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(54) **FOLDING KNIFE**  
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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a folding knife, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a front elevation view of a folding knife in its folded position, showing our new design; FIG. 2 is a rear elevation view thereof; FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 5 is a right end elevation view thereof; FIG. 6 is a left end elevation view thereof; FIG. 7 is a front elevation view of the folding knife of FIG. 1, shown in its open position; FIG. 8 is a rear elevation view thereof; FIG. 9 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 10 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 11 is a left end elevation view thereof; and, FIG. 12 is a right end elevation view thereof.

**1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets**

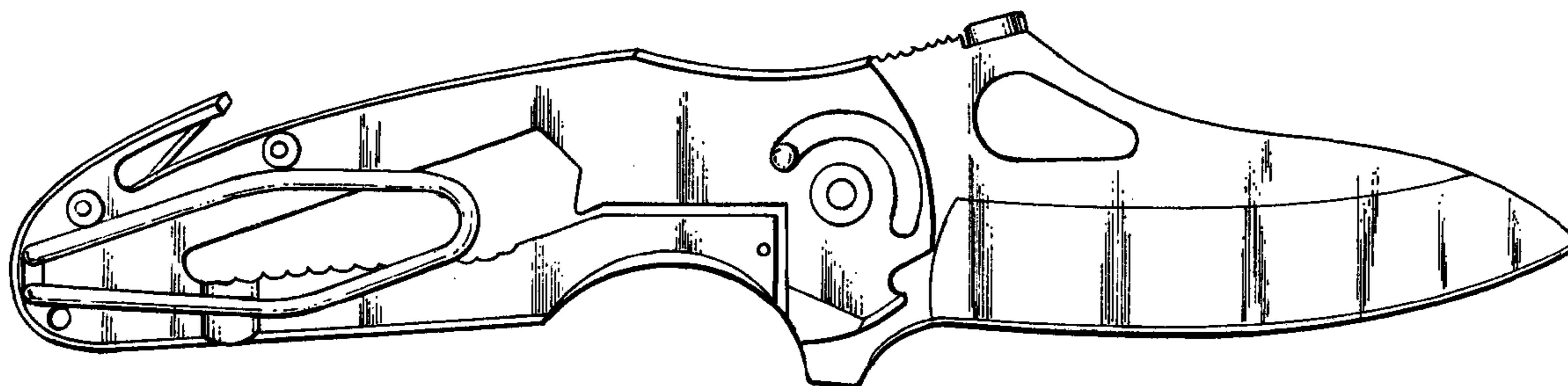


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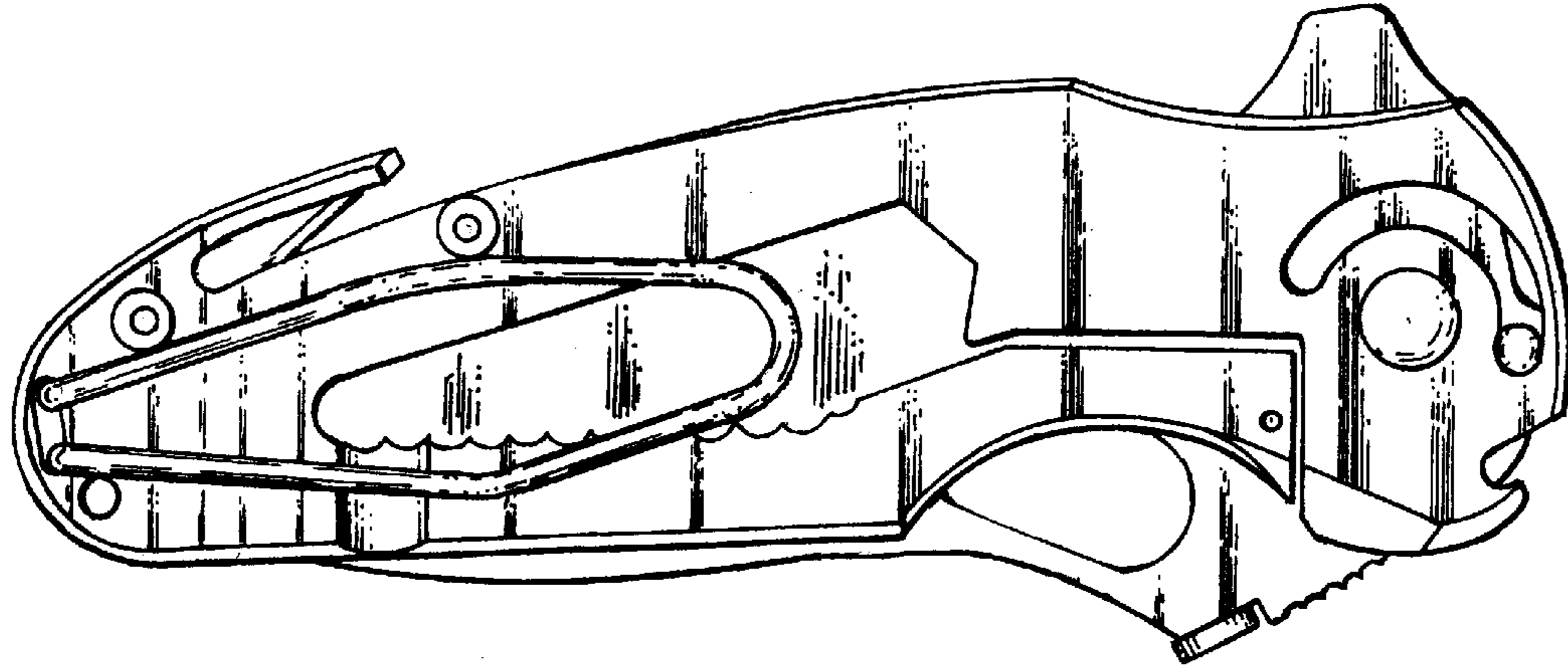


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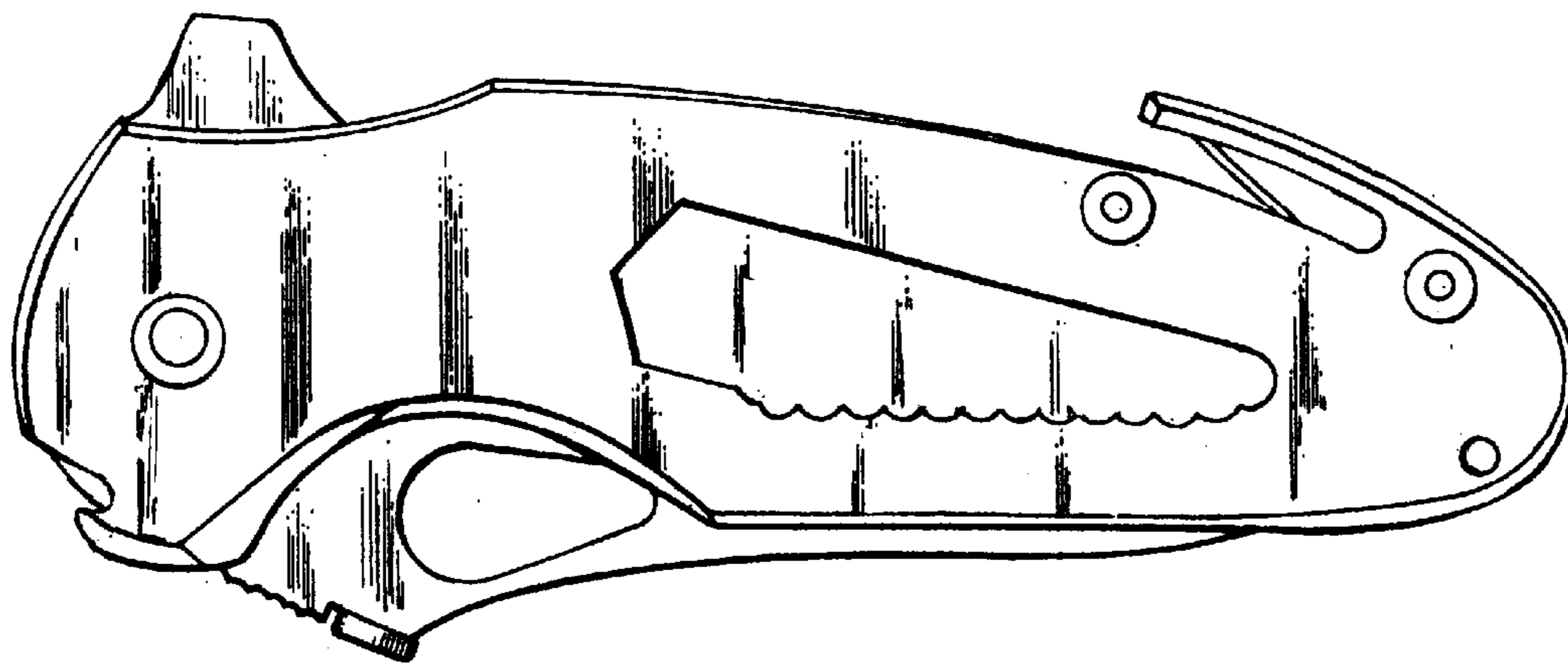


