

# FIELD & HOSPITAL COMFORTS

IN KNITTING  
& CROCHET

Made from  
J. & J. BALDWIN'S



WHITE HEATHER  
FLEECY  
(OR PETTICOAT WOOL)



J. & J. BALDWIN & PARTNERS LTD, HALIFAX ENGLAND ESTABLISHED 1785.

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS



"WHITE HEATHER"  
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**MATERIALS.**—"WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy (or Petticoat) Wool, has been used for the original of all the garments described in this book. **To avoid disappointment, it is absolutely essential that the same wool be used,** the only alternative suggested by the Makers being, for exceedingly warm but expensive garments, BEEHIVE Angora (or Rabbit) Wool.

☞ See that each skein bears a ticket on which the "WHITE HEATHER" Trade Mark and the name J. & J. BALDWIN appear. (BEEHIVE Angora bears the well-known "BEEHIVE" Trade Mark).

☞ By reason of the great difficulty sometimes experienced in exactly matching a shade for finishing a garment, it is earnestly recommended that the **full quantity required be purchased in the first instance.**

**NEEDLES & HOOKS.**—The sizes given for use in making these garments are for knitting and crocheting of medium tension; therefore one who works loosely should use needles, or crochet hooks, of a size finer than the number given, while a size larger should be taken by one working tightly. **The lower the number the thicker the needle.** Before commencing the work, measure the needle or hook, **at its centre,** by a standard gauge.

**KNITTING.\***—Always slip the first stitch at the edge of the work.

**To increase one Stitch.** Unless otherwise directed, knit into a stitch and, before slipping it, knit again into the back of the loop.

**To decrease one Stitch.** Knit two stitches together.

**CROCHET.\***—Always work at a medium tension. Crochet worked either too loosely or too tightly will make a considerable difference to the size of the finished garment. Crocheted garments (unless, as in some cases, a very firm fabric is required) should look soft and full when finished. To obtain this effect care should be taken, when drawing the new loop through the foundation work, to draw it to a sufficient height to enable the wool to lie soft and full above the previous row. It should not be dragged in any way. Finish off the stitch as usual and at a medium tension. If the finishing off be loose a ragged effect will be produced.

**Abbreviations.** Ch. = chain; S.C. = single crochet; D.C. = double crochet; Tr. = treble.

**MAKING-UP.**—To join two pieces, take some of the wool and, placing the two edges evenly together, sew through the raised stitches along the edge, stitch for stitch. If carefully done, the joining will hardly show.

**WASHING.**—When washing woollen garments of this type use warm soapy water and squeeze with the hands, **but without rubbing.** Rinse (in water of the same temperature), squeeze out and dry quickly. The latter can best be done by laying the garment flat on a clean cloth before the fire, making it take the shape it is to assume when dry and turning constantly. **If hung up, the damp fabric may easily become lengthened by the pull of its own weight.**

Inattention or carelessness in washing will inevitably, in the case of woollen garments, result in disappointment—either, as a result of strong soap, soda, hot water, or rubbing, the fabric will be shrunk, or, by stretching, it may quite easily be made too large to be worn with pleasure and comfort.

**Do not on any account attempt to "shrink" the yarn yourself before knitting!** There is no need for any such drastic treatment in the case of J. & J. BALDWIN'S Knitting Wools.

\*J. & J. BALDWIN'S "PRACTICAL GUIDE TO KNITTING AND CROCHET"—wonderful value for 2d.—contains the clearest possible instructions for beginners in the Art. Of Knitting Wool Specialists, or (post free 2d.) from J. & J. BALDWIN.

# KNITTED HELMET (WITH CAPE PIECES)

BY MARJORY TILLOTSON.

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—4 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, four No. 8 Celluloid Knitting Needles, pointed at each end.

Cast 30 stitches on one needle.

Work 4 more inches in the rib.

Knit plain, and increase once at the beginning of each row until 50 stitches are on the needle.

