

[54] FINGER-TOUCH FACEPLATE

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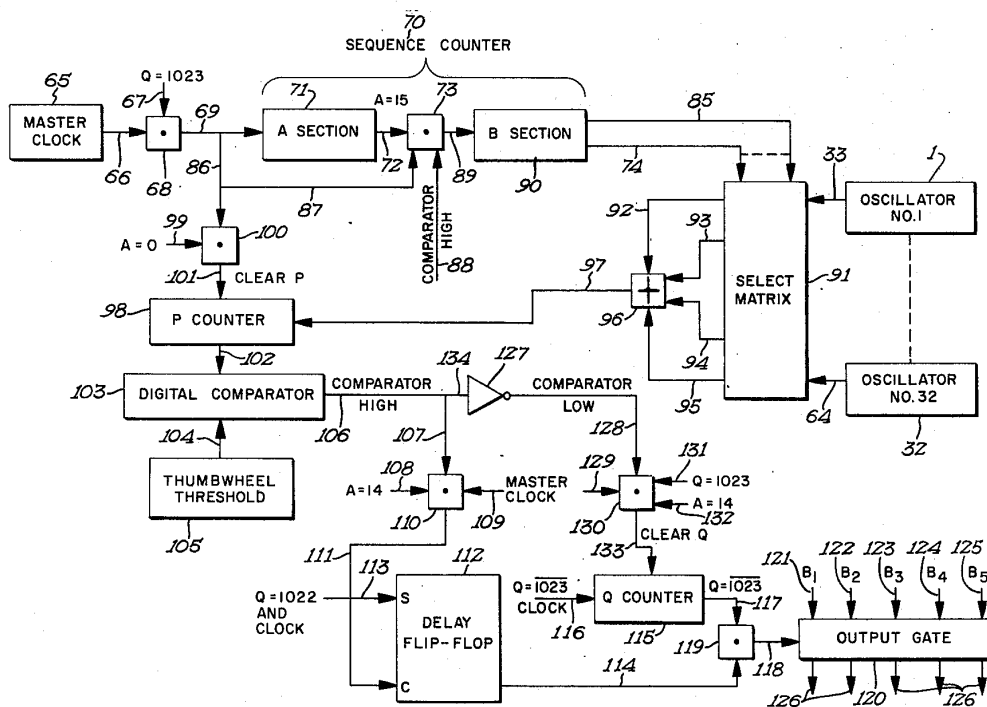
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[57] ABSTRACT

A system for identifying a particular position on the face of a display device by simply touching the area with the finger. The area is a conductive pad connected to a relaxation oscillator whose frequency is lowered by the touch. The oscillator is therefore identifiable and a digital computer is enabled to perform a prescribed act such as new information transferred to the display device, dependent upon the location of the area touched.

