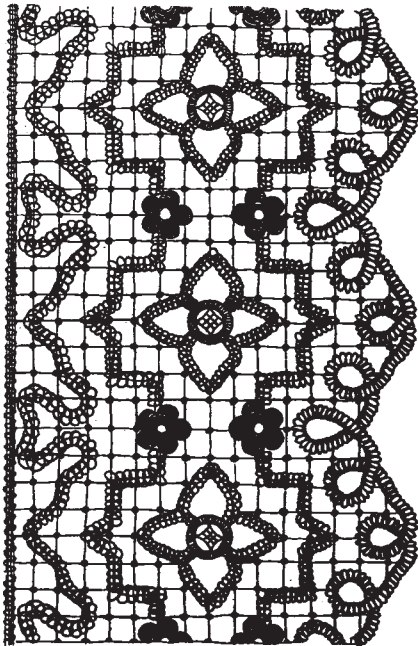
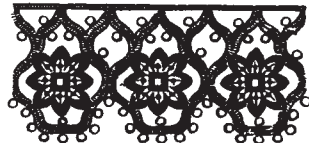
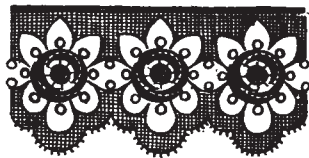


**Design for Lace.**



The above sketch shows a new and most ornamental Design for Lace; three repeats of the design being given.

**Ornamental Design FOR EMBROIDERED LACE**



Designed by Henry Schwarber, Weehawken, N. J., assignor The Inflexible Co., West New York, N. J.

Georgia's crop will move in volume about the middle of August, says a Savannah despatch. The plant is described as being strong and healthy and fruiting well. The only complaint heard is of boll weevils.

Frank Murray, the watchdog of the Cotton Exchange floor, celebrated his 60th birthday July 8th.

"Cinders" challenged any and all members of the exchange to a mile walk. None took him up, being mindful of the times when he used to show his heels to the best heel and toe artists in the country.

**American Textiles in Chile.**

The establishment of an American house in Chile specializing in textiles would do more toward increasing the American share of business than any other single factor. There are American importers, but no American retail concern.

Though the United States normally holds third place in the total imports into Chile as well as in the exports from that country, its position is seventh in the imports of textiles, the principal sources of supply being England, India, France, Italy, Belgium, and the United States. As a result of the war, American goods are imported in larger quantities and are well liked. Many articles are now purchased from the United States that formerly never found their way to the country, and merchants are beginning to realize that the stories of the superiority of European fabrics are to be taken with a liberal discount. If proper attention is given to the requirements of the markets, there is every reason to think that a large share of the increase may be retained by our merchants when the war is over.

**Waterproofing Cloth, Etc.**

A new French waterproof oil is prepared by mixing 100 parts of castor oil with 200 of amyl acetate, and stirring up with 25 parts of sulphur chloride. The mixture soon assumes the form of a fairly solid jelly giving off much hydrochloric acid, but if enclosed several days in a tight vessel, it becomes completely liquefied. Neutralizing the acid with barium carbonate and filtering now yields an almost colorless solution of the vulcanized oil.

This solution is adapted for waterproofing cloth, leather, paper, etc., or, mixed with such other solvent as alcohol or benzine, it may be made to dissolve sufficient nitrocellulose to produce a resistant varnish for glossy leather or oilcloth. With suitable pigments, the varnish forms a waterproof, quick-drying paint.

**Dyes Holding Strong.**

Inquiry for the general list of domestic aniline colors is temporarily quieter, but the position of the market is firm, due to high cost of crude materials, shortage of labor and other considerations.

The export inquiry from neutral countries is holding up well in view of the limited shipping accommodations. Inquiries from South America and India continue a factor in the maintenance of a generally firm position.

Offers of high grade colors such as fast light yellow, patent blues, rhodamines and wool green is extensive but supplies are as scarce as ever.

The recent arrivals of Swiss dyes totalled about 316 casks, each cask weighing an average of 550 pounds.

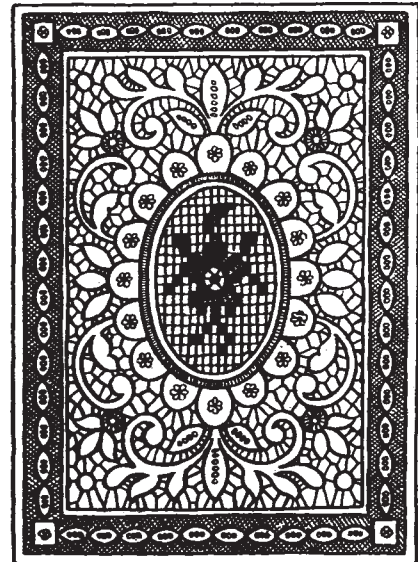
**French Color Firms' Reports.**

The *Compagnie Nationale des Matières Colorantes*, formed since the outbreak of the war, shows a net profit of \$200,000. No dividend is being paid. The capital is \$8,000,000, but only about a quarter of it has been called up.

*Usines du Rhône*, has a net profit of \$1,200,000, as against \$2,300,000 last year. The fall is due chiefly to reduced selling prices.

The *Société de l'Electro-Chimie* has a net profit of \$465,000, as against \$750,000 last year.

**Lace Panel Design.**



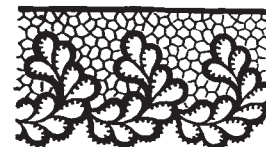
THE NORTH AMERICAN LACE Co., of Philadelphia, has brought out the design for a "Lace Panel" shown above, the same being adaptable for many other Articles of Textile Manufacture.

**Embroidered Lace.**



The above reproduction shows a Novelty in Lace Structure lately patented by the INFLEXIBLE COMPANY, of West New York, N. J.

**Design for Embroidered Lace.**



An exceptionally attractive Design for Embroidered Lace is the one pictured above, brought out by the INFLEXIBLE COMPANY, of West New York, N. J.

The Memphis Cotton Exchange adopted a resolution to expel any member who trades within 10 years after the war with any country now at war with the United States.

President Wilson signed a bill providing for \$300 fine and six months in prison for persons found guilty of wearing an "allied" uniform.

William F. Kroneman has been appointed manager of the Philadelphia office of Ralph L. Fuller & Co., Inc., with offices in the Real Estate Trust Building.