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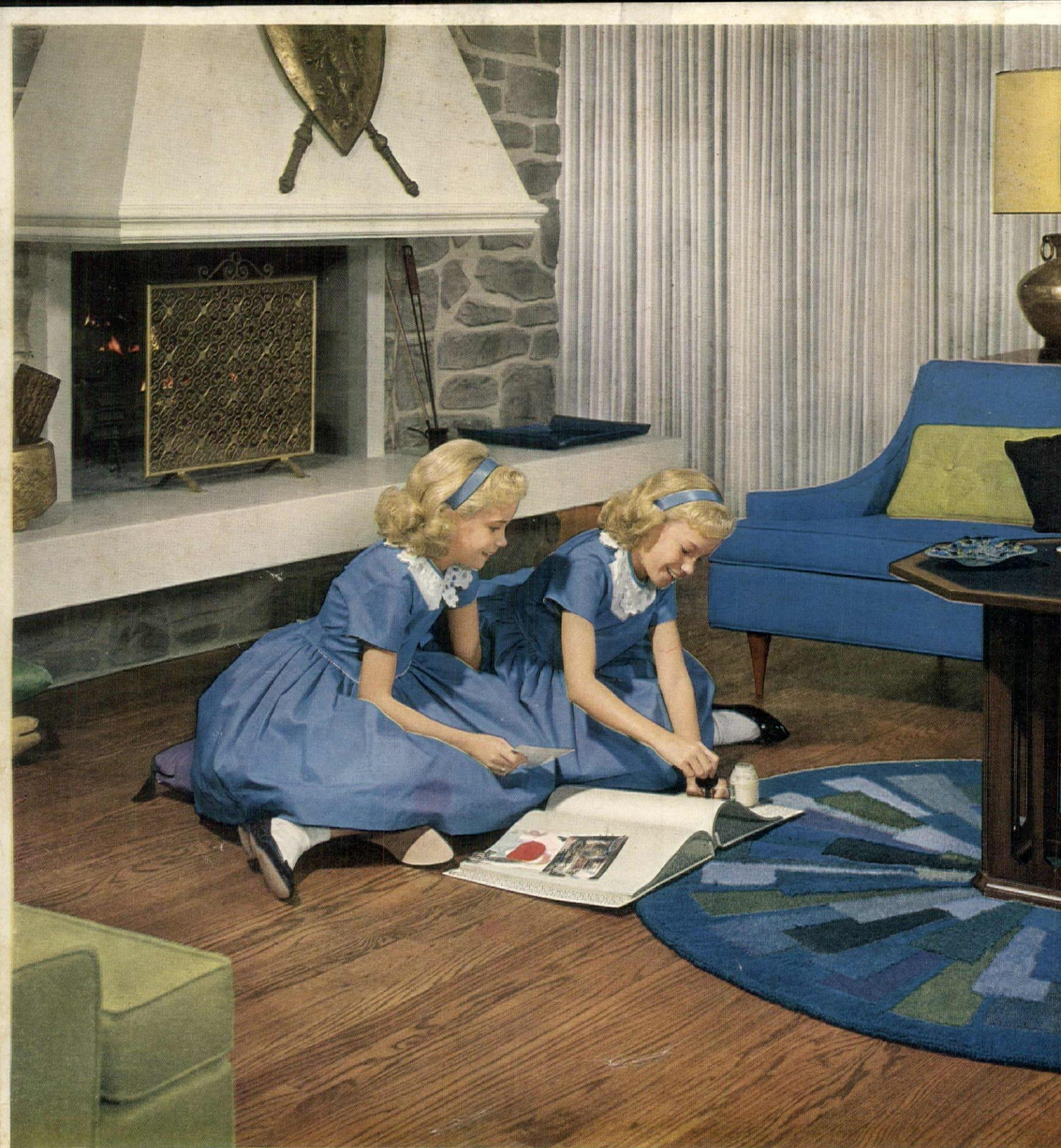
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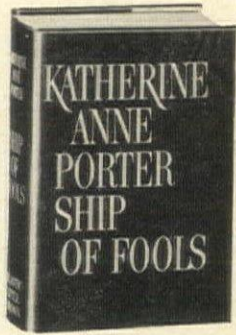
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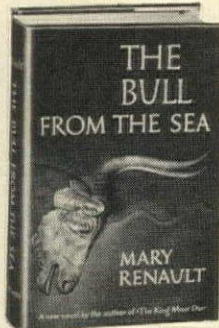
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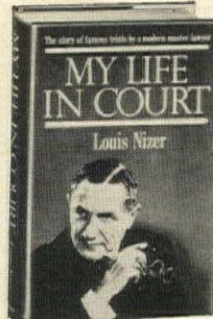
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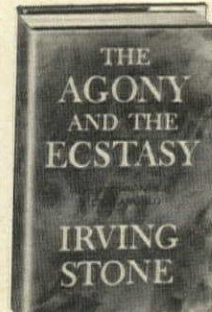
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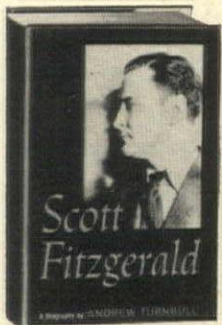
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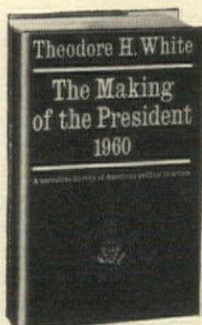
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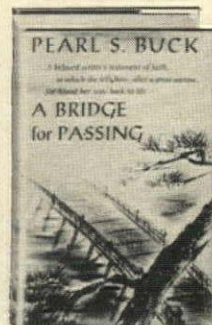
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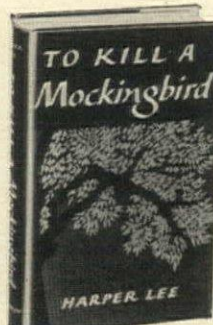
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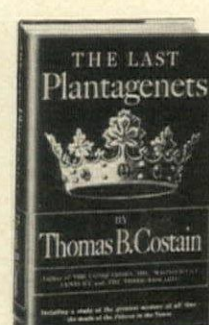
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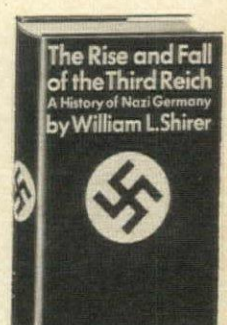
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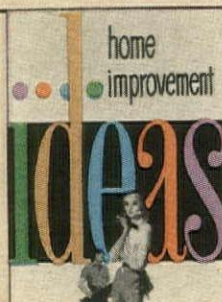
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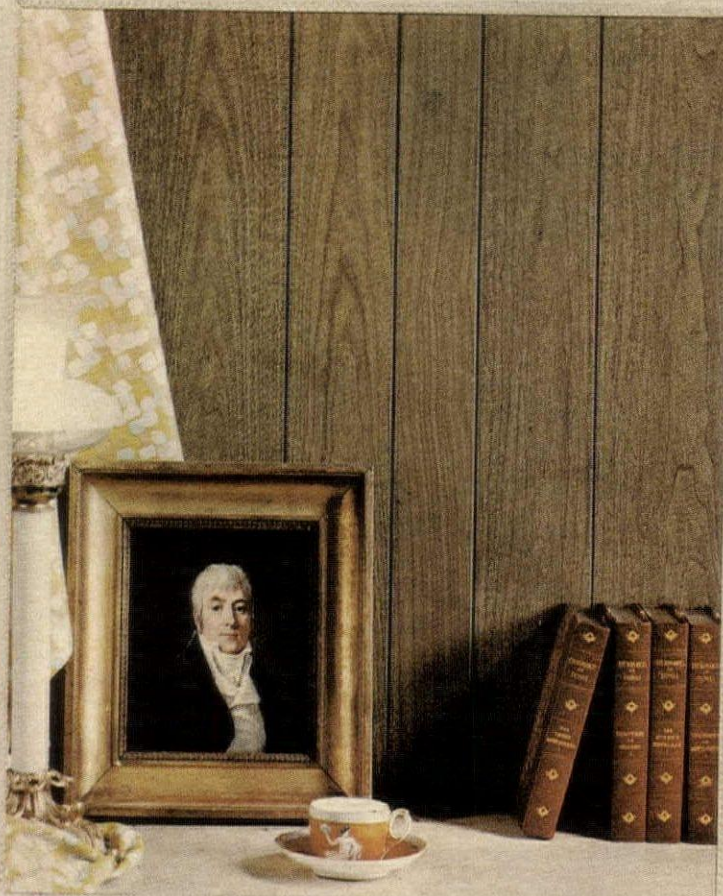
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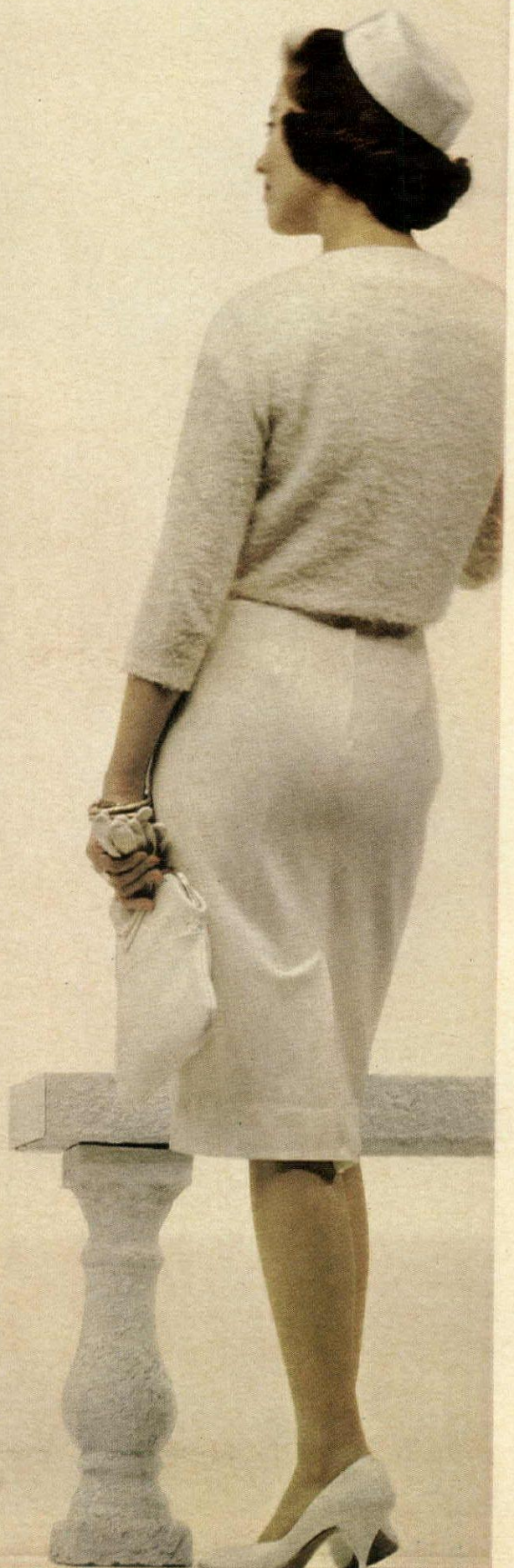
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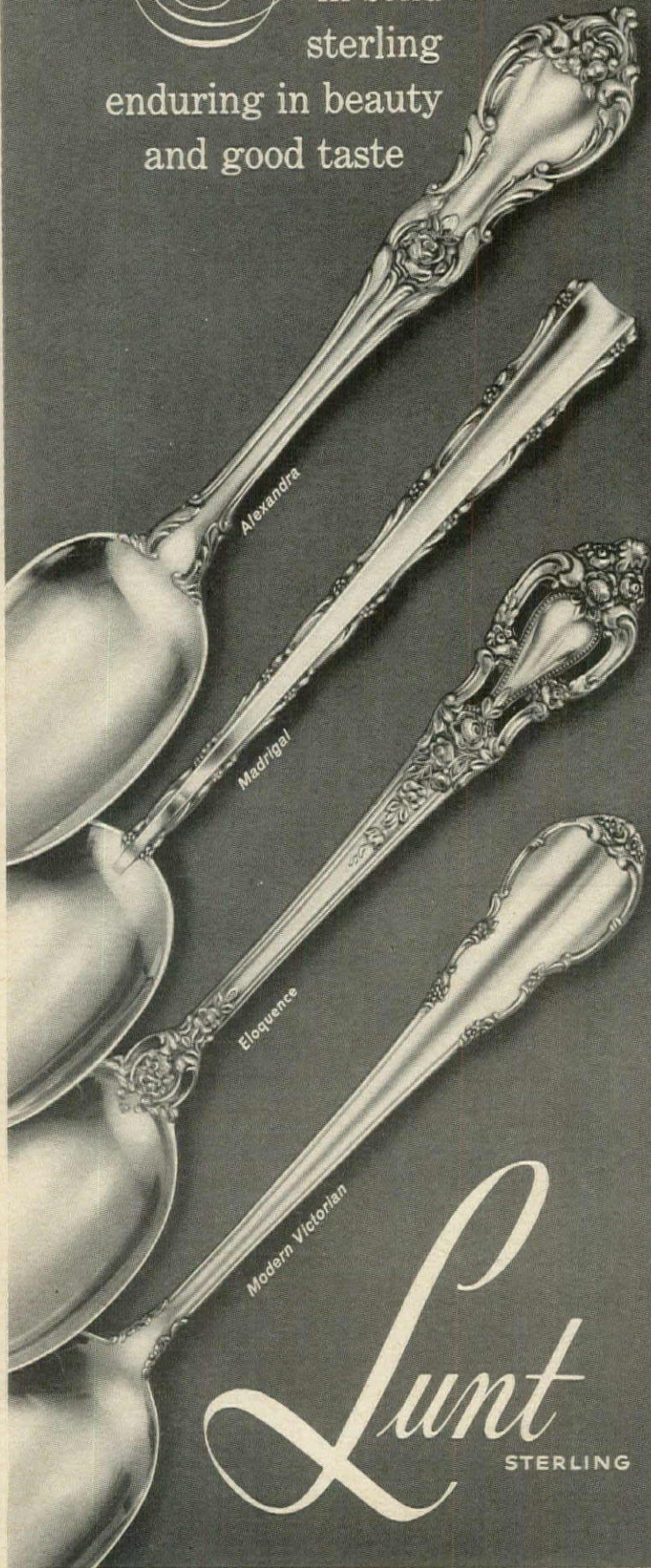
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BARBEDIENNE BRONZE TABLE

This is one of two bronze tables I have acquired. The marble tops have deep red insets; the craftsmanship and detail are more than exceptional. Each table is signed "F. Barbedienne." Do you know of this artisan?

J.W.—Coconut Grove, Fla.

F. Barbedienne, who made and signed your tables, was the leading bronze founder of France from about 1860 to 1890. His Paris foundry made bronzes of fine artistic quality, such as your Louis XVI tables. He received many awards for his work, including the French Legion of Honor.



ENGLISH BRANDY LADLE

This ladle came from a secondhand shop in Edinburgh, Scotland. The bottom of the bowl is marked J C & S and EP. I am interested in knowing its origin, age and usage.

D.E.M.—Tacoma, Wash.

You have an English brandy or sauce ladle made by John Chatterly & Son, London and Birmingham. Since 1847, silversmiths have been required to mark plated silver EP (electroplate). Your ladle dates about 1900.



VICTORIAN SIDE CHAIR

We have just come into possession of this antique chair. The top carving is of roses or some other flower. Any information on its age and origin will be appreciated.

R.J.R.—Houston, Tex.

The spiral turning of legs and back, the floral carving of the cresting indicate this chair is early Victorian and probably made in England.

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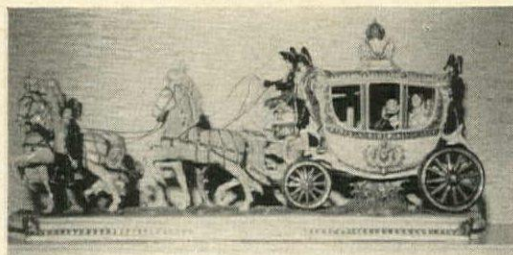
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NAPOLEON'S WEDDING COACH

Can you tell me anything about this porcelain group? It is marked on each side, "Voiture de Mariage de Napoleon 2 Avril 1810." On the bottom of the piece appear the numbers 12731 and 8 and the word Germany.

H.E.T. Jr.—Merchantville, N. J.

Your porcelain piece depicts the wedding coach used by Napoleon when he married the Archduchess Marie Louise of Austria. The numbers are production symbols and prove it to be a copy made in Germany after 1891.

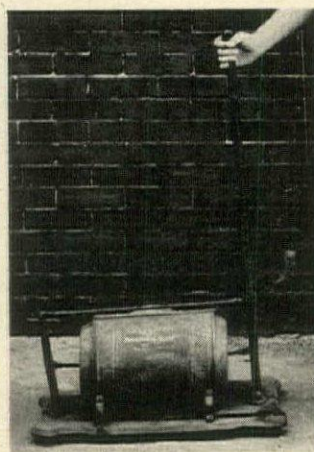


AMERICAN CHINA MARK

The enclosed mark is on a set of china which was a wedding gift to me and now belongs to my daughter. She would like to know where she might obtain missing pieces.

K.M.J.—Washington, D. C.

It is the mark of the Warwick China Co., Wheeling, W. Va., in business from 1887 to 1900. Matching pieces might be obtained in antique shops.



HAND-POWERED VACUUM

Several months ago I found an old vacuum cleaner in the basement of a building I rent. It is marked "Regina Pneumatic Cleaner, Chicago, Ill." How old is it?

G.T. Jr.—Selma, Ala.

This vacuum cleaner must have been bought from the Chicago distributor of the Regina Company, Rahway, N. J., around 1900. Regina had made music boxes until Edison's phonograph crippled their sales. Then they switched to vacuums (hand-powered at first) and still make them.



AMERICAN PRIMITIVE

Can you identify the enclosed picture?

J.M.—Pittsburgh, Pa.

Judging by the style and type of dress, I believe this is a portrait of a Pennsylvania Dutch boy of the Mennonite-Dunkard sect. It was probably done by an unknown itinerant artist between 1830 and 1860.

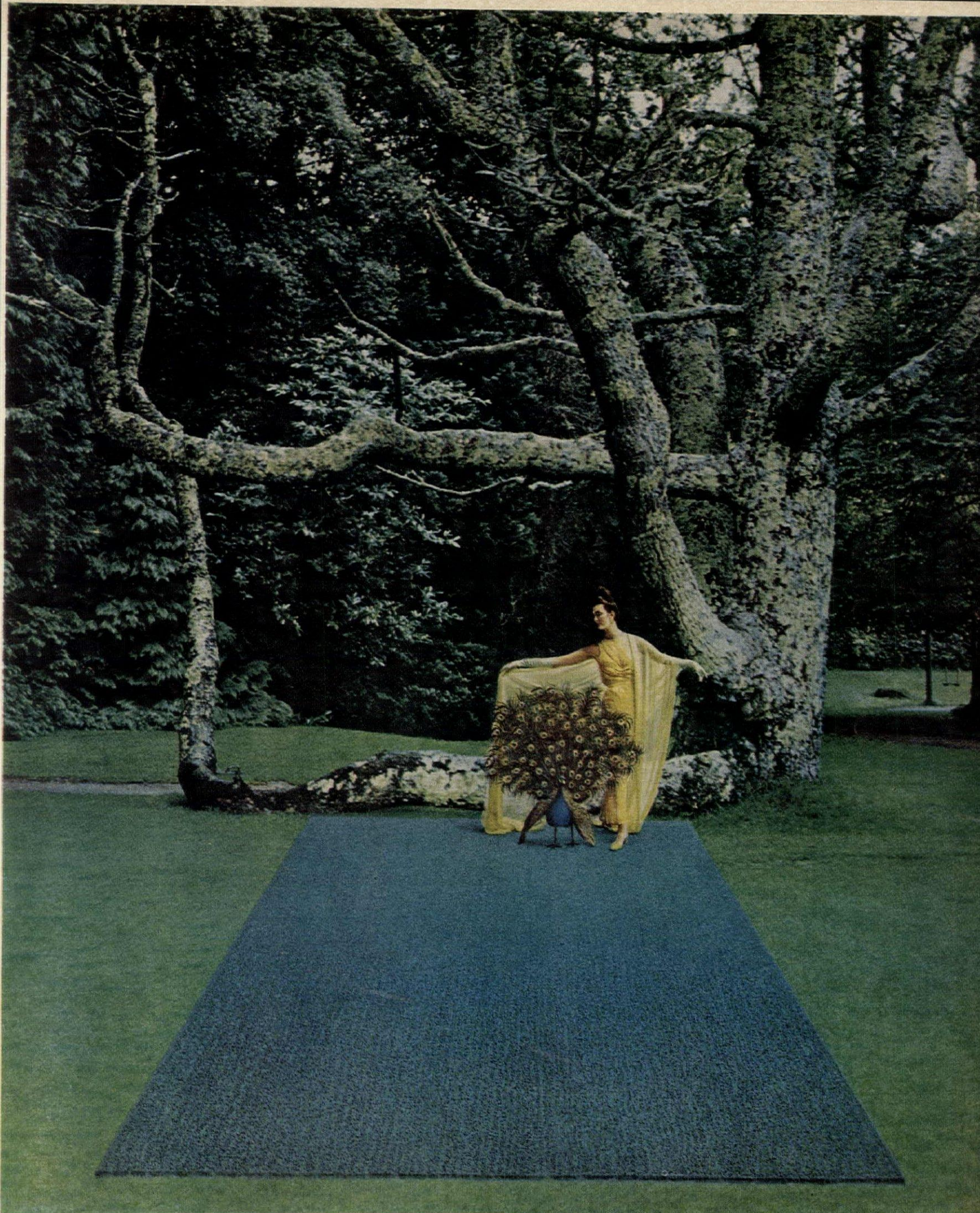


AMERICAN SILVER CUP

I would like to know the age and maker of my silver cup. Here are photos of it and its mark.

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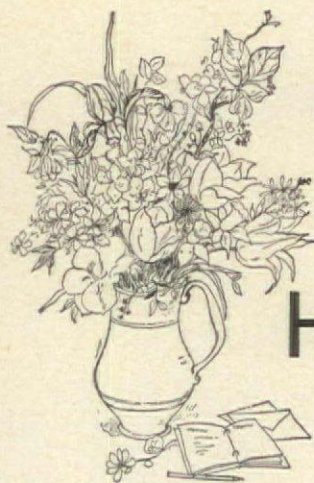




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Notes for the Hostess

BY DIANA BRYAN

Every September, Don and I reap the rewards, a little ruefully, of our own particular type of spring fever. This is a disease known to the family privately as "seed-cataloguia." How could we have planted so many types of squash, so many tomatoes, so much eggplant? There is even too much surplus for me to pickle, preserve and freeze.

So this year we are planning to hold our own harvest festival, a kind of "come have supper and take it away with you" affair. In lieu of damask, yards of carefully ironed burlap will cover the festive board. For a centerpiece I'm planning to heap a large tôle tray with blue ribbon beauties from the

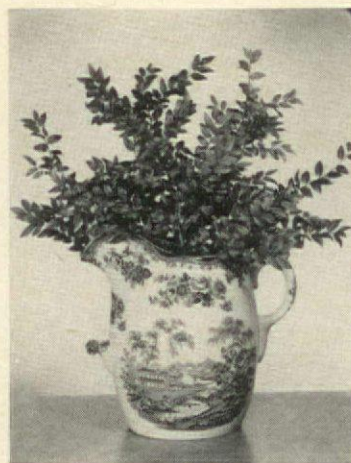
garden—golden squash of all varieties, impeccable peppers, radiant tomatoes, along with the prettiest Brussels sprouts and broccoli. Circling the tray will be individual pots of aromatic herbs.

The pièce de résistance of the supper will be served in my new Langbein squash-shaped orange and green tureen. It's a casserole dish consisting of shrimp, chicken, Hubbard squash cubed and poached in white wine and mixed with slivered almonds, fresh rosemary, and a sauce of cooked chopped tomatoes, eggplant and garlic. An agreeable accompaniment to this dish will be a salad of different kinds of lettuce—Bibb, Oak Leaf, Mignonette and Boston.

Then when the evening is over, every departing guest will be handed a basket of vegetables and a pot of herbs to take home.



Faïence Tureen



Potter's Jug

Now that the season for after-the-game open house parties is almost here, I've been thinking how marvelous it would be to serve punch—hot or cold—from the Crownford China mold maker's jug I saw at D. M. Read's in Bridgeport, Conn. Of Tonquin blue and white in a rather classical scenic pattern this tremendous (3-gallon) pitcher is of the kind originally used by master potters for pouring and testing liquid clay. Handsome and dramatic, it would also make an excellent vase for great sheafs of autumn leaves and dried field flora, teazel, cattails, bayberry, bitersweet, woodbine.

Since the time has come to get the house ready for fall guests and parties, I must try a trick I heard about from Don's great-aunt. She used to entertain grandly, and before each party she would rub down her furniture with polish to which something had been added—oil of pine, say, or perhaps oil of cloves, used in the parlor or dining room. The furniture would give off, for some time, a faint fragrance that filled the rooms. Thought I'd add a few drops of attar of roses to some polish and shine up the guest room.

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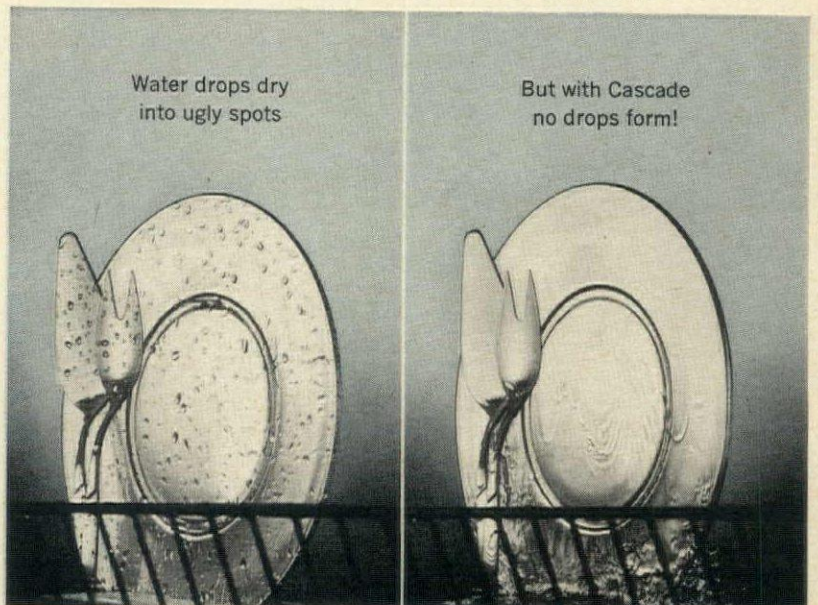
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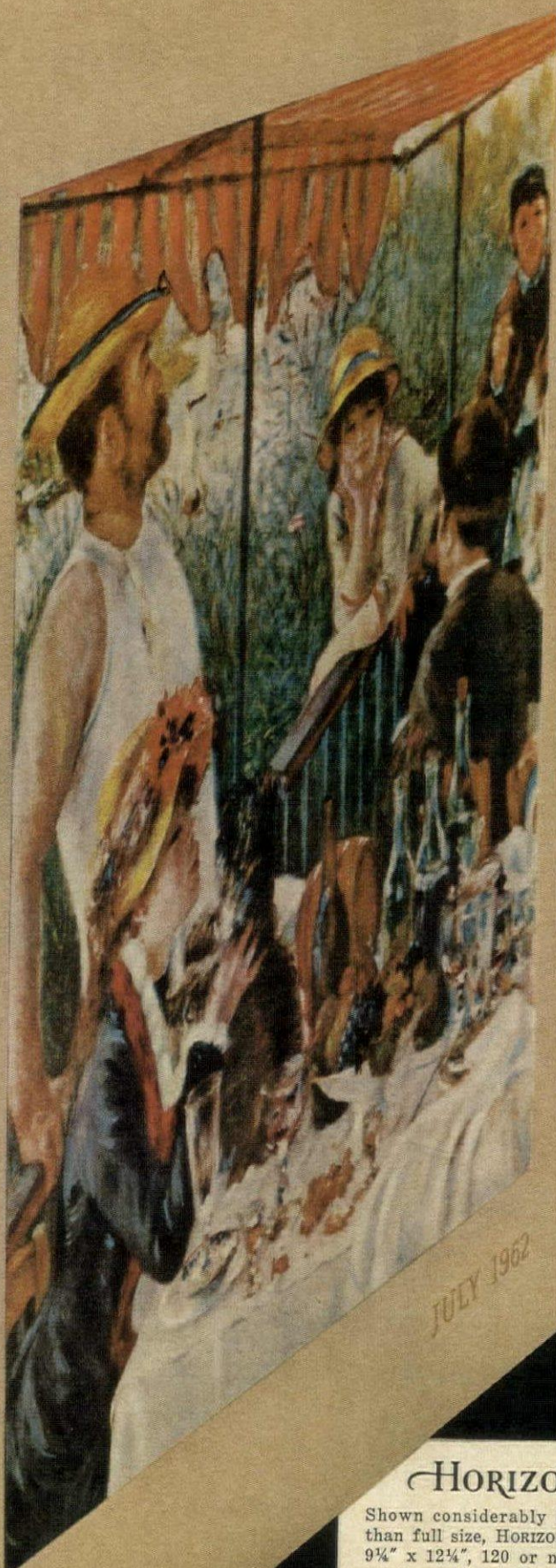
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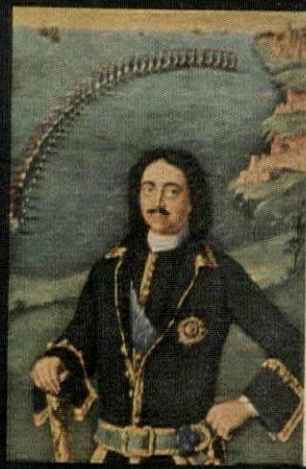
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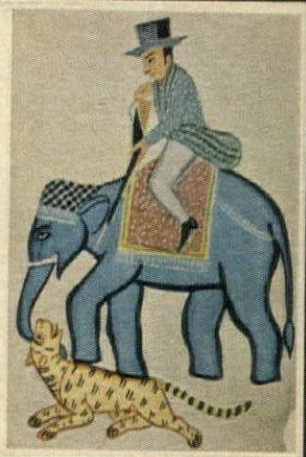
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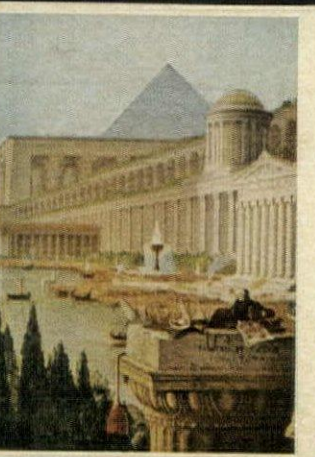


