

[0189] In the gaming machine of the invention, furthermore, when the predetermined display relating to the game result is given in the region including the transparent display unit of the second display means, the third display control means for controlling the display of the third display means is controlled so that the display shielding unit causes the player to hardly view or not to view the display of the first display means. Thus, the player can be prevented with a high probability from observing the predetermined display about the game result and the display behind it as overlapped, which may allow the player to view the predetermined display about the game result.

[0190] The operation and working-effect explained in the embodiment of the invention have been given merely as the most suitable exemplary operation and working-effect caused by the invention, and the operation and working-effect of the invention is not restricted to those explained in the embodiment of the invention.

[0191] The gaming machine in accordance with the invention comprises a game result display means for performing a predetermined display about the game result, a game value providing means for providing a game value advantageous to a player when the predetermined game result is displayed on the game result display means, and a display control means for performing display control over the game result display means. The game result display means has a first display means, a second display means disposed on the player side of the first display means when the gaming machine is viewed from its front side, a third display means disposed on the player side of the first display means when the gaming machine is viewed from its front side, a transparent display unit capable of transparently displaying the display of the first display means on the second display means and a display shielding unit for shielding the display of the first display means from the third display means. Since the display shielding unit can be controllably switched to either the state wherein the display of the first display means is shielded or the state wherein the display of the first display means is transparently displayed, an interesting effect display rich in idea can be realized.

[0192] Although only some exemplary embodiments of this invention have been described in detail above, those skilled in the art will readily appreciate that many modifications are possible in the exemplary embodiments without materially departing from the novel teachings and advantages of this invention. Accordingly, all such modifications are intended to be included within the scope of this invention.

[0193] This application is related to co-pending U.S. patent applications entitled "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0019, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0020, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0021, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0022, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0023, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0024, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0025, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0026, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0027, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0028,

"GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0029, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0030, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0031, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0032, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0033, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0034, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0035, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0036, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0037, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0038, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0039, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0040, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0041, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0042, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0043, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0044, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0045, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0046, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0047, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0048, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0049, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0050, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0051, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0052, "MOTOR STOP CONTROL DEVICE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0053, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0054, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0055, "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0056 and "GAMING MACHINE" referred to as Attorney Docket No. SHO-0057, respectively, all the applications being filed on Oct. 31, 2003 herewith. The co-pending applications including specifications, drawings and claims are expressly incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

What is claimed is:

1. A gaming machine comprising:

game result display means for performing a predetermined display relating to a game result;

game value providing means for providing a game value advantageous to a player when a predetermined game result is displayed on the game result display means; and

display control means for executing display control of the game result display means;

the game result display means comprising:

first display means;

second display means disposed in front of the first display means when the gaming machine is viewed from a front side thereof;

third display means disposed in front of the first display means when the gaming machine is viewed from the front side;