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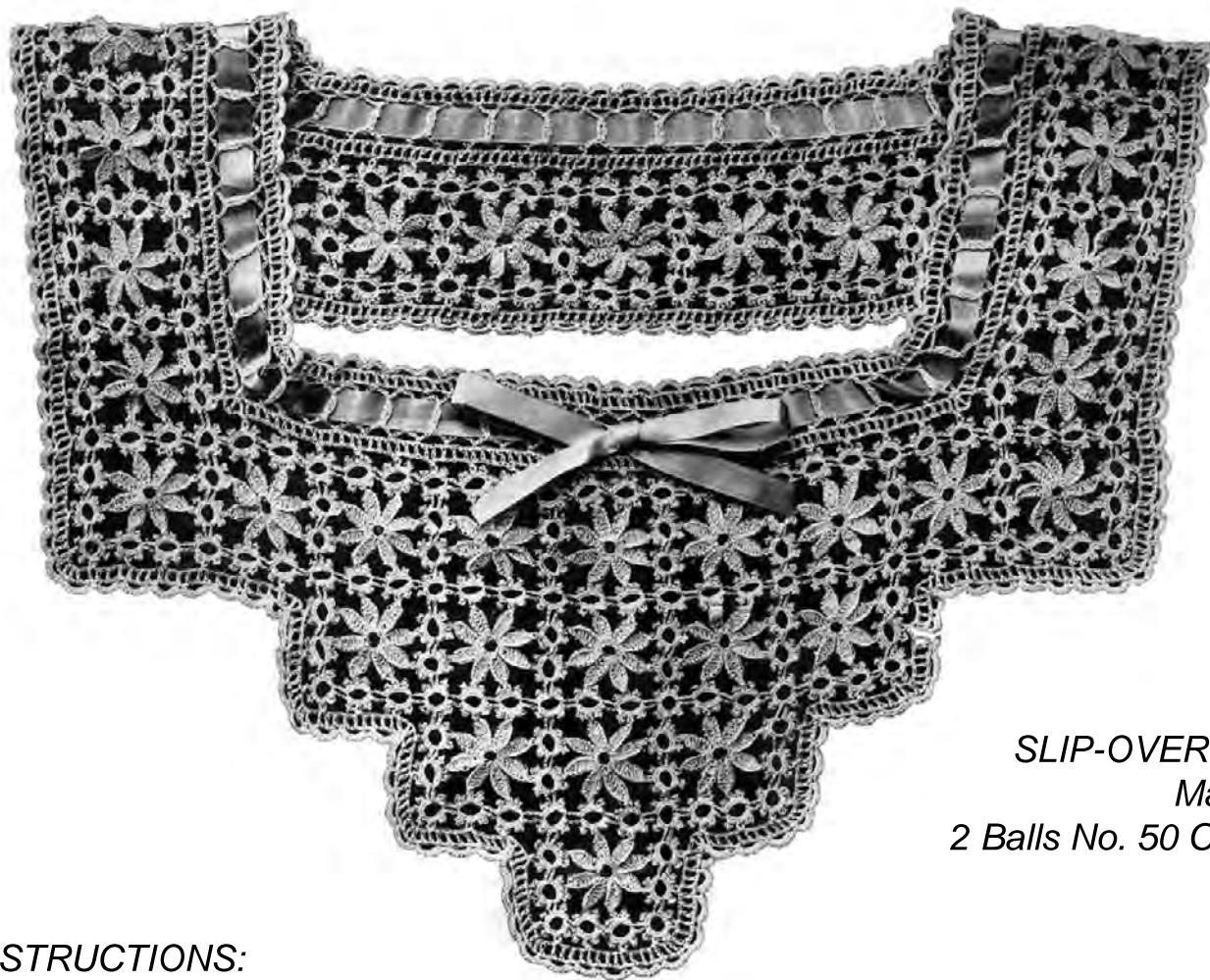
# PRINCESS YOKE BOOK

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**SLIP-OVER CORSET COVER YOKE.**

*Material Required:*

*2 Balls No. 50 Crochet Cotton; 1 No. 11 Hook.*

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

*\* Ch. 9; skip 1 ch.; 1 sc. 6 dc.; 1 sc. in the following 8th ch. This forms a petal; repeat from \* 7 times. Join with sl. st.; break thread. For small rings around the daisy ch. 11; join with sl. st.; 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc. over the ch. This starts the corner ring; ch. 15; take hook out of work and join with sl. st. in the 12th ch. from hook. Over this ch. make 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc. 2 chs.; sl. st. into petal of daisy; ch. 2; finish picot; 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc.; ch. 15 for next ring and repeat as before. Finish the other half of each circle with picots and sc., according to design, joining them at the same time to petals. Above motifs, ch. 8; 1 sc. in picot of ring; ch. 8; repeat. 1ST ROW—1 row of open meshes.*

*2ND ROW—Fasten thread in the top of a dc. of previous row; ch. 5; skip 1 dc.; 1 sc. in the top of next dc.; ch. 5; repeat. 3RD ROW—2 treb. crochet in middle of ch. of 5; ch. 7; 2 treb. crochet in the middle of next ch. of 5; ch. 7 and repeat. 4TH ROW—Fasten thread in the ch. of 7 of prev. row; ch. 5; 1 sc. in next ch. of 7; repeat. 5TH ROW—Open meshes. 6TH ROW—Ch. 5; 1 sc. in every 3rd dc. 7TH ROW—8 sc. over each ch. of 5.*



**CORSET COVER YOKE.**

*Material Required:*

*2 Balls No. 50 Crochet Cotton;*

*1 No. 11 Hook.*

*INSTRUCTIONS: Ch. 80; 1 dc. in 9th ch. from needle; ch. 4; 1 dc. in same ch.; ch. 9; turn work; hook out of work; 1 sl. st. into 7th ch. from needle; ch. 3; sl. st. into 9th ch.; 5 dc. in ring; skip 5 chs. on foundation ch.; sl. st. into 6th ch.; 5 dc. in ring; turn work; skip 5 on foundation ch.; 1 dc., 4 chs., 1 dc. into 6th ch.; ch. 9; continue pattern until 5 half rings are made; turn; ch. 6; 1 dc. between the 2 dc. of prev. row; ch. 3; 1 dc. in same space; ch. 4; sl. st. into the dc. of ring; finish ring with 10 dc.; fasten with sl. st.; ch. 4; 1 dc.; ch. 3; 1 dc. between 2 dc. of prev. row; ch. 4; and proceed as before. BEADING—1ST ROW—Ch. 6; 1 sc.; ch. 6; 1 sc. and repeat. 2ND ROW—Ch. 8; 1 dc. into 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th chs.; 1 sc. into ch. of 6 of previous row; ch. 3; 1 sc. into ch. of 6; ch. 8; and repeat pyramids. 3RD ROW—Fasten thread into top of 1st pyramid; ch. 4; 2 sc. into top of next pyramid; ch. 4; and repeat. 4TH ROW—Ch. 5; 1 dc. into 3rd ch. of previous row; ch. 5; fasten to form a ring with sl. st.; ch. 4; 2 dc. in ring; ch. 4; 1 sc. in ring for 1st petal; repeat petals 3 times; ch. 2; 1 dc.; ch. 2; 1 dc. and repeat.*



CORSET COVER YOKE IN VENETIAN CROCHET.

