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The ornamental design for a medical instrument, as shown and described.

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**DESCRIPTION**

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FIG. 1 is a top isometric view of a medical instrument in accordance with the new design;

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FIG. 2 is a top view thereof;

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FIG. 3 is a bottom view thereof;

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FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof;

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FIG. 5 is a right side view thereof;

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FIG. 6 is a rear view thereof; and,

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The center shaft portion of a medical instrument in FIGS. 2–5 is shown broken away for ease of illustration.

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The broken line showing the rear interior portion of FIGS. 1 and 6 is for the purpose of illustrating environmental structure and forms no part of the claimed design.

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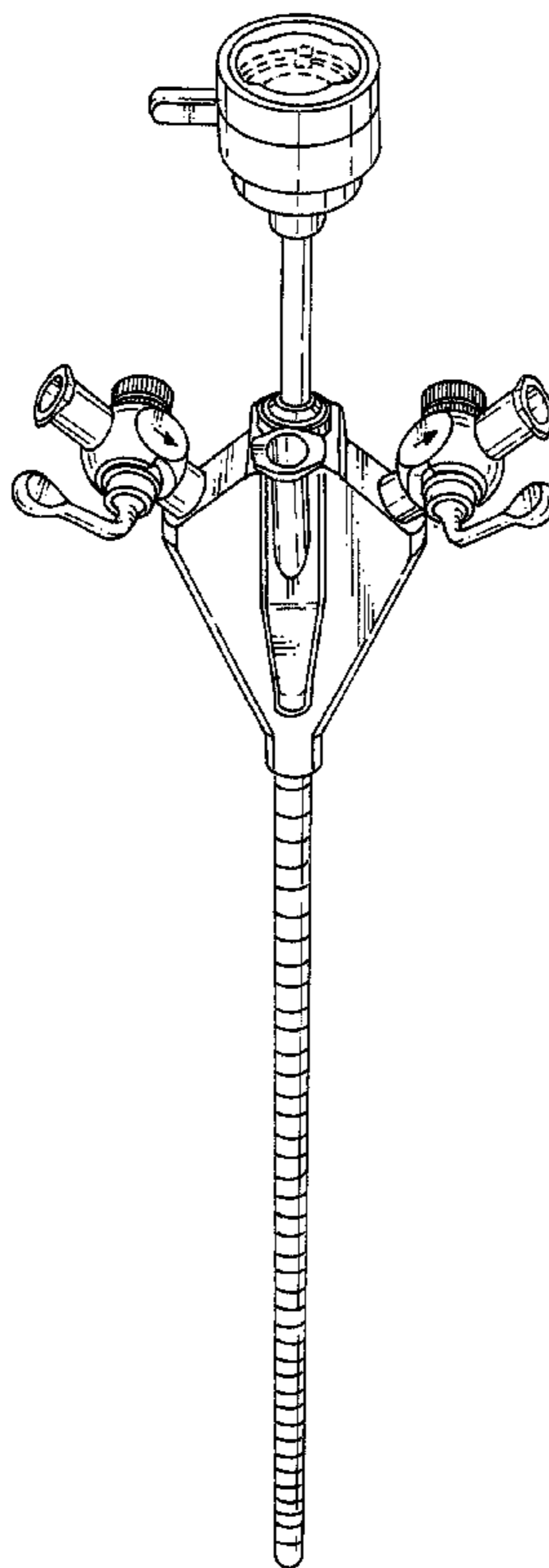
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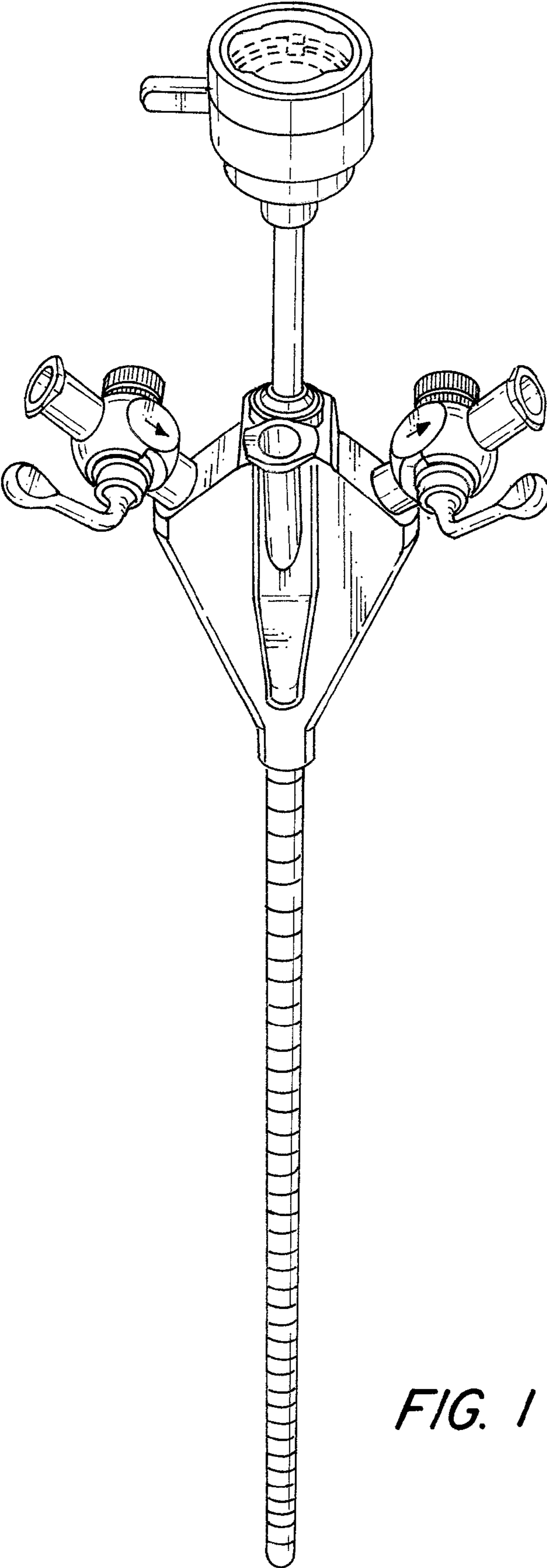


