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before, and the contained air will keep the bottom of it from being wet; for that the water will not rise into any hollow vessel which is immersed into it, may be made evident thus:—Take a glass tumbler, and plunge it in water with its mouth downwards, and you will find when you take it out, that the inside of the vessel is perfectly dry, so that if a live coal was put there, it would not be extinguished.

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Lay the print or drawing, which it is intended to copy over a sheet of paper, and with a pin or fine needle, as the case may require, prick the outlines of the print through both papers; then take the clean paper with the holes in it, and lay it upon the article you wish to have the *design* transferred to, fasten it there tolerably close, and dust it over with finely powdered charcoal, placed in a coarse bag, through the meshes whereof the dust will penetrate, and leave a correct copy of the original. Its adherence may be rendered more sure, by previously moistening the substance that is to receive the pattern, with a thin gum.

The pricked paper will serve again immediately for taking another pattern, and in the case of forming a border, or continuous pattern, care should be taken that the figure at one end begins where the other side leaves off.

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