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## DESIGN FOR CASES OF UPRIGHT PIANOS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, GEORGE M. GUILD, of Boston, of the county of Suffolk and State of Massachusetts, have originated and invented a new ornamental Design for the Cases of Upright Piano-Fortes or Organs; and do hereby right Piano-Fortes or Organs; declare the same to be described in the following specification, and represented in the accompanying engraving or illustration, making part thereof, and exhibiting a perspective elevation of a piano or organ case with ornamentation in accordance with my said design.

The general outline or form of the said case does not materially vary from that of others in common use, my design being found in the key-board shelf, the burl-panel beneath it, and

the brackets for its support; also, in the ornamental open work panel and the two burlpanels above the key board shelf; also, in the pediment that crowns the case, all of which is substantially as represented in the drawing.
What, therefore, I claim is—

The design of the case front, substantially as represented, consisting of the key-board shelf, the brackets, burl, and open-work panels, and the pediment, arranged and formed essentially as shown in the accompanying illustration.

GEORGE M. GUILD.

Witnesses:

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