HOLLYHOCK WREATH ALONG with all the pieced blocks come a few small applique designs. This is a charmingly patterned block using 3 colors on a 16-inch white or unbleached background square. Sixteen squares, either all applique or half of them just plain quilted, make a 64-inch center, which with plain borders is ample for a quilt. There should be a wider border at the bottom both for use and better design.

Cardboard cutting patterns are made exact sizes of the 5 patterns here given. These do not allow for seams, so mark the goods around each pattern, but cut a seam larger and crease back to the pencil line. Baste very carefully, press and whip or blindstitch the units in place. Other plain colors or prints may be used, as lavender, blue or yellow with orange centers, pink with deeper rose or wine red with buff.

This is good size for an odd pillow, using scraps of silk on pongee or black satine.

Material Estimate: In making this quilt 16-inch blocks are set together to make an all-over pattern. Sixteen blocks are required, 4 blocks wide and 4 blocks long, which plus a 6-inch border at top and sides and a 12-inch border at bottom finishes about 76 by 82 inches. This requires 1/4 yard coral, 1 1/2 yards apricot, 2 1/4 yards green and 6 1/2 yards white or unbleached for blocks and border, a total of 10 1/2 yards.

A President's Wreath, perforated pattern No. 328, at 25 cents, is most appropriate on the plain squares. Outside of the quilted and appliqued wreaths, fill in with check quilting.



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