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(54) **SHACKLE**  
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(57) **CLAIM**

I claim the ornamental design for a shackle, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

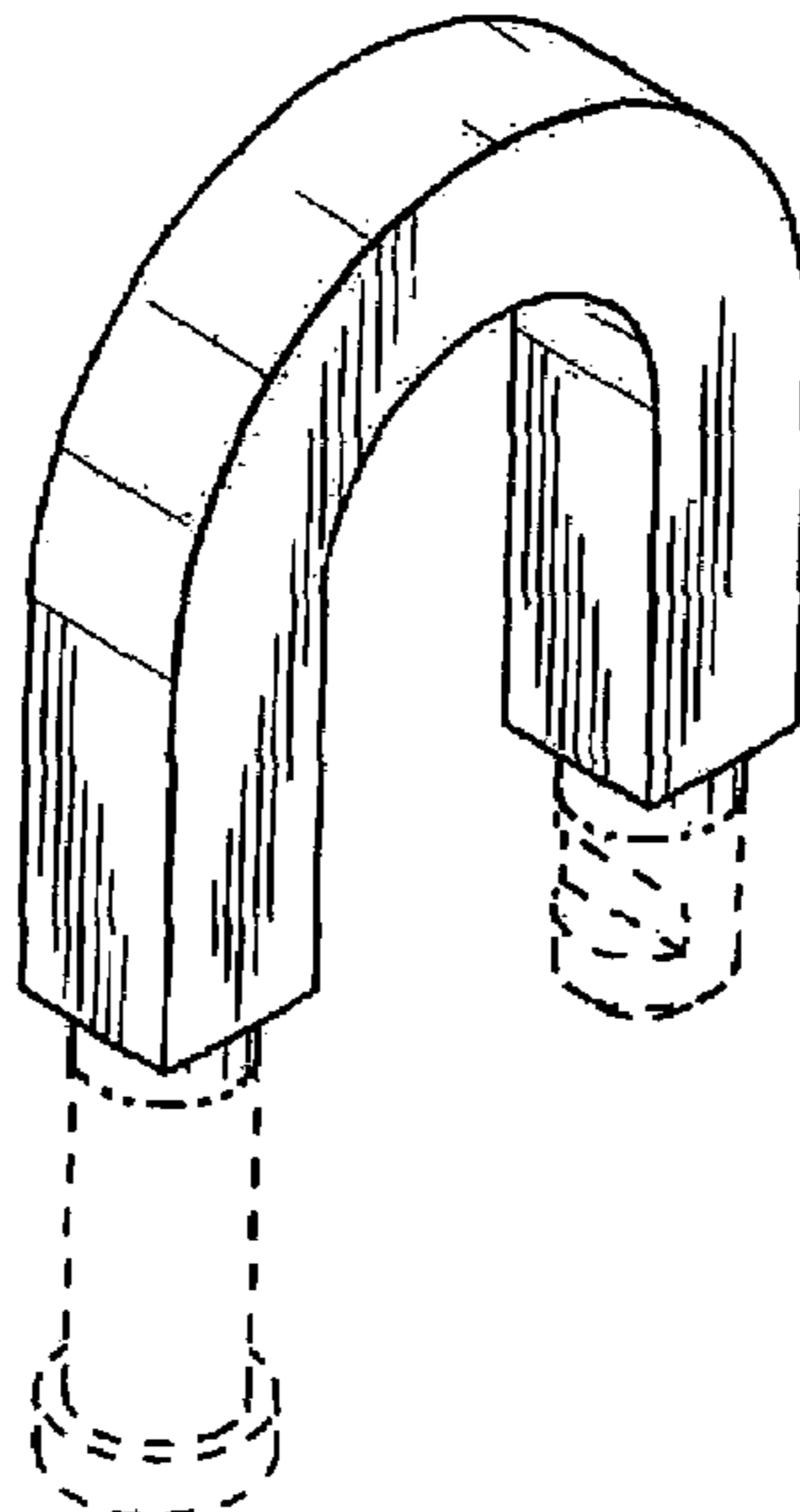
FIG. 1 is a top perspective view of a shackle according to my new design;  
FIG. 2 is a bottom perspective view of the shackle of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the shackle of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view of the shackle of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 5 is a front elevational view of the shackle of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view of the shackle of FIG. 1;  
FIG. 7 is a left side elevational view of the shackle of FIG. 1; and,  
FIG. 8 is right side elevational view of the shackle of FIG. 1.  
The broken line, which define the bounds of the claimed design form no part thereof.  
The broken lines environmental are for illustrative purpose only and form no part of the claimed design.

