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FULL WORKING INSTRUCTIONS FOR CHARMING DESIGNS FOR SHELL CENTRE DOILY, ROSE FILET DOILY, PINEAPPLE DOILY, RIPE WHEAT DOILY, LINEN CENTRE DOILY, CROSS STITCH CUSHION AND OPENWORK TABLECLOTH.



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ABBREVIATIONS

alt	=	alternate	patt	=	pattern
approx	=	approximate (ly)	quad tr	=	quadruple treble
bdc	=	backwards double crochet (work 1 dc in each st but working from left to right instead of right to left)	rem	=	remain (ing)
beg	=	beginning	rep	=	repeat
blk	=	block	req	=	required
C	=	contrast colour	ret	=	return
ch	=	chain	rnd (s)	=	round (s)
cm	=	centimetre (s)	rsf	=	right side facing
cont	=	continue (ing)	sp (s)	=	space (s)
dbl tr	=	double treble (pass yarn twice around hook, draw a lp through next ch, draw a lp through next 2 lps on hook, draw a lp through next 2 lps, then another through last 2 lps)	ss	=	slip stitch
dc	=	double crochet (insert hook in next st, yoh and draw a lp through, yoh and draw through 2 lps on hook)	st (s)	=	stitch (es)
dec	=	decrease (ing)	tr	=	treble (pass yarn around hook, draw a lp through next ch, draw a lp through first 2 lps on hook, then draw another lp through 2 rem lps)
fol	=	follow (ing)	trip tr	=	triple treble (pass yarn 3 times around hook, draw a lp through next ch, draw a lp through first 2 lps on hook, draw a lp through next 2 lps, then another through last 2 lps)
hlf tr	=	half treble (pass yarn around hook, draw a lp through all 3 lps on hook)	yb	=	yarn to back
in (s)	=	inch (es)	yf	=	yarn to front (or forward)
inc	=	increase (ing)	yoh	=	yarn over hook
lp (s)	=	loop (s)	* (asterisk)	=	rep the instructions foll the asterisk as many times as specified, in addi tion to the original
M	=	main colour	() brackets	=	rep instructions in brackets as many times as specified - eg "(5 ch, dc in next dc) 5 times" means to make all in bracket 5 times
meas	=	measure (s)			
mm	=	millimetre (s)			

GENERAL HINTS

Please read the pattern instructions carefully before purchasing any materials and beginning work. Select the yarn specified in the patterns so that the correct tension will be achieved. Check that your tension is the same as the pattern by working a test sample. If you are a slack worker you may need to use a smaller hook. If your work is tight use a larger size. Buy sufficient yarn to make the garment at one time and always check that it is from the same dye lot, different dye lots can vary in colour.

STAR RATING FOR CROCHET

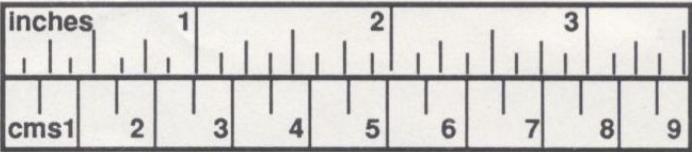
- ∞ One star means that the pattern is at the beginner level of crochet - basic stitches only, with simple shaping.
- ∞∞ Two stars mean easy crochet, with some fancy patterns such as shells or mesh and simple two colour patterns.
- ∞∞∞ Three stars are patterns for advanced crochet workers - this could include more intricate patterns involving complicated shaping, requiring a higher level of concentration and patience.

MATERIALS

We recommend DMC yarns and fabrics. Ask your stockist for the wide range. The crochet & tatting patterns in this book can be worked using DMC Cordonnet Special, the size of yarn is indicated at the beg of each pattern.

CROCHET HOOK SIZE COMPARISON													
UK/AUST	6	7	8	9	11	12	1	2	2	3	4	5	6
US	H	G	F	E	1orD	2orC	4orB	6	7	8	9	10	12
METRIC	5	4.5	4	3.5	3	2.5	2	1.75	1.5	1.25	1	0.75	0.6

CONVERSION OUNCES TO GRAMS								
Ozs	0.25	0.5	0.75	0.85	1	2	3	4
g	7	14.25	21	25	28.5	57	85	114



Pineapple Doily

(Also illustrated on front cover.)

Materials: Yarn no. 20 (20g) 2 balls selected colour.

1.25mm crochet hook (slack workers could use a 1mm hook and tight workers a 1.5mm hook).

Measurement: 41cm in diameter.

Tension: First three rows = 7.5cm in diameter.

Cut 8 strands of yarn, each 95cm long.

Commence with 10 ch, join with a ss to form a ring.

1st row: Working over 8 strands, work 24 dc into ring, 1 ss into first dc. Drop strands.

2nd row: * 17 ch, 1 hlf tr into 6th ch from hook, (1 ch, miss 1 ch, 1 tr into next ch) 4 times, 1 ch, miss 1 ch, 1 hlf tr into next ch, 1 ch, 1 dc into each of next 3 dc; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into base of first 17 ch (8 petals).

3rd row: * Working over the 8 strands work 2 dc into each of next 6 sps, 7 dc into next sp, 2 dc into each of next 6 sps, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into next dc; rep from * all round.

Fasten off 8 strands.

4th row: 1 ss into each of next 4 dc, 4 ch, * miss 1 dc, 1 tr into next dc, (2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 tr into next dc) 5 times, into same place as last tr work (2 ch, 1 tr) twice (tip of petal), (2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 tr into next dc) 5 times, miss next dc, 1 dbl tr into next dc and into corresponding dc of next petal, leaving the last lp of each on hook, thread over and draw through all lps on hook (a joint dbl tr made); rep from *, omitting 1 dbl tr at end of last rep, 1 ss into 4th of 4 ch. Fasten off.

5th row: Attach thread to first sp of the 2 sps at tip of any petal, 1 dc into same sp, * 5 ch, 1 dc into next sp, 10 ch, miss 2 sps, make a joint dbl tr by working a dbl tr into next sp and into corresponding sp on next petal, 10 ch, miss 2 sps on same petal, 1 dc into next sp; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, 1 trip tr into first dc.

6th, 7th & 8th rows: * 10 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, 1 trip tr into trip tr of previous row.

9th row: 3 ch, 2 tr into lp just made, leaving the last lp of each on hook, thread over and draw through all lps on hook (a starting cluster made), 3 ch, a 3 tr cluster into same lp (shell made), * 5 ch, into next lp work a 3 tr cluster 7 ch & a 3 tr cluster, (5 ch, into next lp work a 3 tr cluster 3 ch & a 3 tr cluster) twice; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, into next lp work a 3 tr cluster 7 ch & a 3 tr cluster, 5 ch, into next lp work a 3 tr cluster 3 ch & a 3 tr cluster, 5 ch, 1 ss into top of first cluster (8 pineapples started).

10th row: 1 ss into next sp, 3 ch and complete a starting cluster, 3 ch, a 3 tr cluster into same sp (shell made over shell), * 1 ch, miss next sp, 15 dbl tr into next sp, 1 ch, shell over next shell, 5 ch, shell over next shell; rep from *, omitting a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into top of first cluster.

11th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, (1 ch, 1 dbl tr into next dbl tr) 15 times, 1 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

12th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, (2 ch, miss next dbl tr, a 3 tr cluster into next sp) 14 times, 2 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

13th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, (3 ch, miss next cluster, 1 dc into next sp) 13 times, 3 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

14th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, a 3 tr cluster into next lp, (2 ch, a 3 tr cluster into next lp) 11 times, 4 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

15th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, 1 dc into next sp, (3 ch, 1 dc into next sp) 10 times, 4 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

16th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, a 3 tr cluster into next lp, (2 ch, a 3 tr cluster into next lp) 9 times, 4 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

17th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, 1 dc into next sp, (3 ch, 1 dc into next sp) 8 times, 4 ch, shell over shell, 5 ch, 1 dc into next sp, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

18th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, a 3 tr cluster into next lp, (3 ch, a 3 tr cluster into next lp) 7 times, 4 ch, shell over shell, (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) twice, 5 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

Cont in this manner, having 1 lp more on each row between pineapples, making 6 ch lps on the 21st row, and 1 ch more on each lp on each row thereafter (at same time there should be two 3 ch lps less on each pineapple on each 3 ch row of pineapples) until 24 rows have been completed (2 clusters at top of each pineapple on 24th row).

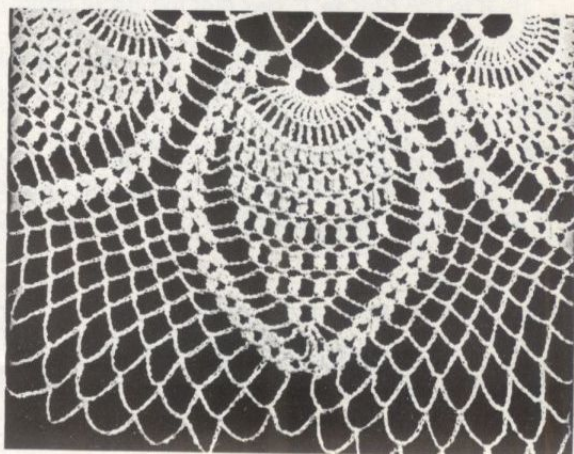
25th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, into next sp work 1 dc 3 ch & 1 dc, 4 ch, shell over shell, (10 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 9 times, 10 ch; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into top of first cluster.

