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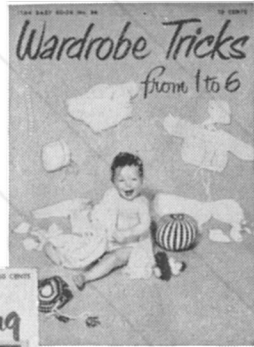




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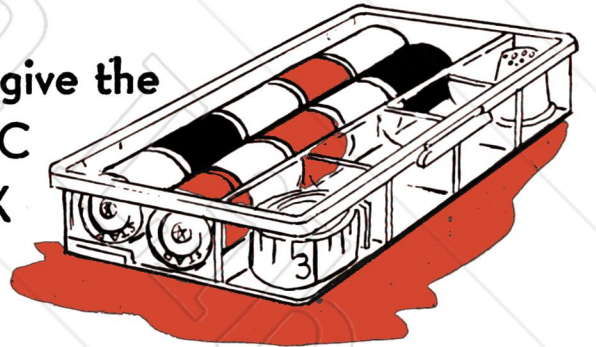
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Jolly St. Nick

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**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"AUNT LYDIA'S" HEAVY RUG YARN, Article 235**

**7 skeins Red
2 skeins White
3 Black buttons
10 inches ½ inch black ribbon
Aluminum crochet hook No. H**

BODY—Wind 4 skeins of Red over a 16 inch cardboard, tie with double strand of yarn at one end for top of head. Tie tightly about 3½ inches from top of neck. Divide remaining yarn in half for legs and tie each section about 2 inches from each end. Cut and trim ends for feet.

ARMS—Wind 2 skeins of Red over a 12 inch cardboard, tie 2 inches from each end for hands, then tie each side about 3½ inches from each hand for shoulders, insert through center of body. Tie about 4½ inches from neck for waist. Cut and trim ends for hands.

MUSTACHE—Cut 14—5 inch lengths of White. Insert threaded needle through center of each length, pull together and fasten on wrong side. Comb and trim edges tapering top to about 4 inches.

BEARD—With White ch 19 loosely, cut yarn. Cut 57—6 inch lengths and pull 3 lengths evenly through each st of ch. Fold lengths in half and tack in position on wrong side. Comb and trim edges as illustrated. Sew mustache and beard to face.

HAT CUFF—With White ch 40, join to form a ring being careful not to twist ch.

1st Round—Work 1 double loop st in each st (double loop st: yarn over index finger twice, insert hook in st, draw yarn through pulling yarn from index finger, drop loop from finger letting loops fall to right side of work and complete s c), do not turn or join this or following rounds. Place a marker at the beginning of each round. Repeat the last round twice, cut yarn.

4th Round—Attach Red and working in s c, decrease 5 sts evenly spaced (to decrease: * insert hook in next st, pull loop through, repeat from * once, yarn over and work off all loops at one time).

5th and 6th Rounds—1 s c in each s c. Repeat the last 3 rounds 4 times.

19th Round—Decrease 3 sts. Work 2 rounds even. Repeat last 3 rounds twice.

28th Round—Decrease 2 sts, cut yarn.

POMPONS—Over a 3 inch cardboard wind White 30 times. Tie in center, cut each end and trim. Make 2 more pompons in same manner. Sew to point of hat and body as illustrated. Sew hat in position.

BELT—Place ribbon around center of body and sew edges together at back.

Sew buttons in position for eyes and nose.

Cornucopia

illustrated on cover

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"STAR" RAYON CROCHET, Article 700**

**1 ball White and
"STAR" RAYON, Article 300
2 skeins each Turkey Red and Light Emerald
Steel crochet hook No. 7**

With White ch 4, 2 d c in 4th st from hook, turn.

2nd Row—Ch 1, working in s c, increase 1 s c at the beginning and end of row, turn.

3rd Row—Ch 3, working in d c, increase 1 d c at the beginning and end of row, turn. Repeat the last 2 rows 15 times.

34th Row—Same as 2nd row.

35th Row—Ch 3, d c in same space, 1 d c in each of the next 17 s c, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 s c (s d c: thread over hook, insert in st, pull loop through, thread over and work off all loops at one time), 1 s c in each of the next 29 s c, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 s c, 1 d c in each of the next 17 s c, 2 d c in last s c, turn.

36th Row—Same as 2nd row.

37th Row—Work in same manner as 35th row but having 33 s c between the s d c.

38th Row—Same as 2nd row.

39th Row—Same as 35th row but having 37 s c between the s d c, cut thread leaving a length for sewing. Sew side edges.

Trim—Attach Green "STAR" RAYON at joining at back, ** work a double knot st (double knot st: * draw up about ¼ inch loop on hook, thread over and pull through ch, s c in single loop of st, repeat from * once), skip 1 st, s c in next st, repeat from ** all around, cut thread.

Next Round—With inner side toward you, attach Red in 1st free st after joining, * work a double knot st, skip the Green s c, s c in next free st, repeat from * all around, cut thread. With Red, embroider 3 French knots in groups at intervals. With Green, embroider 3 lazy daisy sts between French knots as illustrated.



Mr.

Snow Man . . .

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "AUNT LYDIA'S" HEAVY RUG YARN, Article 235

6 skeins White and "PURITAN" CROCHET COTTON, Article 40
1 ball Kelly Green and "STAR" SIX STRAND EMBROIDERY COTTON, Article 50
2 skeins each Bright Red and White
1 skein each Burnt Orange, Black and Golden Brown
Steel crochet hook No. 7
1 pipe cleaner
1 9-inch round stick about 1/4 inch in diameter

HEAD—Hold large crochet hook horizontally on 2 1/2 x 5 inch cardboard. Wind 1 skein White "AUNT LYDIA'S" HEAVY RUG YARN over 2 1/2 inch part of board. With large crochet hook pull three 22-inch lengths of yarn halfway through opening and tie. Remove cardboard. Trim into ball for head.

BODY—Work 2 more pompons in same manner. Sew these 2 pompons together at tying point. Trim into a ball for center of body. Work 3 more pompons in same manner, sew together at tying point. Trim into a ball for lower part of body. Take the free lengths of yarn of head pompon, draw through the middle of the center body section and lower part of body.

Tie all ends together. Insert stick through center of entire snow man.

HAT—Is worked with "PURITAN" CROCHET COTTON and "STAR" SIX STRAND EMBROIDERY COTTON.

With Green starting at cuff, ch 92, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, join being careful not to twist work.

2nd Round—1 s c in each s c, join, cut thread.

3rd Round—Attach Red and work 1 s c in each s c, join, cut thread. Working in same manner work 2 rounds Green, 1 round White, 1 round Red, 1 round White, 2 rounds Green, 1 round Red and 2 rounds Green.

14th Round—Ch 3, counts as 1 d c, 1 d c in each s c, join and turn this and following rounds. Work 2 more rounds even in d c.

17th Round—Working in d c, decrease in every 9th and 10th st (to decrease: *thread over hook, insert in next st, pull through and work off 2 loops, repeat from * once, thread over and work off all loops at one time).

18th Round—Decrease in every 8th and 9th st.

19th Round—Decrease in every 6th and 7th st. Work 2 rounds even. Repeat the last 3 rounds 7 times.

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. and the Christmas Angel



**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"PURITAN" CROCHET COTTON, Article 40**

**1 ball White or
"DAWN" LIGHT WEIGHT POMPADOUR
2 ozs. White**

and

"STAR" RAYON, Article 300

**1 skein Deep Yellow
Steel crochet hook No. 7**

7 inch Doll

1/8 yd. Buckram

1/8 yd. White Satin

1/2 yd. narrow White Ribbon

1 Pipe Cleaner

BODICE—Ch 32, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1 to turn all rows.