Finish the cap in plain knitting as follows :—

Knit 5 more inches in plain knitting.

Leave this piece and knit a second piece exactly like it.

Now place the two pieces together, dividing the stitches on to three needles. Take a fourth needle and work in rounds, in ribbing of knit 2 and purl 2, for 6 inches.

Cast off 24 stitches over the centre of one of the cape pieces, to make the opening for the face.

Work backwards and forwards (in the rib) for 2 inches.

Cast on 24 stitches again, over the opening, and join up the round.



**1st round.**—Knit each 19th and 20th stitches together.

**2nd round.**—Knit plain with no shaping.

**3rd round.**—Knit each 18th and 19th stitches together.

Repeat the 2nd round.

**5th round.**—Knit each 17th and 18th stitches together.

**6th round.**—Knit each 16th and 17th stitches together.

Continue in this manner, decreasing each round, until only 25 stitches remain.

Run a thread through these and fasten off securely.

IT ONLY PAYS TO PUT GOOD LABOUR INTO GOOD MATERIALS!

## THE "WHITE HEATHER" BRANDS:—

"WHITE HEATHER" 2, 3, 4 & 5 PLY SCOTCH FINGERING—for comfort in wear,

"WHITE HEATHER" PETTICOAT WOOL—soft and fleecy,

"WHITE HEATHER" 2, 3 & 4 PLY VEST WOOL—"Unshrinkable,"

"WHITE HEATHER" 3 PLY WHEELING & 2 & 3 PLY FISHERMAN'S YARN

—are good, economical and a Pleasure to both Knitter and Wearer.

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## CAP AND SCARF COMBINED (IN CROCHET)

MATERIALS REQUIRED.—9 ozs. J. & J.  
BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy  
Wool, a No. 7 Crochet Hook.



Commence with 38 ch.

Work backwards and forwards in d.c., always taking up both threads and turning with 2 ch., until 36 inches are completed. Fasten off.

Work a second piece like the above.

Place the two pieces together, letting an end of one piece overlap an end of the other piece for about 10 inches. Sew round the two ends and one of the open sides, thus forming the cap part of the scarf. This can be worn as a

scarf only, when the cap is not required, the double thickness at its centre serving as an efficient chest protector if so arranged by the wearer.

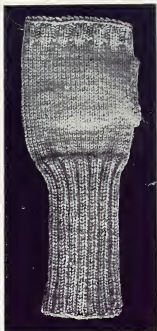
## THUMBLESS MITTEN (KNITTED)

MATERIALS REQUIRED.—2 ozs. (for 1 pair)  
J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER"  
Fleecy Wool, four No. 11 Knitting Needles  
pointed at both ends.

Cast on 60 stitches (20 on each of 3 needles).  
Work in rib of knit 2 and purl 2, for 5 inches.  
Knit 12 rounds in plain knitting. Then com-  
mence the opening for the thumb.

**1st row.**—Turn, purl the stitches on the 3 needles.

**2nd row.**—Turn, knit the stitches on the 3 needles. Repeat these 2 rows for 2 inches (20 more rows). Now work in rounds again (plain knitting) for 6 rounds. Then 6



rounds in rib of knit 2 and purl 2. Cast off loosely.

With a fine crochet hook d.c. round the hole for the thumb. Run in all the ends very securely. M.T.



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The men in action should have the best garments that can be obtained and, if such are made from "WHITE HEATHER" FLEECY WOOL, satisfaction is assured.

# BAG MITTENS

(KNITTED WITH FIRST FINGER AND THUMB LEFT OPEN)

MATERIALS REQUIRED.—3 ozs. (for 1 pair) J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, four No. 11 Knitting Needles.

## THE RIGHT HAND

Cast on 52 stitches (20 on the 1st needle and 16 on to each of the other two needles).

Work, in rib of knit 2 and purl 2, for 36 rounds.

Knit 10 rounds in plain knitting.

