United States Patent Patent Number: Des. 293,858 Tarrson et al. Date of Patent: ** Jan. 26, 1988 COMBINED INTERDENTAL BRUSH CAP [54] 3/1982 Tarrson et al. 15/167 R X 4,319,377 THEREFOR 4,387,479 6/1983 Kigyos 15/167 R Inventors: Emanuel B. Tarrson; Dane Maric, FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS both of Chicago; Thomas P. Kelly, Palatine, all of Ill. 679174 7/1939 Fed. Rep. of Germany. [73] John O. Butler Company, Chicago, Assignee: OTHER PUBLICATIONS III. "D-Plak-R" Toothpick Holder, Dental Products Report, 5/74. Notice: The portion of the term of this patent A Photograph of Three Brushes by Sanyo-Hapics. subsequent to Aug. 25, 2001 has been Perio Pic, from Japan Perio Center (date unknown). disclaimed. Page 40, Oral Health, Jan. 1979. Term: Picture of unknown Japanese Brush (marked Exhibit 14 Years AS1) of unknown date. [21] Appl. No.: 703,748 Denticator Brushes (date unknown). Photocopy of Three Specimens (marked Exhibit AT2) Filed: Feb. 21, 1985 of unknown date. [52] U.S. Cl. D4/104; D4/108; Primary Examiner—Catherine E. Kemper D4/131 [58] Attorney, Agent, or Firm-Laff, Whitesel, Conte & Saret D24/10, 16; 15/167 R, 206; 128/62 A [57] **CLAIM** [56] References Cited The ornamental design for a combined interdental U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS brush and cap therefor, as shown and described. D. 242,883 1/1977 DeMarco. **DESCRIPTION** FIG. 1 is an exploded perspective view of a combined interdental brush and cap therefor, showing our new 1,465,522 8/1923 Lundy. 1,806,520 5/1931 Cave. design; FIG. 2 is a side elevational view of the cap; 1,894,413 1/1933 Nenning et al. . 1,996,205 4/1935 Jackson. FIG. 3 is a top plan view of the cap; 2,164,219 6/1939 McGerry. FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view of the cap; 2,167,129 7/1939 Sleeper. FIG. 5 is a side elevational view of the interdental 2,206,542 7/1940 Arnold. brush; 2,319,841 5/1943 Bate. FIG. 6 is a top plan view of the interdental brush; 3,204,275 9/1965 Baker. FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view of the interdental brush; FIG. 8 is a side elevational view of the interdental brush 3/1973 Nelson 15/167 R 3,720,975 with the cap in place; 3,939,520 FIG. 9 is a fragmentary side elevational view of a sec-3,964,122 6/1976 Kurdy 15/167 R X 4,030,199 ond embodiment of the interdental brush;

