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(54) **HAND-HELD GRIPPING DEVICE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a hand-held gripping device, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top right perspective view of the hand-held gripping device;

FIG. 2 is a right side orthogonal view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a left side orthogonal view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a top orthogonal view thereof;

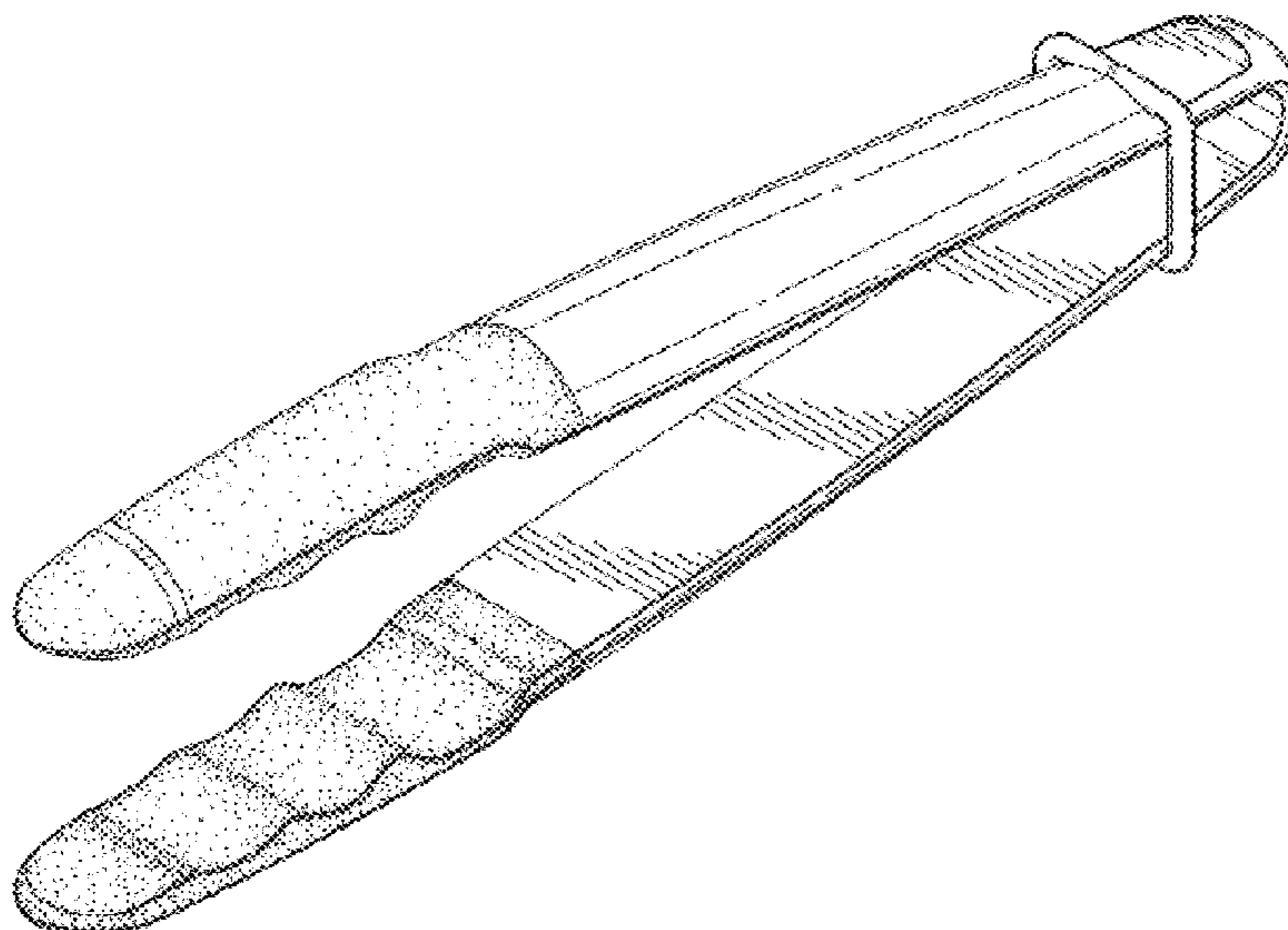
FIG. 5 is a bottom orthogonal view thereof;

FIG. 6 is a front orthogonal view thereof; and,

FIG. 7 is a rear orthogonal view thereof.