2nd, 3rd and 4th Rows—1 s c in each s c.

5th Row—Working in s c, increase 1 s c at the beginning and end of row. Work 2 rows even. Repeat the last 3 rows once.

11th Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 6 s c, turn. Work 4 rows even.

16th Row—1 s c in each of the next 4 s c, turn (shoulder). Work 1 row even, cut thread. With wrong side of 10th row toward you, attach thread in the 24th free st of 10th row and work opposite side to correspond. Skip next 4 free sts of 10th row, attach thread in next st, s c in same space, 1 s c in each of the next 14 sts, turn. Work 5 rows even.

Next Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 4 s c, ch 1, 1 sl st in each of the next 7 sts, ch 1, 1 s c in each of the next 4 s c.

Next Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 4 s c, sl st in next ch 1, 1 sl st in each sl st working in front loop of sts only, sl st in next ch 1, 1 s c in each remaining s c, cut thread. Sew shoulder seams.

SLEEVES—Attach thread in 1st free st at underarm, work a double knot st (double knot st: *draw up about a 3/8 inch loop on hook, thread over and pull through ch, s c in single loop of st (single knot st), repeat from * once for double knot st), skip 1 st, s c in next st, work a double knot st, skip 1 st, s c in next row, * work a double knot st, skip 1 row, s c in next row, repeat from * twice, work a double knot st, s c in joining, * work a double knot st, skip 1 row, s c in next row, repeat from * twice, do not join or turn this or following rounds.

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Mr. Snow Man

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43rd Round—Decrease 3 sts. Work 1 round even. Repeat the last 2 rounds 3 times.

Next 2 Rounds—Same as 41st round, cut thread leaving a length for sewing. Sew opening closed. With wrong side of 1st round toward you, attach Green and work 1 s c in each st, join, cut thread. Fold colored section upward.

TASSELL—Cut 10-4 inch lengths of each color. Tie at center, then tie about ¼ inch from 1st tying. Sew to top of hat.

SCARF—With Green ch 15, d c in 4th st from hook, 1 d c in each remaining st of ch, turn.

2nd Row—Ch 3, 1 d c in each d c, turn. Repeat last row until work measures 16 inches, cut thread.

FRINGE—Cut 2-4 inch lengths of thread, fold in half, loop through a st, pull ends through loop and pull tightly. Working in same manner arrange colors as follows—2 Green, 1 Red, 2 Green, 1 White, 1 Red, 1 White, 2 Green, 1 Red and 2 Green.

NOSE—With Orange ch 13, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1 to turn all rows.

2nd Row—Working in s c, work 2 s c in each s c. Work 1 row even.

4th Row—Decrease in every 2nd and 3rd st across row. Work 1 row even. Repeat the last 2 rows 4 times.

14th Row—Decrease 2 sts, cut thread leaving a length. Sew long edges together. Fill with kapok.

EYES AND BUTTONS—With Black ch 2, 8 s c in 2nd st from hook, do not join.

2nd Round—2 s c in each s c, join, cut thread. Work 4 more circles in same manner.

MOUTH—With Red ch 15, s c in 2nd st from hook, s c in next st, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 sts (s d c: thread over hook, insert in st, pull loop through, thread over and work off all loops at one time), 1 d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 tr c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 s c in each remaining st, cut thread.

Sew eyes, nose, mouth and buttons in position as illustrated.

BROOM—Wind Golden Brown tightly over a pipe cleaner, fasten ends with tape or glue, bend one end about ½ inch. Over a 1½ inch cardboard wind Golden Brown 90 times, slip length of thread through one end and fasten to bent end of pipe cleaner, twist end of pipe cleaner tightly to hold broom in place. Tie broom about ¾ inch from 1st tying. Insert through body as illustrated.



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2nd Round—* Work a double knot st, s c in center s c of next double knot st, repeat from * all around. Repeat the last round 5 times.

Next Round—* S c in center s c of next double knot st, repeat from * all around.

Next 2 Rounds—1 s c in each s c.

Next Round—* Ch 3, sl st in next s c, repeat from * all around, cut thread. Work other sleeve in same manner.

SKIRT—With right side of 1st row of bodice toward you, working on opposite side of starting ch, attach thread in 1st st, * work a double knot st, s c in next st, repeat from * across row, turn.

2nd Row—Work 3 single knot sts, s c in center s c of 1st double knot st, * work a double knot st, s c in center s c of next double knot st, repeat from * across row, turn.

3rd Row—Same as last row, work a double knot, join with an s c in 2nd s c of knot st at beginning of row.

Next Round—* Work a double knot st, s c in center s c of next double knot st, repeat from * all around, do not join or turn this or following rounds. Repeat the last round 15 times or length desired, cut thread.

WINGS—Ch 10, 3 d c in 4th st from hook, slip loop off hook, insert in 3rd st of ch, pull loop through, ch 1 to tighten st, ch 1, popcorn st in same space (popcorn st: 4 d c in same st, drop loop from hook, insert in 1st d c, pull loop through, ch 1 to tighten st), * ch 1, skip next st of ch, popcorn st in next st, repeat from * twice, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—2 s c in 1st st, * 1 s c over next ch 1, 1 s c in next st, repeat from * twice, 1 s c over next ch 1, 2 s c in last st (11 s c), turn.

3rd Row—Ch 3, popcorn st in 1st st (ch 3 counts as part of 1st popcorn st), ch 1, popcorn st in same space, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * 4 times, ch 1, turn.

4th Row—Work in same manner as 2nd row (15 s c).

5th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * 6 times, ch 1, popcorn st in same space as last popcorn st, ch 1, turn.

6th Row—Work in same manner as 2nd row (19 s c).

7th Row—Work in same manner as 3rd row (11 popcorn sts).

8th Row—Work in same manner as 2nd row (23 s c).

9th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * 3 times, 1 d c in each of the next 9 s c, popcorn st in next s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * once, ch 1, turn.

10th Row—Working in s c, increase 1 s c at beginning and end of row (25 s c), ch 3, turn.

11th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * twice, 1 d c in each of the next 7 s c, s d c in next s c (s d c: thread over hook, insert in st, pull loop through, thread over and pull through all loops at one time), 1 s c in each of the next 5 s c, s d c in next s c, d c in next s c, popcorn st in next s c, ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, ch 1, turn.

12th Row—1 s c in each of the next 5 sts, sl st over the next 6 sts, 1 s c in each of the next 13 sts, 2 s c in last st, ch 3, turn.

13th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, ch 1, popcorn st in next s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * once, 1 d c in each of the next 4 s c, s d c in next s c, s c in next s c, sl st in next s c, ch 2, turn.

14th Row—Skip the sl st, 1 s c in each of the next 13 s c, ch 3, turn.

15th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * once, 1 d c in each of the next 4 s c, s d c in next s c, s c in next s c, sl st in next s c, ch 1, turn.

16th Row—Skip the sl st, 1 s c in each of the next 9 sts, 2 s c in next s c, ch 3, turn.

17th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, ch 1, popcorn st in next s c, ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, 1 d c in each of the next 3 s c, s d c in next st, s c in next s c, ch 1, turn.

18th Row—Skip the s c, 1 s c in each of the next 8 sts, 2 s c in next s c, ch 3, turn.

19th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, ch 1, popcorn st in next s c, ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, 1 d c in each of the next 3 s c, s d c in next st, s c in next s c, ch 2, turn.

20th Row—Same as 18th row.

21st Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, 1 d c in each of the next 3 s c, s d c in next s c, s c in next s c, ch 1, turn.

