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#### [54] FLOWER POT COVER

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Des. 381,934.

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**[62]** Division of Ser. No. 46,088, Nov. 7, 1995, Pat. No. Des. 388,028, and Ser. No. 2,915, Dec. 23, 1992, Pat. No. Des. 364,584, which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 808,566, Dec. 16, 1991, Pat. No. Des. 352,918, which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 710,272, Jun. 4, 1991, Pat. No. Des. 365,302, which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. 617,454 Nov. 21, 1990, abandoned, Ser. No. 411,249, Sep. 22, 1989, Pat. No. Des. 358,113, Ser. No. 411,247, Sep. 22, 1989, abandoned, and Ser. No. 411,245, Sep. 22, 1989, abandoned.

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CLAIM

The ornamental design for a flower pot cover, as shown and described.

#### DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of our new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 2 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a perspective view of a second embodiment of our new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 6 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 7 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 8 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 9 is a perspective view of a third embodiment of our new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 10 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 11 is a top plan view thereof;

FIG. 12 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 13 is a perspective view of a fourth embodiment of our new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 14 is a side elevational view thereof;

FIG. 15 is a top plan view thereof;

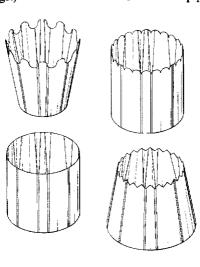
FIG. 16 is a bottom plan view thereof;

FIG. 17 is a perspective view of a fifth embodiment of our

new flower pot cover design;

FIG. 18 is a side elevational view thereof;

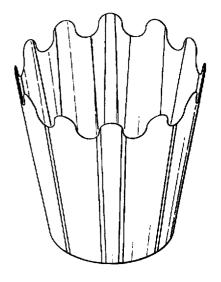
FIG. 19 is a top plan view thereof;



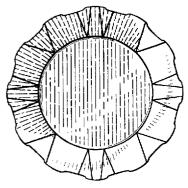
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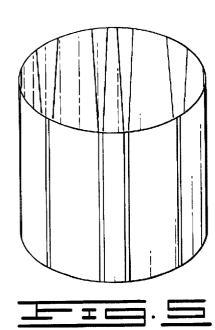
FIG. 20 is a bottom plan view thereof;	D. 174,733	5/1955	Bordman D48/16
FIG. 21 is a perspective view of a sixth embodiment of our	D. 292,182	10/1987	Weder et al D11/164
new flower pot cover design;	D. 292,562	11/1987	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 22 is a side elevational view thereof;	D. 293,224	12/1987	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 23 is a top plan view thereof;	D. 293,775	1/1988	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 24 is a bottom plan view thereof;	D. 317,583	6/1991	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 25 is a perspective view of a seventh embodiment of	D. 318,030	7/1991	Weder et al D11/164
	D. 327,234	6/1992	Vaughn D11/143
our new flower pot cover design;	D. 352,918	11/1994	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 26 is a side elevational view thereof;	D. 358,565	5/1995	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 27 is a top plan view thereof;	D. 358,566	5/1995	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 28 is a bottom plan view thereof;	D. 361,299	8/1995	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 29 is a perspective view of an eighth embodiment of	D. 361,735		Weder et al D11/164
our new flower pot cover design;	D. 362,406	9/1995	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 30 is a side elevational view thereof;	D. 362,407	9/1995	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 31 is a top plan view thereof;	D. 364,584	11/1995	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 32 is a bottom plan view thereof;	D. 366,630	1/1996	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 33 is a perspective view of a ninth embodiment of our	D. 370,644	6/1996	Weder et al D11/164
new flower pot cover design;	D. 370,872		Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 34 is a side elevational view thereof;	D. 371,091	6/1996	Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 35 is a top plan view thereof; and,	D. 371,519		Weder et al D11/164
FIG. 36 is a bottom plan view thereof.	D. 374,204	10/1996	Weder D11/164
The flower pot cover has no substantial thickness.	D. 381,934	8/1997	Weder et al D11/164
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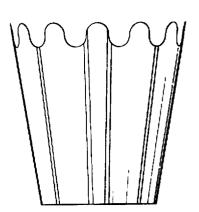




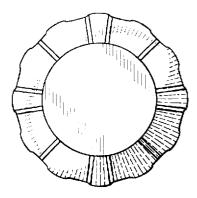


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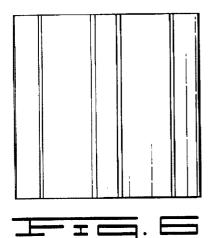


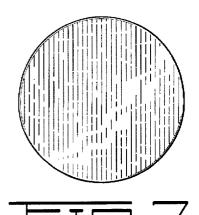


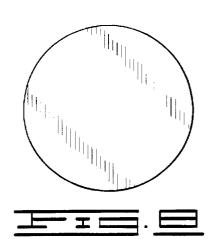


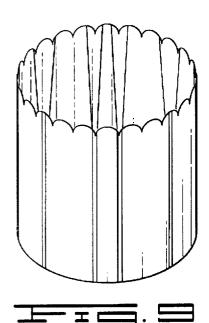


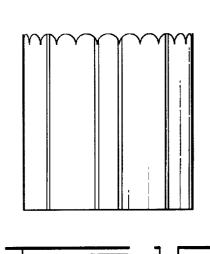
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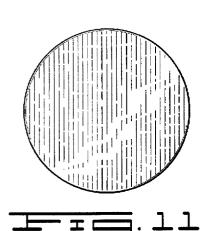