FIG. 1

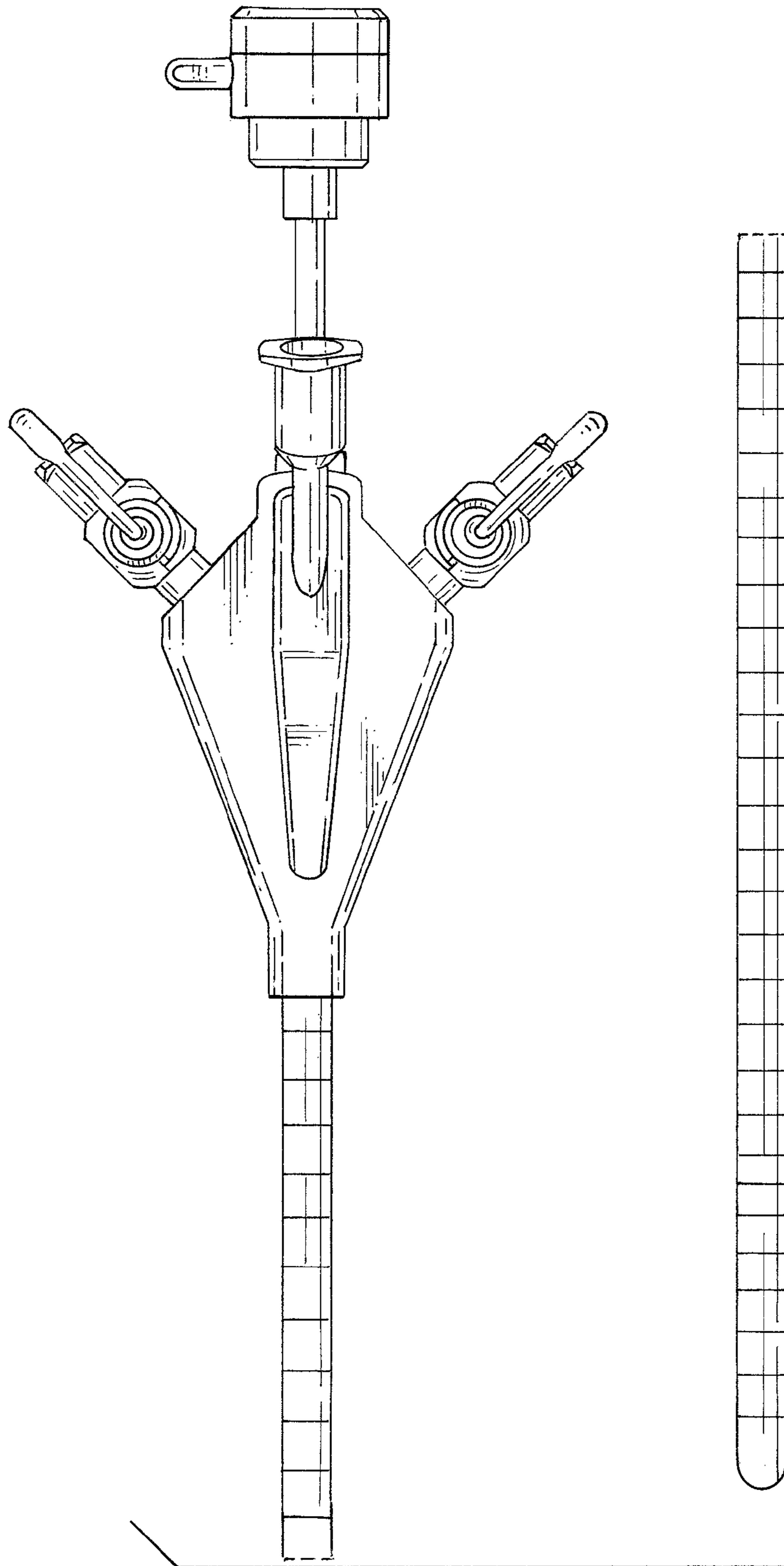