22nd Row—Skip 1st s c, 1 s c in each of the next 6 sts, 2 s c in next st, ch 3, turn.

23rd Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, 1 d c in each of the next 3 sts, s d c in next st, s c in next st, ch 1, turn.

24th Row—Skip 1st s c, 1 s c in each of the next 5 sts, ch 3, turn.

25th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, 1 d c in next s c, s d c in next s c, s c in next s c, ch 1, turn.

26th Row—Skip 1st s c, 1 s c in each of the next 2 sts, 2 s c in next st, ch 3, turn.

27th Row—Popcorn st in 1st s c, s d c in next s c, s c in next s c, ch 1, turn.

28th Row—Skip 1st s c, s c in next st, 2 s c in next st, cut thread.

Work another wing in same manner.

Work 2 more wings as far as the 12th row reversing the shaping.

13th Row—Sl st over the 1st 14 sts, s c in next s c, s d c in next s c, 1 d c in each of the next 4 s c, popcorn st in next st, * ch 1, skip 1 st, popcorn st in next st, repeat from * once, ch 1, popcorn st in next st, ch 1, turn.

14th Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 12 sts, sl st in next st, ch 1, turn.

15th Row—Skip the sl st and work same as 15th row of 1st wing always reversing the shaping; this will not be referred to again.

16th Row—Same as 16th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

17th Row—Skip 1 st, sl st in next st, s c in next st, s d c in next st, 1 d c in each of the next 3 sts, popcorn st in next st, ch 1, skip 1 st, popcorn st in next st, ch 1, popcorn st in next st, ch 1, turn.

18th Row—Same as 18th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

19th Row—Skip 1 s c then work same as 19th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

20th Row—Same as 18th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

21st Row—Skip 1 st, sl st in next st, then work same as 21st row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

22nd Row—Same as 22nd row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

23rd Row—Skip 1 st, sl st in next st, then work same as 23rd row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

24th Row—Same as 24th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

25th Row—Skip 1 st then work same as 25th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

26th Row—Same as 26th row of 1st wing, ch 1, turn.

27th Row—Skip 1 s c, s c in next s c, s d c in next s c, popcorn st in next s c, ch 1, turn.

28th Row—2 s c in 1st st, sl st in next st, cut thread.

Work another section in same manner. Cut buckram a little smaller than a section. Place buckram between 2 sections and overcast together. Sew other half of wing in same manner. Sew wings together at their widest points. With double strand of thread, crochet a ch about 12 inches long. Sew chain at center at joining of wings. Place on back of doll and bring strap over shoulders, cross at front and tie around waistline.

Cut a strip of satin about 4½ inches x 18 inches. Sew 2 short side ends together to within 1 inch from one end for top. Gather top to fit waistline. Place on doll and sew opening closed. Place dress on doll and tie bodice together with small bow at back.

BELT—With Yellow "STAR" RAYON crochet a chain about 16 inches, cut thread. Fold in half and loop around waist.

HALO—Wind Yellow tightly over 4 inches of pipe cleaner, fasten ends with glue or scotch tape, join to form a circle bending the uncovered section downward. Insert the uncovered section through back of hair.



Mr. and Mrs. Santa Lapel Pins

illustrated on page 8

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "DAWN" KNITTING WORSTED

1 oz. each Scarlet and White and
"AUNT LYDIA'S" CARPET AND BUTTON THREAD,

Article 1

1 spool White

Steel crochet hook No. 0

Santa Claus: BODY—Wind Scarlet 30 times over a 2½ inch cardboard. Tie one end for top of head. Tie about ½ inch from top of head for neck.

ARMS—Wind Scarlet 10 times over a 2 inch cardboard. Tie about ⅛ inch from each end. Cut and trim ends for hands. Insert arms through center of body. Tie below arms for waistline. Divide remainder of body in half and tie about ⅛ inch from each end. Cut and trim ends for feet.

HAT—With Scarlet ch 12, d c in 4th st from hook, * skip 1 st of ch, d c in next st keeping last loop of st on hook, repeat from * to end of ch, yarn over and pull through all loops at one time, cut yarn leaving a length. Sew sides. With White ch 10, join, cut yarn leaving a length. Sew to edge of hat having the wrong side of ch toward you. Sew to head of doll with "AUNT LYDIA" CARPET and BUT-TON THREAD.

POMPON—Wind White 6 times over ½ inch cardboard. Tie one end. Insert crochet hook through hole at top of hat, pull free end of pompon through. Cut and trim.

BEARD—Cut six—1 inch lengths of White. Sew to face at center of lengths. Comb and trim.

MUSTACHE—Cut two—1 inch lengths. Sew above beard to face at center of lengths. Comb and trim. Embroider eyes and nose with "AUNT LYDIA" CARPET and BUTTON THREAD as illustrated.

MRS. SANTA CLAUS—Work body and hat same as for Santa Claus but cut lower end for skirt. Embroider mouth, nose and eyes.

APRON—With White leave a 3 inch length for tie, then ch 4, 2 s c in 2nd st from hook, 2 s c in each remaining st, ch 1 to turn all rows.

2nd and 3rd Rows—1 s c in each s c, cut yarn at end of last row. Cut a 3 inch length and sew to opposite end of starting ch for other tie. Place on doll and tie at back.

CAPE—With White leave a 3 inch length, then ch 8, 2 s c in 2nd st from hook, 2 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—1 s c in each s c, cut yarn. Cut a 3 inch length and sew to opposite end of starting ch. Place around neck and tie at front with bow. Cut long ends.



Christmas Ornaments .



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Mr. and Mrs. Santa
Lapel Pins on page 7
Directions for all
other ornaments
are on page 10

SNOWFLAKE (at bottom)

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"STAR" CROCHET COTTON, Article 30, size 50.**

1 ball White will make about 15 snowflakes.

Steel crochet hook No. 13.

Ch 4, join to form a ring, ch 8, d c in ring, * ch 5, d c in ring, repeat from * 3 times, ch 2, d c in 3rd st of ch (this brings thread in position for next round).

2nd Round—Ch 3, s c over d c just made, * ch 7, s c in next loop, ch 3, s c in same space, repeat from * 4 times, ch 3, tr c in d c.

3rd Round—Ch 3, s c in tr c, * ch 9, s c in 4th st from hook for picot, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 3, sl st in same space (picot cluster), repeat from * twice, ch 5, s c in next ch 7 loop, ch 3, s c in same space, repeat from 1st * 4 times, * ch 9, s c in 4th st from hook for picot, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 3, sl st in same space, repeat from * twice, ch 5, sl st in tr c, cut thread.

4th Round—Attach thread in center picot of 3rd picot cluster of any loop, ** ch 11, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, * ch 4, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, repeat from * once, ch 3, sl st in same space, ch 3, sl st in same space, working on opposite side, * sl st in same space with next picot, ch 3, sl st in same space, repeat from * once, * ch 7, s c in center picot of next picot cluster, repeat from * twice, repeat from ** all around, cut thread.

SNOWFLAKE (left)

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"STAR" CROCHET COTTON, Article 30, Size 50.**

1 ball White will make 10 snowflakes.

Steel crochet hook No. 13.

* Ch 5, 3 tr c in 4th st from hook keeping last loop of each tr c on hook, thread over and pull through all loops at one time (a rice st), repeat from * 5 times, join being careful not to twist sts.