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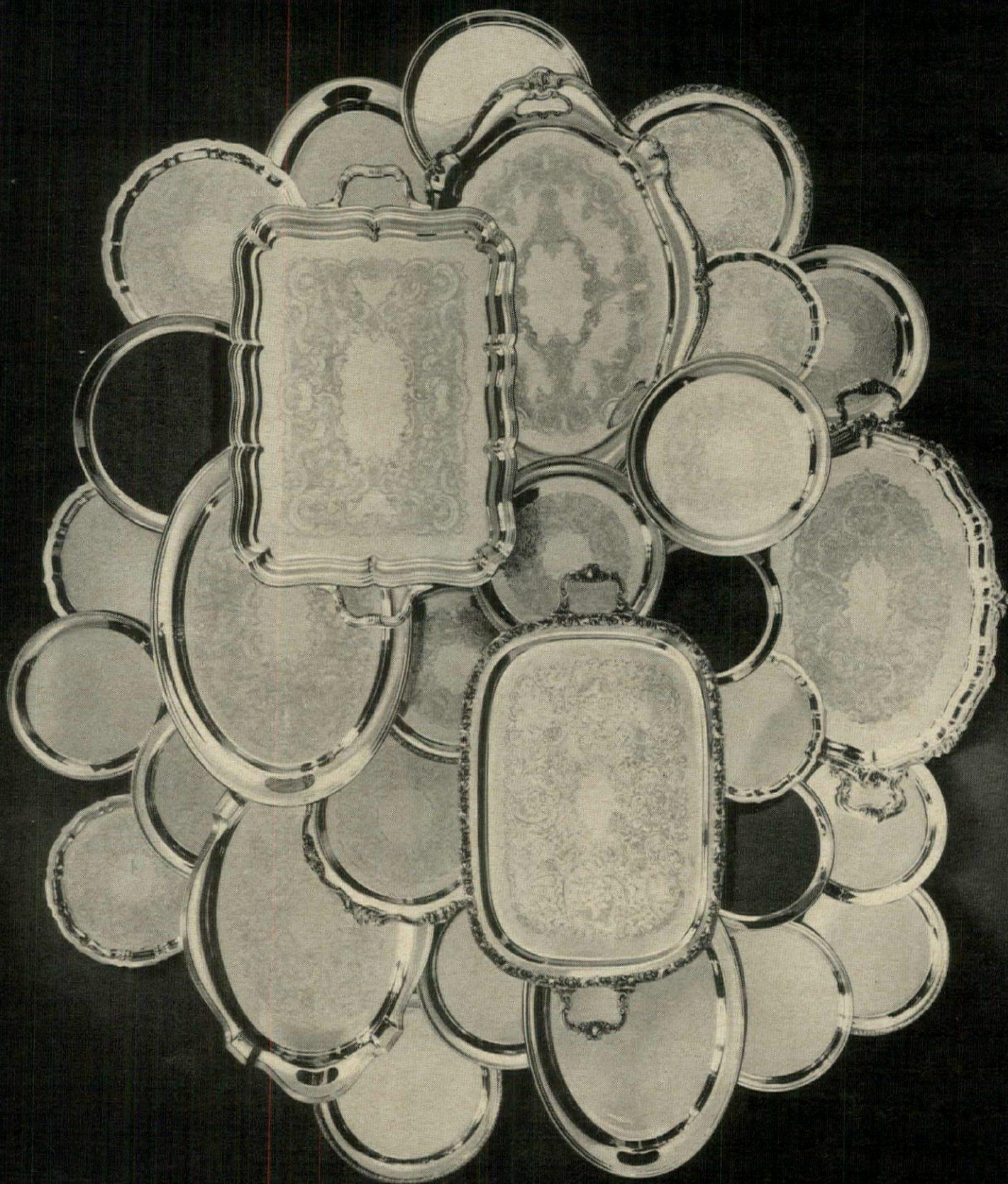
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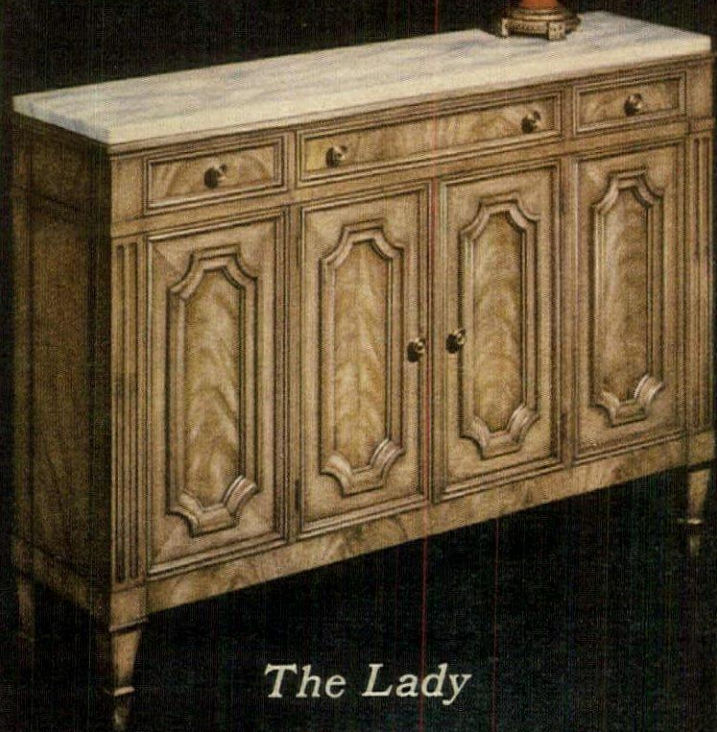
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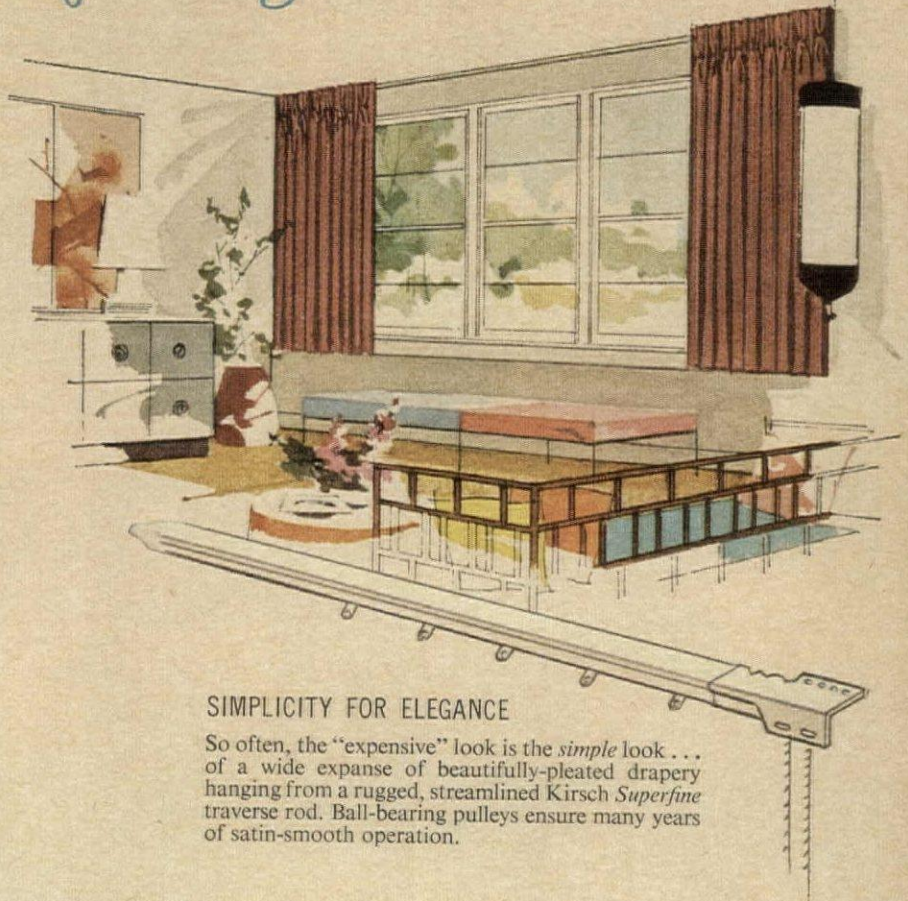
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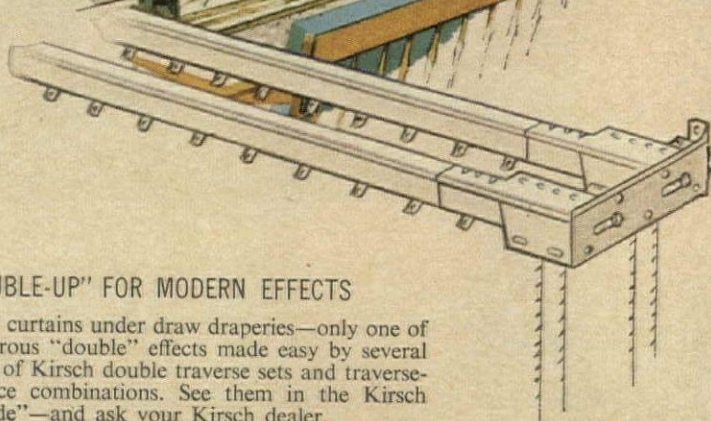
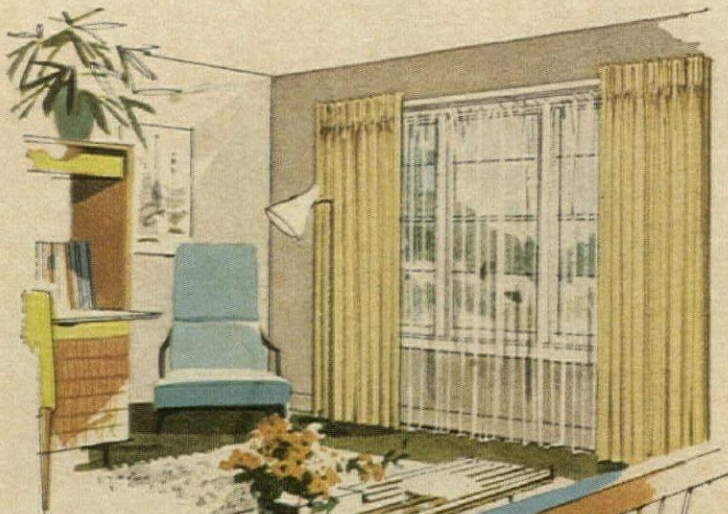
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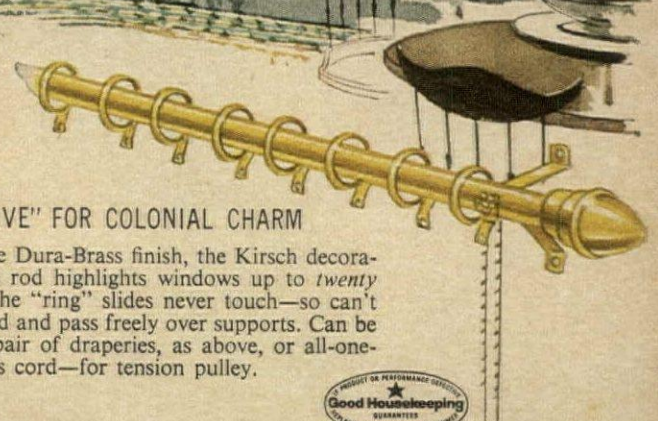
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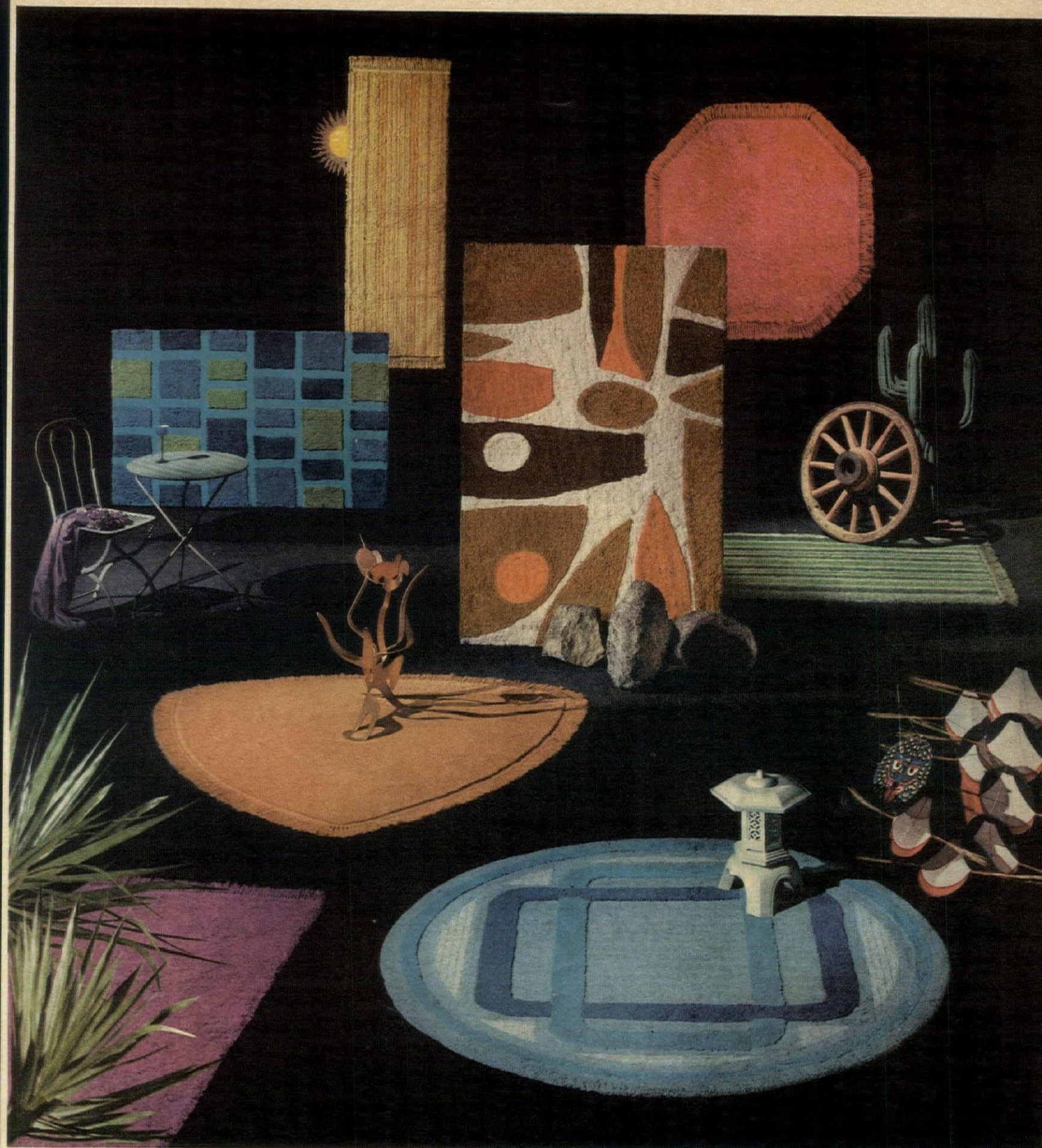
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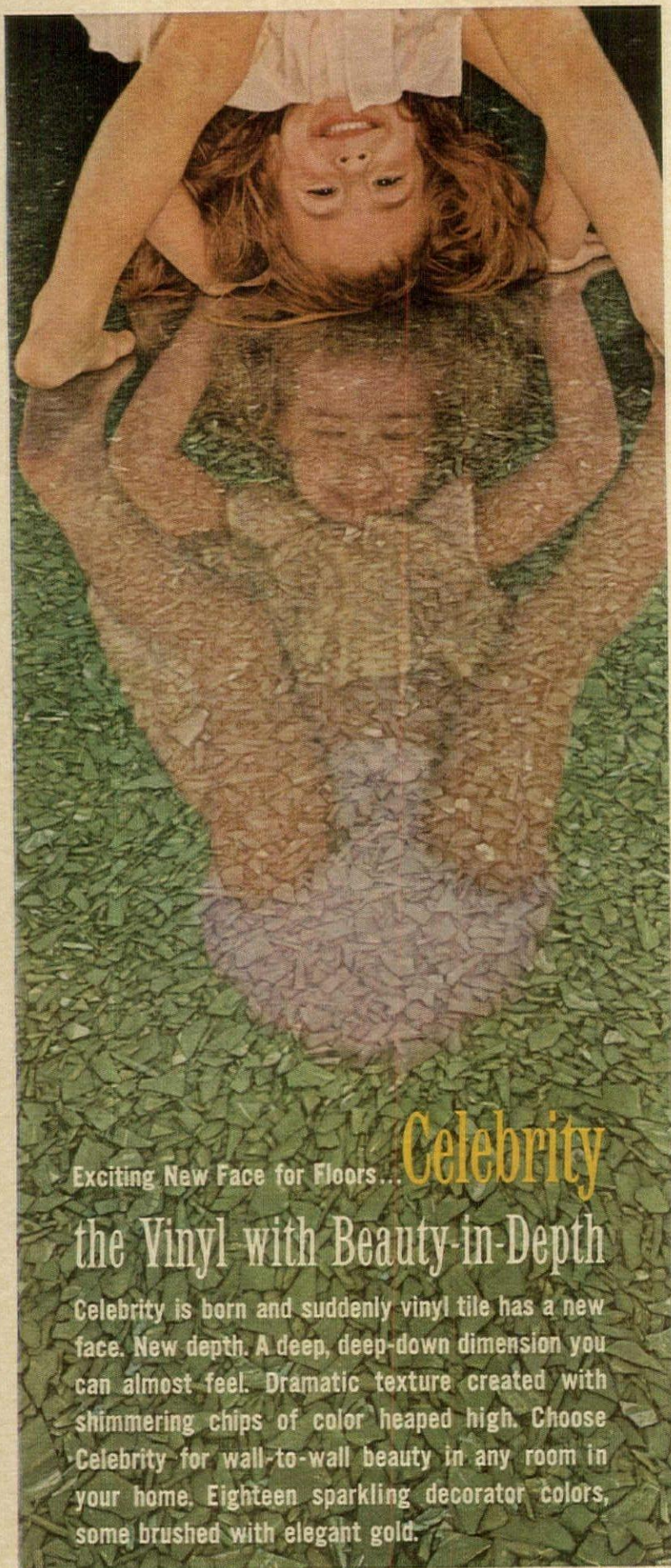
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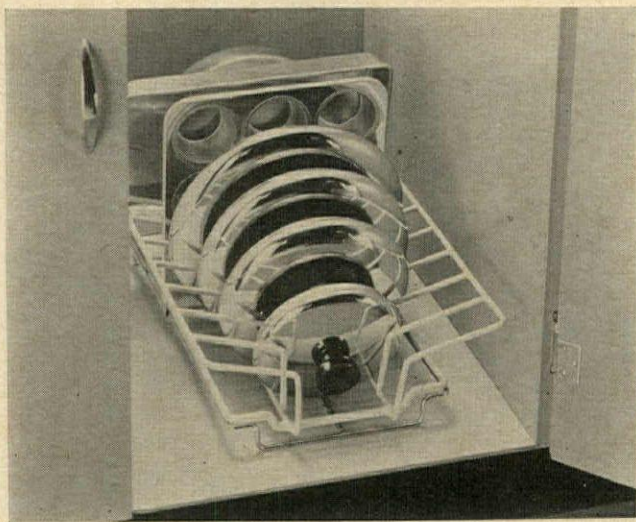
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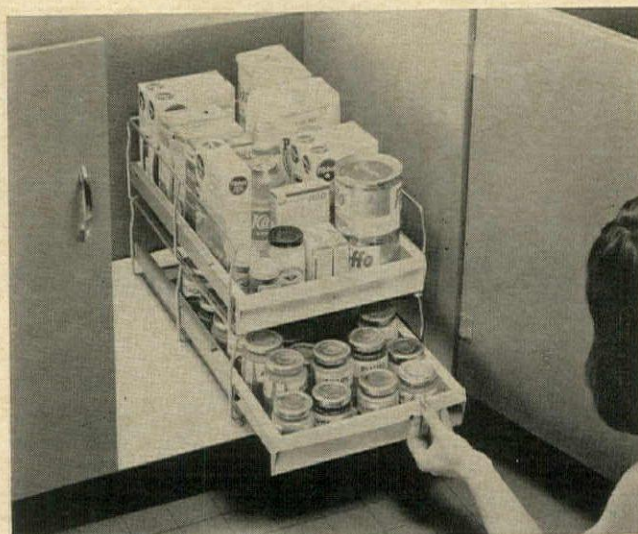
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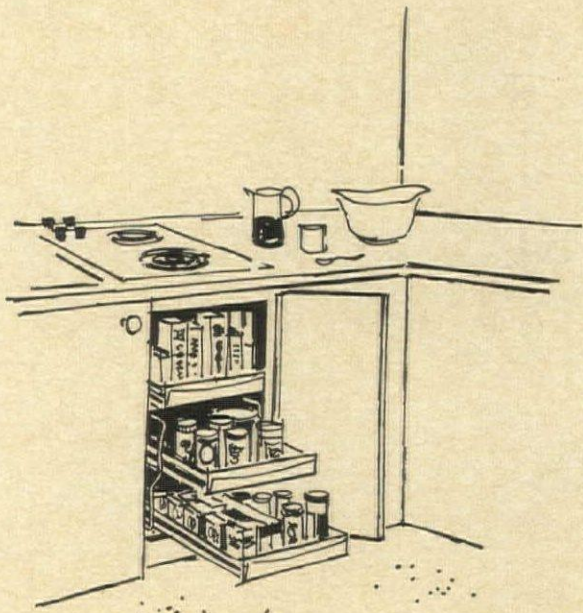
Too often kitchen cupboards offer wonderful storage possibilities but don't live up to their potential. Some space always seems to be wasted and the interiors tend to turn quickly into a jumble. Staples are never accessible enough. Cooking utensils are hard to keep in order. But the new collection of practical storage fittings by Rubbermaid can solve these problems for you. The many types of trays, racks and bins of sandy beige unbreakable plastic pull out on chrome runners that you can fasten easily to the cupboard shelf. Eight variations, for cabinets ranging in width from 10 inches to 22 inches, are available.



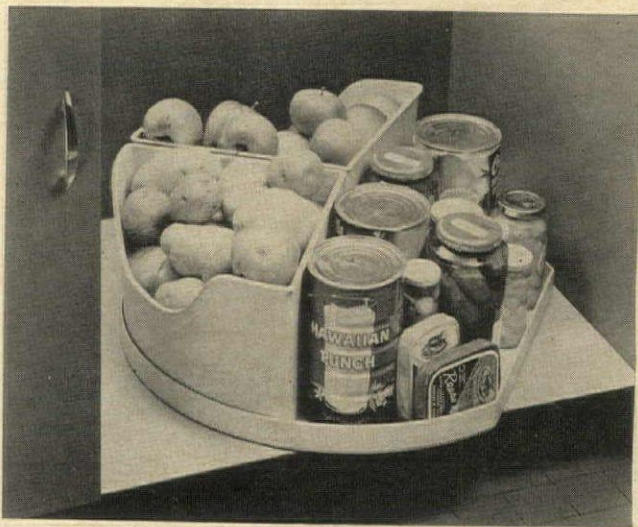
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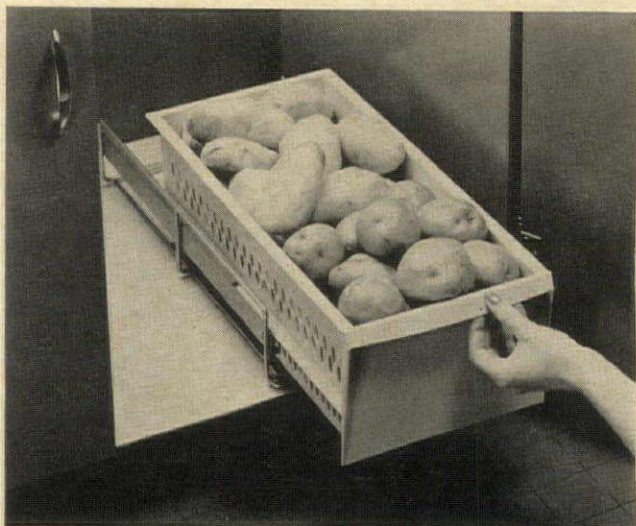
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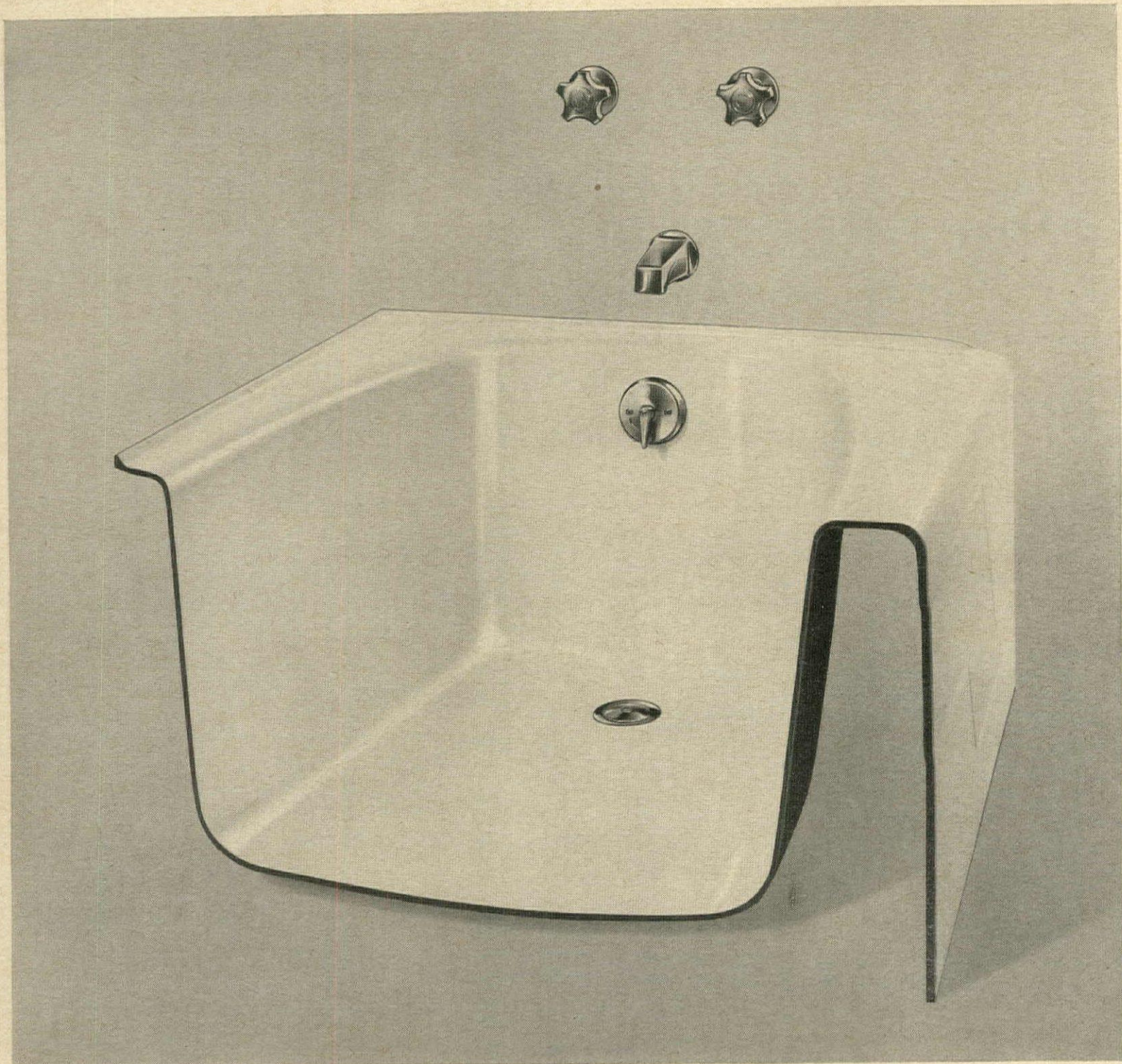
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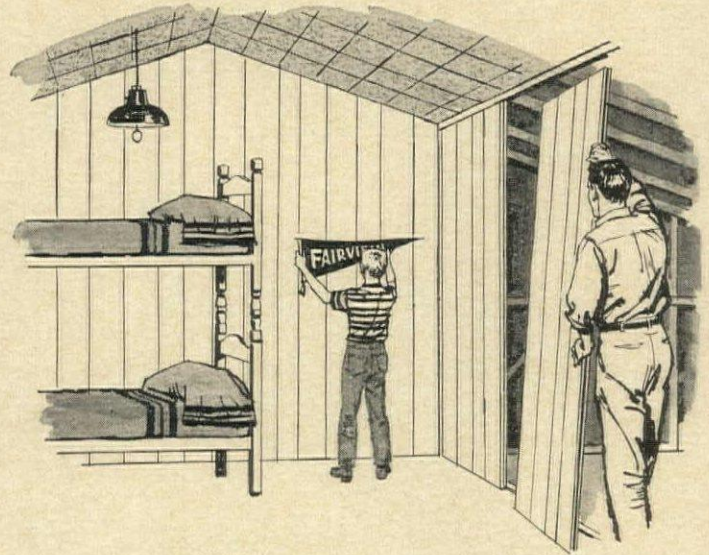


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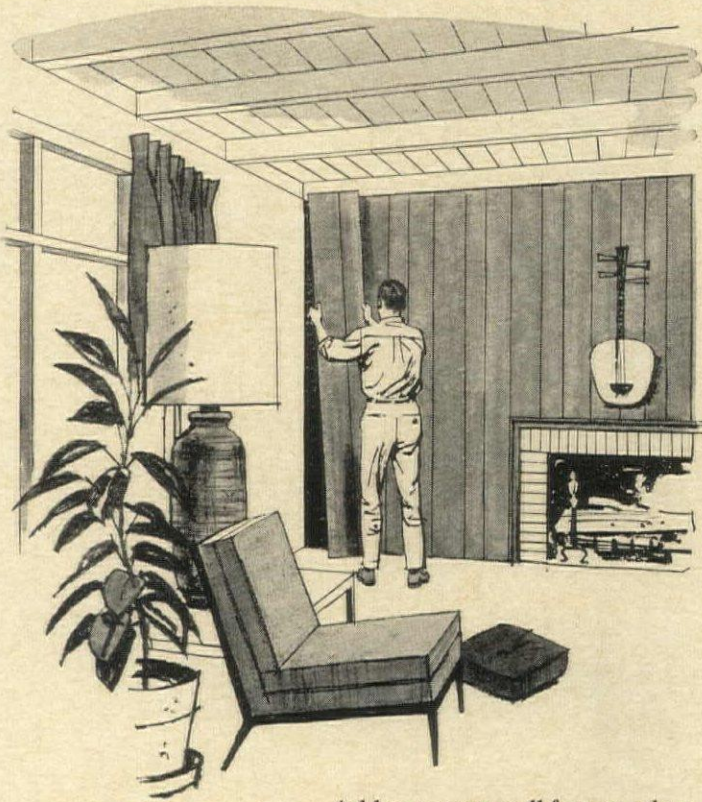
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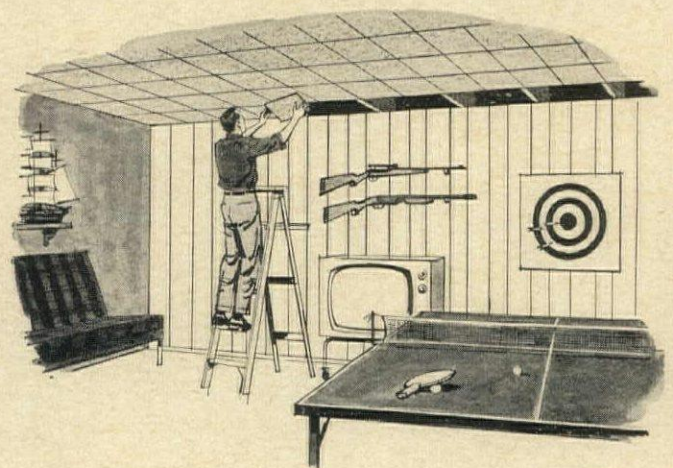
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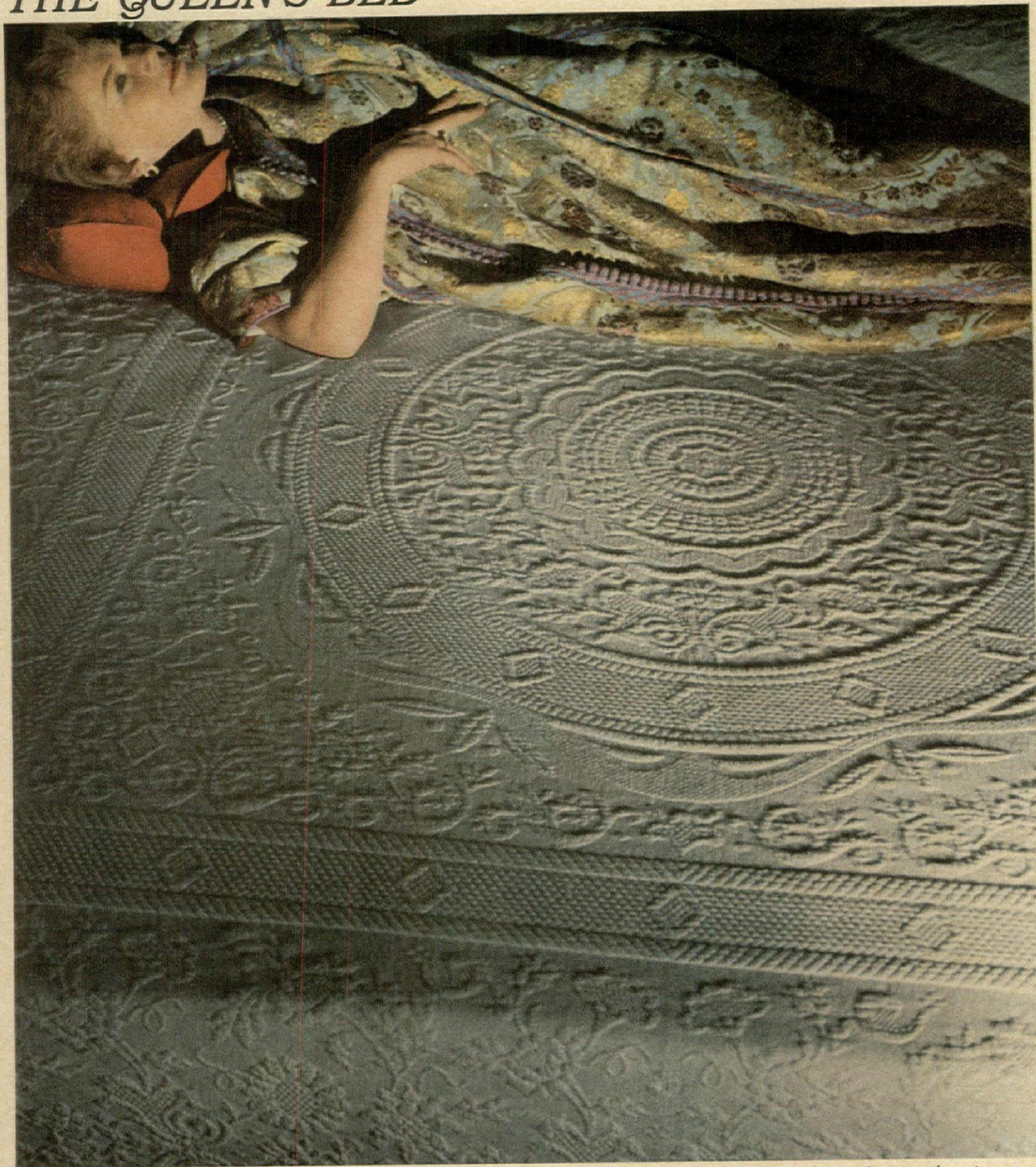
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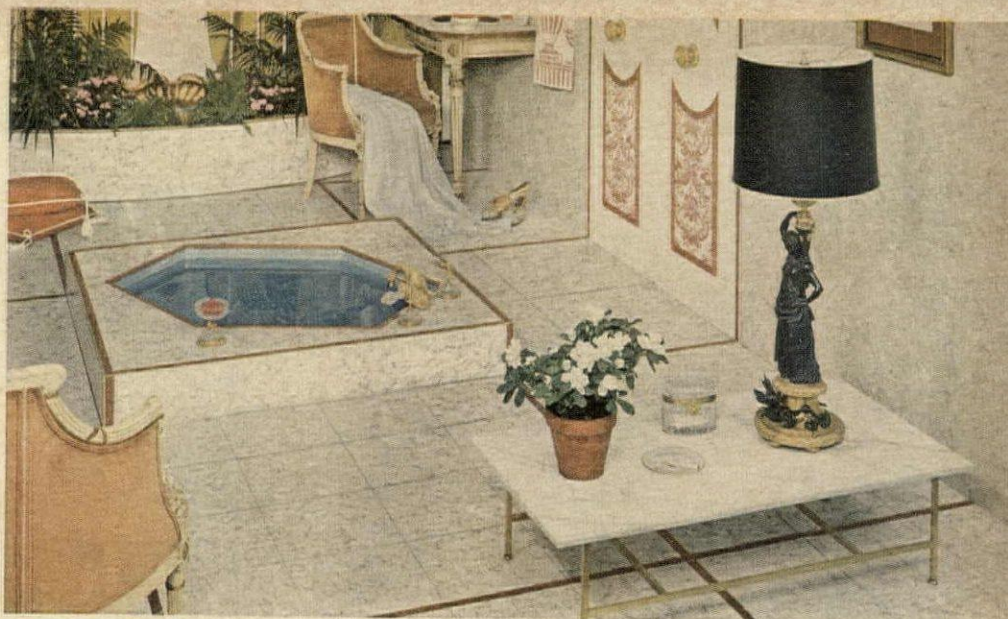
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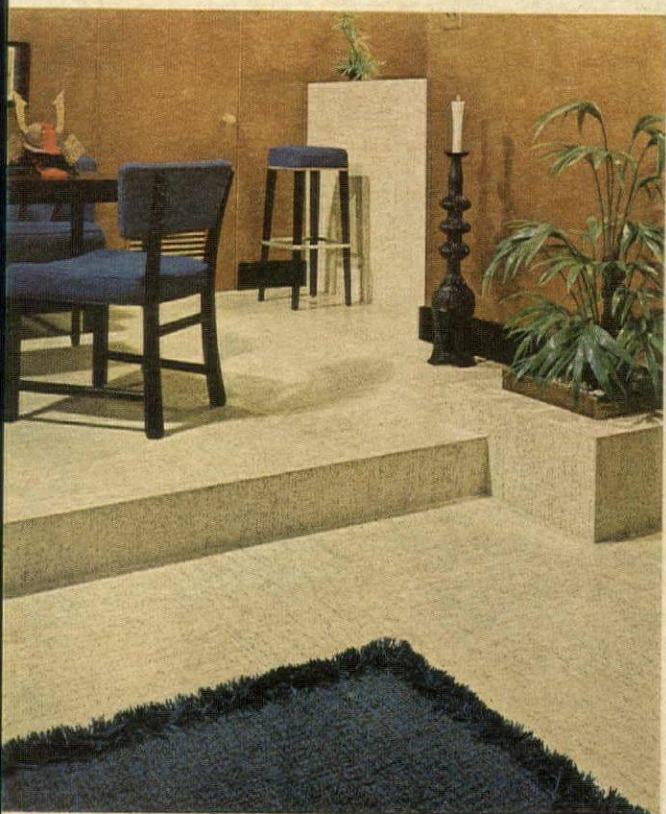
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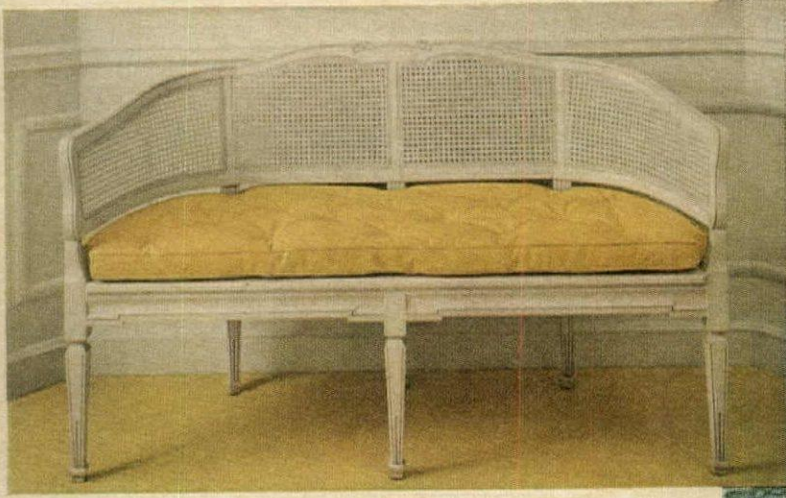
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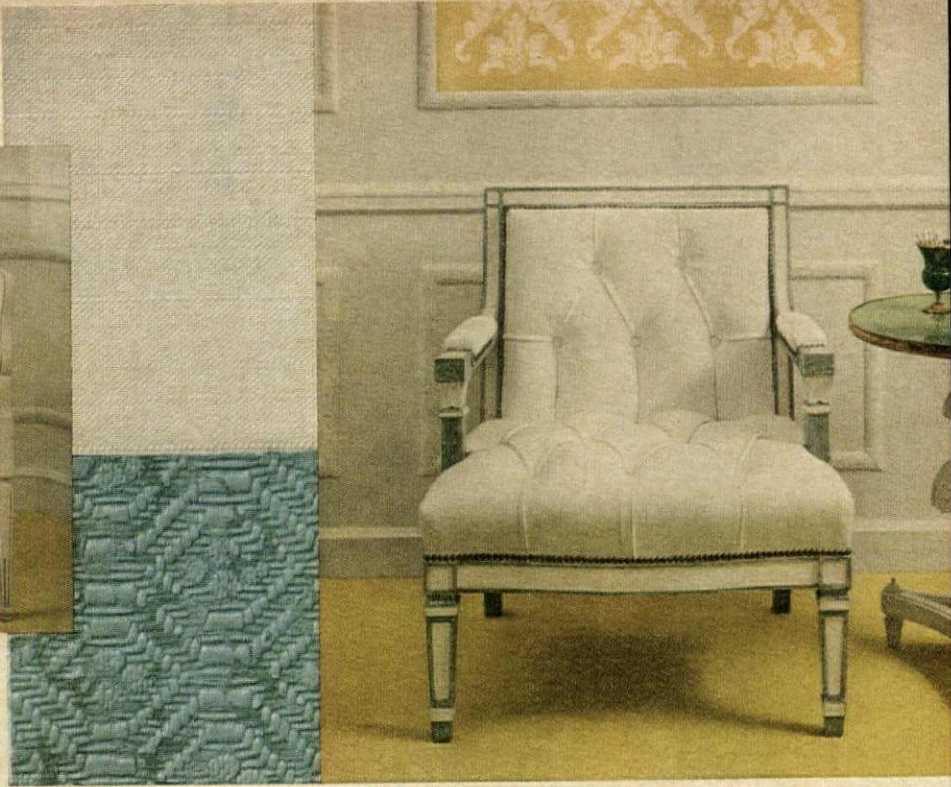
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RIGHT: Tufted arm chair in white Doe-Vin NAUGAHYDE, cushioned with KOYLON. Walls covered with white Madras NAUGAHYDE.



