

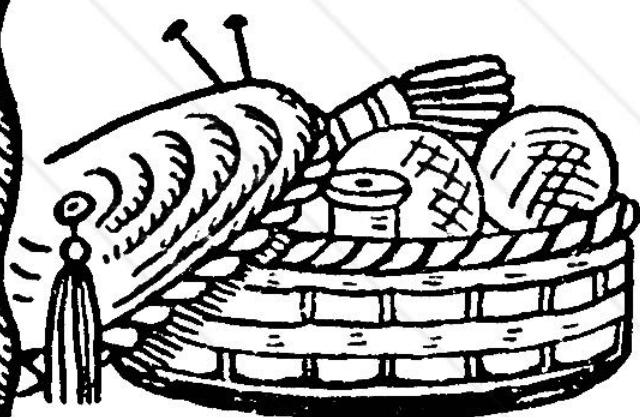
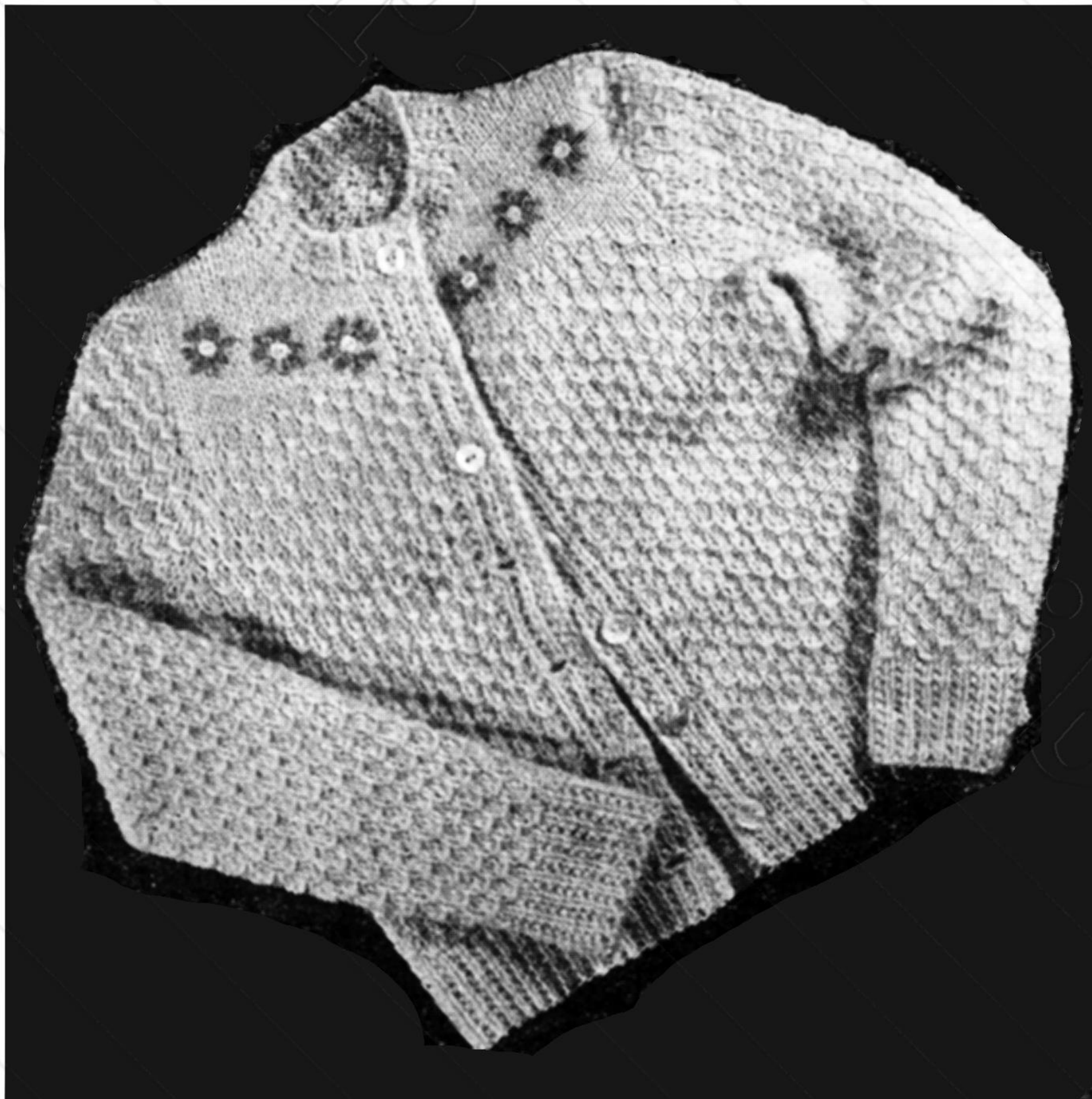
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GIRL'S KNITTED CARDIGAN

Shown on front cover

Girls from six to ten will like this cardigan for school or "Sunday best." The lazy daisy flowers with button centers which trim the yoke are optional, but they add a handsome touch. The cardigan might be yellow, pink, or blue, with pearl buttons and lazy daisy flowers of a contrasting shade of yarn. A bright red or navy sweater with pearl buttons and contrasting flowers would be smart.