**47th round.**—(Commence the thumb). Purl 1, increase once in the next stitch, knit 2, increase once in the next stitch, purl 1, knit to the end of the round. The 2 purled stitches mark the outside of the thumb.

\*Knit 2 rounds plain—while purling the stitches that were purled in the previous round.

**50th round.**—Increase once on the inside of each of the purled stitches, then knit plain to the end of the round.

Repeat from \* until there are 18 stitches between the 2 purled stitches.

Work 2 more rounds without increasing; then, in the next round, knit 1 (the purl stitch), put the next 18 stitches on to a thread and leave these for the thumb, cast on 4 stitches after the knit 1, follow on and finish knitting the round.

Knit 12 rounds in plain knitting. This brings the work to the division for the 1st finger and the bag part of the mitten.

Knit the 1st 7 stitches on the 1st needle, then slip them on to a thread with the last 7 stitches of the 3rd needle. Leave these until the bag portion is completed.

Knit round to the point where the stitches are taken off for the finger, then cast 2 stitches on to the last needle.

Work on these 40 stitches for 13 rounds.

In the next round knit each 9th and 10th stitches together.

Knit 4 rounds with no shaping.

Knit every 8th and 9th stitches together.

Knit 3 rounds with no shaping.

Knit every 7th and 8th stitches together.

Knit 2 rounds with no shaping.

Knit every 6th and 7th stitches together.

Knit 1 round with no shaping.

Knit every 5th and 6th stitches together.

Knit every 4th and 5th stitches together.

Turn the work inside out. Divide the stitches on to the 1st and 3rd needles, then knit together a stitch off each needle and cast off.

For the thumb, take up the 18 stitches that were left on the thread and divide them on to two needles; with the 3rd needle knit up 6 stitches along the space between the two needles.

Then work, in rib of knit 2 and purl 2, for 6 rounds.

Cast off.

For the finger, take up the 14 stitches that were left on the thread and divide them on to 2 needles; with a 3rd needle knit up 2 stitches along the space between the 2 needles.

Finish off in the same manner as the thumb

## THE LEFT HAND

Commence the thumb 6 stitches from the end of the 3rd needle. Then follow the directions of the right hand for the remainder of the work.

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"WHITE HEATHER" FLEECY WOOL is a most useful material for Gloves and Mittens and will give complete satisfaction.



## MAN'S GLOVE (CROCHET)

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—4 ozs. (for 1 pair) J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, a fine (No. 11) Crochet Hook.

Commence with the gauntlet, which is worked lengthways, and make 20 ch.

Work firmly (or closely) throughout the gloves.

**1st row.**—Miss the first stitch and work 1 d.c. into each remaining stitch, 1 ch., turn.

Work backwards and forwards in d.c. on these stitches, always taking up the back thread only and turning with 1 ch. until 44 rows are completed. With the wool sew the first and last rows together.

For the hand work 44 d.c. round one edge of the gauntlet.

Continue working for 3 more rounds on these stitches, always take up both threads.

**5th round.**—Commence the thumb. Increase once on the 1st and 3rd stitches. (When increasing work 2 d.c. into one stitch, taking up the back thread. This will mark the increasings, which will then be found quite easy to count.) D.c. round the remainder of the hand as before, taking up both threads.

Work 1 round without shaping.

**7th round.**—Increase once on the 1st and 5th stitches.

Work 1 round without shaping.

**9th round.**—Increase once on the 1st and 7th stitches. Continue increasing in this manner (on the outside of the thumb stitches) until there are 15 stitches between the 2 outside increasings. Always work the round without shaping in between.

In the next round divide off the stitches for the thumb as follows:—1 d.c. into the 1st stitch, 3 ch., miss the next 15 stitches, 1 d.c. into each remaining stitch of the round. Then work a round of 1 d.c. into each of the ch. stitches and round the hand.

Work 8 more rounds on these stitches, then commence the fingers.