Material Required:

3 Balls No. 40 Crochet Cotton;

1 No. 11 Hook.



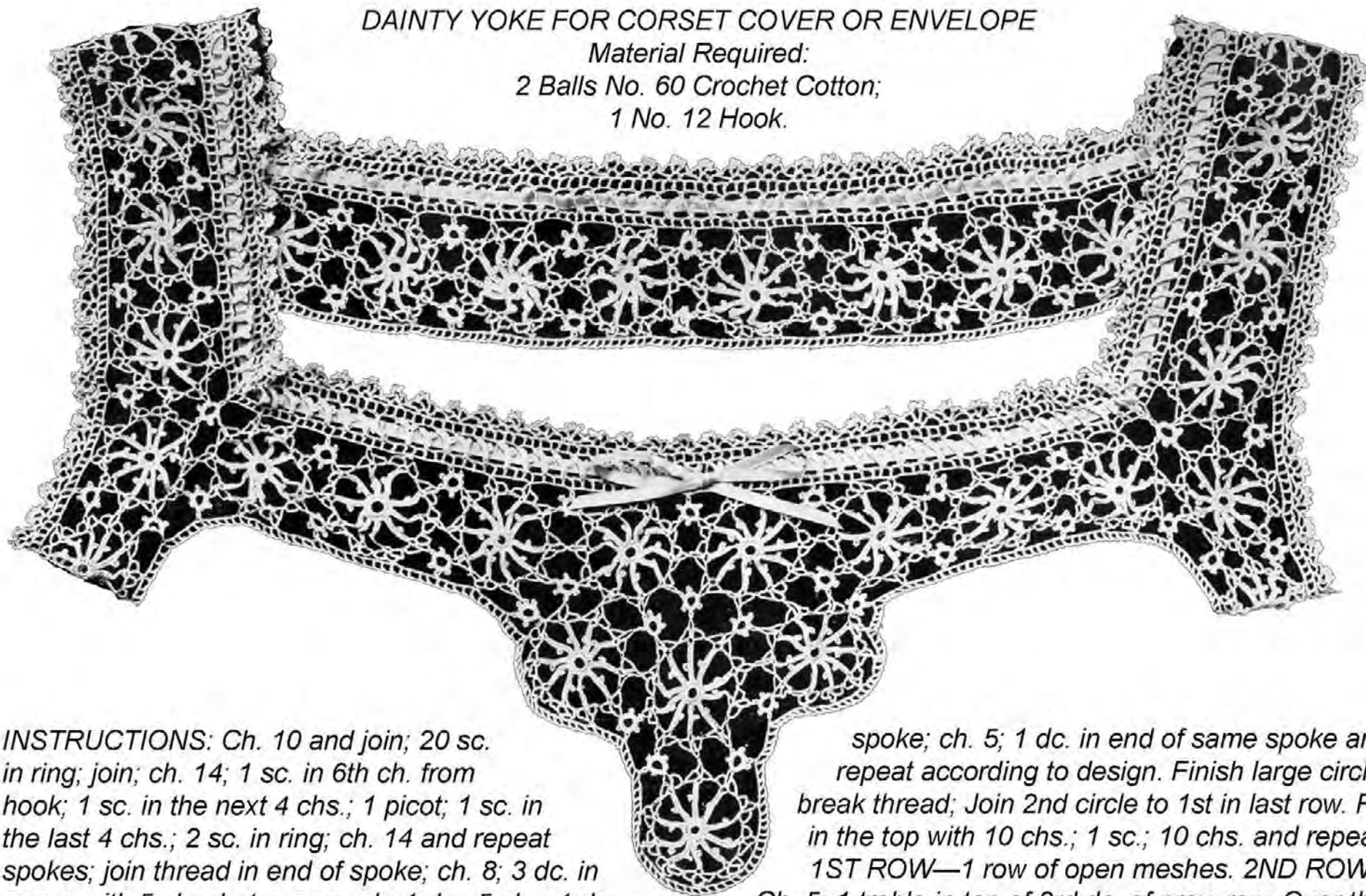
*INSTRUCTIONS: Ch. 8 and form a ring. 16 sc. in ring. 1ST ROW—Ch. 7; 1 dc. in 3rd sc.; ch. 4; 1 dc. in 5th sc.; ch. 4 and repeat, having 8 spaces. 2ND ROW—5 sc. into each space. 3RD ROW—Sl. st. over the 1st 5 sc. \*; 10 sc. in the next 10; turn; ch. 1; skip 1 sc.; 1 sc. into each of the others; turn and repeat this row until there is only 1 sc. left. Then sl. st. down to ring and repeat from \* until 4 points are formed. 4TH ROW—Work 1 row of sc. all around the points, putting a 5 ch. picot at each side of the 4th and 7th rows, and 1 at the top. 5TH ROW—Fasten thread to the picot on one of the points with a dc. \*; ch. 4; 1 dc. into the same picot; ch. 12; 1 treb. crochet into last picot on this point; 1 treb. crochet into 1st picot on next point; ch. 12; 1 dc. into the picot on top of next point; repeat from \*. 6TH ROW—12 sc. over each 12 chs., 5 sc. over each 4 chs.; 1 sc. between each of the two treb. crochet. 7TH ROW—2 chs.; 1 dc. into every 3rd sc., putting two of the dc. with 4 chs. between into the center of the 5 sc. at each corner. There must be 10 spaces at each side of the corner space. 8TH ROW—3 sc. into each space. Motifs are joined on wrong side with a row of sc. Make beading according to design.*

## DAINTY YOKE FOR CORSET COVER OR ENVELOPE

Material Required:

2 Balls No. 60 Crochet Cotton;

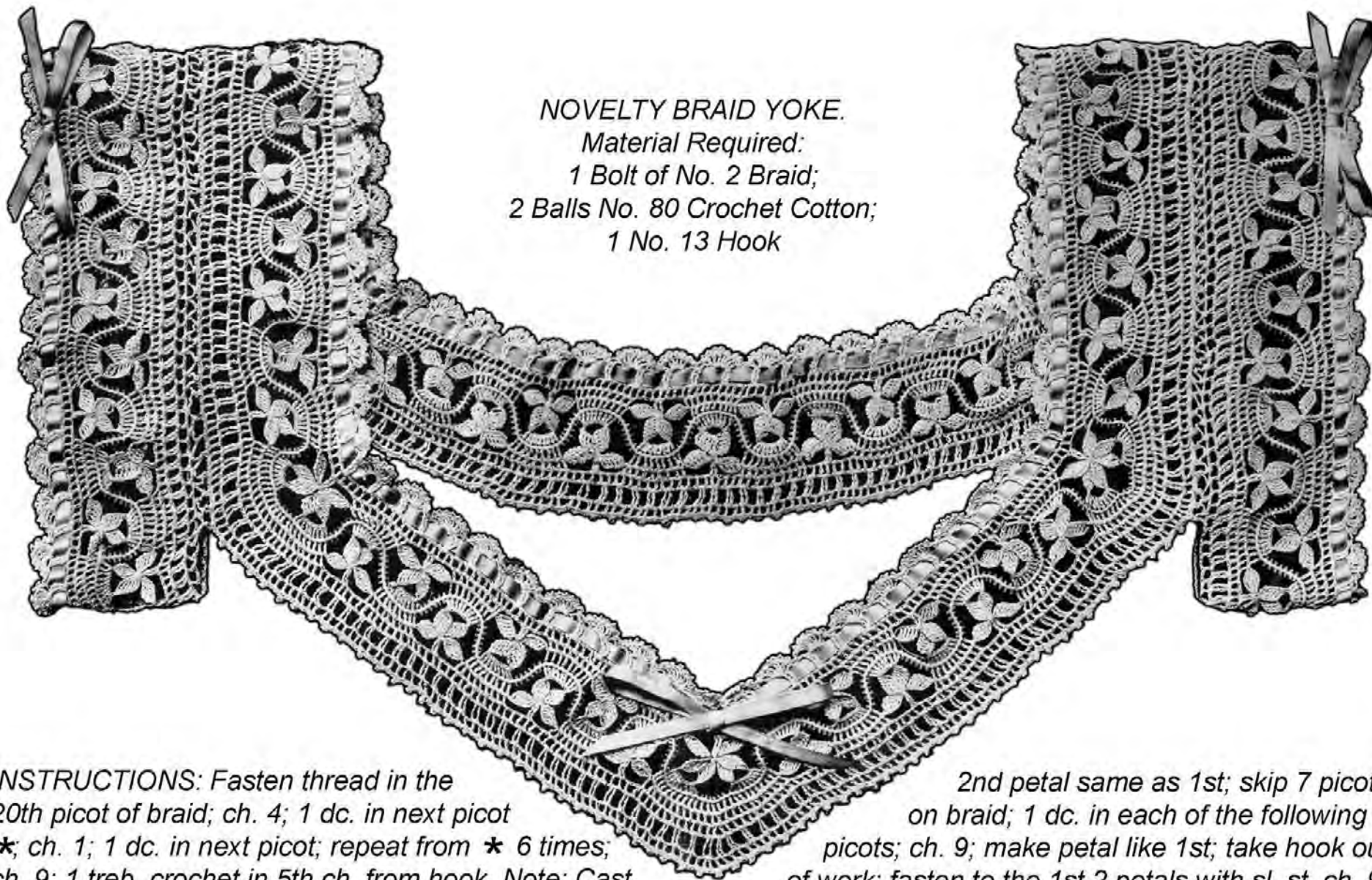
1 No. 12 Hook.



**INSTRUCTIONS:** Ch. 10 and join; 20 sc. in ring; join; ch. 14; 1 sc. in 6th ch. from hook; 1 sc. in the next 4 chs.; 1 picot; 1 sc. in the last 4 chs.; 2 sc. in ring; ch. 14 and repeat spokes; join thread in end of spoke; ch. 8; 3 dc. in space with 5 chs. between each; 1 dc.; 5 chs. 1 dc. in end of next spoke; ch. 12, sl. st. into the 10th ch. from hook to form ring. Then 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc.; 1 picot; 3 sc., in the ring. Join with sl. st.: ch. 2: 1 dc. in end of same

spoke; ch. 5; 1 dc. in end of same spoke and repeat according to design. Finish large circle; break thread; Join 2nd circle to 1st in last row. Fill in the top with 10 chs.; 1 sc.; 10 chs. and repeat. 1ST ROW—1 row of open meshes. 2ND ROW—Ch. 5; 1 treble in top of 3rd dc. of prev. row. Over this treble make 4 sc.; 1 picot; 4 sc.; ch. 5; and repeat. 3RD ROW—1 row of open meshes. 4TH ROW—Ch. 5; 1 sc.; ch. 3; 1 sc.; ch. 5 and repeat. 5TH ROW—Ch. 3; 1 dc.; 3 picots; 1 dc. over the ch. of 3; ch. 3; 1 sc. and repeat.





**NOVELTY BRAID YOKE.**

*Material Required:*

1 Bolt of No. 2 Braid;  
2 Balls No. 80 Crochet Cotton;  
1 No. 13 Hook

*INSTRUCTIONS:* Fasten thread in the 20th picot of braid; ch. 4; 1 dc. in next picot \*; ch. 1; 1 dc. in next picot; repeat from \* 6 times; ch. 9; 1 treb. crochet in 5th ch. from hook. Note: Cast off 2 loops, and again 2 loops, leaving 2 loops on the hook; 1 treb. in each of the next 4 chs., leaving 1 loop on the hook for each treb. Having 6 loops on the hook, cast off 2 loops, then 2 loops, etc., until all loops are cast off. This completes the first petal. Ch. 9; make

2nd petal same as 1st; skip 7 picots on braid; 1 dc. in each of the following 9 picots; ch. 9; make petal like 1st; take hook out of work; fasten to the 1st 2 petals with sl. st. ch. 9; make 4th petal; skip 7 picots on braid; 1 dc. in 8th picot \*; ch. 1; 1 dc. in next picot; repeat from \* 7 times. For point in front and corners of yoke, make 6 petals.