FIG. 2

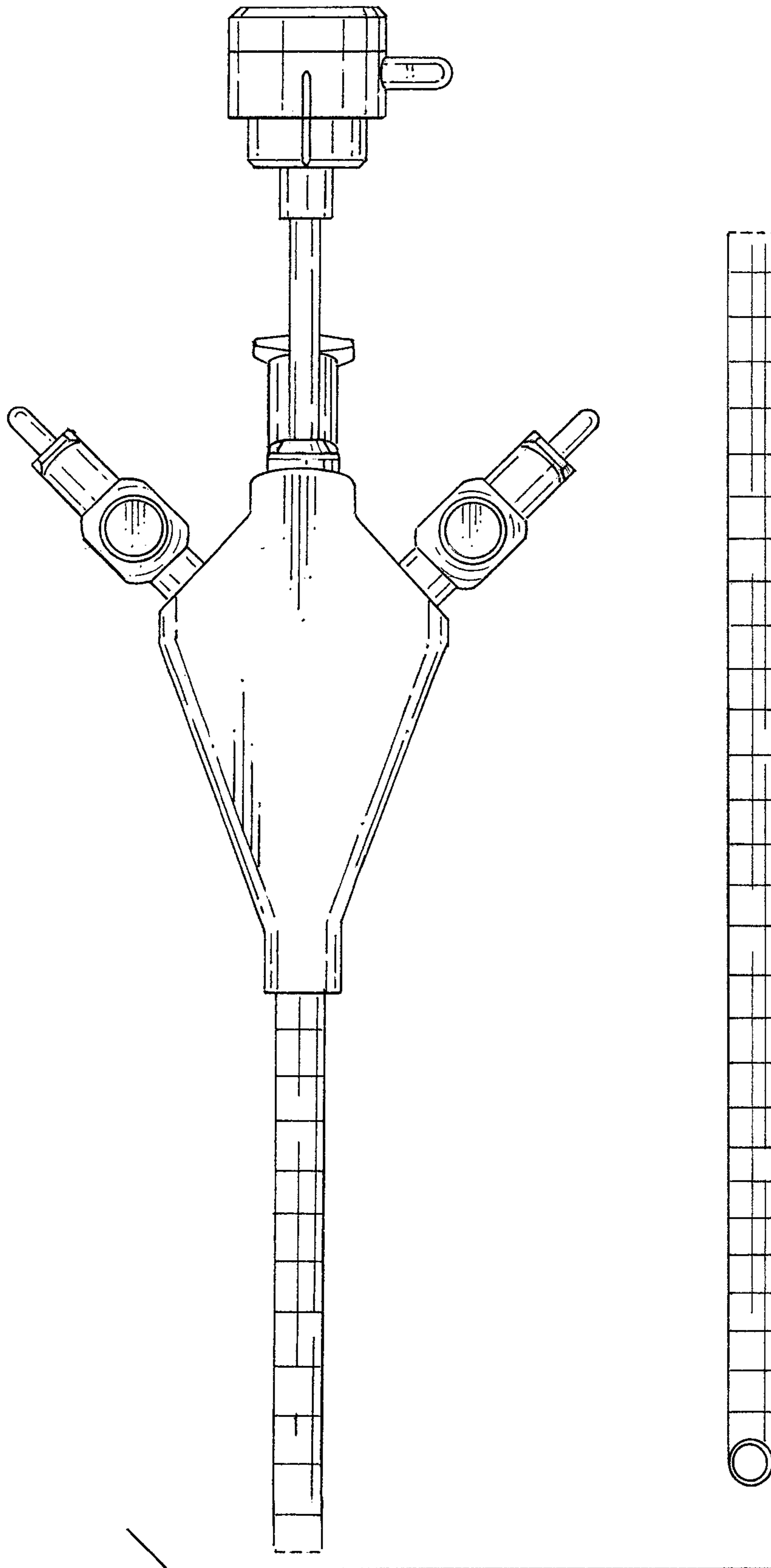


