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PLACE MATS and DOILIES



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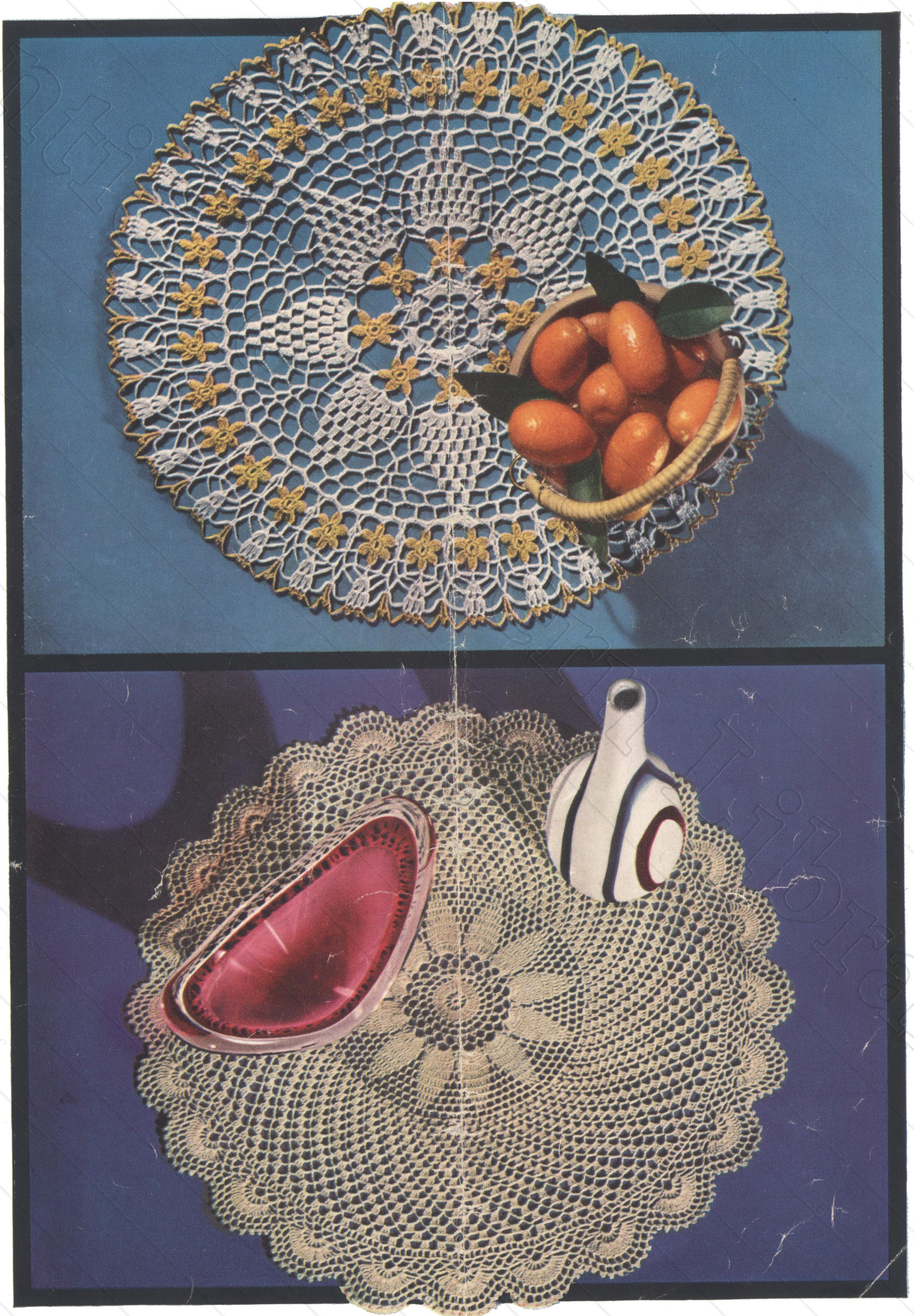
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**Year in and year out, come fads and fashions,
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In recent surveys, answers to the question "Why do you crochet" show that most people like first, the relaxation it gives and second, the attractive models they can make. Home decoration, smart accessories and fashion-right clothing—all are at the fingertips of the clever crocheter. As she creates beautiful lace or interesting fabrics, she gives expression to her artistic instincts and finds blessed relaxation at the same time.

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ORANGE BLOSSOM

S-748

Illustrated at top of page 3 . . . Doily measures 11½ inches in diameter.

J. & P. COATS BIG BALL BEST SIX CORD MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. A.104, Size 30: 1 ball each of White and No. 43 Dk. Yellow; or

CLARK'S BIG BALL MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. B.34, Size 30: 1 ball each of White and No. 43 Dk. Yellow.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 10.

CENTER . . . With White, ch 10. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Make 16 sc in ring. Join. **2nd rnd:** Ch 7, * skip next sc, dc in next sc, ch 4. Repeat from * around. Join last ch-4 to 3rd ch of ch-7. **3rd rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next sp, ch 10, * dc in next sp, ch 7. Repeat from * around. Join last ch-7 to 3rd ch of ch-10. **4th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 3, 8 dc in same loop, * ch 4, 9 dc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join and break off.

FLOWER (Make 8) . . . Starting at center with Dk. Yellow, ch 8. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Make 12 sc in ring. Join. **2nd rnd:** * Ch 4, holding back on hook the last loop of each tr, make 2 tr in next sc, thread over and draw through all loops on hook, ch 4, sl st in next sc. Repeat from * around. Join and break off.

Now join Flowers to Center as follows: Attach White to any ch-4 loop on Center, sl st in tip of any petal on one Flower, * ch 4, skip next 4 dc on Center, sl st in next dc, ch 7, sl st in tip of next petal of same Flower, ch 3, sl st in 3rd ch preceding last sl st, ch 3, sl st in any petal on next Flower, ch 3, sl st in same ch on Center as last sl st was made, ch 3, sl st in same dc as first sl st was made, ch 4, sl st in next loop on Center, sl st in next petal on same Flower. Repeat from * until 3 petals on each Flower have been joined. Join and break off.

Now work around Flowers as follows: **1st rnd:** Attach White to tip of first free petal on any Flower, sc in same place, * (ch 7, sc in tip of next petal) twice; ch 7, sc in free petal of next Flower. Repeat from * around. Join. **2nd rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, holding back on hook the last loop of each tr, make 2 tr in same loop, thread over and draw through all loops on hook (cluster made), ch 2, in same loop make (3-tr cluster, ch 2) 3 times; in next loop make (3-tr cluster, ch 2) 4 times; * dc in next loop, ch 2, in each of next 2 loops make (cluster, ch 2) 4 times. Repeat from * around. Join to tip of first cluster. **3rd rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, make 2-tr cluster in same loop, * (ch 2, 3-tr cluster in next loop) 6 times; ch 5, sc in next dc, ch 5, 3-tr cluster in next loop between clusters. Repeat from * around. Join. **4th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, cluster in same loop, * (ch 2, cluster in next loop) 5 times; ch 5, sc in next loop, ch 2, sc in next loop, ch 5, cluster in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **5th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, cluster in same loop, * (ch 2,

cluster in next loop) 4 times; (ch 5, sc in next ch-5 loop) twice; ch 5, cluster in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **6th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, cluster in same loop, * (ch 2, cluster in next loop) 3 times; ch 5, sc in next loop, ch 5, in center ch of next loop make tr, ch 3 and tr; ch 5, sc in next loop, ch 5, cluster in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **7th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, cluster in same loop, * (ch 2, cluster in next loop) twice; ch 7, skip next loop, tr in center ch of next loop, ch 5, in next loop make tr, ch 3 and tr; ch 5, tr in center ch of next loop, ch 7, skip next loop, cluster in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **8th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 4, cluster in same loop, * ch 3, cluster in next loop, (ch 5, tr in next loop) twice; ch 5, in next loop make tr, ch 3 and tr; (ch 5, tr in next loop) twice; ch 5, cluster in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **9th rnd:** Sl st in next ch and in next loop, ch 9, * tr in next loop, ch 5. Repeat from * around. Join and break off (64 loops).

