Squire Valance   9213

This valance has the simplicity of only two swag pleats, but their deep angles make the valance look amply full. The unique shape at the bottom of the swags give it interest and elegance.

Swag widths extend 14" to 18". Not including trim, the swag depth is 22" at the center and quickly dips up to 19" at either side of the horn. The horn is 14" at the shortest point. Use a simple return or a choice between two jabots. One jabot is very thin and hangs 40" deep. The other jabot is called the Squire jabot. It is fuller and hangs 35" deep. It is not recommended you alter any of the pattern pieces.

Fabric Suggestions: Soft fabrics and fabrics that lend themselves well to holding pleats. Stay away from extremely bulky fabrics. The jabots, returns, and horns should be self or contrast lined. The swags should be lined with a drapery lining. If no trim is being used, it is best to add a small facing (decking) to the bottom of the swag.

YARDAGE

To decide how many swag sections to use, subtract 3" from the board face measurements (do not include ends). Then divide into equal units. Stay within a 14" to 18" width range.

You will need a horn between each swag.
You will need a *pair* of returns or a pair of jabots.
You will need a horn between a swag and a return.
You will need a horn between a swag and a thin jabot.
You will *not* need a horn between a swag and a Squire jabot. It has it's own horn.

With so many different fabric widths and repeats available today, we find it works best if we give you the actual pattern sizes so you can determine how they will fit on your fabric.

Swag............... the pattern is ..... (upright cut) 34" wide x 29" deep, (bias cut) 34"wide x 34"
Horn .... the pattern is ..... 18" wide x 19" deep
Return .... the pattern is ..... 15" wide x 25" deep or 8" wide x 25" deep
Thin jabot ...... the pattern is ..... 15" wide x 42" deep
Squire jabot ... the pattern is ..... (includes it's own horn) 29" wide x 42" deep

Same amount of lining will be needed.

Yardage for Trims: each swag .... 22"
Trims must be able to curve   each horn .... 18"
                            each return .... 16" (this return has fullness)
                            each return .... 10" (this return has no fullness)
                            each thin jabot.................. 28"
                            each Squire jabot .... 43" (this includes it's own horn)

More detail information about yardage and alterations is given inside packet.