FIG. 3

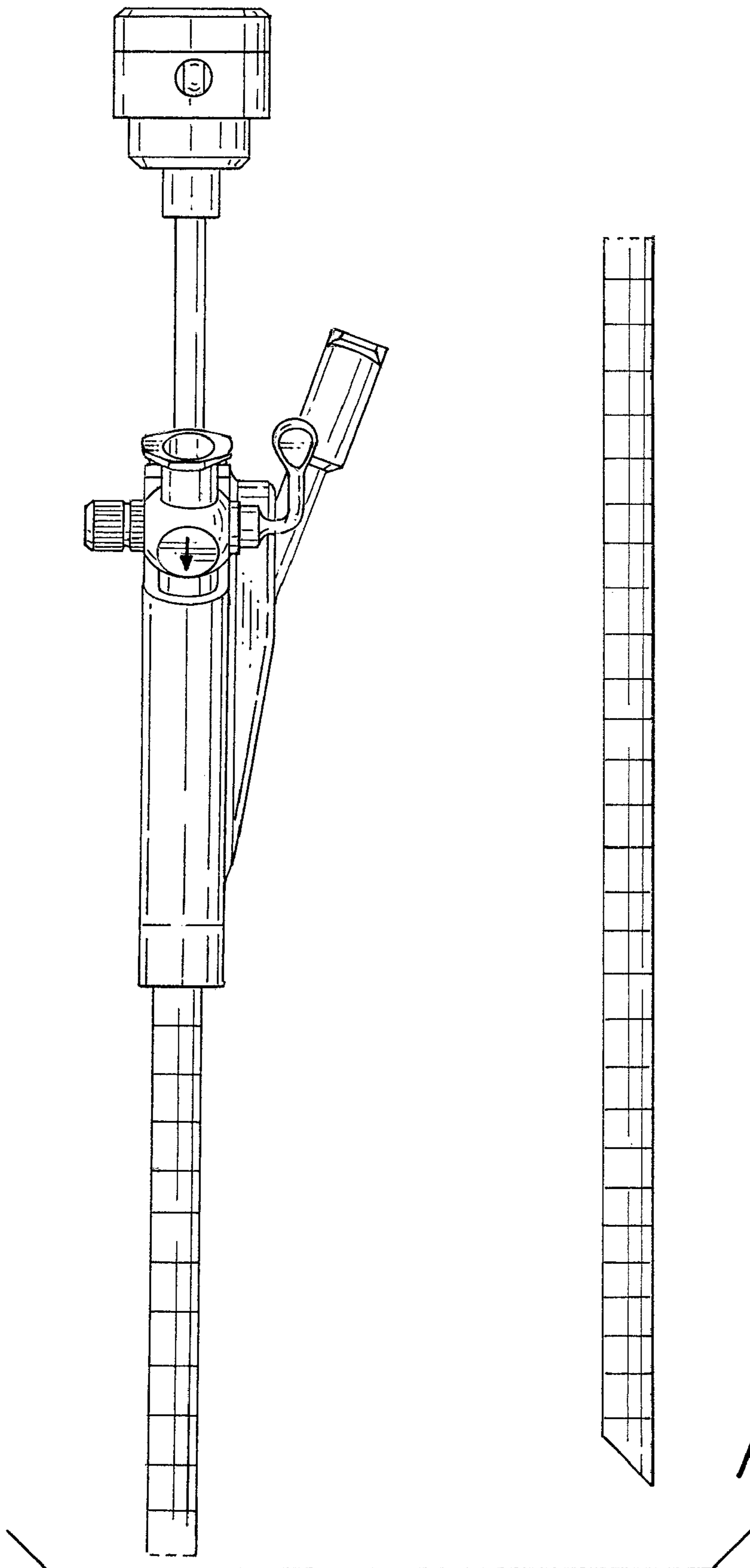


FIG. 4

