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(54) **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PRODUCING AN INTERNET PAGE DESCRIPTION FILE ON A DIGITAL IMAGING DEVICE**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A method and system for generating an HTML (hypertext markup language) file including images captured by a digital imaging device, the digital imaging device having a display. A script and its predefined model are provided to the digital camera. The script is comprised of a set of software program instructions. The digital camera executes the script to display interactive instructions on the display that prompt a user to perform specific operations. In response to the user performing the specific operations, the digital camera automatically updates the interactive instructions, such that the user is guided through a series of related image captures to obtain a series of resulting images. The digital camera then generates an HTML file including the resulting images, wherein the HTML file is formatted in accordance with the predefined model.

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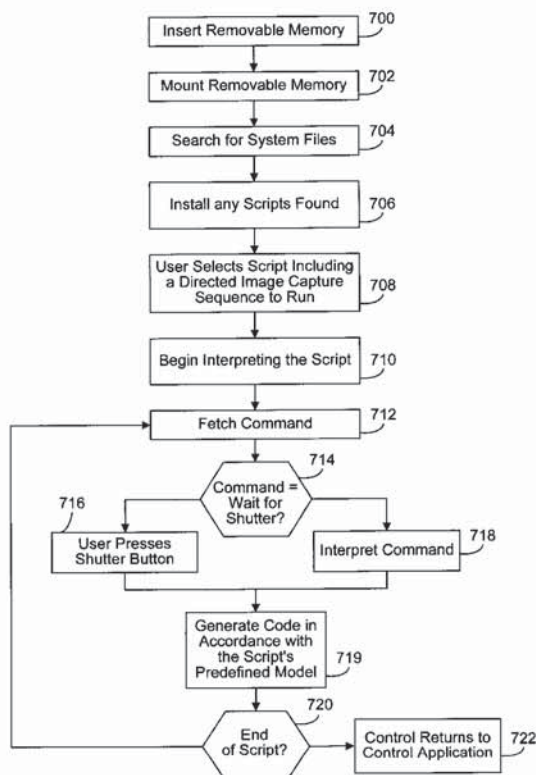
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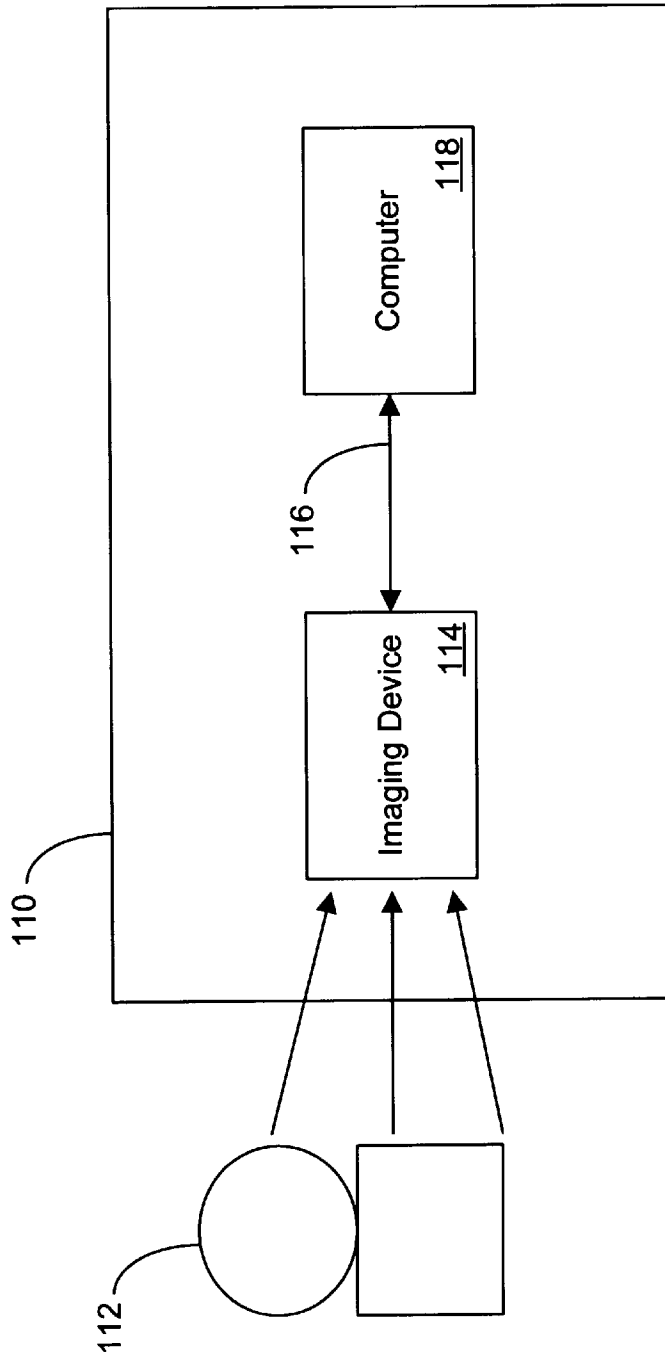


