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### (54) Folded cardbord element as a shelf, support or the like in a display stand or the like

(57) The invention relates to a folded cardboard element constituting a shelf, a load-bearing support or the

like in a display stand or the like. The element (5, 10) is folded around two parallel folding lines (7) which at the ends (8) converge towards each other.

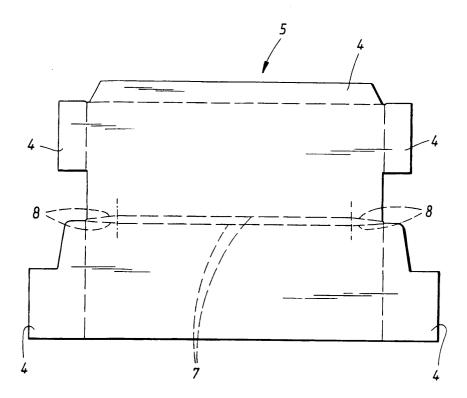


FIG.2



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