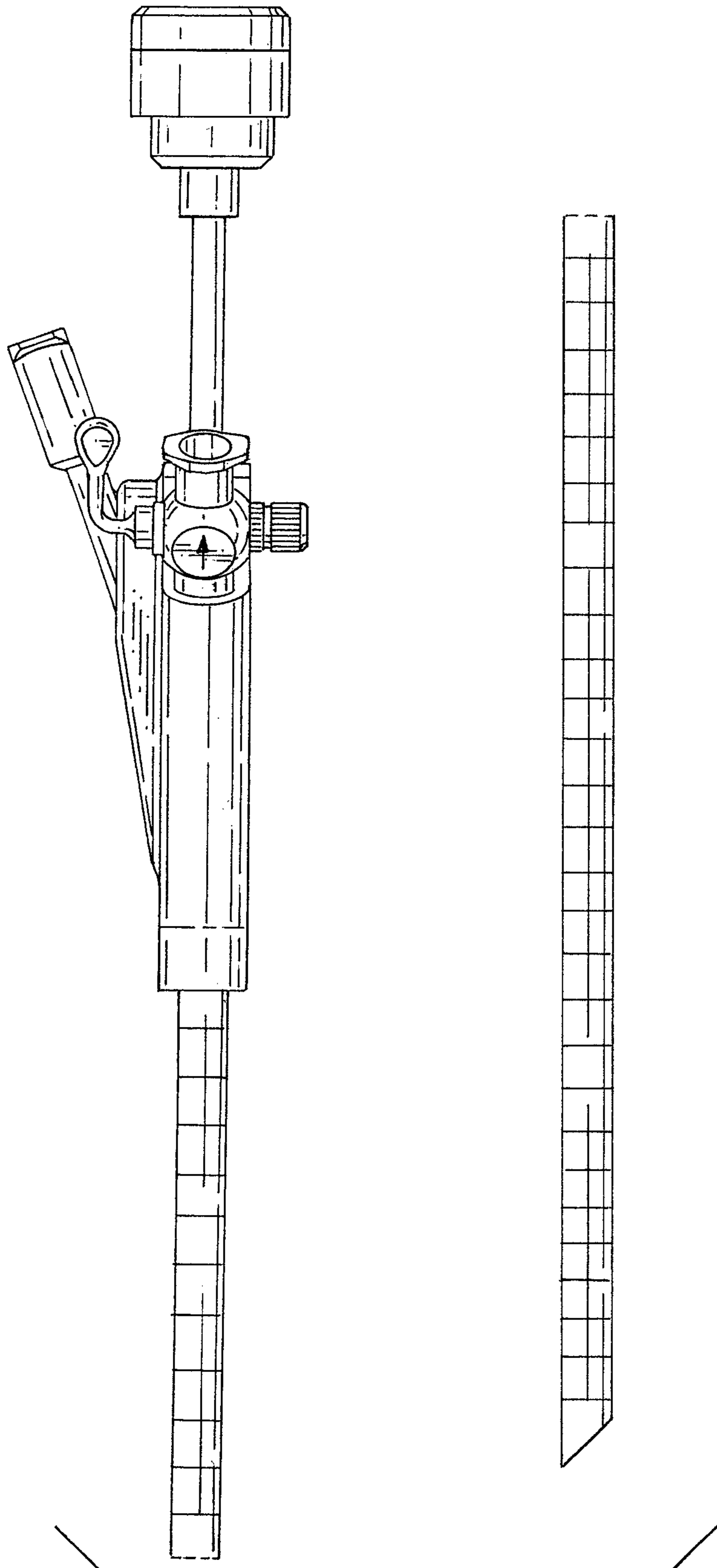