Directions are written for size 6 years; the numbers in parentheses are for sizes 8 and 10 years. For the cardigan you will need about 9 ounces of sport yarn (medium weight yarn) in the desired basic color, 7 buttons $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in diameter for the front, six baby buttons for flower centers, and about 4 yards of yarn of a contrasting color for flowers. You will need one pair each of 14-inch knitting needles, sizes 1 and 3, and a size 2 steel crochet hook. The gauge in stockinette stitch (knit one row, purl one row) after pressing is 5 sts (stitches) equal 1 inch and 7 rows equal 1 inch.

BACK: Beginning at lower edge with number 1 needles, cast on 66 (70, 74) sts. For the ribbing, Row 1: k (knit) 1, p (purl) 1 across row. Row 2: purl across row. Repeat these 2 rows until ribbing measures 2 ($2\frac{1}{2}$, $2\frac{1}{2}$) inches. Change to size 3 needles. The side of ribbing up when working the k 1, p 1 row is the right side; with this side up begin the pattern in the next row.

The pattern consists of 4 rows. Row 1: * k 2, over (that is, bring yarn to front and over right hand needle to back), k 2, pass the "yarn over" over the 2 sts just knitted. The 2 knit sts remain on right needle, the "yarn over" has been pulled over them and now lies across them; repeat from * across row. Row 2: purl. Row 3: * yarn over the needle, k 2, pass the "yarn over" over the 2 sts just knitted, k 2. Repeat from * across row. Row 4: purl. Repeat these 4 rows in order for the pattern. Work even until back measures 10 (11, 12) inches from

start of work, or the length desired for underarm.

Armhole: bind off 4 (5, 5) sts at beginning of each of next 2 rows. Continue to work in pattern, decreasing 1 st at beginning and end of every knit row until there are 48 (52, 56) sts remaining on needle. (To decrease smoothly, slip first st of row, k 1 st, pass the slipped st over the k st, k in pattern across row, k last 2 sts together.) Work even until armhole measures $5\frac{1}{2}$ (6, $6\frac{1}{2}$) inches straight up from sts first bound off for armhole.

Shoulder: bind off loosely 7 (5, 5) sts at beginning of each of the next 4 (6, 6) rows; 14 (15, 15) sts bound off for each shoulder. Bind off remaining 22 (24, 28) sts loosely for back of neck.

LEFT FRONT: using size 1 needles, cast on 40 (44, 48) sts. Work in ribbing same as for back beginning with * p 1, k 1. Repeat from * across row. Row 2: purl. Repeat these 2 rows until ribbing measures same as back. Change to No. 3 needles and work in pattern, beginning first row with * yarn over, k 2, pass "yarn over" over the 2 sts knitted, k 2. Repeat from * across to within 6 sts of end of row; (p 1, k 1) 3 times. This forms the border along center front. Row 2: purl. Row 3: * k 2, yarn over, k 2, pass the "yarn over" over the last 2 sts knitted. Repeat from * across to within 6 sts of end of row; (p 1, k 1) 3 times. Row 4: purl. Repeat these 4 rows for pattern until underarm measures same as back keeping the 6 (6, 6) sts at center edge in ribbing pattern.

Armhole: bind off 5 (6, 6) sts at beginning of underarm edge. Decrease 1 st when beginning row at armhole edge by slip 1, k 1, pssso, until there are 30 (32, 34) sts remaining on needle. At the same time when armhole measures $2\frac{1}{4}$ ($2\frac{1}{2}$, $2\frac{3}{4}$) inches straight up from bound-off sts, start yoke by dropping pattern st and working in plain stockinette; that is, con-

tinue to purl the purl rows and knit plain on the knit rows. Continue to keep the 6 sts at center front in ribbing pattern.

Neck: work even in yoke pattern until armhole measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ ($4\frac{1}{2}$, 5) inches straight up from bound-off sts. At beginning of neck edge, center front, bind off 8 (9, 10) sts. Dec 1 st at same edge every row until 14 (15, 15) sts remain on needle. Work even until armhole measures same as back. To bind off for shoulder, bind off 7 sts at armhole edge, k across row, purl back, turn, bind off remaining sts.