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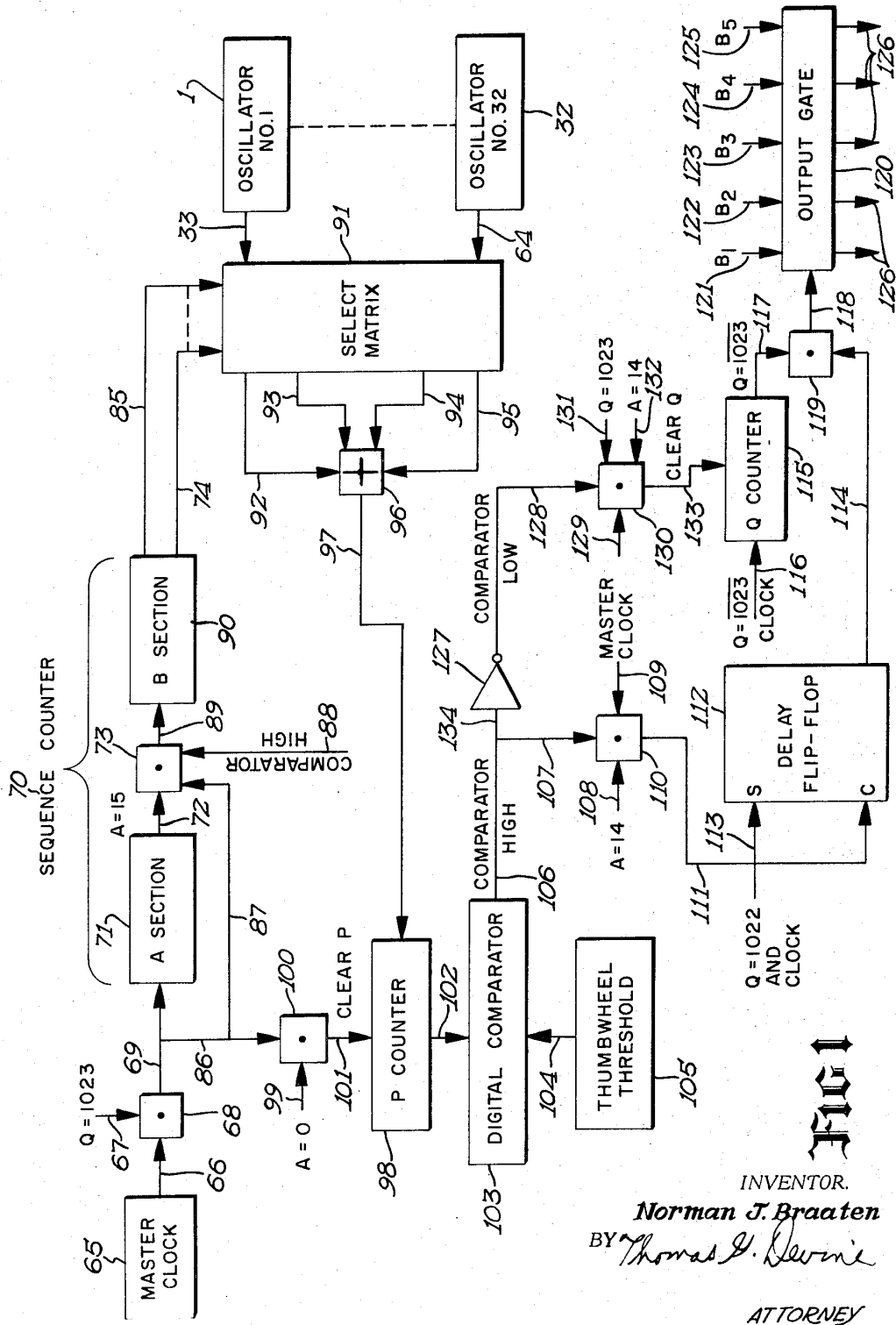