**1st finger.**—For the right hand. Work into the 1st stitch of the round, the 3

stitches over the thumb and the next stitch along the round, 2 ch., count back 14 stitches from the last d.c. (made for this finger) and work 1 d.c. into this stitch, thus forming a small round on which to work the finger stitches.

Work 16 rounds on these 16 stitches (*i.e.*, including the 2 ch., between the fingers). Then miss every 2nd stitch until all the stitches are worked off.

**1st finger.**—For the left hand. Work into the 1st 14 stitches of the round, 2 ch., join up to the 1st of the 14 d.c. to form a round.

The following fingers are the same for both hands:—

**2nd finger.**—1 d.c. into each of the next 6 stitches along the hand, 2 ch., 1 d.c. into each of the 6 corresponding stitches (next to the 1st finger) at the other side of the hand. 1 d.c. into each of the 2 ch. of the 1st finger.

Work 18 rounds on these 16 stitches and finish off as described for the 1st finger.

**3rd finger.**—1 d.c. into each of the next 5 stitches along the hand, 2 ch., 1 d.c. into each of the 5 corresponding stitches (next to the 2nd finger) at the other side of the hand, 1 d.c. in each of the 2 ch. of the 2nd finger.

Work 16 rounds on these 14 stitches and finish off as before.

**4th finger.**—1 d.c. into each of the remaining 10 stitches and 1 d.c. into each of the 2 ch. of the 3rd finger.

Work 14 rounds on these 12 stitches and finish off as before.

**The thumb.**—Work 1 d.c. into each of the 15 stitches that were left for the thumb, and 1 d.c. into each of the 3 ch. stitches which join up the round.

Work 16 rounds on these 18 stitches and finish off in the same manner as the fingers. Fasten up and run in all the ends. M.T.



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Garments made from "WHITE HEATHER" FLEECY WOOL ensure warmth and comfort,—and will last.

## BAG MITTEN WITH GAUNTLET (KNITTED)

(Can be worn for service or over bandaged arm when convalescent).

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—5 ozs. (for 1 pair) J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, four No. 8 and four No. 11 Knitting Needles pointed at both ends.

Cast 72 stitches on the No. 8 needles.

Work in rounds of knit 2 and purl 2 for 6 inches. Then take the No. 11 needles and work 4 more inches, finish the glove on these needles.

In the next round, \* knit 2, purl 2 together, repeat from \* all round.

Work, in rib of knit 2 and purl 1, on these stitches for 4 more inches. This brings the work to the bag part.

Knit 8 rounds in plain knitting and decrease 2 stitches in the 1st round, making 52 stitches altogether.

**9th round.**—Commence the thumb, purl 1, increase once in the next stitch (by knitting through the loop just under the next stitch), knit 2, increase once in the next stitch, purl 1, knit to the end of the round. The 2 purled stitches mark the outside of the thumb.

\* Knit 2 rounds plain, purling the stitches that were purled in the previous round

**12th round.**—Increase once on the inside of each of the purled stitches, then knit plain to the end of the round.

Repeat from \* until there are 18 stitches between the 2 purled stitches.

Knit 2 more rounds without increasing; then, in the next round knit 1 (the purled stitch), put the next 18 stitches on to a thread and leave them for the thumb, cast on 4 stitches after the knit 1, follow on and finish the round.

Knit 35 more rounds in plain knitting, decreasing 4 stitches in the last round.

Knit every 7th and 8th stitches together in the next round.

Knit 6 rounds plain.

Knit every 6th and 7th stitches together in the next round.

Knit 5 rounds plain.

Knit every 5th and 6th stitches together in the next round.

Knit 4 rounds plain.

Knit each 2 stitches together in the next round.

Knit 1 round plain.

Run the thread through all the stitches on the needles and finish off very securely.

For the thumb take up the 18 stitches that were

left on the thread and divide them on to 2 needles; with a 3rd needle, knit up 6 stitches along the space between the 2 needles.

Knit 23 rounds in plain knitting.

Knit each 2 stitches together in the next round. Knit 3 rounds plain. Finish off in the same way as at the top of the glove. M.T.



