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- (54) **TUBE FOR THYROID SURGERY**
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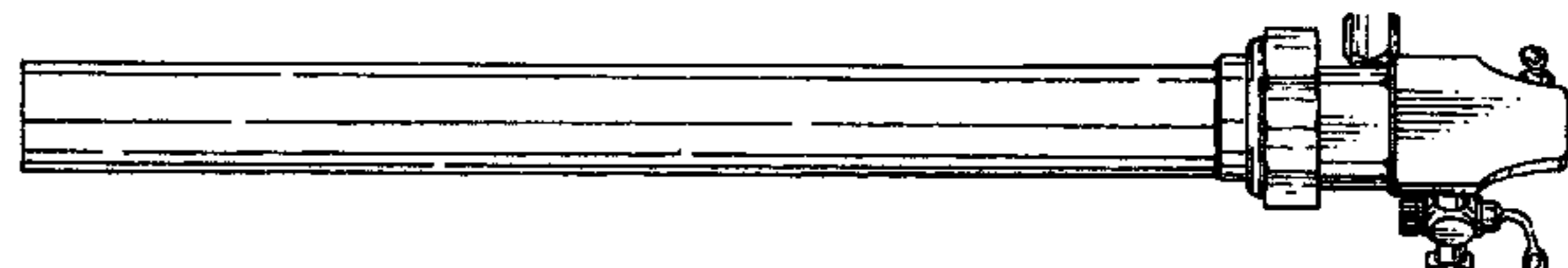
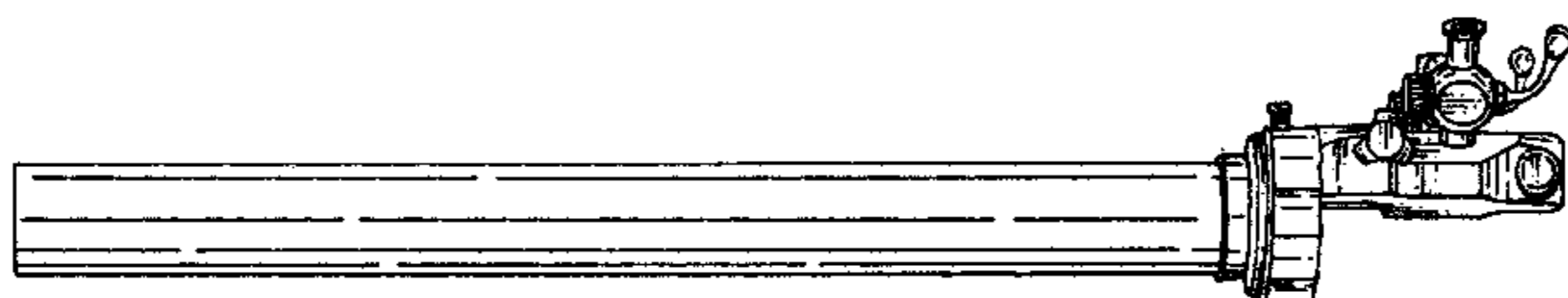
(57) **CLAIM**  
The ornamental design for a tube for thyroid surgery, as shown and described.

**DESCRIPTION**

FIG. 1 is a rear left side perspective view of a tube for thyroid surgery in accordance with the new design; FIG. 2 is a left side isometric view thereof; FIG. 3 is a top isometric view thereof; FIG. 4 is a right side isometric view thereof; FIG. 5 is a bottom isometric view thereof; FIG. 6 is a front isometric view thereof; and, FIG. 7 is a rear isometric view thereof. The broken lines adjacent the shaded areas in FIGS. 1-4, 6 and 7 represent bounds of the claimed design, with lines themselves and the areas within them forming no part of the claimed design.

