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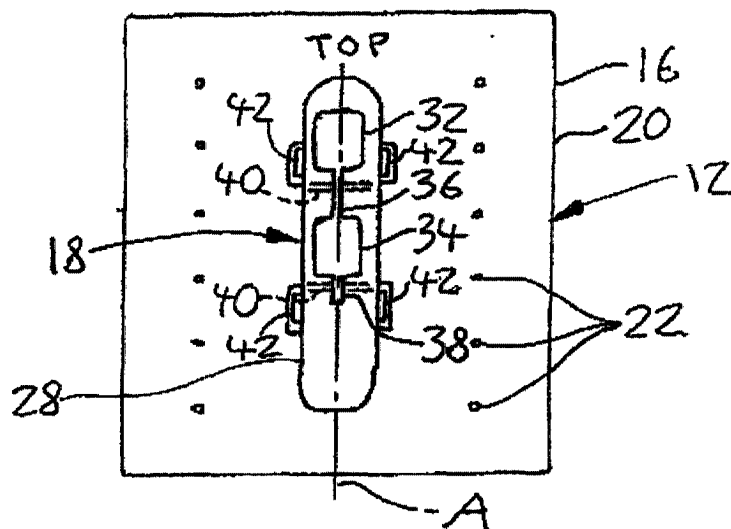
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(54) **A connector**

(57) A display stand connector comprises first and second parts (12,14). Each of the first part and second part comprises a planar element (20, 48). The planar elements are dimensioned so as to allow them to be sandwiched by closely lying plies of first and second members of a display stand. The planar element (20) of the first part (12) is arrangeable transversely to the pla-

nar element (48) of the second part (14) by slidable engagement. The first part comprises a raised portion (24) for locating through an opening in a ply of the first member. The first part (12) comprises engaging means to engage a ply of the first member of the display stand further to prevent planar movement of the planar element of the first part with respect to the first member of the display stand.

FIG 6





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