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## KNITTED CHEST PROTECTOR

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—5 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, three No. 9 Knitting Needles, two Buttons.

Cast on 100 stitches.

Always slip the 1st stitch throughout.

**1st row.**—Slip 1, \* knit 1, wool to the front of the work, slip the next stitch, repeat from \* to the end of the row.

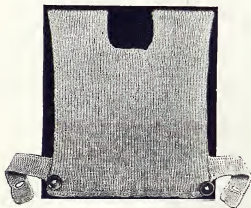
**2nd row.**—Slip 1, \* knit 2 together, knit 1, repeat from \* to the end of the row.

**3rd and 4th rows.**—Knit plain.

Knit up 10 stitches at the other side of the back and knit a 2nd strap as described above. Additional straps can be made at the sides, if required.

Sew the buttons to the front to correspond with the button-holes.

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Then work, in rib of knit 1 and purl 1, for 10 inches.

This brings the work to the division for the neck and shoulders.

Work the first 40 stitches in rib, cast off the next 20 stitches, take a 3rd needle and knit the remaining 40 stitches in the rib. Decrease once, at the neck, in every 2nd row, until 3 decreasings are made (on the last 40 stitches).

Work 4 inches in the rib without shaping.

Then increase once, at the neck, in every 2nd row until 3 increasings are made.

Leave this shoulder and commence again at the neck end of the other needle. Work this to correspond with the 1st shoulder.

For the back, knit the shoulder stitches (in pattern), then at the neck end of the needle cast on 20 stitches, and knit the 2nd shoulder stitches on to the same row again.

Finish the back to correspond with the front. Cast off, leaving the last stitch on the needle, then knit up the next 9 stitches along the side, making 10 stitches altogether.

Knit 4 inches in plain knitting, then make a button-hole as follows:—Knit 2, cast off 6, knit 2, turn, knit 2, cast on 6, knit 2. Knit 1 more inch and cast off.



## ARMLETS (KNITTED)

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—4 ozs. (for 1 pair) J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, four No. 8 and four No. 11 Knitting Needles pointed at both ends.

Cast 72 stitches on the No. 8 needles.

Work, in rounds, of knit 2 and purl 2 for 9 inches.

Then take the No. 11 needles and work 8 more inches on these needles, this giving all the shaping necessary to fit the sleeve to the arm. Cast off. M.T.



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"WHITE HEATHER" FLEECY WOOL, while being soft and fleecy produces a strong and elastic fabric that will not "rub" or "felt." It is made from wool specially selected to wear and wash well.



## MAN'S UNDER VEST

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—13 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" 4 ply Vest Wool, two No. 9 Celluloid Needles, four small Linen Buttons.

### THE FRONT

Cast on 136 stitches.

**1st row.**—Knit 4, \*purl 2, knit 2, repeat from \* to the end of the row.

Repeat this row for 3 inches.

Knit a row.

Purl the next row, but knit the 2 first and 2 last stitches.

Repeat the last 2 rows until the work measures 18 inches from the commencement. This brings the work to the opening for the front.

**1st row.**—With the right side facing to you, knit 73, turn, put the remaining stitches on to a thread.

**2nd row.**—Knit 10, purl to the last 2 stitches, knit these.

Repeat these last 2 rows and, when  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches are worked, make a button-hole in the plain knitted band as follows:—Knit 4, wool forward, knit 2 together, knit the remainder as usual. Make 4 more button-holes 2 inches apart.

Knit another  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch after the last button-hole (making 10 inches from the commencement of the opening). Then shape the work for the neck and shoulder.

**1st row.**—Cast off the 10 band stitches and the following 10 stitches, purl to the end of the row, knitting the last 2 stitches.

Work backwards and forwards on these remaining stitches, and decrease once at the neck end of every row until only 33 stitches remain. Cast off.

Commence again where the stitches were

left at the front and, at the back of the work, knit up 10 stitches at the bottom of the plain knitted band.

