

Design No. 139-6 is covered with white linen, and has an entirely different scheme of decoration, which is especially appropriate for a trip to the country. An old-fashioned, low-roofed house is shown, and to the right may be seen a small lake on which is a sail boat. When embroidering the house it will be easy to make the immense old chimney very realistic by using red and white silk to represent the bricks. The sides of the house are worked solid in Feather stitch with Filo Silk 2582, the roof is in 2592, and the door and windows are outlined with 2164. The fences are worked in Outline stitch with 2163a and 2164. The trunk of the tree is worked solid with Green 2051 and the leaves outlined with 2050. Use the darkest shade of green for the roadway and 2050 for the spears of grass. The borders of the lake and the distant hills are outlined with 2593. A few tiny stitches of black will be necessary to represent the boat, and for the sail make three or four stitches of white. The birds appearing over the roof of the house are in black. With the exception of the house the entire design is in Outline stitch, and the more sketchy the treatment the more effective will be the design. The words, "My Vacation," are outlined with Filo Silk Red 2063. The ribbon ties should also be of this color. The method of mounting the embroidered cover is the same for all the books of this character, which is the same as when covering a book with paper. The linen is fastened firmly in place and glued to the inside front and back covers, and then the first and last leaves of the book are glued to the cover, thus making it impossible to see the fastening of the linen and giving a neat finish to the book.



VACATION BOOK No. 139-6.

Marking Clothing.

Marking clothing and other articles is necessary for convenience in sorting the family wash or to avoid loss when sent to public laundries. The best way is to embroider one's initials in B. & A. Filo Silk. If this is not practical there is nothing better than Payson's Indelible Ink. With a bottle of this ink and a common pen one can easily mark tablecloths, napkins, sheets, pillowcases, towels, shirts, collars, cuffs, etc. For articles having too rough a surface for pen work use linen tape, on which your name is written many times with this ink. Cut off the tape as wanted and sew on to stockings, etc.

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