Make 32 Flowers as before. Join Flowers as follows: Attach White to any loop, 3 sc in same loop, sl st in tip of any petal on any Flower, * 3 sc in same loop, 3 sc in next loop, ch 7, sl st in next petal of same Flower, ch 3, sl st in 3rd ch preceding last sl st, ch 3, sl st in any petal on next Flower, ch 3, sl st in same ch as last sl st was made, ch 3, 3 sc in same loop as last 3 sc were made, 3 sc in next loop, sl st in next petal. Repeat from * around until 3 petals on each Flower have been joined. Join and break off.

Now work around Flowers as follows: **1st rnd:** Attach White to tip of center free petal on any Flower, sc in same place, ch 7, sc in next petal, * ch 3, holding back on hook the last loop of each d tr, make d tr in each of next 2 joining loops between flowers, thread over and draw through all loops on hook (joint d tr made), ch 3, sc in next free petal, (ch 7, sc in next petal) twice. Repeat from * around. Join. **2nd rnd:** Ch 8, * sc in next loop, ch 5, sc in next joint d tr, ch 5, sc in next loop, ch 5, dc in next sc, ch 5. Repeat from * around. Join last ch-5 to 3rd ch of ch-8. **3rd rnd:** Ch 4, tr in same place as sl st, ch 2, in same place make 2-tr cluster, ch 2 and 2-tr cluster; * ch 7, skip next loop, sc in next loop, ch 7, sc in next loop, ch 7, in next dc make (2-tr cluster, ch 2) twice and 2-tr cluster. Repeat from * around. Join. **4th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 4, in same sp make tr, ch 2 and 2-tr cluster; * ch 2, in next sp make 2-tr cluster, ch 2 and 2-tr cluster; ch 9, skip next loop, sc in next loop, ch 9, in next ch-2 sp make 2-tr cluster, ch 2 and 2-tr cluster. Repeat from * around. Join and break off. **5th rnd:** Attach Yellow to first ch-2 sp between clusters, sc in same sp, * (ch 3, sc in 3rd ch from hook—picot made—sc in next sp) twice; ch 10, in next sc make d tr, picot and d tr; ch 10, sc in next sp between clusters. Repeat from * around. Join and break off. Starch lightly and press.

STAR WHEEL PLACE MAT . . . S-750

Illustrated in color on front cover . . .

Place Mat measures 19 inches in diameter.

J. & P. COATS "KNIT-CRO-SHEEN" METALLIC, Art. A.64: 4 balls for one mat.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 7.

Starting at center, ch 10. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Ch 3, 23 dc in ring. Join to top of ch-3. **2nd rnd:** Ch 10 and make a cross st as follows: Thread over twice, insert hook in 8th ch from hook and draw thread through (4 loops on hook), thread over, skip 1 dc, insert hook in next dc and draw thread through (6 loops on hook), thread over and work off 2 loops at a time, 5 times; * ch 3, thread over 4 times, insert hook in next dc and draw thread through (6 loops on hook), thread over and work off 2 loops at a time twice, then thread over, skip 1 dc, insert hook in next dc, draw thread through (6 loops on hook), thread over and work off 2 loops at a time, 5 times; ch 3, dc in center point of cross st (cross st completed). Repeat from * until 8 cross sts have been made. Join last ch-3 with sl st to 7th ch of first ch-10. **3rd rnd:** 5 sc in each sp around (80 sc). **4th to 7th rnds incl:** Sc in each sc around. **8th rnd:** Ch 4, dc in first sc, * ch 1, dc in next sc. Repeat from * around. Join last ch-1 to 3rd ch of ch-4. **9th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 10 and work as for 2nd rnd, making each leg of each cross st in ch-1 sps (instead of dc) and skipping 1 ch-1 sp between each leg of cross st. Join (20 cross sts). **10th rnd:** 4 sc in each sp around (160 sc). **11th to 16th rnds incl:** Repeat 4th to 9th



rnds incl (40 cross sts on 16th rnd). **17th rnd:** 3 sc in each sp around (240 sc). **18th to 23rd rnds incl:** Repeat 4th to 9th rnds incl (60 cross sts on 23rd rnd). **24th rnd:** * 3 sc in next 2 sps, 2 sc in next sp. Repeat from * around (320 sc). **25th to 30th rnds incl:** Repeat 4th to 9th rnds incl, making ch 2 (instead of ch-3) on the cross st rnd (80 cross sts on 30th rnd). **31st rnd:** 3 sc in first 4 sps, * 2 sc in next 2 sps, 3 sc in next sp. Repeat from * around (376 sc). **32nd to 37th rnds incl:** Repeat 25th to 30th rnds incl (94 cross sts on 37th rnd). **38th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, * ch 5, sc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join and break off. Block to measurements.

RIPPLE RHYTHM . . . S-749

Illustrated at bottom of page 3 . . . Doily measures 14 inches in diameter.

J. & P. COATS BIG BALL BEST SIX CORD MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. A.104, Size 30: 2 balls of Ecu; or,

CLARK'S BIG BALL MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. B.34, Size 30: 2 balls of Ecu.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 10.

Starting at center, ch 6. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Ch 5, (dc in ring, ch 2) 11 times. Join to 3rd ch of ch-5 (12 sps). **2nd rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 4, 3 tr in same sp, 4 tr in each sp around. Join. **3rd rnd:** Ch 5, * skip next tr, dc in next tr, ch 1. Repeat from * around. Join to 3rd ch of ch-5 (24 sps) **4th rnd:** Sl st to next sp, ch 7, sc in 4th ch from hook (picot made), * dc in next sp, ch 4, picot. Repeat from * around. Join. **5th rnd:** Sl st to center of

next picot, sc in same picot, * ch 5, sc in next picot. Repeat from * around. Join. **6th rnd:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * ch 5, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **7th rnd:** Sl st in next loop, ch 4, 12 tr in same loop, * ch 2, sc in next loop, ch 2, 13 tr in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **8th rnd:** Ch 3, dc in back loop of next 12 tr, * ch 2, dc in back loop of next 13 tr. Repeat from * around. Join. **9th rnd:** Sl st in next dc, ch 3, dc in back loop of next 10 dc, * ch 2, dc in next sp, ch 2, skip next dc, dc in back loop of next 11 dc. Repeat from * around. Join. **10th rnd:** Sl st in next dc, ch 3, dc in back loop of next 8 dc, * (ch 2, dc in next sp) twice; ch 2, skip next dc, dc in back loop of next 9 dc. Repeat from * around. Join. **11th, 12th and 13th rnds:** Work as for 10th rnd, having 2 dc less

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STRAWBERRY CREAM S-751

Illustrated at top of page 7 . . . Place Mat measures 12 x 18 inches.

COATS & CLARK'S O.N.T. "SPEED-CRO-SHEEN" MERCERIZED COTTON, Art. C.44: 3 balls of No. 123-A Flamingo and 2 balls of No. 1 White.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 2/0 (double zero).

Starting at long side with Flamingo, make a chain 20 inches long. **1st row:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across until row measures 16 inches, having an even number of sc. Cut off remaining chain. Ch 2, turn. **2nd row:** Draw a loop of White through loop on hook and, working with Flamingo, skip first 2 sc, dc in next sc, * drop Flamingo, pick up White and, working in back of Flamingo dc, make dc in sc

preceding sc where last dc was made (cross st made), drop White, pick up Flamingo, skip next sc, dc in next sc. Repeat from * across to within last sc, make Flamingo dc in last sc. Ch 1, turn. Break off White. **3rd row:** Sc in each dc across, sc in top of turning chain. Ch 2, turn. Repeat 2nd and 3rd rows alternately until piece measures 10 inches, ending with 3rd row.

BORDER . . . 1st rnd: 3 sc in first sc (corner), sc closely around, making 3 sc in each corner. **2nd, 3rd and 4th rnds:** Sc in each sc around, making 3 sc in center sc of each corner. At end of 4th rnd, sl st in next sc. Break off. Block to measurements.