Finish this side to correspond with the first side of the front, but omit the button-holes.

### THE BACK

Cast on 136 stitches.

Repeat the 1st row of the front for 3 inches.

Knit a row.

Purl the next row, but knit the 2 first and 2 last stitches.

Repeat the last 2 rows until the work measures 30 inches. Cast off.

### THE SLEEVES

Cast on 88 stitches.

Repeat the 1st row of the back for 3 inches.

Knit a row.

Purl the next row, but knit the 2 first and 2 last stitches.

Repeat the last 2 rows and increase once (by knitting into a stitch and, before slipping it, knit again into the back of the loop) at each end of the 5th, then every following 6th row,

until 120 stitches are on the needle. Cast off loosely.

### TO MAKE UP THE VEST

With the wool sew up the shoulder and side seams, leaving 9 inches for the arm-holes. Sew up the seams of the sleeves and fix the latter in the arm-holes, placing seam to seam. D.c. 3 or 4 rows round the neck. Sew on the buttons to correspond with the button-holes and, with the wool, work round the button-holes to make them stronger.

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"WHITE HEATHER" VEST WOOL is specially manufactured for Underwear in a Creamy White, Pink Mixture and Natural Shades. It makes soft, comfortable garments and is practically unshrinkable.

## SLEEPING BAG (IN CROCHET)

**MATERIALS REQUIRED**—2 lbs. 10 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool and 3 lbs. 1 oz. in a lighter shade for the lining, a No. 7 Celluloid Crochet Hook, six large flat Buttons.

### THE LINING

With the light wool make 2.4 ch. Join the ch. into a ring by working 1 d.c. into the first of the ch. stitches.

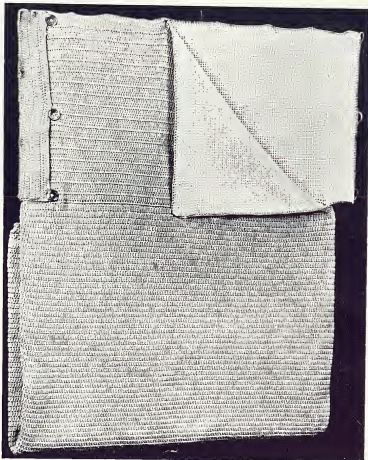
Work 1 d.c. into each ch. stitch, and continue working in rounds, 1 d.c. to each stitch, taking up both threads until the work measures 44

On one of the flaps work 3 inches in d.c. at each of the sides.

### THE COVERING

Work the ch. and 1st round the same as for the lining, but in the dark wool.

Continue the work in trebles, instead of d.c., as this gives more elasticity, which enables the



inches in length. Fasten off and sew this end of the bag neatly together.

With the bag folded flat, commence again on the foundation ch. to make the flaps. For the first flap work, in d.c. backwards and forwards, from edge to edge (132 stitches) for 16 inches. When this flap is finished, work the flap on the remaining stitches for the under side.

covering to easily fit the lining. Finish in the same manner and the same size as the lining.

Place the lining in the cover, d.c. round the flaps working through both thicknesses together. Tack the bag together in various places. Make button-hole loops at the edge of the flap with the side pieces and sew the buttons to correspond on the other flap. M.T.



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# MAN'S CROCHET BED JACKET (IN ONE PIECE)

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—1½ lbs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, a No. 7 Crochet Hook, eight Buttons.

Commence at the lower edge of the back with 90 ch.

Work in d.c., always taking up both threads and turning with 2 ch., until 20 inches are worked.

Now at the end of the last row make a length of 80 ch. (for the 1st sleeve), turn, miss the first 2 ch., 1 d.c. into each of the ch. and along the row. Make a length of 80 ch. at this end of the work (for the 2nd sleeve), turn, miss 2 ch., 1 d.c. into each ch. and all along the row.

Work in d.c. as before until 8 inches are worked on these stitches. Finish at the end where the ch. for the 2nd sleeve was made. This brings the work to the division for the 2 fronts.

