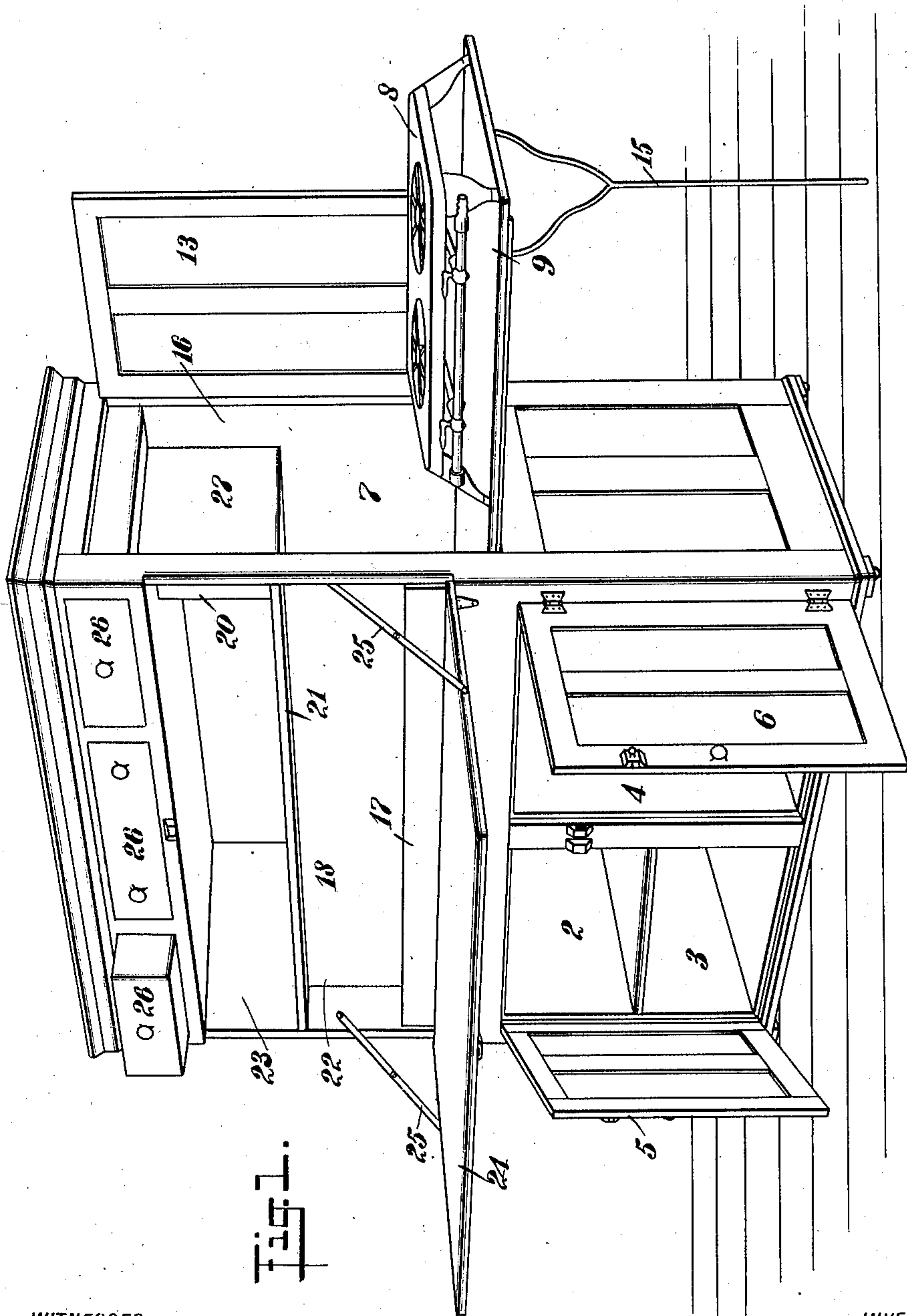


