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[54] MULTI-TINED DIGGING TOOTH

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[57] **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a multi-tined digging tooth, as shown and described.

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DESCRIPTION

[**] Term: **14 Years**

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FIG. 1 is a perspective view of a multi-tined digging tooth showing one embodiment of our new design; FIG. 2 is a top plan view of the multi-tined digging tooth illustrated in FIG. 1; FIG. 3 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 4 is a left side view thereof with the right side view being a mirror image thereof; FIG. 5 is a rear elevational view thereof; FIG. 6 is a front elevational view thereof; FIG. 7 is a perspective view of a multi-tined digging tooth showing a second embodiment of our new design; FIG. 8 is a top plan view of the multi-tined digging tooth illustrated in FIG. 7; FIG. 9 is a bottom plan view thereof; FIG. 10 is a left side view thereof with the right side view being a mirror image thereof; FIG. 11 is rear elevational view thereof; and, FIG. 12 is a front elevational view thereof. FIGS. 2 through 6 and 8 through 12 are shown on an enlarged scale relative to FIGS. 1 and 7, respectively.

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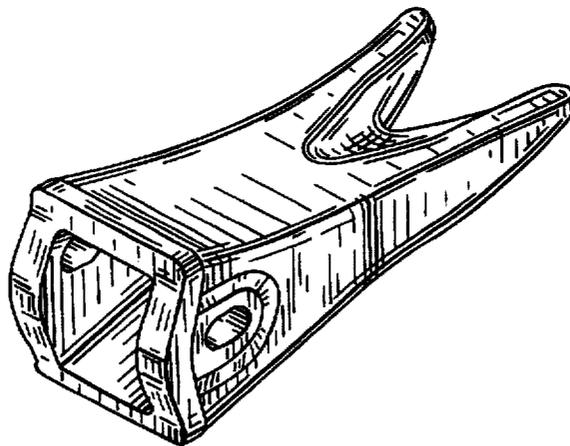


FIG. 1

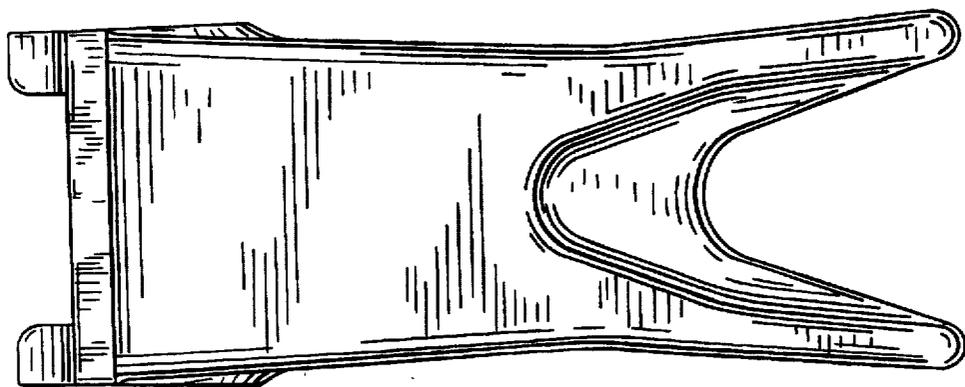
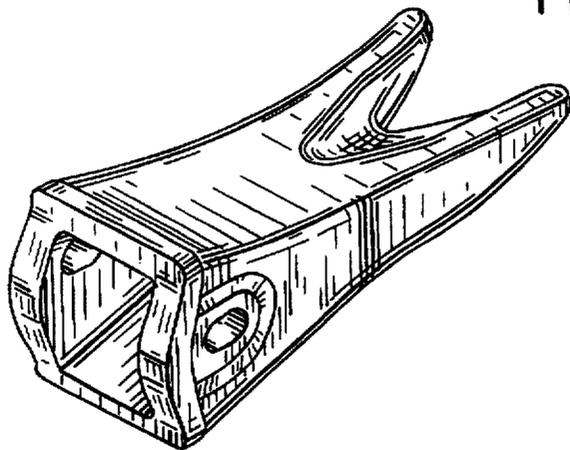


