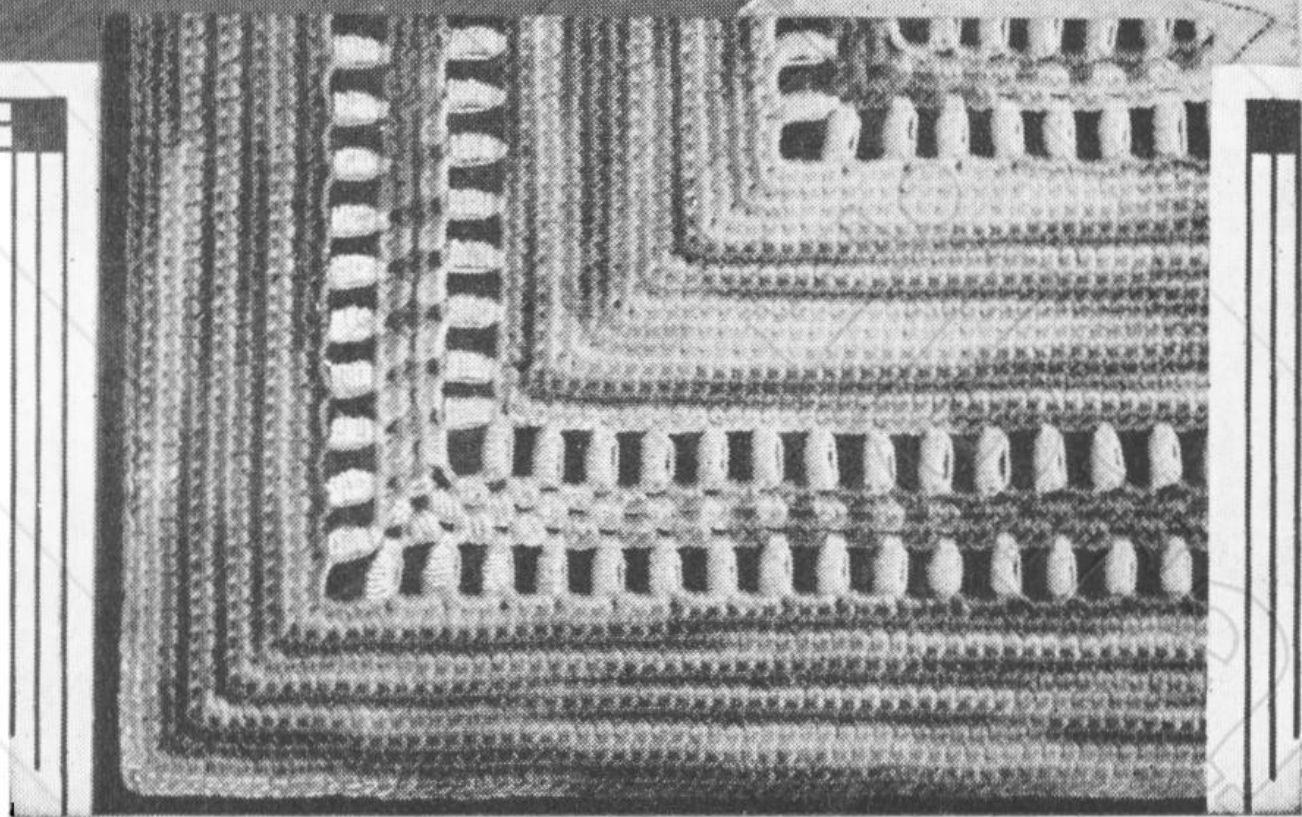


Crocheted Luncheon Set

With Inserts of Bead Stitch



Materials Required—American Thread Company "SILKATEEN SANSILK," 50 Balls of Shaded Color and 9 Balls of White, or STAR Pearl Cotton, Size 8, 38 Balls of Shaded Color and 7 Balls of White. Steel Crochet Hook No. 5 for Double Thread. Steel Crochet Hook No. 10 for Single Thread. - -



Place Mat

1st Round—Knot two threads of shaded cotton together, using two balls and placing knot so that colors match. With a No. 5 hook chain 52, skip first stitch from hook,



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2 single crochet in next ch, s c in each of 49 stitches, 3 s c in next. Then on the opposite side of the foundation ch work 50 s c. Slip stitch in 1st s c of round. **2nd Round**—Ch 1, 3 s c in next st, s c in each of 49 sts, 3 s c in next, 1 s c in next st, 3 s c in next 49 s c, 3 s c in next, s c in sl st of last round, skip ch, sl st in 1st of three corner stitches. **3rd Round**—Ch 1, 3 s c in next, s c in each of 51 sts, 3 s c in 2nd of three corner sts, s c in each of 3 sts, 3 s c in next, 51 s c, 3 s c in next, s c in each of two sts, s c in sl st of last round, skip ch, sl st in first of three corner sts. **4th to 7th Rounds**—Work 4 rounds like the 3rd, always making 3 s c in second corner st and the last s c of round into sl st of previous round, then join with sl st into first s c of round. At end of 7th round cut threads and pass ends through back loops of a few sts. **8th Round**—With single White thread and No. 10 hook, ch 1, so as to have a stitch on hook, treble (thread twice over hook and work off by twos) into second st of a corner. Holding thread end with left hand, thread over, pass hook under tr c, thread over and bring up a loop, making three loops on hook, (thread over, pass hook under tr c, over, bring up a loop) six times, thread over, insert hook in same st where tr c was made, over and draw through all loops on hook (hold the loops on hook carefully with two fingers when you pull the hook through,) ch 7, tr c in in same corner st, * (over, pass hook under tr c, over and bring up a loop) seven times, over, insert hook in same st where tr c was made, over and draw through, over and draw through all loops on hook, ch 3, skip 2, tr c in next, repeat from * working (bead st, ch 7, bead st) at corners. Join with sl st and fasten off. **9th Round**—Knot two threads of the shaded cotton together and match colors. With No. 5 hook (ch 1, 2 s c, ch 3, 2 s c) in corner, * ch 1, 2 s c in next space, repeat from * around, working (2 s c, ch 3, 2 s c,) in each corner. At end of round, ch 1, sl st in each of 2 s c, sl st in space. **10th Round**—Ch 1, (2 s c, ch 3, 2 s c) in corner, (ch 1, 2 s c) in each space. Join as in 9th round. **11th Round**—Like 10th round, join and fasten off. **12th Round**—Like 8th round, but make 2 bead stitches at corners into corner space and bead st with 3 ch between in each space. **13th Round**—With shaded cotton work 5 s c in first corner, 3 s c in each space, 7 s c in next corner. Continue around, ending with 2 s c in first corner and sl st in first of 5 s c. **14th Round**—Ch 1, 3 s c in next st, s c in each st, 3 s c in fourth st at each corner, work last s c of round into sl st of previous round, then join with sl st into first s c of round. Continue in this manner until there are 15 rounds of s c. Repeat from 8th round and finish mat with 11 rounds of s c. - - - - -

Centerpiece

Following directions for Place Mat and continue with two rounds of the white bead stitch insertion separated by three rounds of s c (as in rows 9 to 11) and border with 8 rounds of s c. - -

Crochet

st—Stitch
 ch—Chain
 sl st—Slip Stitch
 s c—Single Crochet
 d c—Double Crochet
 s d c—Short Double Crochet



Abbreviations

p—Picot
 s m—Solid Mesh
 o m—Open Mesh
 d p—Double Picot
 tr c—Treble Crochet
 d tr c—Double Treble Crochet