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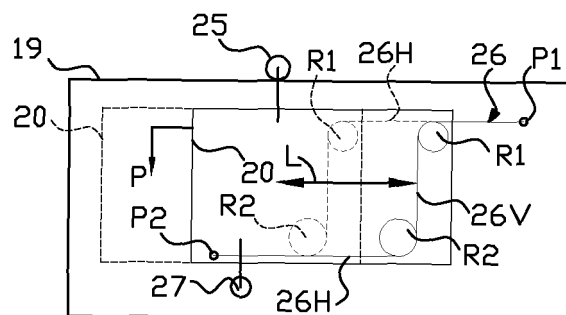
(54) **Piece of furniture with opening/closing device**

(57) A Piece of furniture with a frame on which one or more doors are guided such that through sliding they can uncover the port of the relative compartment.

A cable is drawn between two fixed points placed one at the top and one at the bottom in respect of the compartment, and there are at least two constraints, in-

tegral with the door while the cable is integral with the frame or vice versa, which are arranged so as to engage the cable on two opposite sides thereof so that from the mutual interaction between the cable and the constraints a vincular reaction arises that balances the momentum generated by the weight of the door.

The door can easily be displaced over another door.



**FIG. 1**



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