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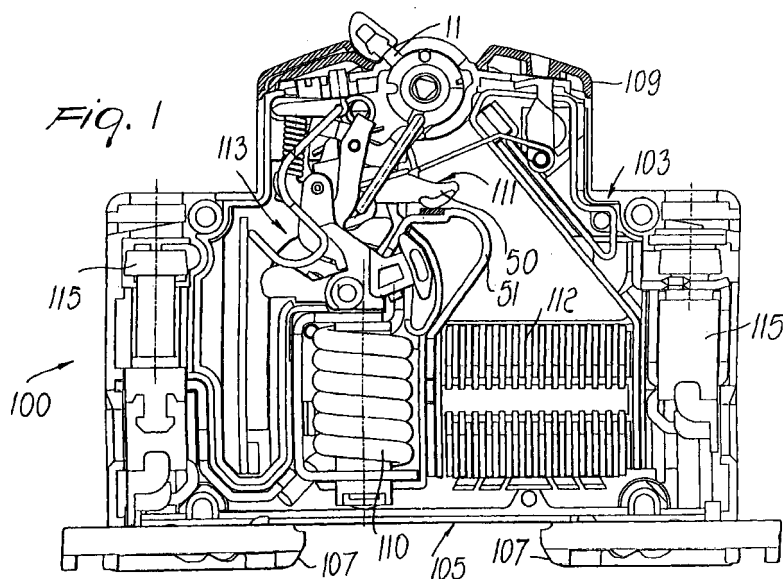
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(54) **Magnetothermal circuit breaker**

(57) A magnetothermal circuit breaker comprising a casing (103) which contains an electrical protection device (110) associated with a magnetic trip-off kinematic system (114), a kinematic system for actuating the moving contact (111), an arc chute (112), a thermal trip-off kinematic system (113), a connection means

(115) for the external electrical connections; the thermal trip-off kinematic system includes a bimetallic member which is operatively associated with a linkage whose initial position with respect to the bimetallic member can be adjusted mechanically.



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