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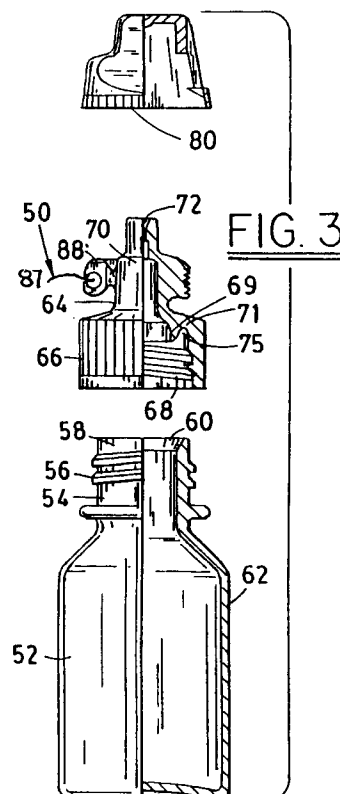
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(54) **Dropper bottle assembly.**

(57) The present invention is directed to a dropper bottle assembly having a cap 80 that is rotatably mounted to the neck portion 54 of the bottle 52. In one embodiment a flexible indexing finger 94 (see Figure 9) is provided to lock the cap in the closed position. In another embodiment the cap is provided with a projection 96 (see Figure 9) for sealing the dispensing outlet of the nozzle.

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