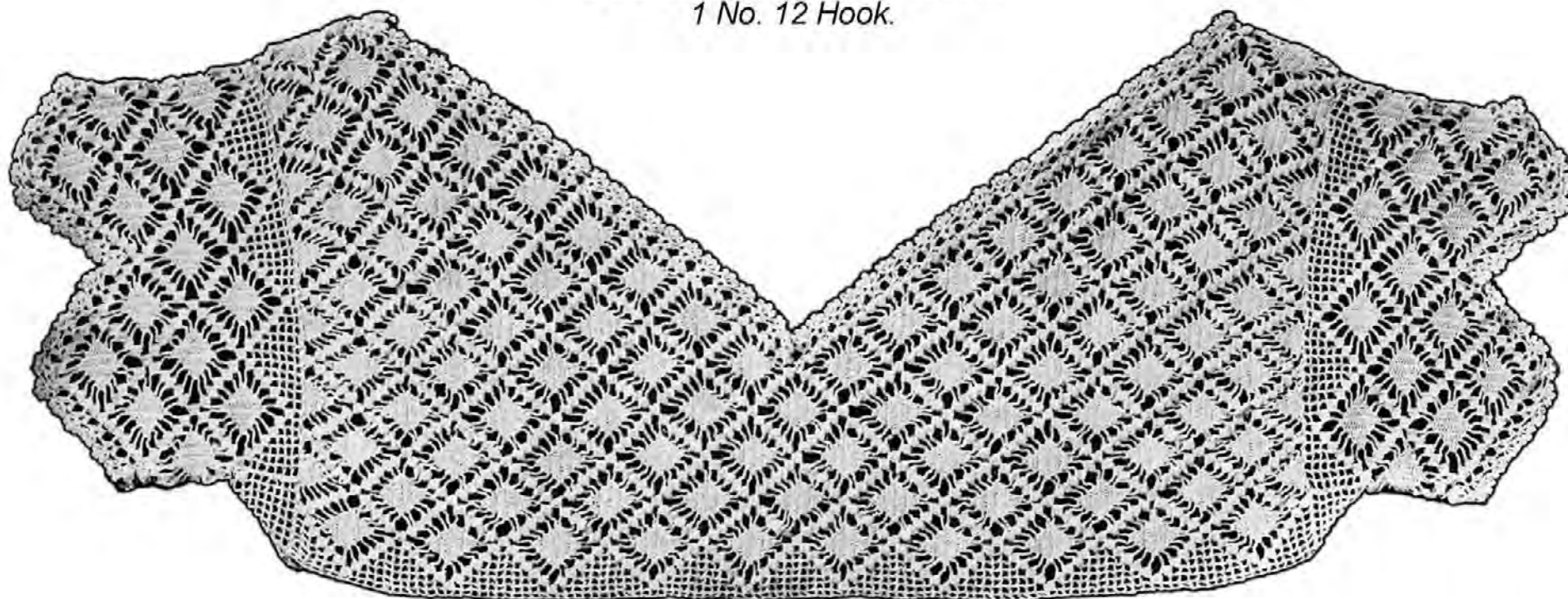


### NIGHT GOWN YOKE.

Material Required:

3 Balls No. 60 Crochet Cotton;

1 No. 12 Hook.

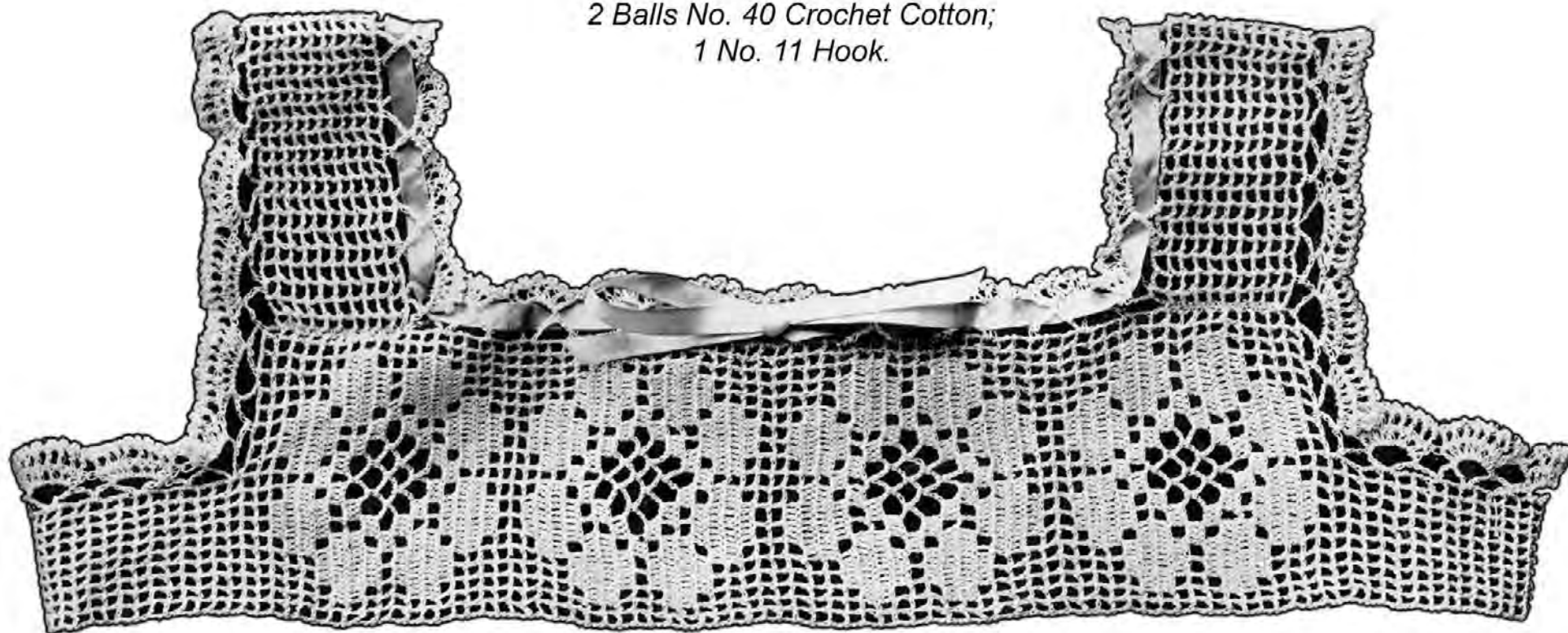


*INSTRUCTIONS: Begin at left of plate in middle of the 3rd spider from arm-hole; ch. 191; 7 open meshes; 4 dc.; skip 6 chs.; ch. 6; 11 sc.; ch. 6; skip 6 chs.; 4 dc.; ch. 6; skip 6 chs.; 11 sc. ch. 6: skip 6 chs. repeat across, having 6 spiders (or 6 clusters of 11 sc.) ; end row with ch. of 6; skip 6 chs.; 4 dc.; ch. 4; turn; 4 dc. over ch. of 6; ch. 7; 9 sc. above the 11 sc.; ch. 7; 4 dc.; ch. 12; 4 dc., over ch. of 6; ch. 7; repeat across row; follow design. Join front and back on shoulder, and crochet toward arm-hole. Crochet lace for arm-hole according to design. At lower end and to the right of lace, crochet a square of 7 open meshes; (49 in all) this forms a small gusset or square; sc. the two ends of lace together, taking care that the spiders and meshes are opposite each other. EDGE—1ST ROW—2 dc.; ch. 2; 2 dc. in one space; ch. 2; repeat. 2ND ROW—1 dc.; 1 picot; 1 dc.; 1 picot; 1 dc.; 1 picot; 1 dc. in one space; ch. 2; repeat.*

