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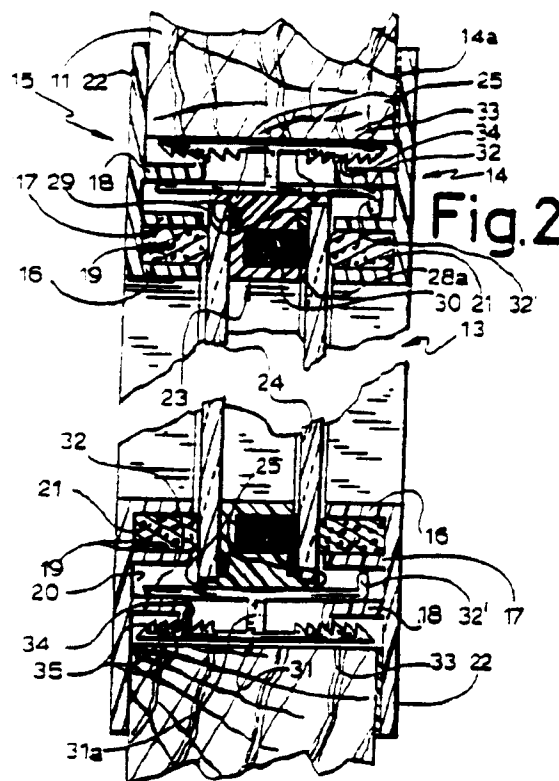
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(54) **Window and frame structure therefor.**

(57) The present window (13) is particularly adapted to be installed on doors (11) or the like and includes a glazing unit and an improved window frame to hold the unit in position and which is made of two frame sections (14, 15) and clips transversely adjustably interconnect both frame sections, whereby the frame adjusts to doors of different thicknesses while holding the glazed unit centrally of the door thickness. The clips (31) are releasable to readily free at least one frame section, to permit replacement of a broken glazing sheet (24). Each frame section (14, 15) is molded in one piece or is an assembly of four extruded pieces. The glazing unit may consist of a single glass pane or of two glass panes (24) each retained to a frame section or of a double glazing unit with an improved interspacing frame (23).



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namely claims:
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1. Claims 1-7 and 16-22: Window structure
2. Claims 8-14: Sealed double-pane unit
3. Claim 15: Glazing unit with two spaced window panes