AVOCADO STRIPES S-752

Illustrated at bottom of page 7 . . . Place Mat measures 11½ x 18 inches.

J. & P. COATS "KNIT-CRO-SHEEN," Art. A.64: 3 balls of No. 110 Designer Green; and

J. & P. COATS "KNIT-CRO-SHEEN" METALLIC, Art. A.64: 2 balls of No. M.10-A Canary Yellow.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 0 (zero).

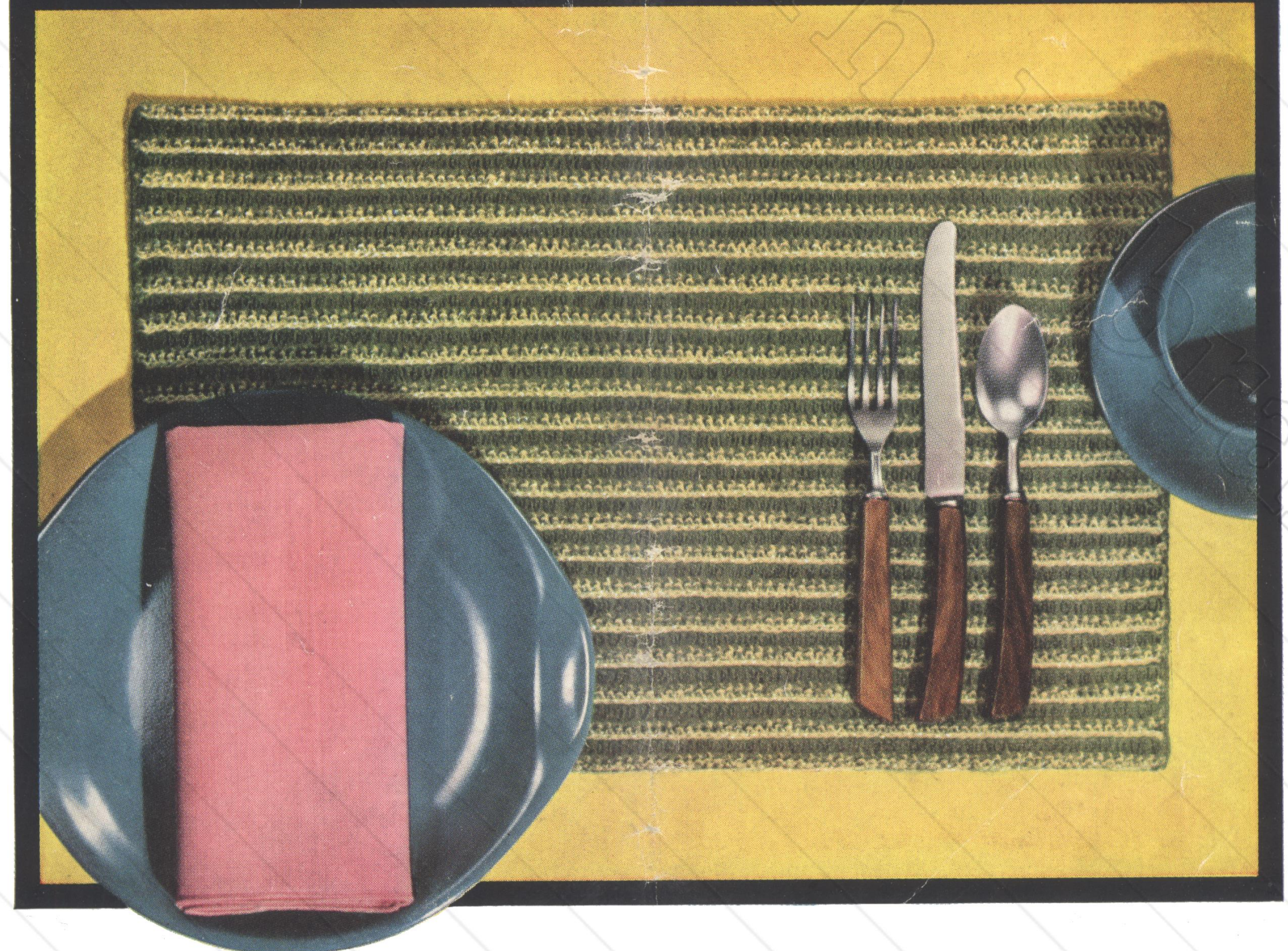
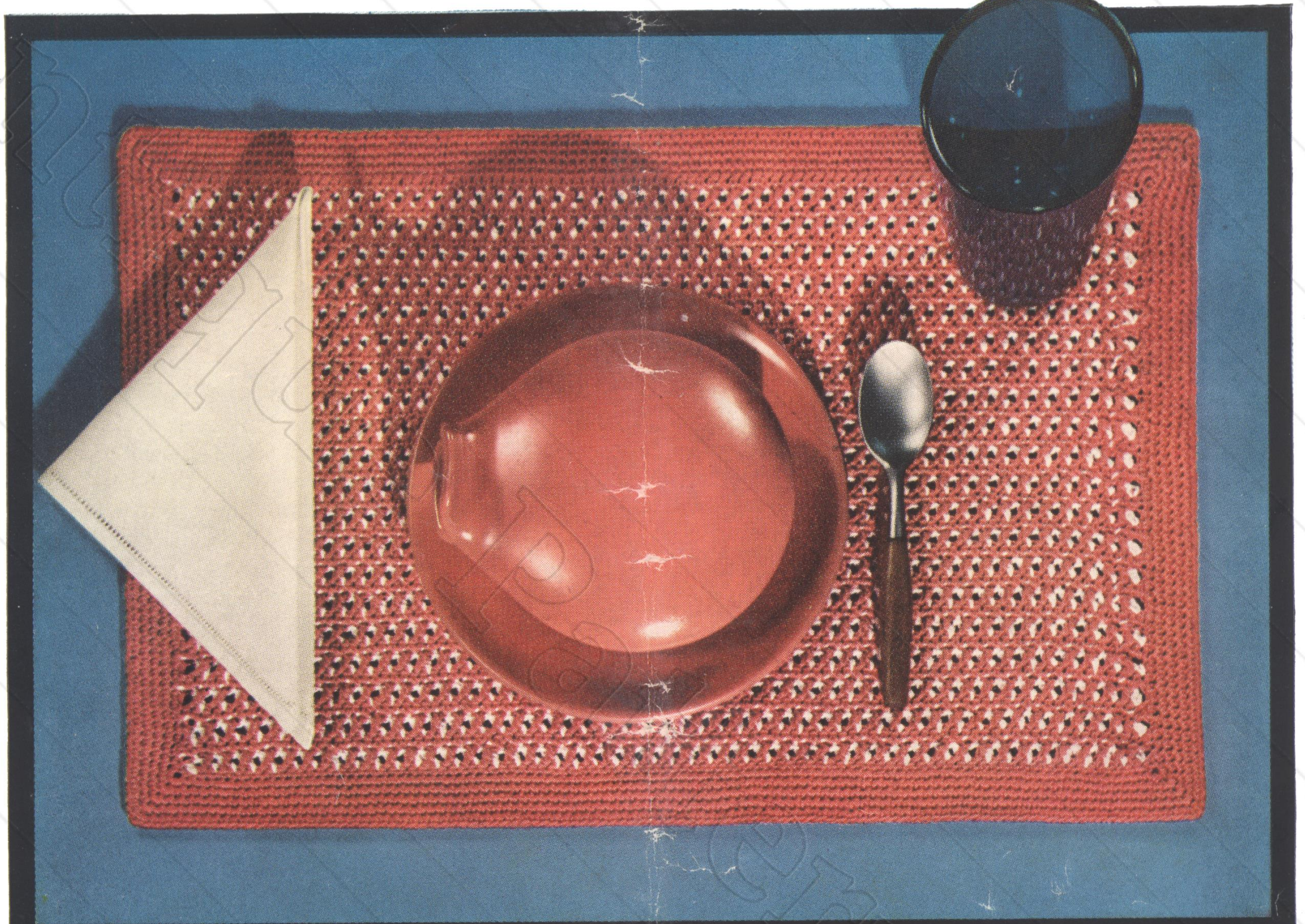
GAUGE: 5½ clusters make 1 inch; 7 rows make 2 inches.