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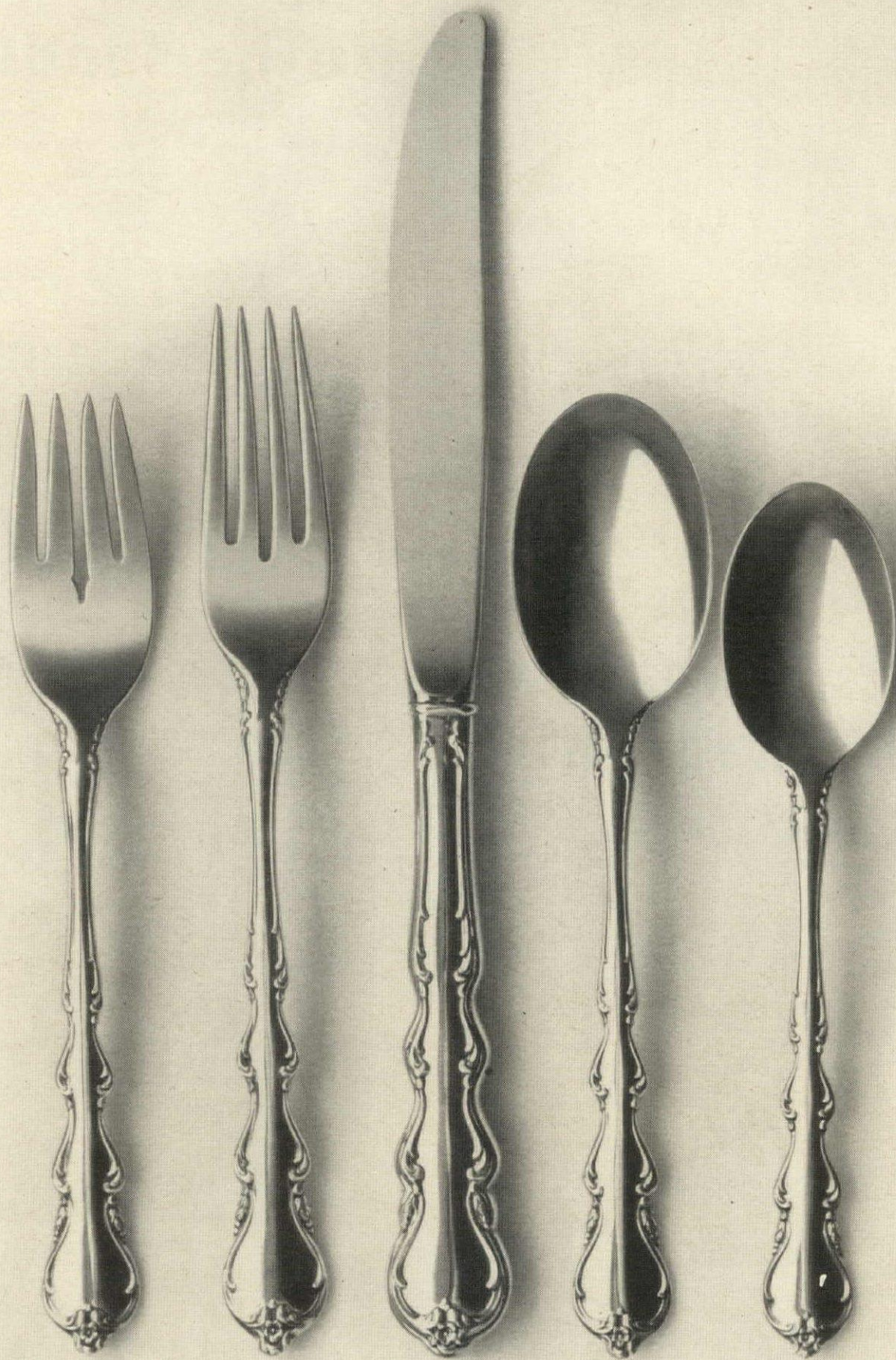


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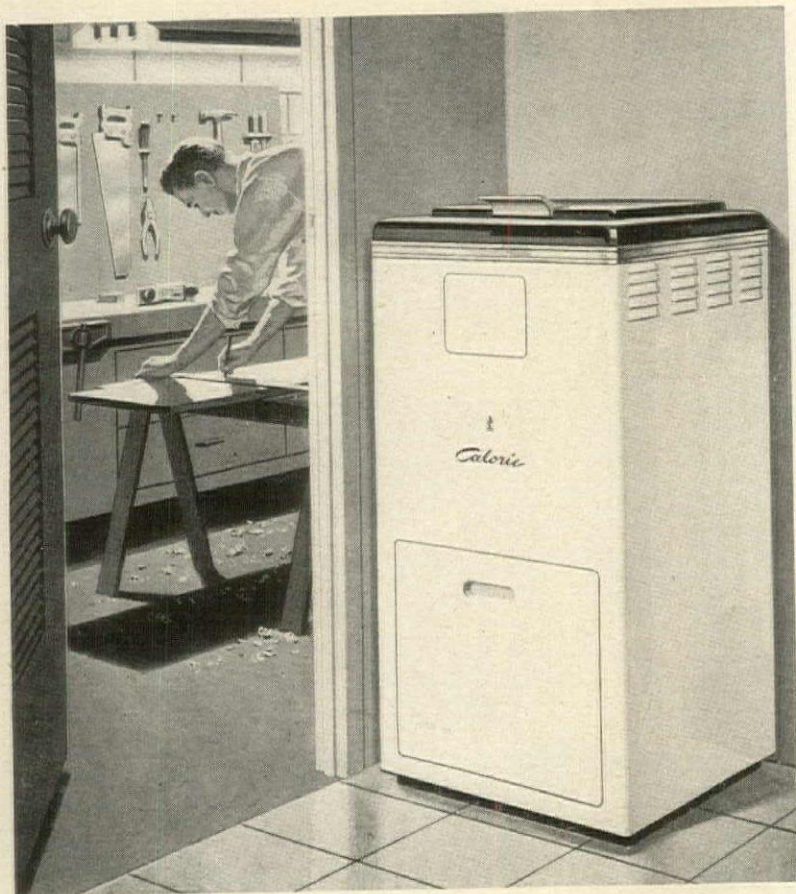
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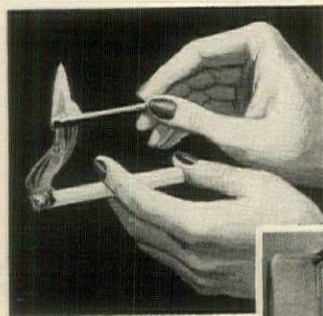
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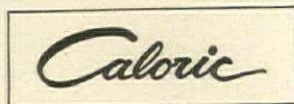


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EDITOR'S NOTE: Jules B. Farber is a free-lance writer who went to Belgium for the U. S. State Department during the Brussels Fair early in 1958 and has lived in Europe most of the time since then. Last year he and his family moved into a house in Amsterdam, and in the course of furnishing it have made many discoveries of interest to H&G readers.

When we were crossing the storm-tossed Atlantic last winter on Holland-America Line's comfortable and sturdy cargo-passenger ship, the M. V. Noordam, we must have seemed odd to our fellow voyagers. There we were—my wife, two small boys, a baby daughter, a homesick Belgian maid, two miniature warm-water American turtles making their fifth crossing without paddling a paw, and me. Passengers on this one-class, congenial floating club were *au courant* with almost everyone else's plans and destinations. There were Europeans returning home. There were Americans making Rotterdam their port of entry to some sight-seeing before putting on skis on the Austrian slopes. There was even the Netherlands Chamber Orchestra returning from a triumphant tour across the United States. Only we had no definite home or destiny awaiting us. It must have sounded fairly irresponsible to those who learned that our boys had been plucked out of school, our suburban New Jersey house had been rented out indefinitely and we were heading for the Netherlands only (Continued on page 48)



Most of the guest rooms in the new Amsterdam Hilton are curtained in a specially designed toile, ABOVE, which is based on an old engraving of a seventeenth-century Amsterdam street scene. The original of the arched gate near the center is still standing, RIGHT.





On the bank of the Vecht River: a stately house of brick (a favorite Dutch building material) with a typically steep hip roof and four square-capped chimneys. Baroque cornices over center windows and a lavish baroque medallion set into a roof-line balustrade dress up façade exposed to river traffic.



The living-dining room of a seventeenth-century canal house in Amsterdam, remodeled in contemporary style, has a cantilevered concrete hearth and fireplace hood and huge two-story windows overlooking the canal. The ceiling boards fan out from the chimney to create an interesting pattern overhead.



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because we had enjoyed the pace of Dutch life on a previous visit and had decided to live there for a while.

From our very first sight of the country we had been enraptured by the stillness of the Dutch landscape with the all-enveloping sky that sweeps down to touch the miniature farms. And we had felt immediately at home, though many of the settings and faces seemed to have been lifted straight from the great Dutch paintings of the seventeenth century. We had expected that today's Holland would have changed vastly from the country put down on canvas three centuries ago when the rich East Indies merchants commissioned Rembrandt, Ruysdael, Vermeer and Hals to bring light into their rather dreary commercial lives. But many qualities the artists reflected have endured. The Netherlands exudes a welcoming warmth and old-fashioned *gezellig* (cozy) charm to foreign residents and visitors in a manner not matched by many countries. As soon as the ship docked in Rotterdam we felt ourselves once again being taken to the bosom of the realistic, hard-working Dutch peo-

ple, to whom the arts and the arts of business are subtly entwined in daily life.

When you are planning your trip to the Netherlands, be sure



Lid of wooden Zeeland hatbox is from author's folk crafts collection.

you allot enough time to absorb this atmosphere and spirit. Three-day, glass-domed peeks at flower-fields and tourist meccas are woefully inadequate. At least three weeks are necessary and you have to keep moving. As small as Holland is, it varies from region to region and from city to city. The intelligent traveler of course no longer expects to find a nation of windmills and wooden shoes. But although Holland's historical past has left omnipresent reminders, she is well abreast of today's world. Rotterdam has risen from

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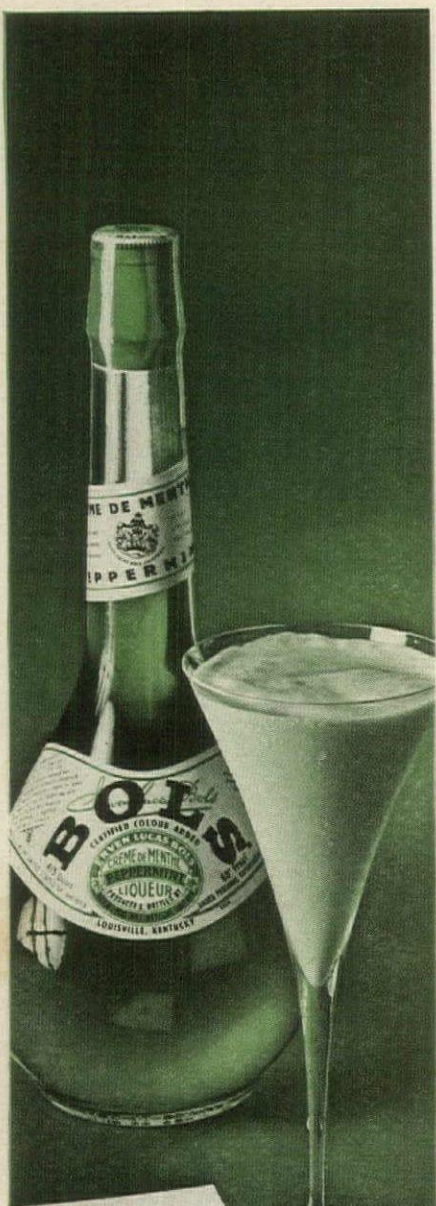
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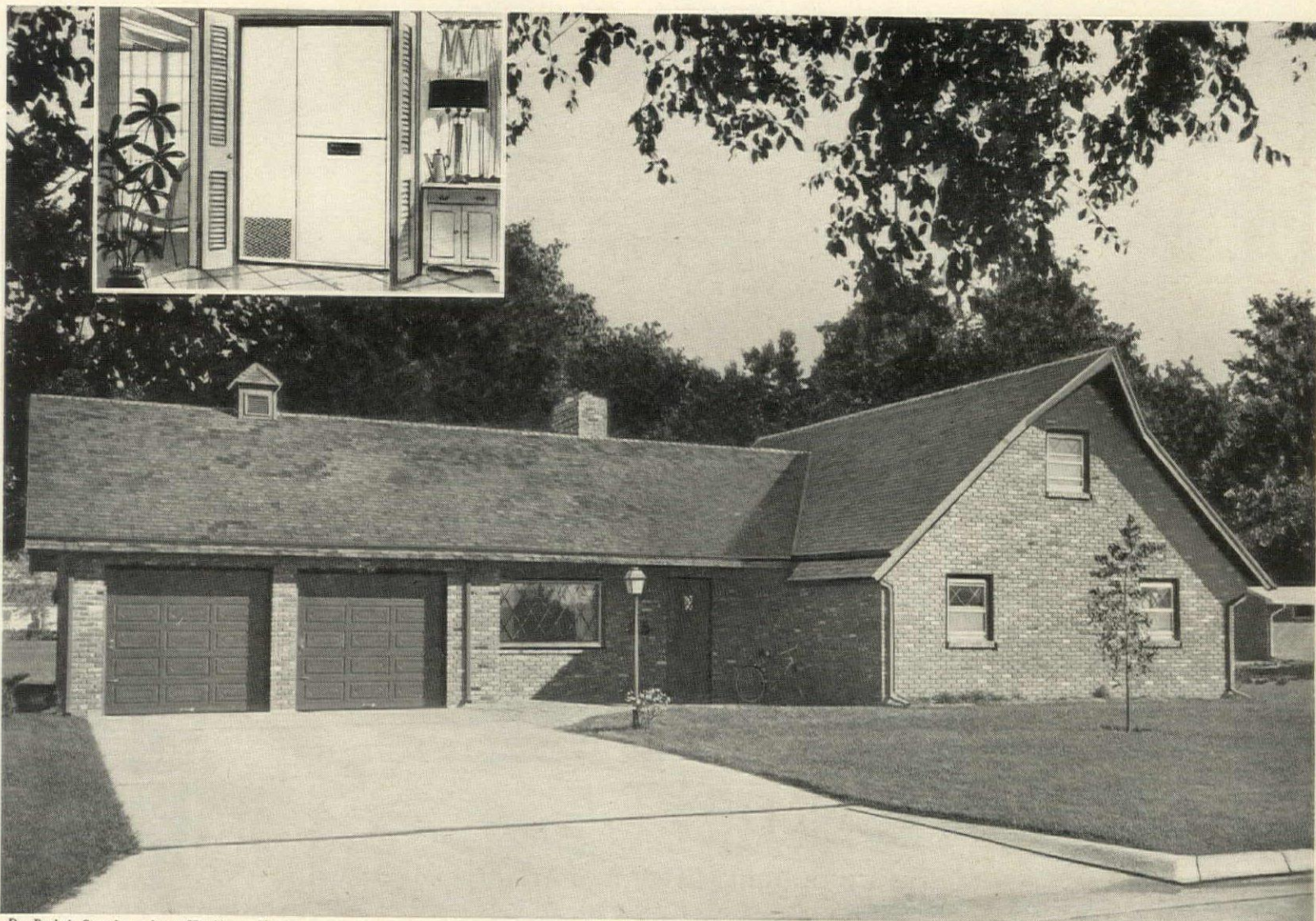
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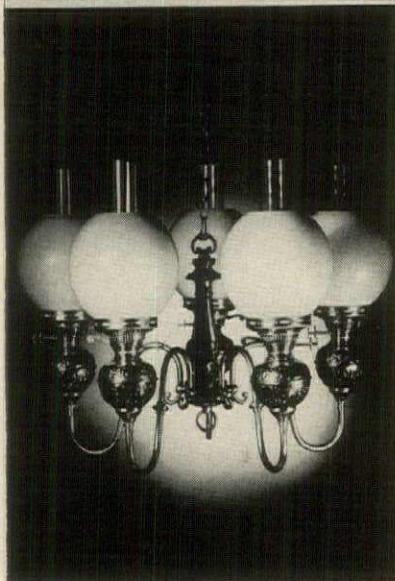
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the war's ashes to become a showcase of modern planning. Farmland is turning green where the Zuyder Zee rolled angrily some years back, and new cities are emerging to house the population explosion that keeps this tiny kingdom one of the most densely inhabited in the world.

We chose to settle in Amsterdam, the country's real heart. Within a few weeks we had established ourselves in an undistinguished 35-year-old house and once ensconced, set about enthusiastically remodeling, decorating and furnishing it. In the process we prowled around Amsterdam and frequently scoured the countryside in search of art and antiques, crafts and fabrics.



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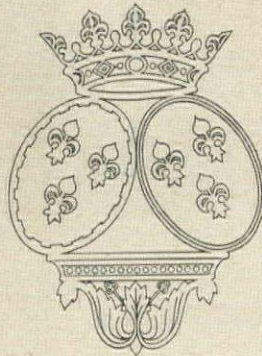
Discoveries for decorating

One place where we noticed some good, adaptable decorating ideas was in the newly opened Amsterdam Hilton, a handsome, 300-room structure whose design and interior decoration are already exerting an influence on local taste. In the lobby of the hotel is a gracefully rounded fireplace topped by a copper hood suspended from a high ceiling—the kind of fireplace especially effective in a modern house. The guest rooms, which serve as sitting rooms by day, have draperies printed in antique Dutch street scenes and flowers that were taken literally from old engravings. According to the hotel, these printed cotton fabrics will be available in the U. S. in coming months through leading decorators and shops.

Twelve Dutch artists were commissioned to do original works for both guest rooms and public areas. Outstanding are the brilliantly colored murals and tapestry by Lex Horn. Names and atelier addresses of all the artists are available at the hotel's reception desk.

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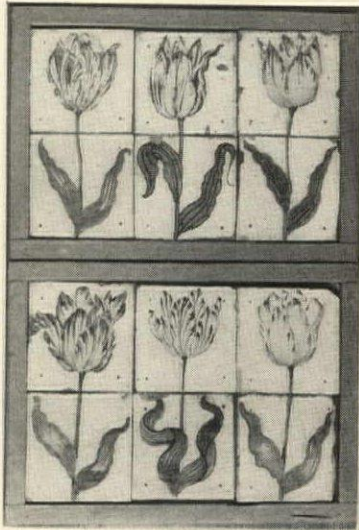
You can buy very good painting and sculpture at reasonable prices in Amsterdam. If you like modern art, a visit to the highly influential Stedelijk Museum will provide you with a cross-section of the abstract movement. An exciting young sculptor is the 19-year-old innovator Wim Schippers, who has already had works selected for travel exhibits abroad and was given a one-man museum show. Frisco Ten Holt, a modest painter in his mid-forties, recently took London by storm when his first major one-man exhibition brought critical acclaim that equated his works with the earlier break-throughs of Cezanne and Picasso. Artist Eugene Brands lives and works in a starkly beautiful Amsterdam atelier amidst his own abstractions and an incredible primitive collection. We had the pleasure of seeing them all after simply telephoning for an appointment.

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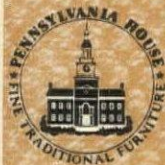
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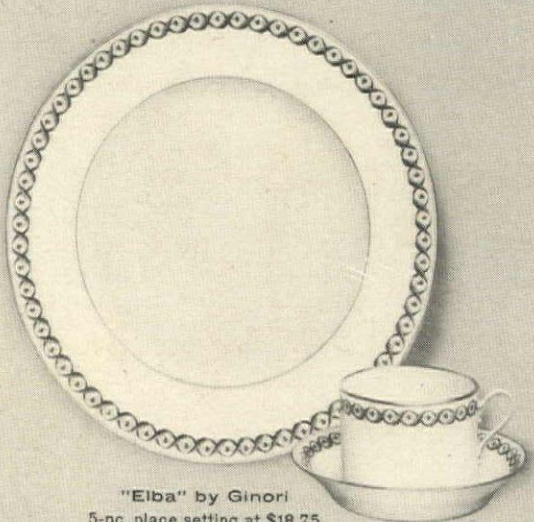
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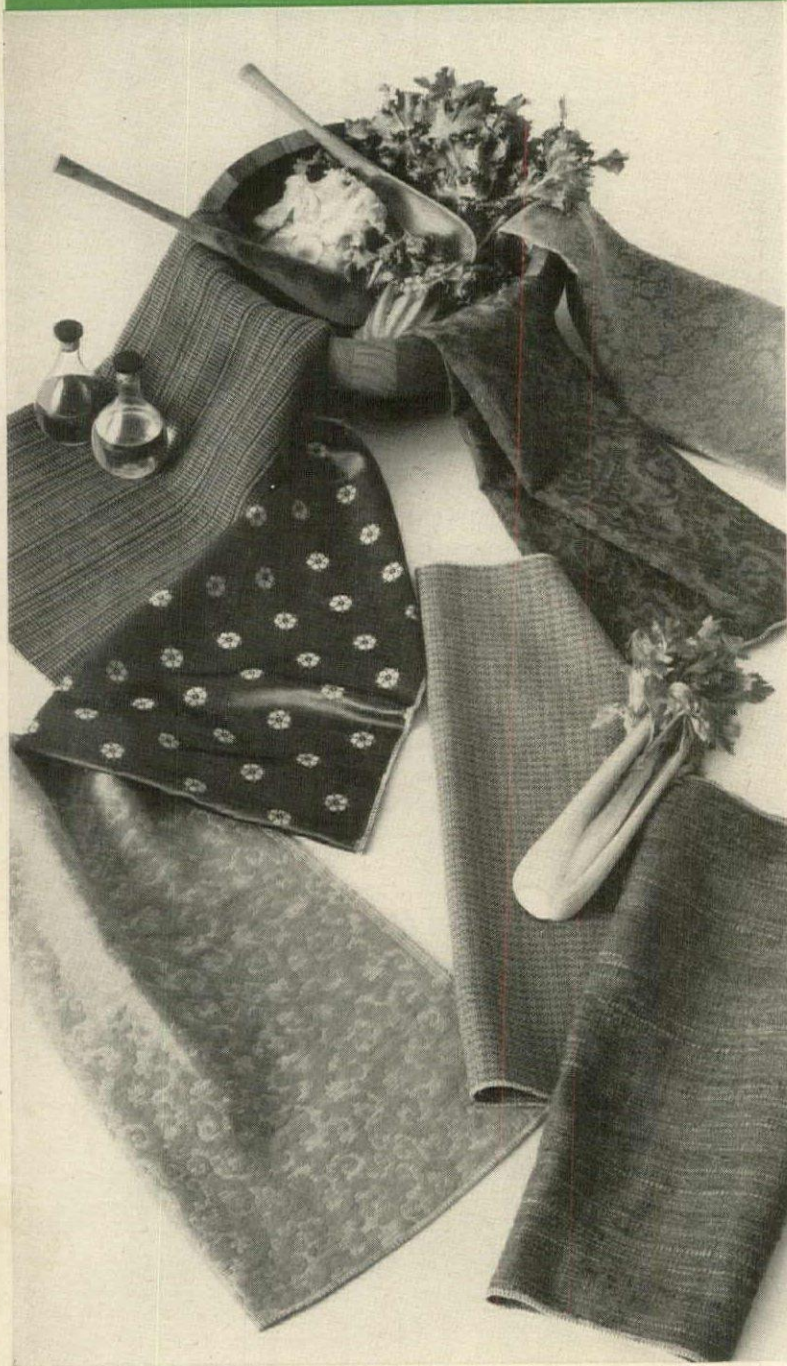
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Amsterdam has a reputation for antiques but we found most of the shops expensive and tourist-oriented. However, the auction halls, especially De Zwaan, often have high-caliber antiques from estates going under the hammer for attractively low bids. A telephone call to De Zwaan's proprietor and chief auctioneer, Gerard van der Brink, will tell you when the next *kijk* (looking) days are scheduled, and he can be relied upon as your broker during the bidding. Weekly huge shipments of antiques from his private warehouse go out to dealers scattered around the globe.

Provincial explorations

Whenever we travel about the Netherlands, on business or pure pleasure, we take our Amsterdam house along with us mentally, and we keep on the alert for the provincial antique and craft sources where the big dealers go. One such place is owned by a man named

Huustege, in the Brabant village of Haaren. He has been in this farming hamlet since 1917 with *kists* (chests), *kasts* (armoires or wardrobes), *bureaux* (desks), *koek planken* (cookie molds of every size with whimsically carved figures), ladder-back chairs and many other wooden pieces, usually in oak, which are characteristic of this agricultural region. We have also been taken to his real gold mine down the road: the barn filled to the roof with furniture being restored by expert craftsmen. More than half of our furnishings have come from either this barn or the shop, including a rare 1709 chest, with a spelling error in its inscription, that cost little over \$100.

In the antique shops of Haarlem you can find *kattekop* (cat's head) bottles, smoky brown in color and containing an inside mound to catch wine resin, retrieved from sunken Spanish warships in the Spaarne River. The best selections are found near the old market square, around which the 700-year-old city has grown, and on the street with the sixteenth-century almshouses that be-

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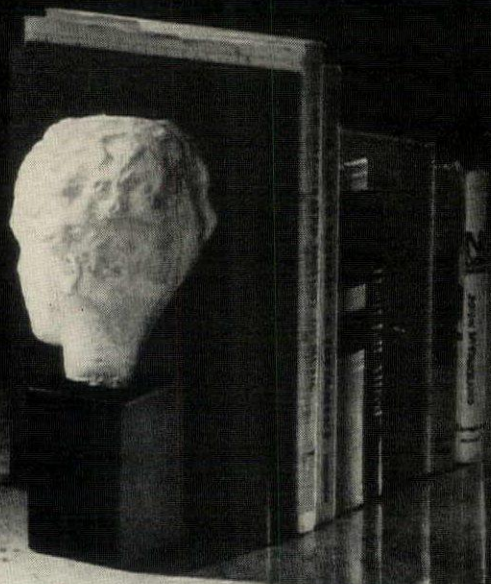
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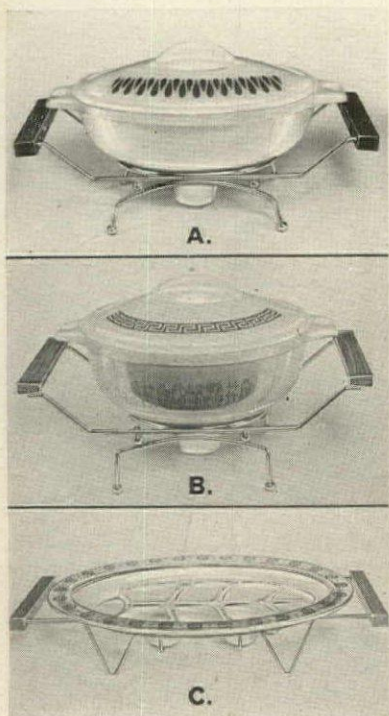
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came the serene Franz Ha's Museum. Also on this square is the soaring St. Bravo Church where Handel and Mozart played the organ.

The old cheese centers of Alkmaar, Edam and Gouda, whose tasty wares today come mostly from efficient production plants of the surrounding areas, have stockpiles of wood cheese forms, banded in tin or copper, in sizes ideal to hold individual blooming plants or a table-top garden. These can be had for about \$1.50 to \$4 in the antique shops clustered around the abandoned weighing scales.

North Holland's so-called "dead cities," standing like archi-



Big wooden cheese form, copper-banded, makes a practical planter.

tectural museum showplaces on the former Zuyder Zee, shelter antique dealers whose wares make interesting browsing, particularly for the old copper and brass household utensils like the *poffertje* (tiny, inflated pancake) pans that hang on long, hand-wrought iron handles, and the V-shaped, tubular, wooden-knobbed *water spuits* used to clean high, inaccessible windows.

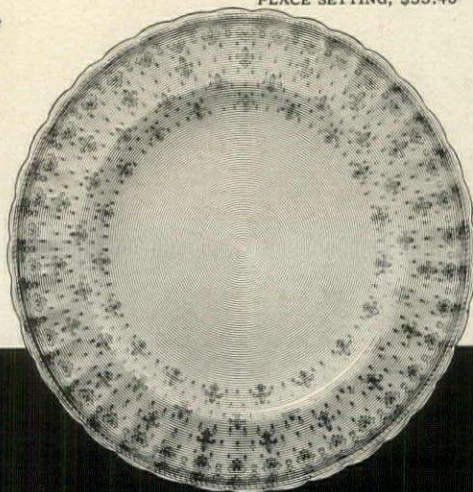
In this same region, we have found Makkum and Workum ceramic bowls made centuries ago and others hand-decorated in the same manner only yesterday. Hindeloopen-embellished furniture, which reminded us of Pennsylvania Dutch, also has ancient roots and contemporary adaptations. Occasionally you can find 300-year-old Friesland clocks with pastoral or nautical scenes on their faces. Groningen, a province that's the least Dutch in character and the staunchest in individuality, yields a wealth of folk products.

On the Zeeland islands, because of their remoteness, you will find some of the best antique buys, especially characteristic objects like the gaily decorated, oval

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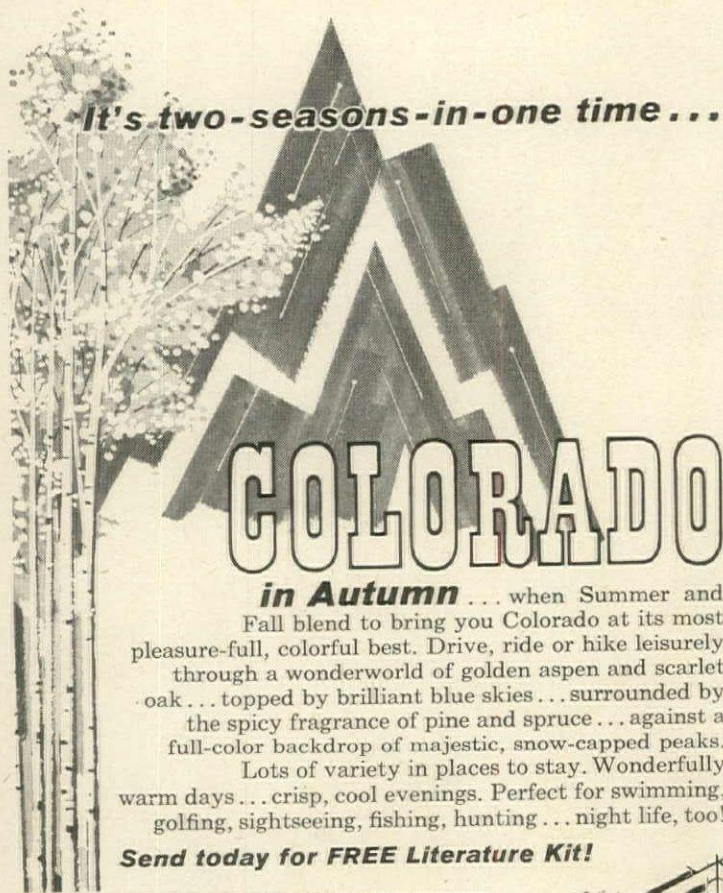


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On Terschelling, a dune-covered island hugging Holland's northernmost coastline, the men who were once fishermen now weave sisal into sturdy rugs, baskets and mats in the colors of the sea and terrain.

Touring by canal

We have usually driven our car on our excursions, but sometime we plan to hire an old-fashioned canal boat with skipper and drift through the country, stopping at the ports whose very existence and former prosperity were built on the sea. Full days can be spent strolling leisurely on the brick-paved, canal-bordering streets of towns like Leyden, the university center; Schoonhoven, famed for its silver; Oudewater, infamous for its witch-weighting scales; and Delft, the gem of Dutch cities where the clock stopped centuries ago. We have a standing date in Delft with friends in late August each year to attend the Antique Fair in the Prinsenhof (where William the Silent resided until his assassina-

tion there in 1584), to shop in the national Crafts Center and to sit by moonlight on the Town Square between the Raadhuis and the Cathedral watching the stirring spectacle of the military tattoo.

If you travel about Holland by car, however, you had better take care that you do not wind up in one of the canals. In Amsterdam, some twenty motorists a month have to be fished out of the canals by a special Fire Brigade (at 40 florins or about \$11 per car).