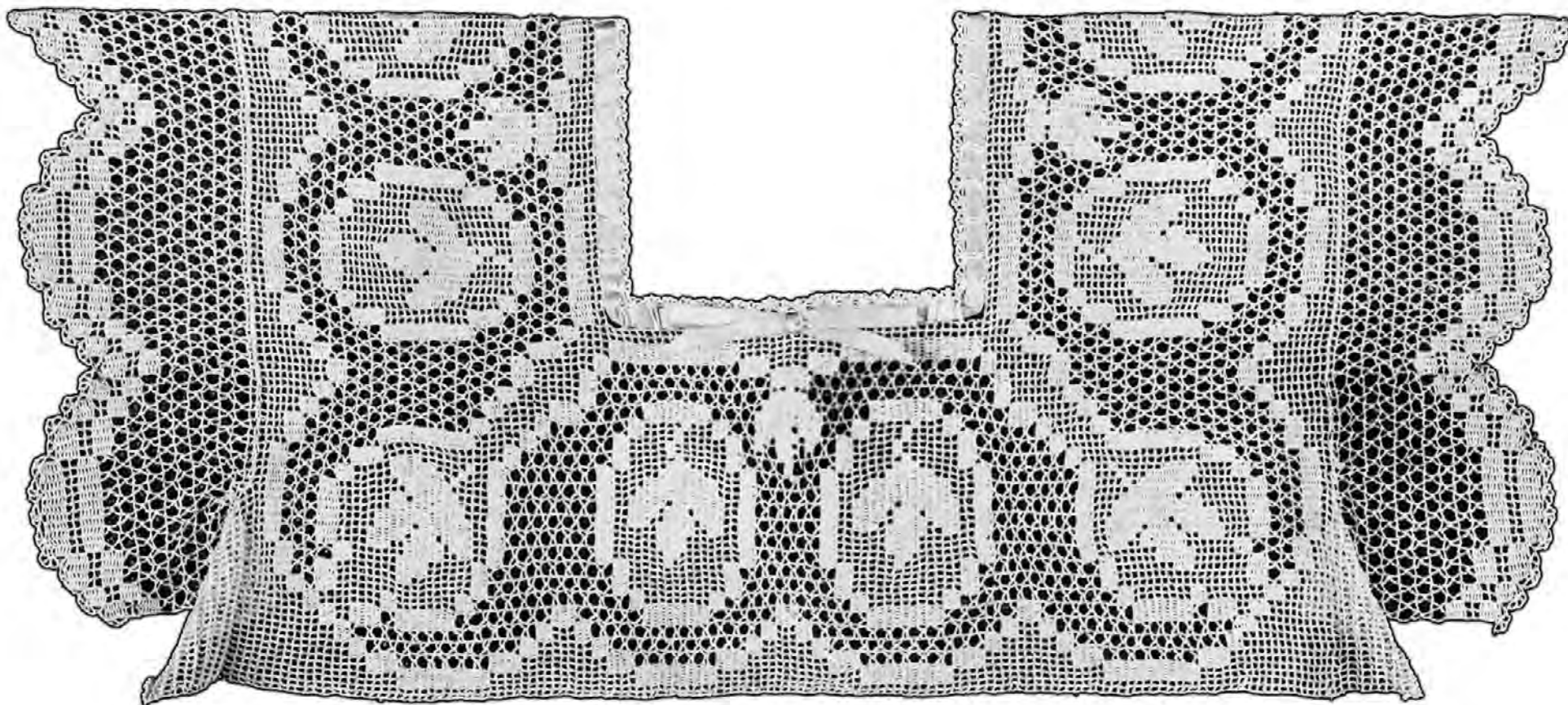
FILET CORSET COVER YOKE.

Material Required:

2 Balls No. 40 Crochet Cotton;  
1 No. 11 Hook.



*INSTRUCTIONS: Ch. 62; 19 open meshes; make another row of 19 open meshes; follow design. For under arm and shoulder, make open meshes. BEADING—2 treble crochet in one space with ch. of 7 between; ch. 3; skip 2 spaces; 1 sc. in next space; ch. 3; skip 2 spaces; 2 treble crochet with ch. of 7 between in the next space; repeat. For scallop, make 8 dc. over the ch. of 7 with a picot at the top of each dc.; repeat.*



*FILET GOWN YOKE IN MAPLE LEAF DESIGN.*

*Material Required: 4 Balls No. 80 Crochet Cotton; 1 No. 12 Hook.*

(Transcriber's note: The original has no instructions--nothing after this tantalizing image, title, and material list.

The instructions for this yoke may have been included in the second printing or next edition of the book.

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VINTAGE YOKE  
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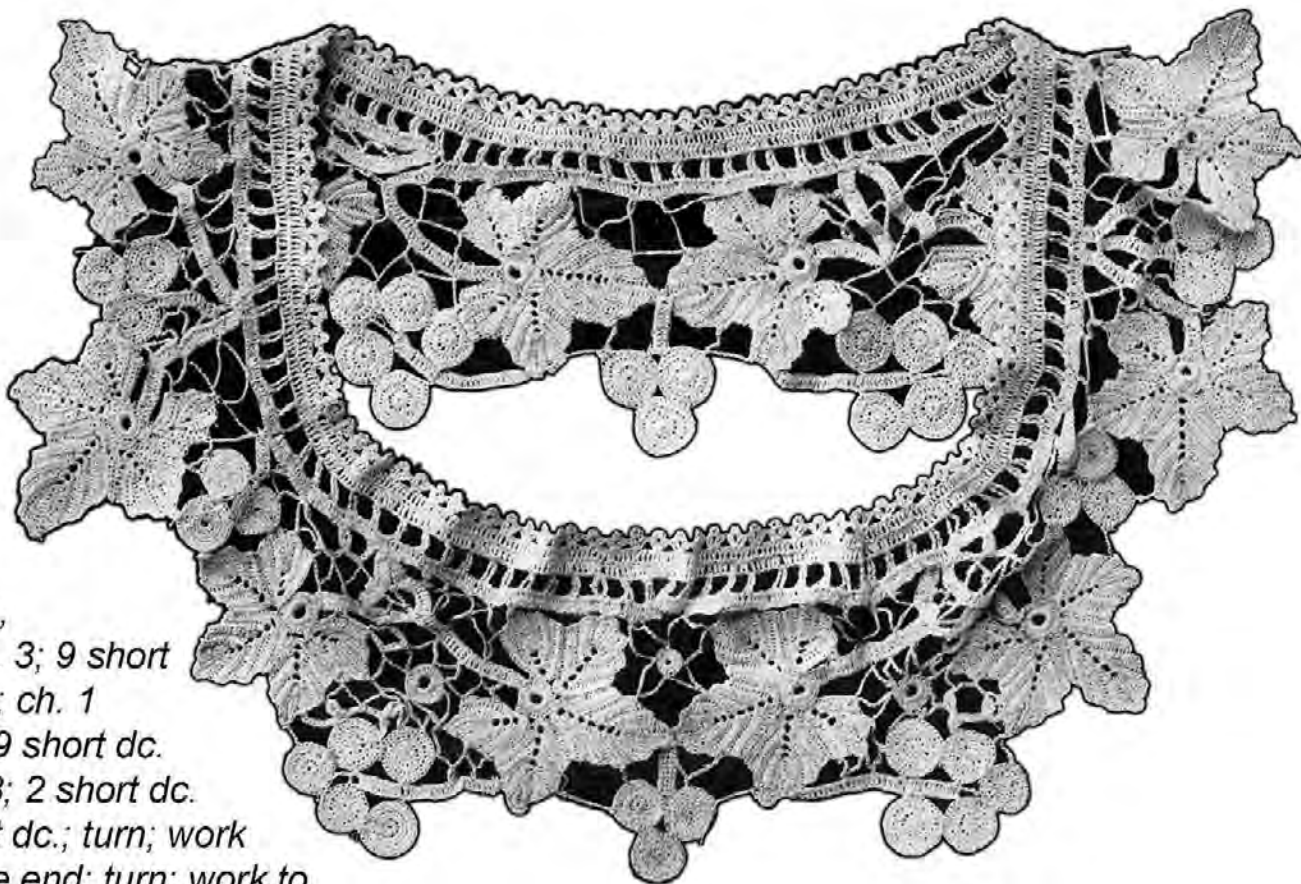
(Cover Design.)