Starting at long side with one strand each of Canary Yellow and Designer Green, ch 102. **1st row:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across. Ch 3, turn. **2nd row (right side):** Drop Yellow loop from hook, with Designer Green, holding back on hook

the last loop of each dc, make 2 dc in first sc, thread over and draw through all loops on hook (cluster made)—make a 3-dc cluster in next sc and in each sc across. Drop loop from hook. **3rd row:** Pick up dropped Canary Yellow loop at the beginning of previous row and sl st loosely in the tip of each cluster across. Pick up the dropped Designer Green loop at end of previous row. Working with one strand of each color, ch 1, turn. **4th row:** Sc in tip of each cluster across. Ch 3, turn. The 2nd, 3rd and 4th rows constitute the pattern. Work in pattern until 19 cluster rows have been completed. Repeat 4th row once more. Break off. With right side of work facing, using one strand of Green, sc closely along each side edge. Break off. Block to measurements.

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SILVER SANDS

S-753

Illustrated at top of page 9 . . . Place Mat measures 12 x 18 inches.

J. & P. COATS "KNIT-CRO-SHEEN" METALLIC, Art. A.64: 6 balls of No. 10-A Canary Yellow.
Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 2/0 (double zero).

Use thread double throughout.

Starting at center, make a chain 6 inches long, having an even number of chains. **1st rnd:** 4 sc in 2nd ch from hook; sc in each ch across, 4 sc in last ch; now, working across opposite side of starting chain, make sc in each ch across. Join with sl st to first sc. **2nd rnd:** Ch 1, in same place as sl st make sc, half dc and dc (group st made); make a group st in each of next 3 sc, * skip next sc, make a group st in next sc. Repeat from * across to within 4-sc group at other end. Make a group st in each sc of 4-sc group, skip next sc, make a group st in next sc, continue in pattern across. Join to first sc. **3rd rnd:** Ch 1, picking up back loop only of each sc, make 3 sc in first sc (1 sc increased), 3 sc in sc of each of next

3 group sts (3 more sc increased), make 2 sc in sc of each group st across to within 4 group sts on other rounded end, 3 sc in each sc of next 4 group sts, 2 sc in each remaining group st. Join. **4th rnd:** Ch 1, make a group st in same place as sl st and in next sc, (skip next sc, make a group st in each of next 2 sc) 3 times; * skip next sc, make a group st in next sc. Repeat from * around, working across other rounded end as before. Join. **5th rnd:** Ch 1, picking up back loop only of each sc, make 3 sc in each sc of first 8 group sts (8 sc increased), make 2 sc in each group st around, increasing 8 sc evenly across other rounded end. Join. **6th rnd:** Ch 1, make a group st in same place as sl st, * skip next sc, make a group st in next sc. Repeat from * around. Join. **7th rnd:** Ch 1, picking up back loop only of each sc, make 2 sc in sc of each group st around, increasing 8 sc evenly across each rounded end. Join. Repeat 6th and 7th rnds alternately until piece measures 12 x 18 inches, ending with 7th rnd. Turn, sl st in each sc around. Join and break off. Block to measurements.

CANDY CANE

S-754

Illustrated at bottom of page 9 . . . Place Mat measures 16½ inches in diameter.

COATS & CLARK'S O.N.T. "SPEED-CRO-SHEEN" MERCERIZED COTTON, Art. C.44: 2 balls each of No. 1 White and No. 46-A Mid Rose; and

J. & P. COATS "KNIT-CRO-SHEEN" METALLIC, Art. A.64: 2 balls each of No. M.1 White and No. M.46-A Mid Rose.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 2/0 (double zero).

Use 1 strand each of "Speed-Cro-Sheen" and matching "Knit-Cro-Sheen" Metallic together throughout.

GAUGE: 5 sts make 1 inch; 2 half dc rnds and 1 sc rnd make 1 inch.

Starting at center with White, ch 3. **1st rnd:** 8 half dc in 3rd ch from hook. Join to top of ch-3, drop White. Hereafter pick up back loop only. **2nd rnd:** Attach Mid Rose to same place as sl st, 2 sc in same place, 2 sc in each half dc around (18 sc). Join, drop Mid Rose. **3rd rnd:** Pick up White, ch 2, half dc in same place as sl st, * half dc in next sc, 2 half dc in next sc (1 half dc increased). Repeat from * around (27 half dc). Join, drop White. **4th rnd:** Pick up Mid

Rose, 2 sc in same place as sl st, * sc in next 2 half dc, 2 sc in next half dc. Repeat from * around (36 sc). Join, drop Mid Rose. Continue in pattern, increasing 9 sts evenly on each rnd until 25 rnds have been completed. **26th, 27th and 28th rnds:** Work in pattern without increasing. At end of 28th rnd, do not drop Mid Rose, turn and sl st in each sc around. Join and break off.

NAPKIN HOLDER . . . Work as for Place Mat until 6 rnds have been completed. Join and break off. Sew in place. Block to measurements.

Crochet practical, pretty place mats—they wash and wear for years as well as adding beauty to your table!





SUNDIAL

S-755

Illustrated at top of page 11 . . . Doily measures 10 inches in diameter.

COATS & CLARK'S O.N.T. TATTING-CROCHET, Art. C.21, Size 70: 3 balls of No. 1 White.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 14.

Starting at center, ch 8. Join with sl st to form ring.
1st rnd: Ch 7, (tr in ring, ch 3) 7 times. Join to 4th ch of ch-7. **2nd rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 3, in next sp make tr, ch 3 and tr (V st made). Repeat from * around. Join last ch-3 to 4th ch of ch-7. **3rd rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * 6 tr in next sp (star point started), make V st in next sp (V st made over V st). Repeat from * around. Join to 4th ch of ch-7. **4th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * 2 tr in first tr on star point, tr in next 4 tr, 2 tr in next tr (8 tr across point), make V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **5th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 2, 2 tr in first tr on point, tr in next 6 tr, 2 tr in next tr (10 tr across point), ch 2, make V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join last ch-2 to 4th ch of ch-7. **6th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 3, 2 tr in first tr on point, tr in each tr to within last tr on point, 2 tr in last tr, ch 3, make V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **7th to 11th rnds incl:** Work as for 6th rnd, making one more chain preceding and following V st on each rnd (22 tr on each point on 11th rnd). **12th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, in same sp

make tr, ch 3 and tr; * ch 7, holding back on hook the last loop of each tr, make tr in first 2 tr on next point, thread over and draw through all loops on hook (1 tr decreased), tr in each tr on point to within last 2 tr, dec 1 tr, ch 7, in sp of next V st make (tr, ch 3) twice and tr (double V st made). Repeat from * around. Join. **13th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, ch 3, make V st in next sp, * ch 7, dec 1 tr at beginning of point, tr in each tr across point, decreasing 1 tr at end of point, ch 7, make V st in first sp of double V st, ch 3, make V st in next sp on V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **14th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, 5 tr in next sp, ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, tr in each tr on next point, decreasing 1 tr at beginning and end of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join.

15th rnd: Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, 2 tr in each tr of next 5-tr group, ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, tr in each tr on next point, decreasing 1 tr at beginning and end of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **16th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, tr in first tr on next group, (ch 1, tr in next tr) 9 times; ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, tr in each tr on next point, dec 1 tr at beginning and end of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **17th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, tr in first tr of next group, ch 2, sc in next tr, (ch 5, sc in next tr) 7 times;

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MODERN CLASSIC

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Illustrated at bottom of page 11 . . . Place Mat measures 12 x 18 inches.

