

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

There are disclosed a noble metal-plated article which is treated so as to suppress the corrosion of its substrate metal and underlying metal and prevent the deterioration of its bonding properties and external appearance; ornamental jewellery which is treated so as to prevent the deterioration of its gloss and color change; methods for the storage of the noble metal-plated article and the ornamental jewellery for carrying out the above treatments; and packages of the article and the jewellery subjected to the treatments, respectively. The invention provides an article plated with a noble metal having a plating layer in a thickness of at most 1 μ m or ornamental jewellery, which is enclosed together with a dehumidifying agent and an oxygen absorbent not requiring moisture for absorbing oxygen, in a vessel with gas barrier properties; a method for the storage of an article plated with a noble metal in a plating thickness of at most 1 μ m or ornamental jewellery which comprises enclosing the same along with the above dehumidifying agent and oxygen absorbent, in a vessel with gas barrier properties; and a package which comprises an article plated with a noble metal in a plating thickness of at most 1 μ m or ornamental jewellery along with the above dehumidifying agent and oxygen absorbent being packaged in a packaging material with gas barrier properties.

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