**1st row.**—Work 108 d.c., leave the remaining stitches, 2 ch., turn.

**2nd row.**—D.c. and decrease once at the beginning of the row (by missing 1 d.c. of previous row).

**3rd row.**—D.c. and decrease once at the end of the row.

Work 70 rows without shaping.

**14th row.**—Increase at the beginning of the row (by working 2 d.c. into one stitch).

**15th row.**—Increase at the end of the row.

**16th row.**—Make 22 ch., miss the first 2 ch., 1 d.c. into each of the remaining ch. and along the row.

Work 23 more rows without shaping.

Leave the 70 sleeve stitches and work backwards and forwards on the front stitches for 20 inches.

Fasten off and commence again at the neck. Miss 30 stitches, 1 d.c. into each of the remaining 108 stitches.

Work this front to correspond with the first. The shaping will be done at the opposite ends of the rows.

Sew up the side seams and the seams of the

sleeves, leaving sufficient room under the arm-holes for the gussets.

## THE GUSSETS

Make 14 ch.

Work as before in d.c. until a square piece is completed. Fasten off.

Sew the gussets in place under the arm-holes.

## THE COLLAR

Make 16 ch.

Work as before in d.c. until 20 inches are completed. Fasten off.

D.c. closely round the edge of the neck to draw in the work a little and prevent it from stretching.

Sew in the collar, leaving about 1½ inches at the edge of the 2 fronts. Turn back these points and part of the collar to form revers.

## THE SLEEVE BANDS

Make 12 ch.

Work in d.c. for 24 rows.

**25th row.**—3 d.c., 3 ch., miss 3 d.c., d.c. to the end, 2 ch., turn.

**26th row.**—1 d.c. into each d.c. and each of the 3 ch., 2 ch., turn.

Now decrease at the beginning of each row until only 3 d.c. remain.

Fasten off.

Sew the straight end of the band to the seam of the sleeve about 2 inches above the edge of the cuff. Sew one button in place with the sleeve flat, then a 2nd button further round the cuff, to enable the band to fold up the sleeve tightly to the arm.

Work 7 rows of d.c. up each front, decreasing once each row at the neck end of the work.

Work button-holes (as described in the sleeve straps) in the 4th row of the left front, leaving a few inches between each.

Sew the buttons to the right front to correspond with the button-holes.

M.T.



## INVALID'S BOLSTER CUSHION (CROCHET)

MATERIALS REQUIRED.—6 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, a No. 7 Crochet Hook, 1½ yds. Ribbon.



For a cushion about 20 inches in width commence with 92 ch.

Work backwards and forwards in d.c., always taking up both threads and turning with 2 ch. until 20 inches are worked, or the size of the cushion. Fasten off. Sew the first and last rows together.

Round each side work 1 tr., \* 1 ch., miss a stitch, 1 tr. in the next stitch, repeat from \* all round and join at the end with a s.c.

Fit the cover over the cushion. Thread ribbon through the trebles at each end, draw up tightly and finish off with a bow. M.T.

## BLANKET (IN CROCHET)

(Size about 48 in. x 72 in.)

MATERIALS REQUIRED.—2½ lbs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool and 4 ozs. in a second colour for the stripes, a No. 7 Celluloid Crochet Hook.



Commence with 212 ch. in the principal colour.

**1st row.**—Miss the first 2 ch., 1 d.c. into each of the remaining ch., 3 ch., turn.

**2nd row.**—1 tr. into each stitch, 2 ch., turn. Do not work tightly, the treble row should measure ½ inch in height. Care should be taken to keep the edges even.

**3rd row.**—1 d.c. into each stitch, 3 ch., turn. Repeat the last two rows throughout the blanket.

When 6 inches are worked, join up the second colour and work 4 rows in it and 4 rows in the principal colour alternately, until 3 stripes are worked in the second colour.

