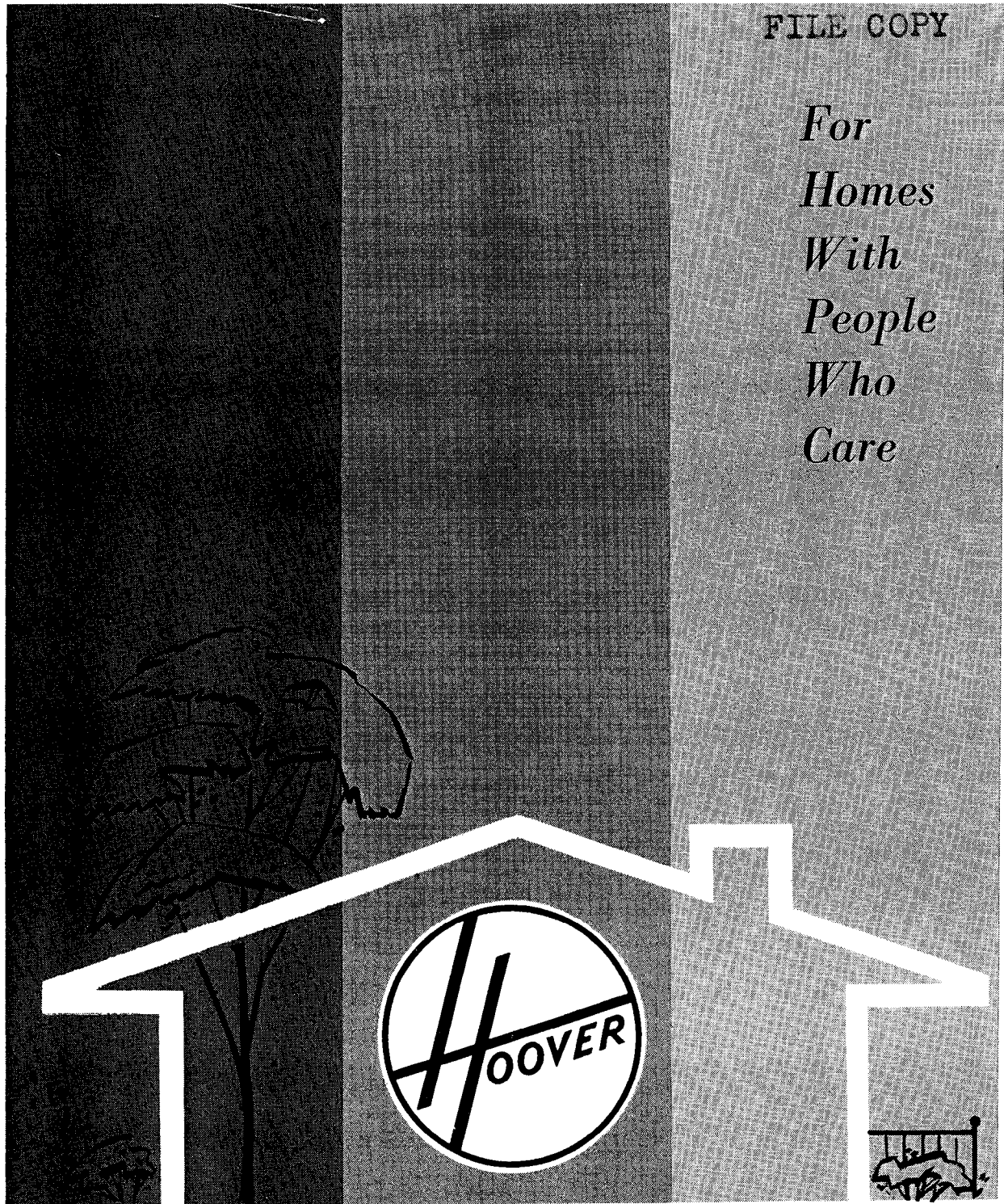


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