COATS & CLARK'S O.N.T. "SPEED-CRO-SHEEN" MERCERIZED COTTON, Art. C.44: 2 balls of No. 61-D Nu-Ecru; and

J. & P. COATS "KNIT-CRO-SHEEN," Art. A.64: 1 ball of No. 61-D Nu-Ecru.

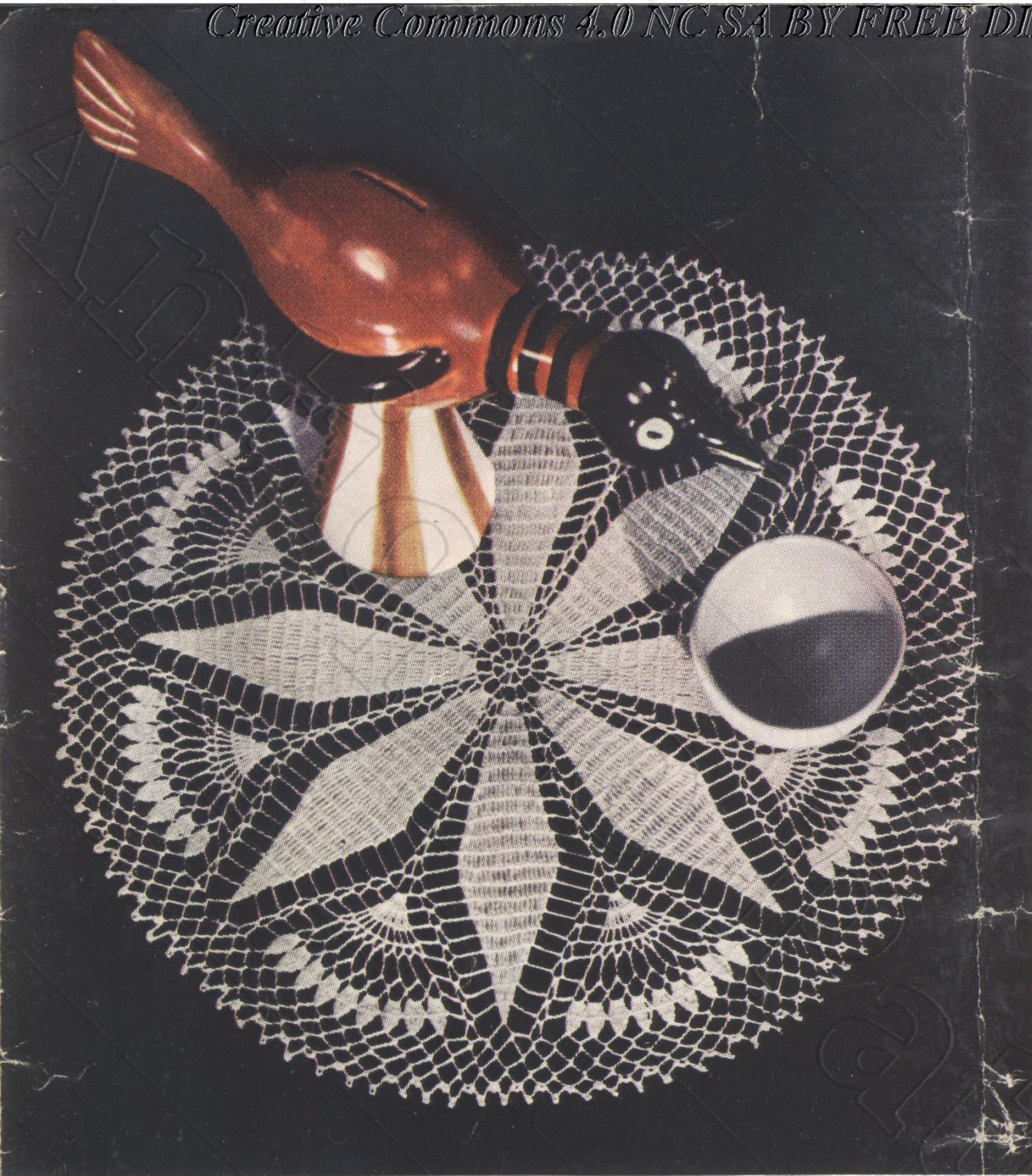
Clark's O.N.T. Plastic Crochet Hooks No. 4 and No. 1.

GAUGE: "Speed-Cro-Sheen"—5¼ sts make 1 inch; 4 rows make 1 inch.

Starting at long end with "Speed-Cro-Sheen" and No. 4 hook, ch 95. **1st row:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook, * half dc in next ch, sc in next ch. Repeat from * across, ending with half dc in last ch. Ch 1, turn. **2nd row:** Sc in first half dc, * half dc in next sc, sc in next half dc. Repeat from * across, ending with

half dc in last sc. Ch 1, turn. **3rd and 4th rows:** Repeat 2nd row, omitting the ch 1 at end of 4th row. Break off. Attach "Knit-Cro-Sheen," ch 1, turn. **5th, 6th and 7th rows:** Repeat 2nd row, omitting the ch 1 at end of 7th row. Break off. Attach "Speed-Cro-Sheen," ch 1, turn. **8th row:** Repeat 2nd row. The 2nd to 8th rows incl constitute the pattern. Work in pattern until 46 rows have been completed. Do not break off at end of last row.

EDGING . . . 1st rnd: With "Knit-Cro-Sheen" and No. 1 hook, sc closely around edges, making 3 sc in each corner. Join with sl st in first sc. **2nd rnd:** Sc in each sc around, making 3 sc in center sc of each corner. Join. Repeat 2nd rnd until 6 rnds have been completed. Join. Turn. **7th rnd:** Sl st in each sc around. Join and break off. Block to measurements.



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S-757 . . . Directions on Page 14

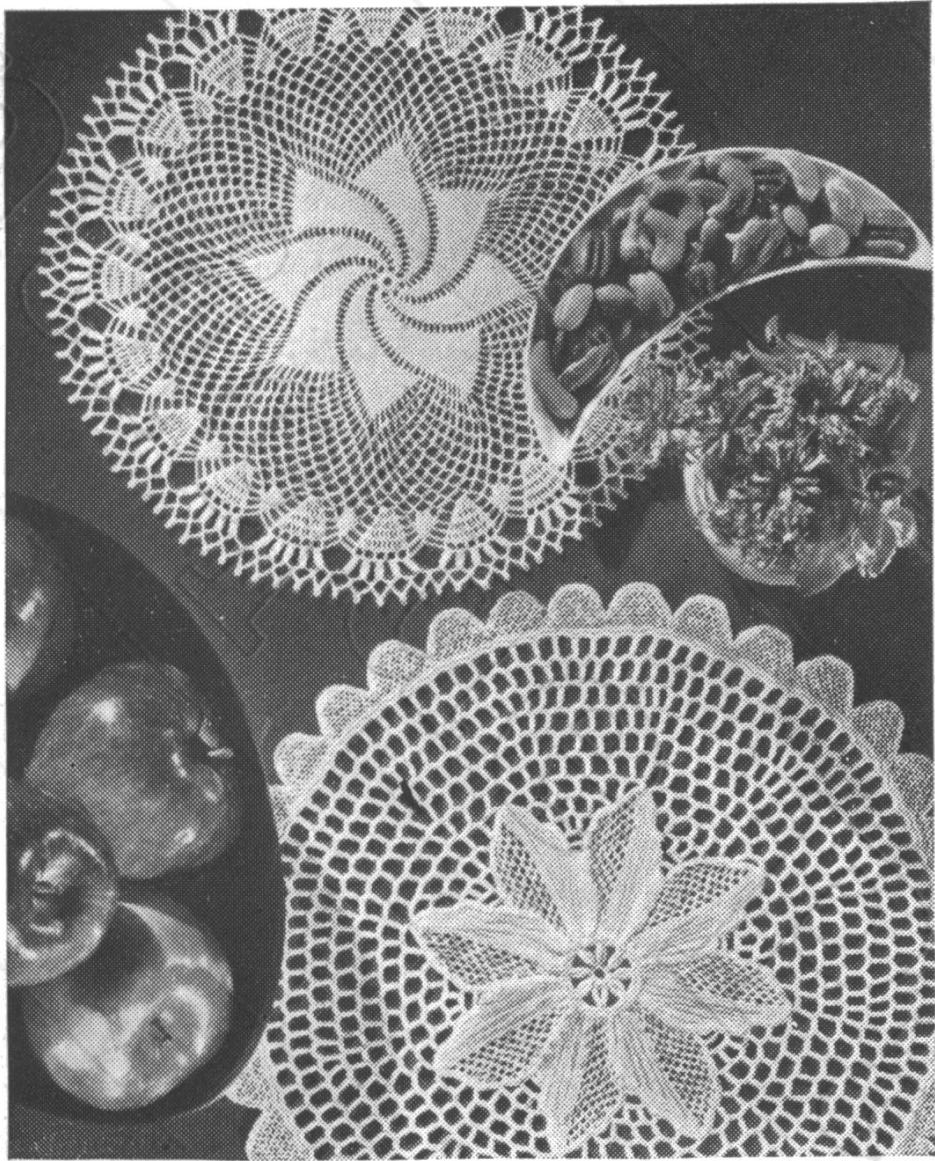


DAINTY DOILIES—

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gift for the bride.

