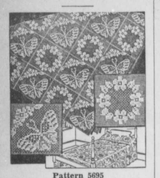
Lacy Squares Form a Spread or Scarf



Pattern 5695

In this pattern filet crochet, that favorite of the modern needlewoman, is adapted to two lovely squares—handsome used together —effective each used alone in cloth, spread or scarf. The lace stitch sets off the design in each square. String is the material used and you'll be delighted with the result. You can also use mercerized cotton to make the squares a smaller size. In pattern 5695 you will find instructions and charts for making the squares shown; an illustration of them and of the stitches needed; material requirements.

To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to the Sewing Circle Household Arts Dept., 259 W. Fourteenth St., New York, N. Y.

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Ask Me Another

A General Quiz

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1. What are "blue sky laws?"
2. What is sealer?
3. What is a hookah?
4. What does "cloistral" mean?
5. What was the capital of Northern Ireland?
6. What World war campaign brought forth the battle cry "They shall not pass!"
7. In what famous child's story does "the Red Queen" appear?
8. What mythology tells of Valhalla?
9. For what is Marie Montessori famous?
10. What is a bonanza?
11. Who was Caligula?
12. Who wrote the "Penrod" stories?

Answers

1. Laws intended to protect investors against sellers of poor securities.
2. A Japanese rice beer.
3. A tobacco pipe in which smoke is drawn through water.
4. Secluded.
5. Belfast.
6. The attack on Verdun.
7. "Alice Through the Looking Glass."
8. The Norse.
9. For a system of education.
10. A rich vein of ore.
11. A Roman emperor from 37 to 41.
12. Booth Tarkington.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets made of May Apple are effective in removing accumulated body waste.—Adv.

Power in Truth

There is nothing so powerful as truth, and often nothing so strange.—Daniel Webster.

DON'T WAIT FOR A COLD

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2. Protect your throat
3. Help build up your ALKALINE RESERVE

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Time for Courtesy

It is not so short but that there is always time for courtesy. —Emerson.

Less Monthly Discomfort

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MILNESIA WAFERS

Ski-Joring in the Adirondack Mountains



One of the exciting sports for winter visitors in the Adirondack mountains is ski-joring. This photograph shows some of the skiers speeding over the snow-covered ice of Mirror lake, with the beautiful winter setting of the resort in the background.

Bedtime Story for Children

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

BILLY MINK IS DISCOVERED

AFTER the rats left the big barn Billy Mink found it less easy to get plenty to eat. There were mice in the big barn, and for several days Billy managed to catch enough of these to keep from going hungry. But mice can get into places too small for Billy to follow, and those that were left soon learned to keep out of his way.

Then, Billy's thoughts turned to the hens in the henhouse. He had not intended to kill any of those hens because he knew that as soon as he did, the farmer who owned them would hunt for him, and then he would have to move on. He was so comfortably located that he was not anxious to move on. But one must eat, and now that the rats had disappeared and the mice had learned to keep out of his way, Billy's thoughts turned to those hens.

It was the very night after the fire which the rats had started in the back shed of the farmhouse that Billy made up his mind to have a chicken dinner. He slipped under the henhouse and up through a hole in the corner which he already knew about. All the hens were roosting high fast asleep with their heads under their wings.

Had Reddy Fox been in Billy Mink's place he would have been somewhat puzzled as to how he should catch one of those hens. But Billy wasn't puzzled. Not a bit of it. You see, Billy can climb almost like a squirrel. Reddy Fox could have had to jump, and probably would have awakened and frightened the whole flock. Billy Mink simply climbed up to one of the roosts, took along it to the nearest hen, and with one quick snap of his sharp teeth killed that hen without even waking her.

Now, had Billy's cousin, Shadow the Weasel, been in his place, he would have gone right on killing those hens from sheer love of killing. But Billy Mink killed that hen simply because he must have something to eat, and one hen was more than enough to furnish him a dinner. When he had finished his dinner he went back to his snug bed under the big woodpile.

Of course, when the farmer came out to feed the hens in the morning he discovered what had happened. He didn't know who had killed that hen, but he knew that it must have been some one very small to have got into the henhouse. He hunted about until he found the hole in the dark corner. He knew that that hole had been made by a rat, and at first he thought it must have been a rat that killed that hen, and this increased his anger.

That afternoon he happened to look out of the barn door toward the woodpile and he was just in time to see a slim, brown form whisk out of sight under the wood.

"Ha, ha!" exclaimed the farmer. "Now I know who the thief is. There is a mink in that woodpile. He is the fellow who killed that hen last night. I think, Mr. Mink, we'll make you pay for that hen with your brown coat."

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Rembrandt Hat



This Rembrandt hat has a wide brim that is rolled flat against the left side of a narrow crown. The only trimming is a band and bow of black belting ribbon. The sheer woolen frock is black with a gilet and bit of white pique.

Has Long Snout

The desman, a small animal of the Pyrenees, has such a long, mobile nose it can thrust it into its own mouth as an elephant does its trunk.