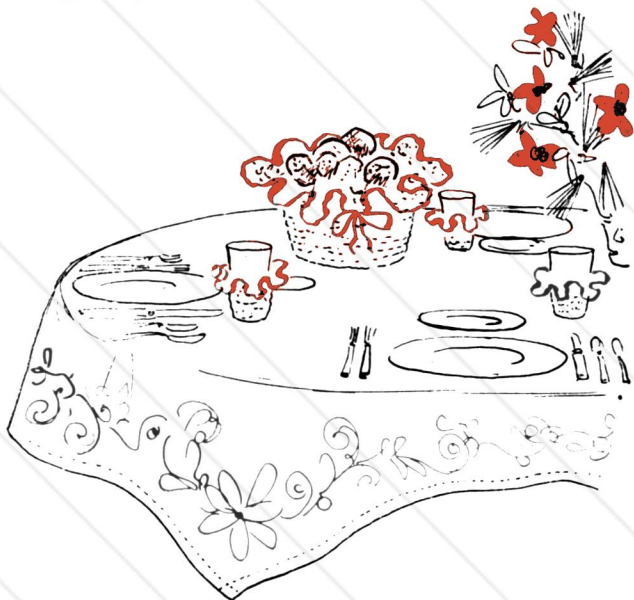
2nd Round—Ch 4, 2 tr c in same space keeping last loop of each tr c on hook, thread over and pull through all loops at one time, ch 4, sl st in same space with joining (petal), ch 4, 3 tr c in same space with joining keeping last loop of each tr c on hook, thread over and pull through all loops at one time, * ch 3, 3 tr c in ch 1 between next 2 rice sts keeping last loop of each tr c on hook, thread over and pull through all loops at one time, ch 4, sl st in same ch 1, ch 4, 3 tr c in same ch 1 keeping last loop of each tr c on hook, thread over and pull through all loops at one time, repeat from * all around, ch 3, join in top of 1st petal.

3rd Round—Work 3 rice sts same as in 1st row, sl st in top of next petal, ch 3, sl st in top of next petal, repeat from beginning all around.

4th Round—Sl st into the ch 1 between 1st 2 rice sts, ** ch 5, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, * ch 5, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, repeat from * twice, ch 1, s c in the ch 1 between next 2 rice sts, ch 7, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, * ch 5, sl st in 4th st from hook for

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. . and festive Bun Warmer, Glass Jacket, and Pot Holder



BUN WARMER — GLASS JACKET

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "STAR" BLEND YARN, Article 75

5 skeins White

1 skein each Dk. Green and Red will make 1 bun warmer and 4 glass jackets

Steel crochet hook No. 0

Bun Warmer—With White ch 3, join to form a ring, ch 1 and work 6 s c in ring, join.

2nd Round—2 s c in each s c, do not join rounds. Place a marker at beginning of each round.

3rd Round—* 2 s c in next s c, 1 s c in next s c, repeat from * all around (18 s c).

Next 17 Rounds—Work in s c increasing at each increasing point in each round (120 s c).

21st Round—Working in back loop of sts, work 1 s c in each s c, join, ch 3, turn.

22nd Round—1 d c in each s c, join in 3rd st of ch, ch 3, turn.

23rd Round—1 d c in each d c, join, ch 3, turn. Repeat the last round 8 times but ch 1 to turn last round.

32nd Round—Beading: 1 s c in each of the next 3 d c, * ch 3, skip 1 d c, 1 s c in each of the next 3 d c, repeat from * all around, ch 3, join in 1st s c, do not turn.

33rd Round—Ch 5, d tr c (3 times over hook) in same space, * 3 d tr c in next st, 2 d tr c in next st, repeat from * all around, join in 5th st of ch, cut White.

Next Round—Attach Dk. Green and work 1 s c in each st, join, cut yarn.

Attach White in free loop of st of 21st round and work 1 s c in free loop of each st all around, join, cut yarn.

Attach snap fasteners to form pockets for buns as illustrated. With Red crochet a ch about 60 inches long. Lace through beading and tie in bow.

Glass Jacket—With White work 1st 6 rounds same as for bun warmer (36 s c).

Next Round—Working in back loop of sts, work 1 s c in each s c, join.

Next Round—Ch 3, 1 d c in each s c, join. Repeat the last round twice. Finish with beading and ruffle same as bun warmer.

Attach yarn in free loop of st of 7th round and with right side of bottom toward you, work 1 s c in each free loop of each st, join, cut yarn.

With Red crochet a ch about 26 inches long. Lace through beading and tie in bow.



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Snow Flake (left snowflake) cont. from page 8

picot, repeat from * 4 times, d c in the ch 1 between 3rd and 4th picots from hook, ch 5, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, tr c between next 2 picots on opposite side, ch 5, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, d tr c (3 times over hook) between next 2 picots on opposite side, ch 5, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, skip 1 picot, tr tr c (4 times over hook) in next st of ch on opposite side, ch 2, skip 1 rice st and ch 3 loop, s c in ch between next 2 rice sts, repeat from ** all around, join, cut thread.

Snow Flake (top snowflake) illus. on page 8

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "STAR" CROCHET COTTON, Article 30, Size 50.

1 ball White will make 9 snow flakes.

Steel crochet hook No. 13.

Ch 5, join to form a ring, ch 7, d c in ring, * ch 4, d c in ring, repeat from * 3 times, ch 4, join in 3rd st of ch.

2nd Round—Ch 1 and work 6 s c over each loop, join.

3rd Round—* Ch 5, 2 tr c in 5th st from hook keeping last loop of each tr c on hook, thread over and pull through all loops at one time (a rice st), ch 5, rice st in 5th st from hook, skip 6 s c, s c in space over the d c of previous round, repeat from * all around.

4th Round—Ch 9, rice st in 5th st from hook, ** ch 2, tr c between next 2 rice sts, * ch 4, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, repeat from * three times, ch 7, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, * ch 4, sl st in 4th st from hook for picot, repeat from * twice, sl st in top of last tr c, ch 7, work a rice st in 5th st from hook, tr c in next s c, ch 5, work a rice st in 5th st from hook, repeat from ** all around joining last rice st in 4th st of ch.

5th Round—Ch 8, d tr c (3 times over hook) in same space, * ch 9, 5 d c in ch 3 loop at top of picots, ch 9, 1 d tr c, ch 3, 1 d tr c in next tr c, repeat from * 4 times, ch 9, 5 d c in next ch 3 loop at top of picots, ch 9, join in 5th st of ch.

6th Round—Ch 1, ** 3 s c over the ch 3 loop, ch 4, sl st in top of last s c for picot, 2 s c over same loop, 10 s c over next ch 9 loop, * s c in next d c, ch 4, tr c in top of s c just made, ch 4, sl st in top of tr c for picot, ch 4, sl st in same s c, repeat from * 4 times, 10 s c over next loop, repeat from ** all around, join, cut thread.

Holly Wreath Curtain Pulls

illustrated on page 8

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "STAR" PEARL COTTON, Article 90, size 5.

1 ball each Bright Red and Lt. Emerald.

Steel crochet hook No. 7.

6 inches medium wire.

With Green ch 3, s c in 2nd st from hook, sl st in next st of ch, ch 3 to turn all rows.

2nd Row—Sl st in 3rd st from hook, sl st in next sl st, s c in next s c.

3rd Row—Sl st in 3rd st from hook, s c in next s c, sl st in next sl st. Repeat the last 2 rows until strip measures about 4½ inches, cut thread leaving a length. Sew the 2 ends together.

With Red embroider 4 groups of 3 French knots at intervals.

BOW—With Red ch 50, cut thread. Tie a bow and sew in position as illustrated.

Cut wire to size of wreath and overcast to wrong side. With Green crochet a ch about 10 inches long. Double in half and sew to top of wreath.