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COMET'S TAIL . . . S-758

Illustrated above at top and on back cover

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J. & P. COATS BIG BALL BEST SIX CORD MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. A.104, Size 30: 1 ball of White; or CLARK'S BIG BALL MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. B.34, Size 30: 1 ball of White.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 10.

Starting at center, ch 9. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** 16 sc in ring, sl st in first sc made. **2nd rnd:** Sc in same place as sl st, * ch 5, skip 1 sc, sc in next sc. Repeat from * around, ending with ch 5, sl st in first sc. **3rd rnd:** Sc in same place as sl st, * 2 sc in next sp, ch 4, sc in next sc. Repeat from * around, ending with sl st in first sc. **4th to 20th rnds incl:** * Sc in next sc and in each remaining sc of sc group, 2 sc in next sp, ch 4, skip first sc of next sc group. Repeat from * around (20 sc in each sc group on last rnd). Join as before. **21st rnd:** * Sc in next 18 sc, ch 4, sc in next sp, ch 4, skip next sc. Repeat from * around. Join. **22nd rnd:** * Sc in next 16 sc, (ch 5, sc in next loop) twice; ch 5, skip next sc. Repeat from * around. Join. **23rd to 29th rnds incl:** Continue in this manner, having 2 sc less in each sc group and 1 loop more between sc groups on each rnd until 2 sc remain in each sc group on 29th rnd, ending with ch 2, dc in first sc. **30th to 36th rnds incl:** * Ch 5, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around, ending with ch 2, dc in dc of previous rnd. **37th rnd:** Ch 3, 4 dc in loop just formed, * ch 3, sc in next loop, ch 3, 5 dc in next loop. Repeat from * around, ending with ch 3, sl st in top of starting chain.

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BROCADE . . . S-759

Illustrated at lower right and on back cover

Doily measures 13½ inches in diameter.

J. & P. COATS BIG BALL BEST SIX CORD MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. A.104, Size 30: 2 balls of Ecreu; or CLARK'S BIG BALL MERCERIZED CROCHET, Art. B.34, Size 30: 2 balls of Ecreu.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 10.

Starting at center, ch 10. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Working over 6 strands of thread, make 16 sc in ring. Join with sl st to first sc. **2nd rnd:** Working over the 6 strands only, make 23 sc, drop the 6 strands, sl st in next 2 sc on ring (this completes first loop), * working over the 6 strands, make 8 sc, sl st in 16th sc of preceding loop, 17 sc over the 6 strands, drop the 6 strands, sl st in next 2 sc on ring. Repeat from * until 7 loops have been completed, make 8 sc over the 6 strands, sl st in 16th sc of preceding loop, 8 sc over the 6 strands, sl st in 8th sc of first loop, 7 sc over the 6 strands, sl st in last sc on ring, sl st in same place where first sl st was made. Break off. Cut off remaining strands and fasten ends securely on wrong side of work.

FIRST PETAL . . . With right side of work facing, attach thread to 9th sc of any loop, ch 38. **1st row:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook, * ch 3, skip 2 ch, sc in next ch. Repeat from * across, ending with sc in last ch, ch 1, sl st in next sc on same loop where thread was attached. Ch 3, turn. **2nd row:** * Sc in next loop, ch 3. Repeat from * across. Ch 2, turn. **3rd row:** Sc in first loop, (ch 3, sc in next loop) 10 times. Turn. **4th row:** Sl st in next ch, sc in loop, (ch 3, sc in next loop) 9 times. Ch 3, turn. **5th row:** Sc in first loop, (ch 3, sc in next loop) 8 times. Turn. **6th row:** Sl st in first ch, sc in loop, (ch 3, sc in next loop) 7 times. Turn. **7th row:** Sl st in first ch, sc in loop, (ch 3, sc in next loop) 6 times. Ch 3, turn. **8th row:** Sc in first loop, (ch 3, sc in next loop) 3 times. Break off.

With right side of work facing and working along starting chain, attach thread to 15th sc of preceding loop on center and work second half of petal as follows: **1st row:** Sc in next 37 ch. Ch 1, turn. **2nd row:** Sc in next 37 sc, sl st in 15th sc of preceding loop on center. Turn. **3rd row:** Sc in next 37 sc. Turn. **4th row:** Sl st in first 2 sc, ch 1, sc in next 35 sc, sl st in next sc on center. Turn. **5th row:** Sc in next 27 sc, work off next 2 sc as 1 sc (1 sc decreased). Ch 1, turn. **6th row:** Sc in each sc across, sl st in next sc on center. Turn. **7th row:** Sc in each sc across. Turn. **8th row:** Sl st in first 8 sc, ch 1, sc in next 15 sc, sl st in next sc. Turn. **9th row:** Sl st in first 2 sc, sc in next 13 sc. Ch 1, turn. **10th row:** Sc in next 9 sc, sl st in next sc. Break off. Make 7 more petals in same manner.

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38th rnd: Ch 3, dc in same place as sl st, * dc in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3, skip next loop, sc in next loop, sc in next 5 dc, sc in next loop, ch 3, 2 dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join. **39th rnd:** Ch 3, dc in same place as sl st, * dc in next 5 dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3, skip 1 sc of next sc group, sc in next 5 sc, ch 3, 2 dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join. **40th rnd:** Ch 3, dc in same place as sl st, * dc in next 7 dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 4, skip 1 sc of next sc group, sc in next 3 sc, ch 4, 2 dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join. **41st rnd:** Ch 5, skip next dc, dc in next dc, (ch 2, skip next dc, dc in next dc) 4 times; * ch 5, skip 1 sc of next sc group, sc in next sc, ch 5, dc in next dc, (ch 2, skip 1 dc, dc in next dc) 5 times. Repeat from * around, ending with ch 5, sl st in 3rd ch of starting ch-5. **42nd rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 4 (to count as tr), holding back on hook the last loop of each tr make 2 tr in same place as sl st, thread over and draw through all loops on hook (cluster made), * ch 5, make a 3-tr cluster in next ch-2 sp. Repeat from * around. Join with sl st to tip of first cluster. **43rd rnd:** Sl st in next 2 ch, sc in same sp, * ch 9, sc in 6th ch from hook, ch 4, sc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join and break off. Starch lightly and press.

