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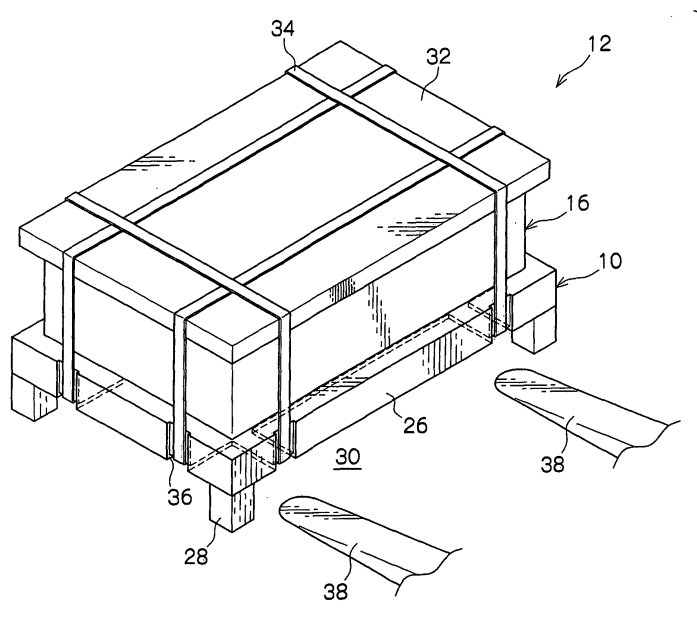
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(54) **Mounting base for planographic printing plates**

(57) A mounting base on which a stacked bundle of multiple planographic printing plates can be loaded and bound with a binding member that is wound around and can be lifted and transported from the lower portion with a lifting component is provided. The mounting base is

provided with a space into which the lifting component can be inserted, and a guard portion on an outer surface of the mounting base that prevents contact between the binding member and the lifting component. The guard component can be made such that it is removable from the outer surface of the mounting base.

**FIG.2**





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