Green, White and Red Bells

illustrated on page 8

Material Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "STAR" CROCHET COTTON, Article 30, Size 30

or
"STAR" TATTING CROCHET, Article 25

1 ball each White, Hunter Green and Bright Red

Steel crochet hook No. 13

¼ yd. narrow Red ribbon

1 small safety pin

If "STAR" CROCHET COTTON is used work with a single strand of thread. If "STAR" TATTING CROCHET is used work with a double strand of thread.

With Red ch 2, 6 s c in 2nd st from hook, do not join or turn this or following rounds. Place a marker at the beginning of each round.

2nd Round—2 s c in each s c.

3rd Round—* 1 s c in next s c, 2 s c in next s c, repeat from * all around. Work 7 rounds even in s c.

11th Round—Same as 3rd round. Work 1 round even, join, cut thread.

13th Round—Attach White and work 1 s c in each s c, join, cut thread.

14th Round—Attach Green, * ch 3, sl st in next st, repeat from * all around, cut thread.

CLAPPER—Cut about a 24 inch length of Green, ch 2, 3 s c in 2nd st from hook, join, pull thread through. Skip about ½ inch of thread, ch 2, 3 s c in 2nd st from hook, then crochet a chain about 1¾ inches long, cut thread. Draw chain through top of bell leaving clapper remain inside of bell. Work 2 more bells in same manner reversing the colors and working chains various lengths as illustrated. Sew the 3 chains together at top and finish with bow. Sew pin to back of bow.

Santa Claus Star

illustrated on page 8

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "STAR" PEARL COTTON, Article 90, Size 5

2—balls Bright Red

1—ball White

1—ball Black

Steel crochet hook No. 7

With Red ch 2, 5 s c in 2nd st from hook. Join all rounds and ch 1 to turn each round.

2nd Round—2 s c in each s c.

3rd Round—* 1 s c in next s c, 2 s c in next s c, repeat from * all around.

4th Round—Working in s c, increase in every 3rd st.

5th Round—Increase in every 4th st. Continue working in same manner until there are 8 sts between increasing points.

11th Round—Increase in every 5th st (60 s c).

Next Row. ARM POINT—1 s c in each of the next 12 s c, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—Decrease 1 s c at the beginning and end of row (to decrease: * insert hook in next st, pull loop through, repeat from * once, thread over and work off all loops at one time).

3rd and 4th Rows—1 s c in each s c. Repeat the last 3 rows once.

8th Row—Same as 2nd row, cut Red, turn.

9th and 10th Rows—Attach White and work 1 s c in each s c.

11th Row—Same as 2nd row, cut White, turn.

12th and 13th Rows—Attach Black and work 1 s c in each s c.

14th Row—Same as 2nd row.

Next 2 Rows—Work even.

Next Row—Decrease 1 st, cut Black, turn.

LEG POINT—With wrong side of 11th round toward you attach Red in 1st free s c, s c in same space, 1 s c in each of the next 11 s c.

Next 4 Rows—Same as 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th rows of arm point, cut Red, turn.

Next 2 Rows—With White work even.

Next Row—Same as 2nd row of arm point, cut White, turn.

Next 2 Rows—With Black work even.

Next Row—Same as 2nd row of arm point. Repeat the last 3 rows once.

Next 2 Rows—Work even.

Next Row—Decrease 1 st, cut Black. With wrong side of 11th round toward you, attach Red in 1st free s c and work another leg point in same manner. With wrong side of 11th round toward you, attach Red and work another arm point.

HEAD POINT—Attach Red in next free st of 11th round and work 1st 5 rows same as 1st 5 rows of arm point, cut Red, turn.

Next 2 Rows—With White work even.

Next Row—Same as 2nd row of arm point. Work 1 row even.

Next Row—Ch 5, sl st in next s c, * ch 3, sl st in next s c, repeat from * twice, ch 5, sl st in next st, cut White, turn.

Next Row—Attach Red in s c of 9th row and keep loops to front of work, work 1 s c in each s c.

Next Row—Same as 2nd row of arm point. Work 2 rows even. Repeat the last 3 rows once.

Next Row—Decrease 1 st, cut Red.

MUSTACHE—Cut five 1 inch lengths of White. Sew together at center and sew to face and trim.

BEARD—With White ch 9, cut thread. Cut 27-2 inch lengths of White. Pull 3 strands through each st of ch. Fold strands in half and sew in position. Embroider eyes and nose as illustrated. Work another face on opposite side of star.

BELT—With White ch 4, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1 to turn all rows.

2nd Row—1 s c in each s c. Repeat the last row 15 times.

18th Row—1 s c in each of the next 2 s c, sl st in next st.

19th Row—Sl st in sl st, 1 s c in each remaining st. Work next 17 rows in s c, cut thread.

BUCKLE—With Black ch 14, join to form a ring and work 1 sl st in each st of ch, join, cut thread leaving a length. Sew thread at opposite side to form a slide for belt. Place buckle on belt. Work another section of belt and buckle in same manner. Place on star having 1 buckle at the front and one at the back.

Next 3 Rows—1 s c in each s c working 3 s c in center st in each row.

7th Row—1 sl st in each of the next 5 s c, 1 s c in each of the next 33 s c, 3 s c in next s c, 1 s c in each of the next 33 sts.

8th Row—Same as 3rd row, cut Green, do not turn.

9th Row—Attach White at opposite end and working through both loops of sts, s c in same space, s c in next s c, * s c in base of next st of previous row, skip the st in back of s c just made, 1 s d c in base of next corresponding st of row below (s d c: thread over hook, insert in st, pull loop through, thread over and pull through all loops at one time), skip the st in back of s d c just made, s c in base of next corresponding st of last row, skip the st in back of s c just made, 1 s c in each of the next 2 s c, repeat from * 5 times, 1 s c in each of the next 3 s c, 3 s c in next s c, 1 s c in each of the next 5 s c, * s c in base of next s c of last row, skip the st in back of s c just made, s d c in corresponding st of row below, skip the st in back of s d c just made, s c in base of next st of last row, skip the st in back of st just made, 1 s c in each of the next 2 s c, repeat from * 5 times (6 patterns on each side), cut White, do not turn.

10th Row—Attach Green at opposite end and working through back loop of sts only, 1 s c in each st working 3 s c in center st.

11th Row—1 s c in each s c working 3 s c in center st and increasing 1 s c at beginning and end of row. Repeat the last row 3 times.

15th and 16th Rows—1 s c in each s c working 3 s c in center st in each row.

17th Row—1 sl st in each of the next 9 sts, 1 s c in each of the next 38 sts, 3 s c in next st, 1 s c in each of the next 38 sts.

18th Row—1 s c in each s c working 3 s c in center s c (81 s c), cut Green, do not turn.

19th Row—Same as 9th row but having 7 patterns on each side, cut White, do not turn. Repeat from 10th through the 16th row.

27th Row—* Sl st in each of the next 14 s c, 1 s c in each of the next 38 sts, 3 s c in next st, 1 s c in each of the next 38 sts.

28th Row—Same as 18th row.

29th Row—Same as 19th row. Repeat from 10th through the 16th row. Repeat from * once.

47th Row—1 sl st in each of the next 20 sts, 1 s c in each of the next 32 sts, 3 s c in next st, 1 s c in each of the next 32 sts.

Next 2 Rows—1 s c in each s c working 3 s c in center st in each row, cut thread.