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To Join Petals: Cut 6 strands of thread, each 60 inches long. With right side of work facing and working over 6 strands, attach thread to side of sc at end of first row of second half of first petal, make 3 sc in same place, working along edge of first half of same petal, make 2 sc in turning loop of first row, sc in side of next sc, 2 sc in next turning loop, sc in next end sc, sc in next turning loop, sc in next end sc, 2 sc in end sc of the 7th row, (2 sc in next loop, sc in next sc) twice; 2 sc in end sc of 8th row, (2 sc in next loop, sc in next sc) 3 times; (3 sc in next turning loop) 5 times; sc in next end sc, 2 sc in next turning loop, sc in next free sc on center loop, now, working along edge of second half of second petal, sc in first 4 sc of 7th row, 2 sc in end sc of 8th row, sc in next sc of same row, sc in first 4 sc of 9th row, 2 sc in first sc of 10th row, sc in next 6 sc, drop loop from hook, insert hook from back of work in 31st sc on first petal and draw dropped loop through, sc in same sc where last sc was made on second petal, sc in next sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 end sc, sc in next sc of 7th row, ch 3, skip 2 sc on first petal, sl st in next sc, 4 sc in sp just formed, sc in next 4 sc on second petal, ch 5, skip 2 sc on first petal, sl st in next sc, 7 sc in sp just formed, sc in same sc where last sc was made on second petal, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, ch 7, sl st in 6th sc of last sp made, 5 sc in loop just formed, ch 7, skip 3 sc of same sp where last sl st was made, sl st in next sc, 5 sc in ch-7 loop just formed, ch 3, skip 5 sc on first petal, sl st in next sc, 4 sc in last ch-3 sp just formed, 5 sc in next sp, 4 sc in next sp, sc in same place where last sc was made on second

petal, sc in next 2 end sc, sc in next 5 sc, ch 9, skip last 9 sc made, sl st in next sc, 5 sc in ch-9 loop just formed, ch 9, sl st in center sc of center sp below, 5 sc in ch-9 loop just formed, ch 9, sl st in 2nd sc of next sp, 5 sc in ch-9 loop just formed, ch 5, skip next 5 sc on first petal, sl st in next sc, now, working across to second petal make 7 sc in each of next 4 sps, sc in same place where last sc was made on second petal, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next end sc, sc in next 2 end sc, ch 9, skip last 9 sc made, sl st in next sc, (5 sc in ch-9 loop just formed, ch 9, sl st in center sc of next sp) 3 times; 5 sc in ch-9 loop just formed, ch 9, skip 2 sc on first petal, sl st in next sc, 5 sc in ch-9 loop just formed, ch 5, skip 7 sc on first petal, sl st in next sc, now working across to second petal make 7 sc in each of next 6 sps, sc in same sc where last sc was made on second petal, make 3 sc in next end sc and continue to join adjacent sides of remaining petals in same manner. Join with sl st in first sc at tip of first petal. Cut off remaining strands and fasten ends neatly on wrong side.

Now work in rnds as follows: **1st rnd:** Working from left to right, ch 13, sl st in center sc of next sp, 5 sc in ch-13 loop just formed, * (ch 9, sl st in center sc of next sp, 5 sc in loop just formed) 4 times; ch 9, sl st in first sc of same sp where last sl st was made, 5 sc in loop just formed (1 sp increased). Repeat from * around, ending with ch 5, sl st in 4th ch of ch-13, sl st in 3rd, 2nd and first ch of same loop, sl st in same place where sl st was made at tip of petal, working over the sl sts and starting chain make 5 sc in the last loop formed. This completes First Half of rnd. **Second Half:** Working from right to left make 7 sc in each sp around. Join with sl st in first sc. **2nd, 3rd and 4th rnds:** Repeat first rnd, increasing 12 sps evenly around. **5th rnd:** Repeat last rnd, increasing 6 sps evenly around. There are 102 sps on rnd. **6th rnd:** Work as for first rnd, omitting the increases on First Half and making ch-8 loops (instead of ch-7). On Second Half make 6 sc in each sp around. **7th rnd:** Cut 6 strands of thread slightly longer than outer edge. Working over the 6 strands, sc in each sc around. Join with sl st in first sc. Cut off remaining strands and fasten ends on wrong side.

SCALLOPS . . . 1st row: Sc in next sc, (ch 2, skip next sc, sc in next sc) 8 times. Ch 3, turn. **2nd row:** Sc in first loop, (ch 2, sc in next loop) 7 times. Ch 3, turn. **3rd and 4th rows:** Work as for 2nd row, having 1 loop less on each row. At end of 4th row, ch 1, turn. **5th row:** Sc in first loop, (ch 2, sc in next loop) 4 times. Ch 1, turn. **6th row:** Sc in first loop, (ch 2, sc in next loop) 3 times. Ch 1, turn. **7th, 8th and 9th rows:** Work as for 6th row, having 1 loop less on each row. Sc closely along left side edge of scallop, skip next sc on center. Continue in this manner until 34 scallops have been completed. **Next rnd:** * Sc closely along right side edge and across top of next scallop, sl st in each sc along left side edge of same scallop. Repeat from * around. Join and break off.

Sew base of petals neatly together, having right edge overlap the left edge of adjoining petal. Starch lightly and press.

ROSE WREATH

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Illustrated on page 11 . . . Doily measures 14 inches in diameter.

COATS & CLARK'S O.N.T. TATTING-CROCHET, Art. C.21, Size 70: 6 balls of No. 1 White.

Milwards Steel Crochet Hook No. 14.

Starting at center, ch 10. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Cut 16 strands of thread, each 10 inches long. Working over these strands, make 20 sc in ring. Join with sl st to first sc. Cut off remaining strands. **2nd rnd:** Ch 4, * dc in next sc, ch 1. Repeat from * around. Join to 3rd ch of ch-4. **3rd rnd:** Cut 16 strands of thread, each 10 inches long. Working over these strands, make sc in same place as sl st, * 2 sc in next sp, sc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join. Cut off remaining strands. **4th rnd:** Sc in same place as sl st, * ch 5, skip 2 sc, sc in next sc. Repeat from * around. Join. **5th and 6th rnds:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * ch 5, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. Break off at end of 6th rnd. **7th rnd:** Ch 15, drop loop from hook, insert hook in any loop on last rnd, draw dropped loop through, * make 5 sc, ch 3 and 5 sc over bar of ch-15, ch 15, drop loop from hook and, working from left to right, insert hook in next loop preceding last loop worked, draw dropped loop through. Repeat from * around, ending with 5 sc, ch 3 and 5 sc over last ch-15 bar, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first loop of starting chain, draw dropped loop through, thus joining rnd. **8th rnd:** 9 sc in first sp, * 5 sc in next sp, ch 12, drop loop from hook, insert hook in center sc of 9-sc group, draw dropped loop through, make 12 sc in loop just formed, ch 8, drop loop from hook, insert hook in 6th sc of 12-sc group, draw dropped loop through, in loop just formed make 5 sc, ch 3 and 5 sc; 5 sc in next incompleting loop, 4 sc in next incompleting sp, 9 sc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join and break off.

9th rnd: Attach thread to ch-3 loop on any point, sc in same loop, * ch 10, holding back on hook the last loop of each tr tr, make tr tr at base of same point and at base of next point, thread over and draw through all loops on hook (joint tr tr made), ch 10, sc in next ch-3 loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **10th rnd:** Cut 16 strands of thread, each 25 inches long. Working over these strands, make 12 sc in each sp around. Join. Cut off remaining strands. **11th rnd:** Sc in same place as sl st, * ch 6, skip 3 sc, sc in next sc. Repeat from * around. Join (60 loops). **12th to 15th rnds incl:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * ch 6, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. Break off at end of 15th rnd. **16th and 17th rnds:** Repeat 7th and 8th rnds. **18th rnd:** Attach thread to ch-3 loop on any point, sc in same place, * ch 12, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **19th rnd:** Cut 16 strands of thread, each 1¼ yards long. Working over these strands, make 15 sc in each sp around. Join. Cut off remaining strands. **20th rnd:**

Sc in same place as sl st, * ch 7, skip 4 sc, sc in next sc. Repeat from * around. Join (90 loops). **21st to 24th rnds incl:** Repeat 12th to 15th rnds incl, making ch-7 loops (instead of ch-6). **25th and 26th rnds:** Repeat 7th and 8th rnds. **27th rnd:** Repeat 18th rnd. **28th rnd:** Cut 16 strands of thread, each 1½ yards long. Working over these strands, make 16 sc in each sp around. Join and break off. Cut off remaining strands.