When the blanket measures 60 inches from the commencement, work 3 more stripes and the 6 inches as before. Fasten off and run in all the ends. M.T.



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## SKULL CAP (KNITTED)

(Can be worn over bandaged head).

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—2 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, four No. 8 Knitting Needles with double points.

Cast on 108 stitches, 36 on each of three needles.

Work, in rounds of ribbing (knit 2 and purl 2) for 3 inches.

Purl 13 rows.



Then knit 6 inches in plain knitting, after which commence the shaping for the crown.

**1st round.**—\* Knit 24 stitches, slip 1, knit 2 together, pass the slipped stitch over the knitted, repeat from \* to the end of the round.

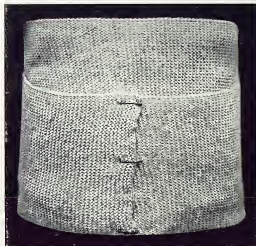
Knit 1 round without shaping.

**3rd round.**—\* Knit 22 stitches, slip 1, knit 2 together, pass the slipped stitch over the knitted, repeat from \* to the end of the round.

Knit 1 round without shaping.

**5th round.**—\* Knit 20, slip 1, knit 2 together, pass the slipped stitch over the knitted, repeat from \* to the end of the round.

Repeat these decreasing, with the one plain round between each shaped round until only 20 stitches remain on the needles. Run a thread through all these stitches, draw them up tightly, and fasten off very securely. Turn up the brim. M.T.



## BODY BINDER (KNITTED)

**MATERIALS REQUIRED.**—  
8 ozs. J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER"  
Fleecy Wool, two No. 9 Celluloid Knitting Needles.

Cast on 50 stitches.

Knit plain until the work measures 72 inches.  
Cast off. M.T.



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## HOSPITAL STOCKING (KNITTED)

(For use at operations or to wear over bandaged leg).

MATERIALS REQUIRED.—7 ozs. (for 1 pair), and 8 ozs. if foot is added, J. & J. BALDWIN'S "WHITE HEATHER" Fleecy Wool, two No. 5 Celluloid Knitting Needles.



WITHOUT FOOT

Cast on 88 stitches.

**1st row.**—Knit 4, \* purl 2, knit 2, repeat from \* to the end of the row. Repeat this row until 10 inches are worked. Then shape as follows:—

**1st row.**—Knit 4, \* purl 2 together, knit 2, repeat from \* to the end of the row.

**2nd row.**—Knit 3, \* purl 2, knit 1, repeat from \* to the end of the row, ending with knit 2.

**3rd row.**—Knit 4, \* purl 1, knit 2, repeat from \* to the end of the row. Repeat the last 2 rows until 20 inches are worked from the commencement. Finish with the right side of the work facing to you. Then decrease again as follows:—

**1st row.**—Knit 2, \* knit together the 2 knitted stitches of the rib, purl 1, repeat from \* to the last 2 stitches, knit these.

**2nd row.**—Knit 3, purl 1, \* knit 1, purl 1, repeat from \* to the last 2 stitches, knit these. Repeat the last row for 8 more inches. Cast off loosely. Sew up the seam neatly with the wool.



WITH FOOT

Follow the directions above, then, without casting off, add the foot as follows:—

Work 15 stitches in the pattern. Then work backwards and forwards on the next 16 stitches for  $7\frac{1}{2}$  inches. Break off the thread and leave these stitches on a spare needle (fastening in the end secretly). Commence again where the knit 15 were left at the ankle. Continue (with the same needle on which the 15 stitches are) and knit up 20 stitches along the side of the instep piece and 8 stitches across the toe. Take another needle and (still following round the foot) knit the remaining 8 stitches across the toe, knit up 20 stitches along the other side of the instep and the 15 stitches at the ankle.

Knit backwards and forwards, in plain knitting, on these two needles for 21 rows with no shaping. Then decrease once at the beginning and end of each of the two needles until only 58 stitches remain. Cast off. Sew up the seam neatly with the wool.

M.T.

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