Material Required:

3 Balls No. 50 Crochet Cotton;

1 No. 11 Hook.

INSTRUCTIONS: LEAVES—Ch. 12; skip 1 ch.; 1 short dc. (thread over hook once; having 3 loops on hook, cast off all 3 loops at once) in next ch.; 1 short dc. in following 10 ch.; ch. 1; turn; short dc. in each short dc., taking up back stitch to form a rib; ch. 3; 9 short dc. in 9 short dc. down the other side; ch. 1 always to turn; 9 short dc. in the last 9 short dc. made; 2 short dc. under the ch.; ch. 3; 2 short dc. under same ch.; 9 short dc. in 9 short dc.; turn; work as before to the 3rd short dc. from the end; turn; work to the opposite side to the 3rd short dc. from the end; turn; work to end of opposite side; turn; and work again to the opposite side; work to the 4th short dc., leaving off 3 short dc. at the end; turn; 1 short dc. in each short dc.; 6 short dc. under the ch.; work to opposite side; turn; work to base of leaf; finish with sl. st. Begin the next 2 sections of leaf with a ch. of 10, making 4 ribs; start last 2 sections of leaf with a ch. of 9, making 3 ribs; join the 5 sections. CIRCLE—Wind thread around 3 matches 16 times; fill with dc.; from the circle ch. 38 tightly; on this ch. make 35 dc. for stem. GRAPES—Take a loop around finger; 10 dc. in ring; pull up thread forming a small circle; 1ST ROW—



Taking up both threads, 2 dc. in each dc.; 2ND ROW—2 dc. in 1 dc.; 1 dc. in next dc.; repeat; continue until circle measures 5/8 of an inch in diameter, forming a flat surface; end with 2 sc. and a sl. st. Draw a circle 11 inches in diameter on a piece of oil cloth; arrange and baste leaves and grapes around circle according to design. UPPER EDGE—Make a ch. long enough to reach around top of yoke; on this make 2 rows of dc. SCALLOP— 2 dc.; 1 picot; 2 dc., in one space; skip 3 dc.; repeat. On opposite side make 2 treb. crochet; ch. 3; repeat; next row; 1 row of dc.; join all together with chs., follow design.

