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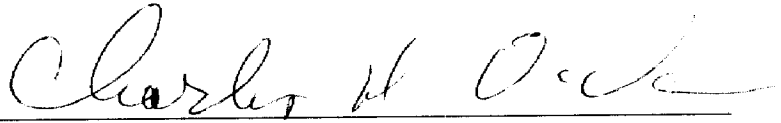
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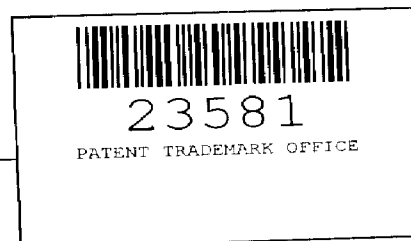


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WHEREAS, MARUHACHI-MAWATA CO., LTD., a Japanese corporation, having its principal place of business in Hamamatsu-shi, Japan, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, I, the said INVENTOR has sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof.

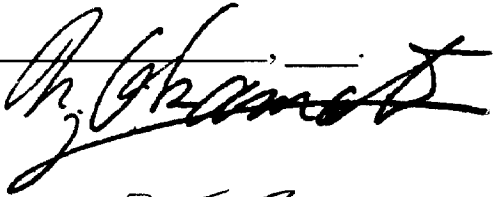
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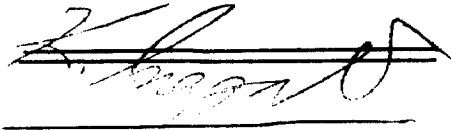
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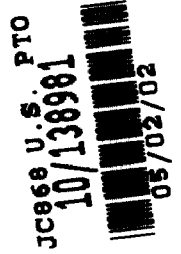
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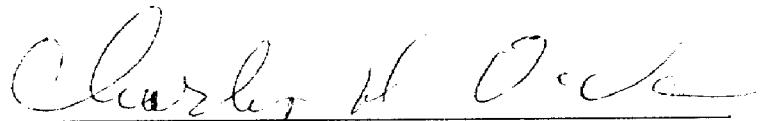
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