RIGHT FRONT: press center front band of left front and with pins mark points for buttonholes as a guide to spacing them while working the right front. Place first pin 1 inch from lower edge. A 1-inch neckband will be worked later; upper buttonhole will come in the center of this band. Divide the remaining space into 6 equal parts and mark with pins. This will allow for 7 buttonholes but you may have any number you wish.

Cast on the same number of sts as for left front. Begin ribbing with k 1, p 1. Work to correspond with left front. When position for first buttonhole is reached, beginning at center edge, work 2 sts, bind off next 3 sts, work to end of row. On next row, cast on 3 sts over those bound off on previous row. In beginning pattern st, at center edge, (k 1, p 1) 3 times, yarn over, k 2, pass "yarn over" over these 2 sts, k 2. Continue across in pattern. Work remainder of front in pattern to correspond with left front, working buttonholes where needed.

SLEEVES: with No. 1 needles cast on 34 (38, 42) sts. Work in ribbing same as for back for 2 ($2\frac{1}{2}$, 3) inches. Change to No. 3 needles, work in pattern same as for back for entire sleeve. Beginning $\frac{3}{4}$ inch above ribbing increase 1 st at beginning and end of row every $\frac{3}{4}$ inch until there are 48 (52, 56) sts on needle (to increase, k first st, k in next st, do not slip st off left needle; k into back of same st, slip st off left needle). K on across row in pattern, inc in the same way

in next to last st of row.

Work even until sleeve measures 18 (14, 15) inches from beginning, or length desired for underarm. Bind off 4 (5, 6) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at beginning of row every 3rd row until 20 (24, 28) sts remain on needle. Bind off 2 sts at beginning of each of next 4 rows. Bind off remaining 12 (16, 20) sts.

FINISHING: Pin and steam each piece through a damp cloth on a padded surface. Overcast side, shoulder, and sleeve seams together on wrong side, matching sts carefully. Press seams flat. Pin sleeves in place and whip in.

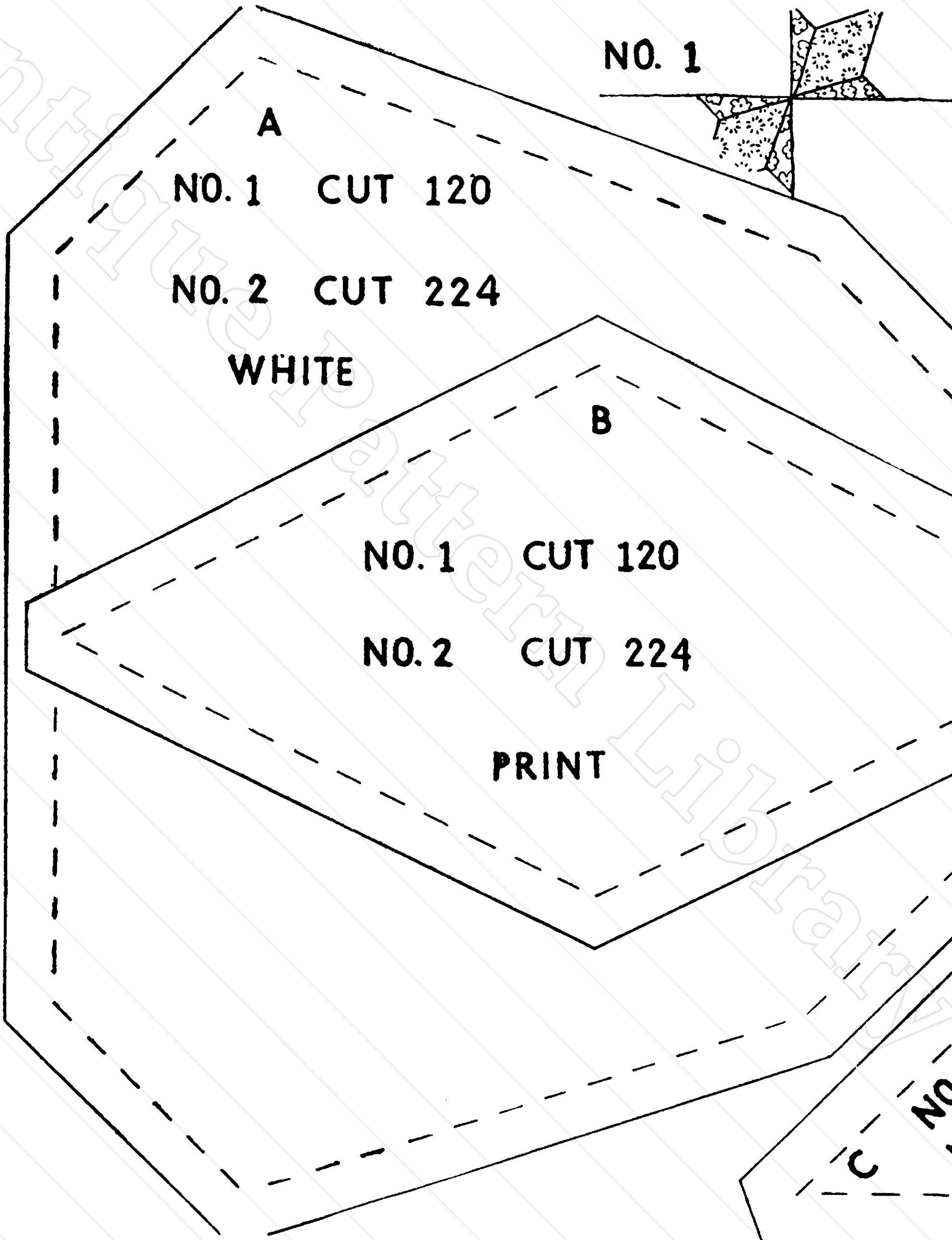
Neckband: with No. 1 needles pick up about 65 (67, 69) sts around neck. Work first row with right side up in k 1, p 1 ribbing pattern. Row 2: purl. Make buttonhole in next knit row. Continue to work in ribbing pattern until band measures 1 inch. Bind off on right side in k 1, p 1 pattern; do not break yarn. With crochet hook, ch 1, then working down left front with right side up, work a row of sc (single crochet) along center front edge to prevent sagging. Work a corresponding row of sc along right front edge. Overcast closely around buttonholes with yarn, or buttonhole with matching thread. Sew $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch buttons in place along left center band.