"Pop, what is a hackney?" "Copy boy."

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MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

SEASONABLE DISHES

EACH year opens up new methods for making our meals better and more satisfying with the minimum of labor. How many it is to end the whole flock. Billy Mink simply climbed up to one of the roosts, took along it to the nearest hen, and with one quick snap of his sharp teeth killed that hen without even waking her.

Cream of Mushroom Soup

Chop one-fourth of a pound of mushrooms and cook them in one quart of chicken stock 20 minutes, then rub through a sieve. Reheat and bind with one-fourth of a cupful each of butter and flour cooked together. A slice of onion may be added to the stock if desired. Add one cupful of cream and two tablespoonfuls of orange juice when serving.

Brown Mushroom Sauce

Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add a teaspoonful of onion juice or scraped onion and cook until slightly brown, add three tablespoonfuls of flour and cook until brown, pour on gradually one cupful of cream. Clean one-half pound of mushrooms, and cut into small pieces, saute in butter five minutes. Cook the stems in water to cover and reduce to one-third of a cupful. Add a teaspoonful of beef extract to the mushroom liquor, add to the sauce with salt and pepper to season. Just before serving add the mushroom caps. They may be left whole if desired.

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The Way of the Cross

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

I THINK I had as much belief
As most men have who have no care,
And yet the Christ was never there
Until I was His kin in grief,
Until I had my cross to bear.

When I had only death to fear,
I think perhaps my faith sufficed;
But faith is not so cheaply priced;
For they, who never shed a tear,
What know they, after all, of Christ?

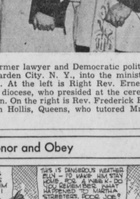
Until I, too, was laden down
I think my faith was only dross.
I think a life all gain, all loss—
That not a soul shall wear the crown
Unless it first has borne the cross.

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THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR HAND

By Leicester K. Davis

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The Intuitional Thumb

OCCASIONALLY you will meet a man whose judgments and decisions are formed with almost lightning speed. These may seem to be the result of "hunches," yet they seldom fail to materialize successfully. Casual observation of such individuals may stamp them as "reckless doers," but this may not be deserved. Their thumbs will tell you why.

The Thumb of Intuitional Analysis.

With those who possess this gift, one is apt to pass by its identification, which is clearly given by the formation of the second, or middle joint of the thumb. This may be of average length or longer. But it is always marked by exceptional slenderness of its mid-section, which is sometimes abnormally tied-in or "corseted."

Coupled with a resolute first or nail joint, this type of thumb must be definitely placed as signifying analytical abilities which function at supernormal speed. The possessor may wonder quite as much as do you as to the source of his almost uncanny perceptions.

Age of the Sphinx

The exact age of the Sphinx is unknown. It has been standing for more than 5,000 years. It is 70 feet high and 150 feet long, excluding the paws. A few pieces of stone have been added from time to time, but in general the statue is carved from living rock. Until the end of the Nineteenth century there remained traces of the original coloring of the face.

Lawyer Ordained as a Minister



John H. Esquirol (center), former lawyer and Democratic politician, shown as he was ordained at Garden City, N. Y., into the ministry of the Protestant Episcopal church. At the left is Right Rev. Ernest Stires, bishop of the Long Island diocese, who presided at the ceremony at the Cathedral of the Incarnation. On the right is Rev. Frederick Barry, rector of St. Gabriel's church in Hollis, Queens, who tutored Mr. Esquirol for the ministry.



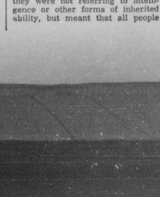
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"There's no bull," says sollequiring Elizabeth, "about the present Sp-nish fight."

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KNOW THYSELF

by Dr. George D. Greer



ARE ALL MEN REALLY CREATED EQUAL?

WHEN the writers of the Declaration of Independence stated that "all men are created equal," they were not referring to intelligence or other forms of inherited ability, but meant that all people had the same right of freedom, and that the Colonists were equal in governing ability to their British ancestors and rulers. It would be ridiculous to say that all people are born with the same amount of physical energy, the same degree of intelligence, or the same economic and social properties. Some people are born with a greater equipment for life than others, but we all have the right to live and make use of what native abilities we do have—this is the only sense in which we are all born equal,—unless we add that the souls of men may be equal, but no one knows about this.

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Effects of Alcohol

The average man with a normal heart still appears sober when his blood contains .1 per cent of alcohol. He is still fairly well in control of his faculties when the percentage has been increased to .25. But between .25 per cent and .4 per cent, asserts a writer in Collier's Weekly, he becomes unconscious and between .7 per cent and 1 per cent he dies.

Love, Honor and Obey


OH MY YES—HE KNOWS SUE'S DANGEROUS WITH MEN
SUE'S DANGEROUS WITH MEN
SUE'S DANGEROUS WITH MEN
I'LL SOON FIX THAT
I'LL SOON FIX THAT
I'LL SOON FIX THAT