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STAPLING MACHINE [54]

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[57] **CLAIM**

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The ornamental design for a stapling machine, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a top plan view of a stapling machine showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a top, front, left side perspective view thereof; FIG. 3 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 4 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 5 is a right side elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a left side elevational view thereof; FIG. 7 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 8 is a top, front, left side perspective view of a second embodiment of that shown in FIG. 1; FIG. 9 is a right side elevational view of that shown in FIG. 8; FIG. 10 is a left side elevational view of that shown in FIG. 8; FIG. 11 is a front elevational view of that shown in **FIG. 8;** FIG. 12 is a rear elevational view of that shown in FIG. 8; FIG. 13 is a top plan view of that shown in FIG. 8; FIG. 14 is a bottom plan view of that shown in FIG. 8.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page, in the first column, the Assignee should be --Ofrex Group Holdings PLC, Middx, England--.

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