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The Rose Motif Is Never Lovelier Than When Tatted

By IRENE CARD

A DAINTY doily, which may be the larger one of a water-set, is formed entirely of rose-medallions, joined. No. 80 crochet-thread, white, was used for the model. Coarser thread will, of course, result in a larger medallion and so increase the size of the doily, which, as made, is eight inches across.

1. Begin at center of rose with a ring of [4 double knots, picot (p)] 5 times, 4 double knots, close.

2. A chain (ch) of 6 double knots, p, join to p of ring; repeat around, joining last chain where 1st started.

3. A ch of 8 double knots, p, join to p of ch in preceding row; repeat around.

4 to 7. Same as 3d row, adding 2 double knots to each ch, every row.

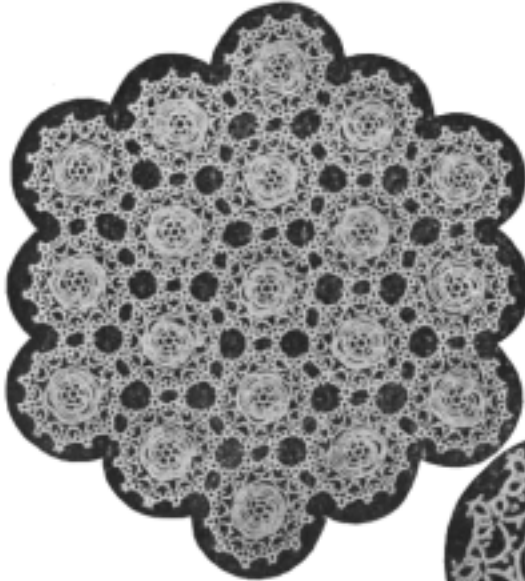
8. A ch of 6 double knots, p, 5 double knots, p, 6 double knots, join to p of ch in preceding row; repeat around and fasten off securely. This completes the rose, to which is added the border of cloverleaves.

9. Tie the shuttle and ball threads together, and with the shuttle make a ring of (3 double knots, p) 3 times, 3

double knots, close; a 2d ring of 3 double knots, join to last p of 1st ring, 2 double knots, p, (1 double knot, p) twice, 2 double knots, p, 3 double knots, close; a 3d ring like 1st, joining by 1st p to last p of 2d ring;

draw the 3 rings close together at the base to form the cloverleaf; using both threads, make a ch of 5 double knots, p, 2 double knots, join to 1st p of ch of last row, 2 double knots, p, 5 double knots; make another cloverleaf, joining the 1st ring by middle p to middle p of 3d ring of preceding cloverleaf; a ch, joining by middle p to 2d p of same ch of last row; repeat around, joining 2 ch to each ch of last row, and making 12 cloverleaves in all; join 3d ring of 12th cloverleaf by middle p to middle p of 1st ring of 1st cloverleaf, and last ch at base of 1st cloverleaf; fasten off securely.

Take one medallion for center of doily, and join six medallions around this by middle picot of 2d ring of two consecutive cloverleaves; join each of the six medallions to preceding in same way, that is, by the middle picot of 2d ring of two cloverleaves next to those which are joined to the center medallion, and the last medallion to 1st in same way; this leaves five free cloverleaves on the outer edge of each medallion. The doily thus formed is about four and one-half inches in diameter, and serves for the glasses of a water-set. Twelve medallions joined around this complete the larger doily. These joinings may be made as one works, but it is really easier to join the medallions