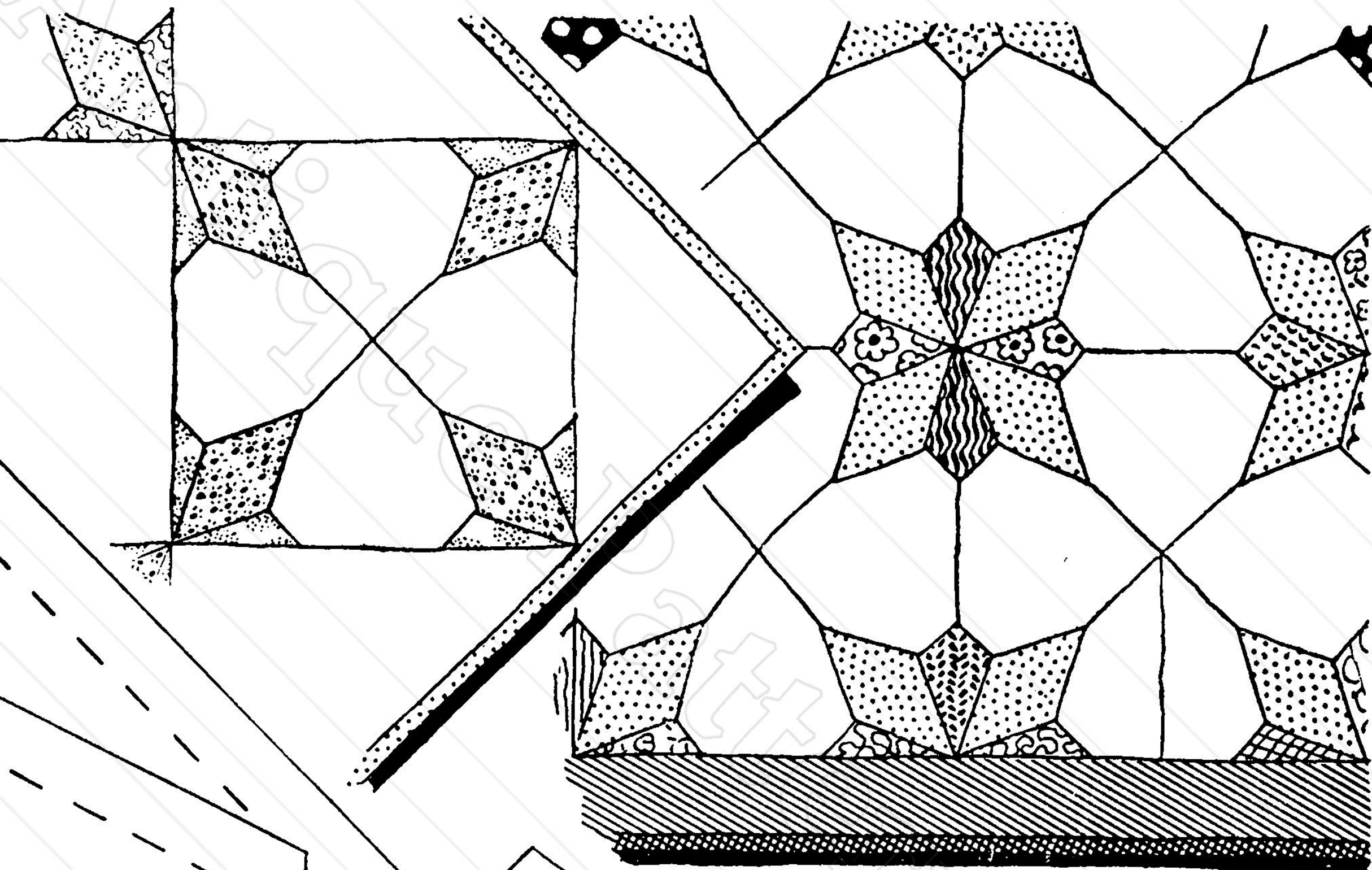
Trimming: sew 3 baby buttons on each half of yoke as shown in the photograph, placing them about $1\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches apart depending on size of garment, and place outer ones about $\frac{3}{8}$ inches higher than preceding button. With contrasting yarn work 8 lazy daisy petals around button center. An easy way to space these is to work 4 petals at right angles to each other, then fill in with a petal between each two.