TRUNK—Attach Green in 6th st from center st of lower edge and working through both loops of sts for entire trunk work 1 s c in same space, s c in next st, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 d c in each of the next 2 sts, tr c in center st, 1 d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 s c in each of the next 2 sts, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—1 s c in each of the 13 sts, ch 1, turn. Repeat last row 9 times, cut thread. This is the front section. Work another section in same manner reversing the colors except the trunk. With wrong sides together, crochet the 2 sections together as follows: Attach White in first st of last row and work in pattern st same as 9th row across the top and all branches facing upward, working a ch 3 picot at each point, work in s c when working downward between the branches and across lower edge and around trunk, cut White.

STAR—With White cover a ½ inch bone ring having 25 s c around, join.

Next Row—* Ch 6, sl st in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in next st of ch, 1 s d c in next st, 1 d c in each of the next 2 sts of ch, skip 3 s c on ring, 1 sl st in each of the next 2 s c, repeat from * 4 times, but ending last point with skip 3 s c on ring, sl st in next s c, cut thread. Sew to top of holder as illustrated.

Ornaments—With "STAR" SIX STRAND EMBROIDERY COTTON ch 2, 8 s c in 2nd st from hook, join, cut thread. Work 23 more ornaments in same manner in colors desired and sew to front of holder as illustrated.

Tree Pot Holder

illustrated on page 9

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"PURITAN" CROCHET COTTON, Article 40**

or

"DE LUXE" CROCHET COTTON, Article 346

1 ball Kelly Green

1 ball White

and

"STAR" SIX STRAND EMBROIDERY COTTON, Article 50

1 skein each of 5 Assorted Colors

Steel crochet hook No. 7

With Green ch 66, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each of the next 31 sts of ch, 3 s c in next st of ch, 1 s c in each of the next 32 sts of ch, ch 1 to turn all rows except where stated otherwise.

2nd Row—Picking up back loop of sts only in all Green rows and working the White rows through both loops of sts, work 1 s c in each of the next 33 sts, 3 s c in next st, 1 s c in each of the next 33 sts.

3rd Row—1 s c in each of the next 34 sts, 3 s c in next st, 1 s c in each of the next 34 sts.

Mr.

Santa Claus and Mary Christmas



Directions for MARY CHRISTMAS on page 15

MR. SANTA CLAUS

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"DAWN" KNITTING WORSTED**

3 ozs. Scarlet

1 oz. each Black and White

**Plastic crochet hook No. G same as size 5 and steel crochet
hook No. 1**

11 inch White Hair Doll

4 Snap Fasteners

Kapak for filling

Suit and hat are worked with hook No. G

Boots are worked with hook No. 1

Jacket—With Scarlet ch 46, d c in 4th st from hook, 1 d c in each remaining st of ch, turn each row.

2nd Row—Ch 3 (counts as 1 d c), 1 d c in each of the next 10 d c, decrease in next 2 sts (to decrease: * yarn over hook, insert in next st, pull loop through, yarn over and work off 2 loops, repeat from * once, yarn over and work off all loops at one time), 1 d c in each of the next 18 d c, decrease in next 2 sts, 1 d c in each of the last 11 sts.

3rd Row—Ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 10 d c, decrease in next 2 sts, 1 d c in each of the next 16 d c, decrease in next 2 sts, 1 d c in each remaining st. Work 2 rows even.

6th Row—Ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 8 d c, turn.

7th and 8th Rows—Ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 8 d c.

9th Row—Ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 4 d c, cut yarn.

With wrong side of 6th row toward you, attach yarn in 23rd free st, ch 3 and work opposite side to correspond.

Back—Attach yarn in 4th free st of 6th row, ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 15 d c, ch 3, turn. Work 2 rows even.

Next Row—Ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 4 d c, ch 2, sl st in each of the next 6 d c, ch 2, 1 d c in each of the next 5 sts, cut yarn. Sew shoulders. Attach Scarlet at shoulder seam and work a row of s c all around opening, working 3 s c in each corner st, having an even number of s c between corners, join, cut yarn.

Sleeves—Attach Scarlet in 1st free st at underarm, * insert hook in next st, pull loop through, repeat from * once, yarn over and work off all loops at one time, 2 s c over d c of next row, 2 d c over side of next 6 rows, 2 s c over next row, join each row, ch 1 to turn each row.

Next Row—Work 1 s c in each s c and 1 d c in each d c decreasing 3 d c.

Next Row—Work 1 s c in each s c and 1 d c in each d c, decreasing 2 d c.

Next Row—Work 1 s c in each s c and 1 d c in each d c, ch 3 at end of last row.

Next 2 Rows—Work 1 d c in each st, cut yarn at end of last row.

Trim—Attach White in center st on right hand corner of front at neck edge, ch 3, (counts as part of 1st popcorn st) 3 d c in same space, slip loop off hook, insert in 3rd st of ch, pull loop through, ch 1 to tighten st, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next st (popcorn st: 4 d c in same space, slip loop off hook, insert in 1st d c, pull loop through, ch 1 to tighten st), repeat from * to s c before

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... and the Fairy Princess



FAIRY PRINCESS

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"PURITAN" CROCHET COTTON, Article 40 or
"DE LUXE" CROCHET COTTON, Article 346**

**1 ball White and
"STAR" RAYON, Article 300**

3 skeins Yellow

2 pipe cleaners

7 or 8 inch doll

1/3 yd. White satin

1/3 yd. Crinoline

Sequins

Steel crochet hook No. 8

BODICE—With White ch 36, s c in 2nd st from hook, ch 3, s c in same space, * ch 5, skip 3 sts of ch, 1 s c, ch 3, 1 s c (picot) in next st, repeat from * twice, ch 2, skip 2 sts, 1 d c in each of the next 5 sts, ch 2, skip 2 sts, 1 s c, ch 3, 1 s c (picot) in next st, * ch 5, skip 3 sts, picot in next st, repeat from * twice, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—Sl st into picot, * ch 5, picot in next ch 5 loop, repeat from * twice, ch 4, working in d c, increase 1 d c at the beginning and end of d c group, ch 4, picot in next ch 5 loop, * ch 5, picot in next loop, repeat from * once, ch 2, d c in last picot, ch 3, turn.

3rd Row—S c over the d c, * ch 5, picot in next large loop, repeat from * twice, ch 2, 1 d c in each d c, ch 2, picot in next loop, * ch 5, picot in next ch 5 loop, repeat from * twice, ch 1, turn. Repeat the last 2 rows once.

6th Row—**RIGHT BACK**—Sl st into picot, * ch 5, picot in

next ch 5 loop, repeat from * once, ch 1, turn. Repeat the last row 4 times, cut thread.

FRONT—With wrong side of 5th row toward you, attach thread in 1st free ch 5 loop, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 4, 1 d c in each d c, ch 4, picot in next ch 5 loop, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—Sl st into picot, ch 5, picot in 1st d c, ch 1, turn.

3rd Row—Sl st into picot, ch 5, picot in next loop, ch 1, turn.

Repeat the last row twice, cut thread.

Attach thread in last d c of d c group, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 2, d c in next picot, ch 3, turn.

Next Row—S c over ch 2, ch 2, d c in next picot, ch 3, turn.

Repeat last row twice, omitting ch 3 at end of last row, cut thread. Sew the picot and ch 2 to corresponding sts at back section for shoulder seams.

LEFT SIDE OF BACK—Attach thread in next large free loop of 5th row, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 5, picot in next ch 5 loop, ch 2, d c in last picot, ch 3, turn.

2nd Row—S c over ch 2, ch 5, picot in next ch 5 loop, ch 2, d c in picot, ch 3, turn. Repeat last row 3 times omitting ch 3 at end of last row, cut thread. Finish shoulder seam in same manner.

COLLAR—Working around neck, attach thread in picot at right corner of last row of d c group, 2 s c in same space, 3 d c over side of next row, * 3 tr c in next picot, 4 d tr c (3 times over hook) in next row, 1 d tr c in joining, 3 tr c in next loop, 2 tr c in next picot, 3 tr c in end loop, ch 3, turn.

