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(54) **Improved device for constructing walls, racks and the like**

(57) Device (1) for building walls, shelves and the like, which mainly consists of a construction of vertical beams (2) and wall panels (3) provided to it, characterised in that each wall panel (3) of a built wall can be individually and separately removed and mounted.

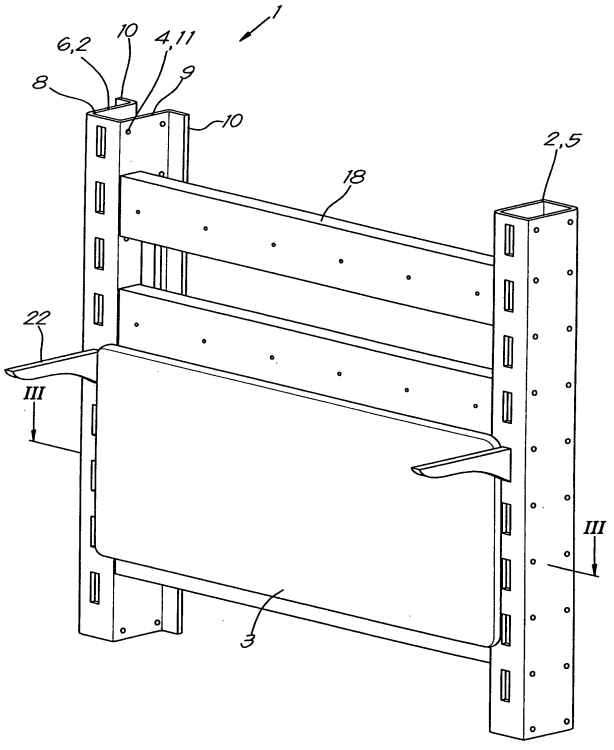


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