The dotted areas of FIG. 1 through FIG. 7 represent texture. The broken-lines of FIG. 1 through FIG. 7 depict surface shading. The dotted areas and broken-lines of FIGS. 1-7 are shown for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 5 Drawing Sheets



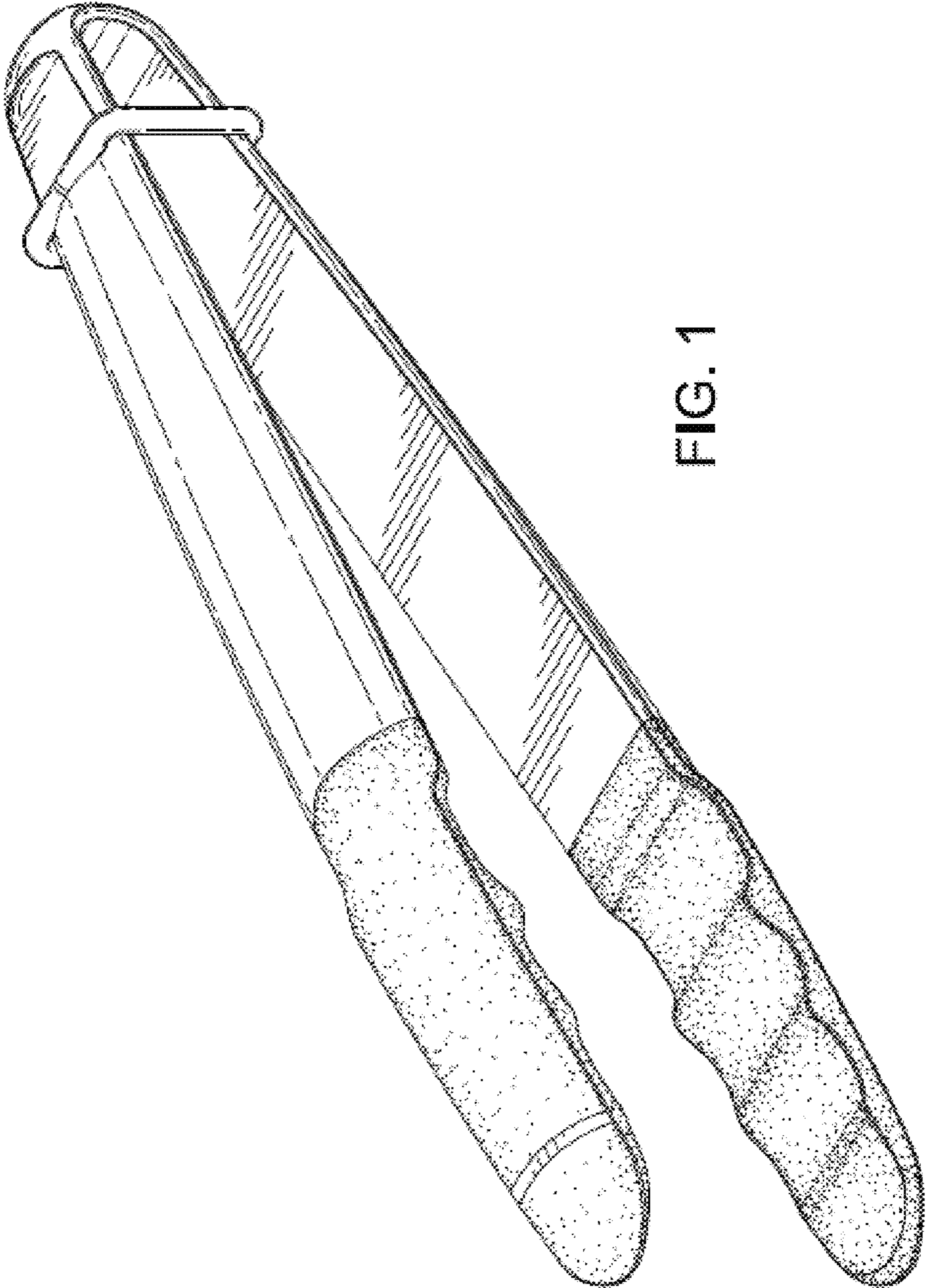


FIG. 1

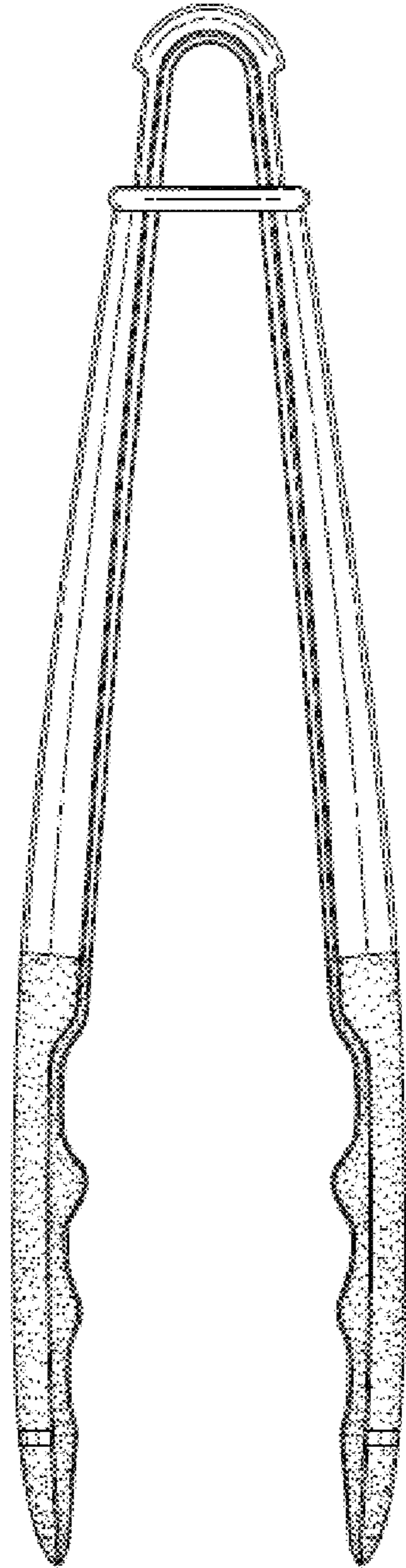


FIG. 2

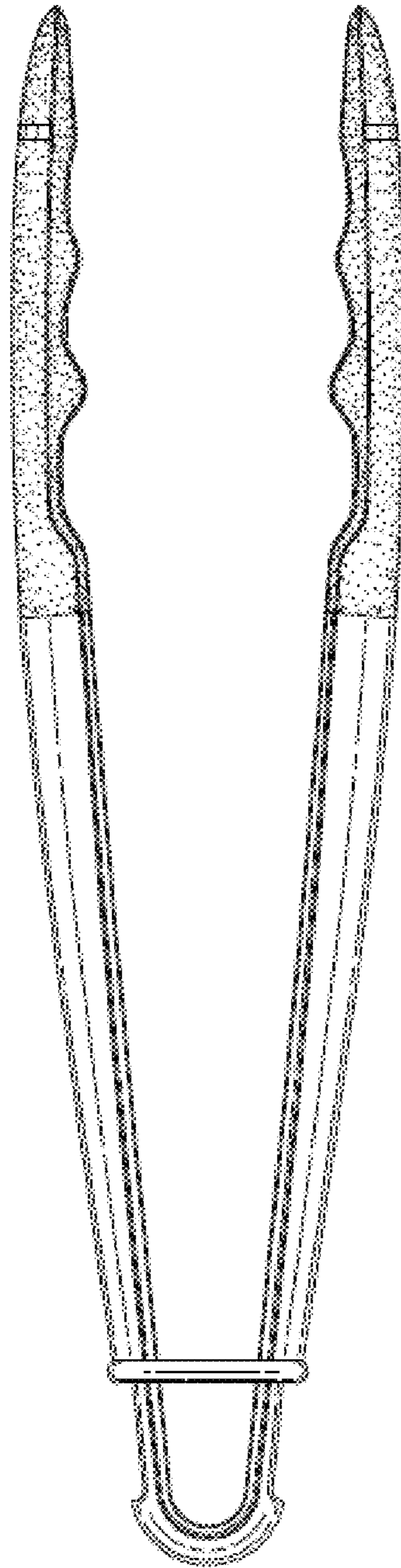


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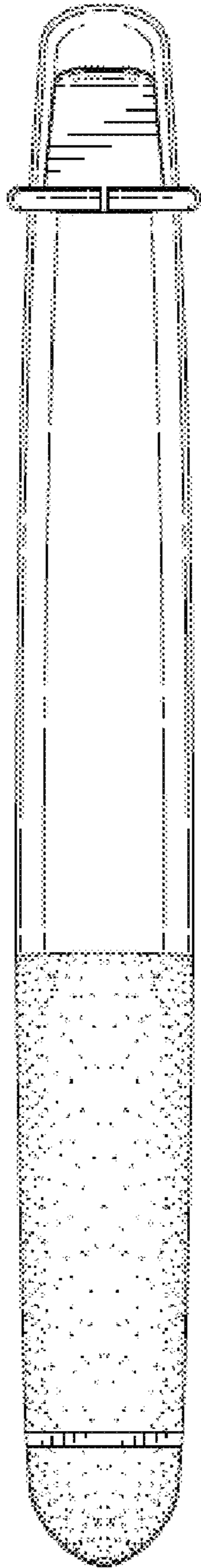