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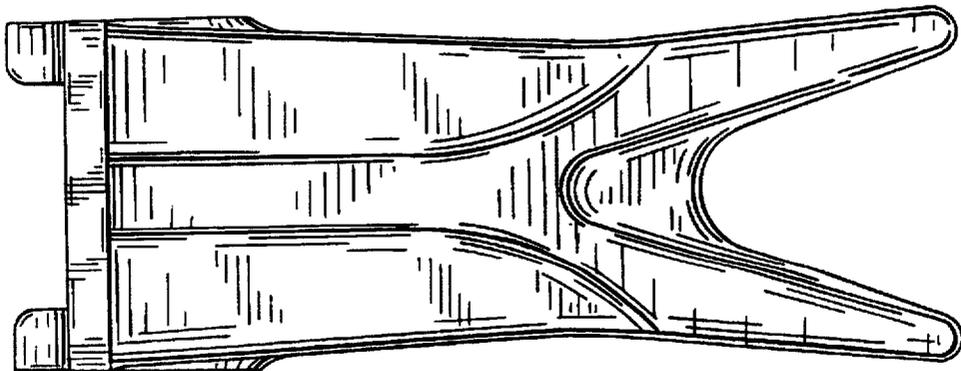


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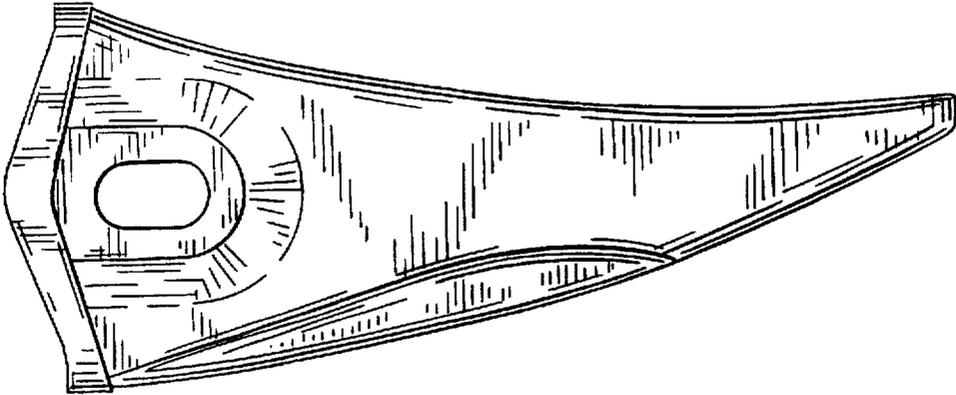


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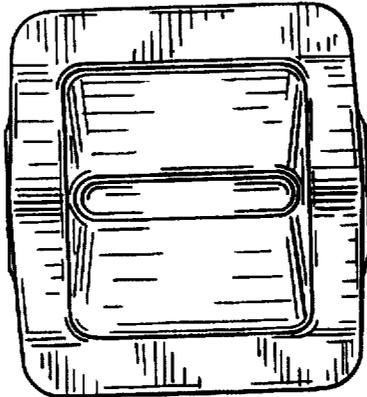
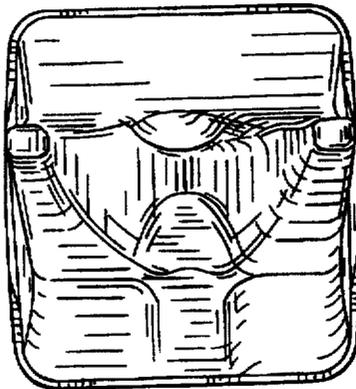


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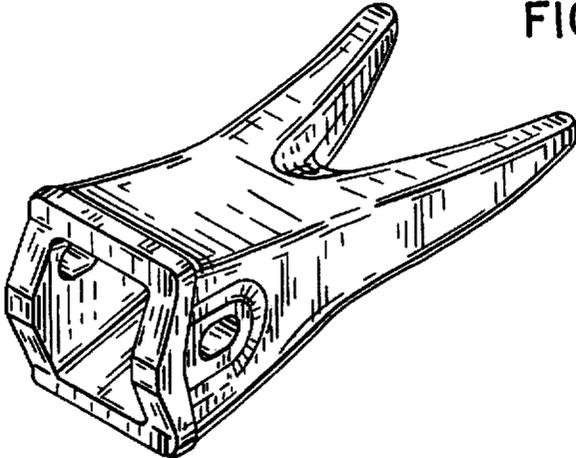