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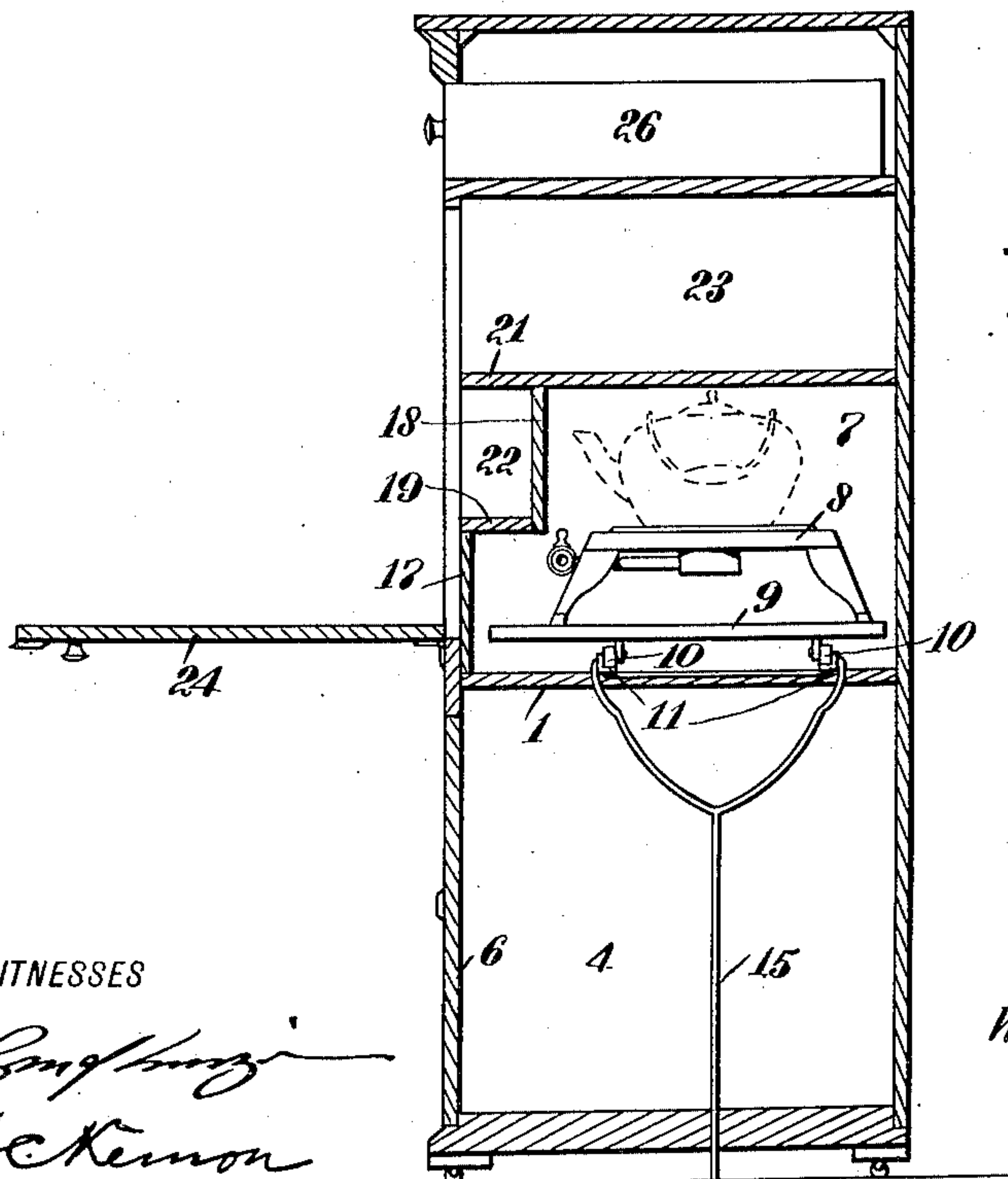