A Doily with Rose Medallions

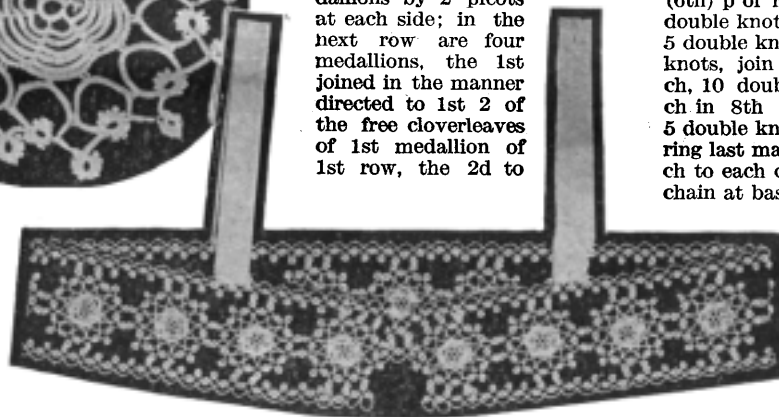


Detail of the Medallion

with needle and thread after all are completed, and if carefully done they will not be noticeable. Pass the needle through the 2 picots to be joined and tie the thread securely on the wrong side. It is also easier to join the medallions in rows, rather than to begin at the center. First join three medallions by 2 picots at each side; in the next row are four medallions, the 1st joined in the manner directed to 1st 2 of the free cloverleaves of 1st row, the 2d to



Detail of the Medallion



This Dainty Camisole-Top Show a Variation of the Rose Motif

next 2 free cloverleaves of same medallion, and by the 2 cloverleaves above to next 2 cloverleaves of the 1st me-

diation, picot, (10 double knots, picot) twice, 5 double knots, join to middle picot of ring; 5 double knots; a ring, joining by middle picot to middle picot of 1st free ring of 1st medallion of strip; chain of 5 double knots; a ring; a chain of 5 double knots, join to picot of preceding long chain, and repeat. Join next 2 upper rings to 2d and 3d free rings of same medallion; join next upper (or 2d) ring to same picot with preceding upper ring, which brings 3 rings together; * continue until you have 3 free rings, join next to 2d free ring of 2d medallion, next to the 3d free ring of same medallion, and repeat from *, ending as begun by joining 3 rings in a group to the 3d free ring of last medallion (counting from the opening), and a ring to each of next 2 free rings toward the front; join last chain to middle picot of last ring, and fasten off.



A Round Yoke Which May Serve as a Collar
By Mrs. Fleeda Galley

dallion of 2d row, and so on. The 3d row has five medallions, the 4th has four, and the 5th has three. The doily may be enlarged by joining four medallions for 1st row, five for 2d, and so on.

The medallions may be arranged to form a buffet-set of three pieces, or may be used as a border for a luncheon-set, the smallest doilies edged with a row of the cloverleaves, the larger doilies with single medallions, and the centerpiece with points, each formed of three or six medallions. In fact, the possibilities of this simple, pretty medallion as a trim for household-linens, or for decorating one's personal belongings, are really limitless. In making a water-set or breakfast-set, pale pink may be used for the roses, with white or a delicate green for the cloverleaves.

For a very dainty camisole-top, make the rose, to the 8th row, as directed. Surround this with a border of daisy-tatting.

9. A ring of (1 double knot, p) 11 times, 1 double knot, close; a ch of 5 double knots, p, 10 double knots, join to 1st p of ch in 8th row, 10 double knots, p, 5 double knots, join to middle (6th) p of ring first made, ch of 5 double knots; a ring, like 1st; ch of 5 double knots; a ring; ch of 5 double knots, join to last p of preceding long ch, 10 double knots, join to 2d p of ch in 8th row, 10 double knots, p, 5 double knots, join to middle p of ring last made, and repeat, joining 2 ch to each ch of 8th row, and last chain at base of 1st ring; fasten off.

Join the medallions by middle picots of two daisies at each side, leaving four free daisies above and below. Make a strip as long as required for the top of your camisole.

For the edge at top and bottom: Make a ring, as before; a chain of 5 double knots, picot, (10 double knots, picot) twice, 5 double knots, join to middle picot of ring; 5 double knots; a ring, joining by middle picot to middle picot of 1st free ring of 1st medallion of strip; chain of 5 double knots; a ring; a chain of 5 double knots, join to picot of preceding long chain, and repeat. Join next 2 upper rings to 2d and 3d free rings of same medallion; join next upper (or 2d) ring to same picot with preceding upper ring, which brings 3 rings together; * continue until you have 3 free rings, join next to 2d free ring of 2d medallion, next to the 3d free ring of same medallion, and repeat from *, ending as begun by joining 3 rings in a group to the 3d free ring of last medallion (counting from the opening), and a ring to each of next 2 free rings toward the front; join last chain to middle picot of last ring, and fasten off.

Ribbon straps may be used; or a row of the edging may be made, then a 2d row, joining the free rings by middle picots. Ribbon may be threaded through the joined rings, if desired.

A round yoke, which will serve
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