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Improvements in or relating to cases or the like

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Verbesserungen in oder in Bezug auf Koffer oder dergleichen

Title (fr)  
Perfectionnements pour ou relatifs aux valises ou similaires

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[origin: EP1038466A2] A case having a lid and a base, at least one of the lid and base being formed from frame members connected together by corner brackets wherein the corner brackets including tapered ribs. <IMAGE>

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