STAR DOILY

The doily, which measures about 5 inches across, requires J. & P. Coats or Clark's O. N. T. Best Six Cord Mercerized Crochet Cotton, size 30, one small ball of any desired color, and

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NO. 2.

MAY TIME QUILT

Sketch illustrates two ways of putting quilt together. Number of pieces required for each are given on pattern.

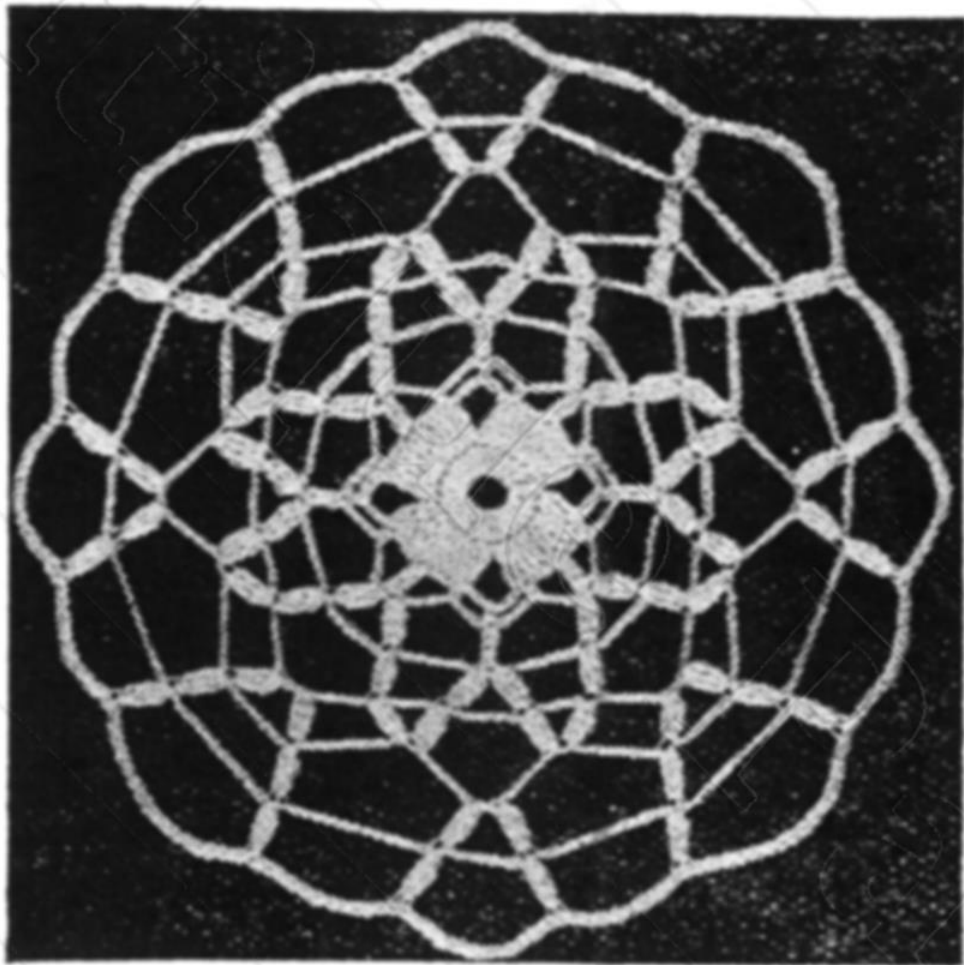
Number 1: Finished quilt measures about 85 by 102 inches, and requires about $7\frac{1}{3}$ yards white and 3 yards prints. You will need 30 pieced blocks, 20 white blocks $12\frac{1}{2}$ inches square, 18 white half-blocks for edge, and 4 white quarter-block corners. Set blocks in diagonal rows alternating pieced with plain blocks as shown. Have 5 pieced blocks across and 6 up and down; quilt, and bind.