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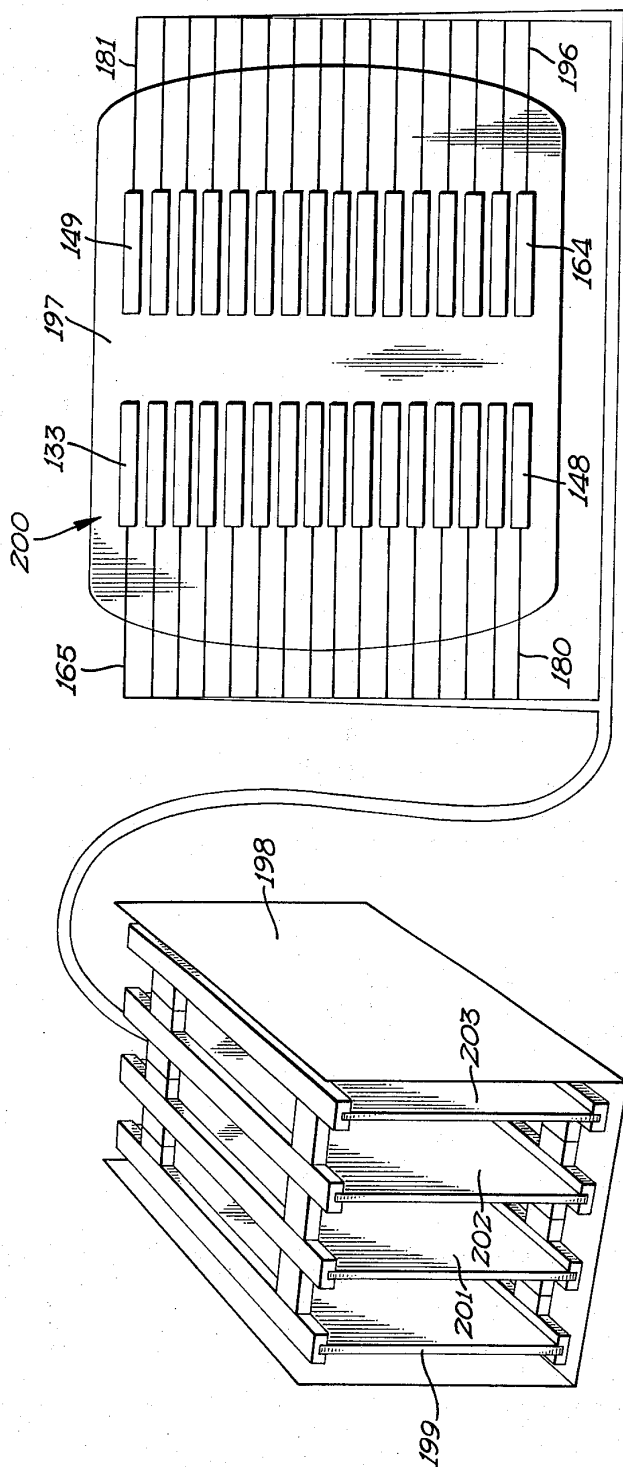


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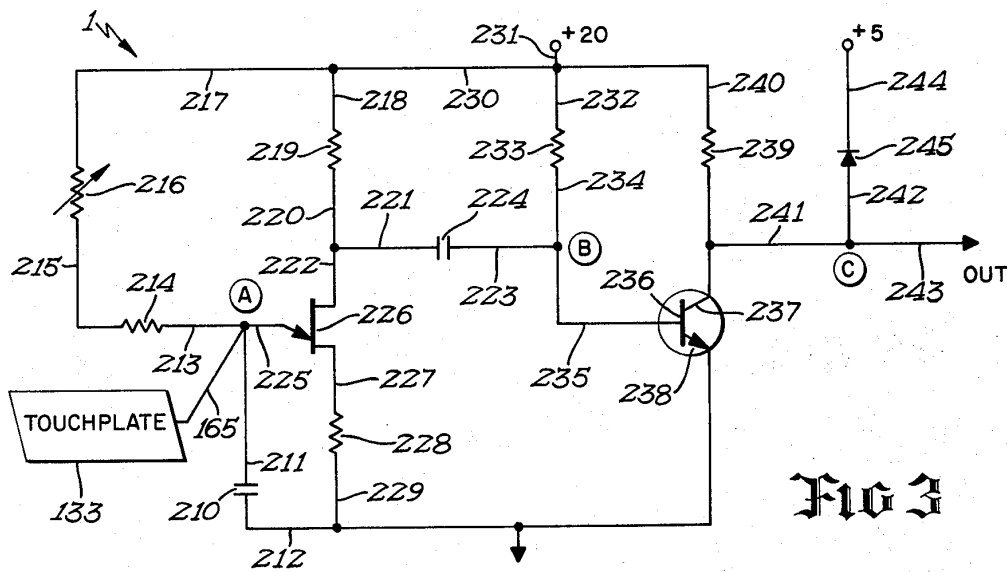


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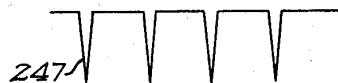


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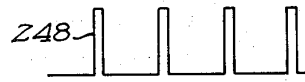


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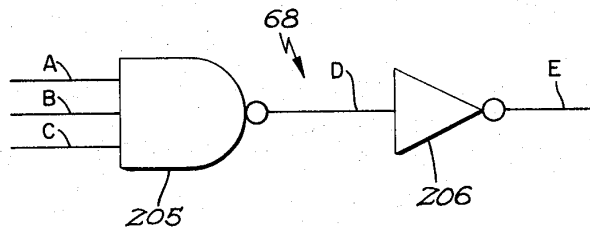