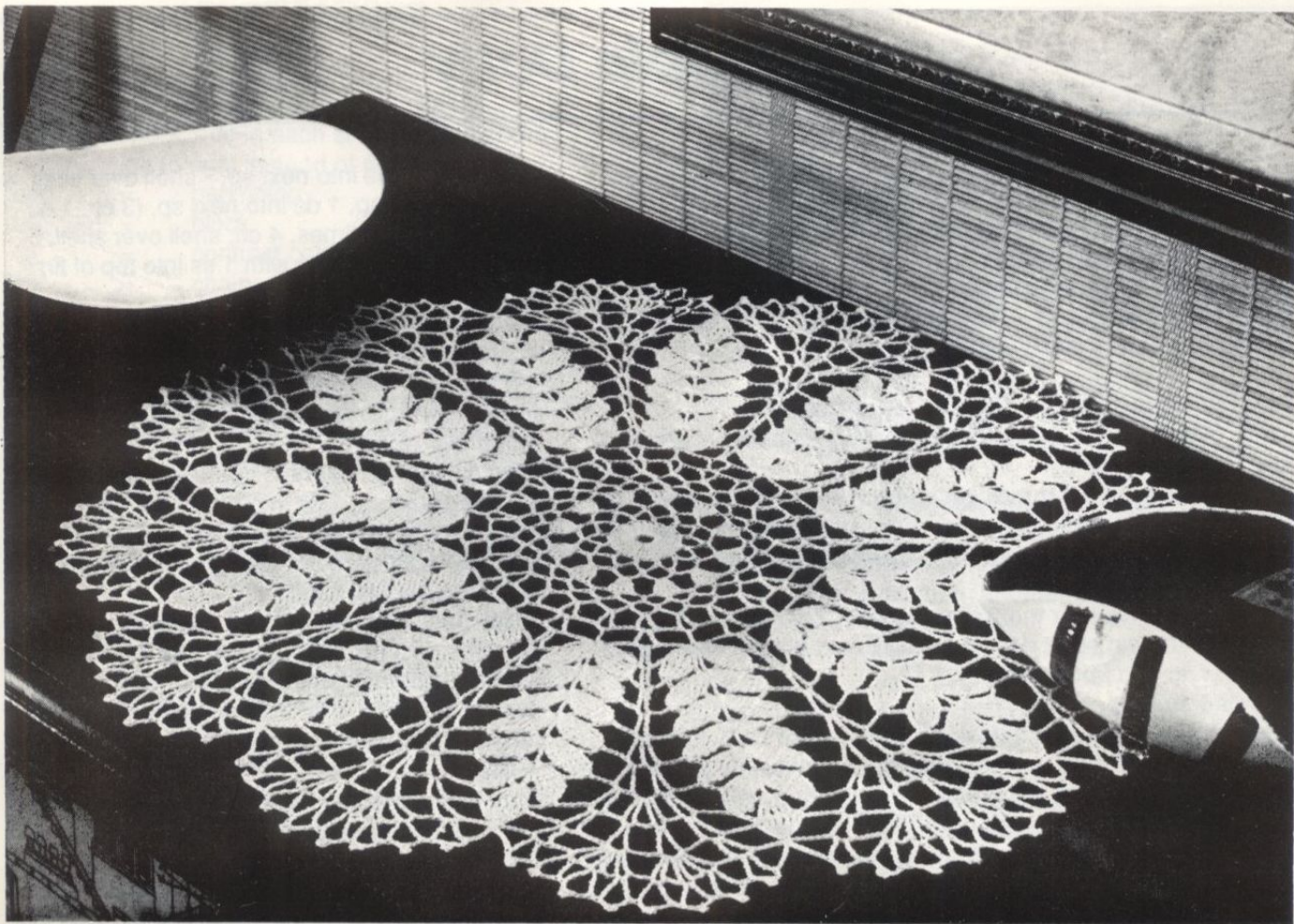
26th row: 1 ss into next sp, * shell over shell, 4 ch, miss next sp, 1 dc into next lp, 4 ch, a 3 tr cluster into sp of next shell, 1 ch, 1 ss back into sp of previous shell, 1 ch, a 3 tr cluster into same sp as last cluster, (10 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 10 times, 10 ch; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, 1 trip tr into top of first cluster.

27th row: * 10 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with 10ch, 1 ss into top of trip tr.

Fasten off.

Starch lightly and pin out to measurement.





Ripe Wheat Doily

Materials: Yarn no. 20 (20g) 2 balls selected colour.

1.25mm crochet hook (slack workers could use a 1mm hook and tight workers a 1.5mm hook).

Measurement: 35.5cm in diameter.

Tension: First four rows = 6cm in diameter.

Commence with 10 ch, join with ss to form a ring.

1st row: 4 ch, 35 dbl tr into ring, join with 1 ss into 4th of 4 ch.

2nd row: 1 dc into same place as ss, * 7 ch, miss next 2 dbl tr, 1 dc into next dbl tr; rep from *, ending with 7 ch, 1 ss into first dc (12 lps).

3rd row: Ss to centre ch of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * 7 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with 7 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

4th row: Ss to centre ch of next lp, 4 ch, 4 dbl tr into same ch, * 3 ch, 5 dbl tr into centre ch of next lp; rep from *, ending with 3 ch, 1 ss into 4th of 4 ch.

5th row: Ss to centre dbl tr of next group, 1 dc into same dbl tr, * 5 ch, 1 dc into next sp, 5 ch, 1 dc into centre dbl tr of next group; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, 1 dc into next sp, 5 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

6th row: As 3rd row.

7th row: Ss to centre ch of next lp, 7 ch, 1 dbl tr into same ch, * 3 ch, into centre ch of next lp, work 1 dbl tr 3 ch & 1 dbl tr (shell made); rep from *, ending with 3 ch, 1 ss into 4th of 7 ch.

8th row: Ss into next sp, 7 ch, 1 dbl tr into same sp, * 5

ch, 1 dbl tr into sp of next shell, 5 ch, shell into sp of next shell; rep from *, omitting a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 4th of 7 ch.

9th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, * 3 ch, into next dbl tr between shells work 5 trip tr 3 ch 1 trip tr 3 ch & 5 trip tr, 3 ch, into sp of next shell work 1 trip tr 3 ch & 1 trip tr (a trip tr shell made); rep from *, omitting a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

10th to 12th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, * 4 ch, 1 trip tr into each of next 5 trip tr leaving the last lp of each on hook, thread over and draw through all lps on hook (a cluster made), 3 ch, into next trip tr work 5 trip tr 3 ch 1 trip tr 3 ch & 5 trip tr, 3 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr, 4 ch, a trip tr shell into sp of next shell; rep from *, omitting a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

13th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, into same sp work 1 trip tr 3 ch & 1 trip tr, * 4 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr group, 3 ch, into next trip tr work 5 trip tr 3 ch 1 trip tr 3 ch & 5 trip tr, 3 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr group, 4 ch, into sp of next shell work (1 trip tr, 3 ch) twice & 1 trip tr (2 shells made); rep from *, omitting 2 shells at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

14th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, 4 ch, a trip tr shell into sp of next shell, * 4 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr group, 3 ch, into next trip tr work 5 trip tr 3 ch 1 trip tr 3 ch & 5 trip tr, 3 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr group, (4 ch, a trip tr shell into sp of next shell) twice;

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Oval Tatted Mat

(Photograph overleaf.)

Materials: Yarn no. 20 (20g) 1 ball selected colour.
Tatting shuttle.

Measurements: 20cm x 33cm.

Abbreviations: r = ring; lr = large ring; sr = small ring; ds = double stitch; cl = close; p = picot; sep = separated; ch = chain; rw = reverse work.

Tie ball and shuttle threads together.

1st row: R of 3 ds, 8 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 5 ds, p, 5 ds. Rw, r of 9 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 9 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 4 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 4 ds.

Rw, (sr of 11 ds, join to last p of previous r, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 3 ds, 7 ps sep by 3 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.) Clover leaf made.

* Rw, ch of 4 ds, 6 ps sep by 3 ds, 4 ds.

Rw, sr of 11 ds, join to p of sr, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 3 ds, 4 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl; rep from * twice more, on first rep only work 5 ds instead of 4 ds between first 3 ps and last 4 ps on lr.

Rw, ch of 4 ds, 6 ps sep by 3 ds, 4 ds.

Rw, make a clover leaf.

Rw, ch of 4 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 4 ds.

Rw, r of 9 ds, join to p of sr, 3 ds, 2 ps sep by 3 ds, 9 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 5 ds, p, 5 ds. Rw, r of 3 ds, 8 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 5 ds, join to p of last ch, 5 ds.

Rw, r of 9 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 9 ds, cl.

Rw, and complete other side of row to correspond, at same time joining the 3 outer ps of chs of 4 ps and 2

centre ps of chs of 6 ps.

Join p of last ch to p of 1st ch, join to base of 1st r.

Tie ends and cut.

2nd row: Tie threads together. Sr of 11 ds, p, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to last p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, join to last p of r last worked on 1st row, 3 ds, join to next p on same r, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.

* Rw, ch of 3 ds, 8 ps sep by 3 ds, 3ds.

Rw, sr of 11 ds, join to p of previous sr, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, join to 3rd p of lr of 1st row, 3 ds, join to next p of same lr, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl; rep from * 4 times more, joining to the next lr on each rep.

Rw, ch of 8 ps as before.