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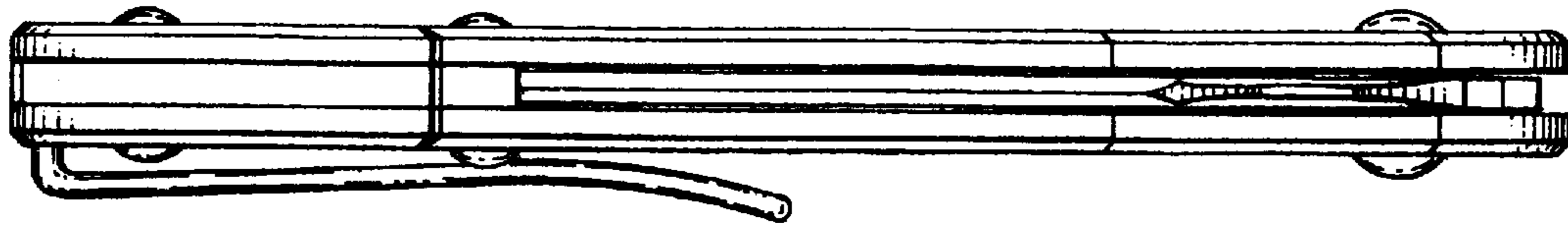


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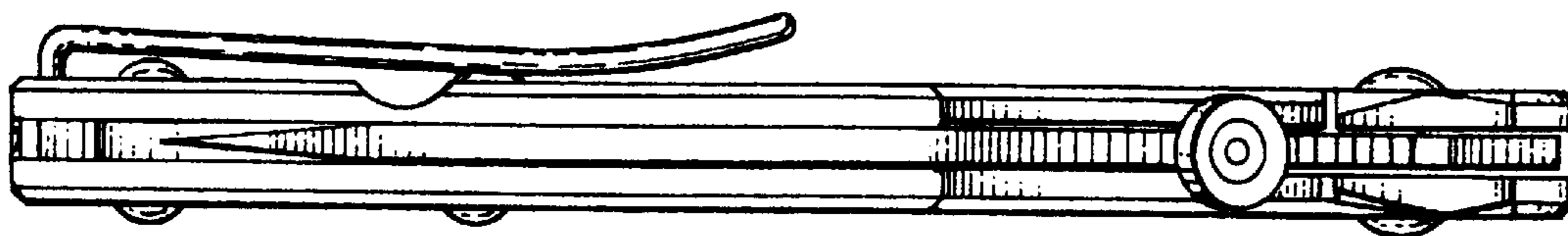


