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Please find below a communication from the EXAMINER in charge of this application.

Robert Cloton

PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS CLOSED. THE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE WILL BE MAILED IN DUE COURSE. The changes hereinafter specified have been made in the application identified above in accordance with the provisions of Order Number 3141 of February 4, 1930, (Manual of Patent Examining Procedure 1302.04), which reads in part as follows:

> Other obvious informalities in the application may be corrected by the examiner, but such corrections must be in the form of an amendment, approved and signed by the Principal Examiner, placed in the file, and made a part of the record. A copy of the amendment is sent to the applicant. The changes specified in the amendment will be entered by the clerk in the regular way.

If these changes are not satisfactory to the applicant, an appropriate amendment may be proposed under the provisions of Rule 312, provided the printing of the specification has not begun at the time such amendment is ready for entry. To insure the consideration of such amendment for inclusion, it should be submitted on or before the date of remitting the final fee since the printing of the specification begins a few days thereafter.

The application has been amended as follows: The word Electrical has been placed at the beginning of the title.

Page 5, reference numeral 26c referred to in line 14 has been added to Fig. 6 of the drawing.

Page 8, line 3 from the bottom, "plugner" has been changed to plunger.

Page 10, line 12 from the bottom, "modifications" has been singularized, and "include" has been charged to includes.

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Examiner