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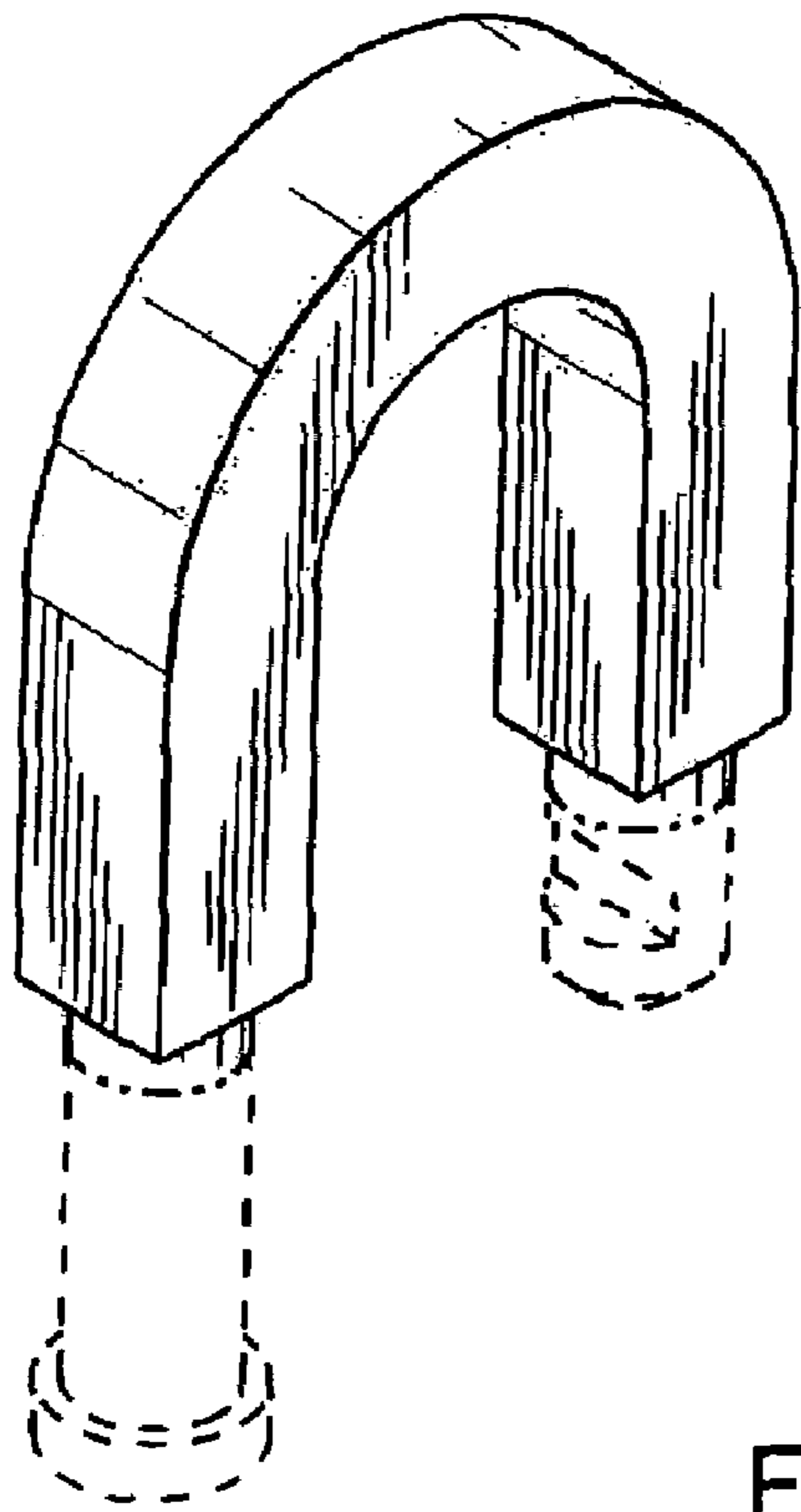


