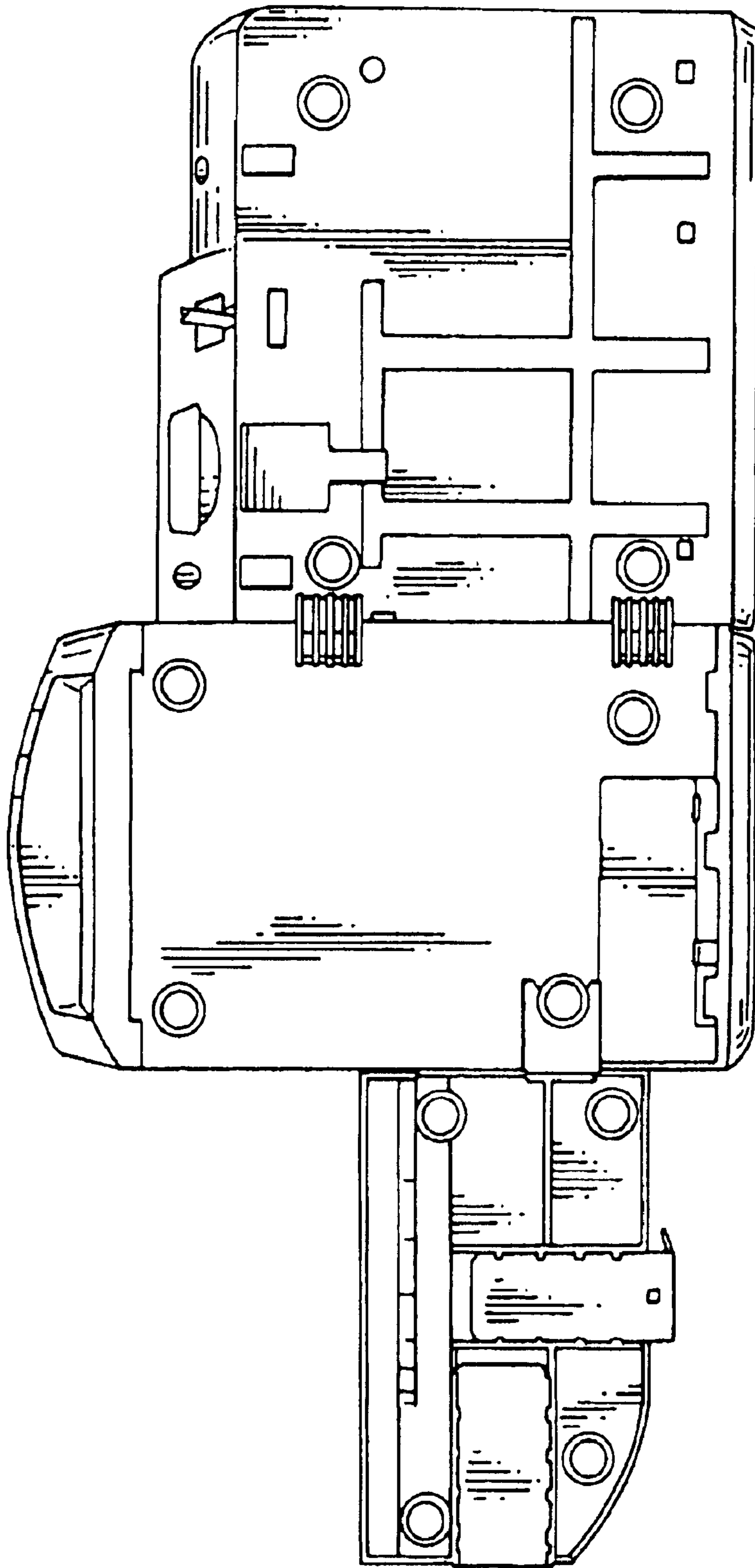


FIG. 6

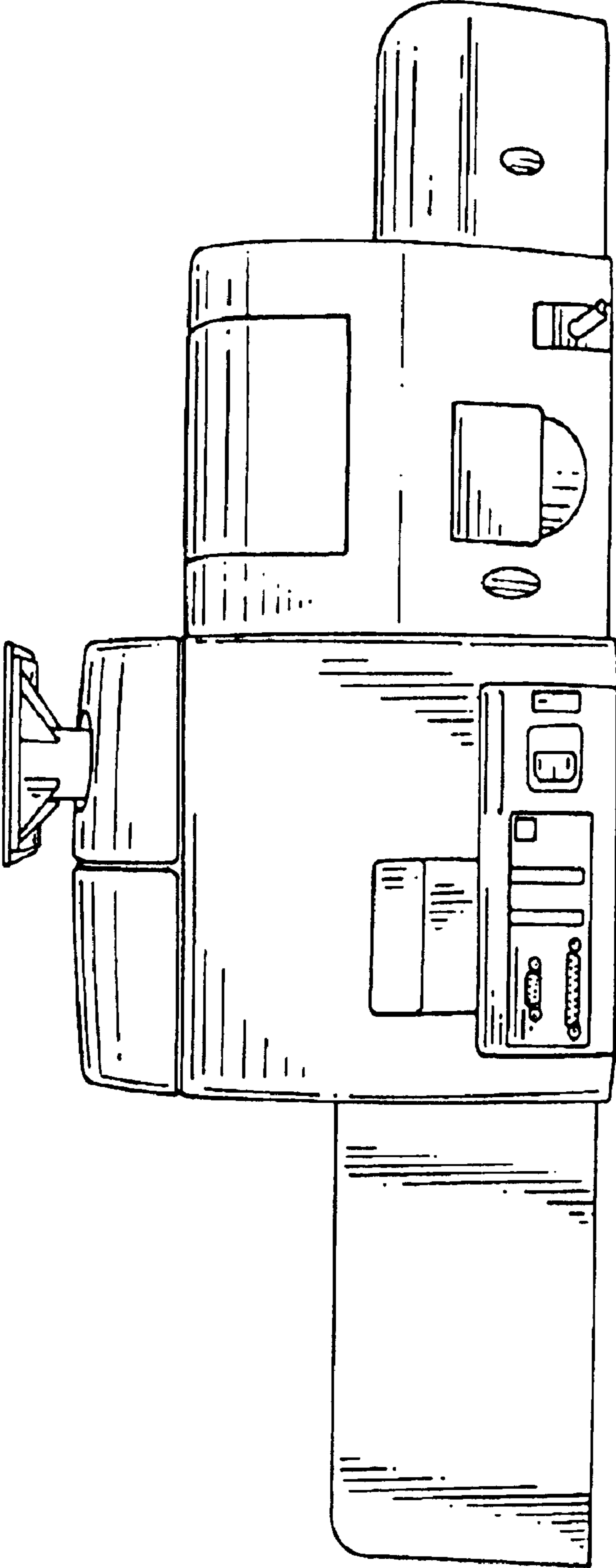


FIG. 7