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(54) **APPARATUS FOR LIFTING WEIGHTS**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an apparatus for lifting weights, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of the front and right side of an apparatus for lifting weights;

FIG. 2 is a front elevation view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a rear elevation view thereof;

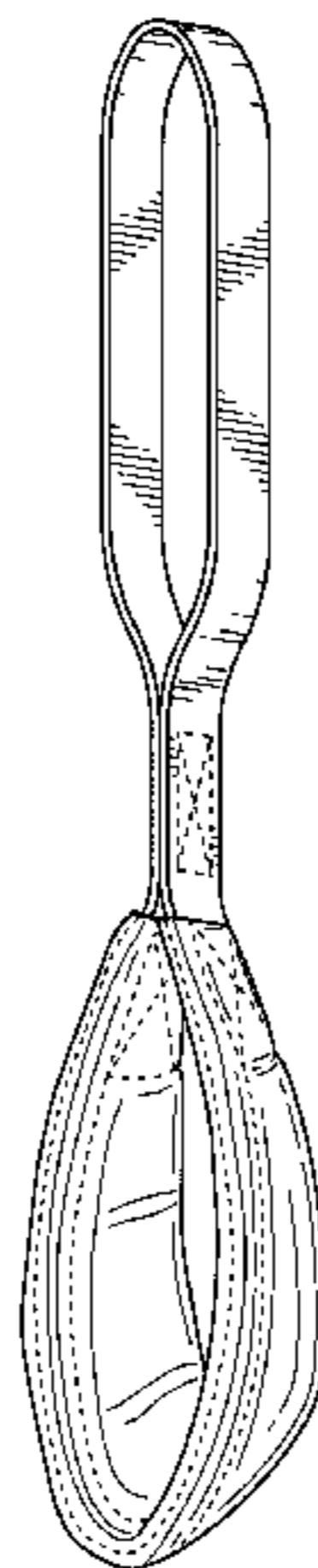
FIG. 4 is a right side elevation view thereof, with the left side being a mirror image;

FIG. 5 is a top plan view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof.

The broken lines represent stitching and are shown herein for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets



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FIG. 1

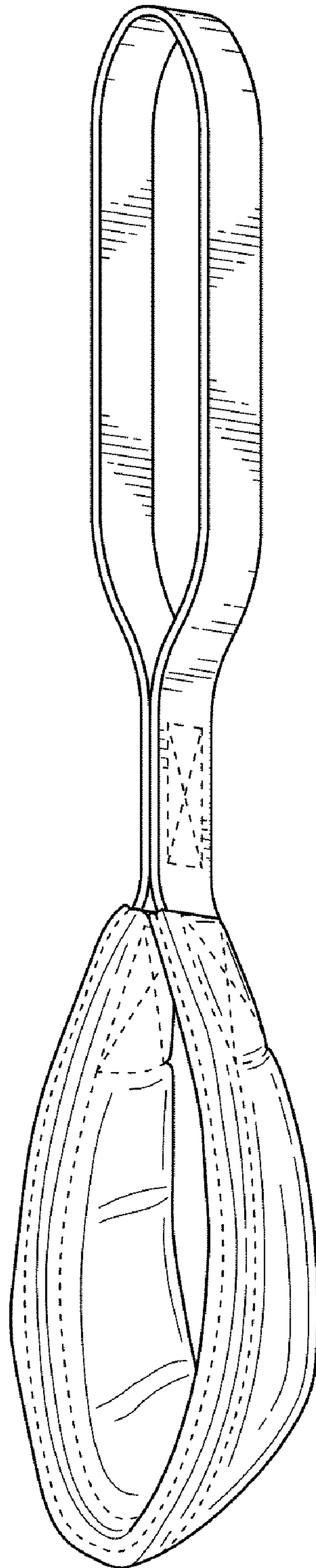


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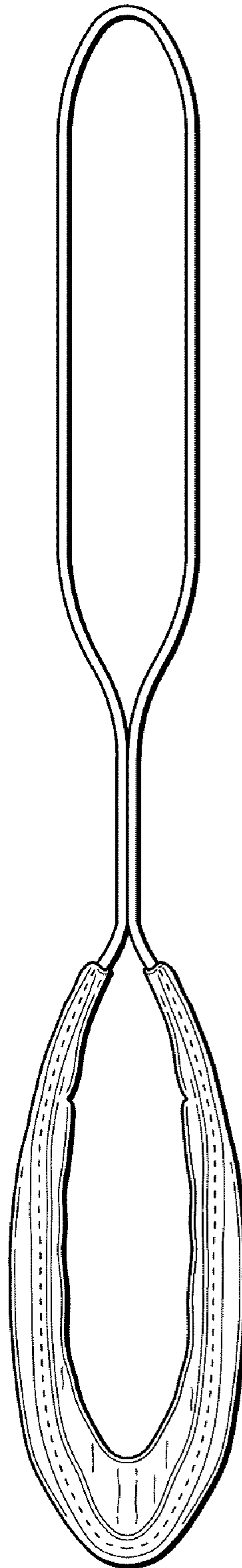


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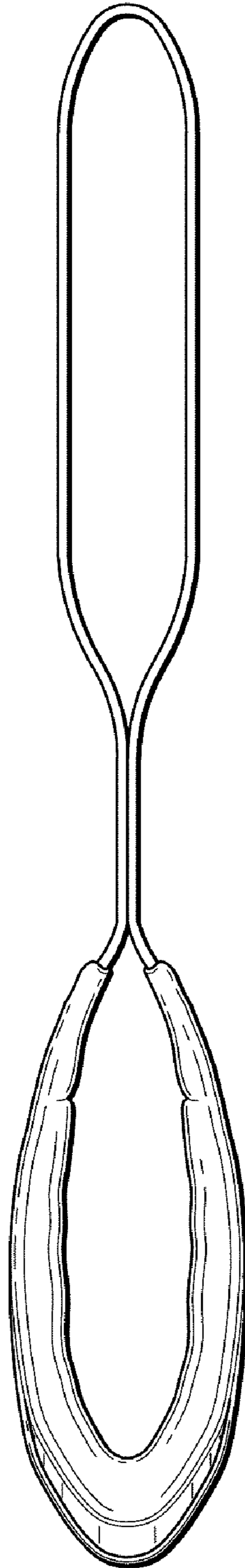


