

3

covers, the said lifting handle being adapted to automatically open the said covers in their unlocked position upon lifting the said can by gripping said lifting handle, and said carrying handle being adapted to automatically close said covers upon lifting said can by gripping said carrying handle, the latter abutting the said respective covers and turning the same into closed position.

5

References Cited in the file of this patent

UNITED STATES PATENTS

288,351 Loew ----- Nov. 13, 1883  
 324,460 Delano ----- Aug. 18, 1885

10

676,609  
 692,448  
 766,061  
 925,516  
 1,075,653  
 1,549,807  
 2,156,775  
 2,231,364

4

Jones ----- June 18, 1901  
 Jones ----- Feb. 4, 1902  
 Potts ----- July 26, 1904  
 Schmidt ----- June 22, 1909  
 Klister et al. ----- Oct. 14, 1913  
 Rossworm et al. ----- Aug. 18, 1925  
 Zimmer ----- May 2, 1939  
 Mainzer ----- Feb. 11, 1941

FOREIGN PATENTS

Norway ----- Jan. 9, 1933