

Corticelli Decore Crochet.

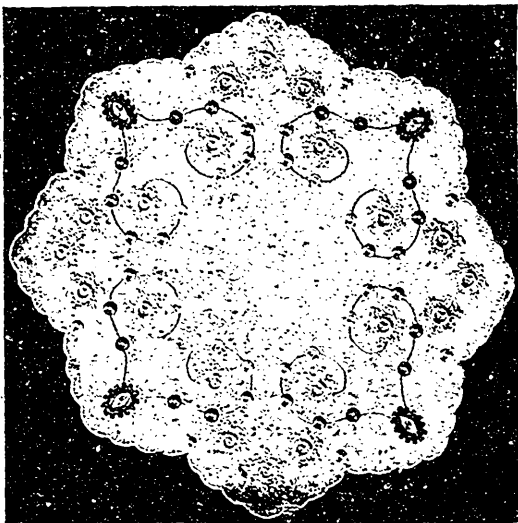
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COLORED PLATE XLVIII.

Materials.—18 inch Size: Twisted Embroidery Silk, 6 skeins 2632; 4 skeins each 2631, 2634; 3 skeins 2636; 2 skeins 2635; Filo Silk, 1 skein 2160b. Decore Forms, 4 No. 1 Oval, 20 No. 3 Round, 48 No. 4 Jewel. $\frac{5}{8}$ yard Bobbinet, $\frac{5}{8}$ yard Swiss, $\frac{5}{8}$ yard Lining Silk, color 2631. 1 Paper Pattern.

Decore Crochet offers an opportunity to those who do not care for the solid embroidery or for some reason cannot do the difficult shading required on elaborate centerpieces to yet produce some very attractive work. Any one who understands crocheting can readily pick up the right way to cover the "forms," which come in four sizes. Complete directions will be found in the last January number of CORTICELLI HOME NEEDLEWORK, on pages 85, 86, and 87. Copies of this issue can still be supplied from the publishers at 10 cents each. No one should undertake the work without the January number.

The scroll is worked in Kensington Outline stitch with Twisted Embroidery Silk, Yellow 2635. Crochet the Scallop Round forms with Twisted Embroidery Silk 2632 and 2634, and fill in with Filo Silk, Brown 2160b. Place one worked in 2632 in the center of each group of three, and one at the end of each scroll; use 2634 for the remaining Round forms. Work the Oval forms in Yellow 2636, and apply as shown. Work the Jewels in Yellow 2631, 2632, 2634, 2635, 2636, applying the darkest next to the Scallop Oval form, 2635 next, and so on, along the scroll lines down to the lightest. Apply one Jewel in 2632 to each of the eight divisions of the scallop. Work the scallop in Long and Short Buttonhole stitch, using Twisted Embroidery Silk, Yellow 2631.



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