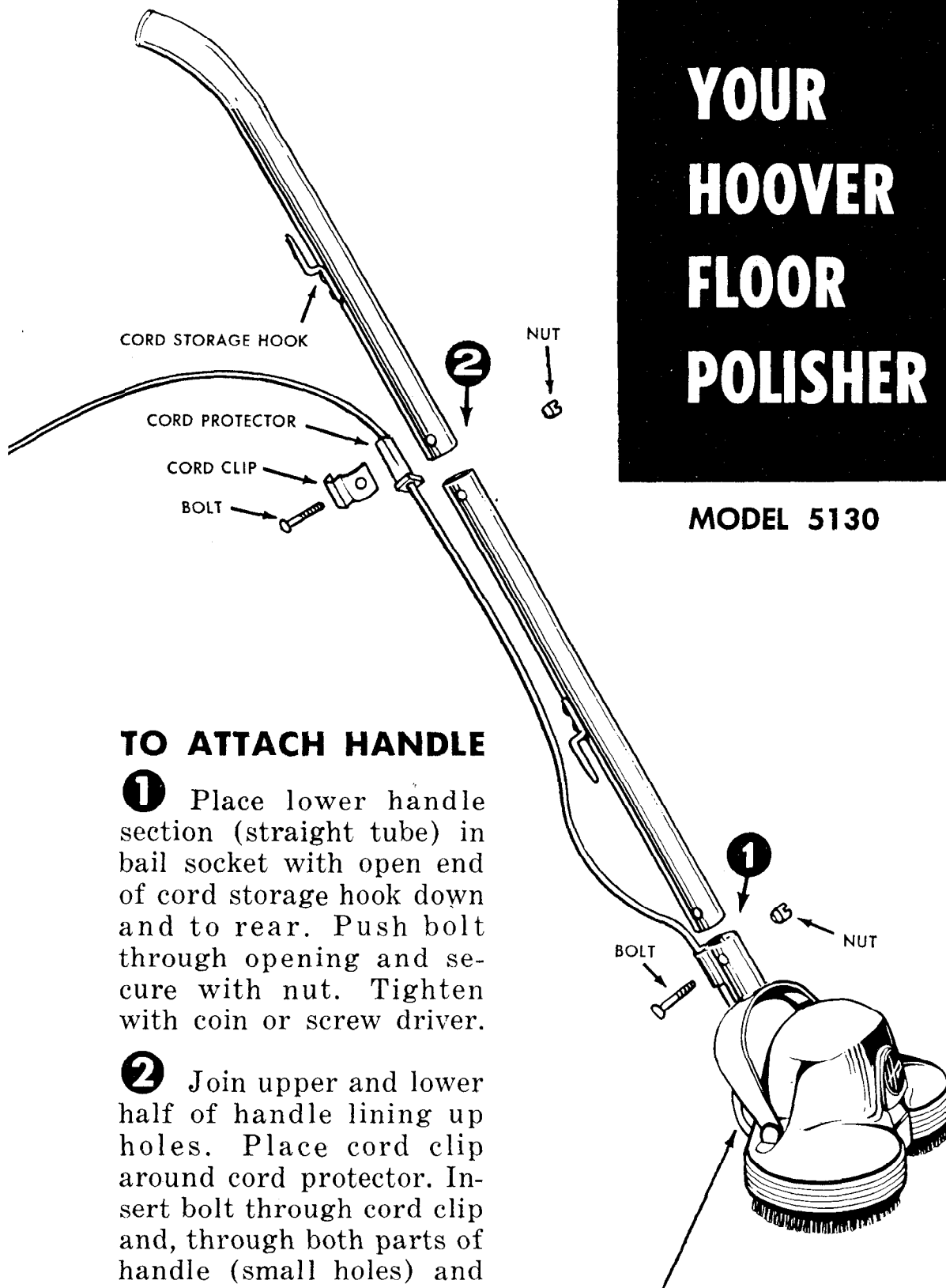
Instructions for