Rw, sr of 11 ds, join to p of previous sr, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, join to 1st p on next r of 1st row, 3 ds, join to next p on same r, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 8 ps as before. Rw, sr of 11 ds, join to p of sr, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, join to 4th p on next r of 1st row, 3 ds, 4 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 8 ps as before. Rw, r of 11 ds, join to p of sr, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

R of 4 ds, join to p of previous r, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 8 ps as before.

Rw, sr of 11 ds, join to p of last r, 7 ds, p, 4 ds, cl.

Lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, miss 2 ps of last lr, join to next p, 3 ds, join to adjacent p on r of 1st row, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.

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rep from *, omitting a shell 4 ch & a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

15th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, * 3 ch, into next sp work (1 trip tr, 3 ch) 4 times (2 shells made), a trip tr shell into next sp, 5 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr group, 3 ch, 5 trip tr into next trip tr, 3 ch, a cluster over next 5 trip tr group, 5 ch, a trip tr shell into sp of next shell; rep from *, omitting a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

16th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, (4 ch, miss next sp, a trip tr shell into sp of next shell) 3 times, * 5 ch, 1 dc into next trip tr, 5 ch, leaving the last lp of each on hook work 1 trip tr into same trip tr where dc was made and into each of next 4 trip tr, thread over and draw through all lps on hook, 5 ch, 1 dc into same trip tr where last trip tr was made, 5 ch, (a trip tr shell into sp of next shell, 4 ch) 3 times, a trip tr shell into sp of next shell; rep from *, omitting (a shell, 4 ch) 3 times and a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

17th row: Ss into next sp, 8 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, * 3

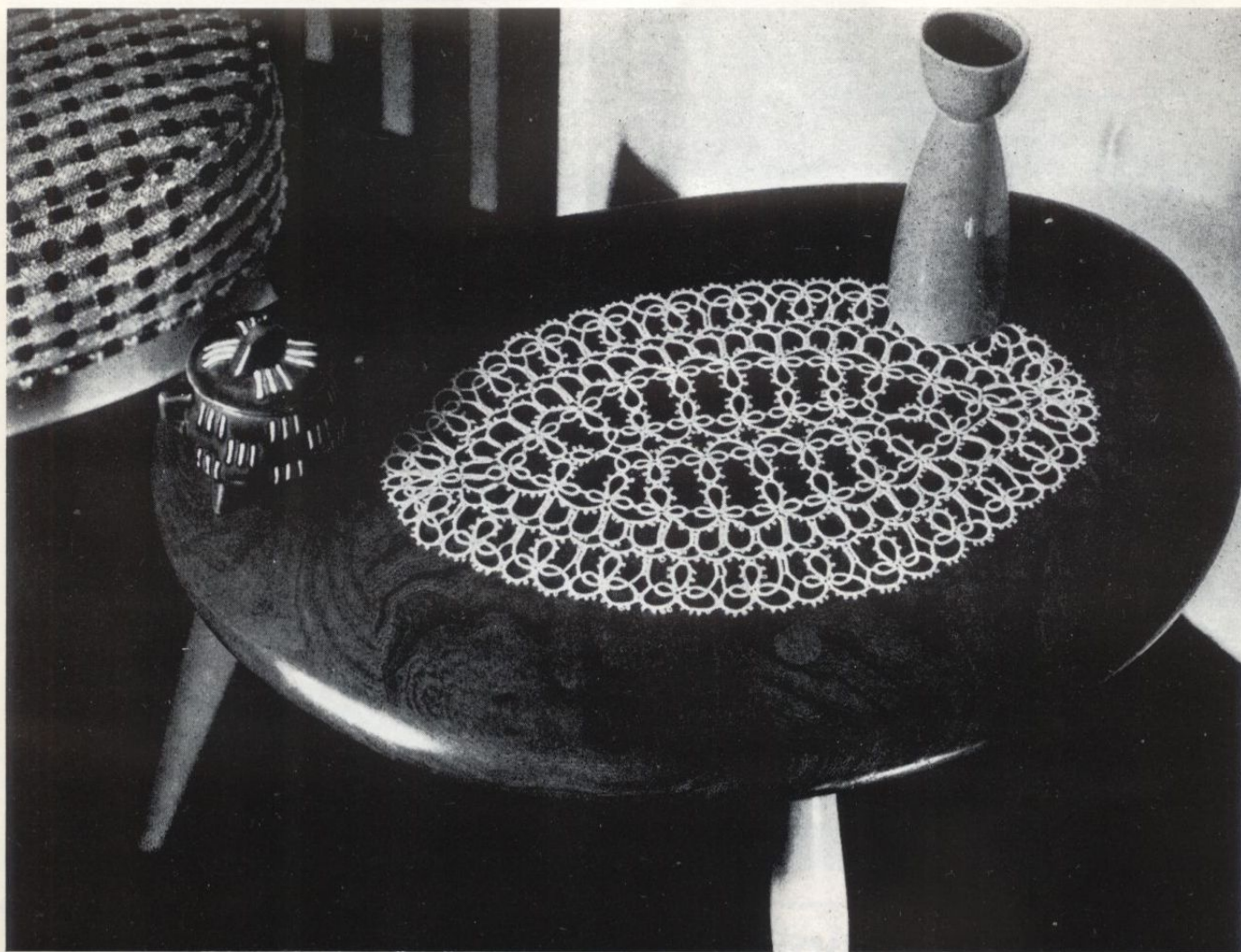
ch, into sp of next shell work (1 trip tr, 3 ch) 5 times & 1 trip tr (3 shells made), 3 ch, into sp of next shell work (1 trip tr, 3 ch) 5 times and 1 trip tr (another 3 shells made), 3 ch, a trip tr shell into next shell, 5 ch, 1 dc into tip of next cluster, 5 ch, 1 trip tr shell into next shell; rep from *, omitting a shell at end of last rep, 1 ss into 5th of 8 ch.

18th row: Ss into next sp, 11 ch, 1 dc into 5th ch from hook (picot made), 2 ch, 1 trip tr into same sp, * miss next sp, into sp of next shell work 1 trip tr 6 ch 1 dc into 5th ch from hook 2 ch & 1 trip tr; rep from * 6 times more, ** 6 ch, 1 dc into next dc, 6 ch, (into sp of next shell work 1 trip tr 6 ch 1 dc into 5th ch from hook 2 ch & 1 trip tr, miss next sp) 8 times; rep from **, ending with 6 ch, 1 dc into next dc, 6 ch, 1 ss into 5th of 11 ch.

Fasten off.

Damp and pin out to measurement.

Washing Instructions: Use a warm lather of pure soap flakes and hand wash in the usual way. Pull into shape when drying, and press with a hot iron on the wrong side. If the crochet requires slight stiffening, dip into a thin solution of starch.



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Rw, ch of 8 ps.

Rw and complete other side of row to correspond, joining p of last sr to p of 1st sr and last ch to base of 1st r.

Tie ends and cut.

3rd row: Tie threads together. R of 10 ds, join to last p on ch of 2nd row before two rings together at point, 3 ds, join to 1st p on next ch, 10 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 2 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to next p on same ch of 2nd row, (3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, miss 1 p on ch of 2nd row, join to next p, (3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to last p on same ch of 2nd row, * 2 ds, join to 1st p on next ch, (3 ds, join to adjacent p) 3 times, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 4 ds, miss 2 ps on same ch of 2nd row, join to next p, 2 ds, join to next p on same ch, 4 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to last p on same ch; rep from * 7 times more, 2 ds, join to 1st p on next ch of 2nd row, (3 ds, join to adjacent p) 3 times, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, miss 3 ps on ch of 2nd row, join to next p, (3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, miss p on ch of 2nd row, join to next p, (3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds.

Rw, r of 10 ds, join to last p on ch of 2nd row, 3 ds, join to 1st p on next ch, 10 ds, cl.

Rw, (ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to next p on ch.

Complete other side to correspond, join last 2 ps to first 2 ps of ch and to base of r.

Tie ends and cut.

4th row: Tie threads together. R of 10 ds, join to same p as 2nd last p of last ch was joined, 10 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to 1st free p on ch of 3rd row, * ch of 3 ds, p, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, p, 3 ds, p, 3 ds, join to 1st p on next ch; rep from * 20 times more, ch of 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds.

Rw, r of 10 ds, join to p between 2 chs, 10 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, miss 1 p on ch of 3rd row, join to next p, ** ch of 3 ds, p, 3 ds, p, 2 ds, p, 3 ds, p, 3 ds, miss 2 ps on next ch, join to next p; rep from ** 20 times more, missing 1 p instead of 2 ps on last rep, ch of 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to base of r.

Tie ends and cut.

5th row: Tie threads together. Lr of 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 3 ds, join to base of r on 4th row, 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 3 ds, cl.

Sr of 3 ds, join to last p of lr, 4 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, p, 5 ds, join to 1st p of ch on 4th row, 5 ds, join to adjacent p, 4 ds, join to ds which joins ch to sr.

Rw, r of 3 ds, p, 4 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to last p of sr.