Number 2: Quilt center requires about 8 yards white and $4\frac{1}{2}$ yards prints. Piece 56 blocks and join as shown having 7 blocks across and 8 up and down. Border requires a 14-inch strip $2\frac{2}{3}$ yards long. Cut 2 strips $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide and 7 inches longer than quilt for side borders, and 2 strips $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide and 7 inches wider than quilt for ends. Sew to quilt mitering corners; quilt, and bind edge. Finished quilt measures about 90 by 102 inches.

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steel crochet hook number 10.

Starting at center ch (chain) 10, sl



st (slip stitch) in first st (stitch) of ch to form ring. Rnd (round) 1: ch 3, 27 dc (double crochet) in ring, sl st in top st of 3-ch. Rnd 2: ch 4, tr (treble crochet) in same st with sl st, * (tr in next dc, 2 tr in next dc) 3 times; ch 6, 2 tr in next dc. Repeat from * around, sl st last 6-ch to top st of first 4-ch. Rnd 3: 1 sl st in each of next 5 tr, ch 4, tr in same st with last sl st, * ch 4, sk (skip) 3 tr, sc (single crochet) in next tr, ch 4, dc in 6-ch sp (space), ch 4, sk 1 tr, sc in next tr, ch 4, sk 3 tr, 2 tr in next tr. Repeat from * around. Sl st last 4-ch to top st of beginning ch.

Rnd 4: ch 4 and work 2 tr in same st, holding the last loop of each tr on hook, thread over, and draw through all loops on hook (a cluster made), * ch 8, 3-tr cluster in next tr, ch 8, 2 tr in next dc, ch 8, 3-tr cluster in next tr. Repeat from * around. Sl st last 8-ch to top st of beginning 4-ch. Rnd 5: ch 4, 2-tr cluster in tip of cluster, * ch 13, 3-tr cluster in next cluster, ch 5, 3-tr cluster in next tr, ch 7, 3-tr cluster in next tr, ch 5, cluster in next cluster. Repeat from * around; sl st last 5-ch to top of first cluster.

Rnd 6: ch 4, 2-tr cluster in cluster, * ch 8, sk 5 sts of 13-ch, 3-tr cluster

in next st, ch 7, sk 1 st, cluster in next st of 13-ch, ch 8, (cluster in next cluster) twice; ch 13, (cluster in next cluster) twice. Repeat from * around. Sl st last cluster to first cluster of rnd. Rnd 7: sl st to tip of next cluster, ch 4, 2-tr cluster in same cluster, * ch 13, cluster in tip of next cluster, ch 13, sk (8-ch, 2 clusters, and 5 sts of 13-ch), cluster in next st, ch 7, sk 1 st, cluster in next st, ch 13, sk 2 clusters, cluster in next cluster. Repeat from * around; sl st last 13-ch to top of 4-ch.

Rnd 8: ch 4, 2-tr cluster in same st with sl st, * ch 16, cluster in next cluster, ch 10, cluster in next cluster, ch 13, cluster in next cluster, ch 10, cluster in next cluster. Repeat from * around; sl st in first cluster. Rnd 9: ch 1, sc in same place as sl st, * working rather loosely, 16 sc over next 16-ch, sc in cluster, 10 sc over next 10-ch, sc in cluster, 13 sc over next 13-ch, sc in cluster, 10 sc over next 10-ch, sc in cluster. Repeat from * around, sl st in first sc of rnd; fasten off.

Starch the doily heavily, pin out to a true circle with non-rust pins and leave until dry.

HAT PINCUSHION

One pincushion requires about 75 yards pearl cotton, size 3, in blue or any desired color, and about 50 yards finer mercerized crochet cotton in white for flower; $\frac{1}{2}$ yard white ribbon $\frac{1}{2}$ inch wide; and crochet hooks No. 3 and 10.

