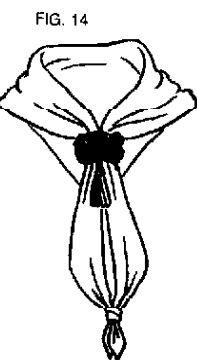
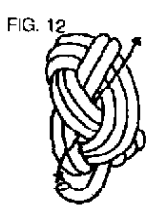
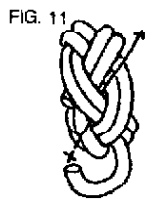
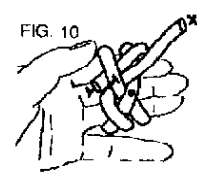
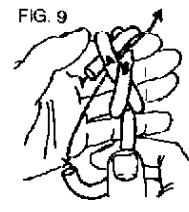
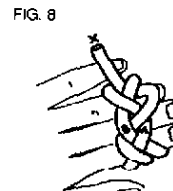
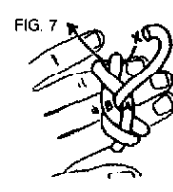
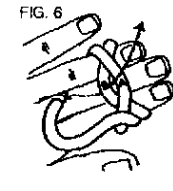
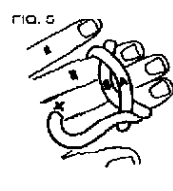
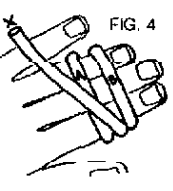
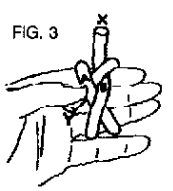
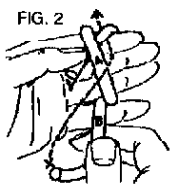
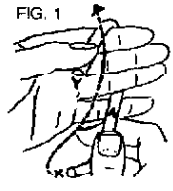


DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING A TURK'S-HEAD NECKERCHIEF SLIDE



You need 2 strands of gimp, each 3 1/2 yards long. Round-braid the full length of the strands until about 5" of unbraided gimp is left. Finish off the braid with an overhand knot. Do one stitch of a square braid, then end that braid with a Terminal Turk's-Head braid.

Wrap the completed braid around three fingers on your left hand, palm up (fig. 1). The working end of the braid; the end with the terminal Turk's-Head, is marked "X" and the stationary end is marked "Y".

Bring end X over end Y (fig. 1) and around the back of the hand. Thread end X over A and under Y, forming B (Figs. 2 & 3). Turn your hand over, palm down (fig. 4). Loop A over B (fig. 5). Next thread X under B (fig. 6) over A and under B again (figs. 7 & 8).

Turn your hand over, palm up (fig. 9). Bring end X alongside of and parallel to end Y by threading the strand under A and over B (fig. 10 & 11). The Turk's-Head knot is formed when you follow strand Y around three times (figs. 10, 11 & 12). Take in any slack as you weave end X so there will be sufficient material to complete the knot. Neatness counts so take your time.

The slide ends at the same loop where it begun (fig. 12). The completed knot is ready to use as a neckerchief slide (fig. 13). The tassel is intended to dangle in front of the slide when it is on the neckerchief (fig 14).

Terminal Turk's-Head

Leave the last stitch of the square braid loose. Hold the braid in your left hand. Bring strand 1 under strand 2 and up through the center of the braid. Leave this strand loose. Bring strand 2 under strand 3 and up through center. Bring strand 3 under strand 4 and up through the center. Bring strand 4 under strand 1 & 2 and up through the center. Tighten each strand one at a time, starting with strand 1. Trim the ends even.