Rw, lr of 4 ds, join to next p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, join to next p of ch on 4th row, 3 ds, join to next p on same ch, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 3 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

* Rw, ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, 6 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr, ch of 5 ds, p, 6 ds, miss 1 p on next ch of 4th row, join to next p, 2 ds, join to next p, 6 ds,

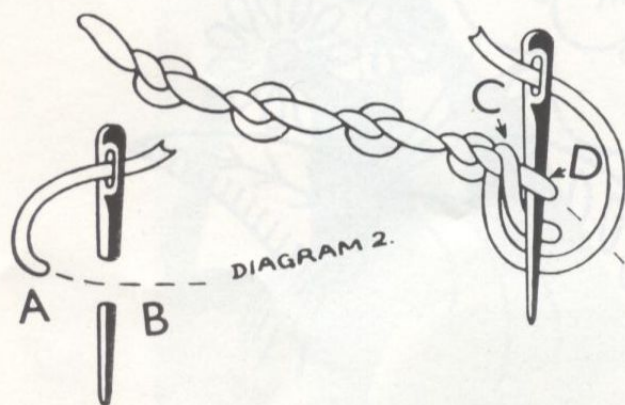
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Embroidered Sheet and Pillowcase

(Photograph overleaf.)

Materials: Stranded cotton: 1 skein each of chartreuse green, light green, raspberry, kingfisher blue, dark green and grey. Use 3 strands throughout. White linen or cotton sheet and pillowcase. 1 crewel needle (no. 6).

Trace the spray (page 9.) at top left hand corner of pillowcase 9cm from edges and on top left corner on right side of sheet 9cm from top edge and 2.5cm from side. Reverse the motif for top right hand corner of sheet and trace in same way.



Follow Diagram 1 (page 9) and number key for the embroidery.

All parts similar to numbered parts are worked in same colour and stitch.

Diagram 2 (below left); **Double Knot Stitch:** Bring the thread through at (A). Make a small stitch across the line at (B). Pass the needle down wards under the surface stitch just made, without piercing the fabric as at (C). With the thread under the needle, pass the needle again under the first stitch at (D). Pull the thread through to form a knot. The knots should be spaced evenly and closely to obtain a beaded effect.

Diagram 3 (below); **Twisted Chain Stitch:** Commence as for ordinary chain stitch, but instead of inserting the needle where it emerged, insert close to last loop and take a small slanting stitch coming out on the line of design. Pull thread through. The loops of this stitch should be worked closely together to have the required effect.

Press embroidery on wrong side.



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join to adjacent p, 5 ds.

Rw, sr of 7 ds, p, 4 ds, p, 11 ds, cl.

Rw, (ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to last p of sr.

Rw, lr of 4 ds, join to p on sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, miss 1 p on next ch of 4th row, join to next p, 2 ds, join to next p, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr to 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 7 ds, p, 11 ds, cl; rep from * 9 times more.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, 6 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr, ch of 5 ds, p, 6 ds, miss 1 p on next ch of 4th row, join to next p, 2 ds, join to next p, 6 ds, join to adjacent p, 5 ds.

Rw, sr of 3 ds, p, 4 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

Rw, (ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p) twice, 3 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr.

Rw, lr of 4 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, join to 1st p on next ch of 4th row, 3 ds, join to next p on same ch, 4 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 4 ds, cl.

Sr of 4 ds, join to last p of lr, 3 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, 5 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, p, 5 ds, join to next p on ch of 4th row, 5 ds, join to adjacent p, 4 ds, join to ds which joins ch to sr.

Rw, sr of 4 ds, p, 3 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr.

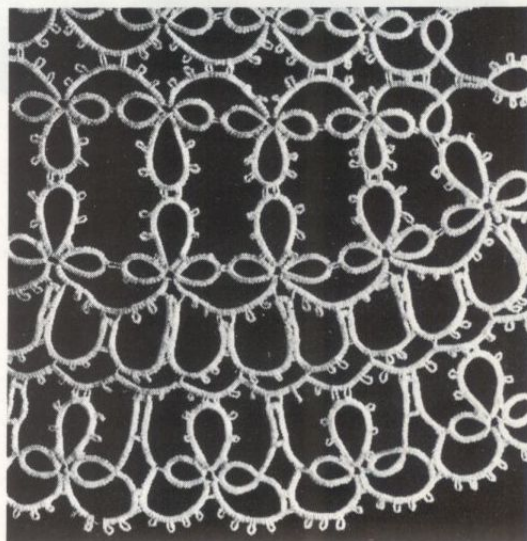
Rw, lr of 3 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, 2 ps sep by 4 ds, 3 ds, join to base of r on 4th row, 3 ds, 3 ps sep by 4 ds, 3 ds, cl. Sr of 3 ds, join to last p of lr, 4 ds, p, 7 ds, cl.

Rw, ch of 3 ds, join to adjacent p, 3 ds, 4 ps sep by 3 ds, 3 ds, join to p of sr, 4 ds, p, 5 ds, join to 1st p of next ch on 4th row, 5 ds, join to adjacent p, 4 ds, join to ds which joins ch to sr.

Rw and complete tother side to correspond, joining 1st p of last sr to first p of 1st lr; join 4th p of last ch to 1st p of 1st ch, 3 ds, join to p on last sr and to base of 1st lr.

Tie ends and cut. Damp and press.

Washing Instructions: Use a warm lather of pure soap flakes and hand wash in the usual way. Pull into shape when drying, and press with a hot iron on the wrong side. If the tatting requires slight stiffening, dip into a thin solution of starch.





KEY TO DIAGRAM 1

1 - Chartreuse Green

2 - Grey

3 - Light Green

4 - Dark Green

5 - Kingfisher Blue

6 - Light Green

7 - Raspberry

8 - Raspberry

9 - Light Green

10 - Light Green

11 - Grey

12 - Light Green

13 - Chartreuse Green

14 - Chartreuse Green

15 - Kingfisher Blue

16 - Raspberry

17 - Grey

18 - Dark Green

- Stem Stitch

- Chain Stitch

- Twisted Chain Stitch

- Blanket Stitch

- Closed Blanket Stitch

- Satin Stitch

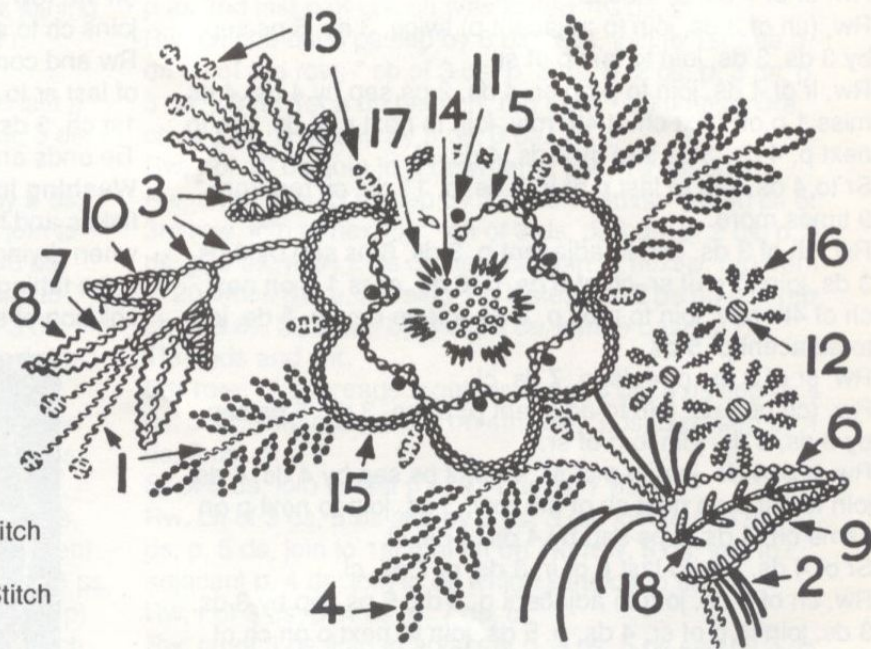
- French Knots

- Double Knot Stitch

- Herringbone Stitch

- Straight Stitch

- Fly Stitch







Materials: Yarn no. 10 (20g) 3 balls selected colour.
1.5mm crochet hook (slack workers could use a 1.25mm hook and tight workers a 1.75mm hook).

Measurement: 40cm in diameter.

Tension: First three rows = 4cm in diameter.

Commence with 6 ch, join with ss to form a ring.

1st row: 3 ch, 22 tr into ring, join with 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch.

2nd row: 3 ch, 1 tr into same place as ss, 2 tr into each tr all round, join with 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch.

3rd row: 1 dc into same place as ss, * 3 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 dc into next tr; rep from *, ending with 3 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

4th row: Ss into next lp, 3 ch, 1 tr into same lp, * 3 ch, 2 tr into next lp, leaving the last lp of each on hook, thread over and draw through all lps on hook (cluster made); rep from *, ending with 3 ch, 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch (23 clusters).

5th row: Ss into next sp, 4 ch, 3 dbl tr into same sp, 4

dbl tr into each sp all round, join with 1 ss into 4th of 4 ch.

6th row: 1 dc into same place as ss, * 3 ch, miss 1 dbl tr, 1 dc into next dbl tr; rep from *, ending with 3 ch, 1 ss into first dc (46 lps).

7th row: Ss to centre of lp, 1 dc into lp, * 4 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with 4 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

8th row: Ss into each of next 2 ch and into lp, 3 ch, 2 tr into same lp, * 2 ch, 1 dc into next lp, 2 ch, 3 tr into next lp (shell made); rep from *, ending with 2 ch, 1 dc into last lp, 2 ch, 1ss into 3rd of 3 ch (23 shells).

9th row: Ss into next tr, 1 dc into same place, * 2 ch, 3 tr into next dc, 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from * all round, ending with 2 ch, 3 tr into next dc, 2 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

10th row: 3 ch, 2 tr into same place as ss, * 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, 2 ch, shell into next dc; rep from *, ending with 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of last shell, 2 ch, 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch.

