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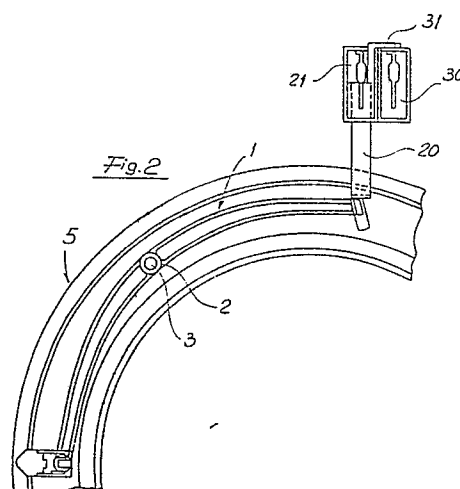
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54 **Driving assembly for opening the port-hole door of washing machines and the like.**

57 The present invention relates to a driving assembly or unit for opening the port-hole door of washing machines and the like, comprising a rocker lever (1) housed inside the port-hole door frame of the washing machine and adapted to swing about a middle portion thereof: the rocker lever, at one end thereof, being provided with a hook member removably engageable with a recess (11) provided on the washing machine cabinet and operatively cooperating, at the other end thereof, with a driving small block (20) driven by push buttons (21) arranged at the top of the washing machine cabinet.





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