Echoes of the Indies

One thing that struck us as incongruous until we got used to it is the evidence of the Eastern colonies in Dutch life. When the Dutch East Indies were lost almost two decades ago, the wealthy colonialists tightened their belts and returned home, managing to adjust more easily than the Belgians recently forced out of the Congo. But traces of these exotic colonies are still everywhere: On the streets you see many Indonesians who chose to leave the islands for the Lowlands; in the

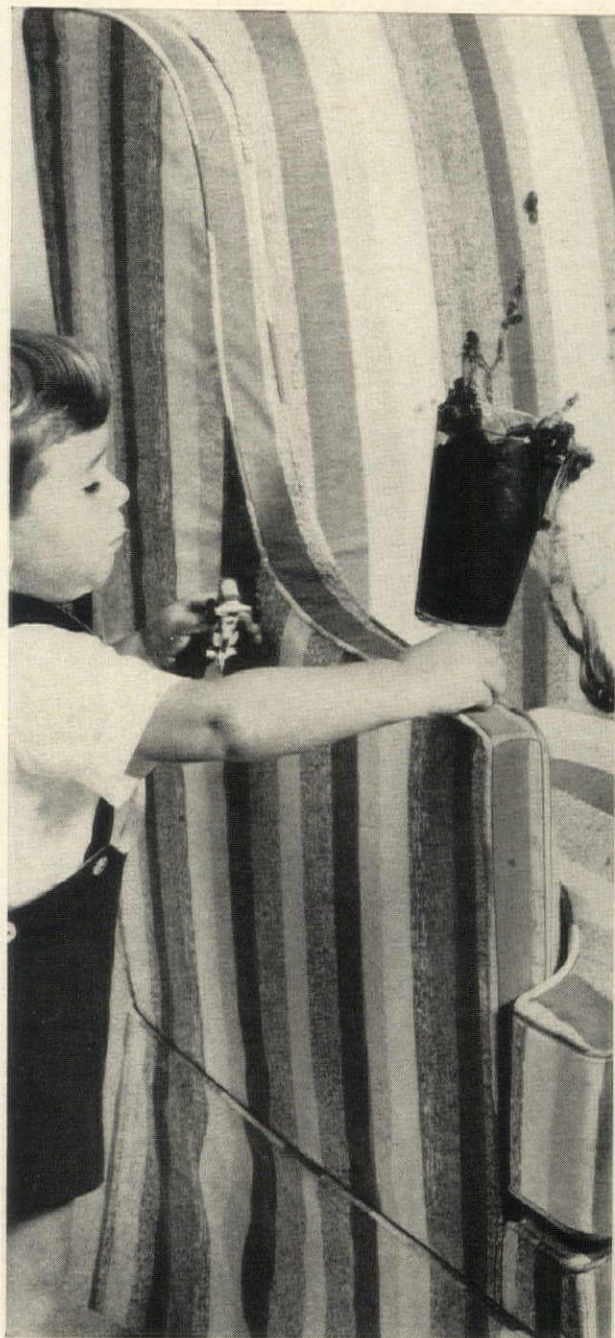
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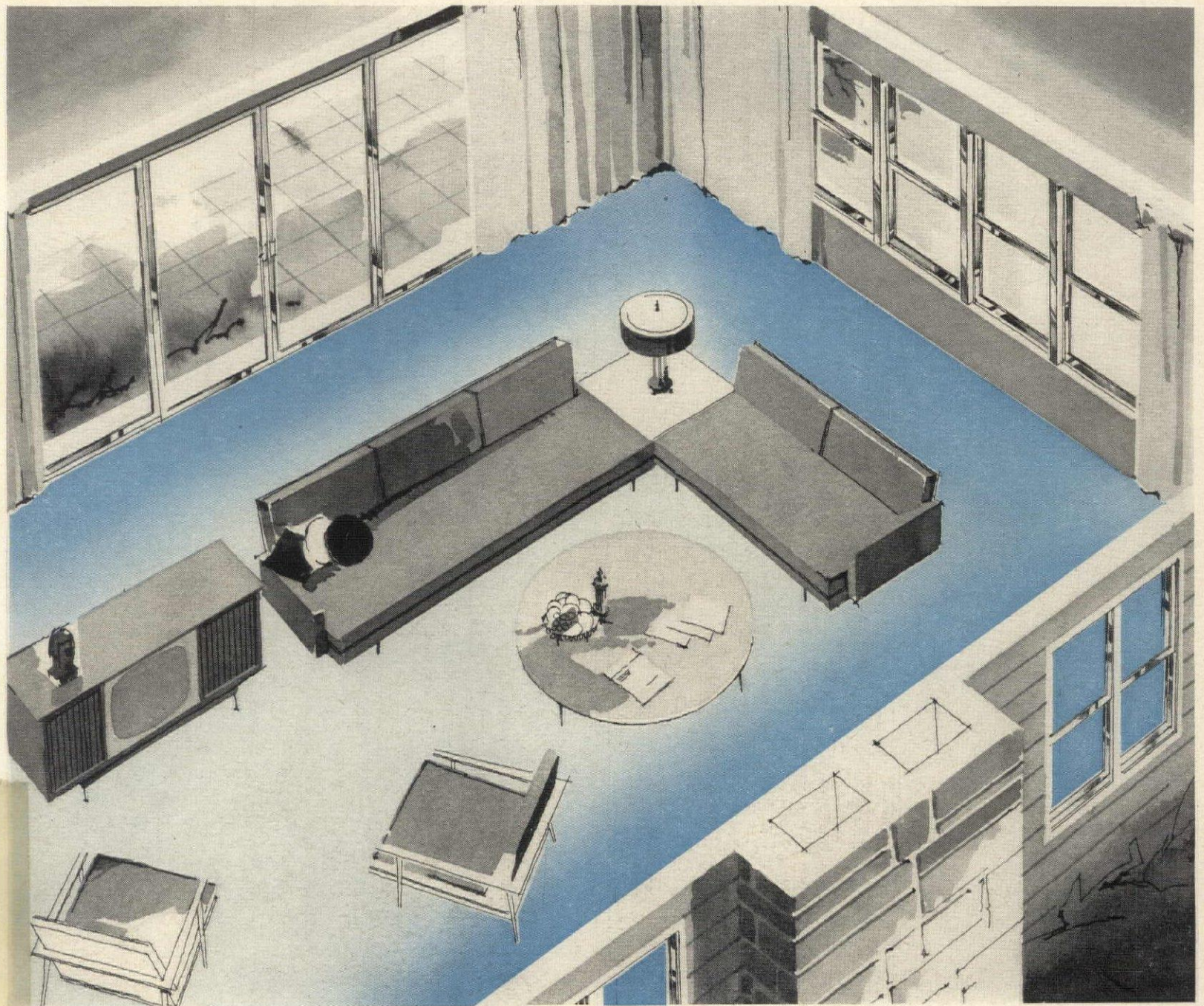
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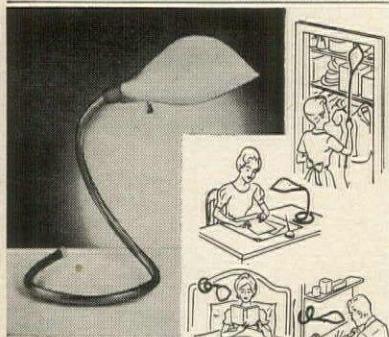
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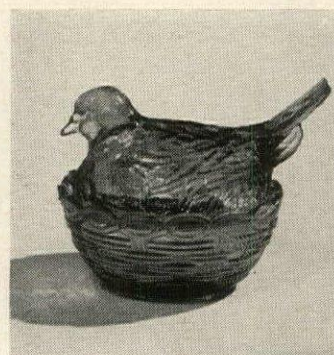


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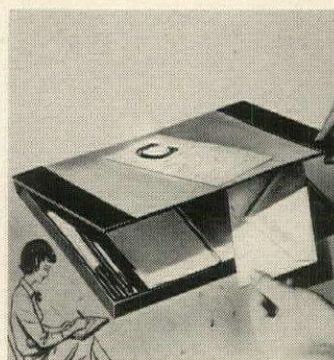
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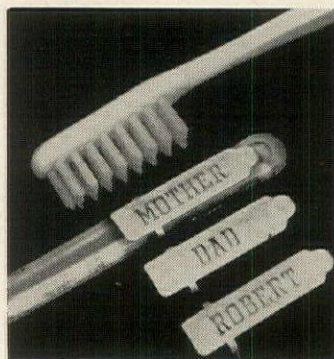
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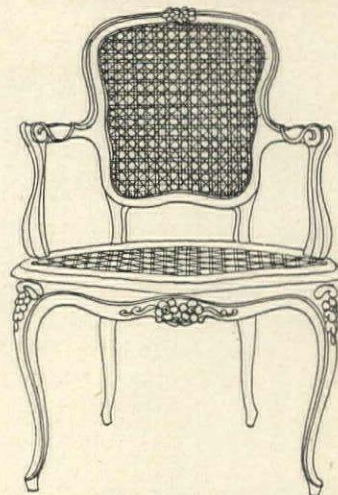
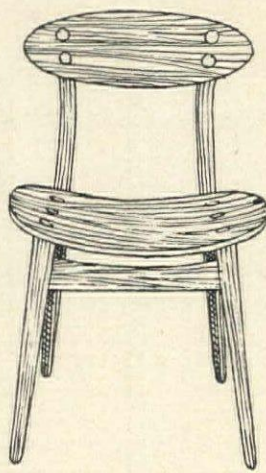
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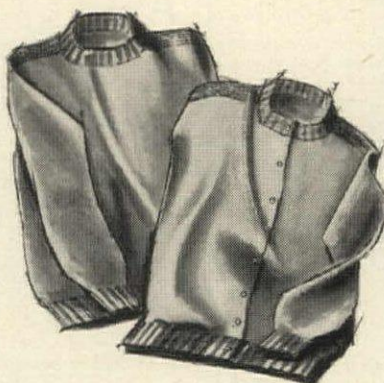
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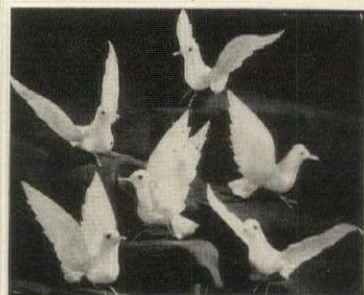


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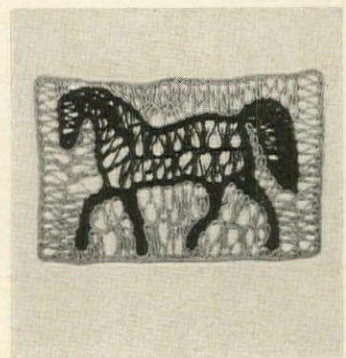


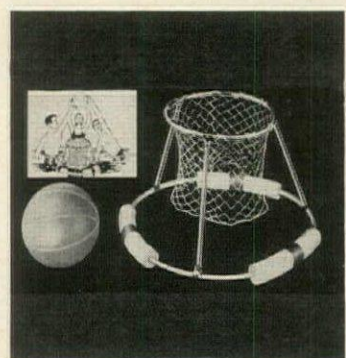
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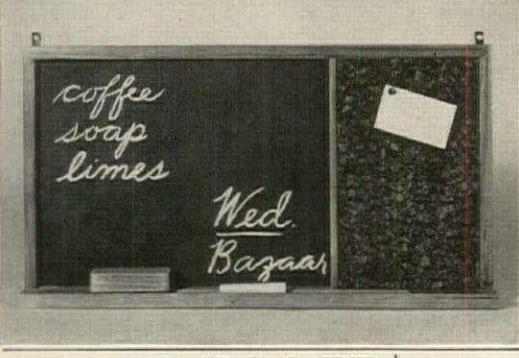
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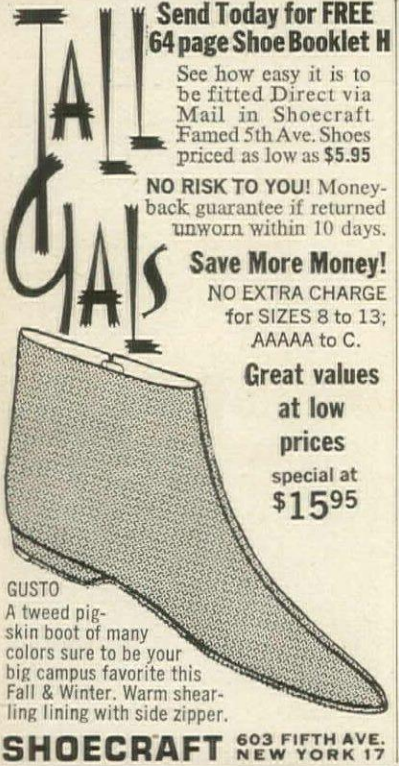
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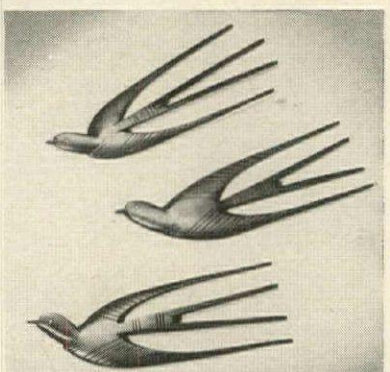
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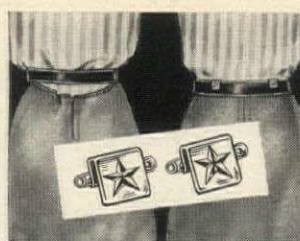
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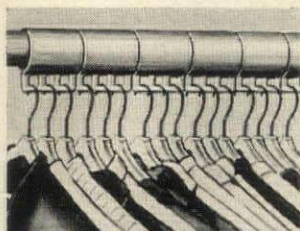
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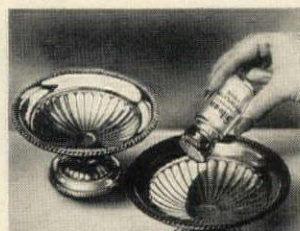
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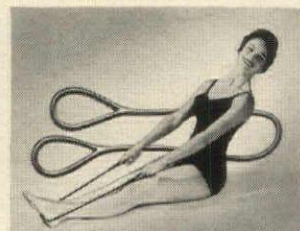
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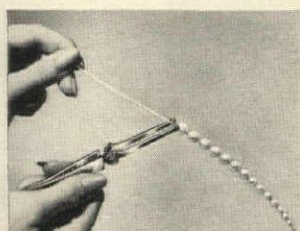
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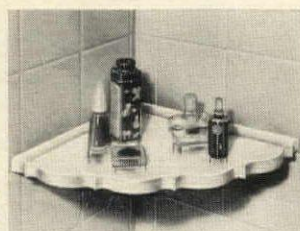
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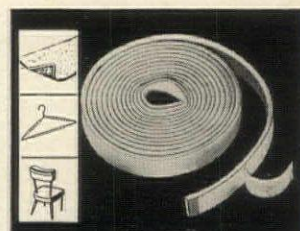
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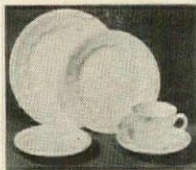
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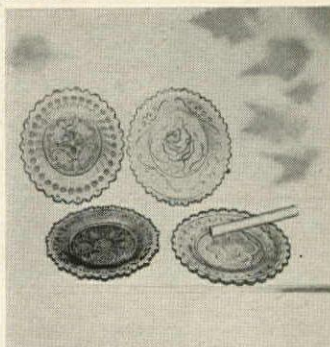
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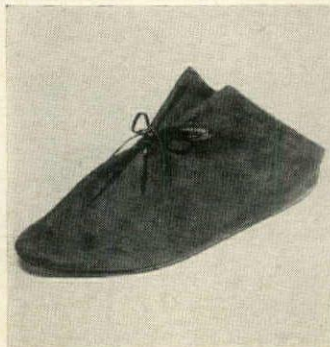


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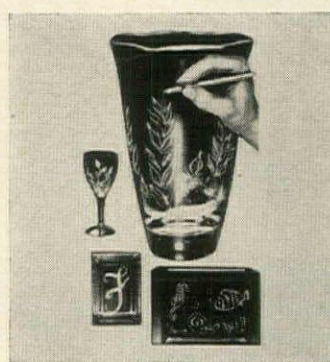


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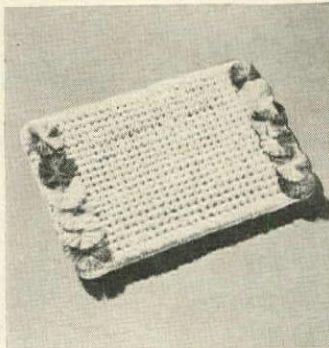
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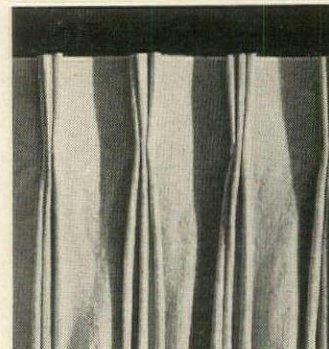
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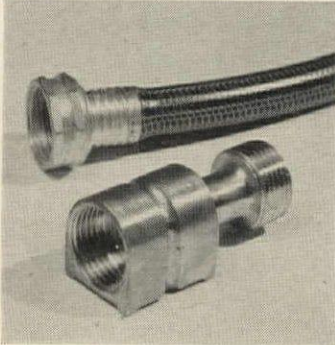
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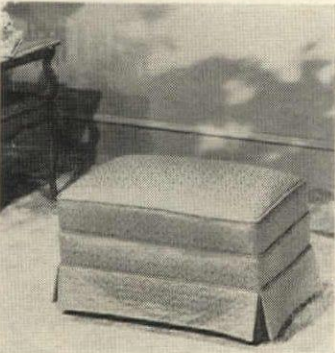
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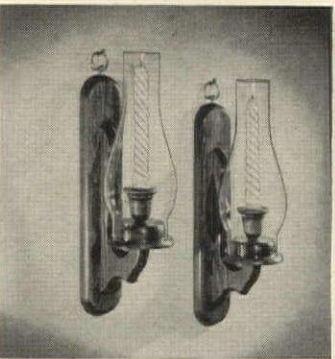
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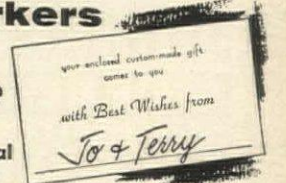


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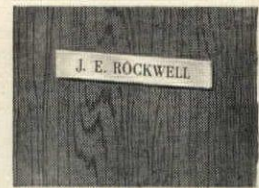
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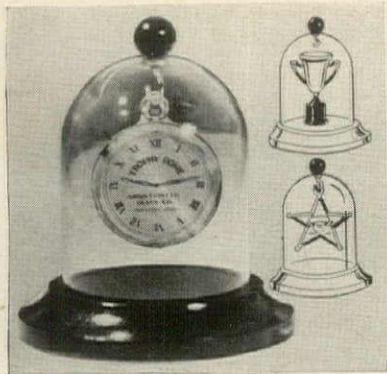
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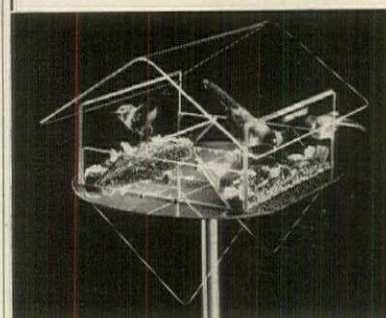
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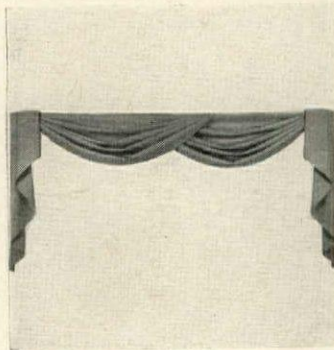
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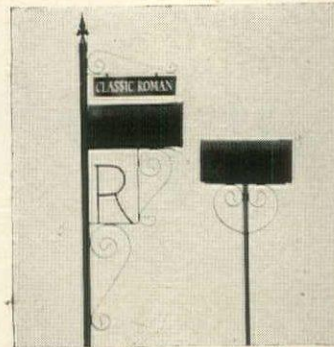
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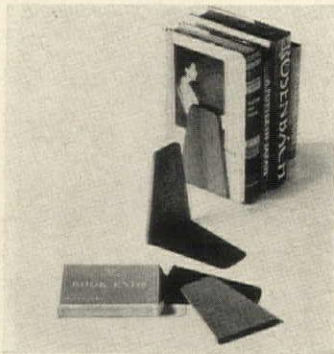
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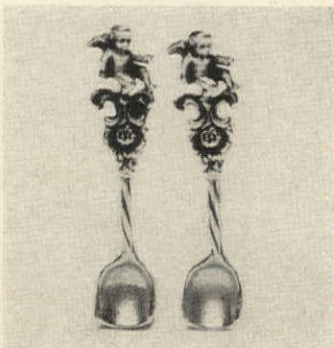
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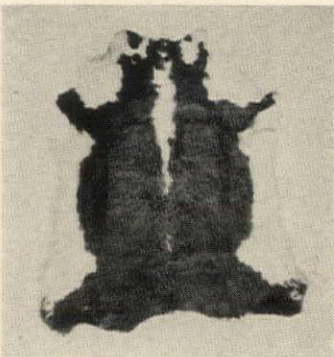
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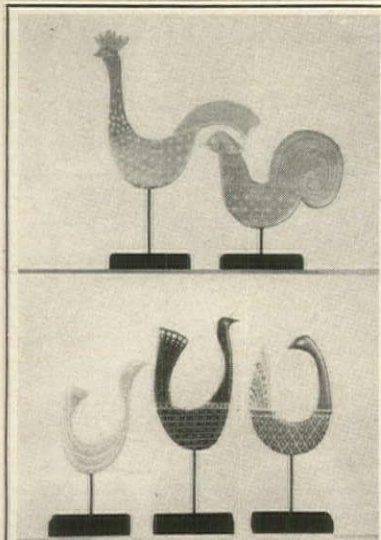
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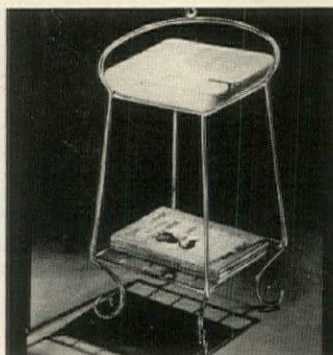
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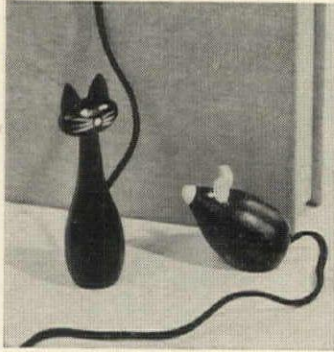
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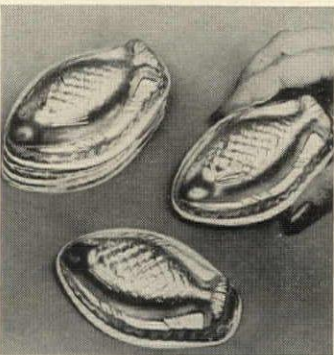
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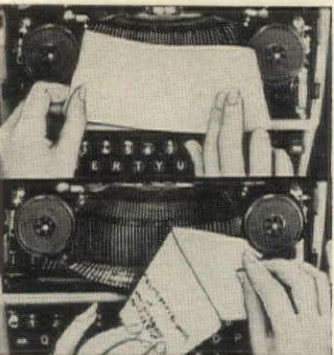
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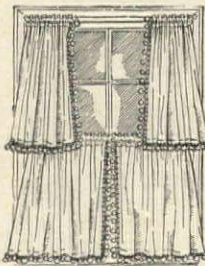


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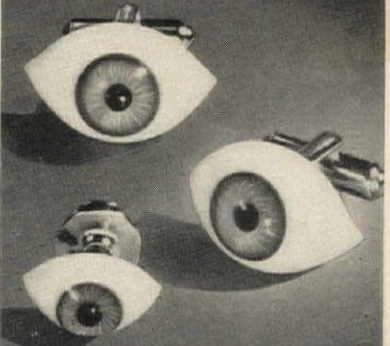
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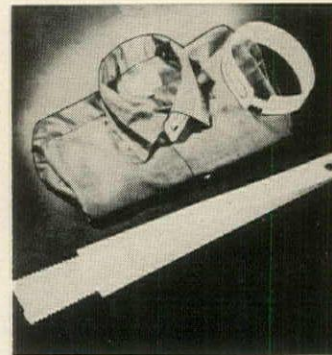
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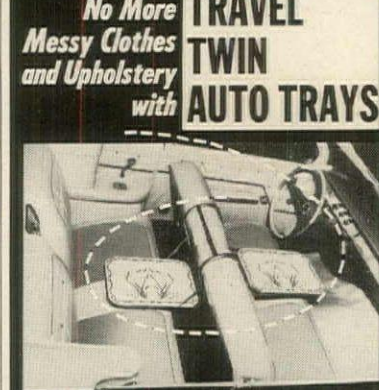
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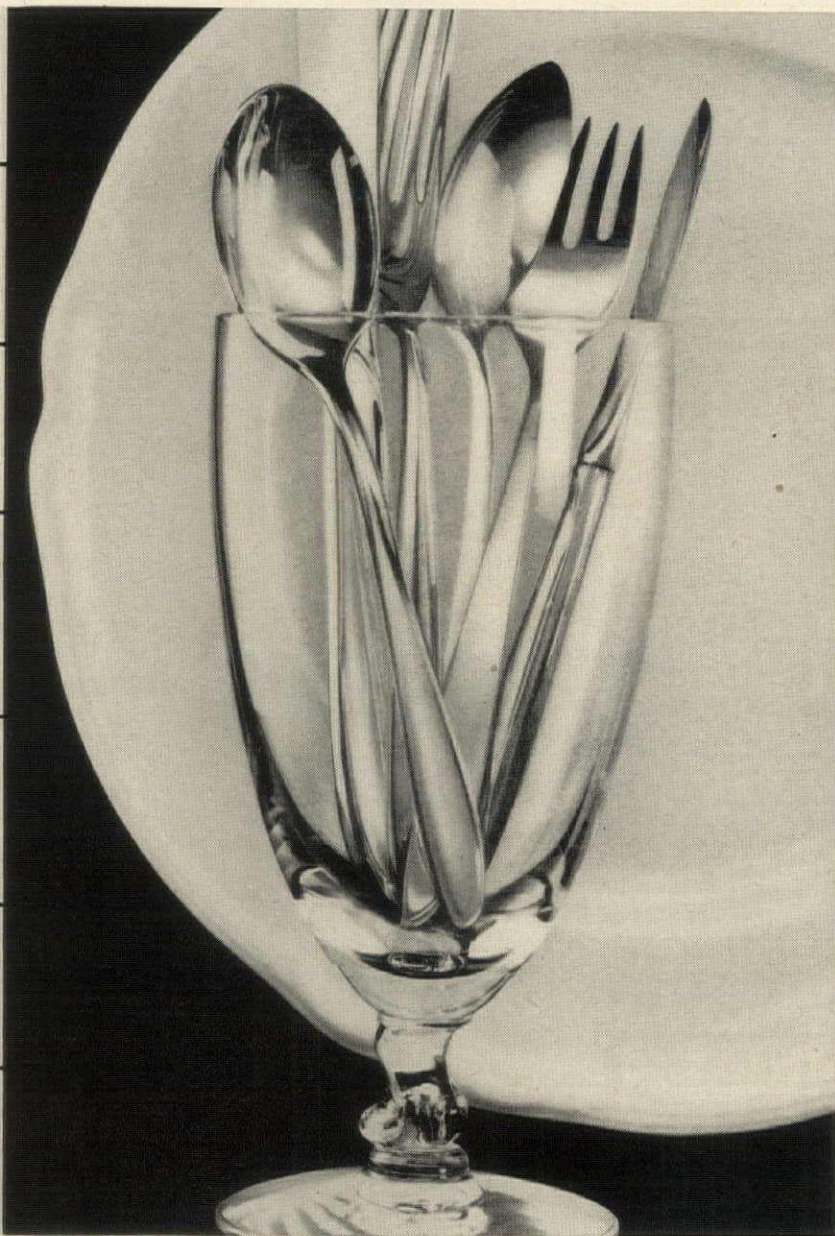


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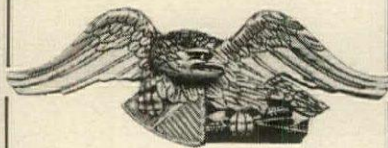


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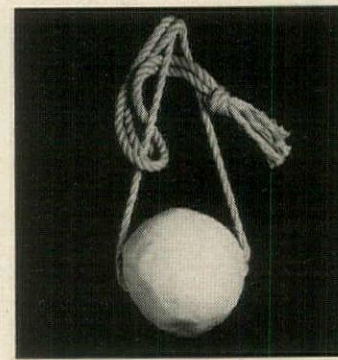
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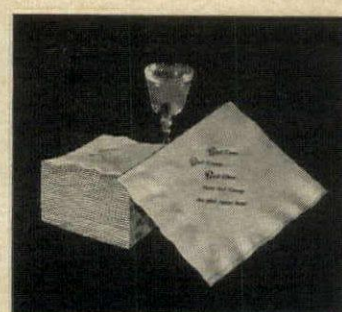
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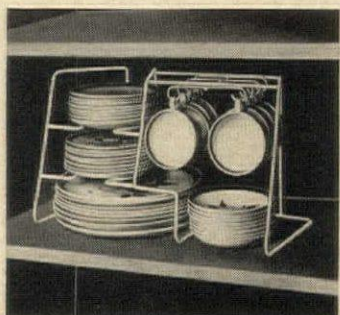
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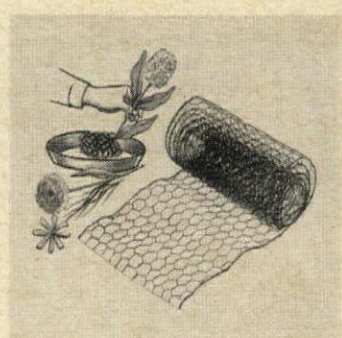
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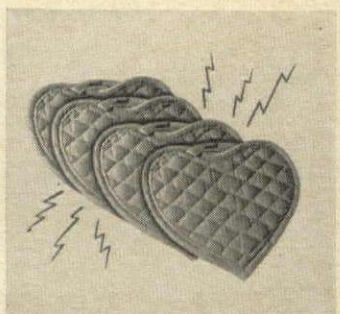


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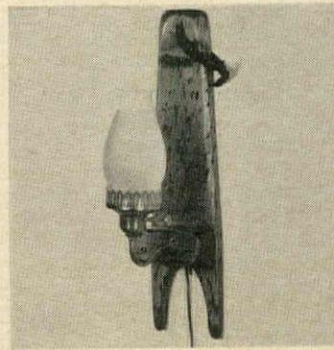
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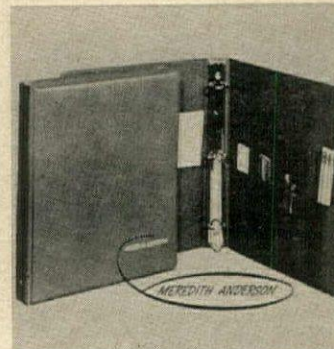
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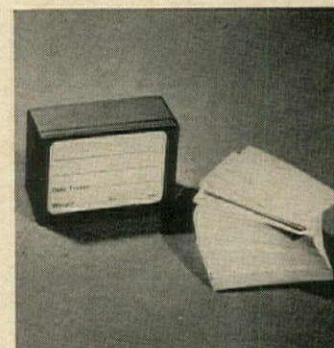
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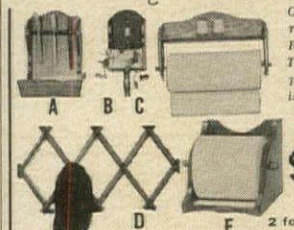
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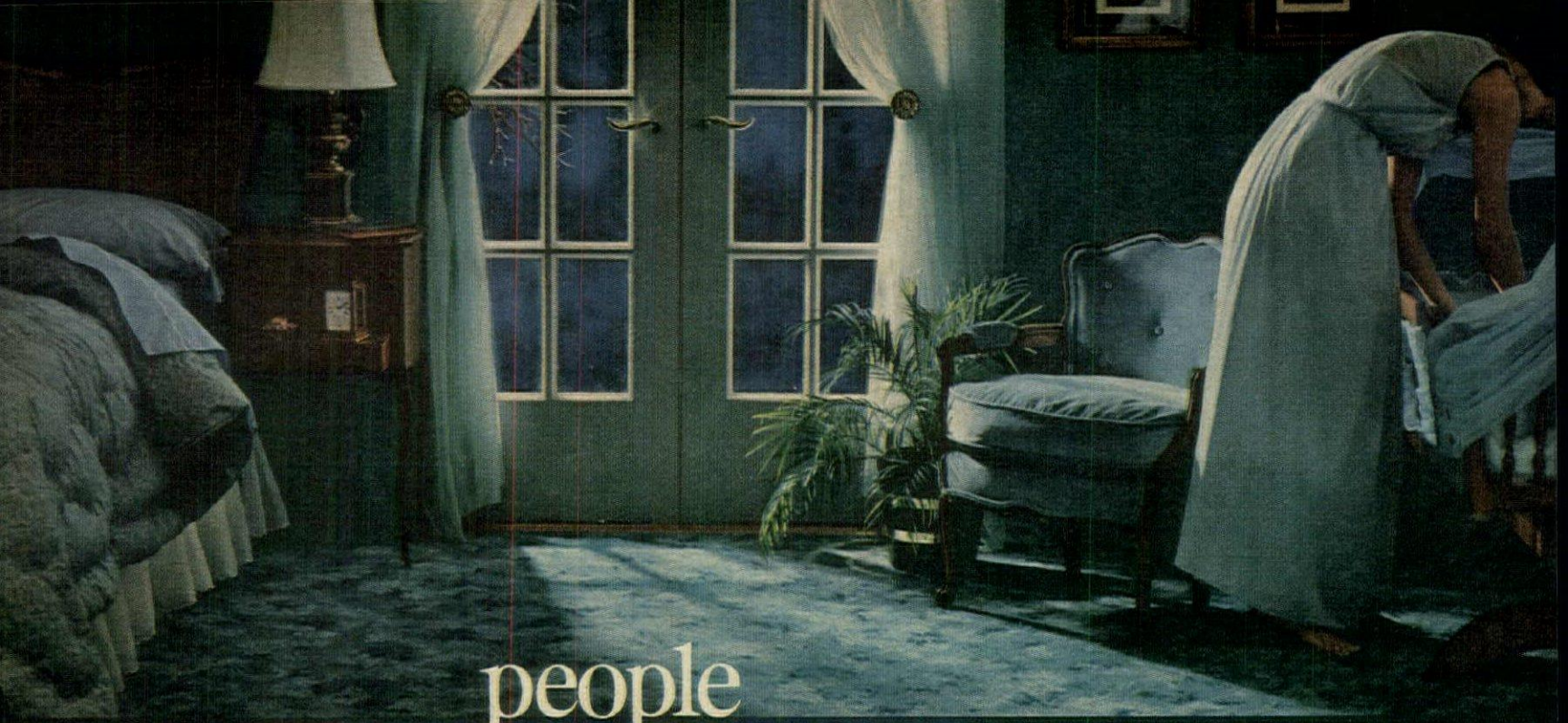
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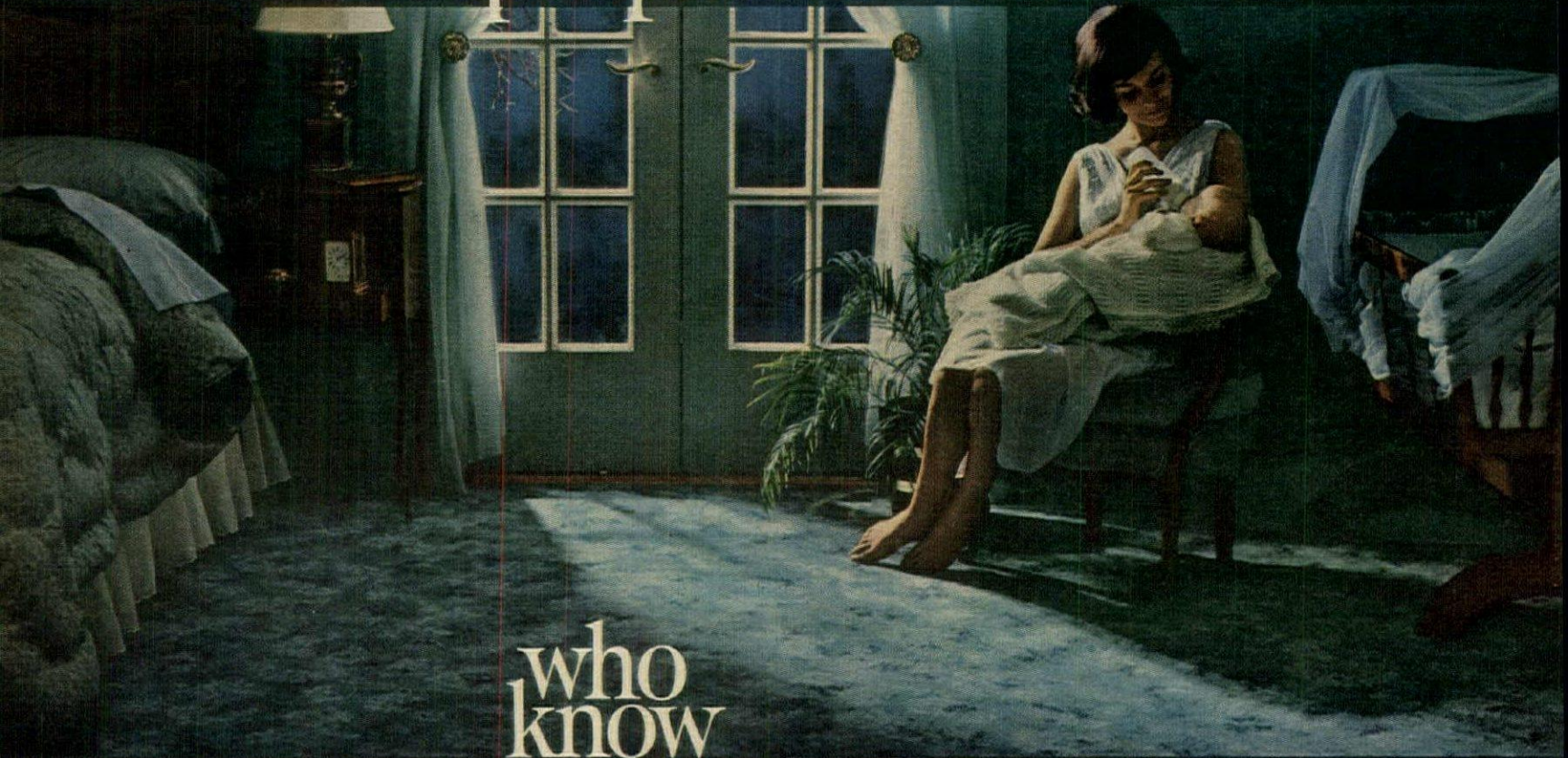


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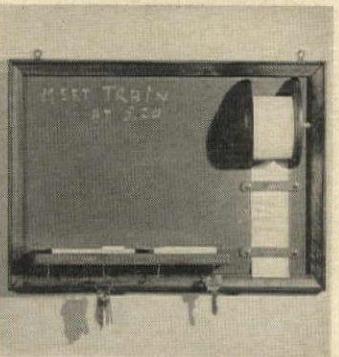
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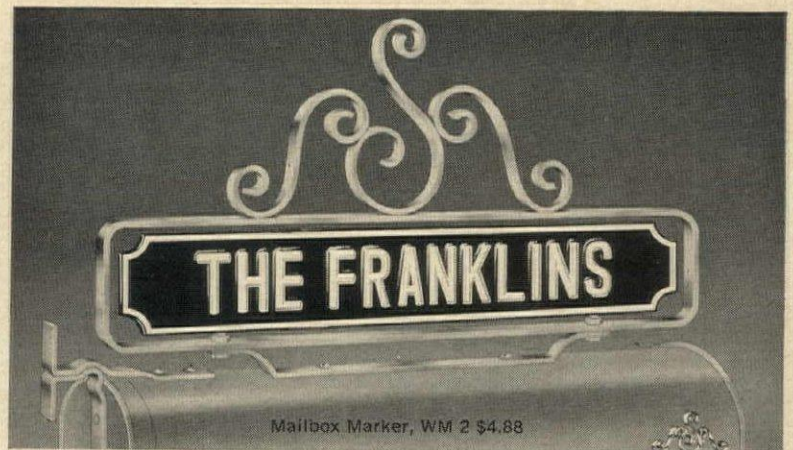
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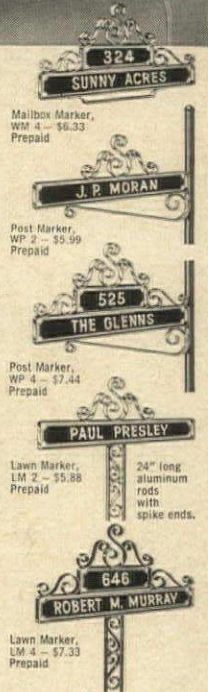
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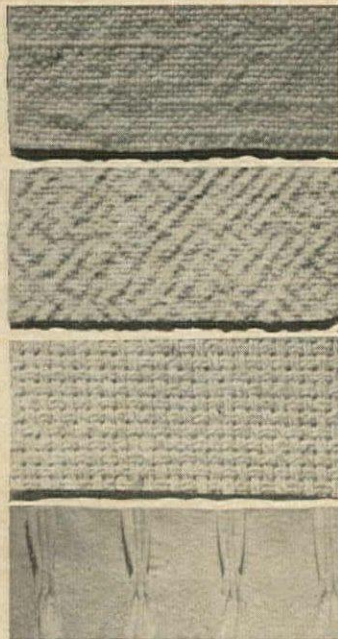
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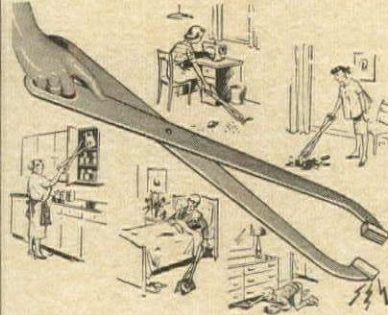


