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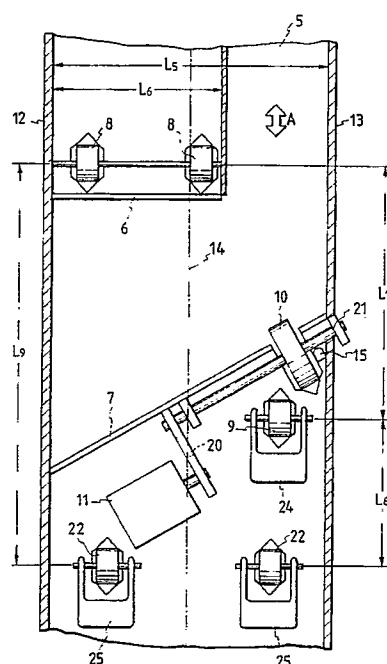
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54 **Passbook printing apparatus, passbook page turning method, and passbook printer.**

57 A passbook printing apparatus according to the present invention has the function of printing transaction data, etc. on a passbook (4). At the time of printing of such transaction data, etc., a page of the passbook (4) is turned automatically as necessary. This page turning operation is performed irrespective of the type of passbook, that is, irrespective of whether the passbook inserted into the apparatus is a front-to-rear opening type or a side-to-side opening type, by means of a page turning roller (10) disposed in an obliquely intersecting relation to a passbook transfer direction and a paper guide (5, 6, 7) disposed substantially perpendicularly to a rotating direction of the page turning roller (10).

FIG. 1



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