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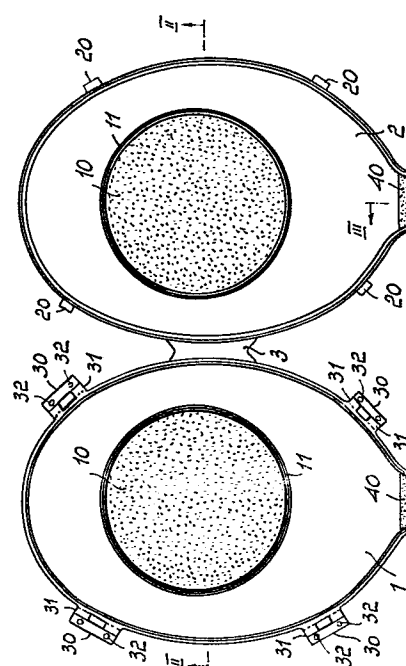
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⑤④ **Case structure, particularly for tennis rackets and the like.**

⑤⑦ A case for tennis rackets comprises two substantially rigid half-shells (1, 2) defining therebetween, in a closed condition thereof, a housing for the racket cord network (50), on the facing sides of the half-shells soft material projecting elements (10) being provided effective to engage the racket cord network (50) thereby providing a close fit of the case to the racket.



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