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and for which invention, improvement, or discovery we have filed application for Letters Patent of the United States of America.

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We further agree to execute such further papers, and perform such other proper acts as said Corporation may deem necessary to secure to said Corporation the rights herein conveyed, and we hereby authorize the insertion into this Assignment of the serial number and filing date of said application.

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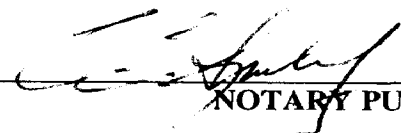
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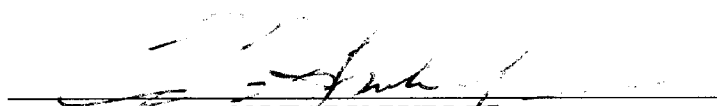
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