

APRONS made with Oil Cloth are Neat, Sanitary, Protective—

Oil Cloth aprons may be made in any desired shape or size, the same as from fabric material. The advantage of Oil Cloth aprons is that they protect clothing against anything that may be spilled upon them, and all that is needed to clean them is a damp cloth. A number of attractive Oil Cloth designs are available which work up nicely into attractive aprons for dainty as well as practical purposes. For most styles of aprons, only about 1/2-yard of Oil Cloth and 4 yards of bias binding are needed. To make the simpler styles, such as Figure A below, make a paper pattern in the size and shape desired. The sides can be made identical by folding the paper in the center. Then cut the Oil Cloth using the paper pattern as a guide. Bind edges with bias binding.

Make ties of bias binding by stitching them several times to keep them from stretching, and to keep the raw edges from fraying. Stitch them in place at the waist back, so that the raw ends will be caught in the binding on the apron.

Cut pocket of the shape desired. Tape it all around, and sew it on apron.

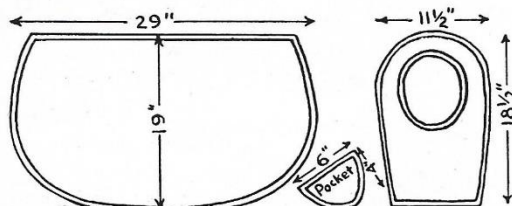


Figure B is made up of three pieces of Oil Cloth, size and shape specified in pattern above.

Figure C is a smock type of apron that is especially protective and practical. Comes in handy when doing many types of housework where clothes are more likely to become soiled. To make this apron, make a pattern to size, on heavy paper, using the pattern at top of page as a guide. This pattern is drawn to scale, each square (made by dotted lines) equaling

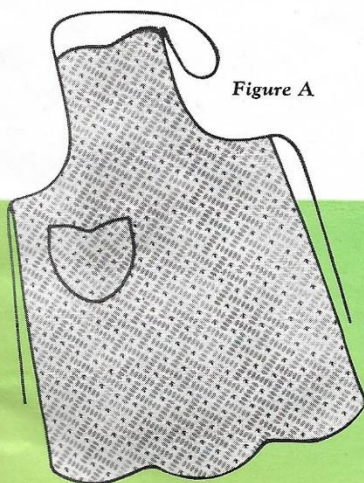


Figure A

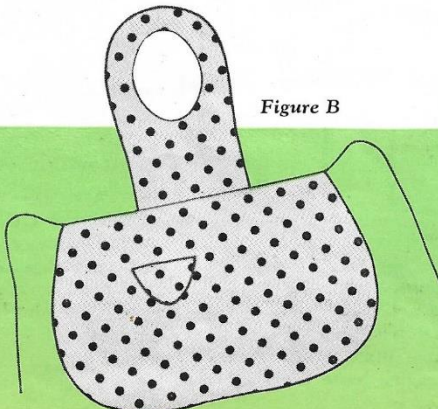
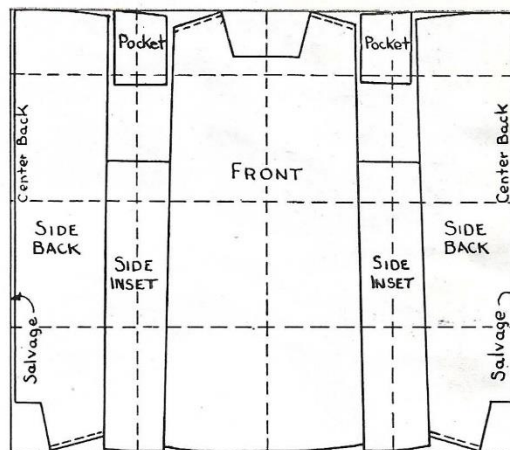


Figure B



one foot, or can be used to represent more or less than one foot, according to size desired. Material required, about 1 yard 6 inches. Bias binding, 10 yards. Size shown in pattern is Size 34 and cuts without waste from this amount of material, provided the figure on the Oil Cloth is reversible. (If not reversible, two lengths of Oil Cloth will be required.) The unshaded part of the sketch is the paper pattern