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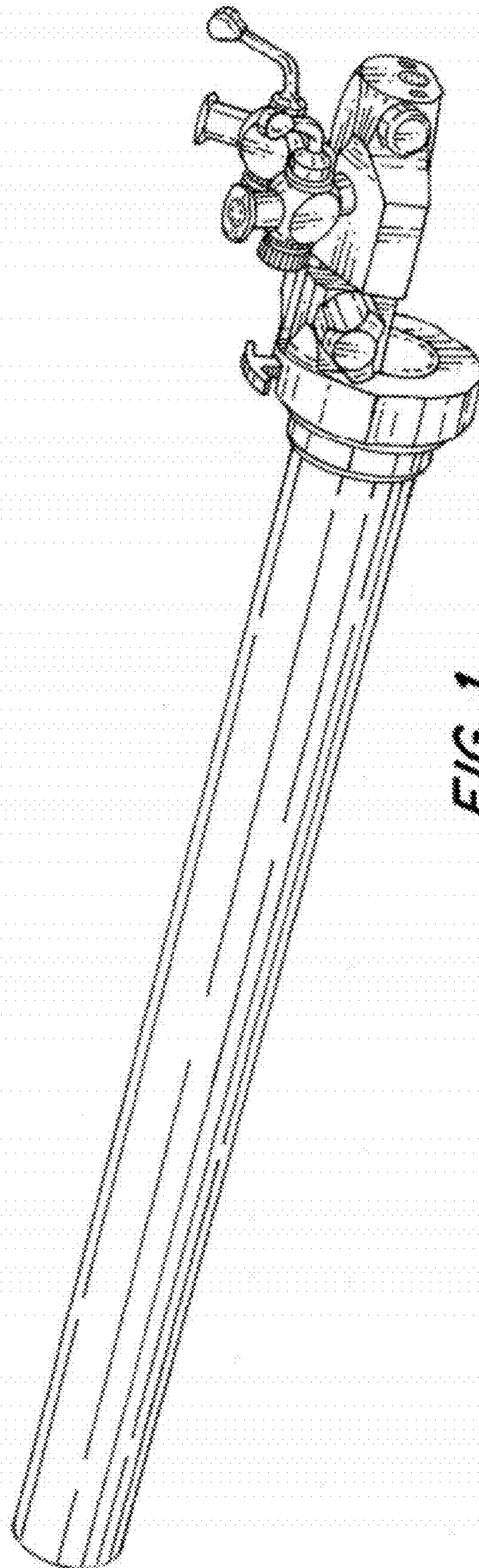