FIG. 1

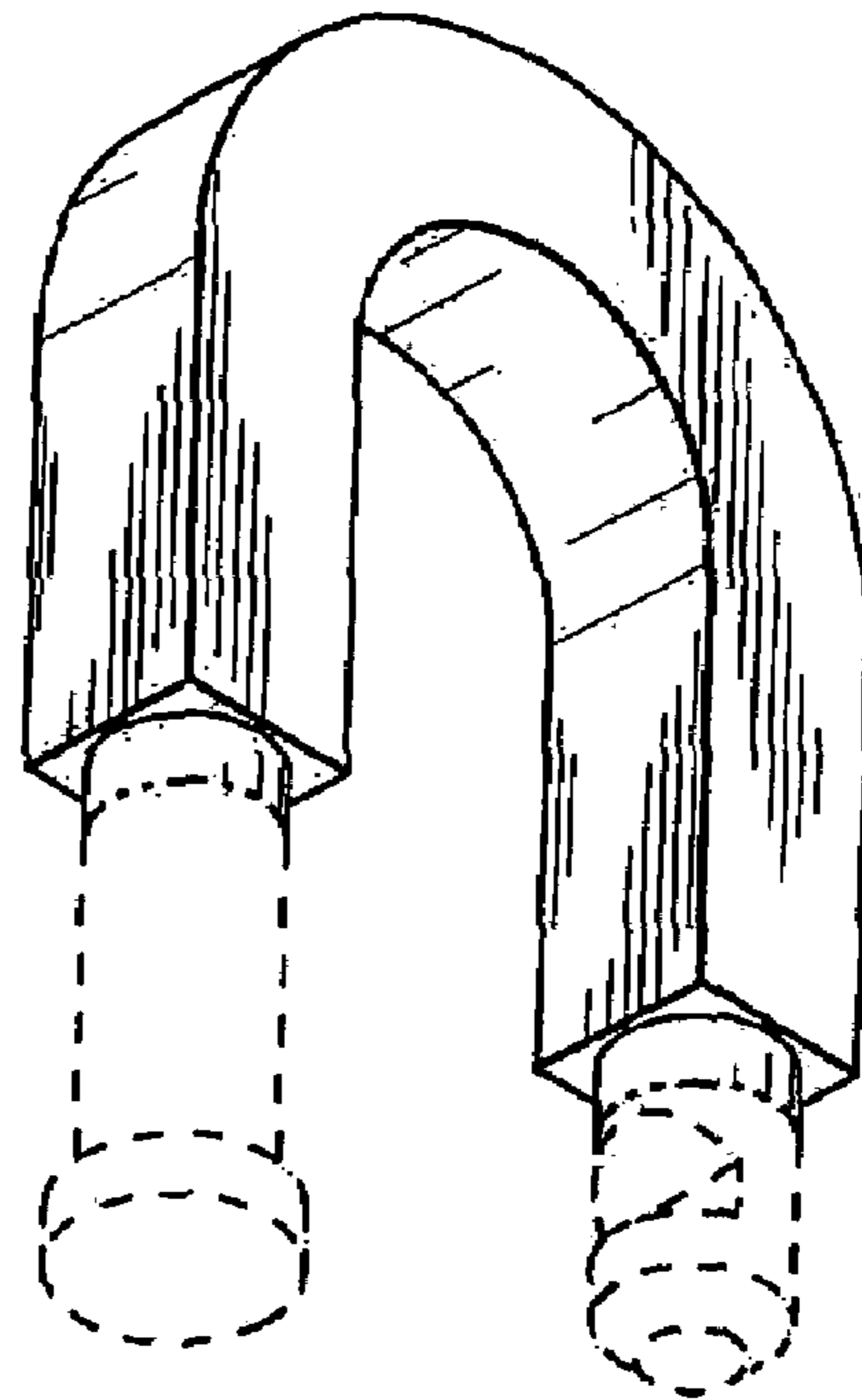


FIG. 2

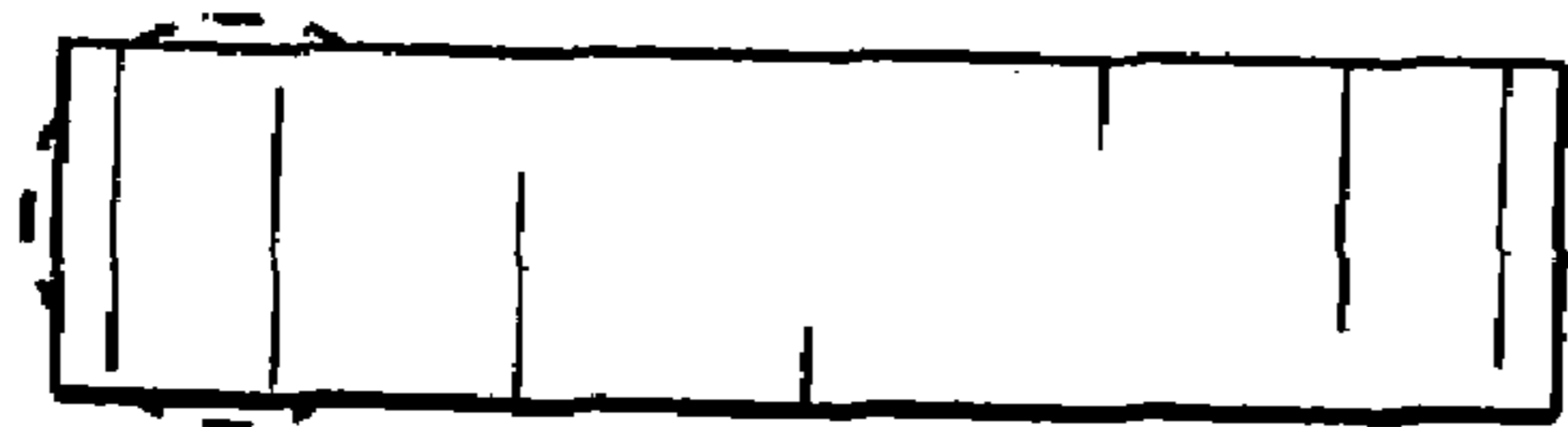