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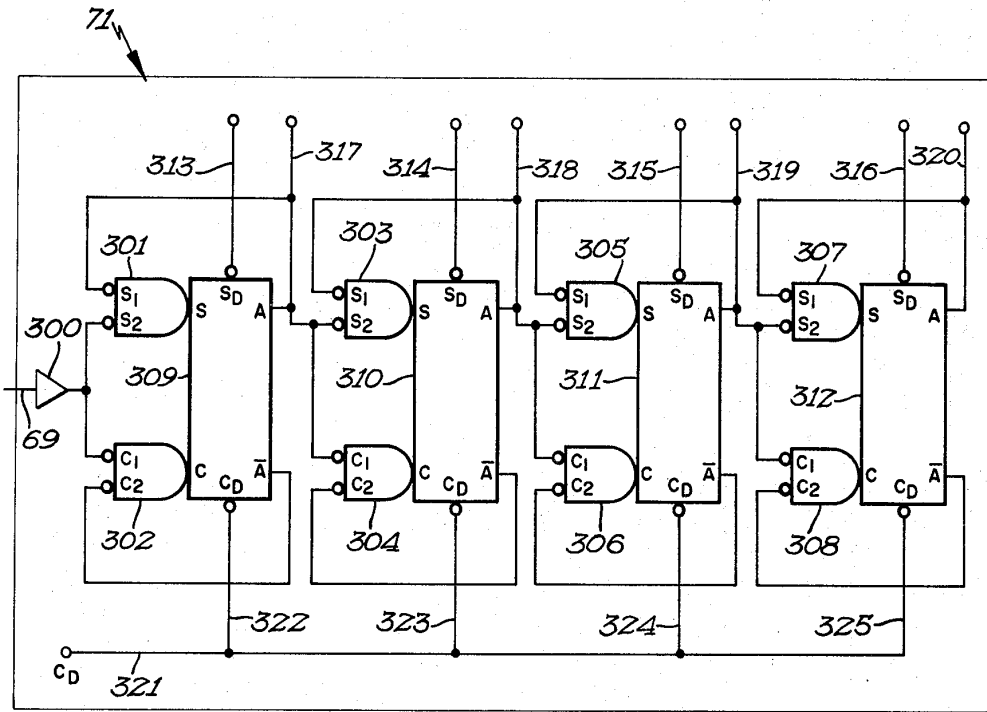


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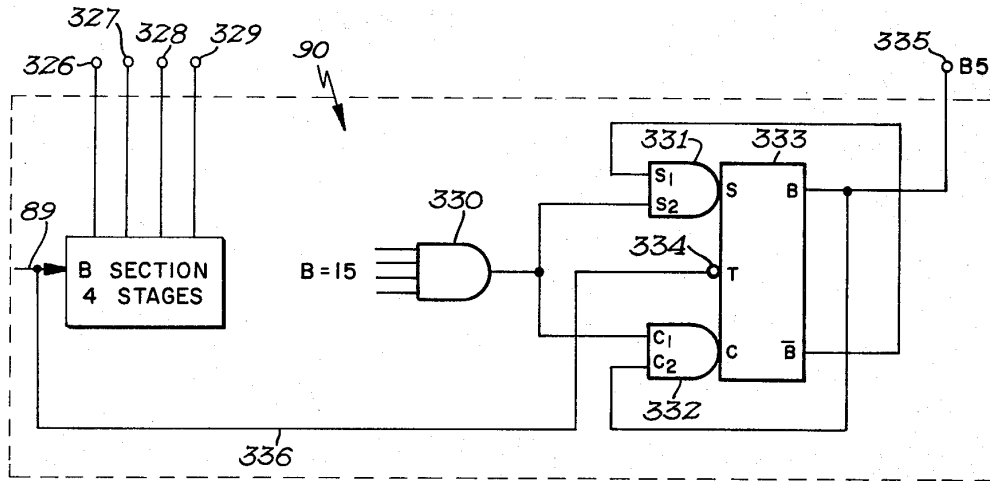


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