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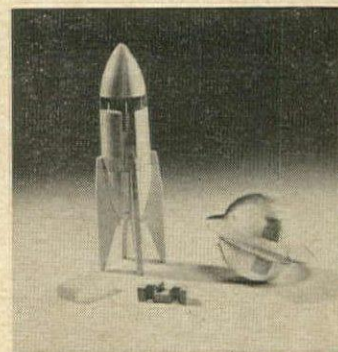
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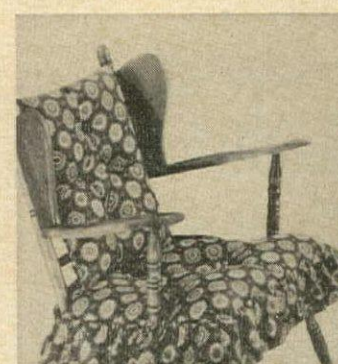
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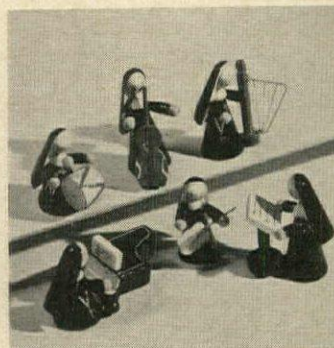
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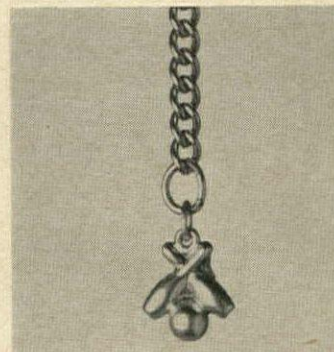
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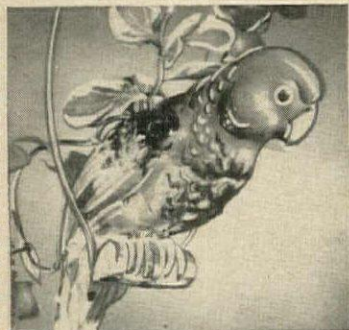
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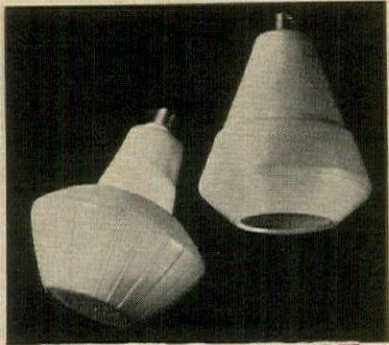
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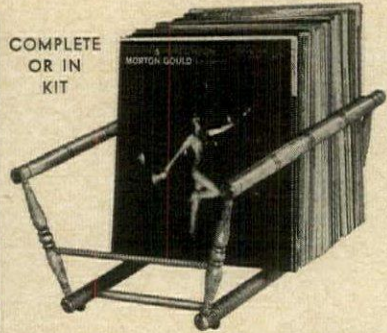
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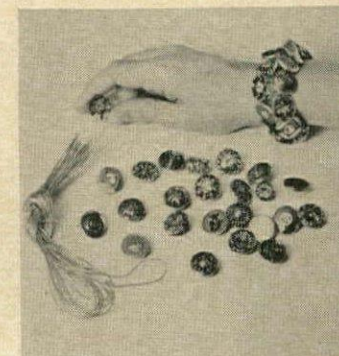
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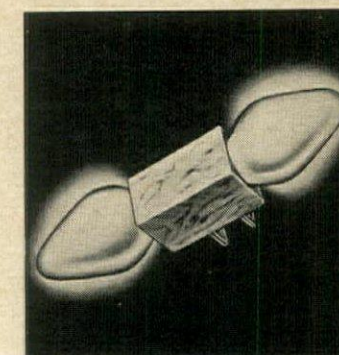
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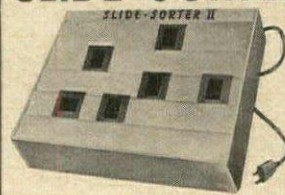
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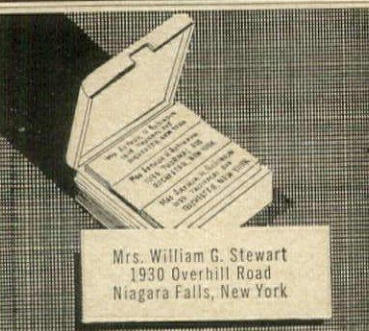


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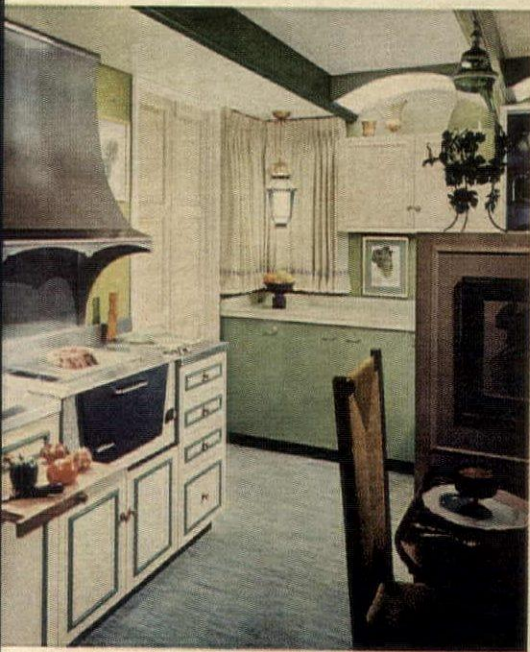
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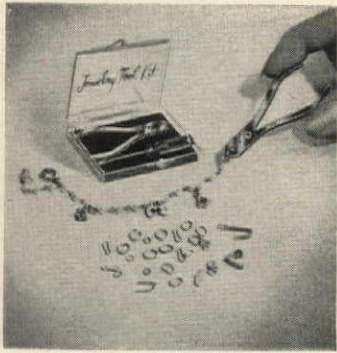
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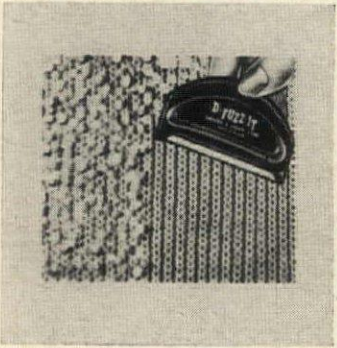
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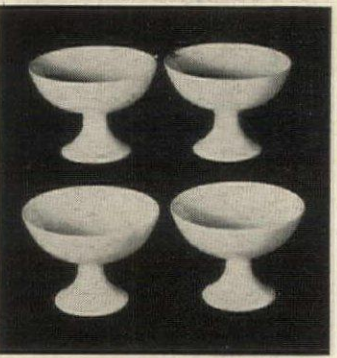
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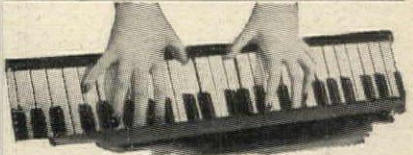
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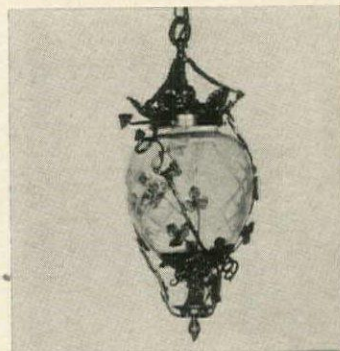
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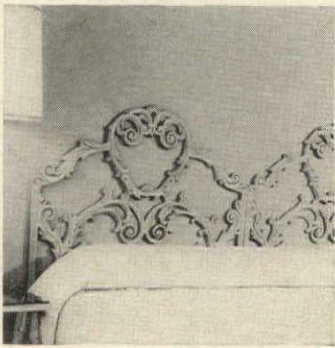
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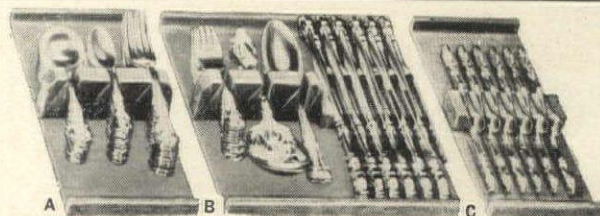
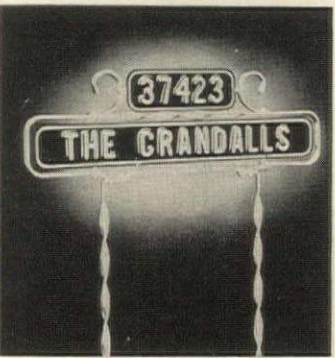
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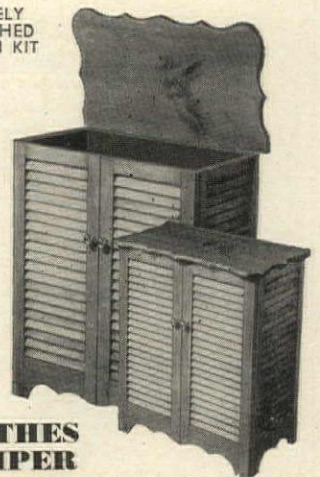
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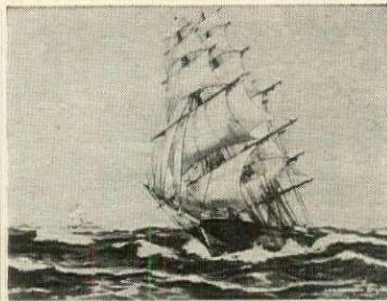
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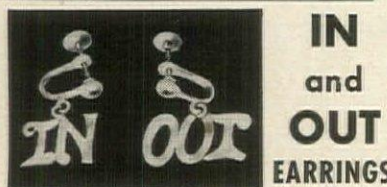
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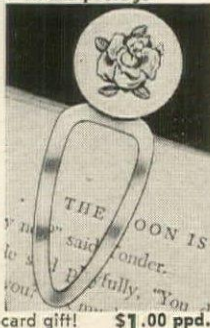


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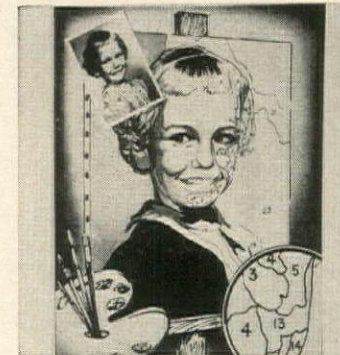
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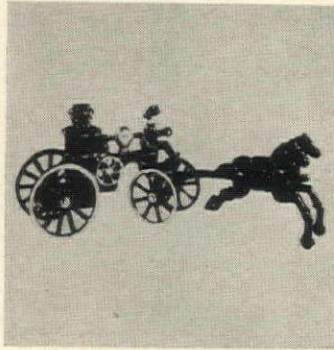
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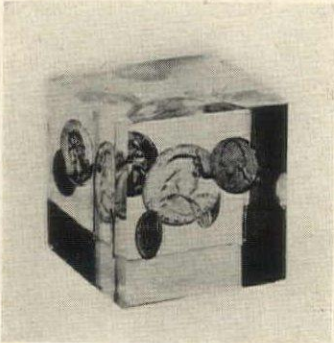
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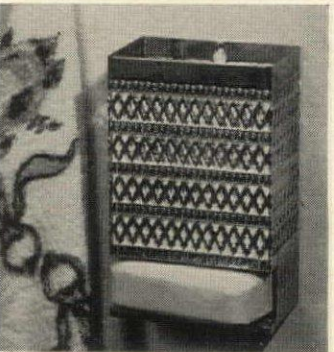
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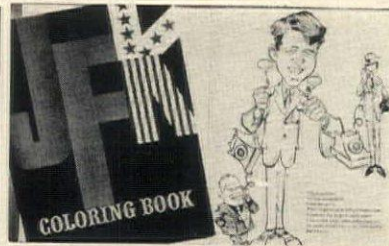
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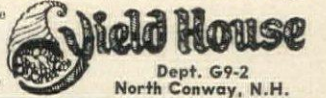
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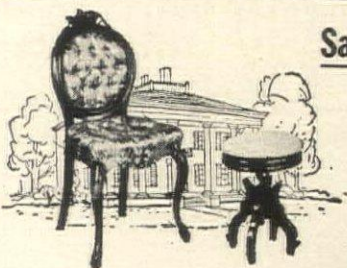
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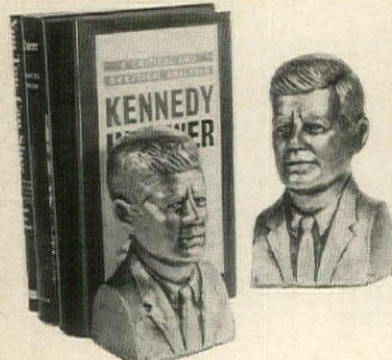
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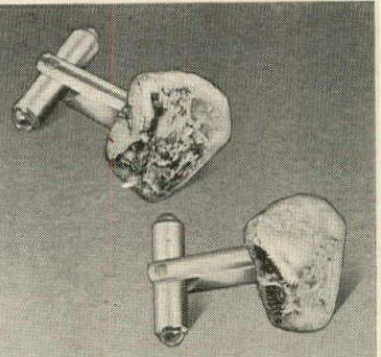
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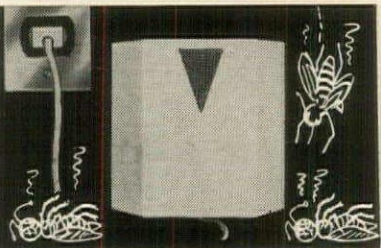
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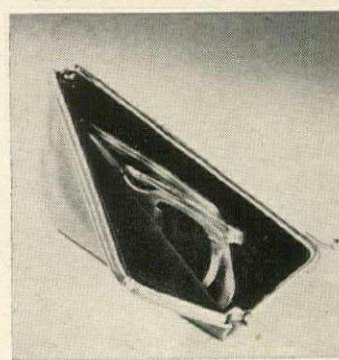
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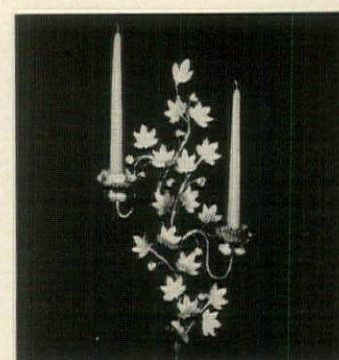
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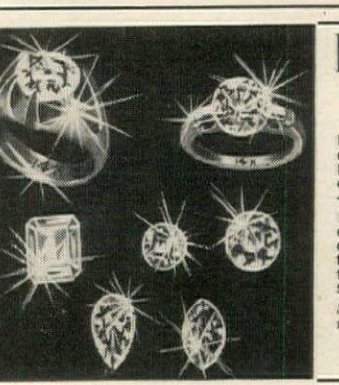
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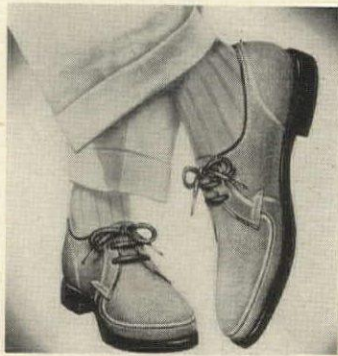
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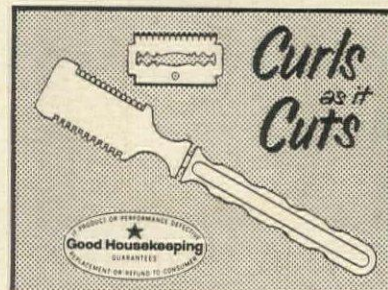


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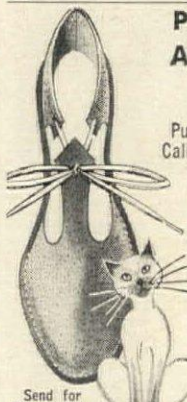
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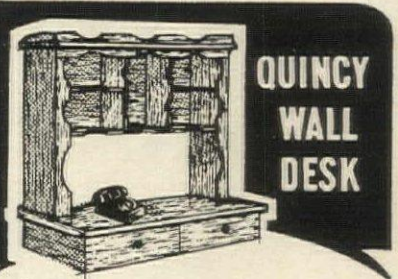
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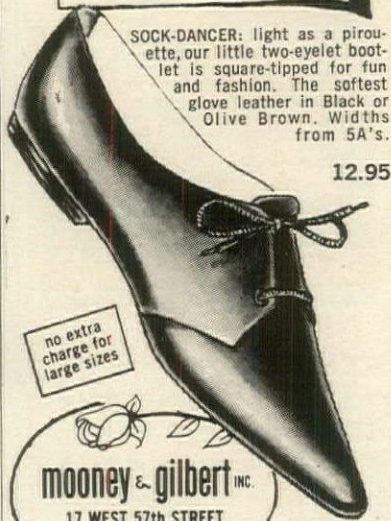
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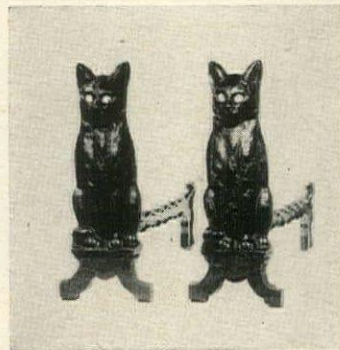
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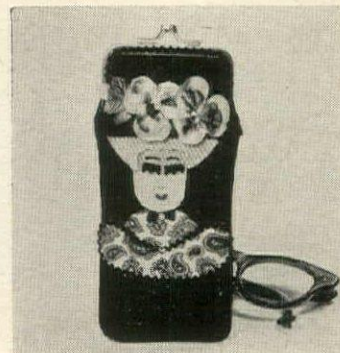
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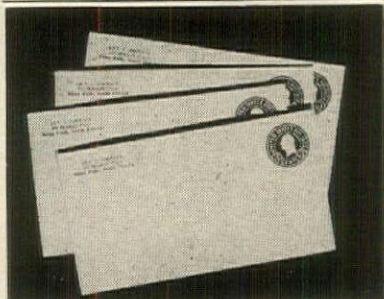
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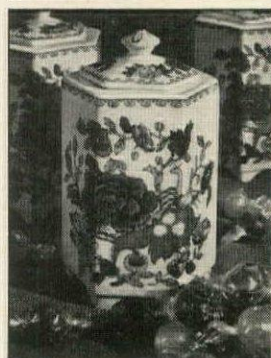
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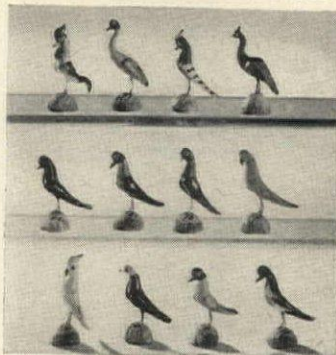
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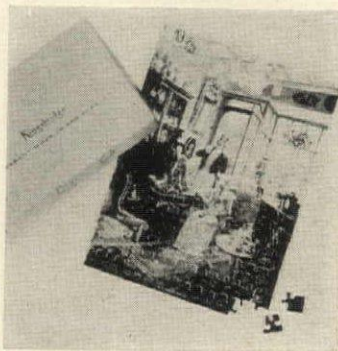
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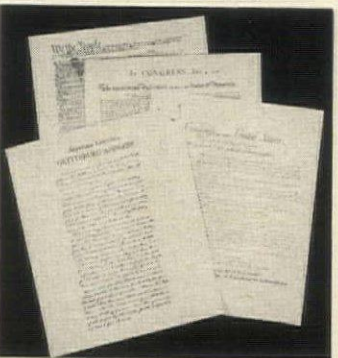
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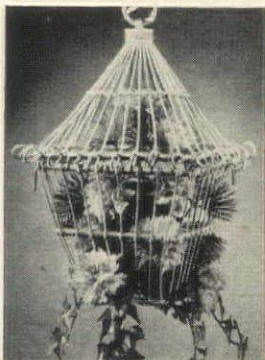


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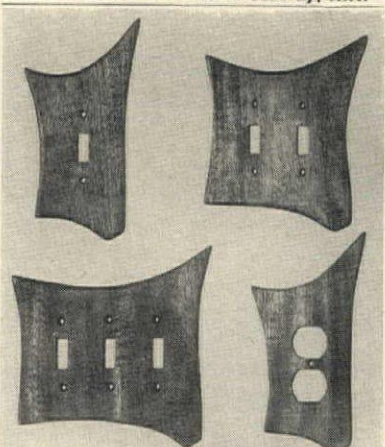
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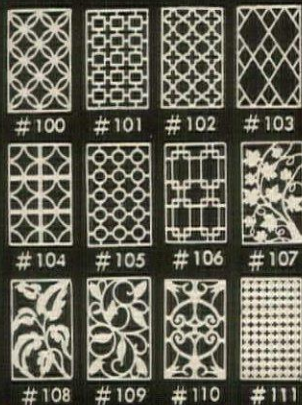
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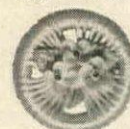
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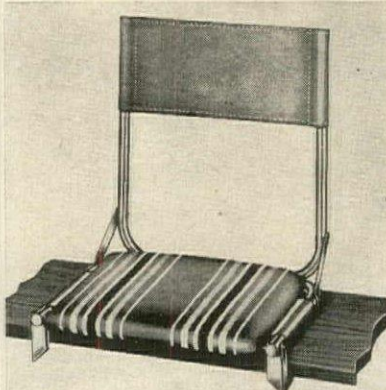


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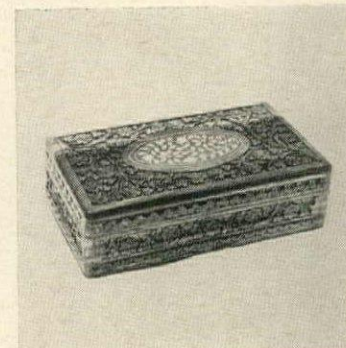
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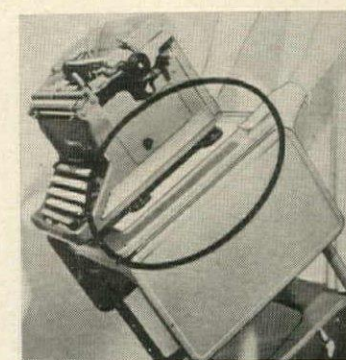
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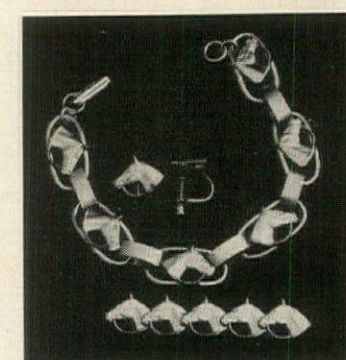
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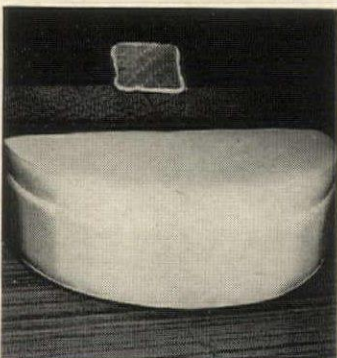
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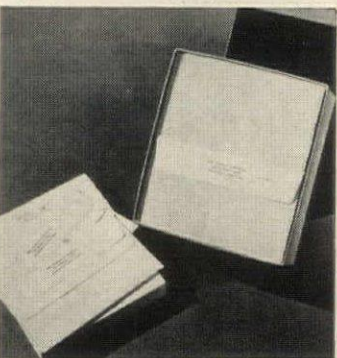
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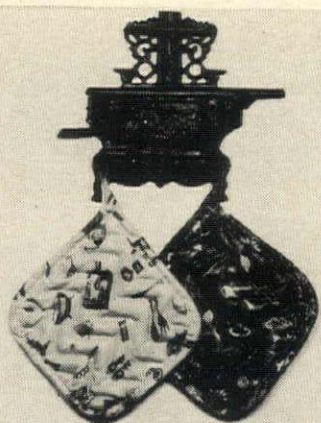
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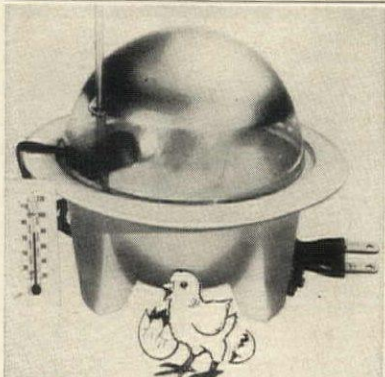


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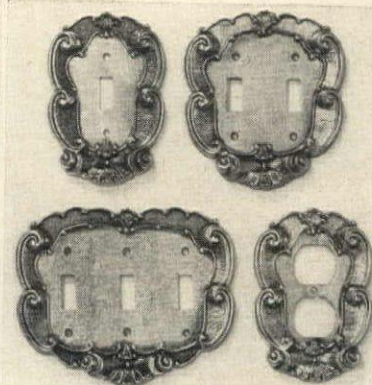
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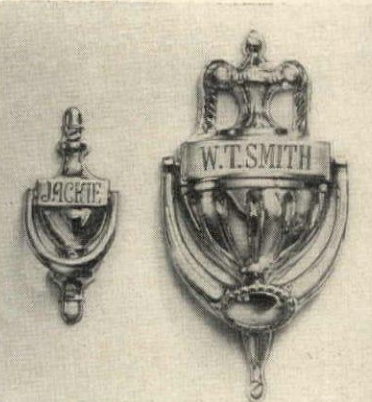


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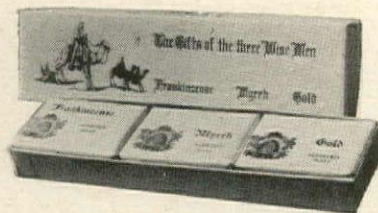
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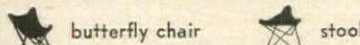
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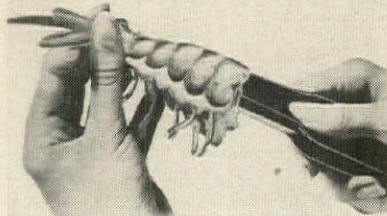
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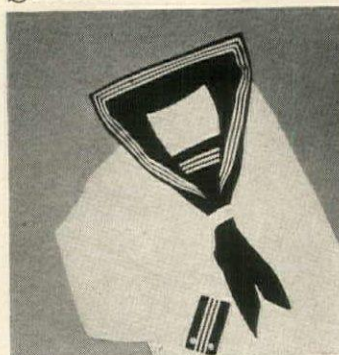
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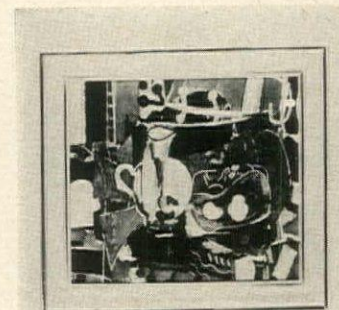
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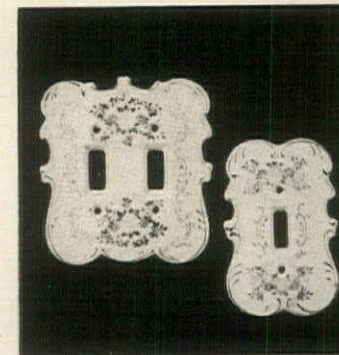
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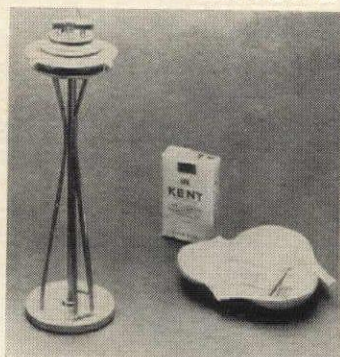
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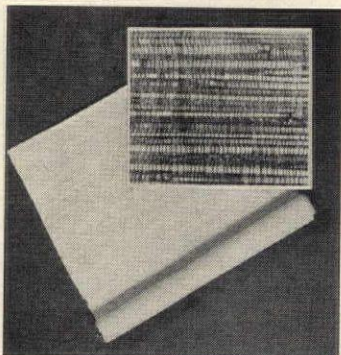
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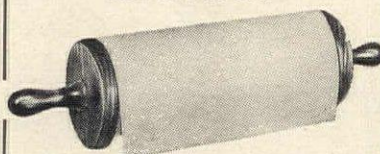
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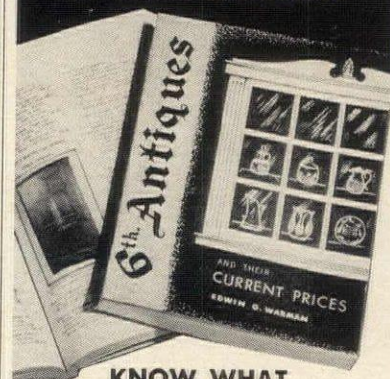
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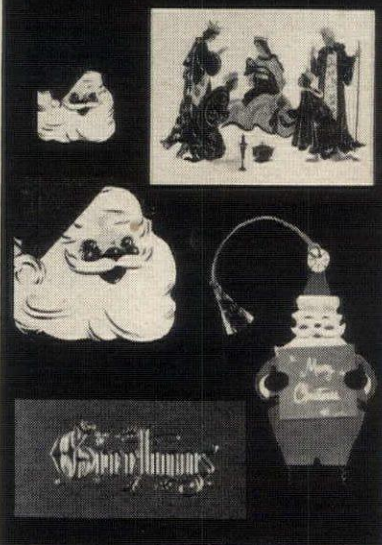
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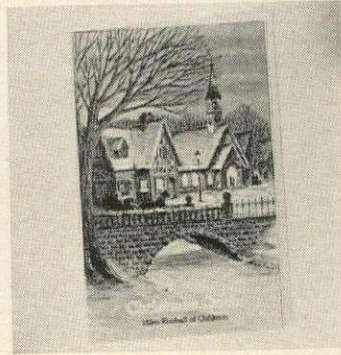


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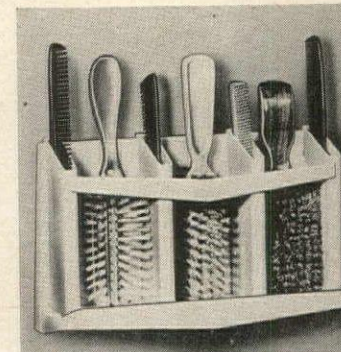
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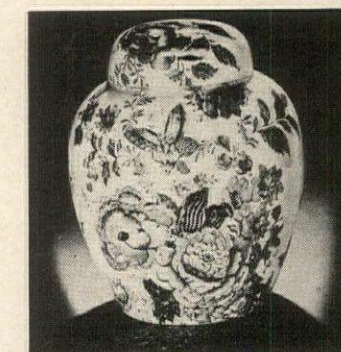
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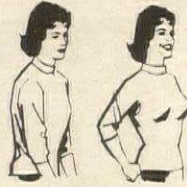
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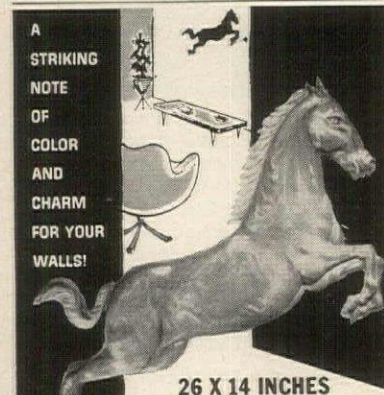
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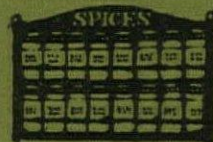


