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(54) **Simulated photographic prints using xerography.**

(57) Simulated photographic prints are created using xerographic imaging. A transparent carrier (25) having a xerographically formed mirror image (67) fused thereto is bonded to a substrate (106) through the use of heat and pressure (114,116,118). The transparent carrier and the substrate form the finished print (122). The substrate (106) may be highly reflective, and made of, for example paper or plastic, or it may carry a reflective coating such as a white glue.

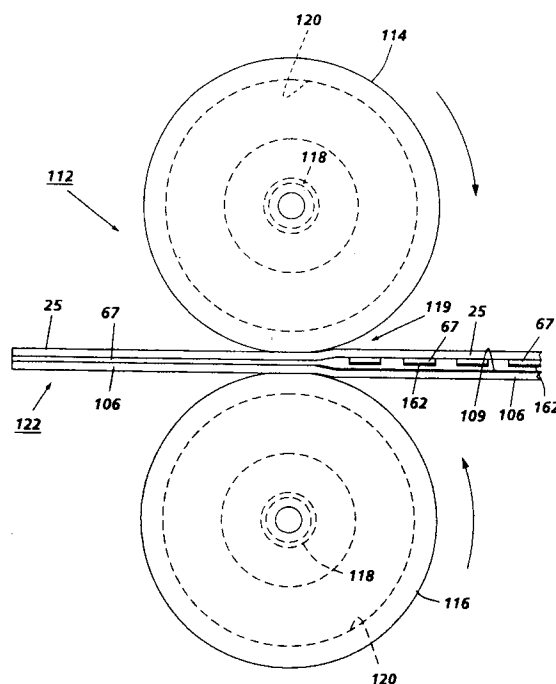


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