FIG. 4

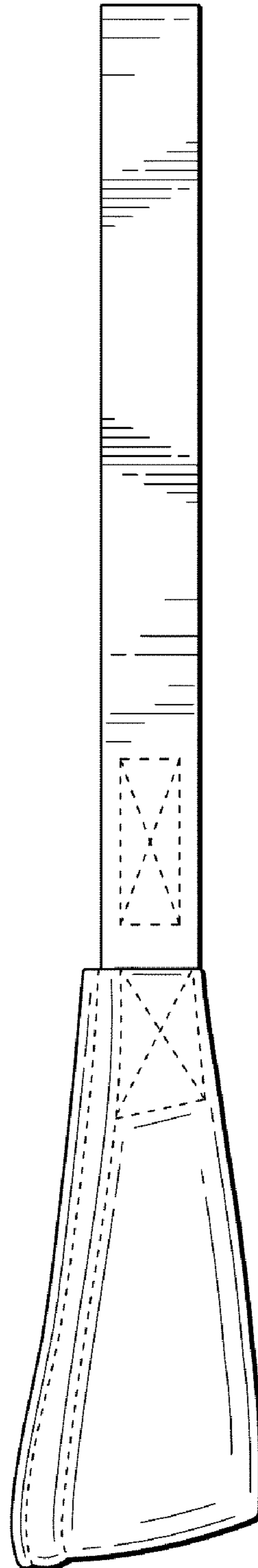


FIG. 5

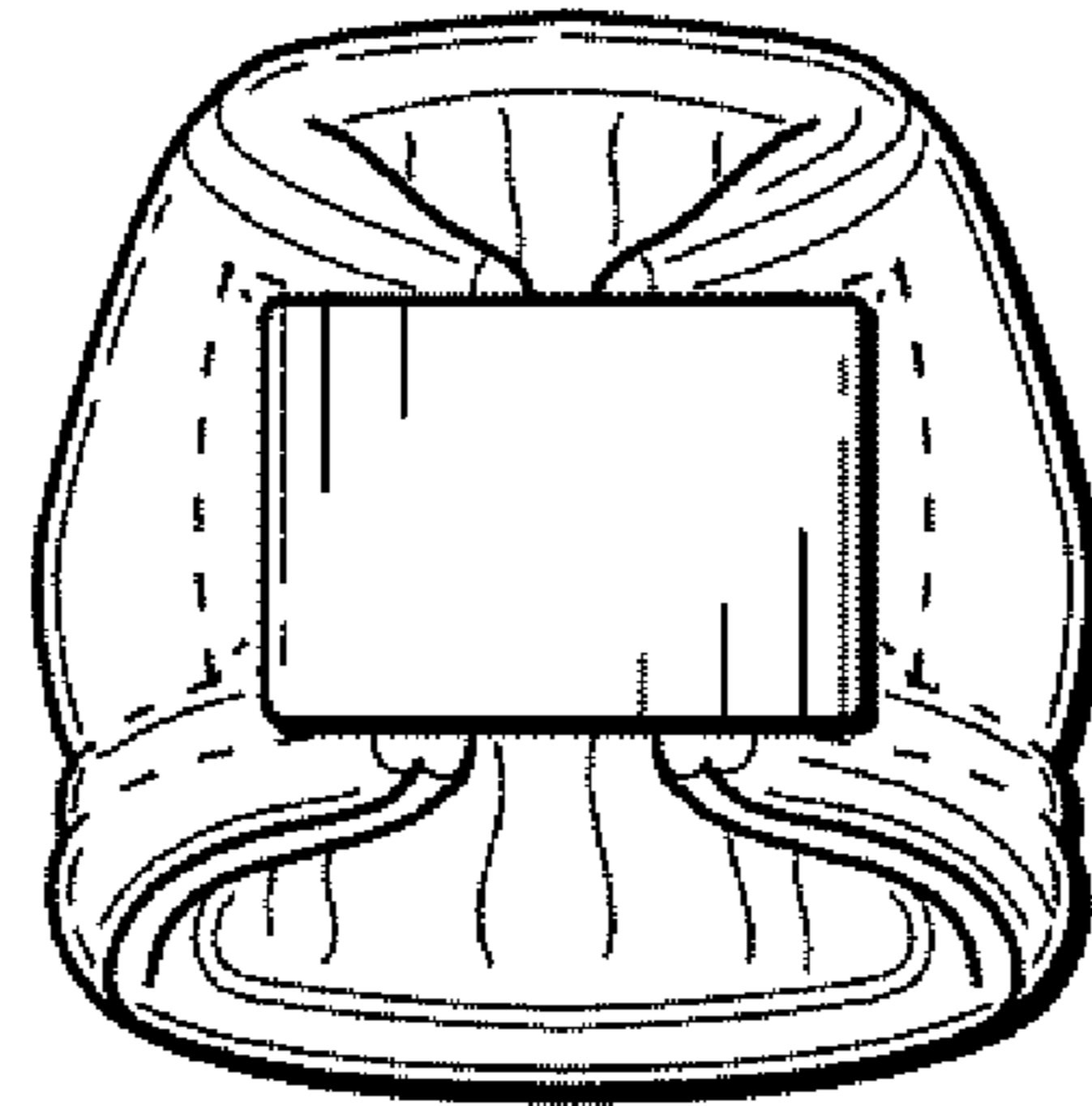


FIG. 6