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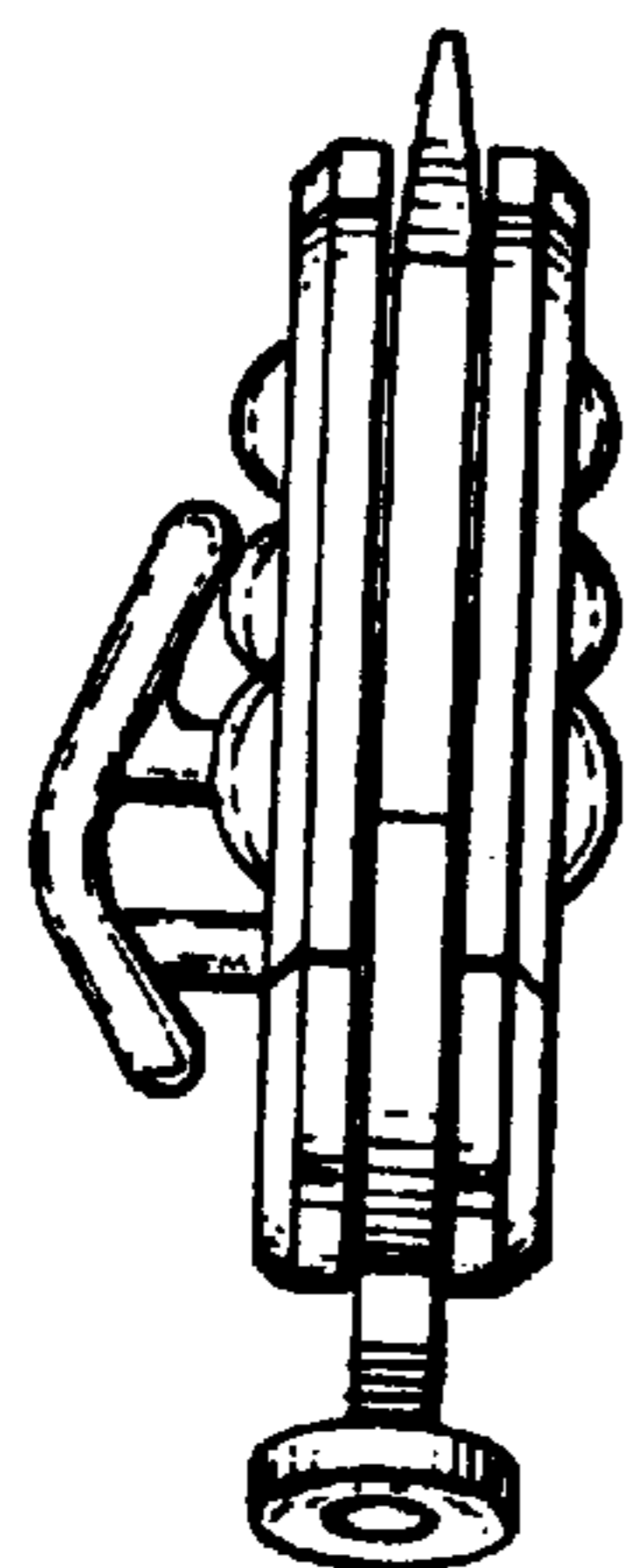