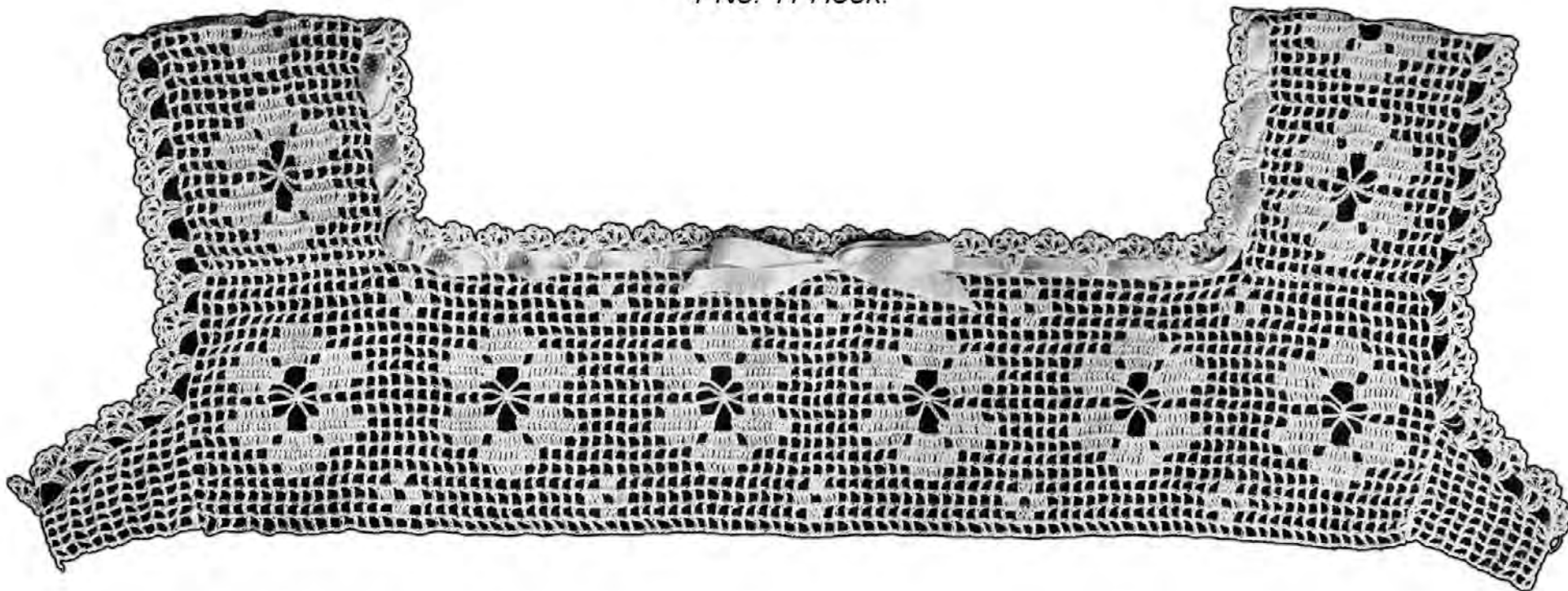


*FILET YOKE.*

*Material Required:*

*2 Balls No. 40 Crochet Cotton;*

*1 No. 11 Hook.*

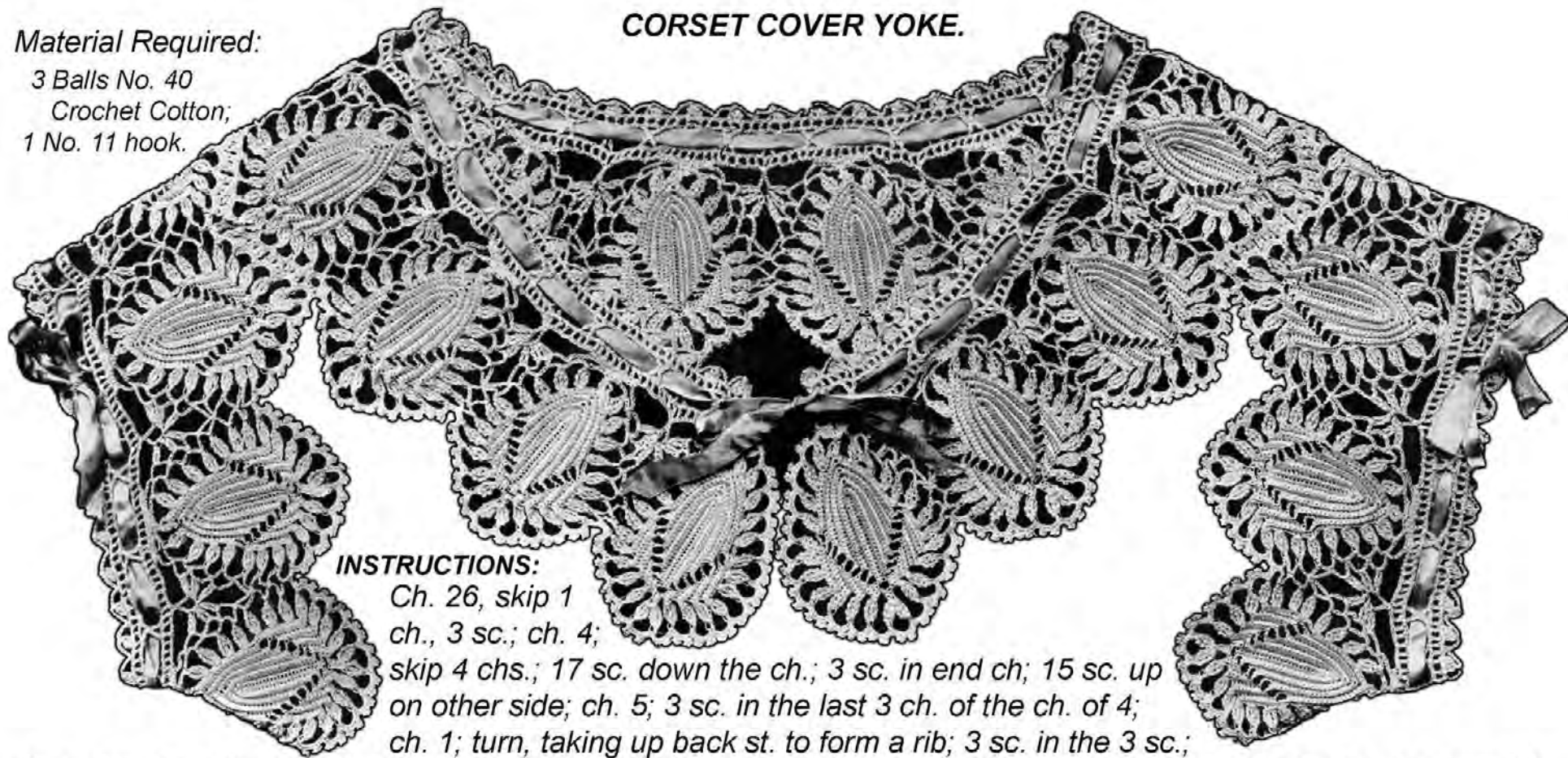


*INSTRUCTIONS: Ch. 292 for front of yoke (size 40); make 96 open meshes; follow design. Note that this pattern is crocheted lengthwise across the front. BEADING—1ST ROW—2 treb. crochet; ch. 2; 2 treb. crochet in one space; ch. 3; skip 2 meshes and repeat. 2ND ROW—Fasten thread over ch. of 3; make 1 treb. crochet between the 4 treb. crochet of previous row; ch. 3; 1 dc. over the treb. crochet just made; 1 treb. crochet; ch. 3; 1 dc. over the last treb. crochet; 1 treb. crochet; ch. 3; 1 dc. over last treb. crochet; 1 treb. crochet; 1 sc. over ch. of 3; repeat.*

**CORSET COVER YOKE.**

**Material Required:**

3 Balls No. 40  
Crochet Cotton;  
1 No. 11 hook.



**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Ch. 26, skip 1  
ch., 3 sc.; ch. 4;  
skip 4 chs.; 17 sc. down the ch.; 3 sc. in end ch; 15 sc. up  
on other side; ch. 5; 3 sc. in the last 3 ch. of the ch. of 4;  
ch. 1; turn, taking up back st. to form a rib; 3 sc. in the 3 sc.;

2 sc. over the ch. of 5; skip 2 sc.; ch. 5; sc. down the side of leaf; 3 sc. in end; sc. up on opposite side, leaving off last 2 sc. of the row; ch. 5; 3 sc. in the last 3 ch. of the ch. of 4; ch. 1; turn; 3 sc. in the 3 sc.; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; ch. 5; skip 2 sc.; sc. around to opposite side as before, always making 3 sc. in the end stitch at base of leaf; skip 2 sc.; ch. 5; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; 3 sc. above 3 sc.; ch. 1; turn; 5 sc. above 5 sc., 2 sc. over ch. of 5; ch. 5; skip 2 sc.; sc. around leaf, leave off 2 sc. on opposite side. After this leave off 2 sc. at beginning of each row; ch. 5; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; 3 sc. above 3 sc.; ch. 1; turn; 5 sc. above 5 sc.; 2 sc. over the ch. of 5; ch. 5; sc. around; ch. 5; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; 5 sc. above 5 sc.; ch. 1; turn; 7 sc. above 7 sc.; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; ch. 5; sc. around; ch. 5; 2 sc. over ch. of 5, 5 sc. above 5 sc.; ch. 1; turn; 7 sc. above 7 sc.; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; ch. 5; sc. around; ch. 5; 2 sc. over ch.; 7 sc. above 7 sc.; ch. 1; turn; 9 sc. above 9 sc.; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; ch. 5; sc. around; ch. 5; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; 7 sc. above 7 sc.; ch. 1; turn; 9 sc. above 9 sc.; 2 sc. over ch. of 5; ch. 5; sc. around to ch. of 5; this completes leaf. Without breaking thread, ch. 4; 2 treb. crochet in last sc. of leaf, casting off 2 loops and again 2 loops; then cast off all at once; ch. 5; repeat clusters of 3 trebles according to design; 25 clusters in all.





