

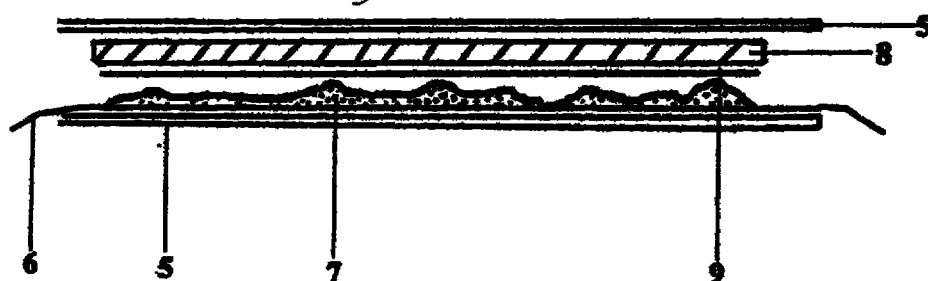
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(54) Title: METHOD FOR PRODUCING LAMINATED ARTICLES  (57) Abstract The subject invention provides a method for producing a laminated article and the laminated article resulting from such method which comprises contacting a rigid substrate (8) with a plastic material (7) in a liquid or semi-liquid state, the plastic material being held in place by a gasket (9) or spacer and in contact with a flexible film (6) and maintaining contact between the substrate (8) and plastic material (7) under conditions so that the plastic material (7) hardens and adheres to the substrate (8) to form the article. The invention also concerns a plastic edge piece (18) which may be cast and attached to the exposed edges of the laminated article and which has the same appearance as the plastic laminate.		