**YOUR NEW HOOVER
FLOOR POLISHER**

Model 5130

YOUR HOOVER FLOOR POLISHER

MODEL 5130

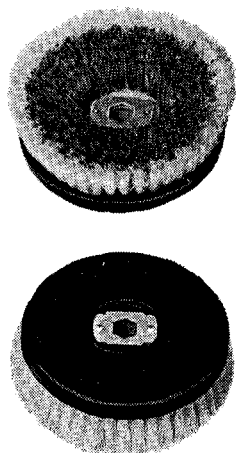


TO ATTACH HANDLE

1 Place lower handle section (straight tube) in bail socket with open end of cord storage hook down and to rear. Push bolt through opening and secure with nut. Tighten with coin or screw driver.

2 Join upper and lower half of handle lining up holes. Place cord clip around cord protector. Insert bolt through cord clip and, through both parts of handle (small holes) and secure with nut. Pull up slack in cord and tighten nut with coin or screw driver.

Cord should be adjusted (before tightening nut above) to give free handle movement.



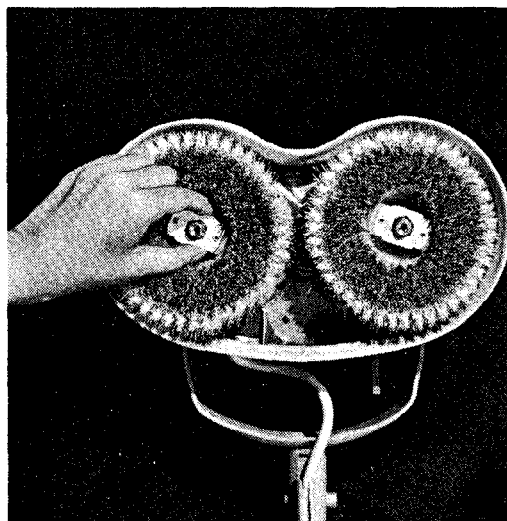
BRUSHES

One set of brushes is furnished with the polisher. These brushes are for scrubbing, waxing and polishing.

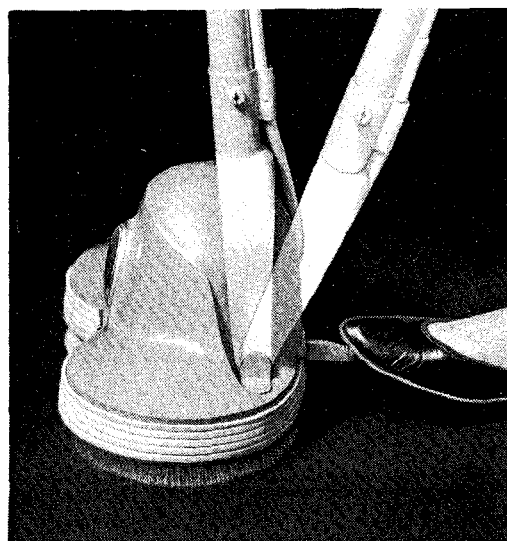
TO PUT ON AND REMOVE BRUSHES *

Place polisher head upside down on flat surface. Press each brush firmly down over brush shaft until a click indicates the brush is in correct position. To remove—grasp center with thumb and fingers and lift up brush.

* Disconnect polisher from electric circuit before putting on or removing brushes.



TO OPERATE * Be sure handle is in upright position before connecting cord to wall receptacle. The switch is operated by lowering and raising the handle. Press red lever to release handle from locked position. Lower handle to start polisher. Raise handle to lock-position to stop polisher.



* Use 60 Cycle A. C.



HOW TO SCRUB FLOORS

All floors, except wood and cork,* which are damaged by water, may be scrubbed. Use a small amount of cleaning solution and let the polisher do the work.

