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The New Transfer Patterns

(PATENTS PENDING)

DIRECTIONS

Lay the design you wish to transfer face downward, on any flat surface, and dampen the back with water until the outlines of the design show clearly through the paper. A wet cloth will serve the purpose of dampening, but a small sponge is better. Spread the material on which you wish to transfer the design on the table or on any smooth, hard surface; lay the dampened design, still face downward, on the material, cover it with a dry sheet of thick paper or several folds of a newspaper, and rub with a slight pressure, using a handkerchief or dry cloth, until the design is entirely transferred. During the rubbing you may readily see whether enough pressure is being applied by lifting a corner or end of the design and noting how it is taking.

The whole process is very simple and, after a trial or two, you should be able to make a perfect transfer to any kind of goods. Do not wet the transfer sheet too much. Do not wet the material, and do not rub the face of the design with wet or damp fingers.

Several transfers may be made from the same design, it being only necessary to redampen the back of the design sheet for each additional transfer. The design may be readily removed from the material by washing the material in warm water and a little soap. The ink with which the transfers are printed is absolutely harmless, and will not injure the finest fabric.

DESCRIPTIONS

Three simple designs are given this week, a Dutch collar, a belt and a bag, and the manner of working them is alike. The ordinary eyelet or dot and satin-stitch or French embroidery is to be used and the designs may be worked in plain white or color.

The accompanying illustration gives a fairly clear idea of how the designs will appear when worked up on linen. It is the sort of embroidery even young girls may successfully accomplish. For the beginner the article on page four will be helpful and for the experienced needle worker, it is hoped that some of the suggestions given there may be of service.

In making the transfer to the desired goods, cut out or cover up the parts of the other design not wanted