FIG. 4

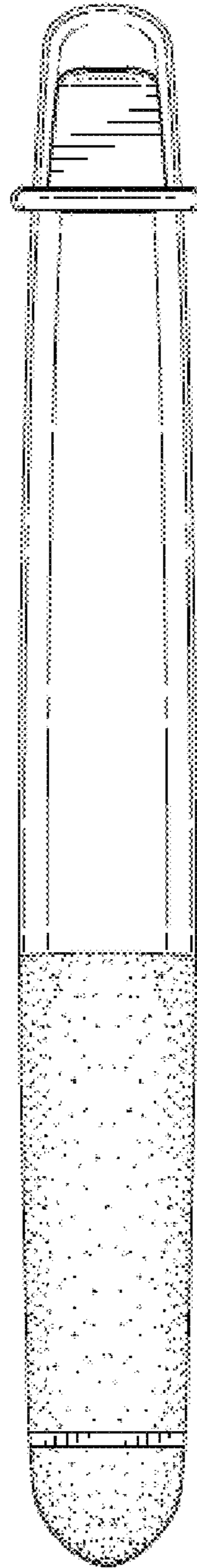


FIG. 5

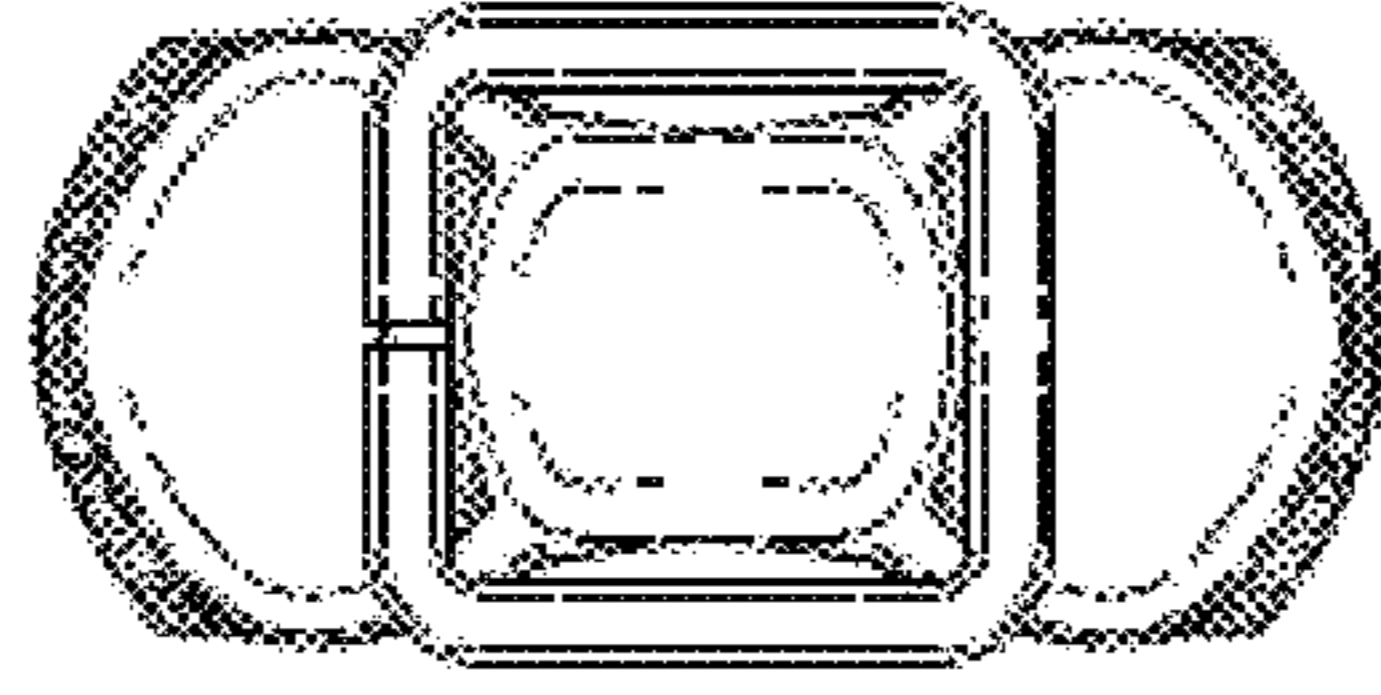