11th row: As 9th row.

12th row: 3 ch, 4 tr into same place as ss, * 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, 2 ch, a 5 tr shell into next dc;

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rep from *, ending with 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of last shell, 2 ch, 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch.

13th row: Ss to centre tr of next shell, 1 dc into same place, * 2 ch, 5 tr shell into next dc, 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from *, ending with 2 ch, a 5 tr shell into next dc, 2 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

14th row: As 12th row.

15th row: Ss to centre of next shell, 1 dc into same-place, * 2 ch, a 7 dbl tr shell into next dc, 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from *, ending with 2 ch, a 7 dbl tr shell into next dc, 2 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

16th row: 4 ch, 6 dbl tr into same place as ss, * 2 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, 2 ch, a 7 dbl tr shell into next dc; rep from *, ending with 2 ch, 1 dc into centre of last shell, 2 ch, 1 ss into 4th of 4 ch.

17th row: As 15th row.

18th row: As 16th row.

19th row: 1 dc into next dbl tr, * (3 ch, miss 1 dbl tr, 1 dc into next dbl tr) twice, (3 ch, 1 dc into next sp) twice, 3 ch, miss 1 dbl tr, 1 dc into next dbl tr; rep from *, omitting dc at end of last rep, 1 ss into first dc (115 lps).

20th row: Ss to centre of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * 3 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with 3 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

21st row: As 20th row.

22nd to 29th row: As 20th row, working 5 ch lps instead of 3 ch.

30th row: Ss to centre of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 4 times, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with a 3 tr shell into same place as last ss of previous row, 1 ss into first dc.

31st row: Ss to centre of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) twice, a 3 tr shell into next dc, miss 1 lp, 1 dc into first tr of next shell, 3 ch, 1 dc into 3rd tr of same shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, working last shell into same place as last ss of previous row, 1 ss into first dc.

32nd row: Ss to centre of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * 5 ch, 1 dc into next lp, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into

next lp, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, working last shell into same place as last ss of previous row, 1 ss into first dc.

33rd row: Ss to centre of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * (a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell) twice, 5 ch, (1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc) twice, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, working last shell into same place as last ss of previous row, 1 ss into first dc.

34th row: 3 ch, 2 tr into same place as ss, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, * 5 ch, 1 dc into next lp, 5 ch, (1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc) 3 times, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, 1 dc into next lp, 5 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch.

35th row: Ss into next tr, 1 dc into same place, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, * (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) twice, 5 ch, (1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc) twice, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from *, omitting 1 dc a 3 tr shell & 1 dc at end of last rep, 1 ss into first dc.

36th row: 3 ch, 2 tr into same place as ss, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, * (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 3 times, 5 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell, a 3 tr shell into next dc, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from *, omitting a 3 tr shell and 1 dc at end of last rep, 1 ss into 3rd of 3 ch.

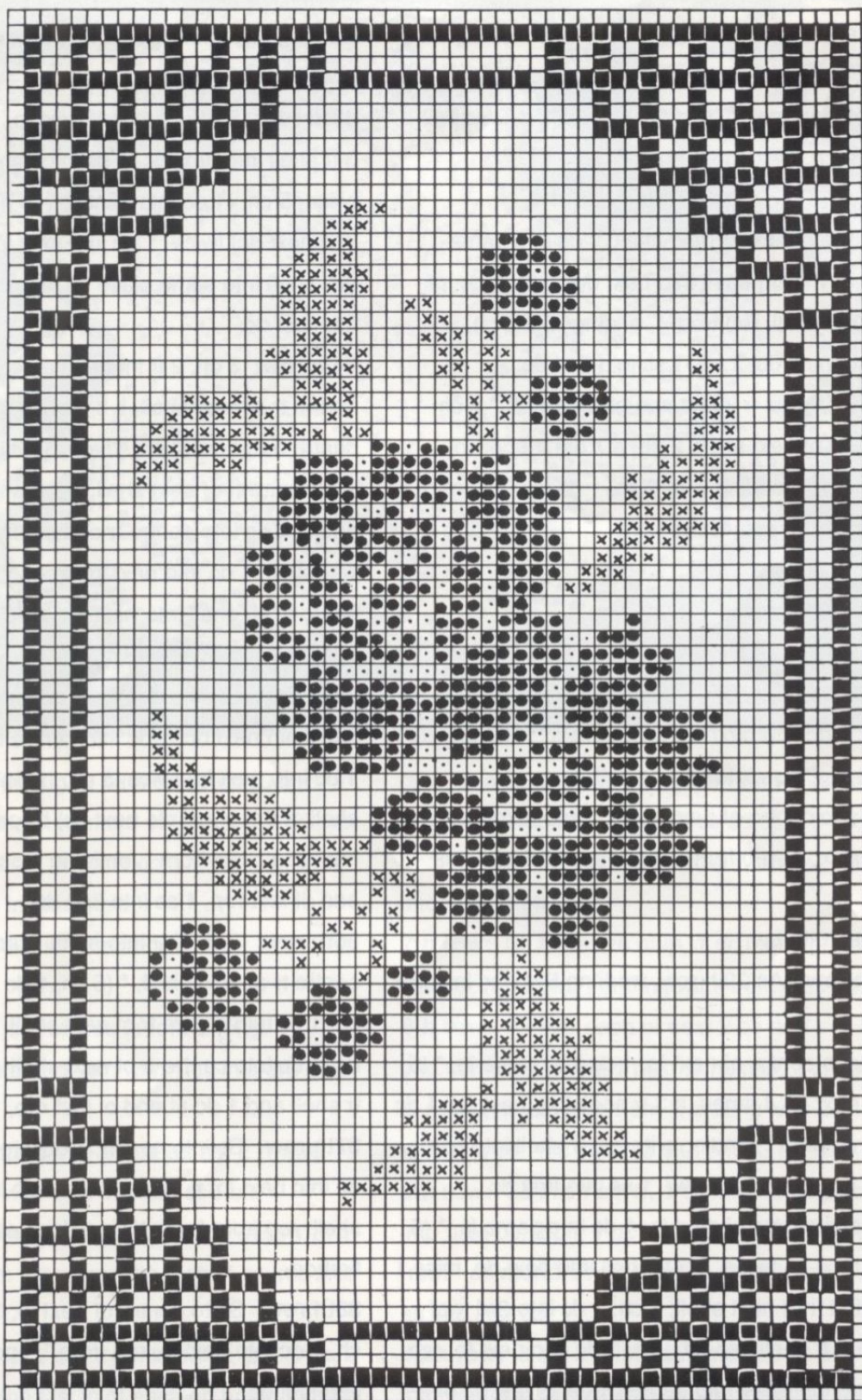
37th row: Ss into next tr, 1 dc into same place, * (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 4 times, 5 ch, 1 dc into centre tr of next shell; rep from *, omitting 1 dc at end of last rep, 1 ss into first dc.

38th row: Ss to centre of next lp, 1 dc into same lp, * 5 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, ending with 5 ch, 1 ss into first dc.

Fasten off. Starch lightly and press.

Washing Instructions: Use a warm lather of pure soap flakes and hand wash in the usual way. Pull into shape when drying, and press with a hot iron on the wrong side. If the crochet requires slight stiffening, dip into a thin solution of starch.

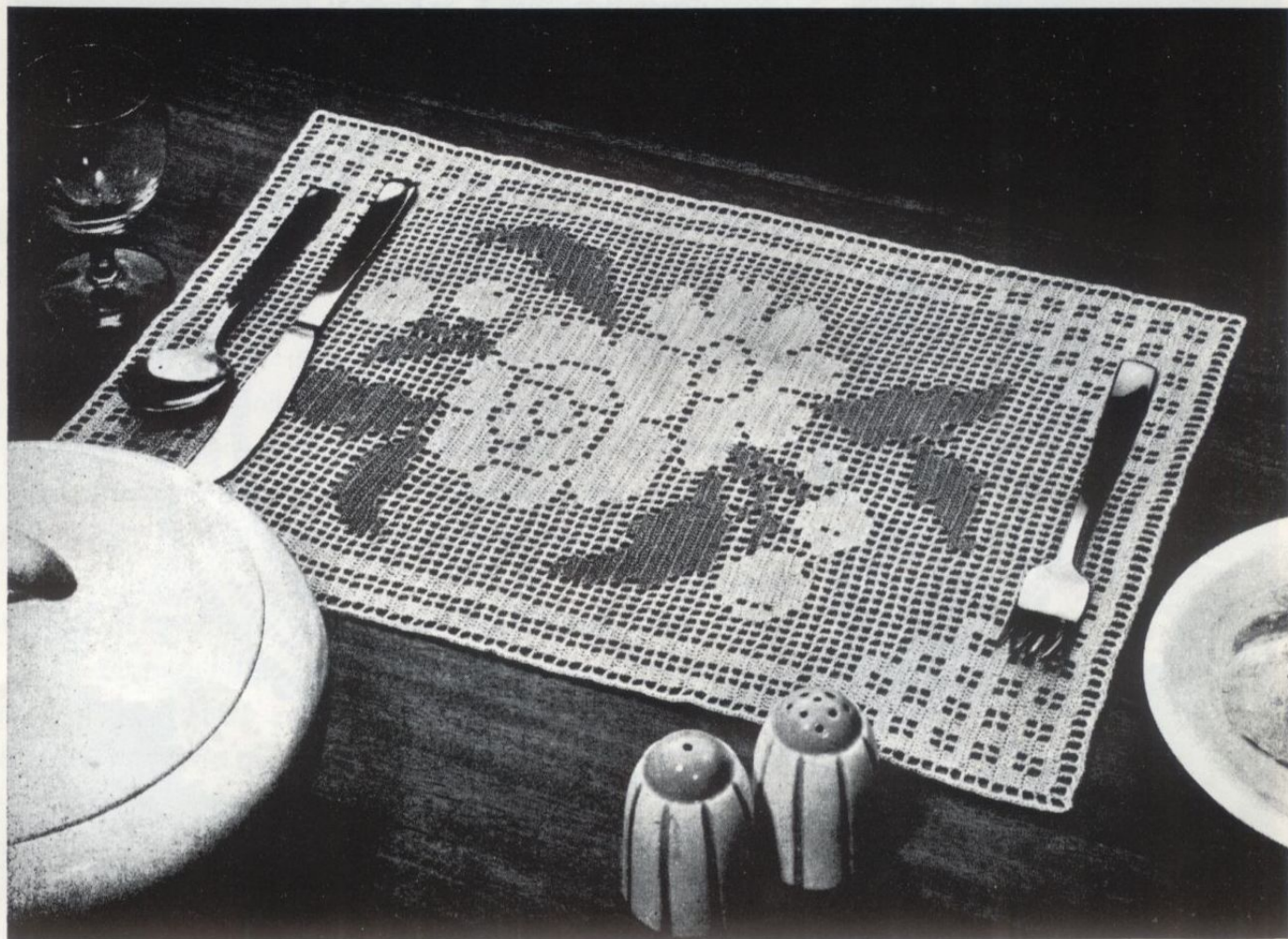
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Commence ch here →