LEAF (Make 10) . . . Starting at center, ch 10. **1st row:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across, 3 sc in last ch; working along opposite side of starting chain, make sc in next 7 ch. Ch 1, turn. **2nd to 10th rows incl:** Picking up back loop only, sc in each sc to within center sc of next 3-sc group, 3 sc in next sc, sc in each remaining sc to within last sc. Ch 1, turn. At end of 10th row, ch 5, turn. **11th and 12th rows:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 3 ch, picking up back loop only, sc in each sc to within center sc of next 3-sc group, 3 sc in next sc, sc in each remaining sc to within last sc. Ch 5, turn. At end of 12th row, ch 1, turn. **13th to 17th rows incl:** Repeat 2nd row. At end of 17th row, ch 5, turn. **18th and 19th rows:** Repeat 11th and 12th rows once more. **20th to 27th rows incl:** Repeat 2nd row. Break off at end of 27th row.

FLOWER (Make 10) . . . Starting at center, ch 20. Join with sl st to form ring. **1st rnd:** Cut 16 strands of thread, each 10 inches long. Working over these strands, make 40 sc in ring. Join to first sc. Cut off remaining strands. **2nd rnd:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around. Join. Now work petal in rows as follows: Ch 17. **1st row:** Dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 7 ch, half dc in next ch, sc in next 5 ch. Sl st in next sc on last rnd. Carry thread behind work and draw loop on hook across to next free sc on last rnd, sl st in same place, sc in first ch on opposite side of starting chain of petal, sc in next 4 ch, half dc in next ch, dc in next 8 ch, 2 dc in next ch, dc in next ch, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 8 dc, half dc in next half dc, sc in next 5 sc. Sl st in next sc on last rnd. Ch 1, turn. **2nd row:** Sc in next 5 sc on Petal, half dc in next half dc, dc in next 8 dc, (2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc) 3 times; dc in next 7 dc, half dc in next half dc, sc in next 5 sc. Sl st in next sc on last rnd. Break off. Skip 5 sc on last rnd, attach thread to next sc, ch 17 and complete another Petal. Make 3 more Petals the same way.

Sew Flowers and Leaves in place around Doily. Starch lightly and press.

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ch 2, tr in next tr, ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, work over point, decreasing 1 tr at both sides of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **18th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, make d tr in loop formed by tr and the ch-2, (ch 7, d tr in next loop) 8 times, ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, work over point, decreasing 1 tr at both sides of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **19th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, tr in next d tr, ch 4, sc in next loop, (ch 7, sc in next loop) 7 times; ch 4, tr in next d tr, ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, work over point, decreasing 1 tr at both sides of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **20th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, tr in same sp, * ch 4, skip ch-4 sp, 5 tr in each of

next 9 loops, ch 4, V st over V st, ch 7, work over point, decreasing 1 tr at both sides of point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **21st rnd:** Sl st in next sp, * ch 7, tr in same sp, (ch 7, holding back on hook the last loop of each tr make tr in each tr of next 5-tr group, thread over and draw through all loops on hook—cluster made) 9 times; ch 7, V st over V st, ch 7, make a 4-tr cluster over the 4 tr on star point, ch 7, V st over V st. Repeat from * around. Join. **22nd rnd:** Sc in sp of V st, * ch 7, sc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join to first sc (112 loops). **23rd and 24th rnds:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * ch 7, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **25th rnd:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * ch 3, sc in same loop, ch 7, sl st in 4th ch from hook (picot made), ch 3, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join and break off. Starch lightly and press.

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on each dc group and 1 sp more between groups on each rnd. **14th rnd:** Ch 5, * skip next dc, dc in next dc, (ch 2, dc in next sp) 6 times, ch 2, dc in next dc. Repeat from * around. Join to 3rd ch of ch-5. **15th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp, * ch 3, sc in next sp, ch 3, 3 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join. **16th to 25th rnds incl:** Sl st in next 2 dc and in next loop, ch 3, 2 dc in same loop, * ch 3, sc in next loop, ch 3, 3 dc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **26th to 30th rnds incl:** Work as for 16th rnd, making ch-4 loops instead of ch-3. **31st rnd:** Sl st in next 2 dc and in next loop, ch 3, 2 dc in same loop, * ch 3, 3 dc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **32nd rnd:** Sl st in next dc, ch 4, * in next sp make (dc, ch 1) twice; dc in center dc of next group, ch 1. Repeat from * around. Join to 3rd of ch-4. **33rd rnd:** Sl st in next sp, sc in

same sp, * ch 5, skip next sp, sc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join (144 loops). **34th rnd:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * ch 5, sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **35th rnd:** Sl st to center of next loop, sc in same loop, * in next loop make (dc, ch 2) 7 times and dc; (sc in next loop, ch 3) 4 times; sc in next loop. Repeat from * around. Join. **36th rnd:** Sl st in next dc and in next sp, ch 4, 2 tr in same sp, 3 tr in each of next 6 sps, * skip next ch-3 loop, sc in next loop, ch 5, sc in next loop, 3 tr in each of next 7 ch-2 sps. Repeat from * around. Join. **37th rnd:** Ch 5, * (skip next tr, dc in next tr, ch 2) 10 times, ch 2, sc in next loop, ch 2, dc in next tr, ch 2. Repeat from * around. Join to 3rd ch of ch-5. **38th rnd:** Sl st in next sp, ch 7, make a picot as before, (dc in next sp, picot) 9 times; * dc in next 2 sps, picot, (dc in next sp, picot) 10 times. Repeat from * around. Join and break off. Starch lightly and press.

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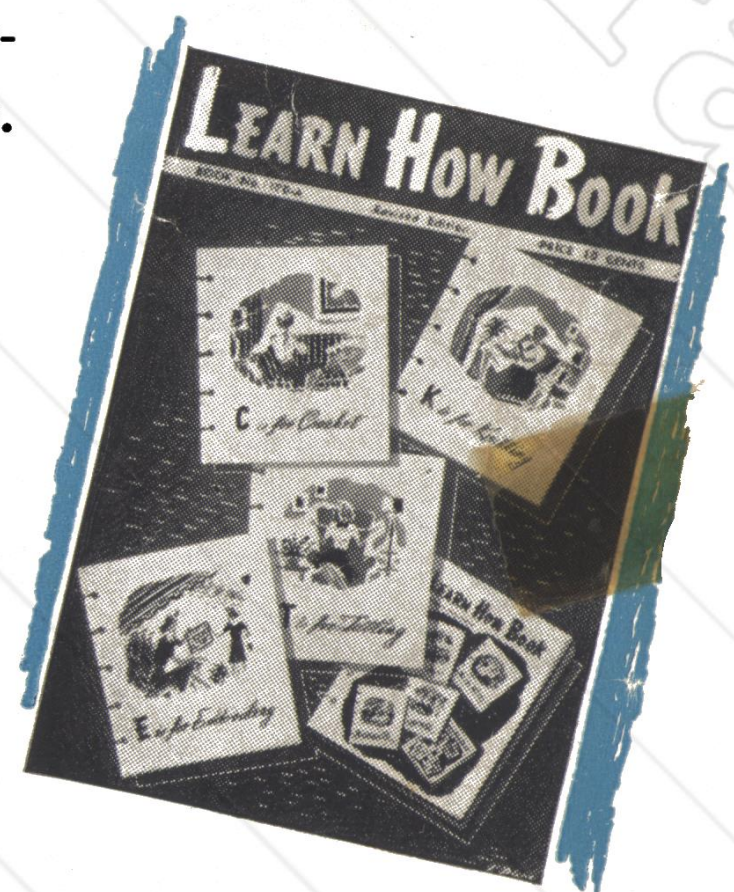
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Abbreviations in Crochet

ch chain	sl st slip stitch
sc single crochet	sp space
half dc . . . half double crochet	st(s) stitch(es)
dc double crochet	rnd round
tr treble	incl inclusive
d tr double treble	inc increase
tr tr triple treble	dec decrease

* (asterisk) . . . Repeat the instructions following the asterisk as many times as specified.

Repeat instructions in parentheses as many times as specified. For example: "(Ch 5, sc in next sc) 5 times" means to make all that is in parentheses 5 times in all.



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