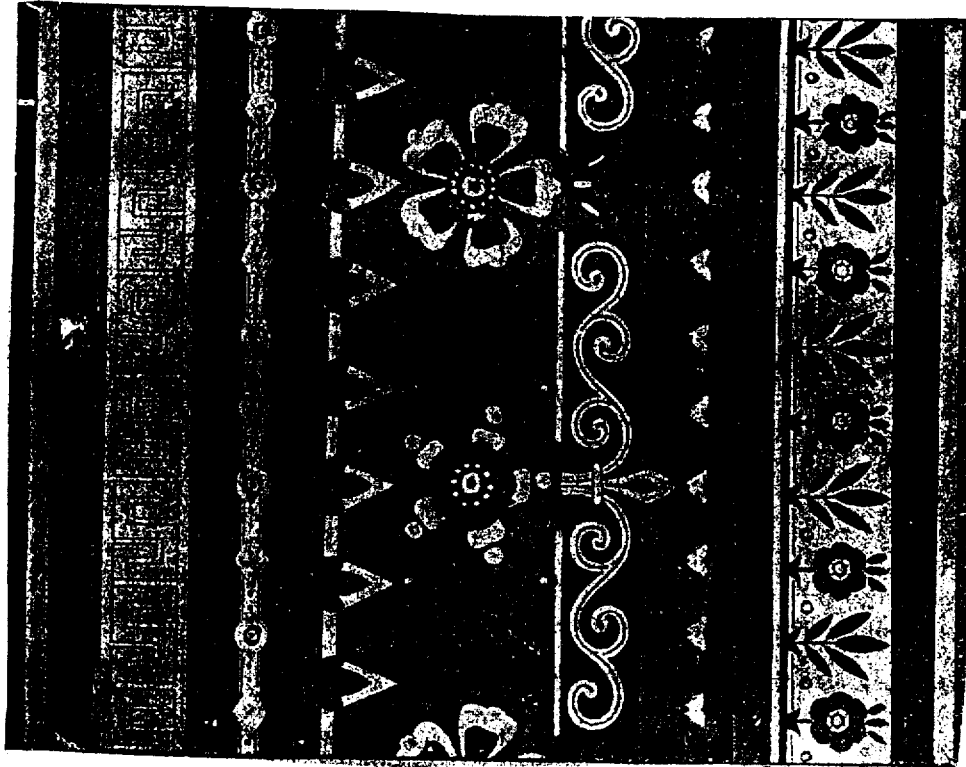


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## DESIGN FOR WALL-PAPER.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, CHRISTOPHER DRESSER, of London, England, have originated and designed a Pattern for Wall and other Papers, of which I hereby declare the following to be a specification:

The nature of my design is fully shown in the accompanying photographic illustration, which forms a part of this specification.

My invention consists of a design for a wall-paper border, and is composed of a top rail or stripe, A, and a bottom one, B, inclosing between them a central ornamented body, C.

The top rail A is decorated with alternate geometric leaf-sprays D and flowers E, while the bottom rail B embodies a wall of Troy, F.

The body C is composite of bauds of scroll-work and of small ornate designs, containing

also centrally-placed five-branched rosettes connected by leaf-tracery.

What I claim as my invention, and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States, is—

The design for a wall-paper bordering, composed of the rails A and B and the intermediate ornate body C, substantially as shown and described.

In testimony that I claim as my invention the design hereinbefore described I have hereunto signed my name in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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