KEY
 — DARK ECRU - SPACE • — CORAL PINK - SPACE ■ — DARK ECRU - BLOCK
 ● — CORAL PINK - BLOCK X — LAUREL GREEN - BLOCK

Rose Filet Doily



Materials: Yarn no. 20 (20g) 2 balls dark ecru, 1 ball each of coral pink & laurel green.

1.25mm crochet hook (slack workers could use a 1mm hook and tight workers a 1.5mm hook).

Measurements: 28cm x 44.5cm.

Tension: 2 sps and 2 rows = 1 cm.

Using ecru commence with 167 ch.

1st row: 1 tr into 8th ch from hook (sp made), * 2 ch, miss 2 ch, 1 tr into next ch; rep from * 52 times more (54 sps), 5 ch, turn.

2nd row: Miss first tr, 1 tr into next tr (sp made over sp), 2 tr into next sp, 1 tr into next tr (blk made over sp); rep from * 51 times more, 2 ch, miss 2 ch, 1 tr into next ch, 5 ch, turn.

3rd row: Miss first tr, 1 tr into each of next 4 tr (blk made over blk), (2 ch, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into next tr) twice (2 sps made over 2 blks), (1 blk, 2 sps) 5 times, 1 blk, 14 sps, (1 blk, 2 sps) 6 times, 1 blk, 1 sp, 5 ch, turn.

Foll diagram from 4th to 12th row.

13th row: 1 sp, (1 blk, 2 sps) 3 times, 1 blk, 20 sps, 2 ch, drop ecru, attach green and working over ecru in order to conceal it, work 1 tr into next tr, 2 tr into next sp, 1 tr into next tr leaving the last lp on hook, drop green, draw ecru lp through - always change colours in this manner - do not work over green, 10 sps, (1 blk, 2 sps) 3 times, 1 blk, 1 sp, 5 ch, turn. Now cont to foll diagram to

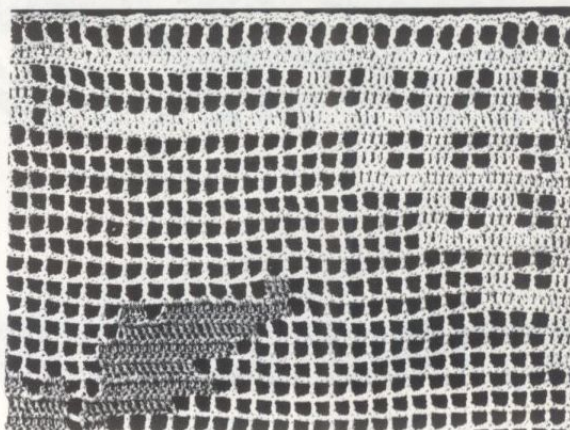
top, changing colours as before, always attaching a separate thread of green for leaves and pink for each new flower and breaking off green at end of leaves and pink at end of flowers.

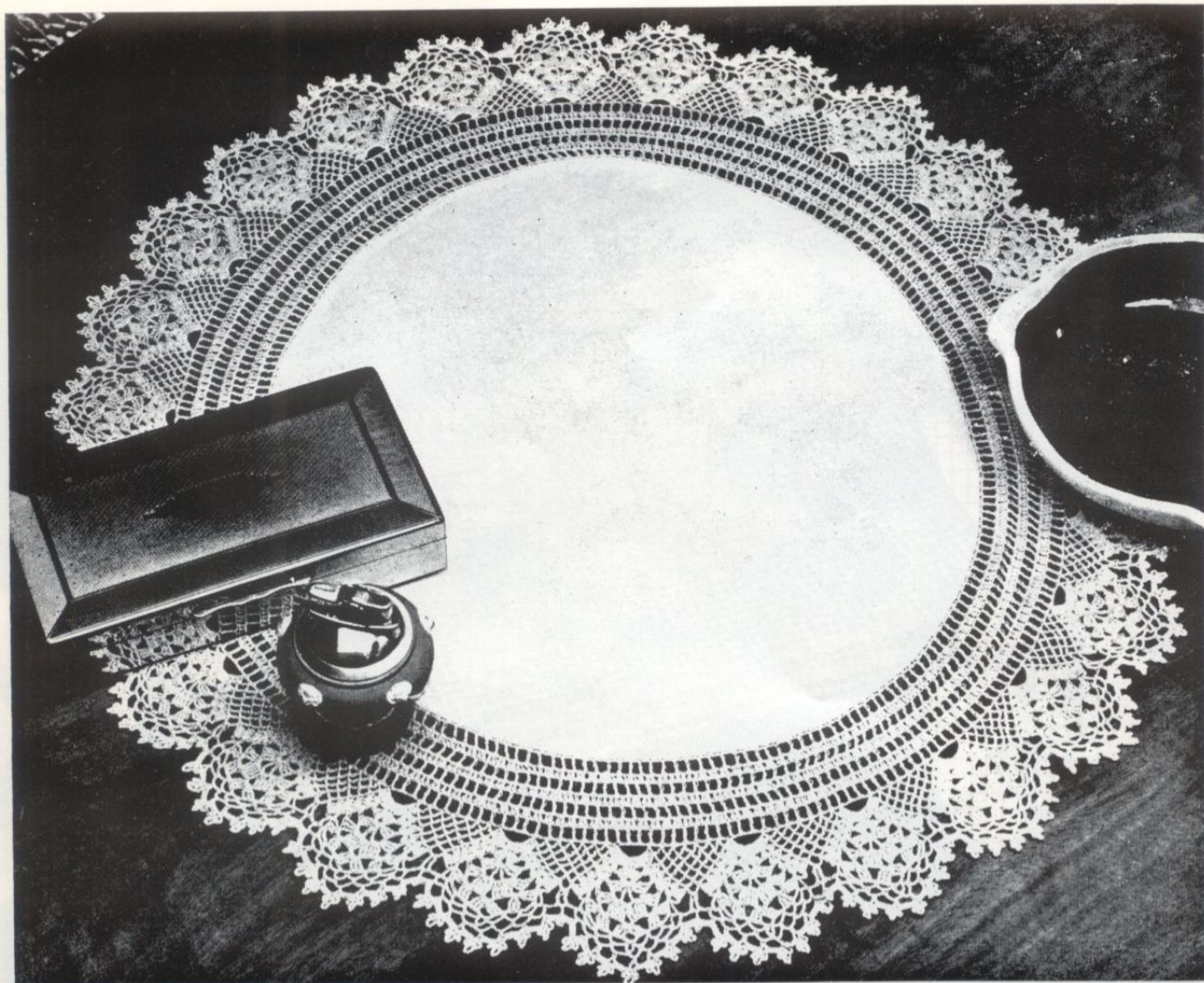
Fasten off.

Edging: Attach ecru to any corner sp, 7 dc into same sp, 3 dc into each sp making 7 dc into each corner sp, 1 ss into first dc.

Fasten off.

Starch and pin out to measurements.





Materials: Yarn no. 40 (20g) 2 balls selected colour.
 Matching piece of linen 35cm x 95cm wide.
 1.00mm crochet hook (Slack workers could use a 0.75mm
 hook and tight workers a 1.25mm.)

Depth of Edging: 9cm.

Measurement: 50cm in diameter.

CENTREPIECE

Cut a piece of linen 33cm in diameter.
 Make a narrow hem all round.

EDGING

1st row: Attach thread to edge of linen, 1 dc into same place
 as join, * 1 ch, 1 dc into linen; rep from * having 228 dc on
 row (about 11 dc to 5cm), 1 ss into first dc.

2nd row: 5 ch, * 1 dbl tr into next dc, 1 ch; rep from *, ending
 with 1 ss into 4th of 5 ch.

3rd row: 3 ch, 1 tr into each dbl tr and into each 1 ch sp inc
 28 tr evenly on row (to inc work 2 tr into same place), 1 ss
 into 3rd of 3 ch.