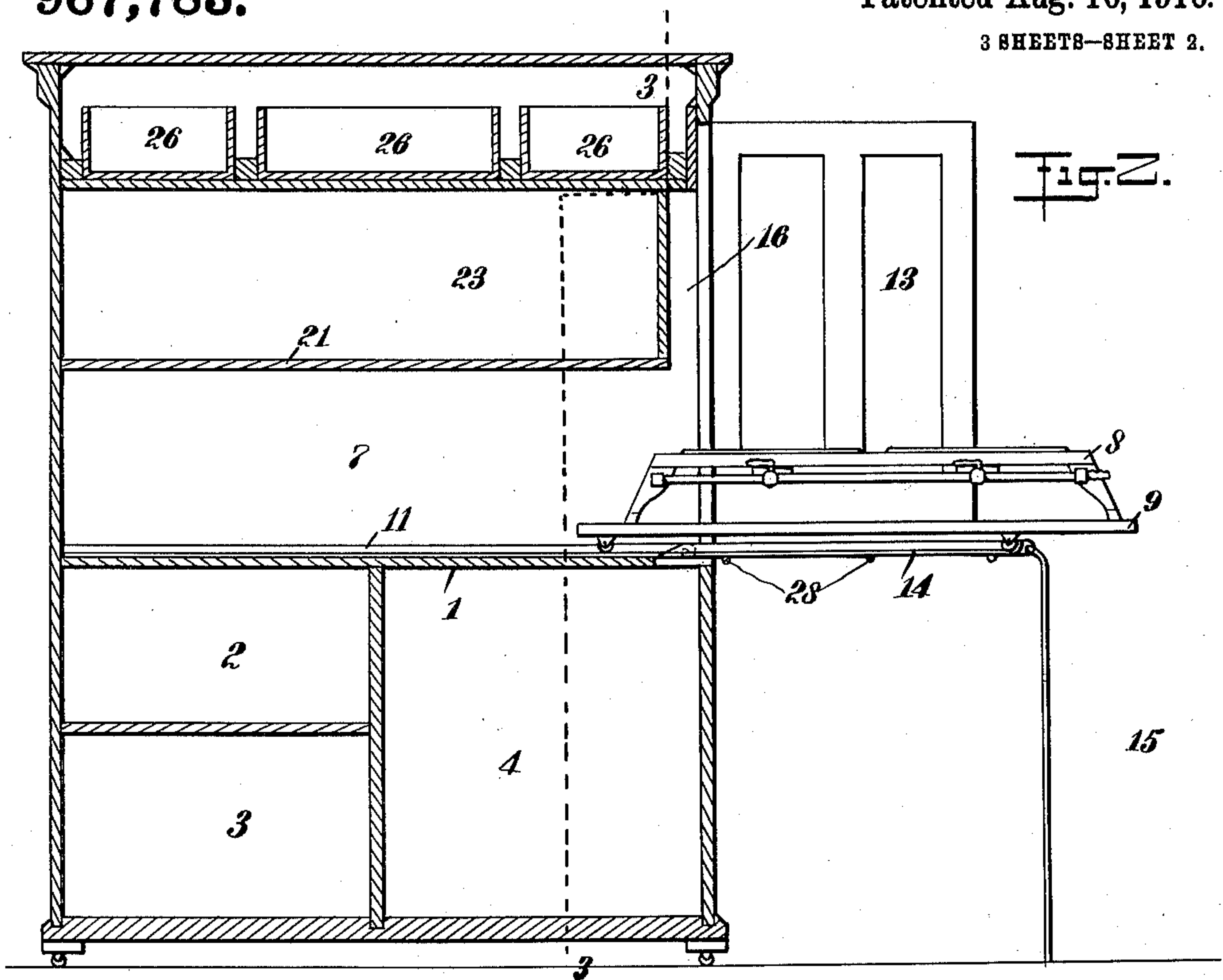