Your scrubbing solution may be soap or synthetic detergent in water for normally soiled floors; a floor cleaner (water soluble) for heavily soiled floors or for removing an accumulation of self-polishing wax.

1. Attach brushes to polisher.
2. Make a small quantity of floor cleaning solution in a pan, pitcher, or large measuring cup, so that it can be poured on the floor.
3. Pour solution on floor in 2 inch to 4 inch pools spaced at 2 foot intervals in an area about 5 feet square. Keep pools about 2 feet away from baseboards. The polisher will spread solution to this area.
4. Use polisher until area is scrubbed thoroughly.
5. Wipe up suds with a dampened mop, sponge, or cloth. Then rinse.
6. Scrub and rinse each section of the floor the same way.
7. Let floor dry before waxing.

If you plan to wax and polish floor immediately after it dries, do not rinse brushes.

* Wood and cork floors should be "dry-cleaned." Follow directions under Liquid Polishing Wax, page 6-7.

TYPES OF WAX

WATER-BASE WAX This wax contains no petroleum solvent. It can be used on all hard surface floors including sealed wood or cork. There are two types:

POLISHING WAX — such as Hoover Floor Wax.
SELF-POLISHING WAX.

SOLVENT-BASE WAX This wax can be identified by its naphtha (dry-cleaning) odor. The container is labeled "Inflammable" or "Combustible". It is used for cleaning all wood and cork floors. It is the only type of wax that should be used on wood or cork floors that are unsealed or worn. Do not use on asphalt or rubber tile.

There are two types:

PASTE WAX.

LIQUID POLISHING WAX — this type of wax contains more solvent than paste wax. It is used to clean as well as to wax floors.

HOW TO WAX FLOORS

Before starting to wax be sure floor is free of surface dirt. Use vacuum cleaner for dust and dirt and a damp sponge for sticky particles.

Wax should be used sparingly. A heavy coat will dry on the surface but remain sticky and gummy underneath. This gives a slippery finish and does not polish evenly. One thin coat of wax is sufficient for most floors, but two thin coats—polishing after each application—usually give a better finish.

TO APPLY WATER-BASE WAX Wax can be applied to the floor quickly and easily with Hoover Dispensers, Models 7010 or 7011. (See page 9.) Directions for using dispensers

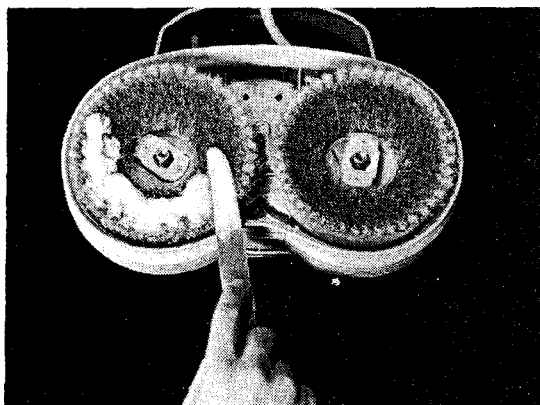
(*"To apply water-base wax" cont.*) are packed with each kit. To apply without dispenser, follow directions below.

On all floors, except wood or cork, pour wax on floors in 2 inch pools spaced at 2 foot intervals in a small area so the wax can be spread quickly. Do not allow the wax to remain on the floor in pools. The polisher will spread the wax quickly and evenly. Let wax dry thoroughly before polishing. While wax is drying, tip the polisher back on the handle so the brushes will dry.

To apply to *sealed* wood or cork floors, do not pour wax on floor. Apply from dispenser or pour wax in pan and spread with a wax applicator.

TO APPLY SOLVENT-BASE WAX To apply liquid polishing wax, pour wax on floors in 2 inch pools spaced at 2 foot intervals in a small area so the wax can be spread quickly and easily. Guide polisher in straight lines or with the grain of the wood until wax has been rubbed into the floor. Let wax dry thoroughly before polishing.