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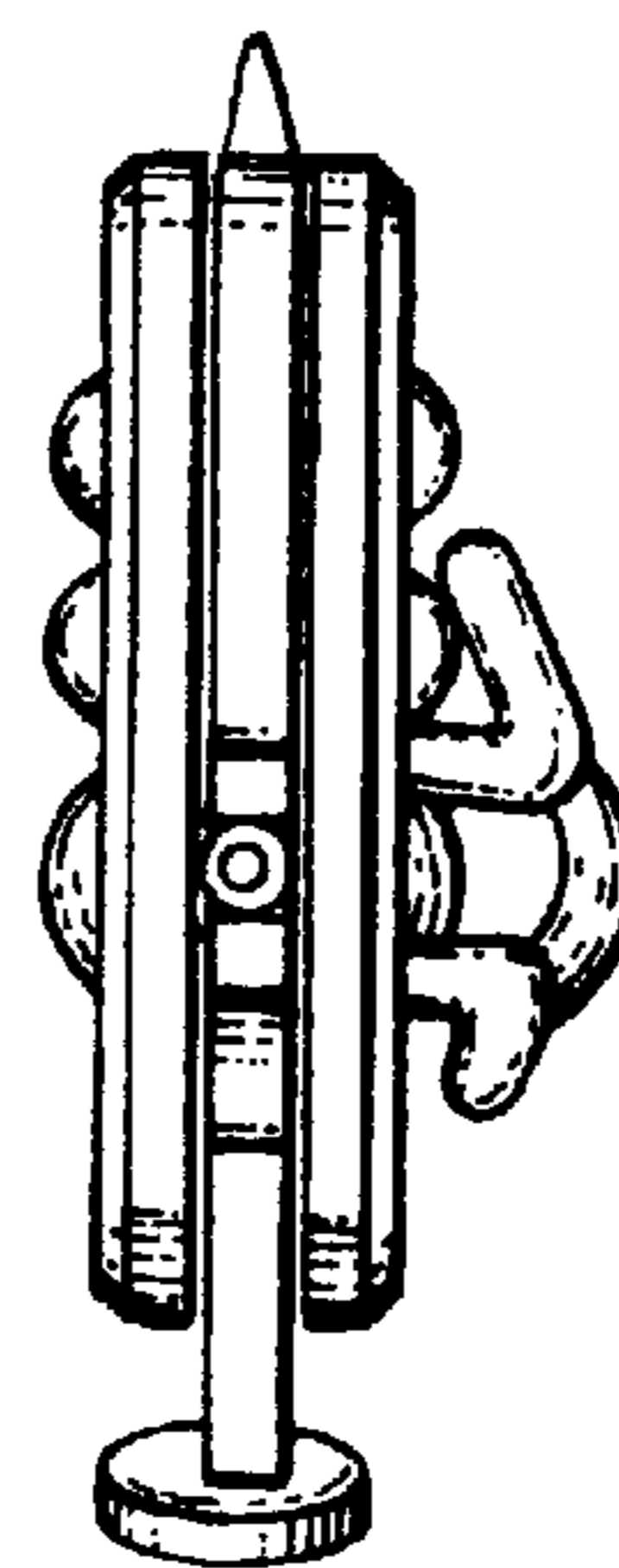


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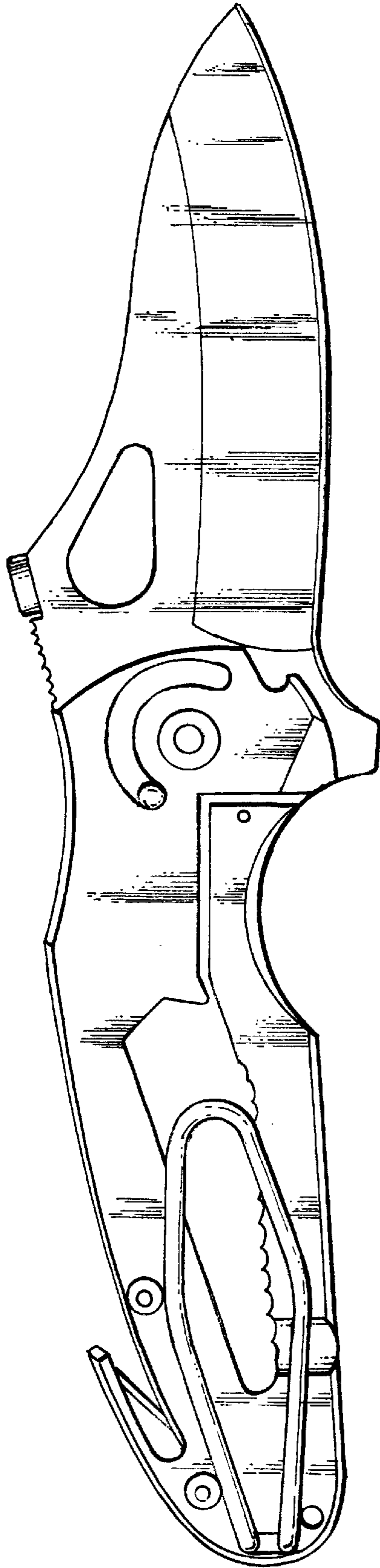