FIG. 3

FIG. 4

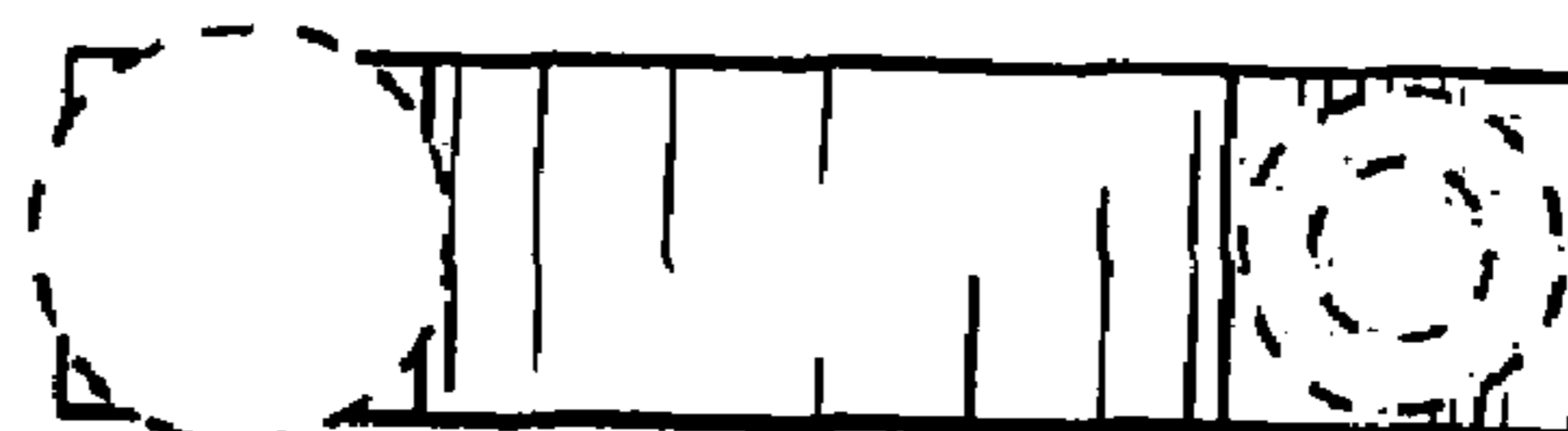