*FILET YOKE IN ROSE DESIGN.*

*Material Required: 2 Balls No. 80 Crochet Cotton; 1 No. 12 Hook.*

*INSTRUCTIONS: Begin at left of plate; ch. 87; 75 dc. in the ch.; follow design for 34 rows; ch. 8. This brings you to the first corner of front; crochet across front, according to design, for 49 rows. Then leave off 7 meshes and finish the front same as on opposite side. Follow design for shoulderpiece.*



**CORSET COVER YOKE.**  
*Material Required:*  
3 Balls No. 40 Crochet Cotton;  
1 No. 11 Hook.

*INSTRUCTIONS: Ch. 10 and join; ch. 7; 5 triple treb. in ring; leave 1 loop on needle for each treble; then cast off all loops at once; ch. 12; 6 trip. treb. in ring; repeat 4 times; 26 sc. over each ch. of 12; break thread; make next motif and join to 1st with sl. st.; fill in above the motifs with 1 sc.; ch. 1; 1 sc.; ch. 10; 2 trip. treb.; ch. 1; 2 trip. treb.; ch. 10 and repeat. 1ST and 2ND ROWS—Both consist of open meshes. 3RD ROW—1 row of cross trip. treb. 4TH and 5TH ROWS—Open meshes for both. 6TH ROW—2 treb. crochet; 1 picot; 2 treb. crochet; 1 picot; 2 treb. crochet; 1 picot; 2 treb. crochet in one open mesh; ch. 1; skip 1 mesh; 1 sc. in the next mesh; ch. 1 and repeat.*





*ENVELOPE OR COMBINATION SUIT.*

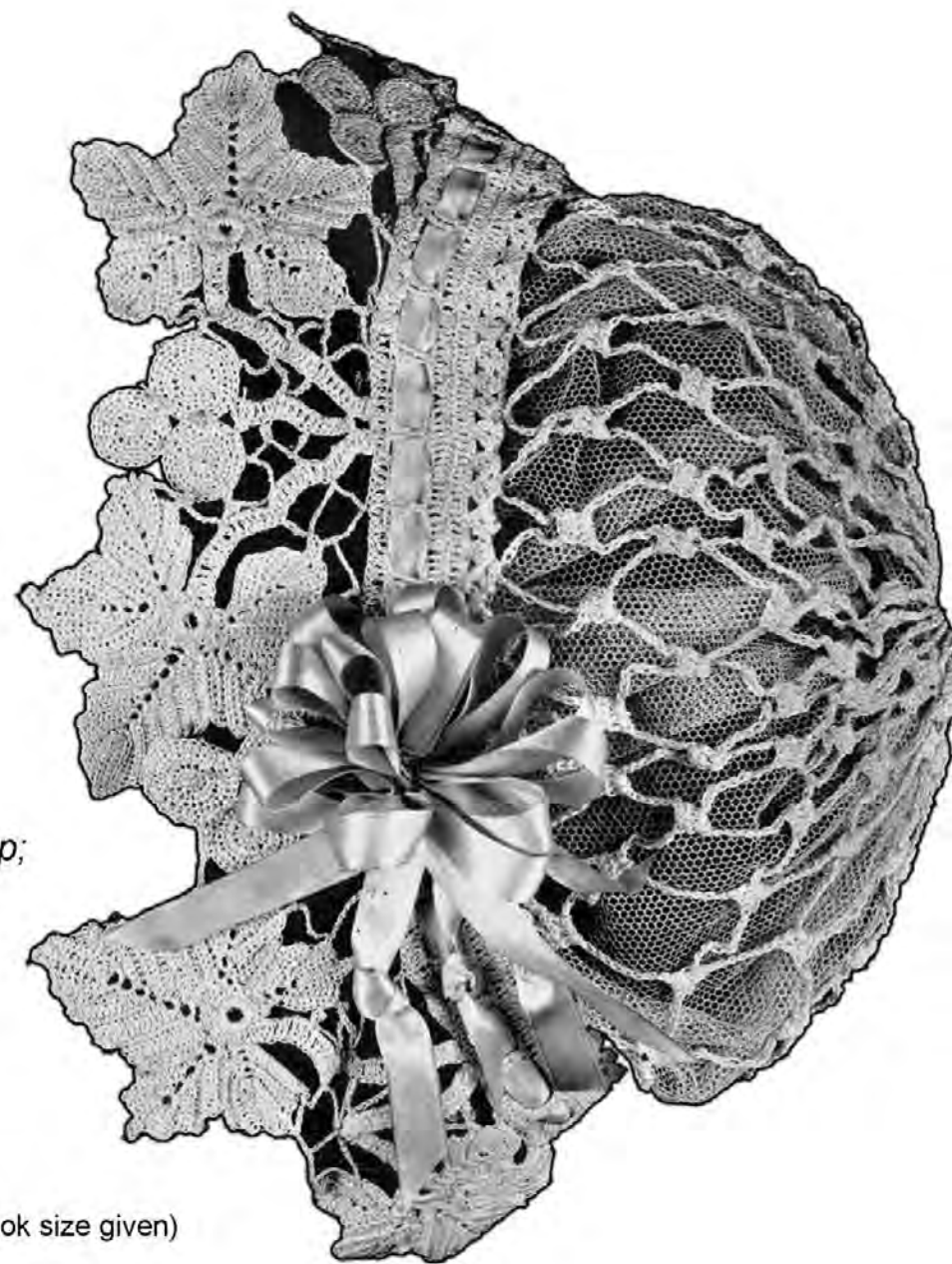
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*AUTO OR BOUDOIR CAP.*

*Material Required:*

*1 Ball No. 20, 1 Ball No. 50 Crochet Cotton.*

*INSTRUCTIONS: Ch. 27; join; 54 sc. in ring, join; ch. 18; skip 1 sc. in ring and make 1 sc. in next st. of ring. Repeat 25 times, having 26 loops, ch. 8; 1 long treb. (6 times over hook) into the ring; this makes the 27th loop; ch. 3 and make 3 dc. into the top of last loop; ch. 20; 4 dc. in top of next loop; repeat around; instead of last ch. of 20, ch. 8; 1 long treb. into the 1st cluster of dc.; ch. 3; 3 dc. over last loop made; ch. 20; 4 dc. over next loop; ch. 20; repeat. Make as many rows as size of cap requires. Before joining to band, join thread in middle of last loop; ch. 10 and a sc. into next loop. Follow instructions of Richelieu Yoke for band, using No. 50 cotton.*



(Transcriber's Note: No hook size given)