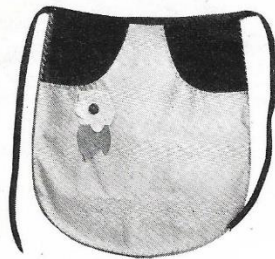
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Figure C

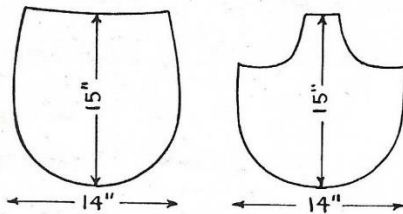


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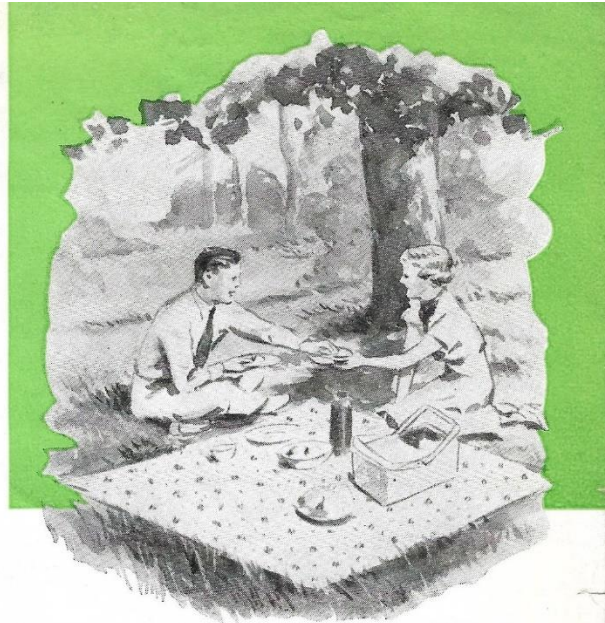
laid on the Oil Cloth, ready to cut out. Place the pattern on the Oil Cloth as shown, cut out the apron, and then you are ready to start putting it together. Bind the pockets across top and bottom. Place them across the side insets and stitch them in place across the bottom. Baste the back and front together at the shoulders and to the insets at the sides, using bias binding to cover the seams. If the binding is of a contrasting color and is left on the right side, it



makes an attractive finish. It may be pressed down and stitched flat if a flat finish is desired. Bind the entire edge of the apron. Stitch the binding of the back together at the neck for about 3 inches.



The apron illustrated above is a Tea apron. Cut two pieces of Oil Cloth size and shape specified in pattern above. May be bound together with bias tape or stitched as shown.



**Oil Cloth SPREAD,
FOR PICNICKING—**

An Oil Cloth spread for use when picnicking is sanitary and does not mind spilled foods as it is easy to clean. Requires about 1½ yards Oil Cloth. Make it square, or rectangular.

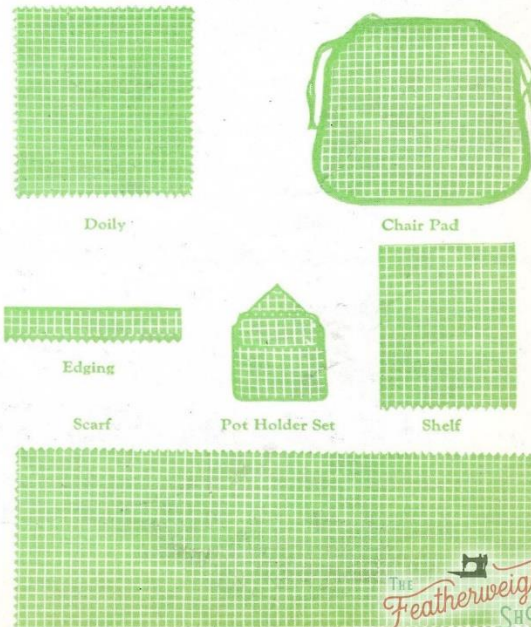
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