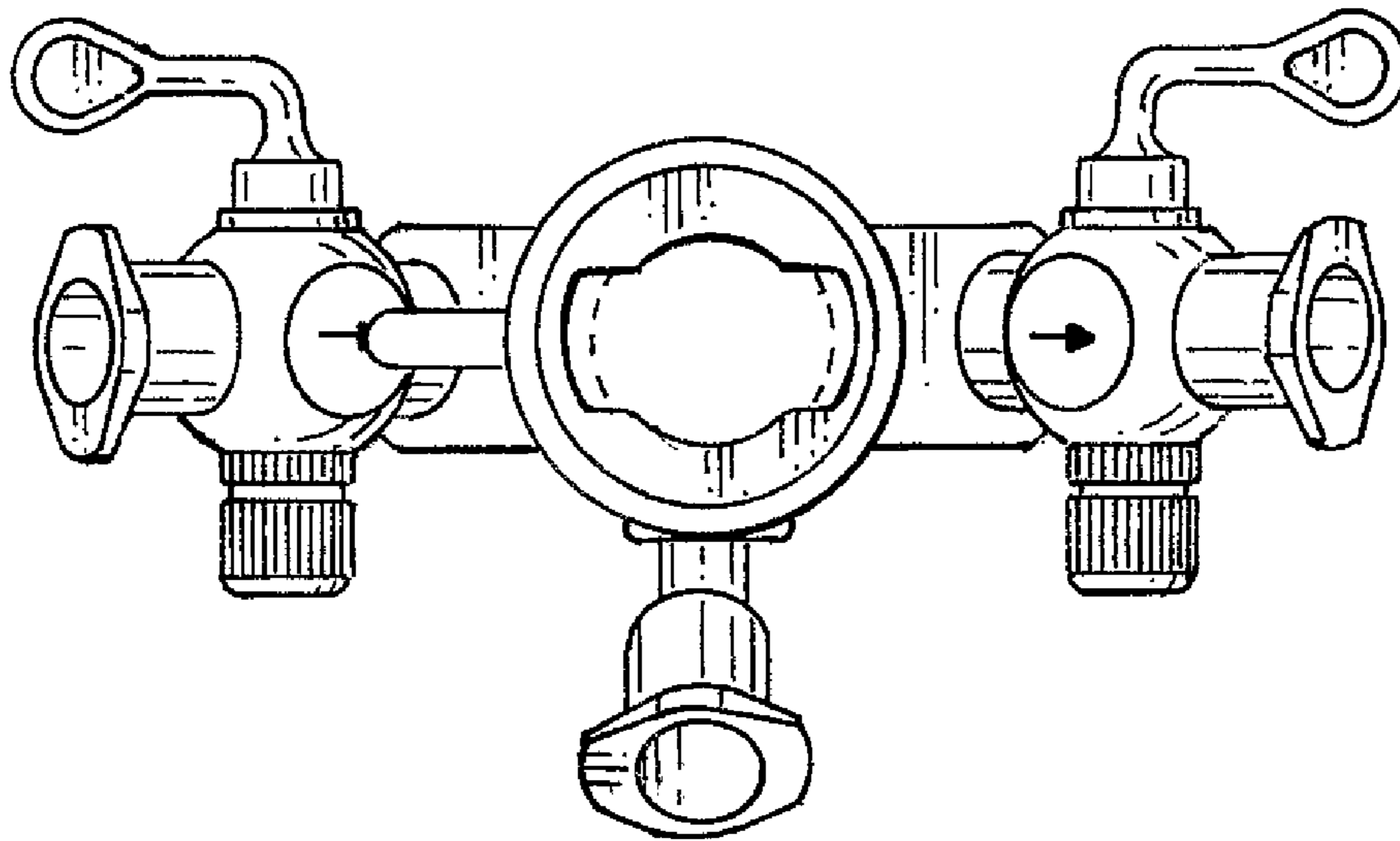