Crown: with blue and No. 3 hook, ch (chain) 2, 7 sc (single crochet) in first st (stitch); do not close round. Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc of previous rnd (14 sc). Rnd 3: (1 sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) 7 times. Rnd 4: (1 sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) 7 times. Rnd 5: (sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next) 7 times. Rnd 6: (sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next) 7 times. Rnd 7: (sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next) 7 times. Rnd 8: (sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next) 7 times. Rnd 9: (sc in next 7 sc, 2 sc in next) 7 times (63 sc in rnd). Make 8 rnds even, working



1 sc in each sc of previous rnd; sl (slip) st in each of next 6 sts; fasten off.

Brim: with blue, ch 2, 8 sc in first st. Take up back loops only in following rnds. Rnd 2: (2 sc in next sc) 8 times. Rnd 3: (1 sc in next sc, 2 sc in next) 8 times. Make 4 more rnds with 1 more sc between inc (increases) in each rnd. Rnds 8 and 9: in these rnds make 8 inc in each rnd as before but put inc between the inc of previous rnd to even up the circle (72 sc in 9th rnd). Rnd 10: sl st in next st, ch 3, dc (double crochet) in 7 sc; (2 dc in next sc, dc in 8 sc) repeated around; sl st in top st of 3-ch to close rnd. Now work in both loops. Rnd 11: ch 3, dc in 3 dc; (2 dc in next, dc in 4 dc) repeated around; sl st to top st of 3-ch. Rnd 12: ch 3, dc in next 4 dc; (2 dc in next, dc in next 5 dc) repeated around, sl st to top st of 3-ch. Rnd 13: (ch 5, sc in next 4th dc) 27 times; ch 5, sl st in base of beginning ch. Rnd 14: sl st in next 3 sts of next 5-ch; (ch 6, sc in next 5-ch loop) around; sl st last 5-ch to base of first 5-ch; fasten off.

Flower: with white and No. 10 hook, * ch 9, tr (treble) in 9th st from hook, (ch 5, sc in 5th st from hook for a picot, ch 1, tr) twice in same st with tr, ch 6, sl st in same st. Repeat from * 15 times. Roll up in 2 complete turns and tack. Make 2. Stretch and pin brim right side down and wet with hot starch. Press through cloth. When dry sew crown on top

to loops on edge of Rnd 9, stuffing crown hard with cotton. Tie ribbon around base of crown, tack flowers on bow.

CROCHETED TRIMMINGS

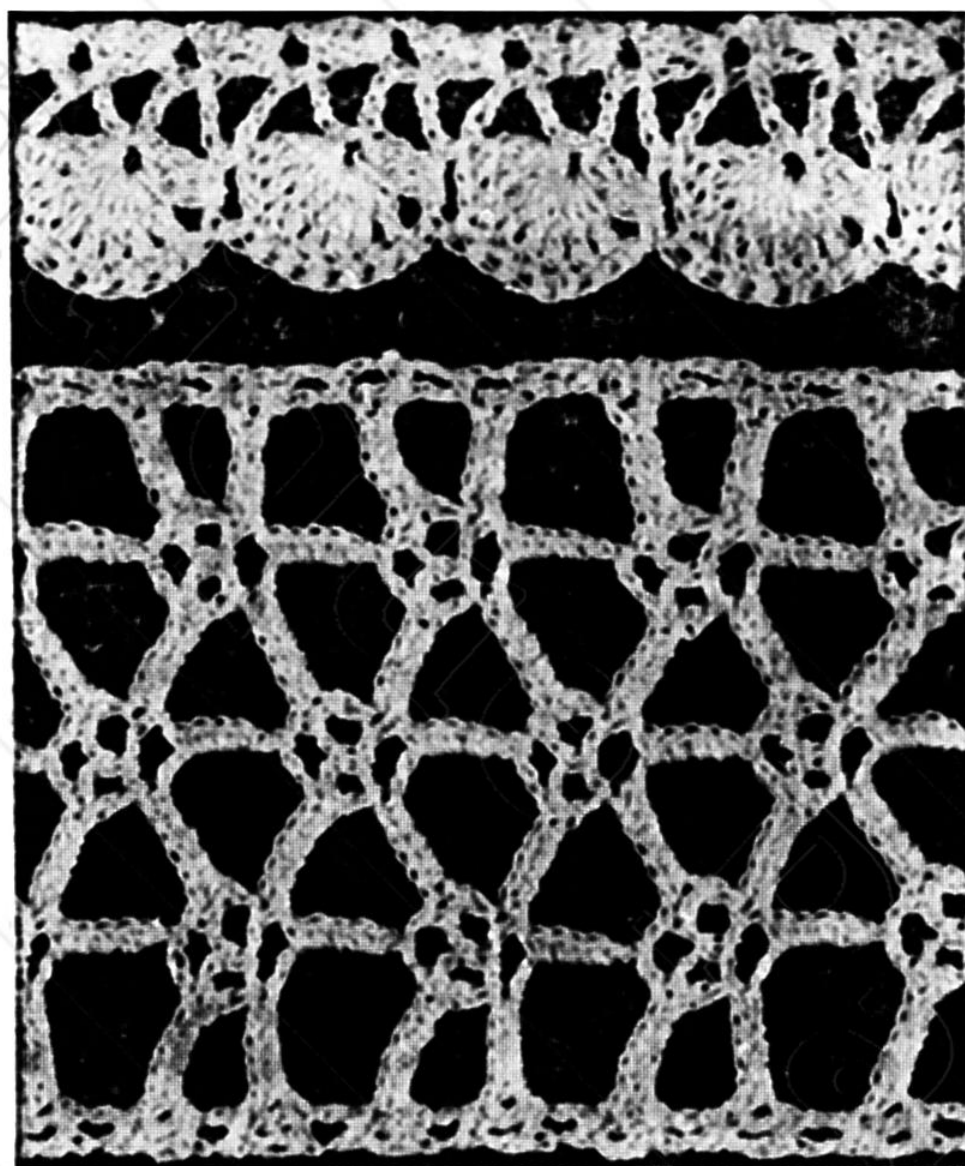
SHELL EDGING: This is shown at the top in the photograph. Made with number 30 crochet cotton and a size 11 steel hook it will measure about $\frac{3}{4}$ inches wide. Ch (chain) 13, sk (skip) 6 sts (stitches) of ch, sc (single crochet) in next st of ch, ch 3, sk next 3 sts, dc (double crochet) in each of next (last) 3 sts.

