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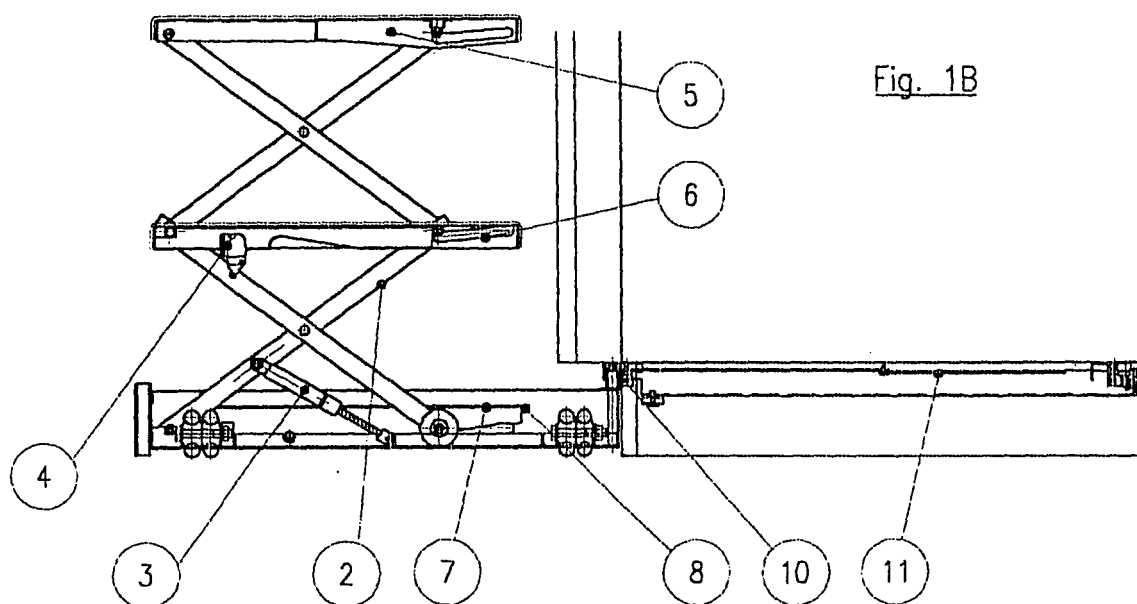
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(54) Retractable folding step stool

(57) A retractable folding step stool is described, which is housed in the closed position either underneath a piece of furniture in the skirting board's dimensions in the domestic version or closed inside a briefcase in the

carrying version. The housing's extraction and the step stool's deployment in the operative position occur through a very simple setting off of the corresponding pantograph mechanism (2) moved by gas springs (3).



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