FIG. 1



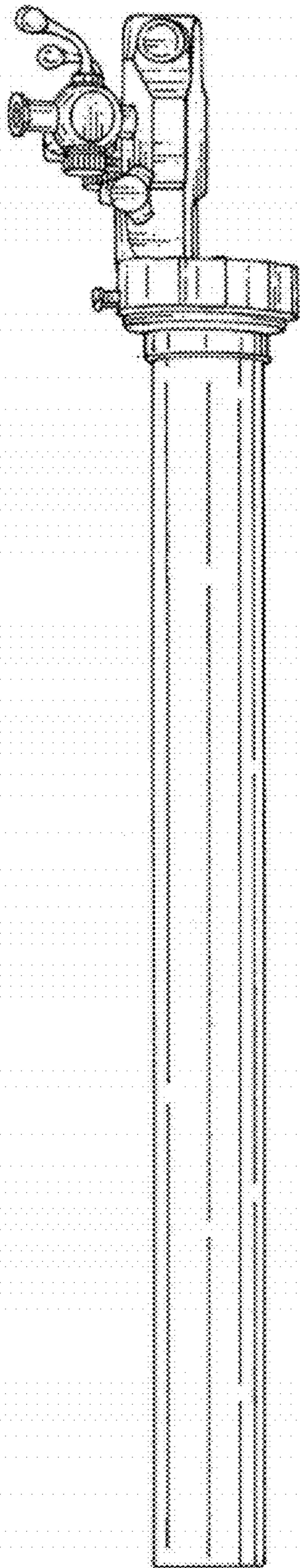


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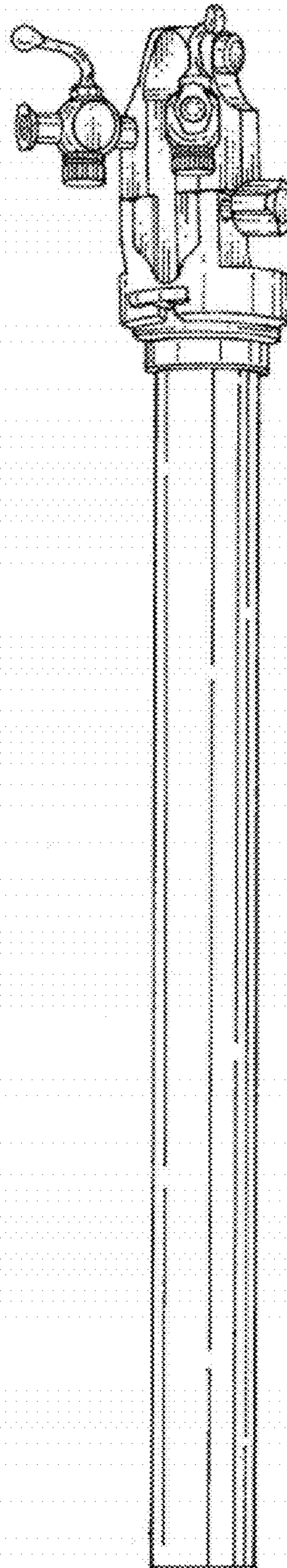
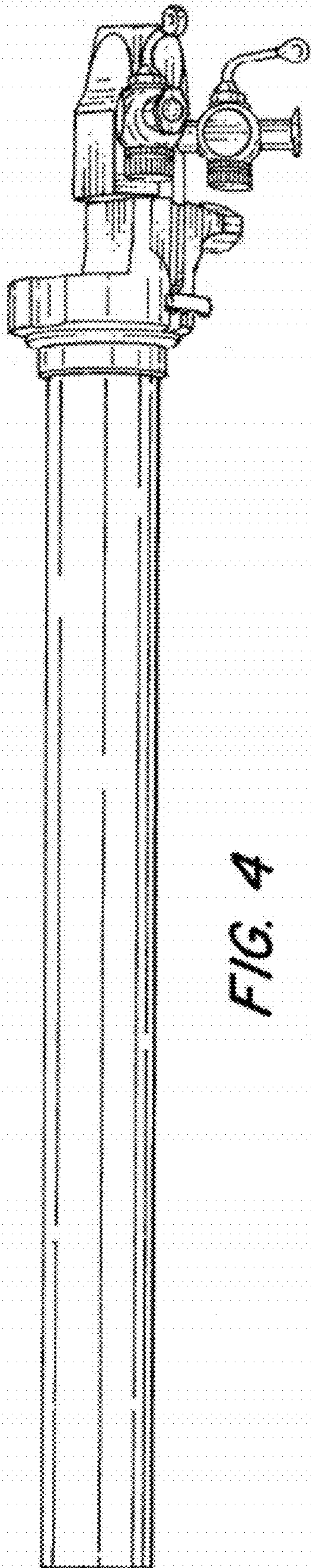
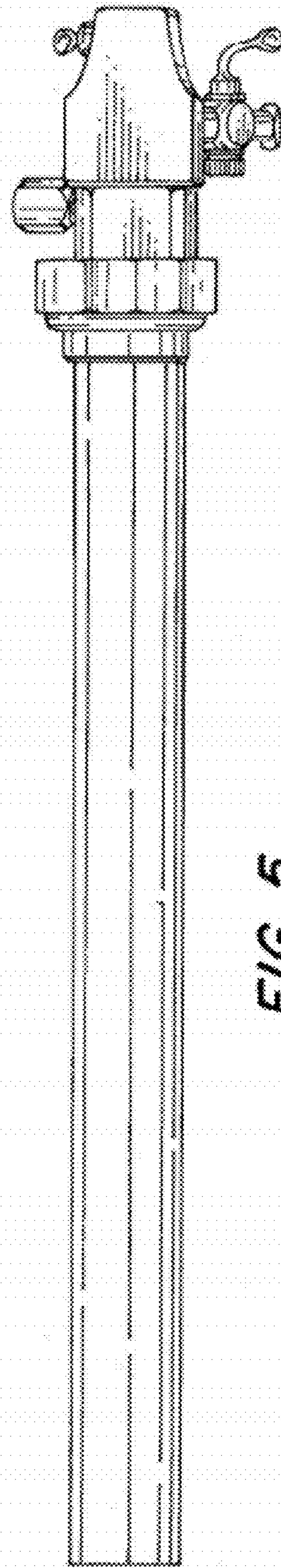