FIG. 7

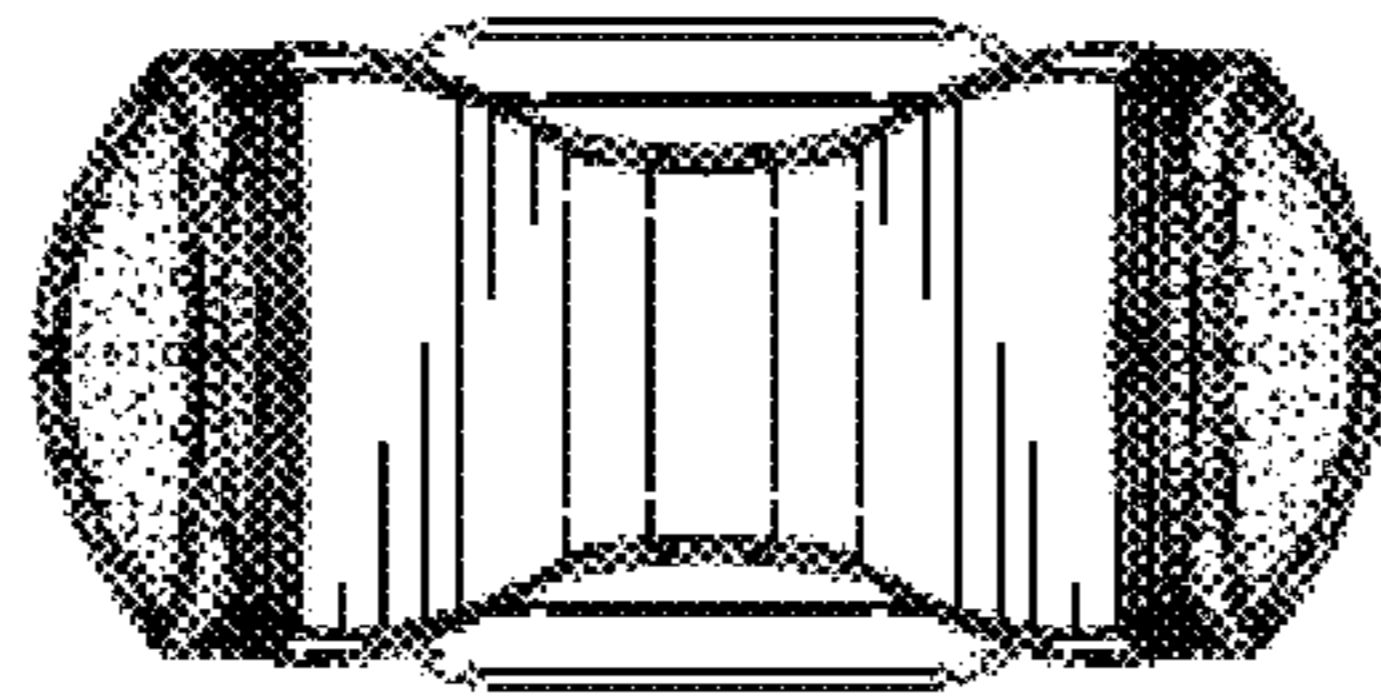


FIG. 6