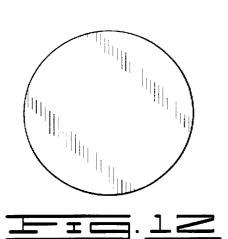


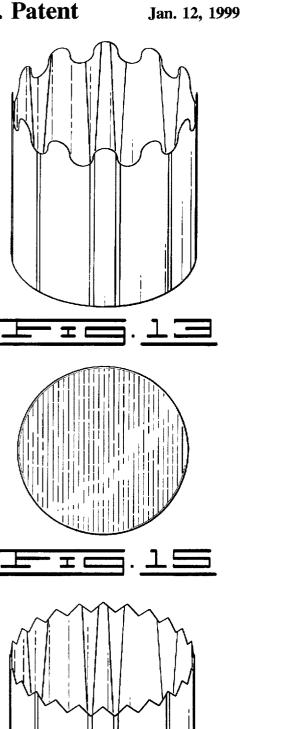


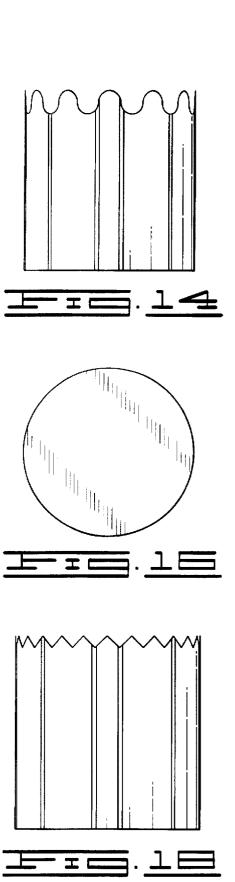


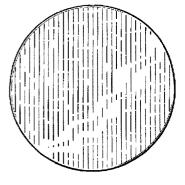




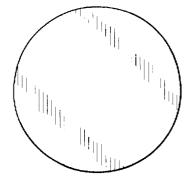




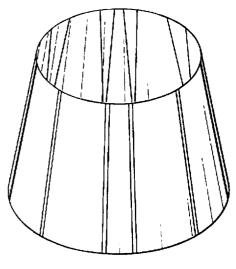




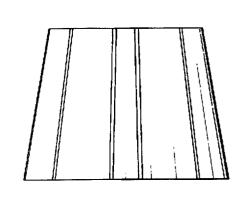
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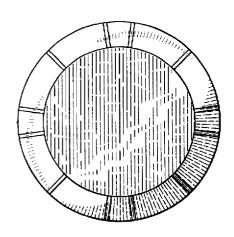


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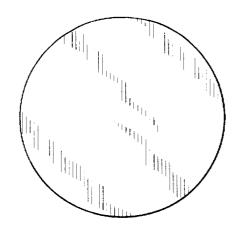


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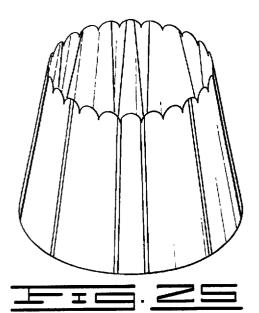


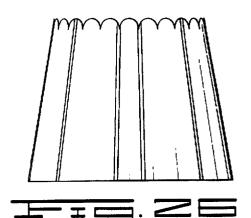


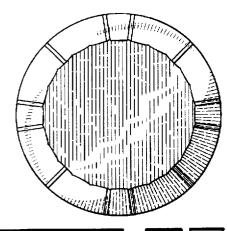
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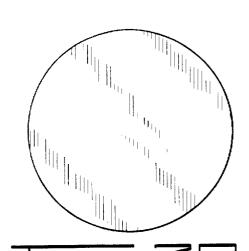


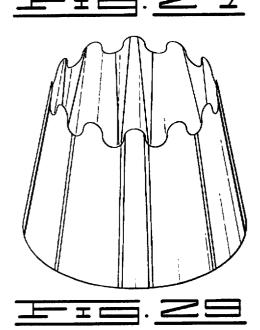
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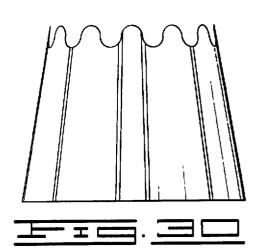


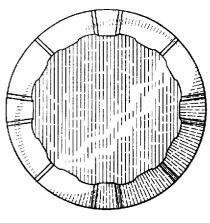


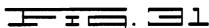




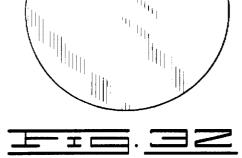


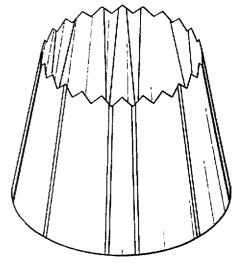


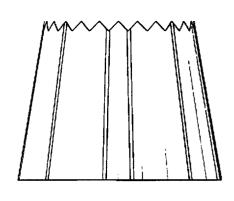




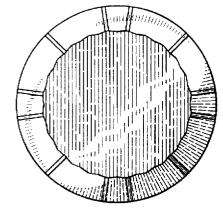




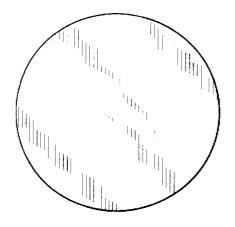












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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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; under Related U.S. Application Data [62], line 2, please delete "388,028, and", and substitute therefor --388,020, which is a division of--.

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