FIG. 5

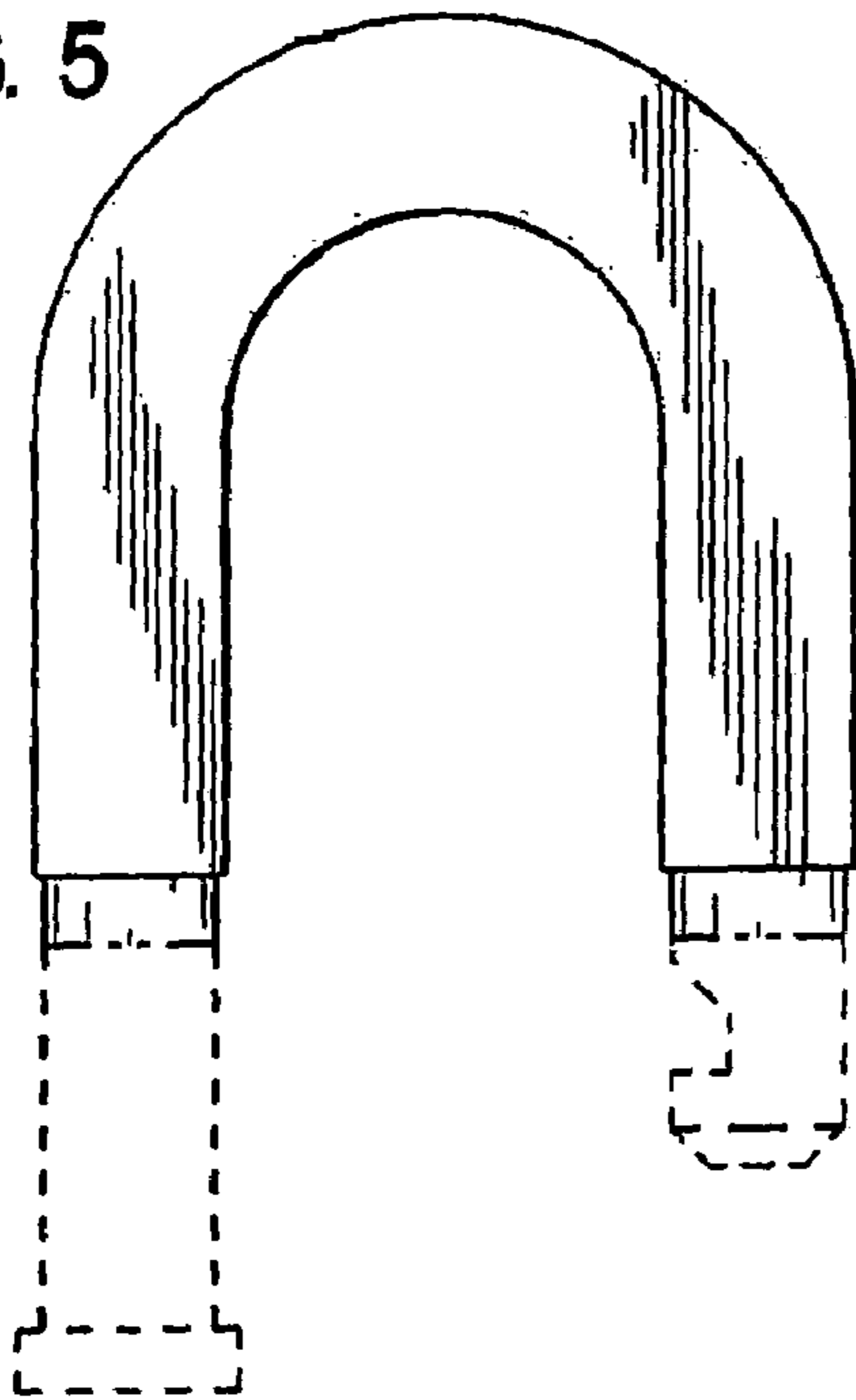


FIG. 6

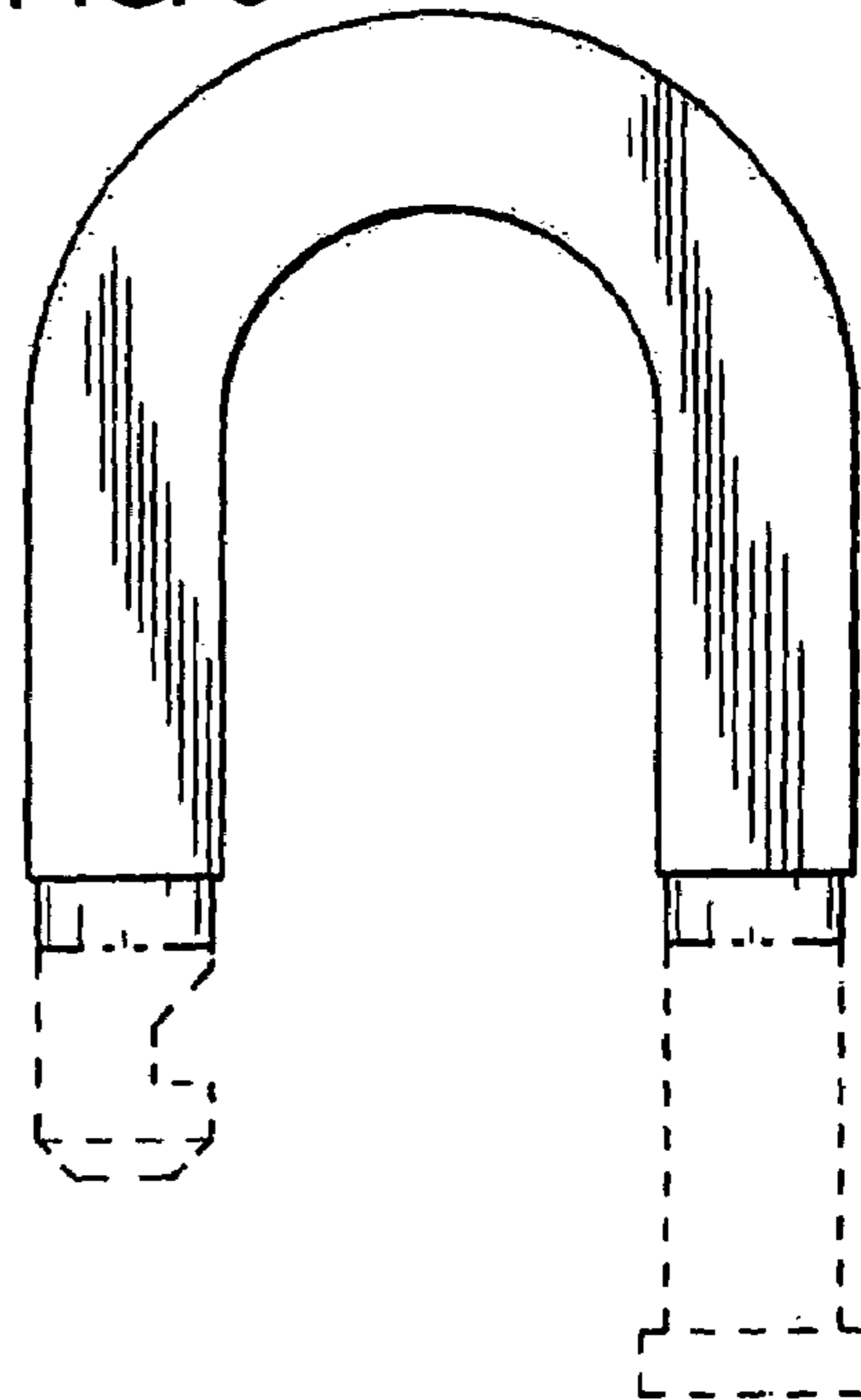


