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### **TEMPOROMANDIBULAR JOINT** [54] PROSTHESIS

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#### [57] CLAIM

The ornamental design for a temporomandibular joint prosthesis, substantially as shown and described.

### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a temporomandibular joint prosthesis, showing my new design; FIG. 2 is a left end elevational view thereof; FIG. 3 is a right end elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 5 is a side elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 7 is an elevational view of the side opposite that shown in FIG. 5; FIG. 8 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of a temporomandibular joint prosthesis; FIG. 9 is a right end elevational view thereof; FIG. 10 is a left end elevational view thereof; FIG. 11 is a top plan view thereof; FIG. 12 is a side elevational view thereof; FIG. 13 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 14 is an elevational view of the side opposite that shown in FIG. 12.

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