4th row: 5 ch, * miss next tr, 1 dbl tr into next tr, 1 ch; rep
 from *, ending with 1 ss into 4th of 5 ch.

5th to 8th row: Rep 3rd and 4th rows alt, there should be
 270 sps on 8th row, 1 ss into 4th of 5 ch.

9th row: * (5 ch, 1 ss into next dbl tr) 7 times, 10 ch, miss
 2 dbl tr, 1 ss into next dbl tr; rep from *, ending with 1 ss into
 base of first 5 ch.

10th row: Ss to centre of lp, * (5 ch, 1 ss into next lp) 6 times,
 13 tr into next lp, 1 ss into next lp; rep from *, ending with last

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ss into first lp.

11th row: Ss to centre of lp, * (5 ch, 1 ss into next lp) 5 times, miss next 2 tr, 4 tr into next tr, miss 3 tr, into next tr work 3 tr 3 ch & 3 tr (shell made), miss 3 tr, 4 tr into next tr, 1 ss into next 5 ch lp; rep from *, ending with last ss into first lp.

12th row: Ss to centre of lp, * (5 ch, 1 ss into next lp) 4 times, 4 tr into sp between 2nd and 3rd tr of next 4 tr group, into 3 ch sp of next shell work 3 dbl tr (3 ch & 1 dbl tr) twice 3 ch & 3 dbl tr, 4 tr between 2nd and 3rd tr of next 4 tr group, 1 ss into next 5 ch lp; rep from *, ending with last ss into first lp.

13th row: Ss to centre of lp, * (5 ch, 1 ss into next lp) 3 times, 4 tr into centre of next 4 tr group as before, into next 3 ch sp work 3 dbl tr 3 ch & 3 dbl tr, into next 3 ch sp work 2 dbl tr 3 ch & 2 dbl tr, into next 3 ch sp work 3 dbl tr 3 ch & 3 dbl tr, 4 tr into centre of next 4 tr group, 1 ss into next 5 ch lp; rep from *, ending with last ss into first lp.

14th row: Ss to centre of lp, * (5 ch, 1 ss into next lp) twice, 4 tr into centre of next 4 tr group, (into next 3 ch sp work 3 dbl tr 4 ch & 3 dbl tr) 3 times, 4 tr into centre of next 4 tr group, 1 ss into next lp; rep from *, ending with last ss into first lp.

15th row: Ss to centre of lp, 1 dc into same lp, 5 ch, 1 dc into next lp, * 4 tr into centre of next 4 tr group, 3 ch, 1 dc into sp between the 4 tr group and the foll 3 dbl tr group, 5 ch, miss 2 dbl tr, (1 dc into next dbl tr, 5 ch) twice, miss 2 dbl tr, 1 dc into sp between this dbl tr group and the foll dbl tr group, 5 ch, into next lp work 1 dc 5 ch & 1 dc, 5 ch, 1 dc into sp between next 2 dbl tr groups, 5 ch, miss 2 dbl tr, (1 dc into next dbl tr, 5 ch) twice, 1 dc into sp between the 3 dbl tr group and the 4 tr group (9 lps of 5 ch), 3 ch, 4 tr between 2nd and 3rd tr of next 4 tr group, 1 dc into next 5 ch lp, 5 ch, 1 dc into next lp; rep from *, omitting 1 dc at end of last rep, 1 ss into first lp. Fasten off.

16th row: Attach thread to last 5 ch lp of last 9 lps of 5 ch,

* 2 ch, into next 5 ch lp work 1 dbl tr 1 ch & 1 dbl tr, 2 ch, 1 dc into next 5 ch lp, (5 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 8 times; rep from *, ending with last dc into same place as join.

17th row: Turn, ss back to middle of last lp made, turn, 1 dc into same place, * 3 ch, 1 tr into sp between dbl tr, 3 ch, 1 dc into next 5 ch lp, (7 ch, 1 dc into next lp) 7 times; rep from *, omitting 1 dc at end of last rep, 1 ss into first dc.

18th row: * 3 dc into next 3 ch sp, 1 dc into next tr, 3 ch, 1 dc into last dc made (picot made), 3 dc into next sp, into each 7 ch lp work 4 dc 3 ch 1 dc into last dc, 5 ch, 1 dc into same place as last dc, 3 ch, 1 dc into same place as last dc (a triple picot made); rep from *, ending with 1 ss into first dc.

Fasten off.

Damp and press.

WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

Use a warm lather of pure soap flakes and hand wash in the usual way. Pull into shape when drying, and press with a hot iron on the wrong side. If the tatting requires slight stiffening, dip into a thin solution of starch.



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Cross Stitch Cushion

Materials: Stranded cotton: 3 skeins each of light blue and cobalt blue, 2 skeins each of navy blue and white.
Use 4 strands throughout.
92cm cross stitching fabric (56cm wide).
1 tapestry needle.

Cut two 46cm squares from fabric and work the design centrally on one piece. Fold the diagram and key for the embroidery.

The design is worked in Cross Stitch, each cross over 2 threads each way of fabric - 8 crosses to 2.5cm.
Commencing the embroidery in the exact centre of fabric,

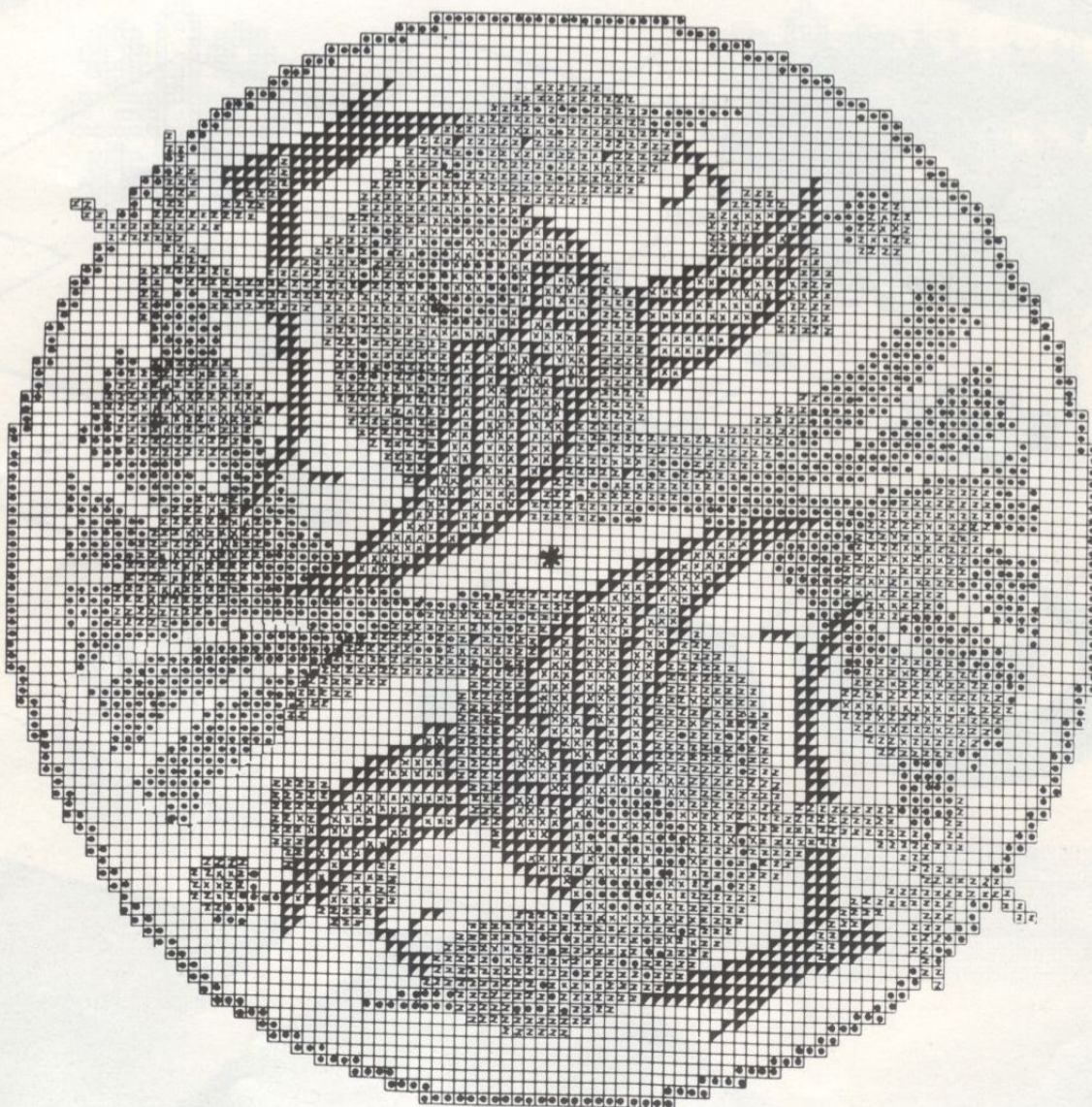
working outwards on each side from centre of diagram (marked by *). The background squares of diagram represent 2 threads of fabric.

Press well on wrong side.

Cut a 43.5cm circle from stiff paper. Pin circle over embroidery so that centre points coincide. Cut fabric round pattern. Cut back of cushion to correspond. From rem fabric cut strips 5 cm wide to make a gusset 137cm long (the perimeter of the cushion).

