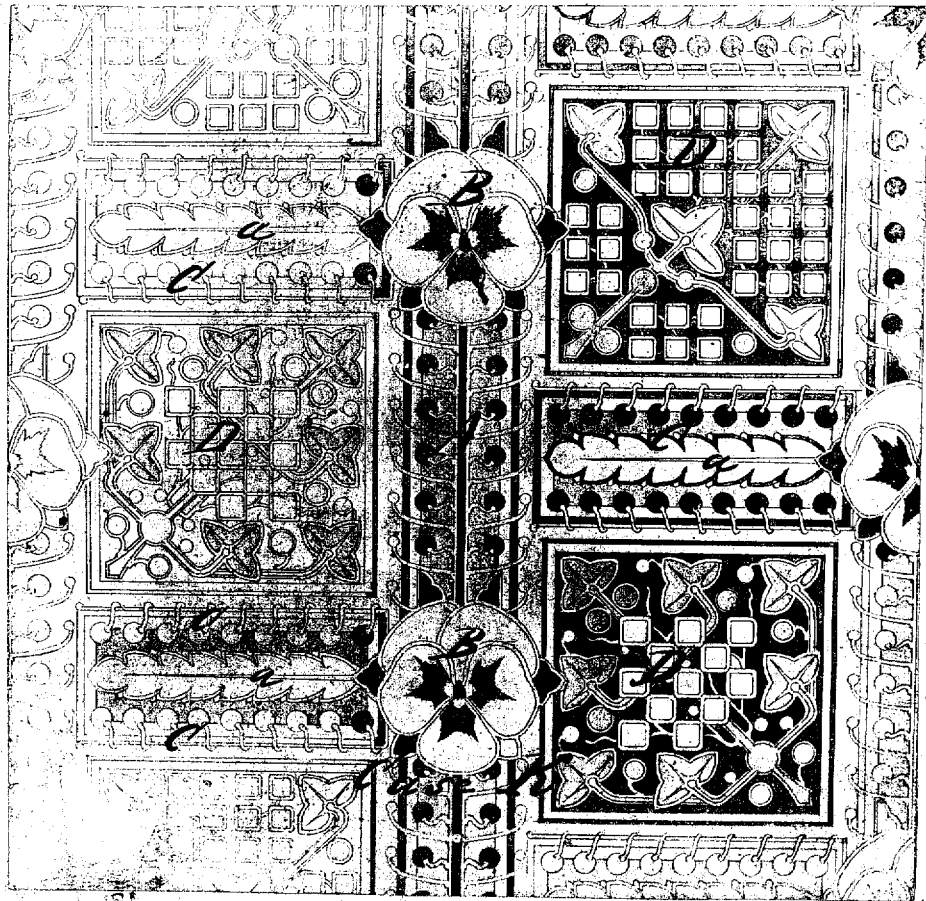


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DESIGN FOR WALL-PAPER.

Specification forming part of Design No. **10,999**, dated January 28, 1879; application filed December 23, 1878
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CHRISTIAN HERTER, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented a new and original Design for Wall-Paper, of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description, reference being had to the accompanying photographic illustration, making part of this specification, and which fully represents my design.

The invention consists of vertical bands A, which are formed of three parallel and equidistant lines, from the center of which spring geometrical shoots, which extend beyond the outer lines of the bands, while between these shoots are arranged shorter shoots, having berry-shaped terminals. The inner shoots are set off on a band of darker color. The continuity of the band A is interrupted in regular intervals by ornaments B, in the shape of pansies, which project somewhat at both sides of the band A. The pansy-shaped ornaments connect at one side with horizontal serrated leaves *a*, placed in the center of oblong panels C, and at the other side with square panels D. The square panels D alternate thus between the bands A A with the oblong panels

C. From the longer sides of the oblong panels C spring inwardly similar shoots, having berry-shaped ends, as those of the bands A, said berries being like the center leaf, set off by an interior panel of darker color. The square panels D are filled up with geometrical figures and conventional flowers, they being differently designed for each panel.

The design may be brought out in suitable colors, and furnishes a wall-paper of rich and handsome appearance.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The design for a wall-paper, composed of longitudinal ornamental bands, provided with pansy-shaped ornaments at regular intervals, and of alternating oblong and square panels between the bands, said panels having ornamental fillings, as shown and described.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed it this 19th day of December, 1878.

CHRISTIAN HERTER.

Witnesses:

PAUL GOEPEL,
ADOLF DENGLER.