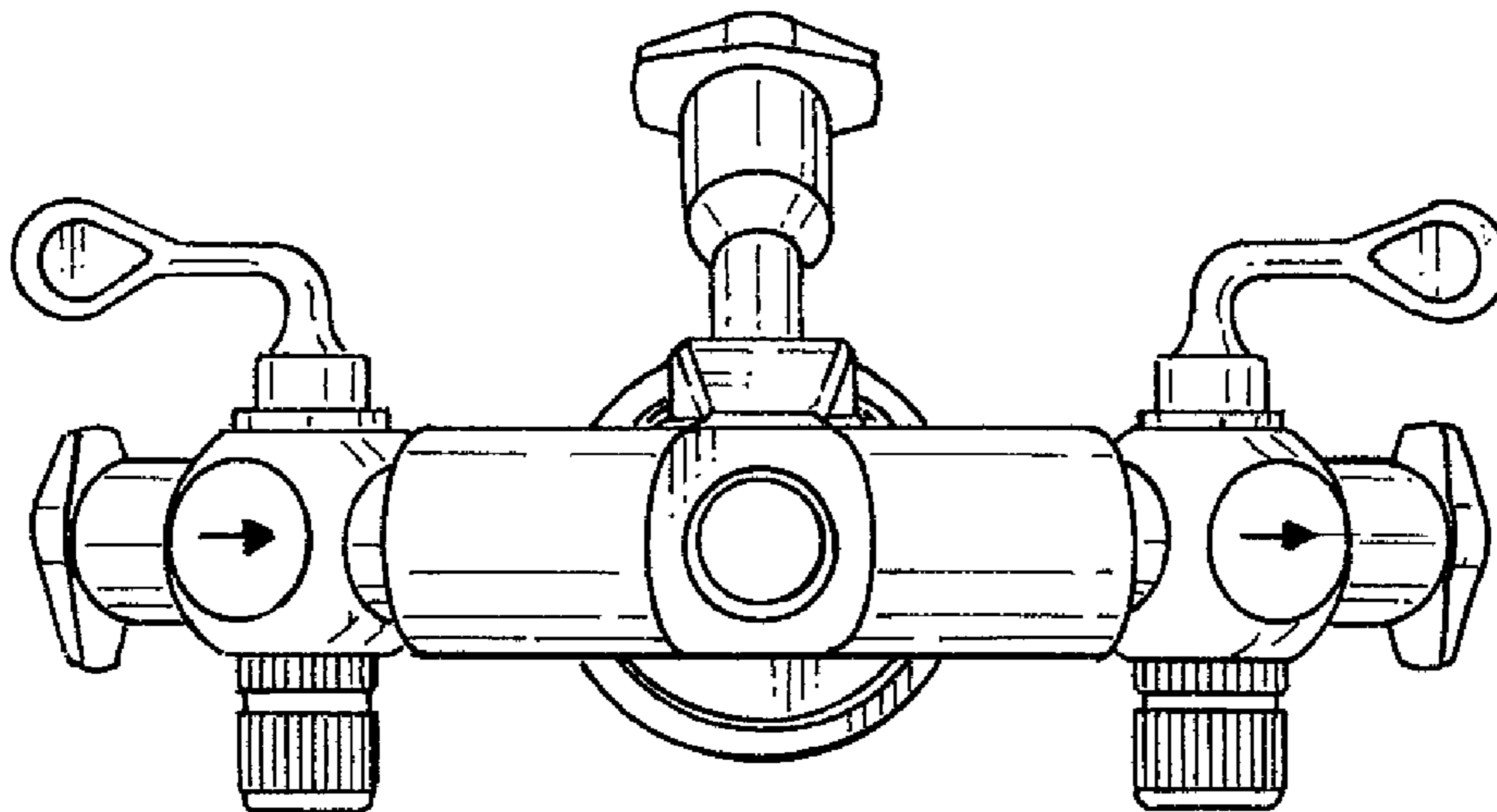


FIG. 5



*FIG. 6*



*FIG. 7*