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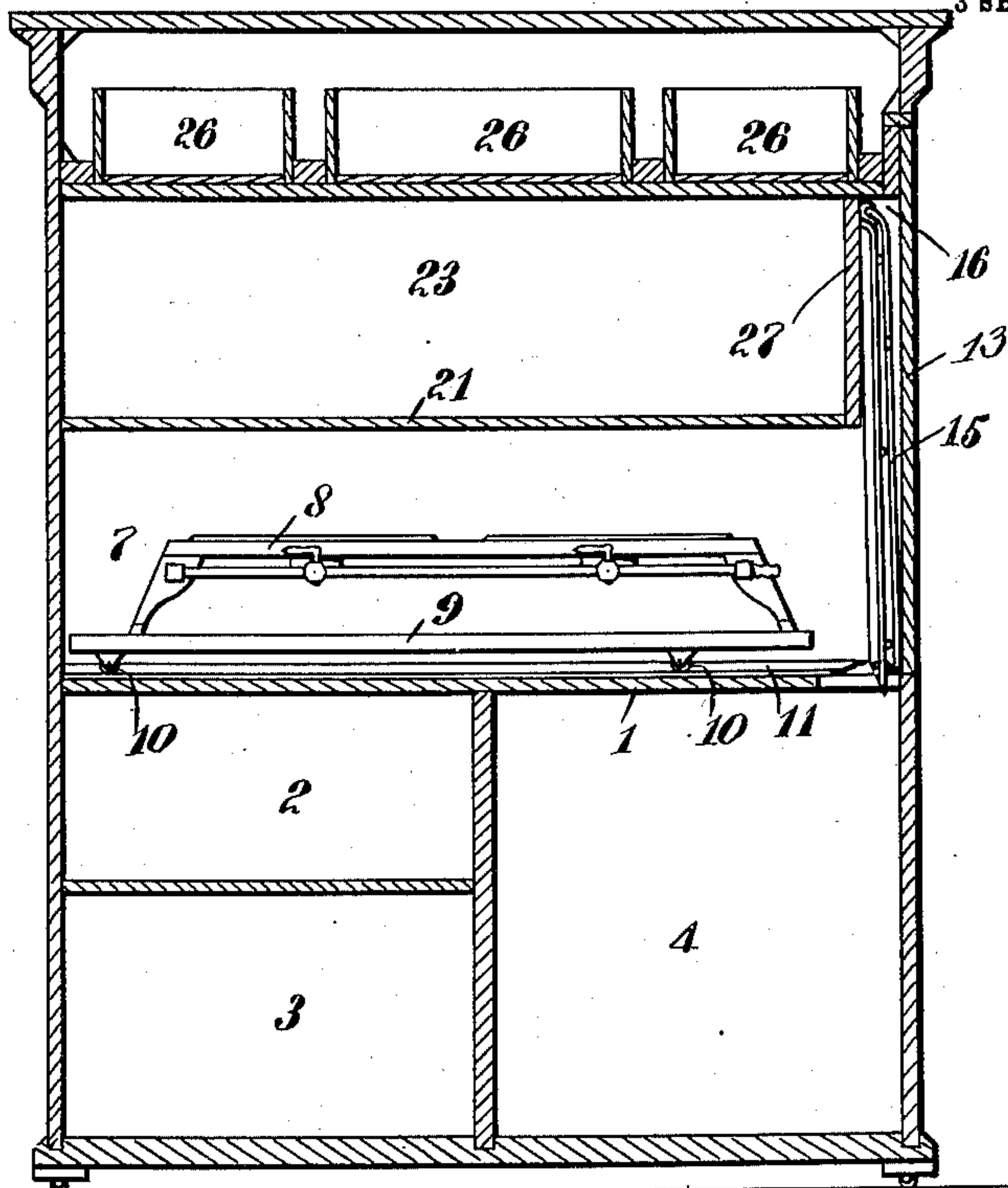
