

Method of Coating Bobbin Net or Lace with Copper.

Stretch a piece of net or lace by placing a copper wire around it; then black-lead the lace thoroughly with pure powdered plumbago, using a large camel-hair brush for the purpose; then place the lace between two copper plates, positively electrified, connecting at the same time copper wire round the lace with the negative pole of a galvanic battery. The lace becomes rapidly coated with the copper, which can be electro-gilded or silvered, and will give it a beautiful appearance; the lace when so covered with a metallic coating, will be useful in the manufacture of little articles, such as jewel cases, &c. such as jewel cases, &c.