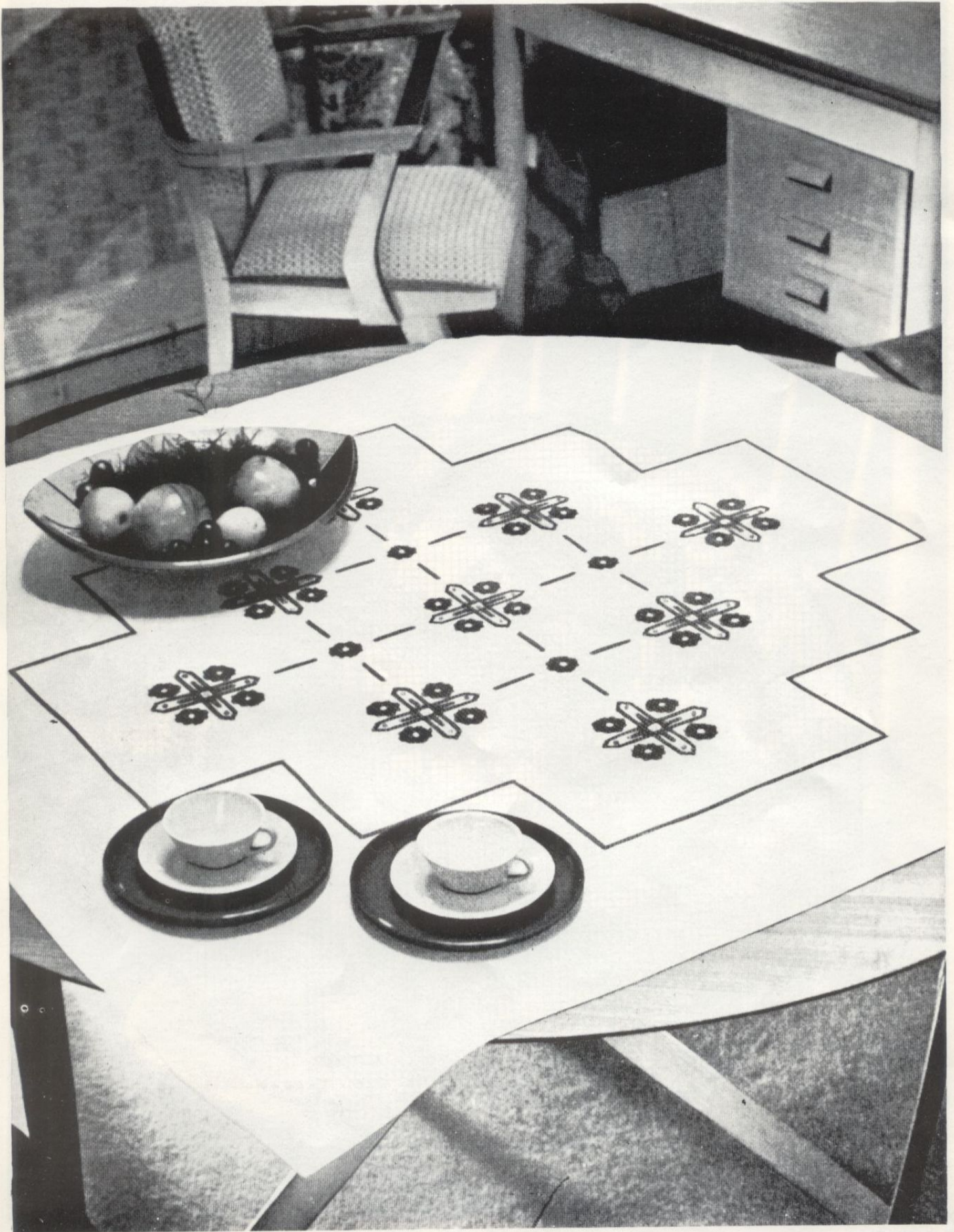
Join gusset to cushion front, then join cushion back to gusset leaving an opening to insert pad.

Slip stitch the opening



KEY

- X - White
- Z - Light Blue
- - Cobalt Blue
- △ - Navy Blue



Openwork Tablecloth

Materials: Stranded cotton: 6 skeins each of black and red. Use 4 strands throughout.
115cm evenweave linen (ivory).
1 tapestry needle.

Mark the centre both ways of fabric with basting stitches to divide into quarters.

The layout diagram 1 (*below*) shows one quarter of the design, the dividing threads being indicated by dotted lines.

The numbers on diagram 1 indicate the fabric threads missed between the motifs and lines of Foursided Stitch.

The design is worked throughout in Foursided Stitch, each stitch over 4 threads of fabric.
Follow diagram 2 (*below*) for method of working Four Sided Stitch.

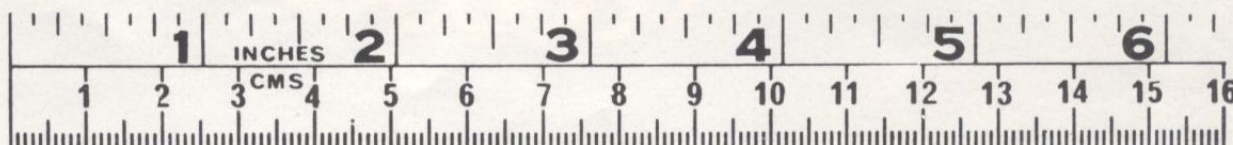
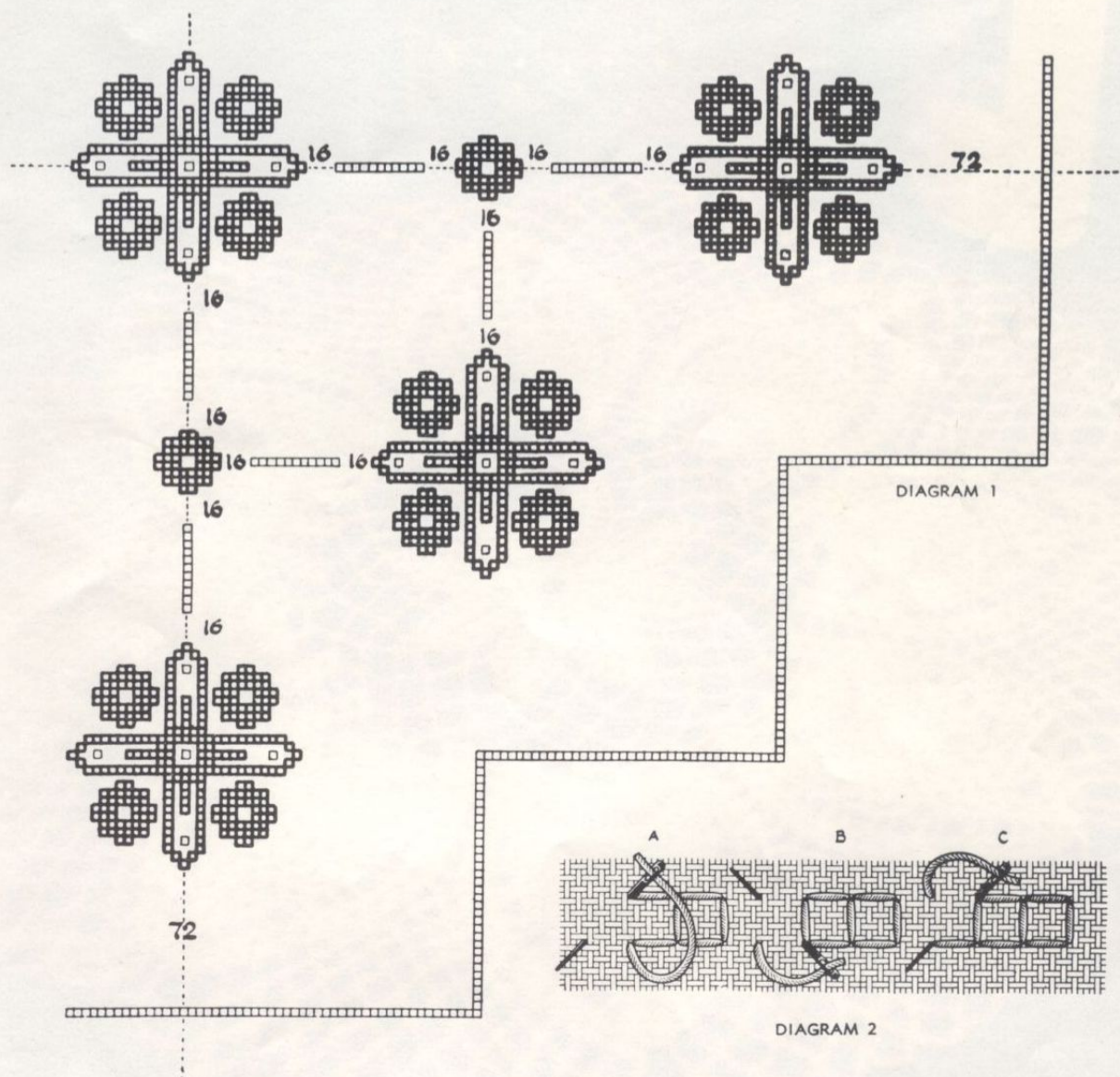
All motifs are worked in black, except the five small single squares in the large motifs, these and all lines are worked in red.

Commence in the exact centre of fabric and work outwards on each side.

Press finished embroidery well on wrong side.

Turn back 2.5cm hem to wrong side, mitre corners and slipstitch.

WORKING DIAGRAM FOR OPENWORK TABLECLOTH



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