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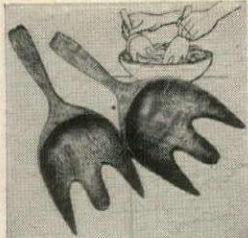
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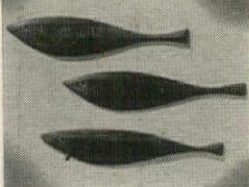
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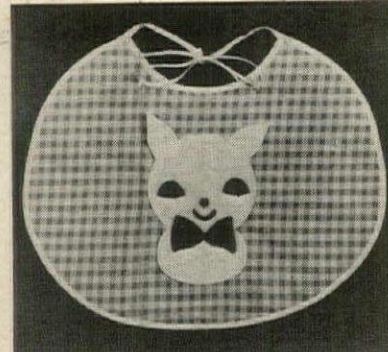
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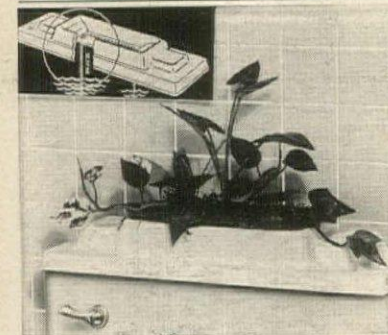
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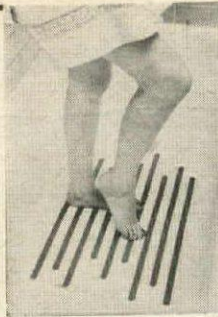
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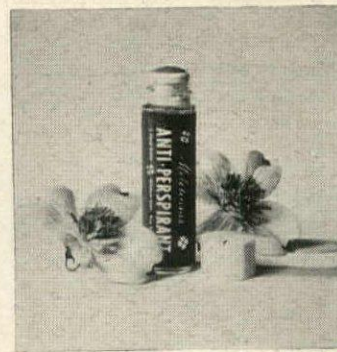
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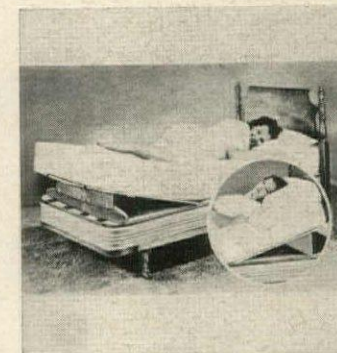
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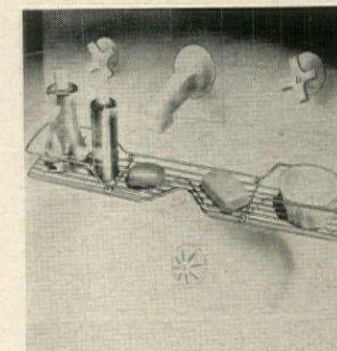
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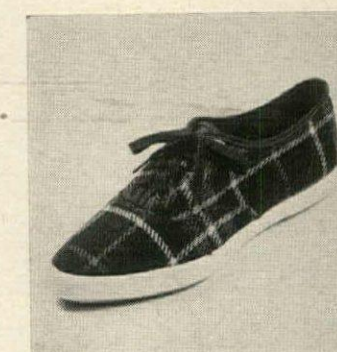
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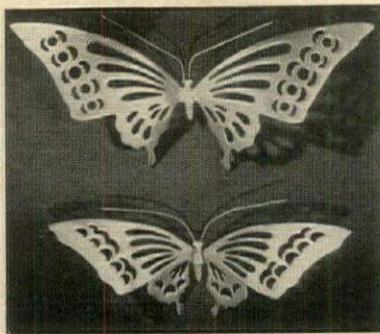
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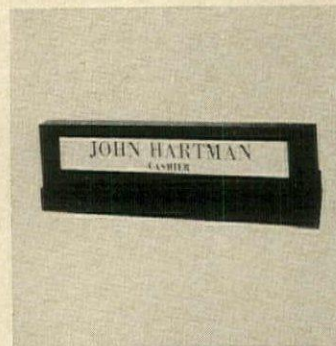
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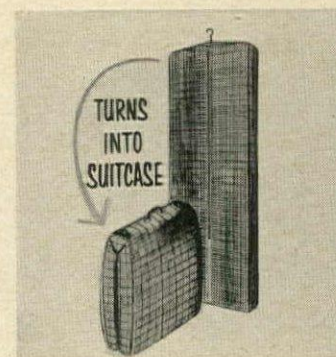
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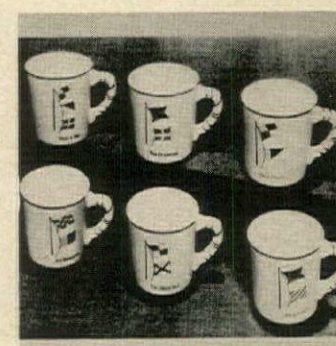
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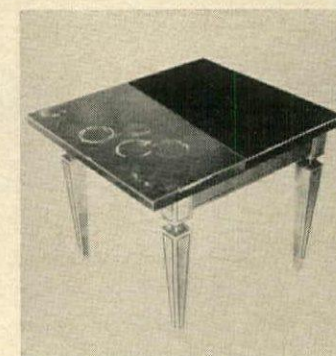
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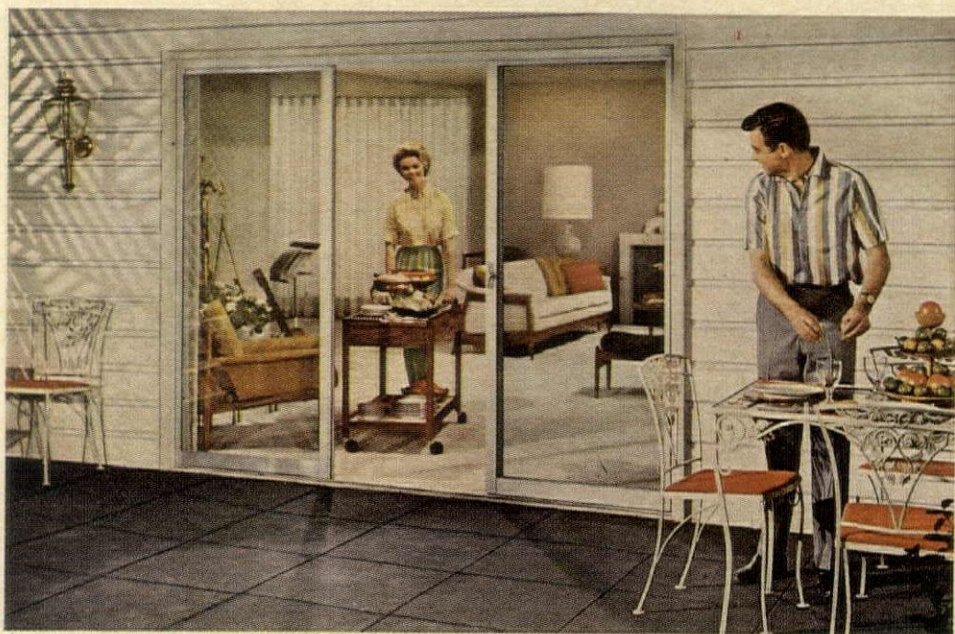
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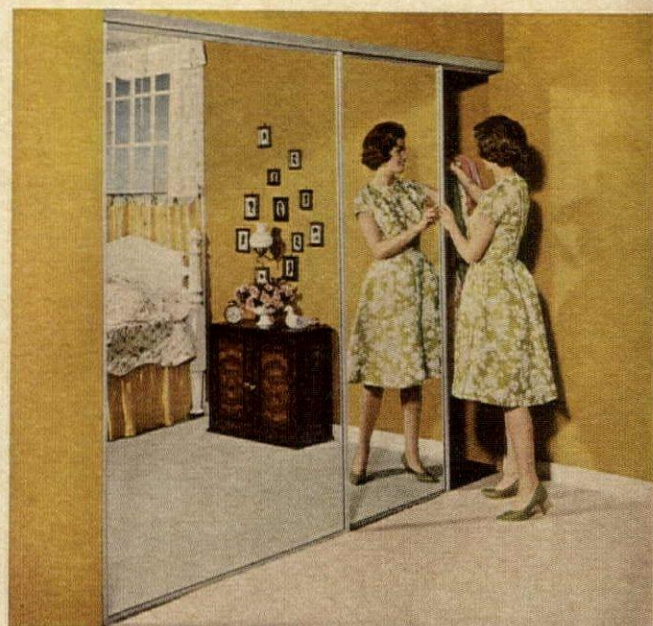
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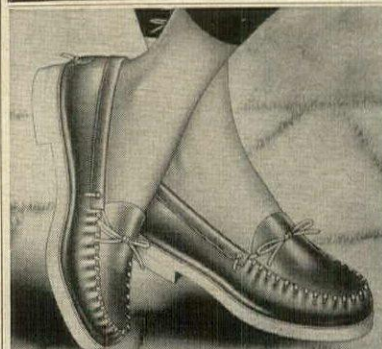
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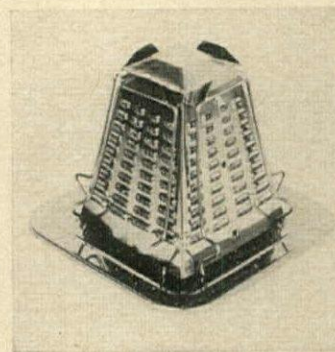
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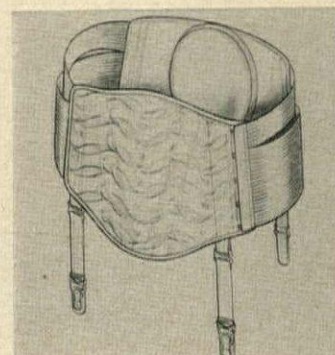
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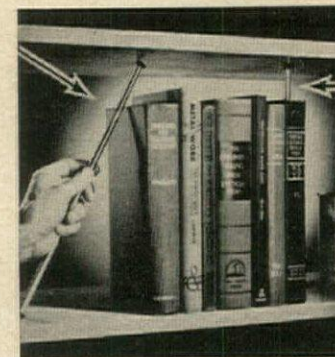
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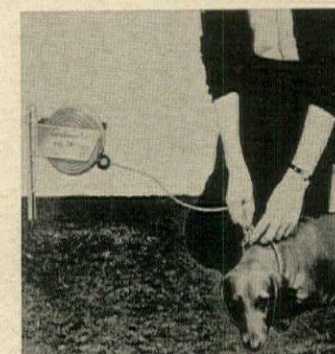
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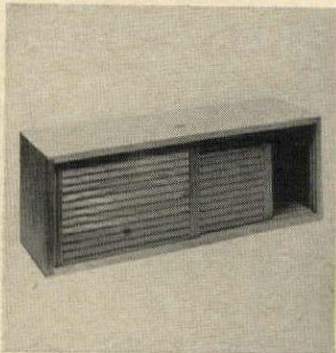
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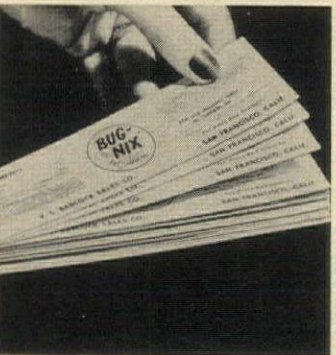
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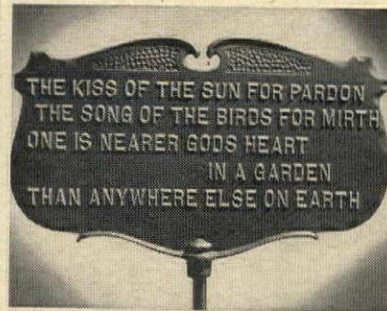
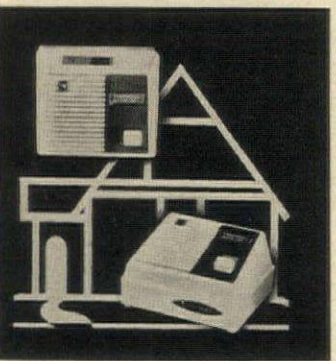
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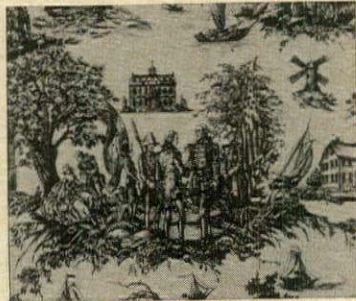
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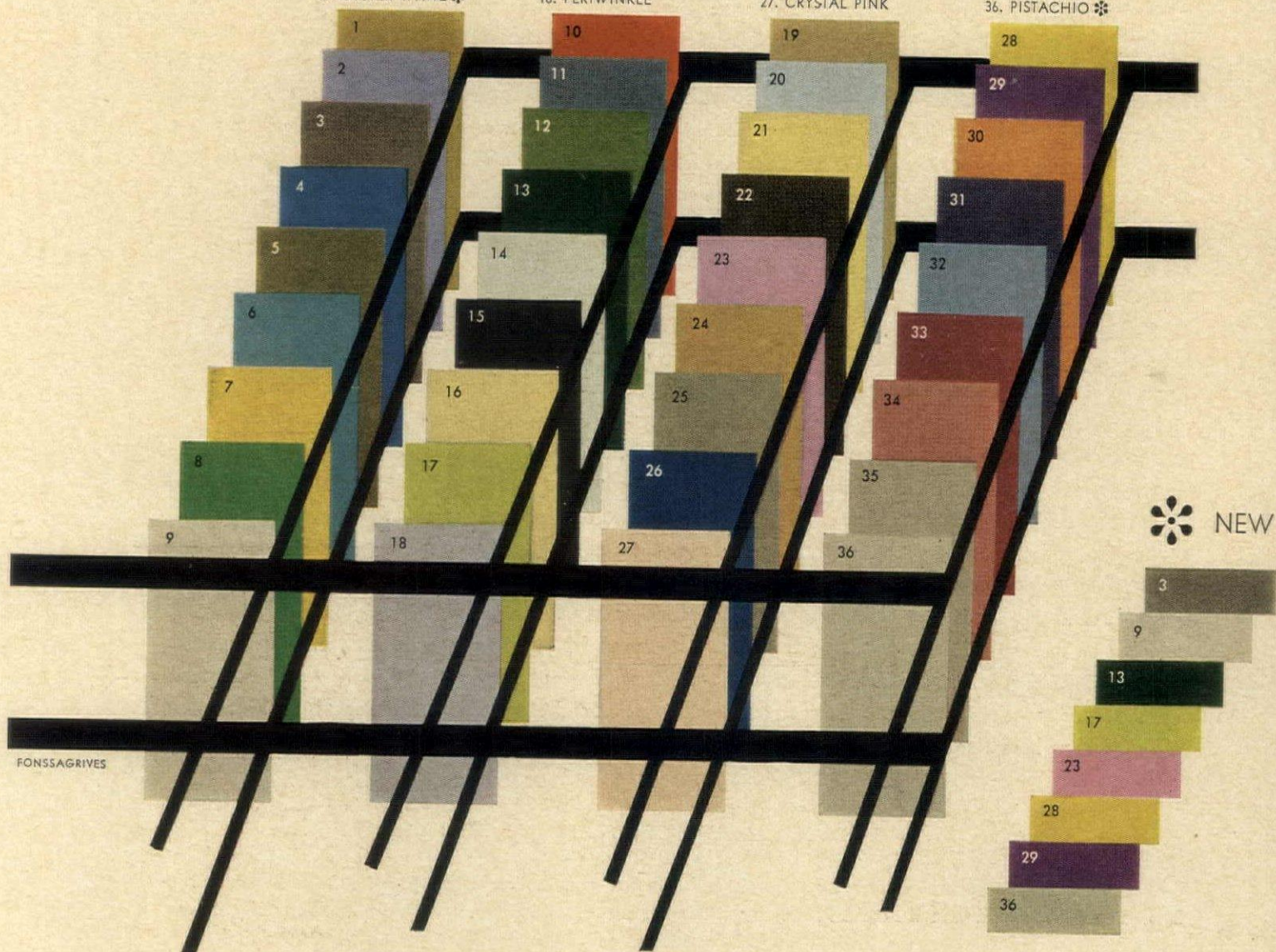
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How to turn A COLOR SCHEME INTO A ROOM

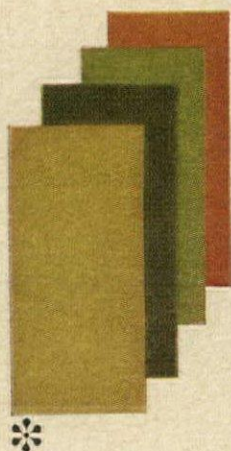
Before it can turn into anything, a color scheme must first exist. But happily, like a sermon in a stone, it may be found anywhere: in a picture, a show window, a hat, a printed fabric, a bunch of flowers, an old quilt. You may already possess the scheme in the form of a wonderful old (or new) rug; you may simply remember it as music is remembered. Translating your discovery into a room, however, is something else again. Professionals find the deed second nature, but it is not nearly so easy for the tyro decorator to make the leap between a handful of two-dimensional samples and a three-dimensional room hundreds of times as large. The big pitfalls are proportion and emphasis. Unless the areas covered by each color are in approximately the same relation to each other in the round as they are in the hand, you will end up with an effect that is totally unexpected and quite possibly unpalatable. The final judge, of course, is your eye, but the trial-and-error method—especially when it involves yards of fabric and days of painting—is hardly the sensible answer. On the other hand, you can approximate a very satisfactory dress rehearsal by making a cardboard model—a simple floor plan and four walls called a maquette—and cutting out furniture and curtains and accessories from colored cloth and paper. With these props, you will probably find it helpful to proceed, in general, as follows:

- *Start with the component you feel you can't live without, come what may: the printed fabric, the rug, a painting, perhaps, or a porcelain vase.*
- *Then move to your largest areas—walls, ceiling, floor (in case you did not start with a rug)—and ask yourself if your composition can stand that much emphasis on a single color from your chosen scheme without distorting its proportion. Or would it be wiser to choose for your largest areas a paler mutation of one of your colors or perhaps a neutral that will act as a three-dimensional frame for them?*
- *Next, find worthy places for the second most important color in your scheme. Consider your medium-size areas—a sofa, a double bedspread, a pair of chairs, an area rug, one wall, perhaps, or a section of a wall.*
- *Finally, decide on your accents, closely approximating them in quantity to the minority hues in your scheme. Do not, whatever you do, underestimate their importance. Small in size as they may be, their presence will make an enormous difference in the over-all effect produced by your dominant tones.*

Here and on the following eight pages, you can trace this procedure in the conversion of eight color schemes into eight finished rooms. In each case the starting point is a different component, and each scheme introduces one of H&G's new colors for 1963 so that you can see it in action and observe how it influences the other colors used with it and how they in turn subtly vary its individual character.

MANDARIN ORANGE, CITRUS GREEN AND BRONZE GREEN FUSED WITH **CURRY***

A clear gold with enough blue in its veins to give it a faintly green aura, Curry (though not quite as hot as its condiment namesake) would warm the cockles of any room. The color has the uncommon and very serviceable quality of being just as effective as an accent as it is in room-wide quantities, and, like all yellows, it can light up a dark room almost as well as the sun, make tawny-toned woods seem even mellow. The starting point for this living room where yellow is obviously idolized was the Curry background of the curtain fabric printed with a floral design in H&G's Mandarin Orange, Oyster White, Bronze Green and Citrus Green—all classic companions of yellow. A paler shade of Curry was elected for the walls and ceiling, a deeper one for the fireplace, woodwork and pilasters. Next decision (result of one of the miraculous finds interior designers pray for) was the Curry rug patterned in white and Citrus Green, and supported by velvet striped in the same colors for the two chairs. The final fillip—which bypasses the quite possible tedium of an almost monochromatic scheme—is the Citrus Green satin on the sofa. Though by no means negligible in size, this one concentrated splash of green plays the role of an accent because it is indeed small in proportion to the very large areas of yellow in the room. Interior designer: R. Holland Trull. Kandell floral fabric; Cabin Crafts rug. For stores carrying home furnishings in H&G colors for 1963, see page 190. Shopping information for pages 114 through 135, page 183.









ANTIQUE GOLD, BLUEBERRY BLUE,
BRONZE GREEN, DELPHINIUM BLUE AND
CITRUS GREEN SPIKED WITH

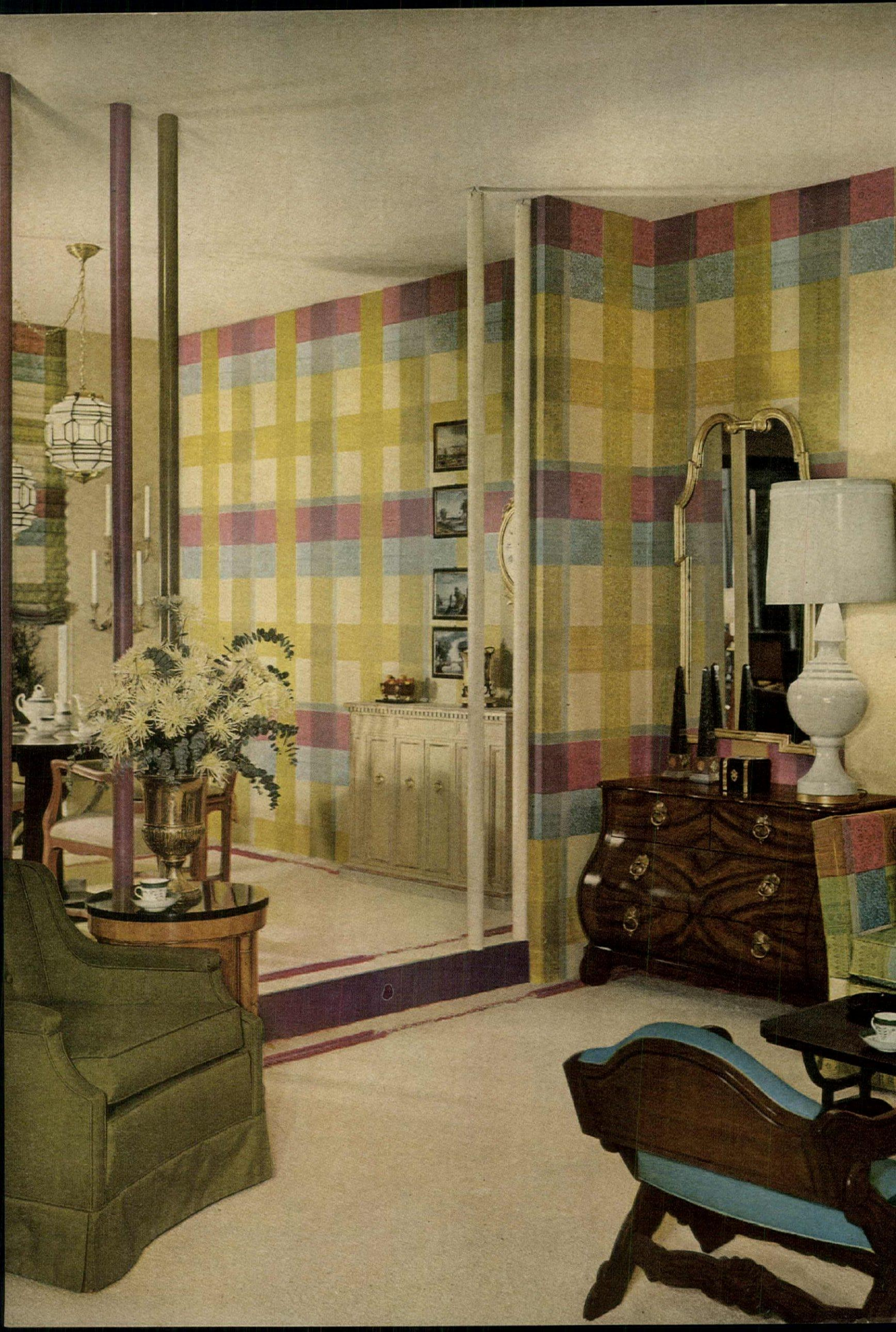
WINTERGREEN*

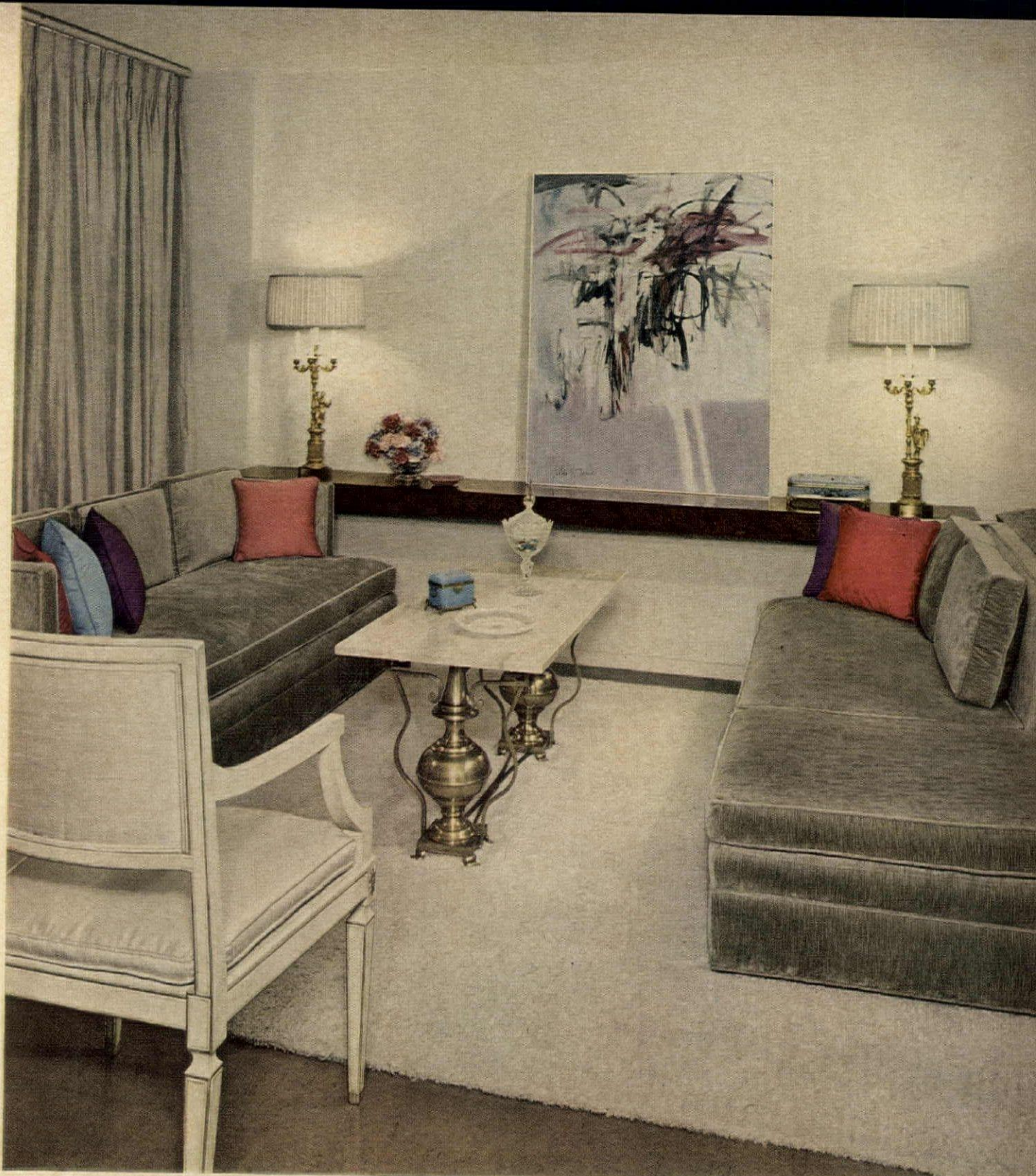


Bluer, deeper and headier than any of its verdant predecessors in the H&G palette, Wintergreen is a color so reminiscent of spruce needles as to be almost aromatic. Its strength, consequently, is that of forty colors. Most effectively used in limited, accenting doses, Wintergreen, carefully handled, can give a room with a pale background a cool, deep-forest mood.



In Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randol's country living room, the new hue came on stage at the beginning of the second act—the first act being the decision to retain the previously acquired shag rug with its blend of Citrus Green, Bronze Green, Antique Gold, Citron and Blueberry. Mrs. Randol, who, as an interior designer, was naturally interested in putting her best foot forward in her own home, did a bit of research and turned up, for the sofa, a floral fabric in the same hues with sizable accents of Wintergreen. Since coolth, not warmth, was the object here, the choice of Oyster White for the wood-paneled walls and vinyl floor tile was almost inevitable. But the one bold panel of Wintergreen is in the same proportion to the room as a whole as the Wintergreen leaves are to the fabric pattern. And the two chairs covered in Delphinium were no offhand whim—they have the same sweetening, stimulating effect on the green and white room as the dashes of Hyacinth have on the mixed greens of the ferns and leaves in the upholstery fabric. Bigelow rug; Amtico flooring; Cohama floral fabric.





BRISTOL BLUE,
 GERANIUM PINK,
 BRONZE GREEN,
 WOOD VIOLET AND
 CURRY LACED WITH

LOGANBERRY*

Redder than most purples, Loganberry owes much of its distinct sweet-sharp flavor to the botanist who thought of crossing a raspberry with a blackberry to create a new fruit. It is a romantic color, even though, like Wintergreen, its potency must be respected. In this sprightly living-dining room, *opposite page*, Loganberry comes into being in the wallpaper where the bands of Geranium Pink are superimposed on the broad bands of Bristol Blue. It goes without saying that this bold plaid—which also contains larger doses of Curry and smaller ones of Bronze Green and Wood Violet—was the take-off point for the room. Once the matching fabric (an almost irresistible choice) was nominated to cover the sofa and make the Roman shade, the problem of converting the ready-made color scheme into a room became one of softening and quietly echoing. Primary softener was the more muted companion paper which covers two large areas of wall. For echoes at large: the Bristol Blue and Bronze Green fabrics on the chairs, the rug's Loganberry border, Bronze Green and Loganberry divider poles. Geranium Pink dining furniture. Interior designer: Dorothy Paul. Stockwell wallpapers and fabric; Baker furniture.

LEONARD

WOOD VIOLET, OYSTER WHITE AND
 RASPBERRY SET OFF BY

MUSHROOM*

Creamy, almost tawny, Mushroom is beige deepened to lusciousness, yet pale enough to be used prodigally without becoming tiresome. Its presence in Mr. and Mrs. Abner Rabbino's living room is crucial since it makes possible turning a sheaf of bright exotic colors into a cool relaxing room. To achieve this, the usual procedure is reversed and the room starts, in effect, with the sofa pillows

✿ which in most color schemes would be among the final accents. But vibrant pinks and purples are colors that speak for themselves. Overwhelming in large volume, they need only a quiet enclosure in order to be heard quite clearly. The recipe for quiet here: Oyster White walls, ceiling and chair covering; pale beige silk curtains to vary the background without affecting its neutrality; Mushroom velvet on sofa to flatter pillows that constitute (with one clear blue) the heart of the color scheme. Interior designer: Evelyn Jablow. Greeff velvet; Edward Fields carpet.



LEONARD

MANDARIN ORANGE
AND CITRUS GREEN
WRAPPED IN
PISTACHIO*



TANGERINE, HYACINTH AND BLUEBERRY BLUE NIPPED BY
CITRUS GREEN*

A golden lime with bite, Citrus Green has a bit too much acidity for backgrounds (except, perhaps, on one wall or as the lining of a niche). This color is most successfully used in small quantities and doubly refreshing when paired with white and flower colors of the old-fashioned bouquet type. Just such touches of Citrus show up in the charming anemone strewn fabric that was selected as the main theme of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave L. Levy's bedroom, *above*. To give the charming bouquet motifs full play, unrelieved white was chosen for the background and an amplified echo of the flower motif was worked into the specially designed rug. Left at that, the room might easily have faded into wan prettiness, but the strong final note of Citrus in the painted chest and mirror brought the flowers to life and assured them perennial freshness. Interior designer: Edward M. Benesch.

The most delicate, nearest-to-white green in H&G's palette, Pistachio makes a small room seem larger, a shadowy room, lighter. The warm browns of medium-toned woods look especially well against Pistachio, which partially accounts for its presence in a sitting room, *opposite page*, where Mandarin Orange, the most-favored hue in the chosen color scheme, has been allocated to the upholstered furniture, while Citrus Green, the second color in this composition, provides a pungent contrast. These are bold, tangy hues, hence the choice of near-white Pistachio for rug, painted walls and *trompe l'oeil* wallpaper moldings. The over-curtains of Oyster White Belgian linen blend smoothly with the walls but the floral design, traced in Empire Green with touches of Citrus, supplies the room with its all-important color accent and a modicum of pattern. Interior designer: Paul Krauss. Barwick rug; Brunswick & Fils fabrics; Henredon furniture.





BLUEBERRY BLUE SPATTERED ON
OYSTER WHITE*

Ever since the early Thirties when white was made the rage by Syrie Maugham (the gifted English decorator known during her reign as "The White Queen"), designers have been fascinated by white's extraordinary powers and infinite variations. Oyster White is a very soft version, faintly pearl-like in its luminescence, with enough character to stand on its own. In this living room and adjoining terrace, *left*, Oyster White is the major protagonist whose first appearance—the ceramic tile flooring—was established by the architect. The designer, in turn, took his cue from the floor and let the white flow unstintedly over walls, ceiling, Venetian blinds, even the canvas-upholstered furniture. Then he added a peppering of H&G's Blueberry Blue, breaking it up into small areas in the manner and proportion of the blue pattern on a Chinese porcelain urn: a block plaid for the sofa cushions and table cover; Blueberry tapes for the blinds; a Blueberry striped canvas ceiling for the terrace. Finally he added the black iron dining chairs and the monkey fur rug—accents that prove black's wonderful talent for keeping a color on an even keel. Interior designer: Angelo Donghia of Yale R. Burge, Inc. for the Venetian Blind Institute; floor by Tile Council of America. Canopy and upholstery by Canvas Awning Institute.

DELPHINIUM BLUE, CITRON,
BLACK PEARL AND

WOOD VIOLET*

TO GLORIFY THE TONES
OF WOOD

Like the flower Oberon called "Love in Idleness," Wood Violet has the gift of stirring up excitement in the least likely places. Half mauve, half pink, this lively hue is an accent quite as effective in a living room as in a bedroom. It was a painting that inspired the introduction of Wood Violet into Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Spalding's family room—a sweep of two-storied space, *opposite page*, with a preponderance of wood and glass that offered very limited scope for a color scheme as such. But the abstract rendering of a Mexican street scene prompted a search for the same violet-pinks and vivid blues in a fabric to cover the sofas—the only place for fabric in the room. By exceptional luck, the search turned up a plaid in Wood Violet, Delphinium and Black Pearl, bold enough to command attention and thereby to draw increased attention to the painting itself. In this case, turning the color scheme into the room began and ended with the color accents since wood tones already comprised the dominant theme. Architect: Mario Corbett. Shopping information for pages 114 to 135, see page 183.





THE BILL OF PARTICULARS ON H&G's 1963 PALETTE

What these colors can do for you

Where to find them

How to use them

■ How many colors the world holds is anybody's guess. One guesser figures 100,000,000 hues are identifiable in theory. Admittedly that would include a horde of murky hybrids you would not care to look at twice, but even when these non-colors have been subtracted, the remainder is astronomical. To say that a color exists, however, is not to say that it exists in the rug or the fabric or the lamp that you need to complete your room. That is where the H&G palette comes in. The thirty-six colors that parade across page 113 are hues that do exist in home furnishings, and in profusion. You will find them everywhere this fall—in paints, fabrics, wall-papers, carpets, wood finishes, table linens, china, kitchen accessories, even building materials. Some 400 manufacturers have taken pains to match their colors to H&G's 1963 palette. A representative list is to be seen on page 8.

If you do not trust your memory for color, the H&G Color Chips will do that job for you. These are pocket-size samples to help you with your color planning and to take with you when you shop. (You will find an order blank for the Color Chips on page 188.) Thus is the old by-guess, and by-gosh approach to color neatly eliminated—but without in any way inhibiting your personal taste. Since the H&G palette includes at least two or three members of every color family, your favorite is bound to be well accounted for.

As in previous years, the *character* of H&G colors reflects up-to-the-minute trends in the wider realm of popular taste—trends that shift a little bit every year. For instance: The deep rich hues that have been climbing steadily in popularity over the past few seasons have climbed another notch this year, as you might guess from the regal character of two of the 1963 newcomers highlighted on the preceding pages—Wintergreen and Curry. Closely allied to these deep shades are three of the other new entries—Citrus Green, Wood Violet and Loganberry—which are lighter and brighter but no less regal.

Hues as rich and bold as these, however, inevitably call for muted tones and lots of white to soften and cool their intensity. Hence the continuance of the muted trend which is reflected by the addition of Mushroom, soft complement for the brighter regal hues—along with Oyster White and Pistachio, both of which exert a cooling, clarifying influence on the deeper shades. Moonlight, which joined the H&G palette last year, gives you another, brighter white, while Clay Beige, a sandy, putty-like tone, and Sagebrush, a somewhat darker shade with a particular affinity for the greens, extend your choice of neutrals.

The deep regal hues and the new brights—no less than the muted tones—may be used for large areas if you apply them with a judicious hand (witness the Tangerine sofas on the opposite page and the Curry walls on page 115). But on the back of the Color Chips, you will find most of these bold hues labeled “primarily an accent color”—and wonderful accents they are. For some of the forms such accents might take, turn to page 134 where four of these hues display their charms along with their budget-bright price tags. Two other talented candidates for the crucial office of color accents are the H&G blacks. Black Pearl is an off-shade on the gray side, somewhat similar to very dark slate. Espresso is a near-black relative of the brown clan—a shade you will often come across in very dark furniture finishes.

Most gratifying, perhaps, of all the changes on the 1963 color horizon is the renewed emphasis on green, the hue that nature mixes so lavishly with all her other colors. (For further evidence of green's go-with-everything talents, please turn to page 132.) The greens are equally happy to mix with each other, which accounts for the presence of the three new greens—Wintergreen, Citrus Green and Pistachio—in the family that also includes the regal Empire Green, the softer Green Olive and the deeper, yellower Bronze Green. For the whole refreshing story of the mixed greens and the many ways of using them, please turn the page.

Opposite page:

AS THE BOLD BRIGHT HUES LOOM LARGER on today's color horizon, the cool variants of white become more important, too. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence De Mann's living room demonstrates the magical capacity of H&G's new Oyster White to tranquilize a bold partnership of Tangerine and Lemon Peel to livable intensity. Accents of black, in the form of a desk and tables, prove, as always, effective stabilizers. Interior designers: Mallory-Tillis, Inc.

For a list of leading stores that will carry all kinds of home furnishings in H&G's 1963 colors, turn to page 190.

THE SEASON'S FASTEST GROWING COLORS:

THE MIXED GREENS

PISTACHIO
WINTERGREEN
CITRUS GREEN
EMPIRE GREEN
GREEN OLIVE
BRONZE GREEN

Green has always been one of the most popular hues in the decorating palette. Perhaps it is because nature surrounds us with green for the pleasantest part of the year that most of us find green a friendly, happy, soothing color to live with indoors. It is an easy color to work with since all greens go beautifully together—witness a hillside in spring dappled with the whole range from green-black to the pale tint of a young leaf. And the foliage of almost every flower, fruit and vegetable offers perennial proof that greens mingle naturally with other colors. Mindful of all these virtues, H&G is happy to report that the mixed greens, somewhat eclipsed during the recent ascendancy of the room of many colors, are now coming back into their own.

H&G's 1963 palette includes six wonderful greens (see the roster, *above*), three of which are newcomers this year. Bronze Green and Green Olive, both of which are warmly receptive to a wide range of other hues, lend themselves to large background areas. Pistachio, the palest of the six H&G greens, is an excellent choice for a light background since it is particularly flattering to other colors and brings out the richness of mellow woods. The other three greens are at their best as accents. Wintergreen, the darkest, is a strong rich frame for the near neutrals and delicate flower tones such as Wood Violet and Hyacinth. The brilliant Empire Green makes a tangy accent for the yellow family, and Citrus Green, for the blue. You can mix any number of greens together, as they are mixed in the room on our cover, and, depending on which one you emphasize and which you choose for accent, arrive at either a formal elegance or a young and sprightly effect. And you can use these mixed greens in as many places as you use color—in a room, in a table setting, in a kitchen—as you will see on the following pages.

In an informal living room
six different greens
are mixed
with refreshing abandon.

By mingling light greens with dark you can create the relaxing, unlabored effect of a room of many colors. The mixture here: Bronze Green on the plywood wall panel (it comes pre-finished in that hue); Bronze again and Empire Green in the nearly twin chairs; all six H&G greens in the rug. U. S. Plywood paneling; Wunda Weve rug; chairs from Fritz Hansen; table from John Vesey; Omni poles, shelves.







BEADLE

You can shower green on a table setting with premeditated elegance or a light, casual hand

A party table set up in a living room takes on a pre-planned, therefore much more elegant air if its color theme blends with the more permanent furnishings. In this mixed-green living room the curtains are Citrus, the banquette, Wintergreen, and the table adds two more greens—Bronze in the china pattern, Green Olive in the cloth. The yellow and orange centerpiece, echoing the hues of the sofa pillows, is the final bridge between the party table and the room. Royal Worcester “Dorchester” china; Kirk gold vermeil “Florentine” flatware; Fostoria “Debutante” goblets. Curtain and pillow fabrics by Unika-Vaev.

Empire Green is the solo hue on an informal luncheon table in David Whitcomb’s apartment. White vinyl place mats printed with Empire Green ferns are specially designed to make a continuous border when placed end-to-end. The napkins, too, are Empire and the goblets Empire-tinted. Fostoria “Jamestown” glassware; Reed & Barton “Colonial Shell” stainless steel flatware; Stotter place mats.