To clean floors with liquid polishing wax, apply wax to the floor as above and use steel wool pads or Cleaning-Waxing Pads* on the brushes. Steel wool pads can be made from fine steel wool, 00 grade. Cut steel wool in 4 inch by 4 inch squares and press pads firmly into bristles of brushes. Use one set of pads for cleaning approximately 4 feet by 6 feet of floor space. Cleaning-Waxing Pads* snap on the brushes. Both sides of the pads can be used. When cleaning large areas or very dirty floors, if pads no longer pick up the dirt, they should be washed (see page 8) and reused.



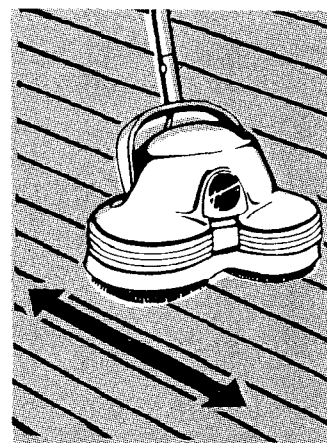
To apply paste wax, spread wax on brushes or spread small amount on floor with spatula. Apply to the floor by guiding polisher in straight lines or with grain of wood until the wax is spread thinly and evenly. Add more wax as needed. Let wax dry thoroughly before polishing.

* Accessory. See page 9.

HOW TO POLISH FLOORS

Polish floors to give a hard, long-lasting shiny finish. Attach brushes to polisher and guide polisher in straight lines or with the grain of the wood.

If more than one coat of wax is used, let dry and polish after each application.



HOW TO KEEP FLOORS BRIGHT AND SHINY

Floors should be polished frequently with the polisher to restore sheen and remove scratches and marks. This lengthens the time between waxings. Before polishing, use a vacuum cleaner to remove dust and dirt and a damp sponge or mop to remove sticky food particles. Stubborn spots, such as black heel marks, can be removed by rubbing gently with fine steel wool dampened with wax. For added luster, snap on buffing pads* and buff floor.

If traffic areas need to be rewaxed and polished, and Hoover wax or solvent-base wax has been used on the floor, apply wax only to these areas — then buff the entire floor. Some brands of water emulsion wax should be removed by scrubbing the entire floor when traffic areas show wear. Additional applications cause a “build-up” of wax and may cause floor discoloration.

* See page 9.

HOW TO POLISH FURNITURE

Lambs’ wool pads, which are available at your Hoover Dealer’s store, are snapped on over the polishing brushes to polish table tops, desks and counters. Use paste wax on furniture. A very thin coat should be applied with a dampened cloth. Let dry 20-30 minutes—then polish.

CAN WE HELP YOU? If you have questions about home care problems, we would like to hear from you. Please write to:

**THE HOOVER HOME INSTITUTE
THE HOOVER COMPANY
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CARE AND STORAGE OF YOUR POLISHER

Your polisher will require very little maintenance as the power unit is sealed inside the head and is not subject to damage by dirt or wax.

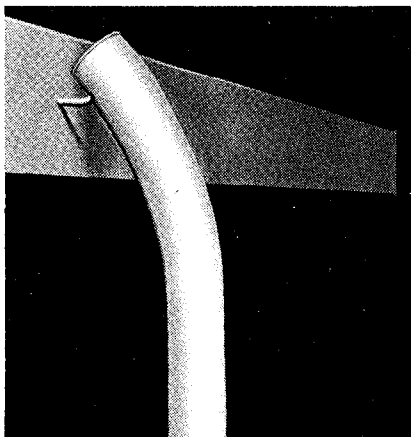
The polisher furniture guard and splash guard should be wiped with a dry cleaning fluid or liquid soap after each use to remove wax and dirt.

Remove brushes and dry inside of polisher head with paper towel or cloth before storing polisher.

Brushes need periodic washing in warm water and synthetic detergent to remove excess wax. Rinse well. Let dry before reattaching to polisher. The brushes on your Hoover Polisher have plastic backs. They may be washed or soaked in warm water without danger of warping.

