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Required—1 reel Evans' Boar's Head Crochet Cotton No. 40 ; Hook No. 20.

(Every round distinct.)

Make a chain of 10 loops, unite into a circle.

1st—Over ch circle work 1 d c 9 ch seven times.

2nd—1 d c over "9 ch," 6 ch, 1 more d c over same "9 ch," 7 ch : repeat all round.

3rd—1 d c over "6 ch," 3 ch, 2 tr over "9 ch," 4 ch, 2 more tr over same "9 ch," 3 ch : repeat six times more.

4th—1 d c in "1 d c," 5 ch, 2 tr over "4 ch," 4 ch, 2 more tr over same "4 ch," 5 ch : repeat.

5th—1 d c in "1 d c," 6 ch, 3 tr over "4 ch," 4 ch, 3 more tr over same "4 ch," 6 ch : rept.

6th—1 d c in "1 d c," 8 ch, 3 tr over "4 ch," 4 ch, 3 tr over "4 ch," 3 more tr over same "4 ch," 8 ch : repeat. This completes the crown.

- tr over same ch, 1 ch and 1 tr over 1 ch eleven times, 1 ch, 1 tr over "8 ch" 1 more tr over same ch, 4 ch: repeat.
- 18th—4 d c over "4 ch," (the "4 ch" between "4 tr" groups), 4 ch, 1 tr over "4 ch" 1 ch and 1 tr twice more over same ch, 1 ch and 1 tr over 1 ch fourteen times, 1 ch and 1 tr thrice over "4 ch," 4 ch: repeat.
- 19th—Commence in first of "4 d c":—1 tr 1 ch m 1 three times, 1 tr over "4 ch" and 1 ch thrice, 1 tr over "1 ch" and 1 ch nineteen times, 1 tr over "4 ch" and 1 ch thrice: repeat. —This is simply a single open crochet round.
- 20th—Commence at the last 1 ch of last round:—1 d c over 1 ch, 8 ch, m 5 (i. e., 3 tr and the 2 intervening "1 ch") five times, 1 d c over 1 ch, m 1, 1 d c over 1 ch, 8 ch m 5 four times: repeat.
- 21st—1 d c over "8 ch," 5 ch: repeat.
- 22nd—5 d c over "5 ch," 1 ch: repeat.
- 23rd—1 tr over 1 ch, 1 ch, m 1, 1 tr, 1 ch, m 1, 1 tr, 1 ch, m 1: repeat.
- 24th—1 d c over 1 ch, 8 ch, m 5: repeat.
- 25th—1 d c over 8 ch, 5 ch: repeat.
- 26th—5 d c over 5 ch, 1 ch: repeat.
- 27th—161 single open crochet (i. e., 1 tr, 1 ch, m 1), 1 tr to finish.
- 28th—Commence over third "1 ch"—single open crochet to the end, within 3 s o c as at beginning.
- 29th—Miss 3 s o c as before:—Fifteen s o c (this includes the extra tr stitch), * 5 ch, m 3 s o c, 18 s o c: repeat from * five times more, 5 ch, m 3 s o c, 15 s o c.
- 30th—Miss 3 s o c as before:—11 s o c, * 5 ch, 1 tr over "5 ch," 5 ch, 15 s o c; repeat from * five times more; 5 ch, 1 tr over "5 ch," 5 ch, 11 s o c as before.
- 31st—Miss 2 s o c:—9 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, (stitches), 3 tr, 5 ch, m 5, 14 s o c; repeat from * five times more; finish like beginning.
- 32nd—1 tr, 8 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, 5 tr, 5 ch, m 5, 13 s o c: repeat from * five times more; finish like beginning.

- 33rd—8 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, 7 tr, 5 ch, m 5, 5 s o c, 5 ch, m 3 s o c, 5 s o c; repeat from * five times more; finish like beginning.
- 34th—1 tr, 7 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, 9 tr, 5 ch, m 5, 3 s o c, 4 ch, m 4, 3 tr, 4 ch, m 4, 3 s o c; repeat from * five times more; finish like beginning.
- 35th—7 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, 11 tr, 5 ch, m 5, 2 s o c, 4 ch, m 4, 5 tr, 4 ch, m 4, 2 s o c; repeat from * five times more; finish like beginning.
- 36th—Repeat 34th row.
- 37th—Repeat the 33rd.
- 38th—Repeat the 32nd.
- 39th—Repeat the 31st without the "m 2 s o c at the end or beginning:
- 40th—1 tr, 9 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, 1 tr, 5 ch, m 5, 15 s o c; repeat from *; finish as at beginning.
- 41st—11 s o c, * 5 ch, m 5, 18 s o c; repeat; finish as beginning.
- 42nd, 43rd—Single open crochet.
- 44th—1 d c, 6 ch, * 1 d c, 8 ch, m 3 s o c; repeat from *; finish as begun.
- 45th—1 d c over "6 ch," 2 ch, * 1 d c over 8 ch, 5 ch; repeat from *; finish as begun.
- 46th—3 d c, 1 ch, * 5 d c over "5 ch," 1 ch; repeat from *; finish as begun.
- 47th—Single open crochet.
- 48th—Repeat the 44th.
- 49th—Repeat the 45th.
- 50th—Repeat the 46th.

Finish the cap with a line of double crochet all round the cap, covering the ends, in the hollow for the neck.

The 48th, 44th, 24th, and 20th rows are designed for the insertion of narrow satin ribbons to draw the cap with if necessary. Trim with light lace.