



SHOO FLY

AS SHOO FLY is one of the simplest of old-fashioned patchworks, both to cut and to piece, it would be good choice for one on which a little girl could learn sewing. Bits of her frocks and aprons with perhaps those of her youthful chums, too, would make the blocks doubly interesting.

Patterns are cut from cardboard like the ones printed here, but the cloth could be cut 3/16 or a quarter of an inch larger all around to allow for seams. They then make a block 9 inches square which

may be set together with 3-inch strips of white or some one color such as a blue calico print into a clever quilt top.

Materials Estimate: If using light blue for stripping and border with pink print and white blocks, allow about 4 yards blue, 2 1/2 of white and 2 of pink print. This will total 8 1/2 yards.

Quilting suggestions: There are some lovely quilting patterns for 9-inch blocks offered, 8-inch Feather Circle No. 253 (state size), at 20c, or the Flower Garden Special No. 259 at 25c would be particularly attractive.