

BOND

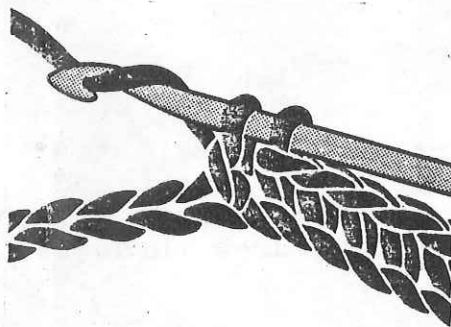
HOW TO FORM A FLAT EDGE THAT WILL NOT CURL

To form a flat edge on the knitting that will not curl work double crochet as follows.

Insert medium sized crochet hook from front to back into the first edge stitch. Put the yarn round the hook and draw a loop through to the front.

Put hook through second stitch. Put yarn round the hook and draw yarn through both loops on hook.

Continue in this way down the whole length of the knitting edge, doing an extra stitch at the end for turning round on.



Turn the work round and continue back down the same edge. Continue until you have crocheted the required number of rows.

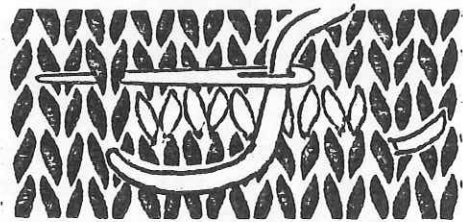
To give an extra firm edge to double crochet, do crab stitch. This is worked by not turning the work round for the last row, but going back along the edge in the opposite direction, on the same side.

SWISS DARNING FOR MOTIFS

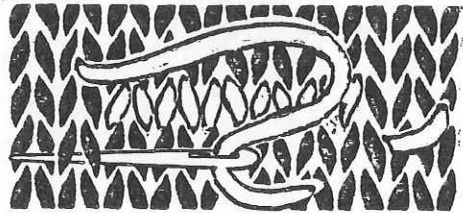
Thread contrast colour yarn into tapestry/darning needle and begin at lower right hand corner of motif to be embroidered.

Bring needle through at base of first stitch to be worked from back to front and draw yarn through.

Insert needle from right to left under 2 loops of the same stitch one row above and draw yarn through.



Insert needle back into base of first stitch and through base of next stitch to left, and draw through.



At end of last row, insert needle into base of last stitch worked, then up into centre of this same stitch, which will be the base of the same stitch on the next row above.

Insert needle from left to right behind 2 loops of this stitch on the row above and continue working as before from left to right.