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(54) **A semirigid briefcase.**

(57) A briefcase including at least two wings (C and E) substantially identical in size, joined together through a main spine wall (D) and capable of being closed upon one another as a book.

On the inside of one of said wings (C or E) an expanding pocket (7) is provided for that is open on

one side (B) thereof while the other of said wings (E or C) has two superposed pockets (9, 10) provided on it, these pockets (9, 10) being open on respective sides (11, 12) orthogonal to one another.

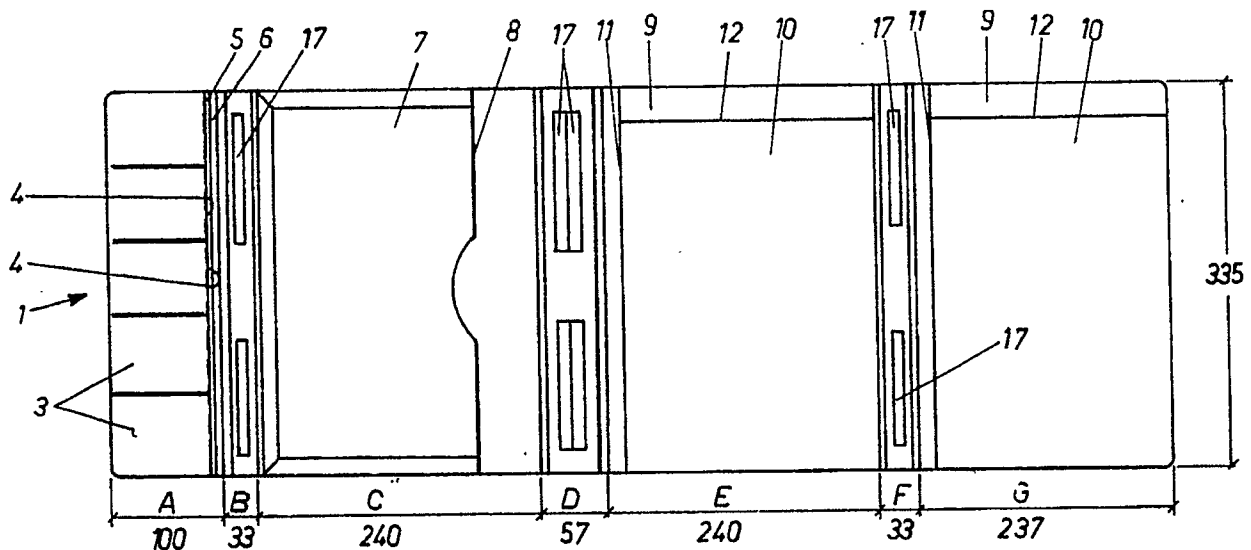


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