FIG. 7

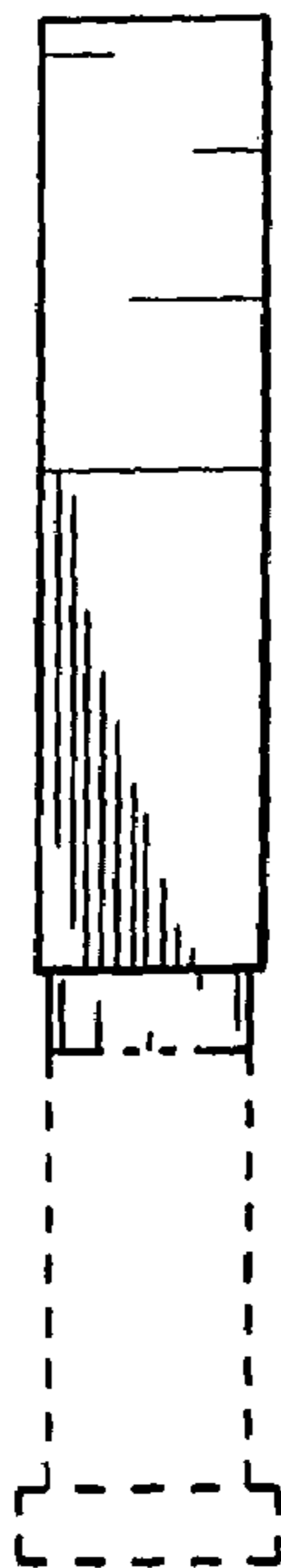


FIG. 8

