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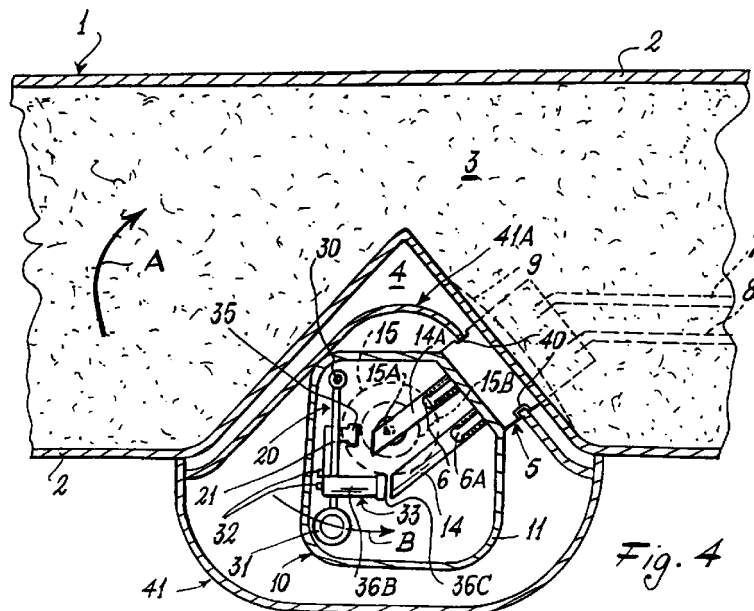
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(54) **Lighting device for chest freezers and the like**

(57) In the lid (1) of a chest freezer there is mounted a light source (5), controlled by a rocking contactor means (20) also carried by the lid (1), said rocking con-

tactor automatically closing the power circuit for the light source (15) when the lid (1) is opened.



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