FIG. 3

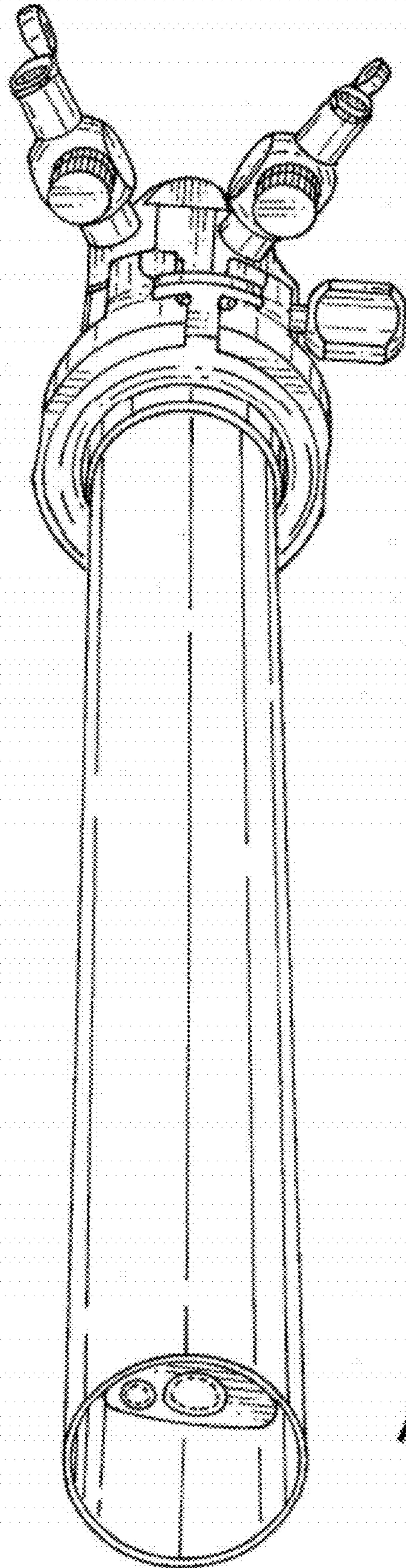


*FIG. 4*

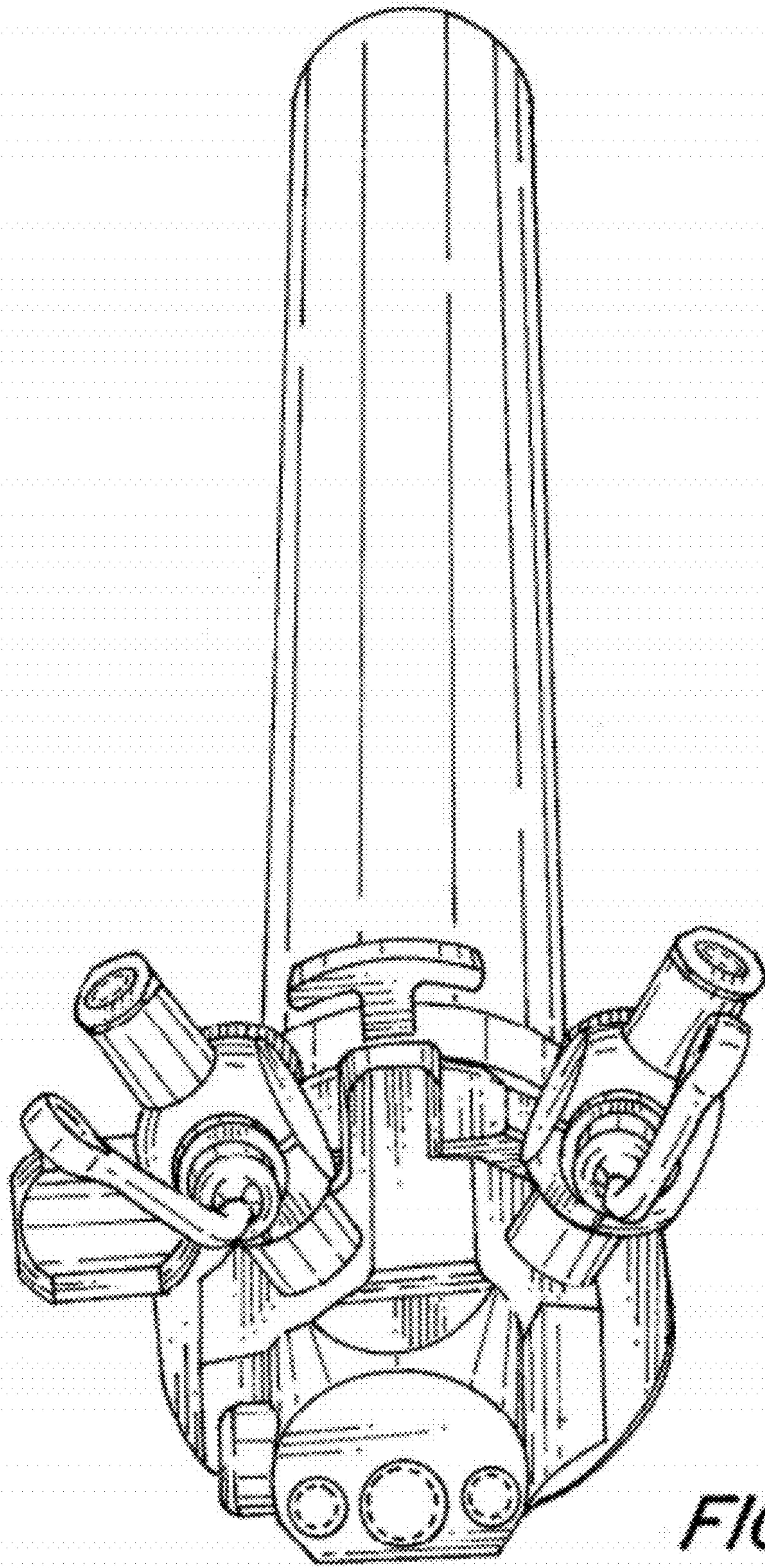


*FIG. 5*





*FIG. 6*



*FIG. 7*