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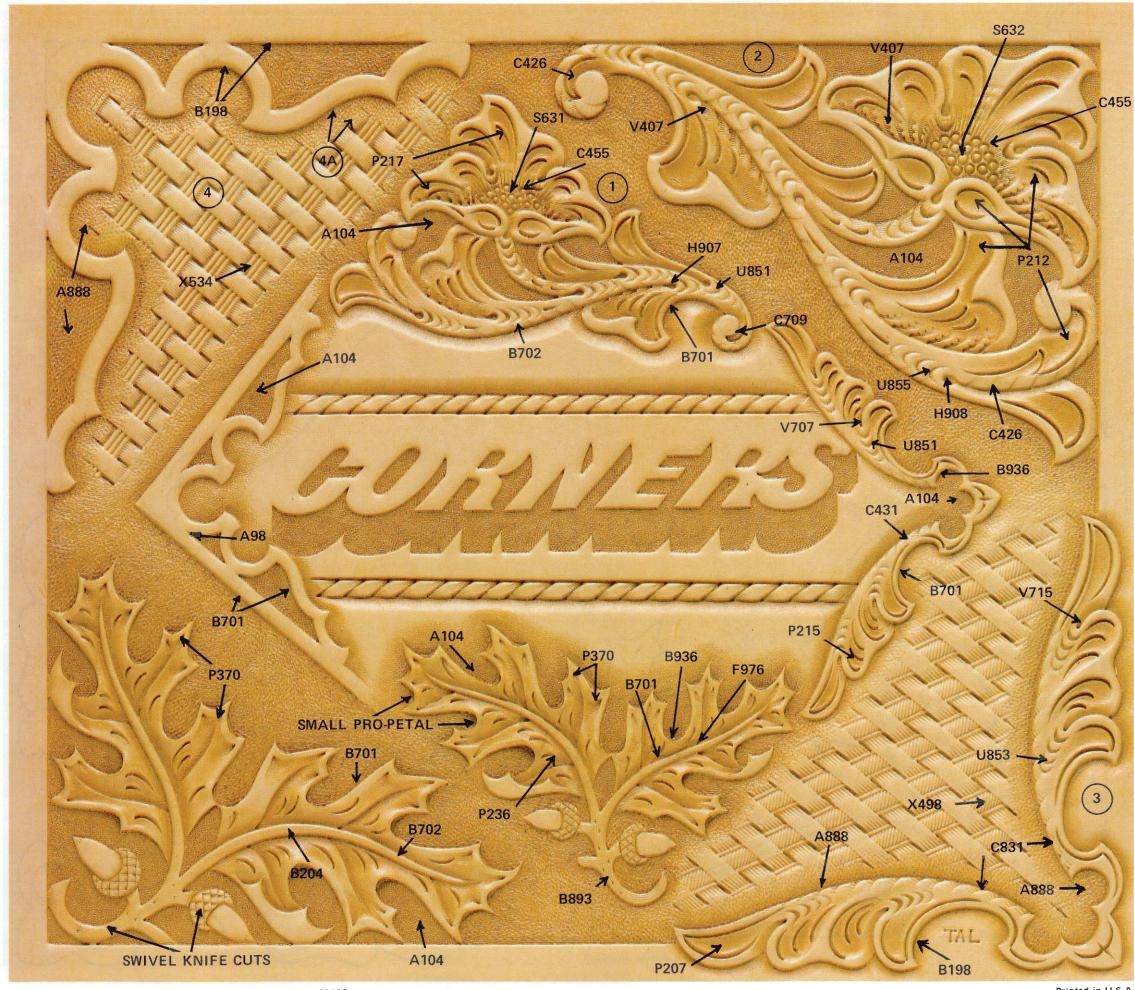
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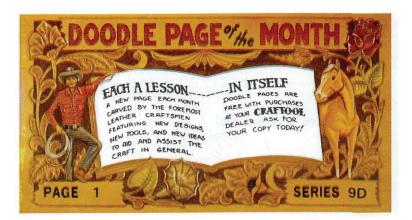
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These designs can be used with or without a border line. If you choose not to use a border line, (see 1 on carving) place the design, which you have transferred to tracing film, on the corner to be decorated; making sure you leave a space in between the design and the lace or stitch holes. (Fig. 1.)

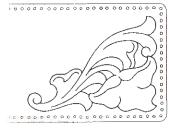
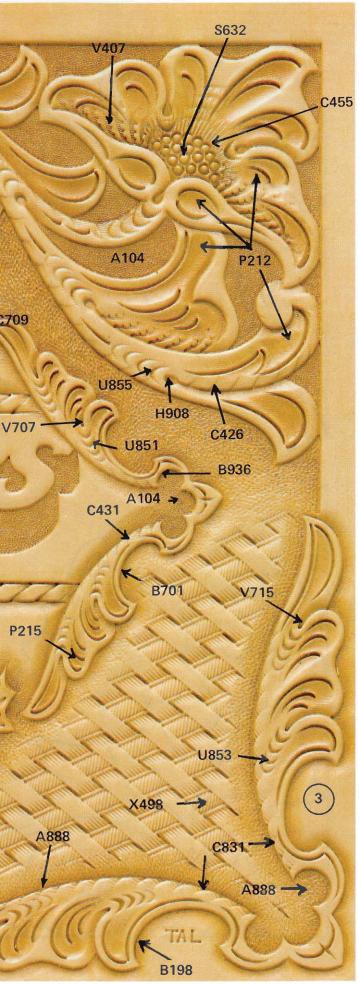
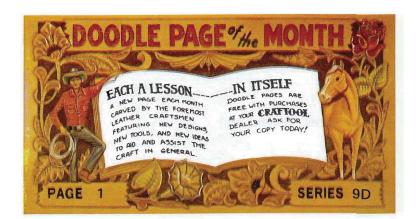


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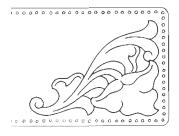


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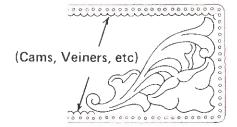
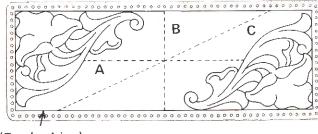


FIG. 2

For a full coverage look try using Basketweave stamps along with the corner designs (4). With a wing divider trace a border line around your project; then scribe a guideline with a ruler using a ball-point stylus. This line will serve to keep the Basketweave pattern straight. These lines can be (A) horizonal, (B) vertical or (C) angled, depending on the effect you are trying to create. (Fig. 3.)



(Border Line)

FIG. 3

Stamp the Basketweave tool as close as you can to the border lines and corner designs. Fill up the remaining space with a background tool, (A888, A104, etc.) using deep impressions around the corner designs and lighter impressions as you fade out toward the Basketweave (4A).

Corner designs tend to leave lots of open areas which are ideal locations for initials or names. (Fig. 4.)



FIG. 4

Tool numbers have been given but don't be afraid to try different combinations of your own.

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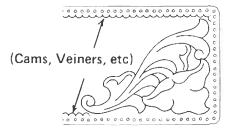
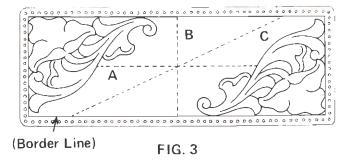


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