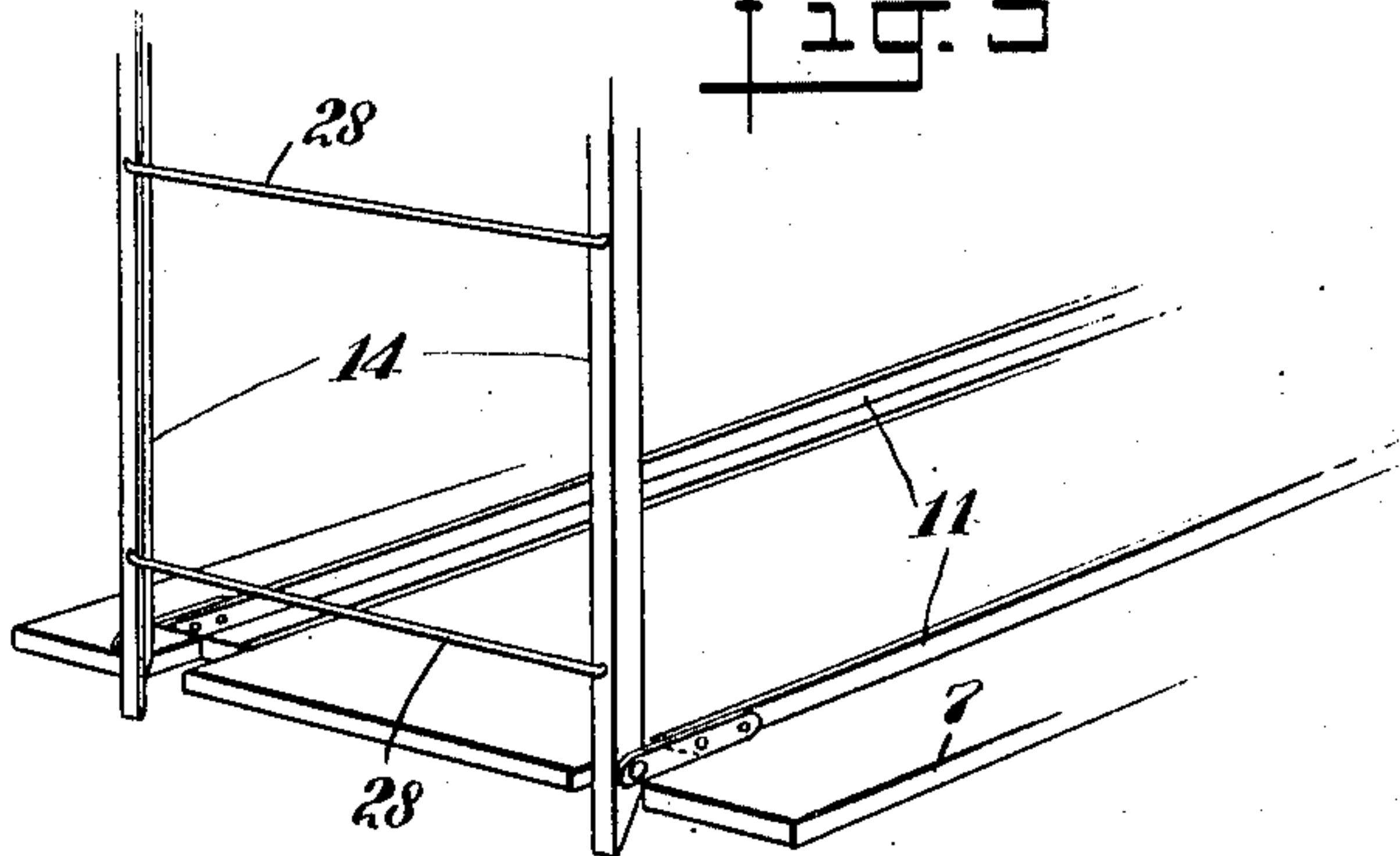