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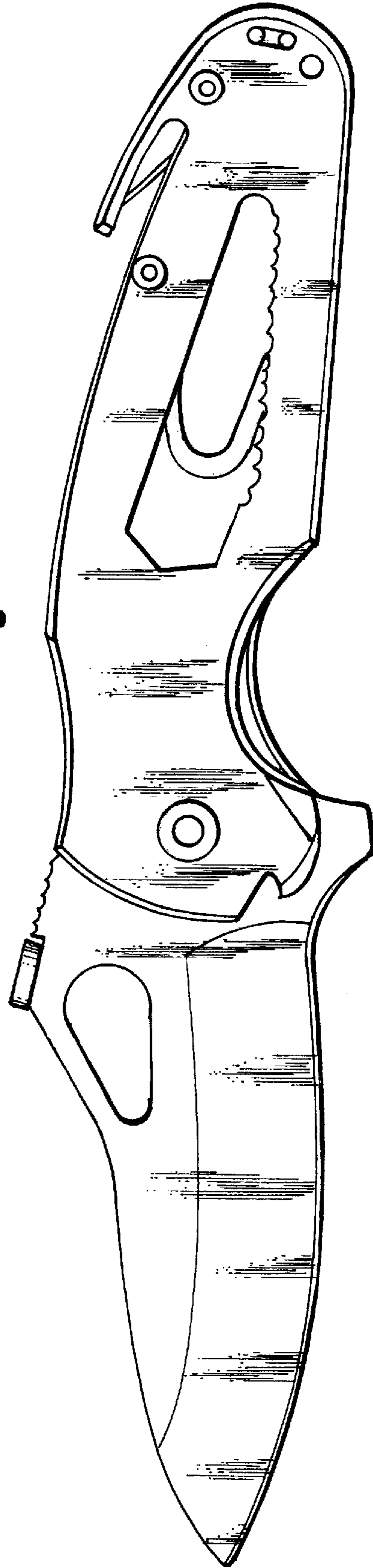


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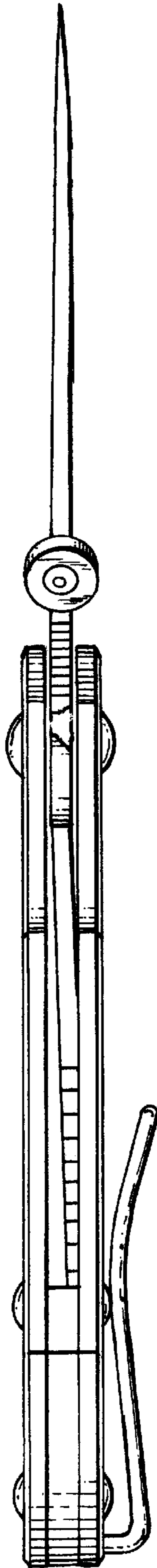