FIG. 1

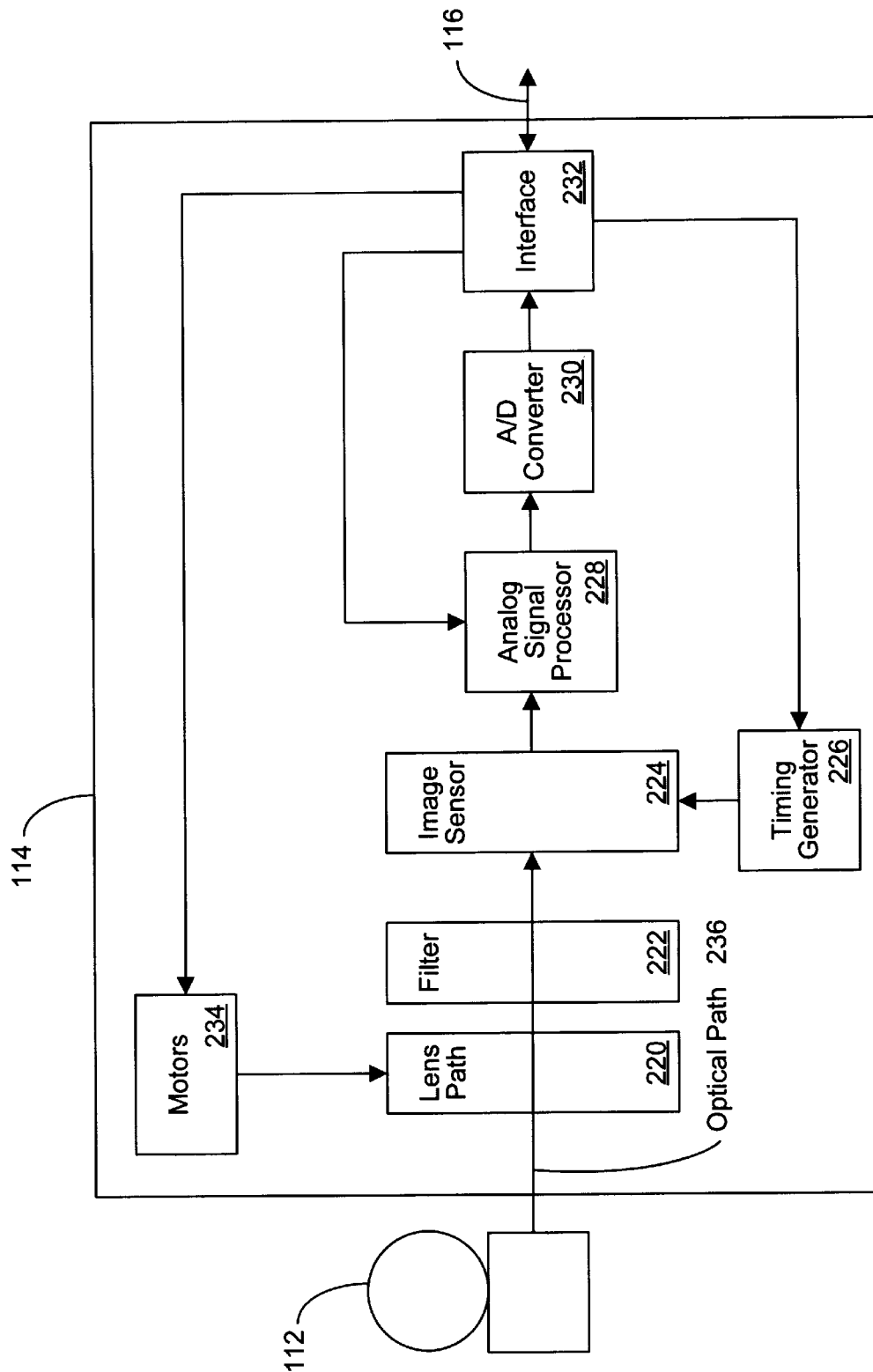


FIG. 2

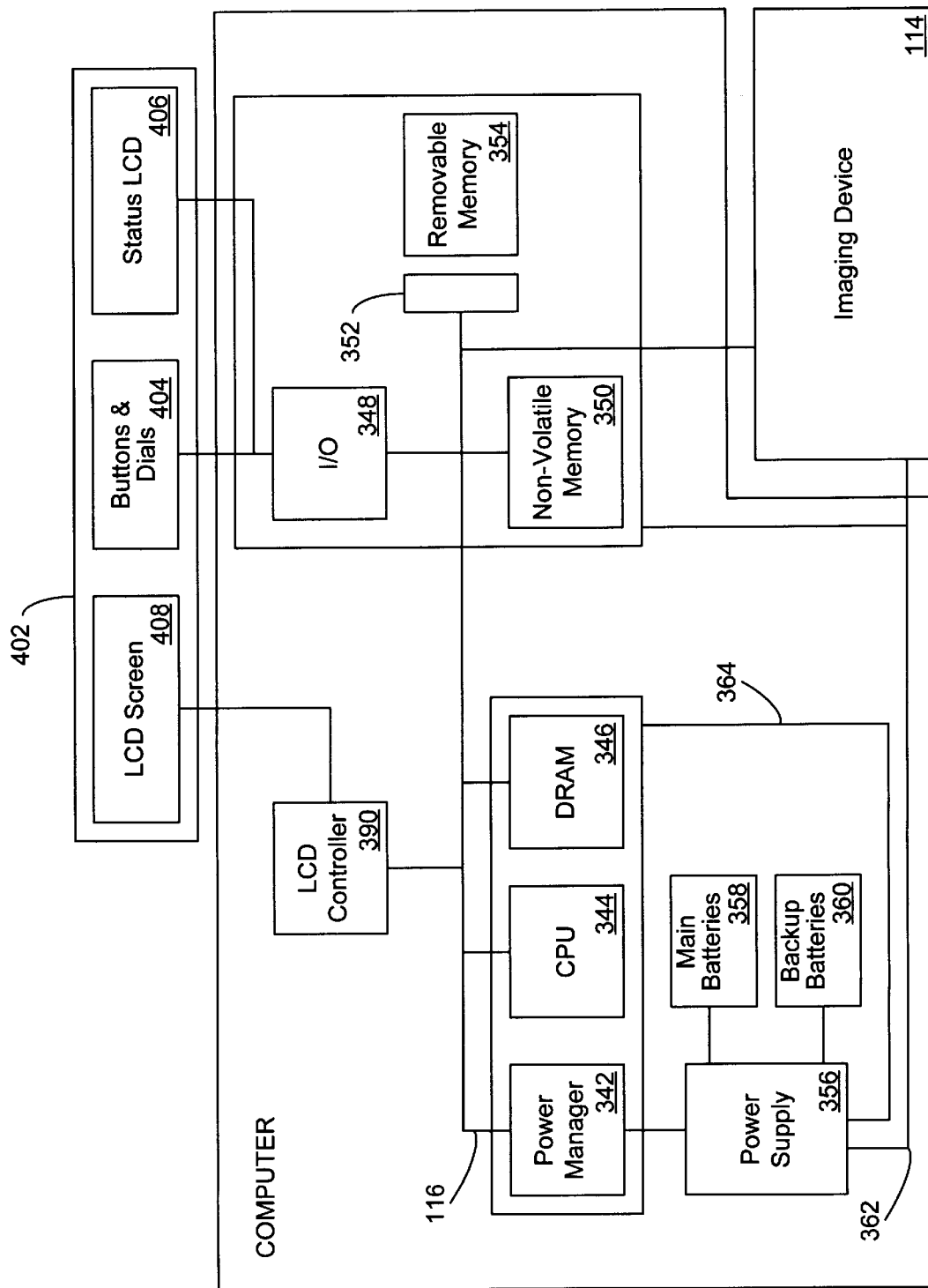