Felt pads and lambs' wool pads* should be washed occasionally to remove wax. If your polisher does not glide easily when buffing floors, it may be due to an accumulation of wax on the pads. Pads should be washed the same way as brushes. Place on flat surface and smooth back into shape. Do not stretch. Shake lambs' wool pads several times while drying to restore fluffiness. Let pads dry thoroughly before using. They will be damaged if used while damp. Be sure that both the pads and the floor are dry before buffing.

Wash Cleaning-Waxing pads* in warm water and synthetic detergent. Rinse well. Then shake water from pads and let dry. These pads need not be thoroughly dry when used.



Store the polisher in a cleaning closet or convenient place, ready for use. Hang it on wall, stand it on front bumper, or remove brushes.

Never store it on the brushes.

* Accessory (See page 9.)

HOOVER POLISHER ACCESSORIES

(Available at your Hoover Dealers. See page 10 under "Service".)

SHAMPOOING KIT - Model 7010

For shampooing rugs, dispensing floor scrubbing solution, and dispensing water emulsion wax. Kit contains special shampooing brushes and liquid dispenser which can be attached to polisher.

LIQUID DISPENSER - Model 7011

For dispensing scrubbing solution and water emulsion wax.

HOOVER FLOOR WAX

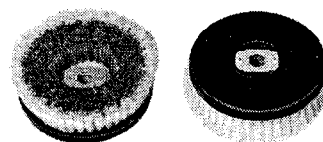
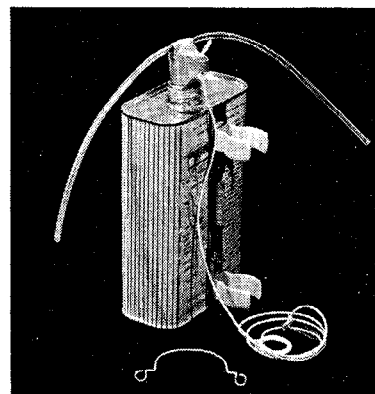
Hoover Floor Wax, which is available at Hoover Dealers' stores, is especially formulated to be used with electric polishers. This wax can be used on all floors including *sealed* wood and cork. It gives long-lasting floor protection, can be rebuffed to a high gloss, and will not yellow with age. It is easy to apply, resists water spotting and is slip-resistant.

HOOVER RUG SHAMPOO

Hoover Rug Shampoo has been especially formulated for use with electric rug shampooers, but can be used in any approved manner on all kinds of soft floor coverings.

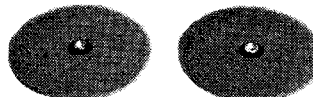
This new shampoo loosens grease and dirt particles that adhere to rug fibers and holds them in suspension so that these particles can be vacuumed from the carpet after drying. It contains a brightening ingredient that gives luster to the clean carpet.

One quart of Hoover Rug Shampoo will make $2\frac{1}{4}$ gallons of cleaning solution . . . enough for 2 average sized rooms of wall-to-wall carpeting.



BRUSHES

Extra set of brushes for your convenience.



CLEANING - WAXING PADS — For scrubbing floors and applying wax. Snap on over brushes.



BUFFING PADS

To add luster to floors. Snap on over brushes.



LAMBS' WOOL PADS For polishing furniture and floors. Snap on over brushes.

SERVICING YOUR HOOVER APPLIANCE

SERVICE If your Hoover appliance needs replacement parts or service, first contact the Hoover Dealer from whom the appliance was originally purchased, or an Authorized Hoover Service Dealer as listed in the Yellow Pages of your phone book under Vacuum Cleaners, or contact the nearest Hoover Factory Branch Service Station as listed below.