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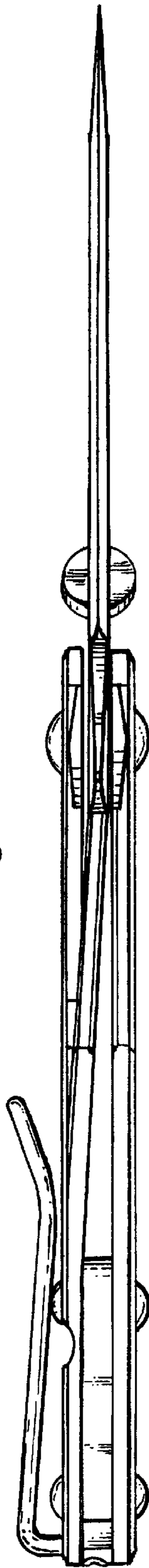


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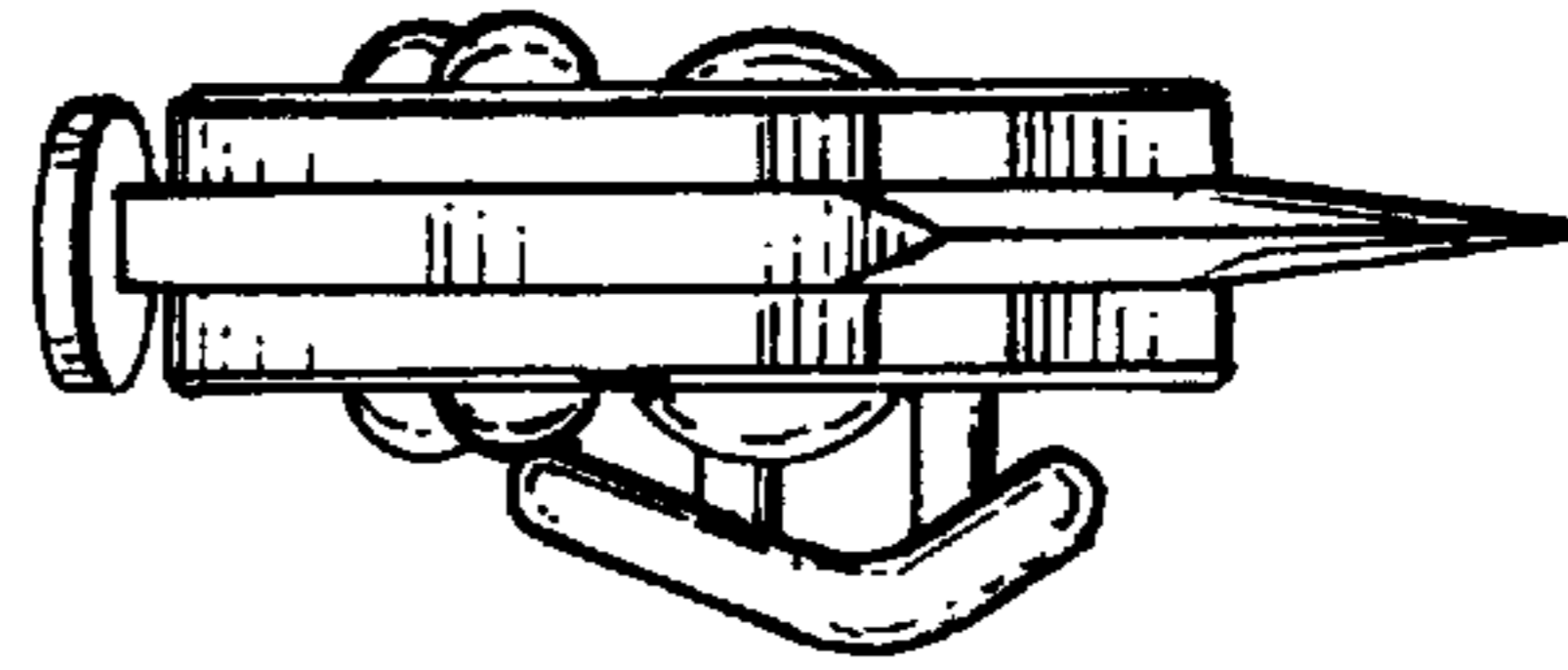


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