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2nd Row—S c in same space, * ch 3, skip 1 st, 1 s c, ch 3, 1 s c in next st, repeat from * 8 times, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next st, sl st in 1st d c of d c group, cut thread. Attach thread in picot at opposite side of d c group and work other half of collar to correspond.

SLEEVE—Attach thread in picot to left of center free picot at underarm, s c in same space, ch 3, picot in next picot on side of armhole, ch 6, picot in next loop, ch 8, picot in joining, ch 8, picot in next loop, ch 6, picot in picot, ch 3, s c in next picot, ch 6, turn.

2nd Row—Skip the ch 3 loop and next picot, picot in next loop, * ch 8, picot in next loop, repeat from * twice, ch 6, skip the next picot and ch 3 loop, sl st in next s c, do not turn.

3rd Row—2 s c in next loop, 2 s c in next picot, 2 s c in next loop, ch 3, picot in next loop, * ch 8, picot in next loop, repeat from * 3 times, ch 3, join in 1st s c, ch 1, turn.

4th Row—S c in same space, ch 3, skip the ch 3 loop and next picot, picot in next loop, * ch 8, picot in next loop, repeat from * twice, ch 3, skip the next picot and ch 3 loop, 1 s c in each of the next 5 s c, join in 1st s c, do not turn.

5th Row—S c in same space, ch 3, skip the next loop and next picot, picot in next loop, * ch 8, picot in next loop, repeat from * once, ch 3, 1 s c in each of the last 5 s c, join in 1st s c, do not turn.

6th Row—S c in same space, then work 2 s c in each picot and in each loop, 1 s c in each of the last 5 s c, join, cut thread.

If necessary run a thread through last row to tighten sleeve. Work other sleeve to correspond.

SKIRT—With wrong side of 1st row toward you and working on opposite side of starting ch, attach thread in 1st st, ch 3, s c in same space, * ch 5, picot in next loop, repeat from * twice, ch 4, working in d c, increase 1 d c at the beginning and end of d c group, ch 4, skip 1 loop and picot, picot in next loop, * ch 5, picot in next loop, repeat from * once, ch 5, picot in last picot, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—Sl st into picot, ch 5, picot in next ch 5 loop, * ch 5, picot in next picot, ch 5, picot in next loop, repeat from * to d c group, ch 3, 1 d c in each d c of d c group, ch 3, picot in next loop, * ch 5, picot in next picot, ch 5, picot in next loop, repeat from * across row, ending with ch 2, d c in last picot, ch 3, turn.

3rd Row—S c over the ch 2, ch 5, picot in next picot, * ch 5, picot in next ch 5 loop, ch 5, picot in next picot, repeat from * to loop before d c group, ch 5, working in d c, increase 1 d c at the beginning and end of d c group, ch 5, skip the ch 3 loop, picot in next picot, ch 5, picot in next loop, * ch 5, picot in next picot, ch 5, picot in next loop, repeat from * across row, ch 1, turn.

4th Row—Repeat the 2nd row.

5th Row—S c in 1st loop, * ch 7, picot in next loop, repeat from * 13 times, * ch 6, picot in next loop, repeat from * 11 times, ch 6, working in d c increase 1 d c at the beginning and end of d c group, ch 6, skip the next ch 3 loop and picot, picot in next loop, * ch 6, picot in next loop, repeat from * 11 times, * ch 7, picot in next loop, repeat from * 13 times, ch 1, turn.

6th Row—Sl st into picot, * ch 7, picot in next loop, repeat from * 13 times, * ch 6, picot in next loop, repeat from * 12 times, ch 3, 1 d c in each d c of d c group, ch 3, picot in next loop, * ch 6, picot in next loop, repeat from * 11 times, * ch 7, picot in next loop, repeat from * 13 times, ch 3, d tr c in end picot, ch 3, turn. Repeat the last 2 rows 3 times. Repeat the last 2 rows 4 times but working ch 8 loops in place of the ch 7 loops.

Next Row—Same as 5th row but working ch 8 loops in place of the ch 7 loops.

Next Row—Work same as 6th row but work all ch 8 loops and 1 sl st in each d c, cut thread leaving a length. Sew back together as far as the 3rd row of skirt.

With Yellow "STAR" RAYON, embroider d c panel using a couching st for stems and lazy daisy st for petals. Sew sequins in position as illustrated.

CROWN—With Yellow ch 48, s c in 2nd st from hook, working over a 4 inch pipe cleaner, work 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 10 s c, skip 1 s c, 3 d c in next s c, skip 1 s c, 1 s c in each of the next 3 s c, skip 1 s c, 3 d c in next s c, skip 1 s c, 1 s c in each of the next 3 s c, skip 1 s c, 5 tr c in next s c, skip 1 s c, * 1 s c in each of the next 3 s c, skip 1 s c, 3 d c in next s c, skip 1 s c, repeat from * once, 1 s c in each remaining s c, turn.

3rd Row—* Ch 3, skip next st, s c in next st, repeat from * 4 times, ch 3, s c in next d c, ch 3, s c in same st, ch 3, s c in next d c, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next st, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next d c, ch 3, s c in next d c, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 3, s c in next d c, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next st, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next tr c, ch 3, s c in next tr c, ch 3, s c in next tr c, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 3, s c in next tr c, ch 3, s c in next tr c, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next st, * ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next d c, ch 3, s c in next d c, ch 3, s c in same space, ch 3, s c in next d c, ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next st, repeat from * once, * ch 3, skip 1 st, s c in next st, repeat from * 3 times, cut thread leaving a length. Sew ends together. Sew sequins in position as illustrated, twist ends of wire together. Place on doll and sew to hair.

BODICE OF UNDERSKIRT—Cut a strip of satin 4½ inches by 1½ inches or large enough to go around doll. Hem 1 long edge. Place on doll below arms and sew short edges together.

SKIRT—Cut a 12 inch circle of crinoline and satin. Cut a hole at center large enough to fit around waist of doll. Place on doll, satin over crinoline and gather at top to fit waist.

WAND—Cut a 4 inch length of pipe cleaner and wind with White, fasten ends with scotch tape. Sew a sequin to top of wand.

Mr. Santa Claus

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corner st, popcorn st in corner st, popcorn st in next st, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, popcorn st in next s c, repeat from * to next corner, cut yarn.

Collar—With wrong side of work toward you, attach White in 1st free st at right hand corner, work in popcorn st across row in same manner to about ¼ inch from opposite corner, cut yarn.

Cuffs—Attach White at sleeve edge, work a popcorn st in same space, * skip 1 d c, popcorn st in next d c, repeat from * 4 times, join, cut yarn.

BELT—With Black ch 3, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in next st of ch, ch 1, turn.

2nd Row—1 s c in each s c, ch 1, turn. Repeat 2nd row until belt measures 13 inches or desired length, cut yarn.

BUCKLE—With White ch 14, join to form a ring and work 1 sl st in each st of ch, join, cut yarn leaving a length. Thread into needle and sew to opposite side to form a slide for belt. Place buckle on belt.

HAT—With White ch 34, join being careful not to twist ch, ch 3 and work a popcorn st in same space, * ch 1, skip 1 st, popcorn st in next st, repeat from * 15 times, ch 1, join in 1st popcorn st, cut yarn.

2nd Round—Attach Scarlet in same space, s c in same space, 1 s c in each remaining st (34 s c), join each round and ch 3 to turn each round.

Next 4 Rounds—Working in d c, decrease 4 sts evenly spaced.