LUBRICATION *Motors* — are equipped with two types of Bearings, a Ball Bearing and a Sleeve Bearing. The Ball Bearing, which has been packed with a lubricant, should be repacked every one to three years, depending upon the amount of use. The Sleeve-Type Bearing is self-lubricated and under no circumstances should oil or grease be added — to do so may damage the bearing.

The exceptions to the above are Pixie and Dustette motors, which are equipped with Sleeve-Type Bearings only.

Agitators on Your Hoover Upright Cleaners — are equipped with Ball Bearings, which should be cleaned and lubricated periodically.

ORDERING PARTS When ordering new parts make sure that you always mention the model number. This is given on the cover of your Instruction Book and on the Motor Plate of the appliance.

HOOVER FACTORY BRANCH SERVICE STATIONS

CALIFORNIA

The Hoover Company
2411 W. Third Street
Los Angeles 5

5521 W. Washington Blvd.
Los Angeles 16

3501 California Street
San Francisco 18

COLORADO

The Hoover Company
2800-2810 W. Eighth Ave.
Denver

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The Hoover Company
1305 Rhode Island, N. E.
Washington 18

GEORGIA

The Hoover Company
1920 Monroe Drive, N. E.
Atlanta 9

ILLINOIS

The Hoover Company
5353 N. Lincoln Avenue
Chicago 25

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MICHIGAN

The Hoover Company
13735 Puritan Avenue
Detroit 27

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The Hoover Company
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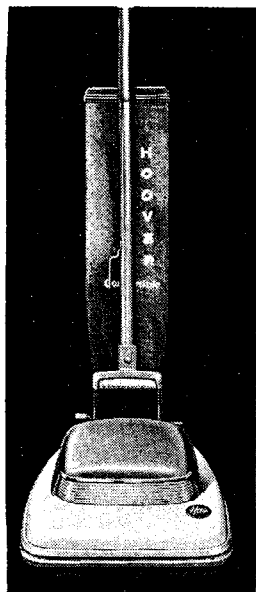
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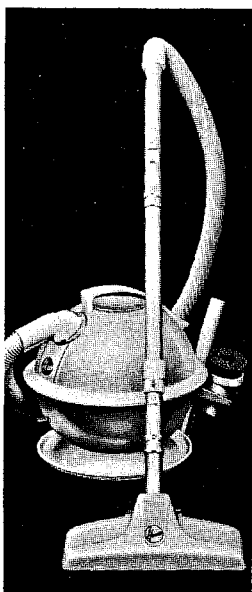
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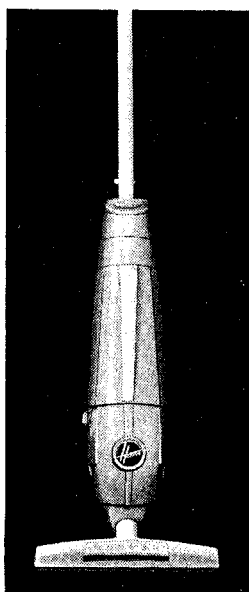
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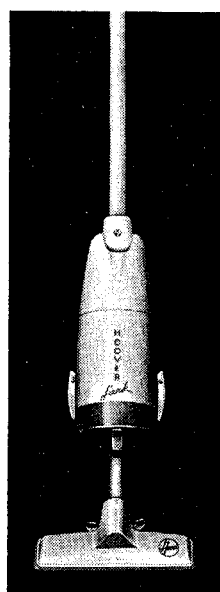
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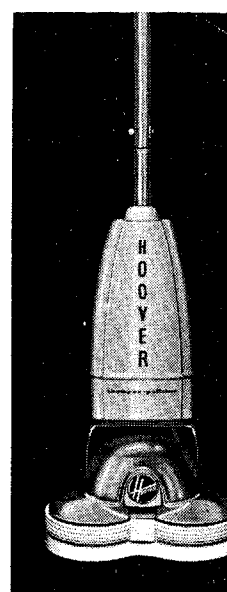
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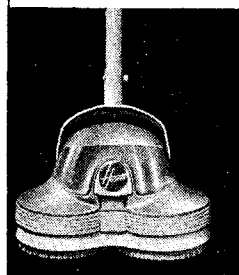
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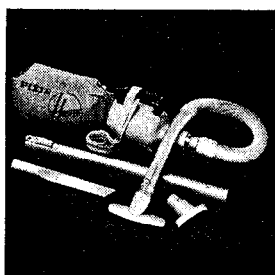
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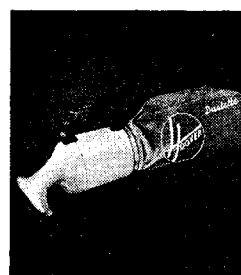
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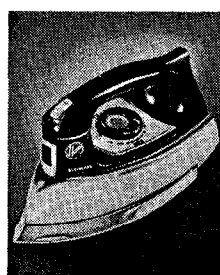
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PIXIE CLEANER