For shopping information, see page 183

Ethereal green
makes a kitchen
look as airy
as the outdoors

As a color for kitchens, green has not always been as fully appreciated as it deserves. Muted greens seem to push back walls suggesting a limitless vista of green fields and making a tranquil, airy setting for work. Also, because of this far-off quality, green minimizes the monotony of flat surfaces.

When architect and Mrs. Roger Rasbach were planning the kitchen for their house in San Antonio, Tex. (H&G's Hallmark House, the rest of which you saw in January, 1962), one of their primary objectives was an abundance of storage space for all the supplies and equipment they need for large family meals (they have four children) and large parties as well. The outcome might have been a kitchen that faintly resembled a storage warehouse with a dreary and seemingly endless aisle of cabinets. But because the cabinets were given a special soft green matte finish, they appear magically to recede instead of intrude. The finish consisted of a Green Olive base coat lightly sanded, then glazed with umber, rubbed with steel wool, spattered again with umber, and lacquered—a finish that never seems to show finger marks.

The whole room, in fact, with its terra-cotta tiled walls and floor, old wrought-iron chandelier and countertops of sparkling white ceramic tiles set with a new stain-resistant white plastic grouting, has the serene, secluded look of an old Spanish kitchen. Yet it could hardly be more up-to-date. To cope with the big-family schedule of food preparations there are two of nearly every piece of equipment, plus a wonderful ventilating hood, painted to match the cabinets, over the cooking tops, individual spotlights for the work center, built-in appliance centers, a three-bowl sink in the main work counter and an old copper sink set into the counter opposite. Kitchen consultant: A. J. Martin. Cooking tops, double ovens, warming drawers by Thermador. Refrigerator-freezers by Revco. Three-bowl sink by Elkay.



Please turn to page 190 for a list of leading stores that will carry all kinds of home furnishings in the mixed greens as well as in other H&G colors for 1963.



EZRA STOLLER

You can create a changeable bathroom with THE RAINBOW OF NEW TOWELS

The dazzling array of colors in today's towels and bathroom accessories makes furnishing a bathroom an intoxicating venture. You don't even have to stop at one color scheme. You can compose two or even three combinations and switch them about every few days. Or, you can stock up on a whole palette of colors (one set of towels in each might be all you would need) and work out new schemes as the whim strikes you.

Assembled on the opposite page is a representative sampling of towels in three groups of H&G colors—the pinks and purples, blues and hyacinths, yellows and greens. On the right is another company in Tangerine.

For a bathroom of changeable colors, you would, of course, want a background in a go-with-everything neutral. White would be excellent. But if you are redecorating your bathroom or building a new one, don't overlook the go-with-everything mixed greens that will impart to a bouquet of other hues the freshness of a spring garden. You will find abundant resources to choose from as you can see from the background materials, *opposite page*. Your walls might be covered with a cork-and-paper laminate in blocks outlined with Citrus Green, or papered with an Empire Green and Delphinium Blue stripe, or with a pure white paper patterned with an Empire Green bamboo design. On the floor you might lay cotton carpeting in Pistachio or vinyl tiles in green spattered or marbled in white. For a new bathroom, consider a Wintergreen lavatory which you might insert in a counter covered in gray-green vinyl with a straw-matting pattern.

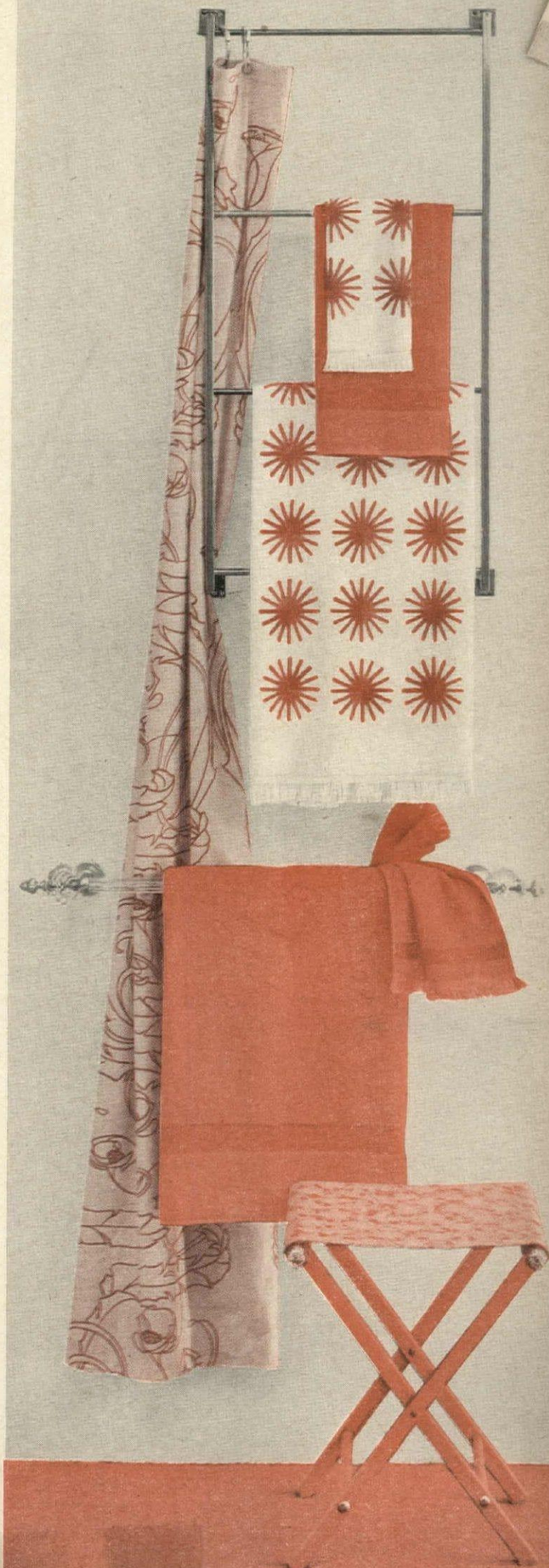
Here are some ideas for changeable colors to splash against a mixed green background:

Start with rose-patterned bath towels. Add hand towels in a potpourri of solid pinks and purples: Geranium Pink, Wood Violet and Loganberry. For a switch, use Loganberry bath towels accompanied by hand towels in a range of paler pinks.

Start with a basic wardrobe of Bronze Green towels (or they might be Green Olive). Mix them, in different sizes, among towels in a changing array of other colors.

Start with a minimum supply of Tangerine towels. Mix one set with white towels patterned in Tangerine. For a change, team another set with a set in Pastel Blue Mist. For a spicy change, accent Tangerine bath towels with Lemon Peel hand towels.

For complete information on all the towels, accessories and materials on these pages, please turn to page 186.





CITRUS GREEN

This exciting hue has such concentrated zing that a little goes a long way. Add a Citrus Green bowl or dish to a potpourri of flower hues in a stark white room and the flower tones suddenly seem fresher, the white purer. For a different, more mellow effect, add Citrus Green tinted glass to a roomful of taupes. Or for tanginess, mix small amounts of Citrus Green with orange-y reds or with blues.

Promising candidates: **1.** Short-stemmed, wide-rimmed goblet of crackled glass, 5½ inches tall, to fill with a clump of tiny blue flowers. \$4. **2.** Slender-throated, crackled-glass decanter with a tapered stopper. 15 inches tall. \$4. **3.** Plump crackled-glass pitcher. 5½ inches tall. \$2. **4.** Capacious rattan wastepaper basket. 12 inches high. \$8.50 for a nest of three. **5.** Ceramic banana leaf dish. 6 inches diameter. \$2. **6.** Gracefully shaped glass jar with a Curry stopper, to fill perhaps with a fragrant potpourri or candy. 9 inches tall. \$17.50.

Bright-on-a-budget finds

in H&G colors

Accent colors, heady and undiluted, can work magic on a familiar room, putting an entirely different emphasis on a color scheme and creating a brand new look at very small cost



TANGERINE

This pungent red crossed with yellow is one of the warmest, spiciest accent colors. Scatter several Tangerine bowls or ashtrays throughout a room of muted yellows or soft beiges and the room glows with life. For sharper jolts of color, stand a Tangerine jar or painted tray against a pure white wall or add splashes of Tangerine to season a roomful of greens.

Likely ideas: **1.** Folding stool stretched with Tangerine damask to provide an extra perch at parties. \$7. **2.** Octagonal metal tray. 18 inches long. \$4.95. **3.** Alabaster cigarette jar. 6 inches tall. \$6. **4.** White water goblet lined in Tangerine. \$3. **5.** Enameled steel bowl from Finland. 8 inches diameter. \$5. **6.** Octagonal alabaster ashtray. 8 inches diameter. \$6. **7.** Pyramid of porcelain strawberries in a chalky basket. 8½ inches tall. \$12.50.



■ BRISTOL BLUE

A vigorous, singing hue with clear, potent tones, this blue is most effective in small doses. Add one Bristol Blue bowl to a yellow room for a single, wonderful bolt of brilliance. Top a coffee table with Bristol Blue smoking accessories to play up the richness of the wood. Or mix Bristol Blue with a field of tender, mixed greens for the ever-fresh-looking snap of blue plus green.

Recommended: **1.** Glass decanter, vividly tinted. 13 inches tall. \$3. **2.** Graceful pitcher. 13 inches tall. \$11.50. **3.** Papier-mâché cat, whimsically decorated. 10½ inches long. \$20. **4.** Compact cigarette lighter. 4 inches high. \$3.50 in set with matching ashtray. **5.** Alabaster ashtray. 8 inches diameter. \$6. **6.** Matching alabaster cigarette box. 8½ inches long. \$7.50. **7.** Enameled steel bowl from Finland. 16 inches diameter. \$15.



■ CURRY

Our new spicy yellow with a hint of green is excitingly versatile, changing its character with each change of background. Stand a Curry vase on a mellow wood table or add a Curry lamp to a paneled study, and the yellow's rich, deep tones will give the wood a wonderful warmth. To play up Curry's hot zing add small splashes to a roomful of blues, greens or deep reds and the scheme takes on new piquancy.

Pertinent suggestions: **1.** Tall, twisty decanter. 18 inches high. \$10. **2.** Curvaceous decanter. 14 inches tall. \$7.50. **3.** Straight, slender hurricane of swirled glass. 14 inches high. \$12 a pair. **4.** Small white ashtray lined in Curry. 3 inches diameter. 45 cents. **5.** Large white ashtray, Curry-lined. 7 inches diameter. \$1.79. **6.** Handsome copy of nineteenth-century tôle lamp with white glass shade. 29 inches high. \$42.50.

For store addresses please turn to page 183



the colors around us

BY MARY O'NEILL

EDITOR'S NOTE: *Several months ago someone called to H&G's attention a dissertation on color, as perceptive as any we have come across. Its inscrutable title: "Hailstones and Halibut Bones."* Its form: a series of verses for children, some of which, by courtesy of Doubleday & Company, Inc., are reproduced on these pages. On the theory that what is sauce for the child may well be meat for the parent, we asked the book's author, Mary O'Neill, to put on paper some of her personal reflections on color in a grown-up world. Essentially subjective, the paragraphs she gives us outline no techniques, point no moral. But we have a suspicion that after reading them, you will think you have discovered a new kind of technicolor glasses.*

... colors laugh
And colors cry—
Turn off the light
And colors die,
And they make you feel
Every feeling there is
From the grumpiest grump
To the fizziest fizz ...

Blue is the color of the sky
Without a cloud
Cool, distant, beautiful
And proud.
Blue is the quiet sea
And the eyes of some people,
And many agree
As they grow older and older
Blue is the scarf
Spring wears on her shoulder.
Blue is the twilight,
Shadows on snow ...
And on winter mornings
The dawns are blue....

Talented or not, trained or not, we all mix our colors, stretch our canvases, and proceed to paint. In the course of a lifetime we produce quite a collection of compositions: all the rooms we've ever arranged for living, all the clothes we've chosen, every child we've dressed, every garden we've sown or reaped, every bouquet we've ever gathered, every meal we've ever served. We are known and remembered by these pictures. They are revealing self-portraits, bearing the stamp, stronger than a signature, of our unique use of color.

Out of the wealth of sights that living, learning, growing and traveling bring to each of us, the mind selects its ideal of beauty. Slowly in this dark, unconscious, creative world the new is continually combining with the known, creating the desire for change without disturbing the dearly familiar. Thus our ideas for color changes usually come to us on tip-toe, not wishing to displace, but to improve. The color that showed faintly in our room a few years ago as a trace of rose may dominate the room today, and we, who actively performed the change are hardly aware of it—aware instead of how beautiful and fresh the scene is, how continually pleasing. We look for flaws and find none. The colors wash around us, creating a stir of content. This is almost perfect we think; nothing is really missing. But how beautiful a goblet of blue opaline would be, there on the little table before the old gilt mirror, holding violets, mauve roses and princess pine, in their seasons. The change has been made, though it will not appear for a little while. Where did it come from? Why is it blue opaline?

Just because we saw this color once and something happened—something a little bit like love, a little bit like prophecy. We took this blue into our heart, knowing we would use it someday. Now time has made a place for it, there under the old gilt mirror, and the changes in us are responsible.

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Yellow blinks
 On summer nights
 In the off-and-on of
 Firefly lights.
 Yellow's a topaz,
 A candle flame.
 Felicity's a
 Yellow name.
 Yellow's mimosa,
 And I guess,
 Yellow's the color of
 Happiness.

Here in the United States where the color tastes of all cultures mingle in happy harmony, where travel is the national hobby, where every year some families move a thousand miles from their roots, the colors around us bubble with more variety and vitality than anywhere else in the world. The Siamese pinks, the Aztec golds, the French blues, the Spanish reds, the dusty Portuguese blacks, the Irish greens and China tea-chest colors are all familiar hues. They line up in our minds alongside the colors of the land itself: the bleached beiges of the desert, the yellow-daisy-corn-wheat colors of the Midwest, the soft magnolia pinks and smothering Spanish mosses of the South, the brown of bald Northwestern hills and muddy rivers, the dark, rich green gloom of redwood forest, the big blue bowls of the Great Lakes, the glow of blast furnaces, the rose brick of a city wall at sunset, the piercing cry of color in a disciplined New England garden. And on two sides of us, along thousands of miles of coast, the ocean blues and grays and amethyst roll in, crested with dissolving lace, and leave delicately tinted sea shells on the dark-stained sand. All of these are colors to be borrowed for the homes we live in and we are free to add the blue of the Caribbean, like no other blue in the world; the light golden ambiance of Greece; the wineglass glow of Africa; the gray-green grass sea of the Argentine plain; the pastels of Bermuda houses; the parakeet colors of South and Central America.

Basically each of us has one color we consider passionately our own. Some of it must be around us at all times—though it may vary in amount and intensity. This is the color we always think of first. The one we feel most comfortable with. The one with which we often wet our widest brush, and always use with greatest ease. Sometimes it is there only to hold our hand and cheer us as we brush new colors onto our canvas.

Some of us are addicted to strong color. Others live best in a muted, pastel world, among the olives, mauves, off-whites and faded, sun-baked blacks. But we settle, almost always, for the color that makes us feel most beautiful and most at home.

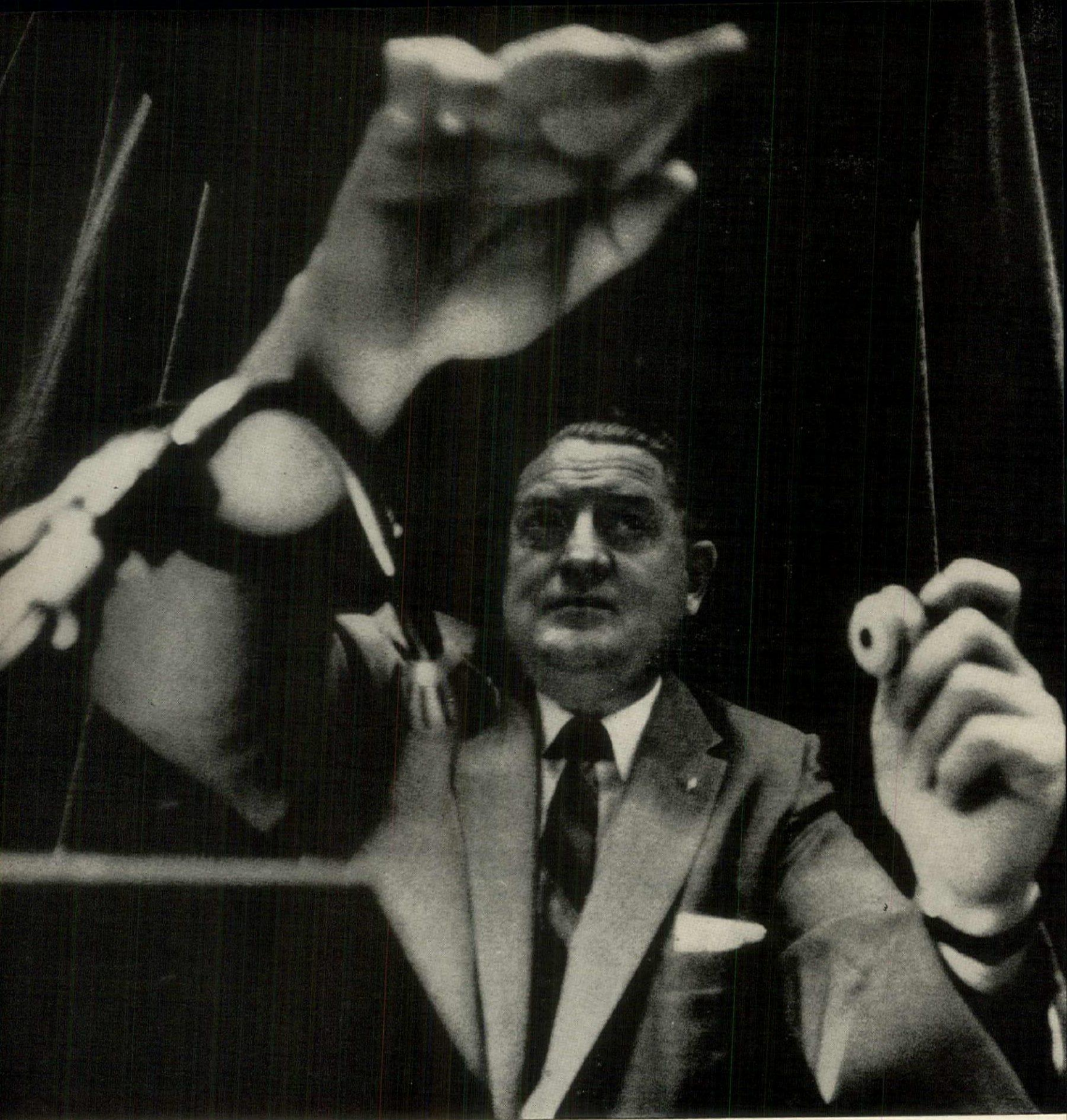
Green is the grass
 And the leaves of trees
 Green is the smell
 Of a country breeze.
 Green is lettuce
 And sometimes the sea.
 When green is a feeling
 You pronounce it N-V.
 Green is a coolness
 You get in the shade
 Of the tall old woods
 Where the moss is made....
 Green is the meadow,
 Green is the jazz
 That covers up
 Where winter was.
 Green is ivy and
 Honeysuckle vine.
 Green is yours
 Green is mine....

The springtime view from my window of a thin, young tree wavering into bud may account for the new willow-green Shantung pillow in our bedroom. From the apartment above me someone may have failed to see the tree at all. But soon new folds of silk tissue will appear at those upper windows—in a shade surprisingly close to the mushrooms in our street vendor's cart.

Yet all colors are for everybody. To avoid using one is to leave something lovely in ourselves suppressed and to grow frowns. My war with scarlet was one of the thoughtless, smarting sadnesses of my youth. I had tried to duplicate the triumph of my friend, Mimi, who had stunned the stag line in scarlet satin. But for me it didn't work. A nothing in a red dress, I giggled, said all the wrong words and fought back tears with odd grimaces. It was a long time before I gave that vixen, scarlet, room in my life again. Only when I thought to dip into the color with a smaller brush, did we become friends. Then it winked at me from across the room in a velvet picture mat, waved at me in a ribbon book mark, lay softly faded at my feet in a Persian rug. The other day in a florist's shop, I saw spears of white stock standing beside a vase of scarlet roses. We will have new white muslin curtains in the bedroom one of these days and they will be edged with the narrowest of flutings in scarlet—that triumphant show-off color it took me so long to understand.

Red is a sunset
 Blazy and bright.
 Red is feeling brave
 With all your might.
 Red is a sunburn
 Spot on your nose,
 Sometimes red
 Is a red, red rose....
 Red is a great big
 Rubber ball.
 Red is the giant-est
 Color of all.
 Red is a show-off
 No doubt about it—
 But can you imagine
 Living without it?

White is a dove
 And lily of the valley
 And a puddle of milk
 Spilled in an alley—
 A ship's sail
 A kite's tail
 A wedding veil
 Hailstones and
 Halibut bones
 And some people's
 Telephones....



FAIR WARNING:
FALL AUCTIONS
OFF TO A
FAST START

When auctioneer Louis J. Marion booms "Fair warning," his hand poised in mid-air, silence reigns over his audience who know that in seconds the hand will come down, the gavel—an ivory knob fashioned from an old umbrella handle—will hit the table before him and with a sure and solemn finality, he will say, "Sold." One evening last year, the fall of his knob marked the sale of a Rembrandt painting to the Metropolitan Museum of Art for a record \$2,300,000. As head auctioneer at New York City's Parke-Bernet Galleries, he is representative of an interesting band of professionals whose importance on the international scene has grown along with the mounting interest in auctions around the world. With the skill of a professional performer, Mr. Marion keeps a sharp eye on auction-comers, knows many of them personally and has been known occasionally to carry on a quiet conversation with one of them even as the bidding proceeds. Working feverishly, he once lost five pounds at a single sale. But seated with great dignity, on a raised platform under a plush canopy and flanked by uniformed attendants, he seems more like a judge solemnly presiding over a court trial than the scintillating super salesman that he is.

WORTH THINKING ABOUT

■ *The growing concern about ugliness* and who is responsible for it—a subject recently explored in an all-day conference by the New York chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Among the twenty-two participants were businessmen, artists, musicians, editors, a psychologist. And architects. That ugliness exists in our cities, all agreed. The culprit was never clearly identified, but interest in pursuing the matter ran so high that further investigation is planned for spring. To be added to the panelists: a banker and a woman (not a banker), representing two points of view curiously missing from the first session.

Pithiest comment of the day came from painter Ad Reinhardt: "Artists once led less ugly lives than other men. Today, artists lead the same kind of life as other men. The artist as a businessman is uglier than the businessman as an artist."

Footnote: a new type of picket line self-named "the anti-uglies" has been staging protests against undesirable buildings in London and New York.

■ *Sound permeating the air to new purpose*, oftentimes providing a link between eye and ear as in a Panorama book-record-slide combination. Via the recording, Vincent Price takes the listener on a museum tour which is illustrated by a series of slides of the masterpieces he describes. The accompanying book provides further reference material. Among museums investigated: Paris' Louvre, Madrid's Prado and Washington's National Gallery.

At the new modern museum in Mexico's Pedregal, viewers will be provided with earphones through which they will hear a commentary on each work of art as they pass it. Another role for sound: the stunning mood music which enlivens a new wordless documentary film, called simply "The Painting," that traces the evolution of one artist's effort from concept to completion.

In a lighter vein: a menu of music, included in the soon-to-be-published "Madison Avenue Cook Book," that recommends specific records as accompaniments for specific dishes.

■ *Government sponsorship of good design* in the form of exhibitions of selected products in permanent showrooms—an increasing trend abroad. Recent additions to the roster: Finland, West Germany, Holland. These follow patterns set by Copenhagen's Den Permanente and London's Design Center, both of which have had immeasurable influence on the state of design in their respective countries. The value of these projects could be a point in favor of state support of the arts by our own country—an issue much in controversy.

■ *Turn-of-the-century revivals*, most notably the current passion for collecting old bentwood chairs made by Thonet. Seen in designer Eric Ayers' Regent Square home in London: thirty-seven examples of the bentwood art ranging from hat racks to headboards and including loveseats and chaises as well as chairs. Other evidence of nostalgia for this period of the past: pastel stained glass panes in large modern windows, fur throws across the arms of sofas, Tiffany lighting fixtures and vases, even modern versions of the brass potted palm. The last, done by John Steck, are also in brass but the design is based on a free-flowing mountain pine.

■ *The new enthusiasm for crewel*. Two books on this embroidery technique have come off the press in recent months—one by Erica Wilson who runs a correspondence course for crewel-workers. Also in the offing: do-it-yourself kits and, for the first time in this country, the proper kind of wool. (Crewel refers to the weight of the yarn.) Proof that this technique adapts itself to modern surroundings may be seen in the thoroughly contemporary seat cushions that designer Eszter Haraszty made for her very modern California home. "Some people call it cruel work," she says, "but to me, the labor is well worth while."

■ *The passion for part-time possessions* that verges on the ridiculous and threatens to make the fad for rentals passé. Offers of wigs and wraps, portraits and people-for-parties would seem to be carrying the rent-it idea too far. As one local wit quipped: "If you really need a friend, you can rent one." If it doesn't stop, warns industrial designer Neal Hathaway of Raymond Loewy's staff, creative design will surely suffer, for objects will have to appeal to the many who might rent them rather than the individual in a mood to buy them for keeps.

ART KANE

Houses of genuine quality reveal

The big importance of

EZRA STOLLER



the small detail

● Every house is a composite of scores of details, some so subtle they escape the hasty glance of the untrained eye, others as compelling as a distinctive front door. Whether they contribute to structural soundness, convenience, or visual delight, well-fashioned details make the subtle difference between a good house and an excellent one. And they can also go far to lift a modest house out of the realm of the ordinary.

There are two kinds of architectural details—those which are inseparable parts of the house and those which are added to it. The first group takes in elements like cornices and overhangs, stairways and doorways and fine points of construction such as the way a post meets a beam or one material is joined to another. The other kind of detail comprises all the finishing touches that add to delight or livability: handsome lighting fixtures, beautifully fashioned hardware, decorative screens, fine built-in cabinetwork, well-thought-out provisions for housing curtain tracks or shade fixtures, efficient fittings for storage areas, small conveniences for kitchen or bathroom.

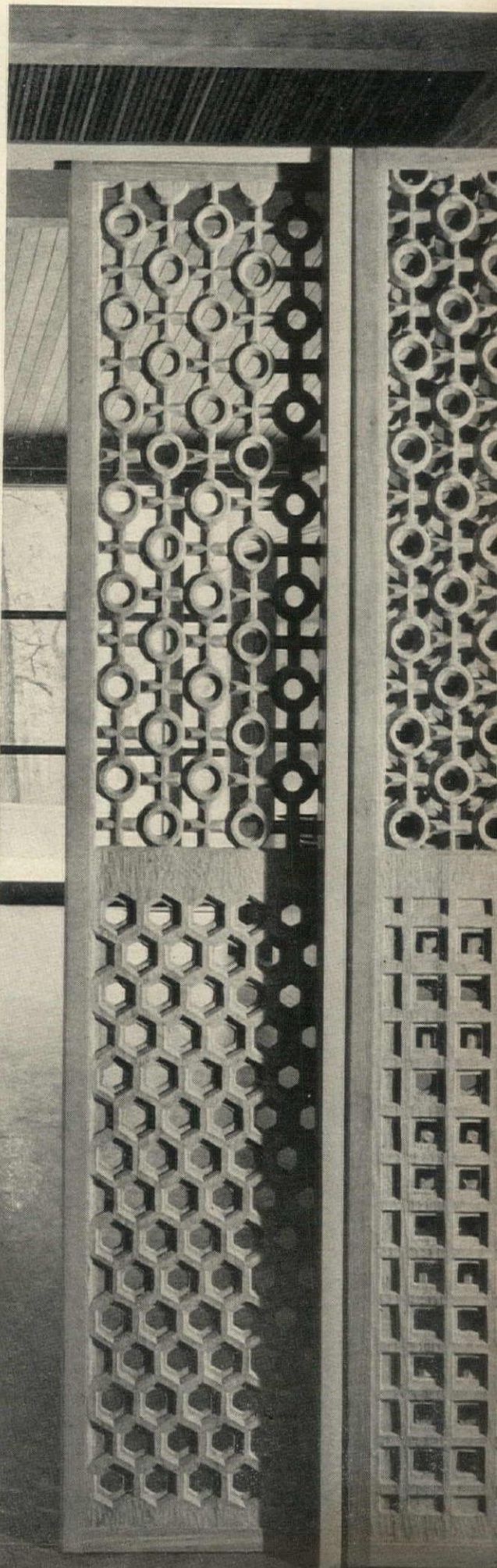
To be good, details of both types must be expertly integrated into the design of the house. A competent architect thinks simultaneously of his over-all concept and its expression in minute particulars. Even details that are added to the basic structure—like lighting fixtures or hardware—must harmonize in design and scale with the doors and walls around them and accent the surrounding materials. And both kinds of detail should work together—as they do in the entrance, *opposite page*, where structural and ornamental elements combine in an over-all design that evokes a mood and establishes the character of the house.

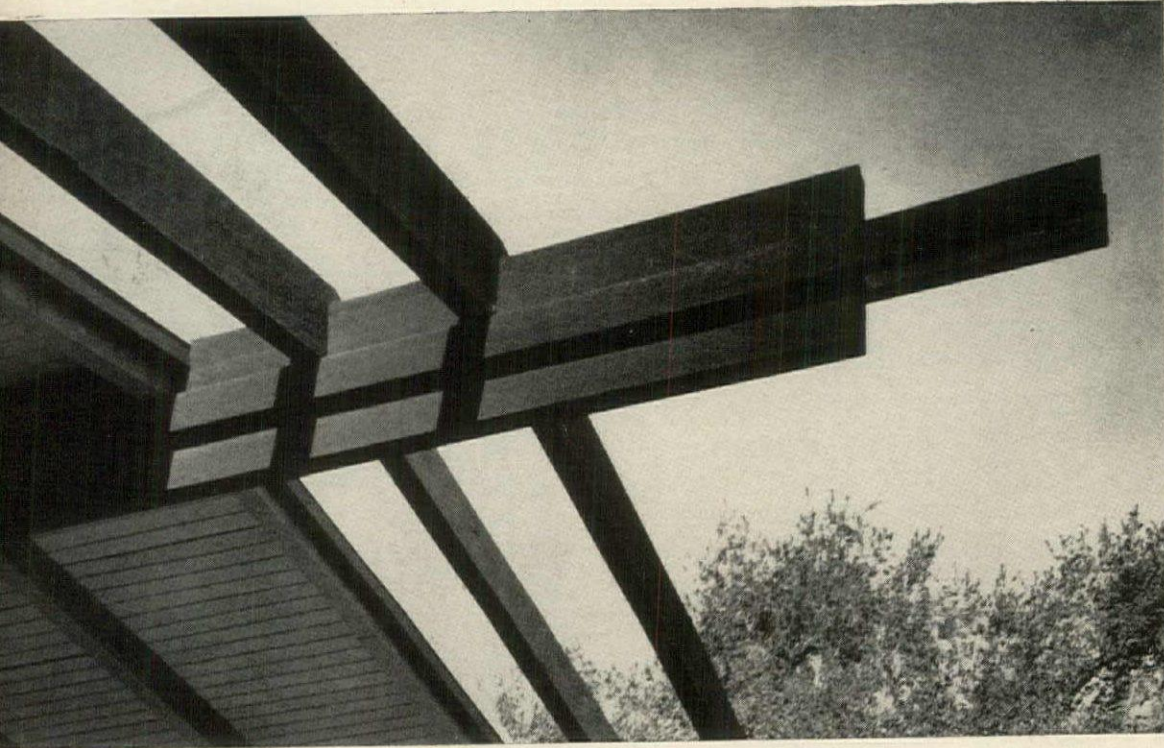
Of course, no amount of slick detailing can rescue a poorly conceived design. But many a house with an excellent plan, an abundance of space and luxurious materials has fallen short of its promise only because of the crudeness of its detail. On the other hand, distinctive door handles and beautifully turned stair rails cost considerably less, as a rule, than teak walls, marble floors or the addition of an extra room. So even if the house you can afford to build is somewhat smaller and more modest than you would like, you can, by well-chosen and well-executed details, make sure that it gives you your money's worth. For excellence of detail is the final criterion that gives a good house, large or small, the signature of quality. Here, and on the next four pages, is a scrapbook of examples selected from seventeen houses of quality—all quite different and located in different parts of the country.

◀ **Both types of detail—structural and finishing**—are integrated in the total design of this main entrance. Vertical strips of dark wood cover expansion joints between brick panels, supply vertical accents for horizontal lines of masonry. Exposed rafters supporting overhang make it look lighter than if they were enclosed. Door hardware and lamp repeat vertical lines of wood strips.

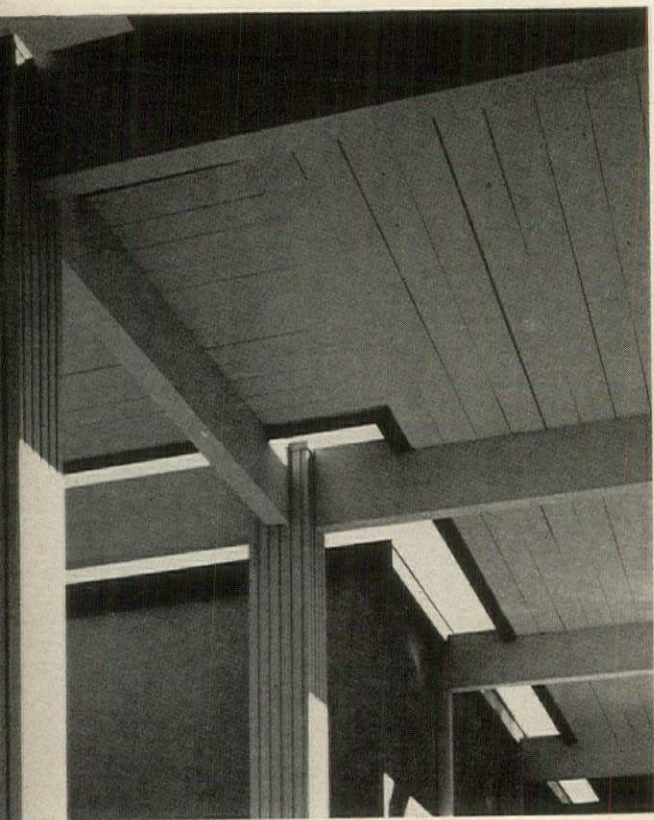
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▼ Hand-carved divider screens hang from track that spans room, slide back and forth without quite touching the floor.

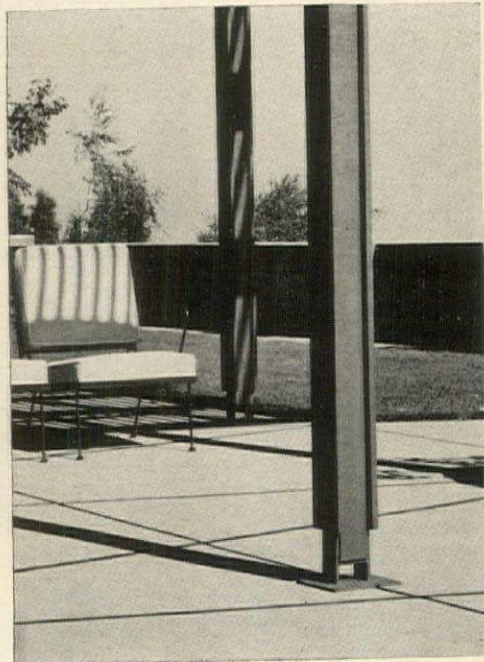




▲ Central beam of a low-pitched roof, braced by longer boards, thrusts out beyond the rafters, becomes a dramatic element in the distinctive design of the house.