Row 2: ch 3, turn, sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch 3, sk next 3-ch, 3 dc over next 3-ch. Row 3: ch 3, turn, sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch 3, sk next 3-ch, 9 tr (treble crochets) over next 3-ch, sl (slip) st in ch-st at base of outer dc of 3-dc block below. Row 4: ch 1, turn, 1 sc (worked rather loosely) in each of next 6 tr of shell, ch 3, sk next 2 tr, sc in next (last) tr of shell, ch 3, sk next 3-ch, 3 dc over next 3-ch. Row 5: ch 3, turn, sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch 3, sk next 3-ch, 3 dc over next 3-ch. Repeat Rows 2 through 5 for length desired. Finish off at the end of a Row 4.

MONKEY FACE INSERTION: This old favorite is an easy-to-make trim for the ends of table runners, for it is quite effective when set above a wide hem. Made with number 30 mercerized crochet cotton and a size 11 steel hook it measures about $2\frac{1}{4}$ inches wide. After you have done a few inches, any width can be made.

Ch 33, sk 3 sts of ch, dc in 4th st from hook, ch 5, sk 4 sts of foundation ch, sc in next st, (ch 3, sk 1 st of foundation ch, sc in next st) twice; ch 10, sk 4 sts of foundation ch, sl st in next st. Turn; over first half of 10-ch work 5 sc; ch 5, turn, sk 4 sts of foundation ch, sc in next st, (ch 3, sk 1 st of foundation ch, sc in next st) twice; ch 5, sk 4 sts of foundation ch, 1 dc in each of last 2 sts of foundation ch.

Row 2: ch 3, turn, dc in next dc, 6 sc over 5-ch, sc in next 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in next 3-ch loop, 6 sc over next



over first half of 10-ch, ch 5, turn, sc in last sc before next 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in next sc, ch 5, dc in next dc, dc in 2nd st of 3-ch at end.

Repeat Rows 2 to 5 inclusive for the length desired.



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5-ch, ch 3, 6 sc over next 5-ch; sc in next 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in next 3-ch loop, 6 sc over last 5-ch, dc in next dc, dc in 2nd (middle) st of 3-ch at end.

Row 3: ch 3, turn, dc in next dc, ch 10, sl st in next 3-ch loop, turn, 5 sc over first half of 10-ch, ch 5, turn; sc in sc just before the 3-ch loop at center of previous row. Ch 3, sc in center 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in next sc, ch 10, sl st in next 3-ch loop, turn, 5 sc over first half of 10-ch, ch 5, turn, dc in next dc, dc in 2nd st of 3-ch at end.

Row 4: ch 3, turn, dc in next dc, 6 sc over 5-ch, ch 3, 6 sc over next 5-ch, sc in next 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in next 3-ch loop, 6 sc over next 5-ch, ch 3, 6 sc over next 5-ch, dc in next dc, dc in 2nd st of 3-ch at end.

Row 5: ch 3, turn, dc in next dc, ch 5, sc in last sc before 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in 3-ch loop, ch 3, sc in next sc, ch 10, sl st in next 3-ch, turn, 5 sc

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