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Top: Embroidery transfers from Blue Ribbon Company's premium department, dated January 25, 1945. **Right:** Hook and eye sets; blown glass darning egg; "Cynthia" card, patent date 1901; "Colonial Maid" pack, ca. 1930; retractable measuring tape. **Left:** Mid-20th century needle packs acquired as advertising premiums. For more information on sewing notions, turn to page 34.

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