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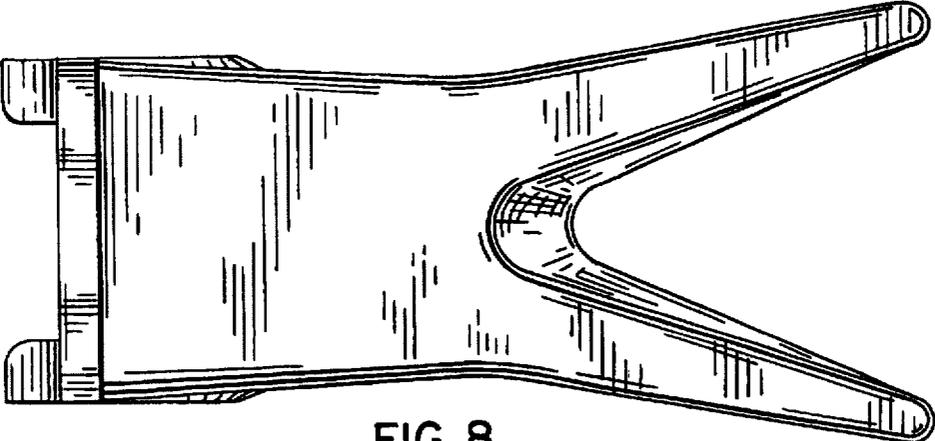


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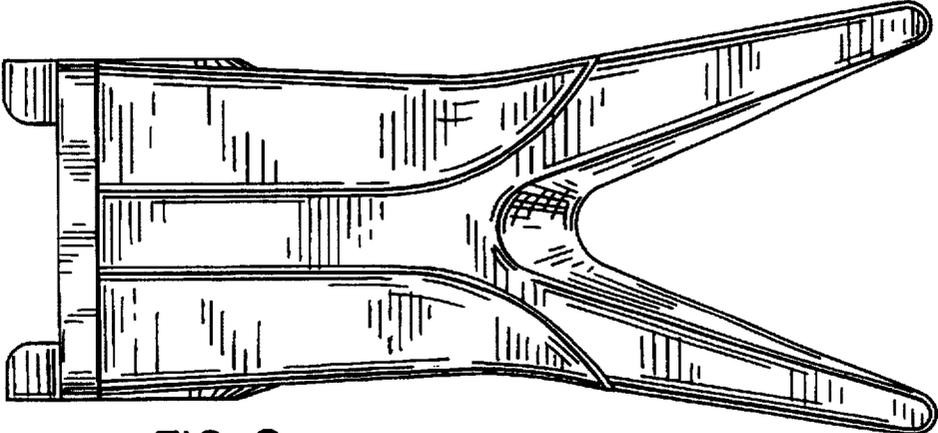


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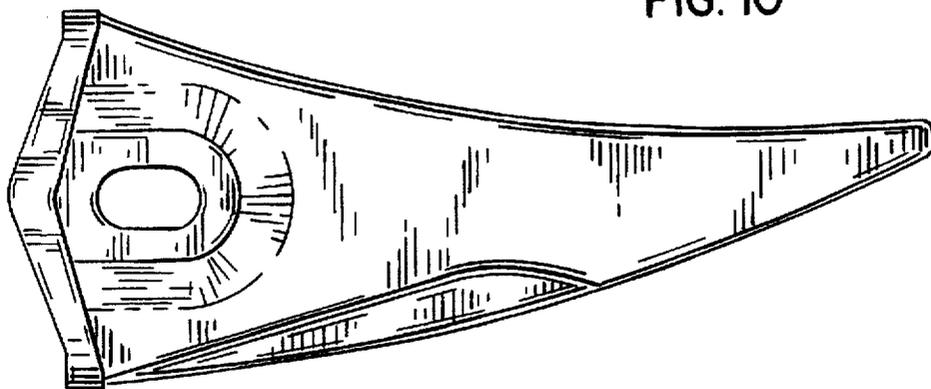


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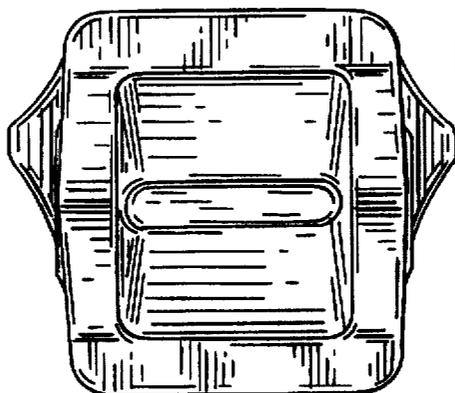


FIG. 12