7th Round—Work even in d c.

8th Round—Working in d c, decrease 4 sts evenly spaced. Repeat the last 2 rounds twice.

13th Round—Decrease 2 sts, cut yarn.

Pompon—Wind White 30 times over a $\frac{3}{8}$ inch cardboard, tie one end, trim and shape. Sew to point of hat.

PANTS—Front—With Scarlet ch 22, d c in 4th st from hook, 1 d c in each remaining st of ch, ch 3 to turn all rows.

2nd Row—Working in d c, increase 1 d c at the beginning and end of row. Work 2 rows even in d c.

5th and 6th Rows—Decrease 1 d c at the beginning and end of each row.

7th Row—Start Leg—1 d c in each of the next 8 d c, ch 3, turn. Work 3 rows even.

11th Row—Decrease 1 d c at beginning and end of row, ch 1, turn.

12th Row—Working in s c, decrease 1 s c at the beginning and end of row (to decrease, * insert hook in next st, pull loop through, repeat from * once, yarn over and work off all loops at one time). Work 1 row even in s c, cut yarn. With wrong side of 6th row toward you, attach Scarlet in 1st free st and work other leg to correspond. Work another section in same manner for back. Sew seams.

BOOT—Upper Section—With Black ch 19, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1 to turn all rows.

2nd Row—Working in s c, decrease 1 s c at the beginning and end of row. Work 1 row even. Repeat the last 2 rows once.

6th Row—Same as 2nd row. Work 2 rows even.

9th Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 5 s c, 2 s d c in each of the next 2 s c (s d c: yarn over hook, insert in st, pull loop through, yarn over and work off all loops at one time), 1 s c in each of the last 5 s c.

10th Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 5 s c, 1 s d c in next s d c, 2 s d c in each of the next 2 s d c, 1 s d c in next s d c, 1 s c in each of the last 5 sts.

Next 2 Rows—Work 1 s c in each s c and 1 s d c in each s d c working 2 s d c in each of the 2 s d c at center of each row, cut yarn. Sew the 2 side edges together.

SOLE—With Black ch 7, 3 s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 d c in next st, 2 d c in next st, 3 d c in last st, working on opposite side of ch, 2 d c in next st, 1 d c in next st, 1 s d c in each of the next 2 sts, join in 1st s c, cut yarn. Sew sole to upper section. Work another boot in same manner.

Sew boots to legs of pants overlapping the boots. Place pants on doll and fill with kapok. Place jacket on doll and fill upper part with kapok.

EYEBROWS—Cut two $\frac{1}{2}$ inch strips of White and glue in position.

MUSTACHE—Cut three-1 inch lengths of White. Sew together at center, comb and trim. Glue in position.

BEARD—With White and No. 1 hook, ch 20 (about 3 inches), cut yarn.

Cut sixty-4 inch lengths of White. Pull 3 of these lengths through each st of ch. Fold lengths in half, comb and trim as illustrated. Place in position and tack at intervals to hair and collar. Place hat and belt in position.

Next 3 Rows—1 s c in each s c.

5th Row—1 s c in each of the 1st 5 sts.

6th and 7th Rows—1 s c in each s c, ch 7 to turn last row.

8th Row—1 s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, 1 s c in each s c, ch 1 to turn this and following rows.

Next 8 Rows—1 s c in each s c. Repeat the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th rows once.

21st to 23rd Rows—1 s c in each s c, cut yarn at end of last row. Sew shoulder seams.

SLEEVE—Attach Scarlet in 1st free row at underarm, s c in same space, 1 s c in each of the next 2 rows, 1 s c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 d c in next st, 2 d c in each st to joining, 2 d c in joining, 2 d c in each of the next 3 sts, 1 d c in next st, 1 s c in each of the next 2 sts, join and turn each round.

Next 4 Rounds—Ch 1 and work 1 s c in each s c and 1 d c in each d c.

6th Round—* Insert hook in next st, pull loop through, repeat from * once, yarn over and work off all loops at one time (a decrease), repeat from 1st * all around, s c in last st. Work 5 rounds even in s c, cut yarn. Work another sleeve in same manner. With right side of work toward you attach Scarlet in 1st row at lower edge, ch 3 * 2 d c in next row, repeat from * across lower edge, cut yarn, do not turn.

TRIM—Attach White in 1st st, ch 3 (counts as 1 d c), 3 d c in same space, slip loop off hook, insert in 1st st, pull loop through, ch 1 to tighten st, * d c in next st, popcorn st in next st (popcorn st: 4 d c in same space, slip loop off hook, insert in 1st d c, pull loop through, ch 1 to tighten st), repeat from * across row, working around front edge, d c on side of d c of previous row, popcorn st in same d c, * d c in next st, popcorn st in next st, repeat from * all around in same manner ending row to correspond. Sew a hook and eye at waistline.

SKIRT—With Scarlet ch 19 (about $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches), s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 3 to turn all rows.

2nd Row—Working in d c, increase 2 d c evenly spaced.

3rd and 4th Rows—Increase 5 sts, join this and following rounds.

Next 8 Rounds—Increase 4 sts in each round, cut yarn.

13th Round—Attach White, ch 3, popcorn st in next d c, * d c in next d c, popcorn st in next d c, repeat from * all around, join, cut yarn.

14th Round—Attach Scarlet in popcorn st, ch 3, d c in same space * 1 d c in next d c, 2 d c in next popcorn st, repeat from * all around, join, cut yarn.

15th Round—Same as 13th round, cut yarn. Sew 2 hooks and eyes at back opening.

BIB—With right side of 1st row toward you and working on opposite side of starting ch, attach Scarlet in 7th st, ch 3, 1 d c in each of the next 5 sts, ch 3, turn.

2nd Row—D c in same space, 1 d c in each of the next 4 d c, 2 d c in next d c, ch 3, turn.

3rd Row—1 d c in each d c, crochet a chain about $7\frac{1}{2}$ inches long for tie, cut yarn. Crochet a chain the same length, attach to opposite side of top of bib, cut yarn.

HAT—With White ch 4, 9 d c in 4th st from hook, join, ch 3, turn.

2nd Round—2 d c in same space, 2 d c in each d c, join, turn.

3rd Round—Ch 3, popcorn st in same space (ch 3 counts as part of 1st popcorn st), * skip 1 d c, 1 popcorn st in each of the next 2 d c, repeat from * 5 times, skip 1 d c, popcorn st in next d c, join in 1st popcorn st, do not turn.

4th Round—Work a popcorn st over each popcorn st, join, then crochet a chain long enough to fit around back of head, sl st at opposite side, cut yarn. With Red "STAR" SIX STRAND EMBROIDERY COTTON embroider 3 French knots as illustrated. With Green embroider 3 lazy daisy sts between French knots as illustrated.

MUFF—With White ch 8, join to form a ring, ch 1 and work 1 s c in each st, join in 1st s c.

2nd Round—Work 1 popcorn st in each s c, join.

Next 2 Rounds—Work 1 popcorn st in each popcorn st, join each round.

Next Round—Ch 1 and work 1 s c in each popcorn st, join, ch 8, sl st in joining, cut yarn. Embroider muff same as hat.

Mary Christmas

illustrated on page 12

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "DAWN" KNITTING WORSTED

2 ozs. each Scarlet and White and

"STAR" SIX STRAND EMBROIDERY COTTON, Article 50

1 skein each Light Emerald and Bright Red

Plastic crochet hook No. G—same as size 5

11 inch doll

BODICE—With Scarlet ch 12, s c in 2nd st from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1 to turn this and following rows.

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ROCHET FOR CHRISTMAS