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, WILLIAM ELDAD KELLOGG, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Inglewood, in the county of Los Angeles and State of California, have invented new and useful Improvements in Quick-Lunch Cabinets, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

This invention relates to a cabinet for light-housekeeping, the object of which is to combine in one article of furniture all the facilities necessary for the preparation and serving of a meal, so that persons living in contracted quarters may be enabled to get their own meals.

A further object is to enable the cooking apparatus and other utensils to be closed in from sight when not in requisition.

The invention relates to arrangements whereby a stove or other cooking apparatus, normally concealed within a compartment in the cabinet, may be projected laterally therefrom and there supported for use during the cooking operations, to the relative arrangement of compartments with the view to economy of space and the attainment of the highest degree of convenience, and to various details of constructions which will be hereinafter described.

In the accompanying drawings, illustrating a preferable embodiment of my invention, Figure 1 is a perspective view of the cabinet open; Fig. 2 is a vertical longitudinal section through the cabinet with the cooking apparatus compartment open; Fig. 3 is a vertical transverse section through the cabinet with the front shelf compartments open, the view being taken on the line 3—3, Fig. 2; Fig. 4 is a vertical longitudinal section through the cabinet with the cooking apparatus closed; and Fig. 5 is a detail perspective of the hinged region of the track.

Reference now being had to the several views in which like characters of reference indicate similar parts, it will be seen that the cabinet may be made in proportions somewhat similar to those of a chiffonnier; and, while it may be constructed in various sizes, it will preferably occupy about as much space as one of these articles of furniture. At a convenient height, that is, about the elevation of an ordinary table, the interior of the cabinet is divided by a horizontal partition 1, beneath which may be located cup-

board compartments 2, 3 and 4, closed by suitable doors 5 and 6.

Above the partition 1 is a compartment 7 for the reception of suitable cooking apparatus, as a gas range 8. Such cooking apparatus is mounted on a platform 9, which slides upon the partition 1, preferably by reason of wheels 10 running on tracks 11. The compartment 7 opens through one end of the cabinet, and is adapted to be closed by a suitable door 13. Track sections 14 are hinged to the tracks 11 or to the partition 1, so as to be capable of swinging up and down. When lowered into horizontal position in alinement with the tracks 11, they are supported by a leg 15 pivoted thereto. When raised, the track sections 14 and this leg are received in a vertical extension 16 of compartment 7. When the track sections 14 are lowered to and supported in horizontal position, the platform 9 may be pulled out thereon, as shown in Fig. 2.

The compartment 7 is closed permanently in front by a lower vertical wall 17 and an upper vertical wall 18, the latter being set back from the plane of the former, and the two being connected by a narrow shelf 19. This shelf serves admirably to hold the various accessories to the setting of a table, as salt-cellar, cream pitcher, sugar-bowl, etc. The shelf overhangs the platform 9, but is not wide enough to interfere with the cooking apparatus supported thereon. A narrow vertical extension 20 of the wall 18 closes permanently the front of the extension 16 of the compartment 7.

A horizontal partition 21 forms the top of the compartment 7, and constitutes a deep shelf suitable for the reception of dishes. The shelf compartments 22 and 23 thus provided are open in front, and are adapted to be closed by a door 24, hinged at its lower edge, so as to swing downward into horizontal position, where it is sustained by suitable braces 25. In this position it constitutes a table, either a dining table or a serving table according to the pleasure of the users.

Above the shelf compartment 23 the cabinet may be provided with small compartments containing drawers 26.

It will be noted that the shelf 21 terminates short of the door 13, when the latter is closed, and that the wall 27 of the com-

partment 23 is spaced back from the door, to provide for the extension 16 of the compartment 7 already alluded to.

It is desirable to connect the hinged track sections 14 by cross members 28.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent:

1. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through a side thereof, a door for closing the same, tracks supported horizontally in said compartment, hinged track sections adapted to be swung upward and received behind said door when the latter is closed, means for sustaining said track sections in horizontal position in alinement with said tracks, and a platform adapted to slide on said tracks and track sections and to be received within said compartment when the door is closed.

2. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof, a door for closing the same, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, means for sustaining the same when so projected, lower and upper walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, and a door for closing the open, front compartment thus formed above said shelf and in front of the upper wall.

3. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof, a door for closing the same, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, means for sustaining the same when so projected, lower and upper walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, a horizontal partition forming the top of said compartment and constituting a deep shelf above the other shelf, the compartments above the two shelves being open in front, and a door for closing such shelf compartments.

4. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof, a door for closing the same, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, means for sustaining the same when so projected, lower and upper walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the

plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, a horizontal partition forming the top of said compartment and constituting a deep shelf above the other shelf, the compartments above the two shelves being open in front, a door for closing such shelf compartments, said door being hinged at its lower edge to swing down to horizontal position to constitute a table, and means for sustaining the same in horizontal position.

5. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof, a door for closing the same, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, means for sustaining the same when so projected, cupboard compartments below said compartment, lower and upper walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, a horizontal partition forming the top of said compartment and constituting a deep shelf above the other shelf, the compartments above the two shelves being open in front, a door for closing such shelf compartments, said door being hinged at its lower edge to swing downward to horizontal position to constitute a table, and means for sustaining the same in horizontal position.

6. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through a side thereof, a door for closing the same, tracks supported horizontally in said compartment, hinged track sections adapted to be swung upward and received behind said door when the latter is closed, means for sustaining said track sections in horizontal position in alinement with said tracks, a platform adapted to slide on said tracks and track sections and to be received within said compartment when the door is closed, a horizontal partition constituting the top of said compartment and separating the same from a compartment above, said partition terminating short of said door when closed, and a side wall of said compartment above rising upward from such end of the partition and spaced back of the door when closed, whereby a shallow vertical extension of the first-mentioned compartment is formed, said extension being adapted to receive said hinged track sections when the latter are swung upward.

7. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through a side thereof, said compartment having a vertical extension, a door for closing said compartment and extension, horizontally arranged tracks in said compartment, hinged

track sections adapted to be extended horizontally outward in alinement with the said tracks, a support for said track sections pivoted thereto, and a platform for supporting cooking apparatus, the said platform being normally received within said compartment and adapted to slide on said tracks and track sections and to be projected from the compartment, the said track sections and the support for the same being adapted to be swung upward into said extension of the compartment when the platform is within the compartment.

8. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof, the compartment having an upward extension, a door for closing the compartment and the said extension, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus, normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, hinged means for sustaining the same when so projected, the said extension of the compartment being adapted to receive said hinged means, lower and upper walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, and a door for closing the open front compartment thus formed above said shelf and in front of the upper wall.

9. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof, the compartment being provided with an upward extension, a door for closing the compartment and its extension, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, hinged means for supporting the same when so projected, the said supporting means being adapted to fold into the said compartment extension, lower and up-

per walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, a horizontal partition forming the top of said compartment and constituting a deep shelf above the other shelf, the compartment above the two shelves being open in front, and a door for closing such shelf compartments.

10. A cabinet of the character described, having a compartment opening through an end thereof and provided with a vertical extension, a door for closing the compartment and the said extension, a platform for supporting cooking apparatus normally received within said compartment and adapted to be projected out from the opening thereof, hinged means for supporting the said platform when projected, the said extension of the compartment being adapted to receive said hinged means when not in use, cupboard compartments below said compartment, lower and upper walls closing the front of said compartment, the upper wall being spaced back from the plane of the lower wall, a shelf extending between the top of the lower wall and the bottom of the upper wall, a horizontal partition forming the top of said compartment, and constituting a deep shelf above the other shelf, the compartments above the two shelves being open in front, a door for closing such shelf compartments, said door being hinged at its lower edge to swing downward to horizontal position to constitute a table, and means for sustaining the same in horizontal position.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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