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(54) **Modular type structure incorporating agitator devices for stirring paints in cans.**

(57) The structure comprises a shelf 1 having at least one intermediate deck 2 and carrying independent electric motors 4 each driving one pair of tongues 7 adapted to rotate respective agitator or stirring devices 10, as normally provided with means for connection, mechanically and electrically, to other similar shelves 1 and adapted to receive, on the lower and intermediate decks 1 thereof, box-like supporting elements 11 effective to change the height level of the stirring devices 10 in respective ones of the paint cans 9 to fit corresponding rotary drive tongues.

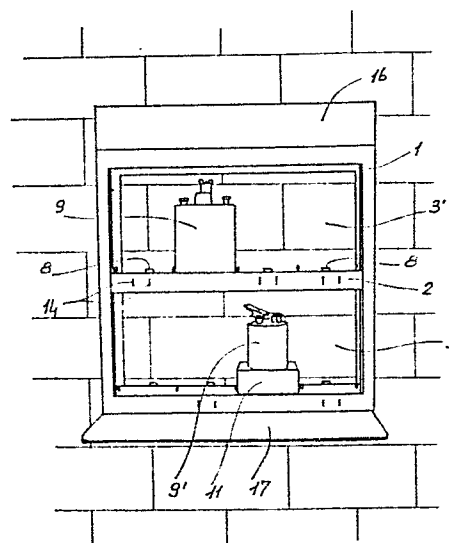


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