CROCHET & TATTING
CRAFT
Book No. 1 by Anna Valeire
EDGINGS MEDALLIONS & INSERTIONS
WITH FULL INSTRUCTIONS ON OVER SIXTY PIECES FOR USE IN LINGERIE & THE HOME
SIMPLE AND ELABORATE DESIGNS IN TATTING

These are all worked in No. 40 thread and are shown just one fifth less than actual size. The fifteen motifs shown cover a variety that will fill most any need for the creation of dainty Edges, Insertions, Yokes, Doliess and Medallions. Worked in the lighter threads they are dainty laces, and in No. 10 or No. 3 they will serve for towels and other articles that stand the tub.

THE TATTED LOOP

Make 12 double knots with one shuttle, draw them together into a half ring and tighten the thread; the first knot of the neck scallop must be so close to the last knot of the preceding scallop as to touch it.

THE PICOT LOOP

Made with one shuttle: 4 doubles, 1 picot, 2 doubles, 1 picot, 3 doubles, 1 picot, 4 doubles; close the ring.

Leave sufficient length of thread before beginning the next ring for the rings not to overlap each other. Make 4 doubles; draw the left hand thread through the 5th picot of the last ring and repeat from here.

THE PICOT LOOP INSERTION

Made with one shuttle a ring as in the picot loop; turn the work, leave about ½ inch of thread, and make a second ring; turn the work and leave the same length of thread free; begin a 3rd ring and after the 4th double connect with the 5th picot of the 1st ring, turn the work, and connect the 3rd ring in like manner with the 2nd ring. Continue in this way, turning the work after each ring.

THE SCROLL INSERTION

(Made with 2 shuttles.) Begin with one shuttle and make a ring as in the picot loop; turn the work and make a similar ring, joining the first; now tie on the thread of the second shuttle and pass this thread over the left hand; take the first shuttle in the right hand and make 4 doubles on the 2nd thread; turn the work and again make a ring above and below with a single shuttle, taking care to connect the rings by picots, as shown above.

THE CLOVER POINT EDGE

(Made with 2 shuttles.) Tie the ends of both shuttles together. Wind thread of second shuttle around left hand and work over this 1 d. (double); 1 p. (picot); 4 d.; 1 p.; 1 d.; 1 p.; 4 d.; 1 p.; 8 d. Join to 8 d. Now make a ring with first shuttle thus: 8 d.; join to 1 p.; 9 d.; join ring. Adjusting this ring make another, consisting of 5 d., 1 p., 5 d., 1 p., 5 d.; join ring. With second shuttle-thread make 1 d. Then make a cloverleaf with first shuttle, consisting of three rings of: 3 d., join to corresponding p. of foregoing ring. 3 d., 1 p., 2 d., 1 p., 2 d., 1 p., 3 d., 1 p., 5 d., 1 p., 5 d. When the cloverleaf is finished, make 4 d.; over thread of second shuttle. Then with first shuttle a ring of 5 d.; join to last p. of cloverleaf. 5 d.; join ring and adjoining this make another of 8 d. p. 8 d.; join ring. On second shuttle-thread make 4 d.; join to corresponding p. 5 d.; join to p. of last ring. 5 d.; join ring and repeat from here.

TUBE ROSE EDGE


THE CARNATION


LATTICE INSERTION

DANSEY EDGE. Made with 1 shuttle. Start with center small ring: 3 d. 1 p. 3 d. p. separated by 2 d. 3 d. 2 p. 3 d. Close ring. Leave small space of thread and make 2nd ring like 1st, joining at 1st p. and omitting 5th p. Leave space of thread. Third ring: 6 d. 7 p. separated by 2 d. 3 d. 1 p. 4 d. Close ring. Leave space and make 4th ring like preceding one, joining at 1st p. and omitting 8th p. Leave space; turn work and make 5th ring: 5 d. 3 p. separated by 2 d. 3 d. Join to last p. of 1st ring. 3 d. Close ring and tie threads.

THE JONQUIL EDGE. Made with 2 shuttles. 1st shuttle: For medallion make ring of 8 p. separated by 2 d. Close ring. 5 d. Join to p. of center ring. 3 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Repeat 7 times from 1st shuttle. 2nd shuttle: 3 d. Repeat from 2nd shuttle. 5 d. 3 p. separated by 2 d. 3 d. Join to p. of medallion. 2 d. 3 p. separated by 2 d. 2 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 3 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 3 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. Join to p. of foregoing ring. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. Repeat twice from 2nd shuttle. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 3 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 3 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. Join to 2nd p. of foregoing ring. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. Join to 2nd p. of foregoing ring. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring.

SWEET PEA EDGE. Made with 3 shuttles. Make top half first starting with 1st shuttle: * 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Join to 2nd p. of 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: * 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring. 2nd shuttle: 5 d. 5 p. separated by 2 d. 5 d. 1st shuttle: 5 d. 1 p. 5 d. Close ring.