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States Patent to be prepared, [X] the inventor's declaration for said application being executed concurrently with the execution of this instrument; said application to be filled in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;
[] said application having been filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on and given Application No.:
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