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SHAMPOO WAX

HOOVER CONVERTIBLE CLEANER — The cleaner that gets all the dirt with far less effort — you just guide it, the cleaner does the work.

HOOVER CONSTELLATION CLEANER — It walks on air. Double-stretch hose stretches twice its normal length. Powerful suction lets you easily and effectively clean everything in your home.

HOOVER ELECTRIC FLOOR WASHER-DRYER — Applies the water and detergent, scrubs the floor, and then vacuums it dry. Use on all floors that can be washed. Lightweight and easy to use.

HOOVER LARK CLEANER — Makes a breeze out of those quick cleanup jobs. Cleans carpets, floors, and stair carpeting. Reaches those hard-to-get-at places. Throw-away dirt bag.

HOOVER SHAMPOO-POLISHER — Power shampooing the easy way. Safe to use—dispenses only suds. Also scrubs, waxes, and polishes floors. Restores your rugs and floors like magic.

HOOVER POLISHER-SCRUBBER — Scrubs, waxes, and polishes your floors and with a lasting beauty too—easy to use.

HOOVER PIXIE CLEANER — Goes everywhere dirt goes. Easy to use and lightweight. Attachments increase the versatility and usefulness.

HOOVER DUSTETTE CLEANER — The portable cleaner that's wonderful for upholstered furniture, stair carpeting, and automobile interiors. Light and easy to use.

HOOVER STEAM AND DRY IRON — The first iron with a stainless steel soleplate for safer, smoother, faster ironing. Scratch, stain, and snag resistant.

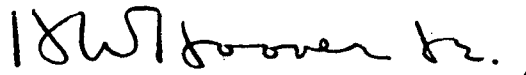
HOOVER RUG SHAMPOO — Puts new beauty into your rugs and resists resoiling. For use with Hoover and other electric shampooers.

HOOVER FLOOR WAX — For beautiful, long lasting floors. Non-yellowing and resistant to water spotting. Slip resistant too.

GUARANTEE BOND

MODEL 5130

Your Hoover Polisher has been thoroughly tested, inspected and adjusted, and is guaranteed against mechanical and electrical defects for a period of one year from the date of purchase. The brushes are not replaced free within this period as their length of life depends upon the amount of use and care given them. Other parts which, in the judgment of the undersigned, are defective or develop defects under normal use at the voltage marked on the name plate will be repaired or replaced under this guarantee. The Hoover Polisher, when properly used and cared for, will render years of useful service. Therefore, you should carefully read the instructions on use, care and maintenance, because misuse, accident, or failure to follow instructions must necessarily void the guarantee. No responsibility will be assumed for damage from repair work done by other than Authorized Hoover-operated Service Stations and Authorized Hoover Service Agencies, or for damage from the use of other than genuine Hoover replacement parts. To locate the nearest source of Authorized Hoover Service and genuine parts, consult the Yellow Pages of your Telephone Directory under "Vacuum Cleaners," or write to your nearest Hoover Factory Branch Service Station listed in this book.


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