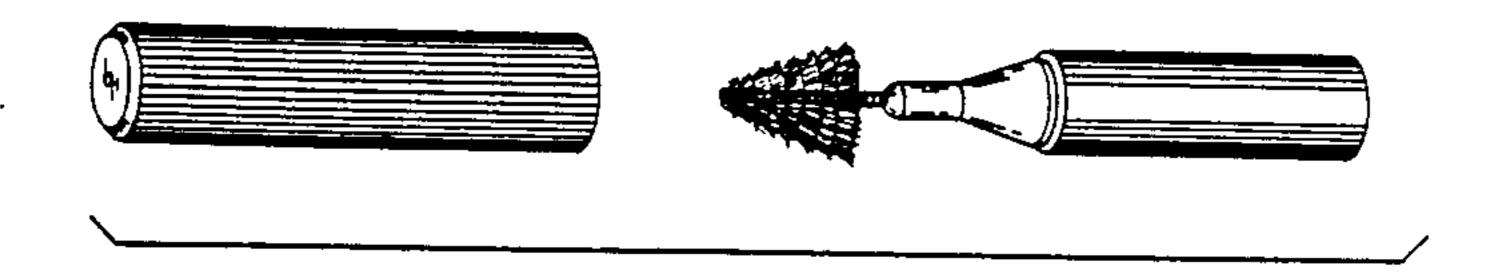


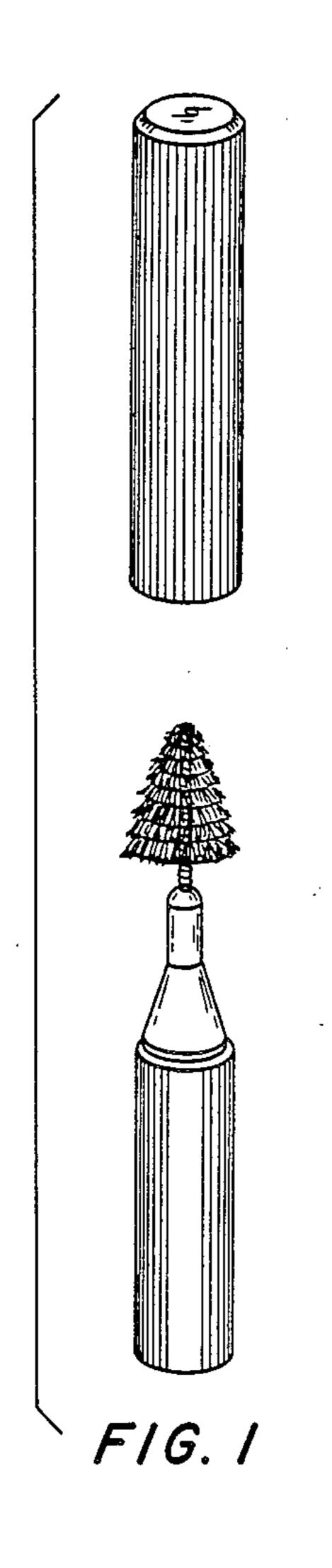
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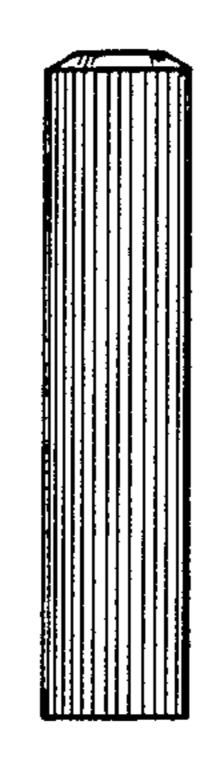
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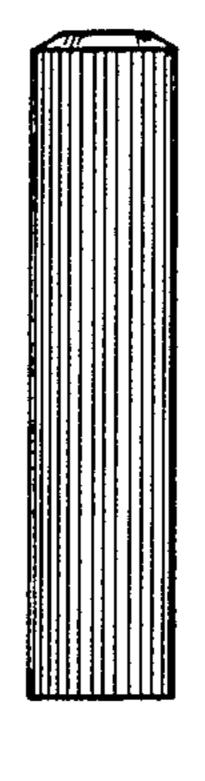
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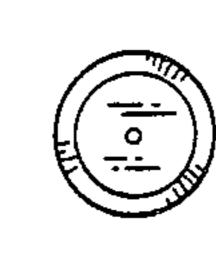
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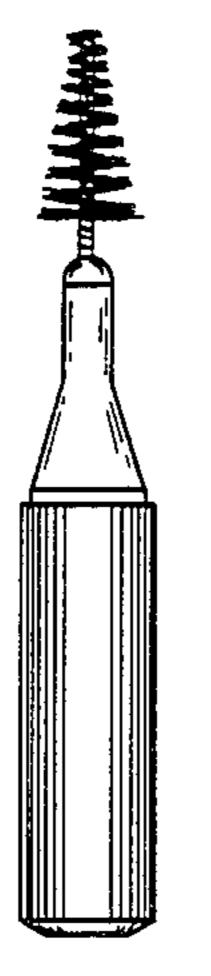
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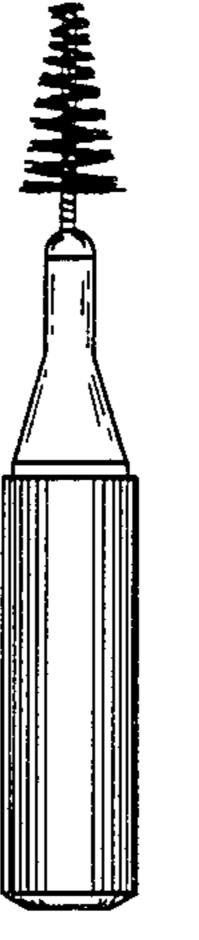


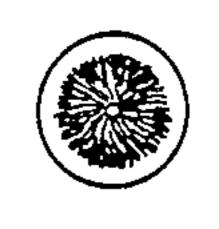
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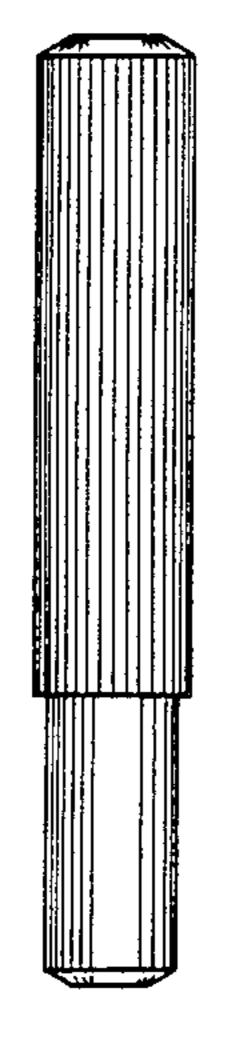


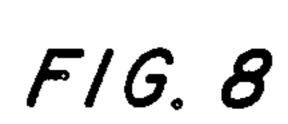


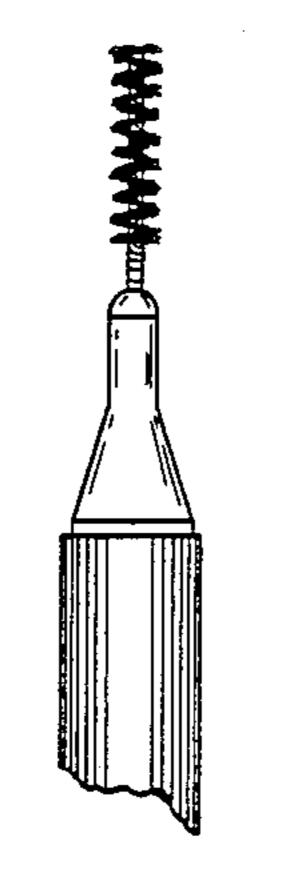
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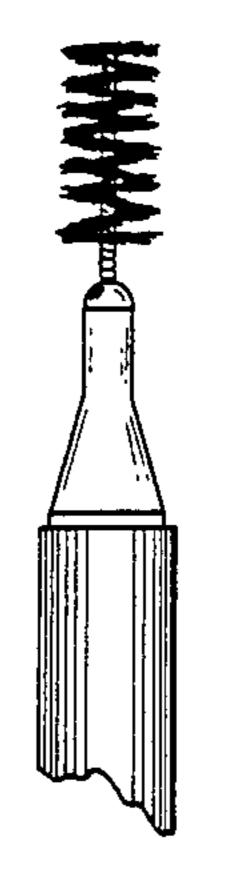






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