FIG. 3

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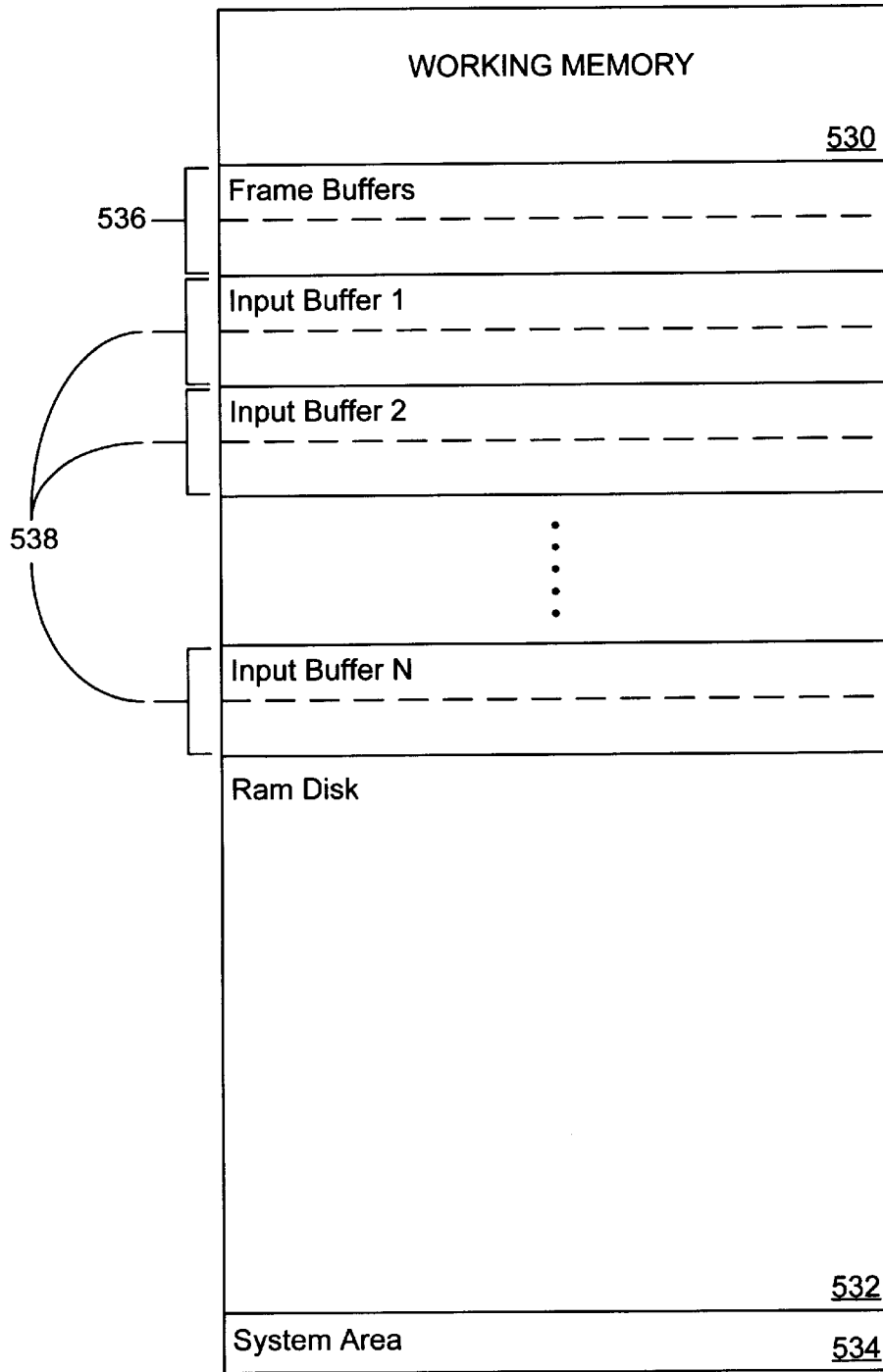


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