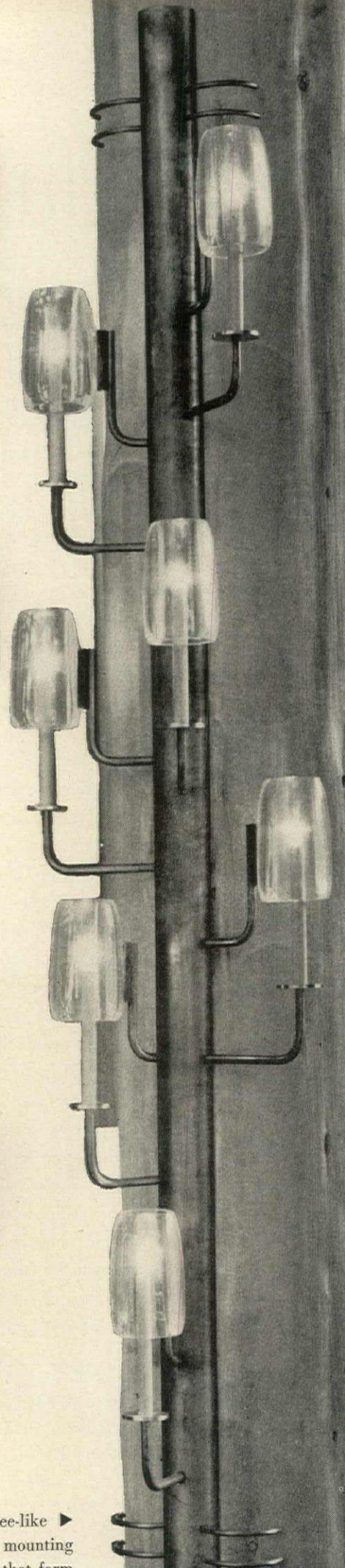


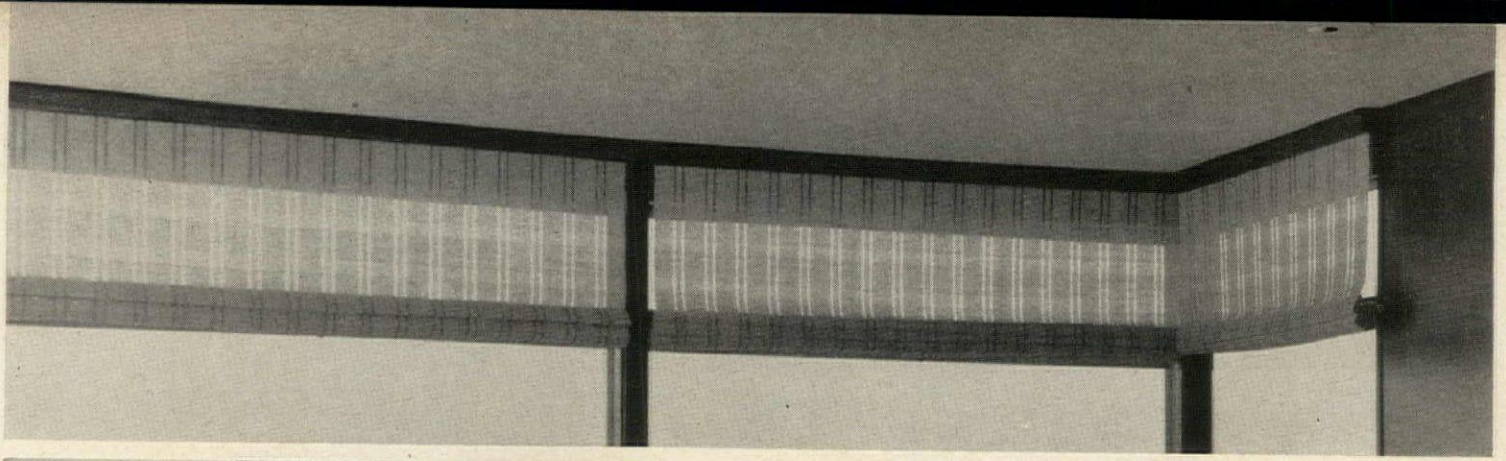
▲ Deeply scored posts, neatly capped at top, give classic elegance to a covered entrance walk. Roof of walk, supported by extended beams of house, stops short of walls so daylight can filter through.



MORLEY BAER

Imaginative lighting fixture with tree-like ► branches was specially designed for mounting on one of the rough posts that form interior supports in a house with an open plan.



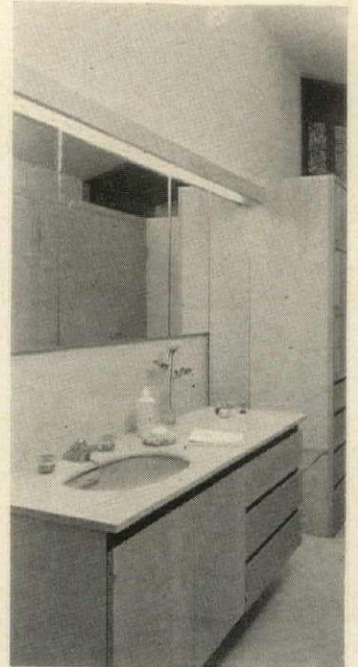


▲ Trim housing for tops of roll-up blinds: a cornice that extends without interruption around the whole perimeter of this living room.



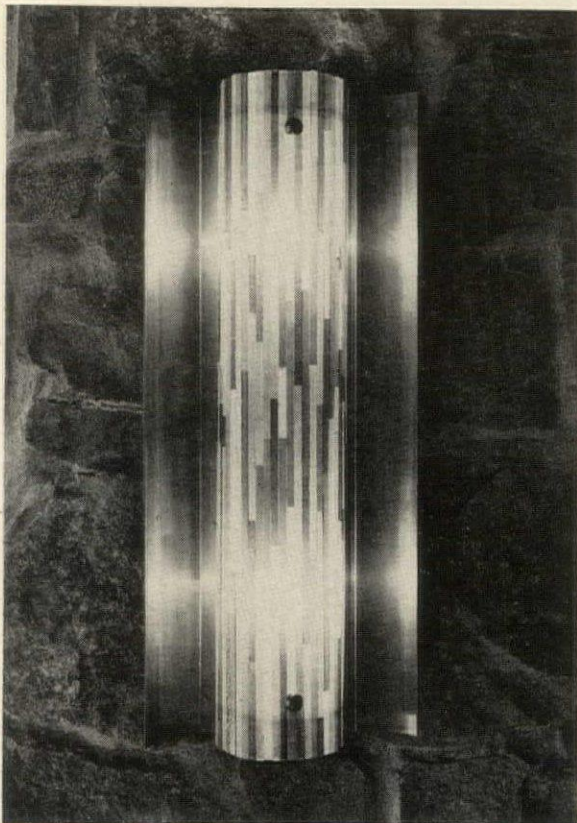
◀ Flush door panels, mitered corners and beautifully turned knobs—all characteristic of fine furniture—mark a built-in divider cabinet of Burma teak. Air-conditioning outlet is built into base, hidden by overhang of cabinet.

▶ Drawer fronts with setbacks at top and bottom eliminate need for handles on drawers under dressing counter. Overhang of marble top protects wood from water.

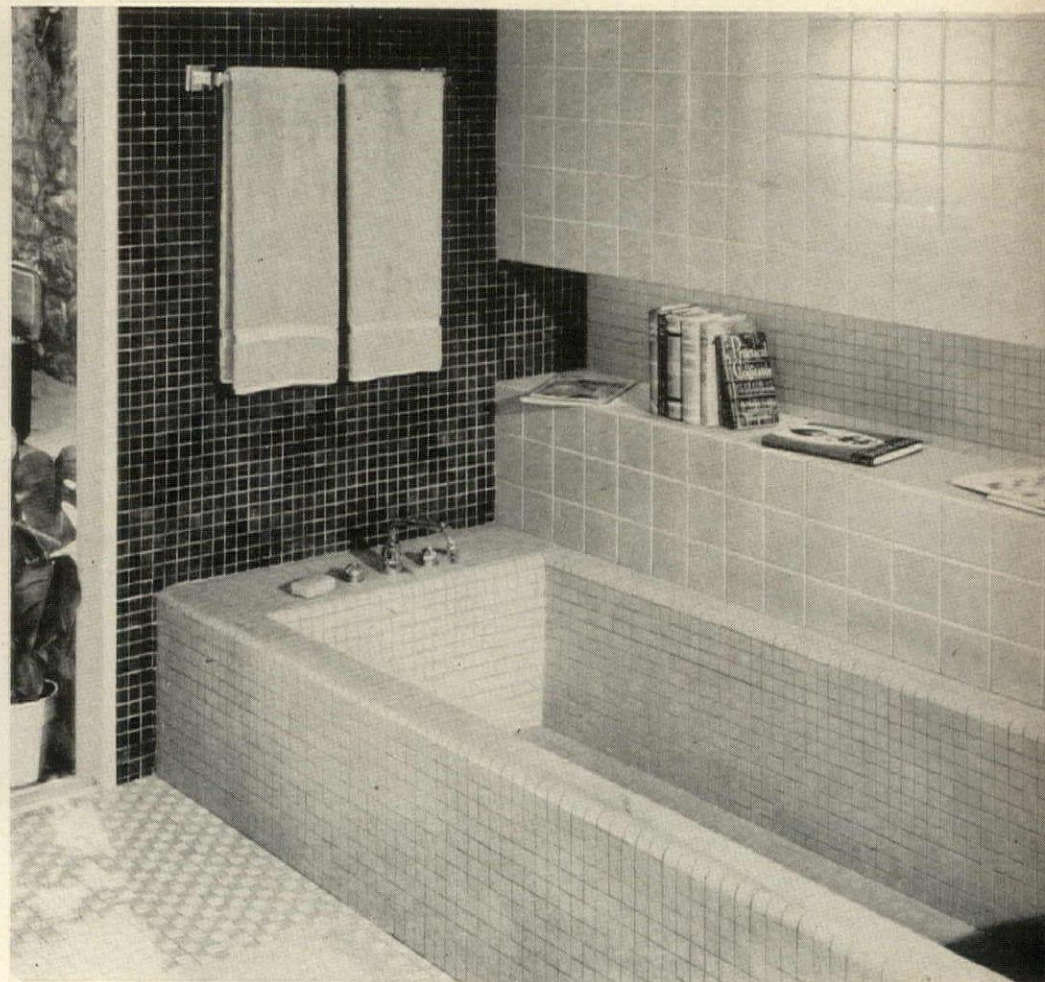


▼ Mosaic tile curves smoothly over edges of tub in a bathroom which is one continuous sweep of varied tile.

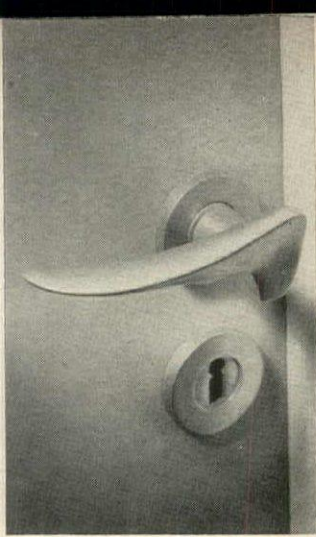
DEARBORN-MASSAR



▲ A many-colored entrance light shines like a jewel set in rough stone wall.

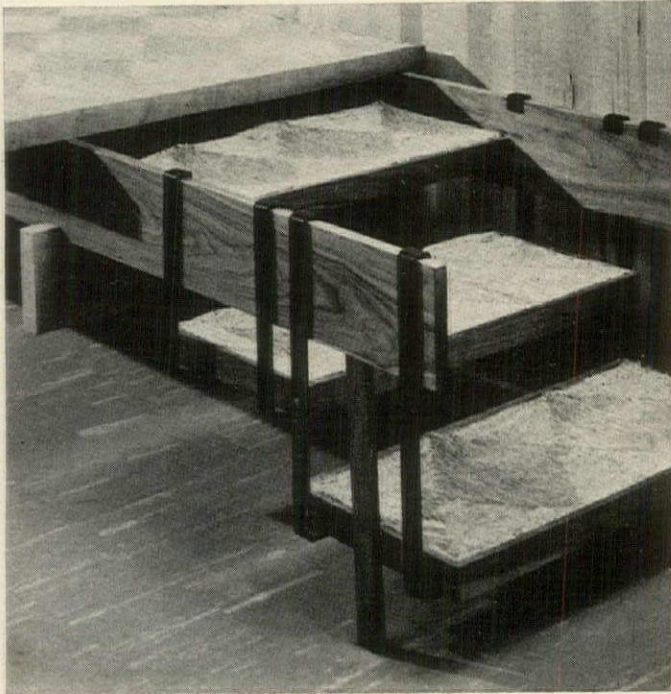


**Sculptured handle and ►
well-scaled lock**
enrich a flush door.

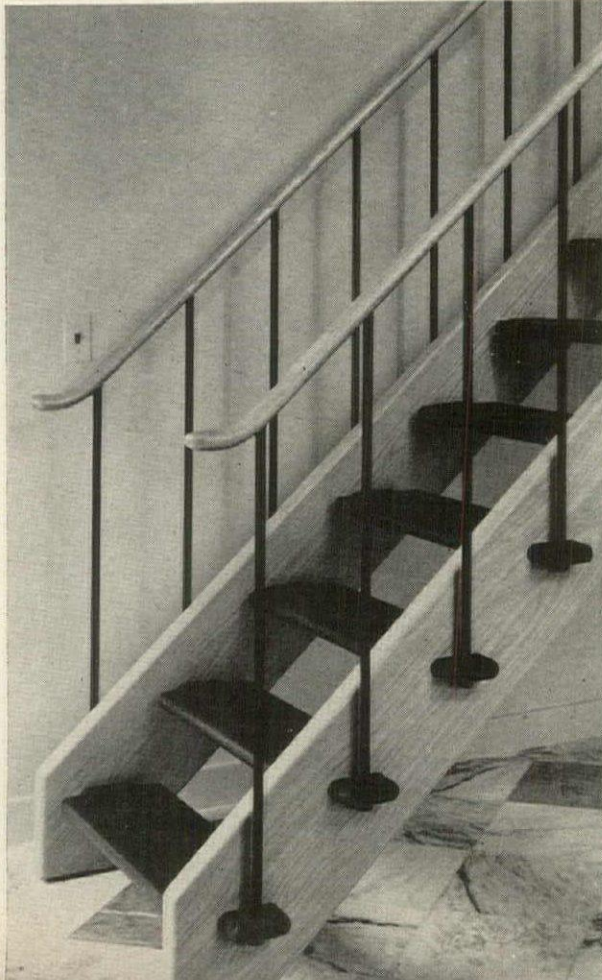


▼ **Treads of cantilevered stair** have raised edges that form flush frames for grass matting. Metal hangers create visual effect of balusters.

DEARBORN-MASSAR



EZRA STOLLER



▲ **Carved wood screen** that extends from floor to two-story-high ceiling but clears side wall forms both a visual divider and bannister-like protection for concrete slab steps.

◀ **Walnut treads** of free-standing stairway are beautifully tapered to project through oak frame in manner of hand-crafted furniture.

Heavy drawers hung on metal gliders ►
are steady enough to hold record player; records can be filed in lower drawers so titles can be read from above.



FROST

MILLER

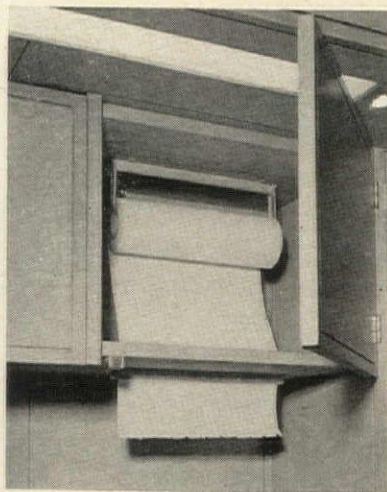
NOWELL WARD



▲ Ready-made plastic bins, less expensive than cabinetry, slide into built-in frame to make a child's dresser. Bins are lightweight, have soft edges, are easy for child to handle.



▲ Metal tracks recessed in walls of silver-storage cupboard hold shelf supports at any level required to accommodate scores of objects of various sizes.



◀ Paper-towel cupboard with steel-edge slot eliminates need for fixture on kitchen wall.

HOLZ



▲ Party cabinet built into family room is finished with ash-grain plastic laminate, includes deep drawers for linens and a pull-out serving counter.

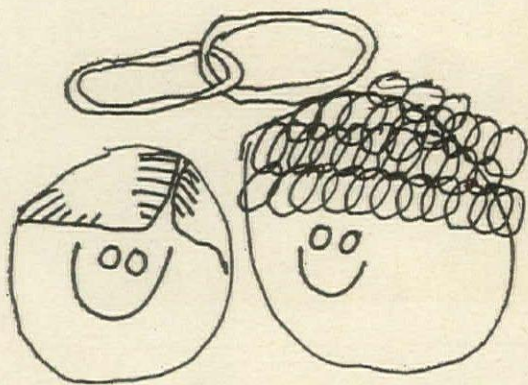
MEISEL

SHULMAN



▼ Pull-out marble slab on heavy metal gliders is space-saving asset for dedicated pastry cook.

MANNERS ARE BACK IN STYLE



"If you don't mind your manners,
whoever will?"

—CONFUCIUS JR.

Once upon a time there was a nine-year-old who still talked with his mouth full sometimes. But one day he made the following announcement to his mother: "It's funny, but the nicest kids are always the ones whose parents fuss at them about their manners." His mother, a fussy parent, said, "Well, well," thinking to herself what an extraordinarily observant and intelligent child he was. The real significance of this boy's off-the-cuff comment lies in its revelation of an underground movement among parents. In spite of the cherished notion of a few years back that burdening a child with the baggage of social good form was repressing him and therefore harmful, many parents have apparently—on the sly—been teaching their children manners, anyway. Now the effects of this surreptitious twig-bending are beginning to show. And even another child can see that such a twig is nice to be around. As a matter of fact, a child usually loves to be shown the ropes of social savoir-faire. When he tries them out on his own, he wins the approval of grownups and, what's even more important (to him), he impresses his peers.

"Answering the doorbell at all times is definitely my responsibility, of course. (After all, how else can I keep tabs on who's coming around here?) Besides, I like to greet people. When the new arrival is a man, he usually shakes hands with me, and I look him in the eye (not at the handshake) and say, 'How do you do?' When it's a lady, I wait for her to offer her hand to me but I always say, 'How do you do?' not 'Hi.' My parents let me pass the canapés. (I do not mix or pass drinks.) At a sign from Mother I leave."

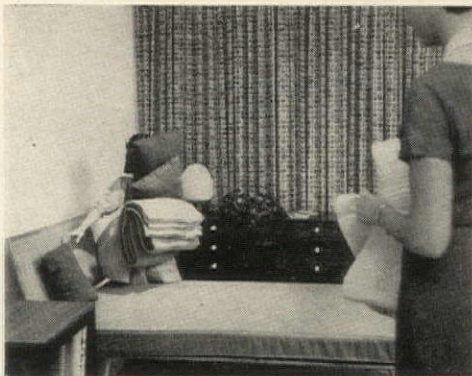
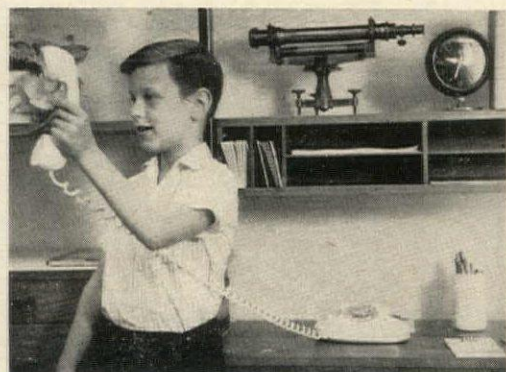
"Answering the phone is a must if you want to keep up with what goes on around your house. I say, 'Hello, this is Mickey Jones' (that's my name). Let's say the call is for my nutty sister—she's fourteen and gets a lot of calls. If she's out, I write down the message on a pad of paper marked 'Amy' (that's her name). Everyone in our family has his own message pad right by the phone. If she's home, I say, 'Just a moment, please,' and then I call her. With Amy around, it's a good thing none of us kids is allowed to talk on the phone longer than ten minutes."

"When Mother is entertaining a visitor, I like to make tea for them. This goes over big. It's fun to get out the cups and saucers and set up the tray—I make it look as pretty as I can. You have to be real careful with the boiling water but I'm old enough now to know how. I also make cinnamon toast or fill a plate with cookies. I carry the tray in very slowly and set it where Mother and her friend can reach it easily, and I may pass the things to them. (Then I go back to the kitchen and have a little snack myself.)"

"Best of all is when a sleep-over guest is coming. Lots of preparations have to be made. First we make up the guest bed. (That's me—Susan—behind all the blankets and pillows in the first picture.) My mother helps me make it up just so. You should always give a guest the best bedding in the house because you want to make her feel how glad you are to have her. I like to make up a tray of things she might need and put it by the bed. I put some tissues in it, a clock, a few books, an apple or pear in case she gets hungry, and a flower to make it look nice."

"Once a week, for a special meal like Sunday breakfast, or Friday night or Saturday night supper, I get to set the table with anything I choose. My sister Amy and my brother Mickey each have a chance on other days, and we really try to make the table look nice. I carry the gear in on a tray and then arrange it all on the table. I know how to place the knives and forks and spoons. The centerpiece is the most fun—you can make one out of anything, even puppets."

TOM YEE



Beginning a new H&G series on distinguished American houses of the past which have been restored with discrimination and care. All are affiliated with the National Trust for Historic Preservation and offer inspiring lessons in traditional architecture and decoration

Classic columns and Empire mahogany



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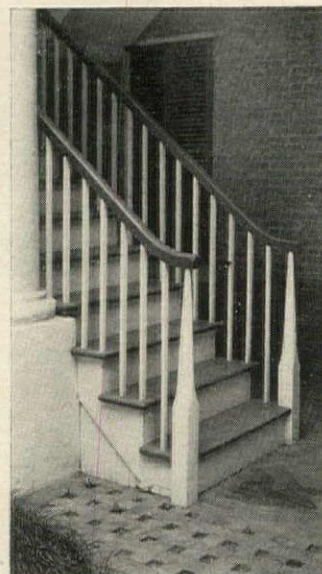
BROODED OVER by moss-bearded live oaks and girdled with azaleas, the rosy-brick white-columned house long known as The Shadows stands back with quiet dignity from the main street of New Iberia, La., and its lawns and gardens extend back to the bank of the Bayou Teche. An eminent prototype of the romantically galleried Louisiana mansion, The Shadows is one of the most enlightening of the old houses in the bayou country—and the newest of the National Trust's restorations. It was opened to the public not quite a year ago. Several of the documentary materials used in refurbishing the interior can be purchased for today's homes through decorators (for information, see page 179).

Built in 1831 by David Weeks, a prominent cotton and sugar planter, The Shadows is in many ways a typical plantation house, especially in the symmetry of its plan. And in deference to the hot languor of the Louisiana climate most of the main rooms are located at second-story breeze-catching height. The only interior stairway, however, is the "slaves' stair" at the back of the house, since legend has it that the early Spanish Governors deemed elaborate inside stairwells a luxury and taxed them to the point where most planters preferred to go from one floor to another in the open air; hence the outside stairway with delicately turned balusters and railings that ascends from one end of The Shadows' portico and makes the second-floor gallery a functional necessity as well as an appealing element of the architectural design.

In style, The Shadows reflects the Classic Revival that began to flower in New England and New York State at the turn of the nineteenth century, then spread down the Eastern Seaboard and across to the Gulf Coast. The Shadows' roof, however, is gabled at the sides rather than at front and back, and under the eaves is a series of square perforated blocks—an unusual form of ornamentation which has also been found in New England. At the back of the house is a recessed brick-paved loggia framed by a series of graceful brick arches, and, above it, a recessed second-story porch.

Even more characteristic of the ante-bellum period are the architectural details of the interior. Perfectly scaled cornices grace the perimeters of the high-ceilinged rooms. The fluted frames of the doors and windows terminate at the corners in carved rosettes, and over many of the doorways are simple but elegant fanlights. The rooms are furnished as we furnish ours today with a collection of furniture that varies in origin and spans several decades in design: the English Chippendale and Hepplewhite styles of the late eighteenth century and the Sheraton of the early nineteenth, as well as the later American Empire style. Some pieces are Weeks' heirlooms; others were added by the National Trust. The majority were collected by David Weeks' great-grandson, the late Weeks Hall, who reclaimed his ancestral home and ultimately bequeathed it to the Trust.

Shadows-on-the-Teche is an evocative example of Classic Revival elegance in architectural detail and of the friendly warmth of ante-bellum decorating. The subtly tapered columns across the front of the house are made of brick encased in the stucco. Topped with the simplest of capitals, they support a carved frieze that encircles the house like a sculptured ribbon. The bricks, found on the property, have long since shed the white paint that once covered them, and have weathered to a rosy glow. Tucked away in one corner of the portico, the outside stairway is screened by an ornamental lattice and jalousies which are duplicated at the other end of the porch.



SLENDER SPINDLES
AND GENTLY CURVED
RAILS GRACE THE
OUTSIDE STAIRCASE





THE DINING ROOM IS AN ELEGANT BREEZEWAY

admirably planned to encourage every passing breeze, the dining room runs the whole depth of The Shadows' first floor. One door and a pair of windows open to the rear loggia, **LEFT**, and an identical trio in the opposite wall opens to the front portico. Despite heavy indoor-outdoor traffic (the original kitchen was in an outbuilding) the practical black-and-white marble floor has maintained its elegance. The architectural dignity of the room is deftly enhanced by wallpaper: plain green paper covers the walls, a wide multicolor border outlines the ceiling cornice and a narrower companion band accents door and window frames. Two Hepplewhite card tables flank the fireplace but the rest of the furniture is Sheraton. Many generations of Weeks treasured the French vermeil flatware, which could serve eighteen diners on a scale commensurate with traditional Southern hospitality.

THE DRAWING ROOM REFLECTS ANTE-BELLUM OPULENCE

Curtains of red damask and armchairs upholstered in crimson and moss green velvet give a gala flavor to the white-walled drawing room on the second floor. Here, too, the cornice is underscored with a wallpaper border—a gay flowered swag handpainted in France. Appropriately, most of the furniture in this room is of the newest, most fashionable (as of 1831) design. But the roomy “gentleman’s” chairs with their generously carved frames and the Empire pedestal table with fantastic animal’s feet do not dim the elegance of the older and much simpler Sheraton card table. An even later acquisition: the rosewood Pleyel piano patented in 1855.



ALL BEDROOM DOORS
ARE PAINTED IN
FAUX BOIS—
A DECORATIVE PATTERN
SUGGESTING WOOD GRAIN

THE MASTER BEDROOM HAS ITS OWN SITTING ROOM

As in many of today’s contemporary houses, sliding doors connect the master bedroom to daytime living area. The huge carved tester bed boasts a revolving foot rail to which a blanket can be attached (like a roller towel) to keep it taut and tidy. In the sitting room, the floor is covered for summer, as we often cover ours, with straw matting. And the fluted window frames, unencumbered with elaborate hangings, are simply curtained with tambour embroidered muslin.



HANDSOME ARMOIRES
LIKE THIS ONE
SUPPLY STORAGE SPACE
FOR CLOSETLESS ROOMS



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Chaos conquered or THE CASE OF THE CAPABLE

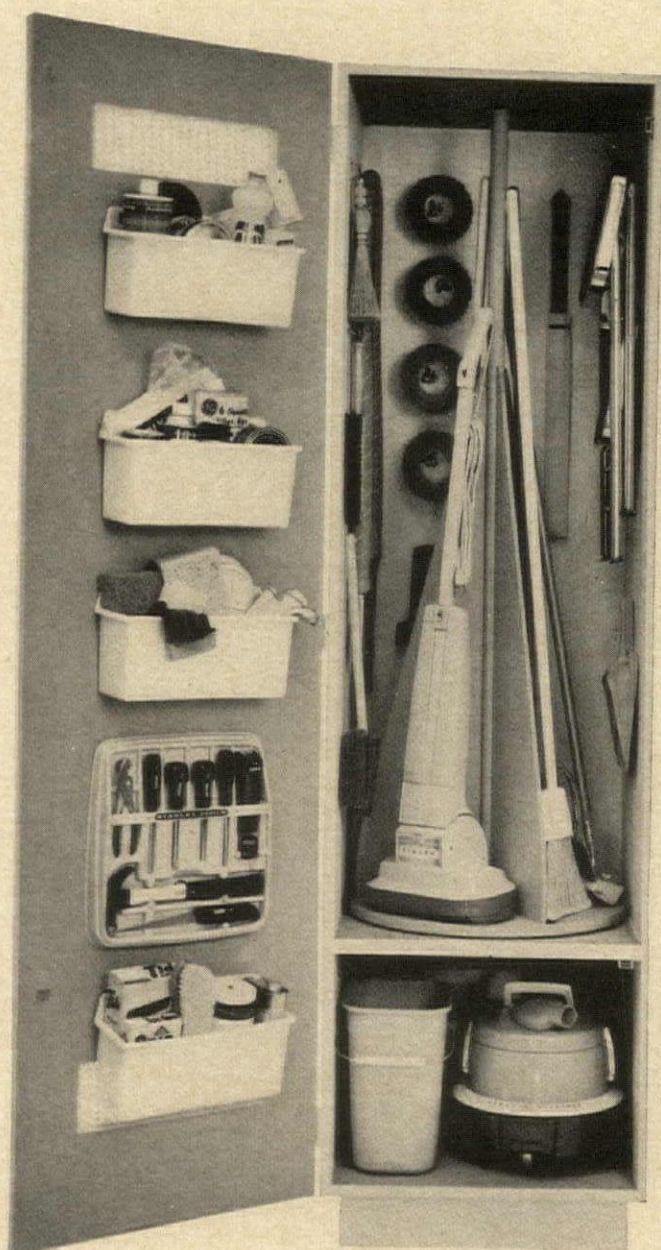
No matter what you may have believed to the contrary, the happy, helpful, irrefutable fact is that you *can* keep all your cleaning gear in one closet. That's right, all of it. And keep it in order. And be able to extract any item you want without having to remove a dozen others first. We have proved it with the cleaning closet H&G designed to hold every last one of the appliances, gadgets and cleansers arrayed *below right*. Modest in size, the closet takes up only 24 by 24 inches of floor space and is 83 inches tall (standard kitchen cabinet specifications). You can build it yourself, of 3/4-inch plywood, if you are adept at wielding saw and nails—or you can have a carpenter build it for you. We painted ours in H&G colors—Moonlight and Citrus Green—that look as fresh and clean as the contents of the closet are calculated to keep every corner of the house.

With no pushing or squeezing, we made room in our closet for the following (top to bottom, left to right): carpet sweeper; dust mop; broom; sponge mop; two jumbo-size packages of detergent; one pail; floor polisher-rug cleaner plus four brushes and rug-cleaning attachment; canister vacuum cleaner with hose, extension wands and all attachments; ladder-stool; four plastic bins that hold (1) detergent, floor and woodwork cleaner, silver, copper and brass polishes, scrubbing brush, (2) sponges, scouring pads, rubber and disposable vinyl gloves, (3) liquid wax-cleaner for vinyl tiles, all-purpose liquid cleaner, upholstery cleaner with applicator, paste floor wax, oven cleaner, (4) scouring cleanser, window and glass cleaner, furniture wax and filter bags for vacuum; tool kit; long, narrow brush; slim soft plastic cleaning tool; dustpan and whisk broom; upholstery brush; Venetian blind brush. For shopping information, please turn to page 183.

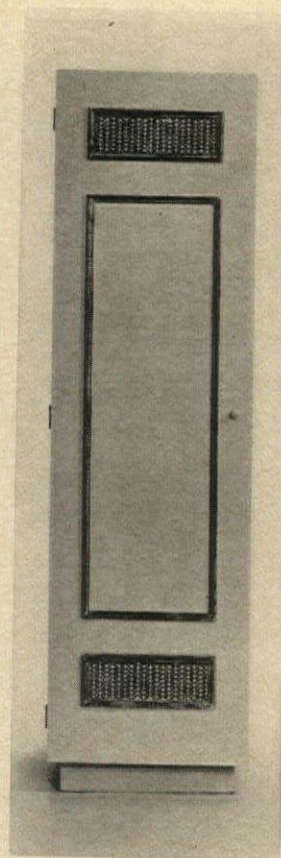


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CLEANING CLOSET



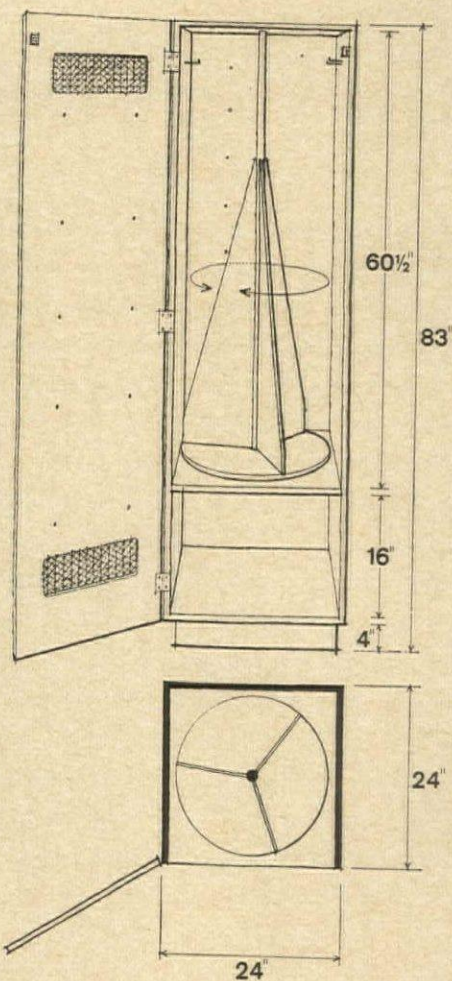
Every item comes instantly into sight.



Door grilles provide ventilation.



Plastic bins can be toted about.



Revolving stand is simple to construct—provides three storage sections that pivot easily into view.

H&G's closet with everything stashed away is a model of neatness, yet you can spot every item at a glance. The interior is divided by a shelf of perforated hardboard (for good ventilation) into two storage sections. In the top section, a revolving stand holds the floor polisher, carpet sweeper, a broom and two mops—or any combination of upright cleaning equipment you may have. The smaller, lower section houses a canister vacuum cleaner and a pail—and, behind them, extra supplies of cleaning materials. Floor-polisher and other brushes, attachments for the vacuum cleaner and a ladder-stool all hang on hooks on the back wall. On the back of the door hang four plastic bins for small items like polishes, sponges and rubber gloves, plus a tool kit. The metal grilles set into the closet door at top

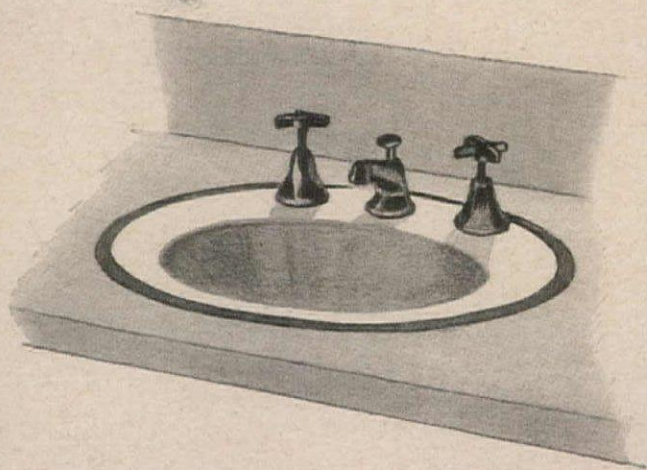
and bottom assure plenty of ventilation in case a sponge or cloth is not quite dry when you put it away.

The sturdy white plastic bins that hang on the back of the door can also be used as lightweight work baskets. You can lift them off their hooks and use them to tote your cleaning gear around the house to the site of each job.

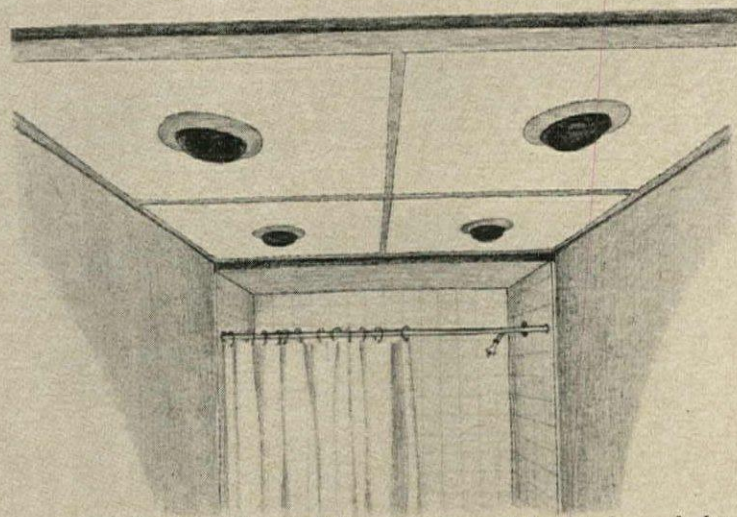
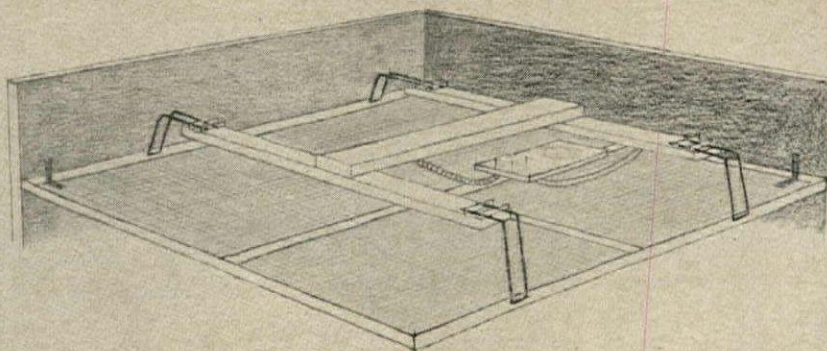
The revolving stand is easy to put together. The main component you need is a metal revolving base, which you can buy at a hardware store. On top of this you mount a 22-inch-diameter wood turntable. And atop the turntable you add three wooden partitions attached to a pivoting pole that is secured to the turntable and roof of closet. For further details, write to H&G's Reader Service, 420 Lexington Ave., New York 17, N. Y.

Custom-made convenience in standard bathroom fixtures

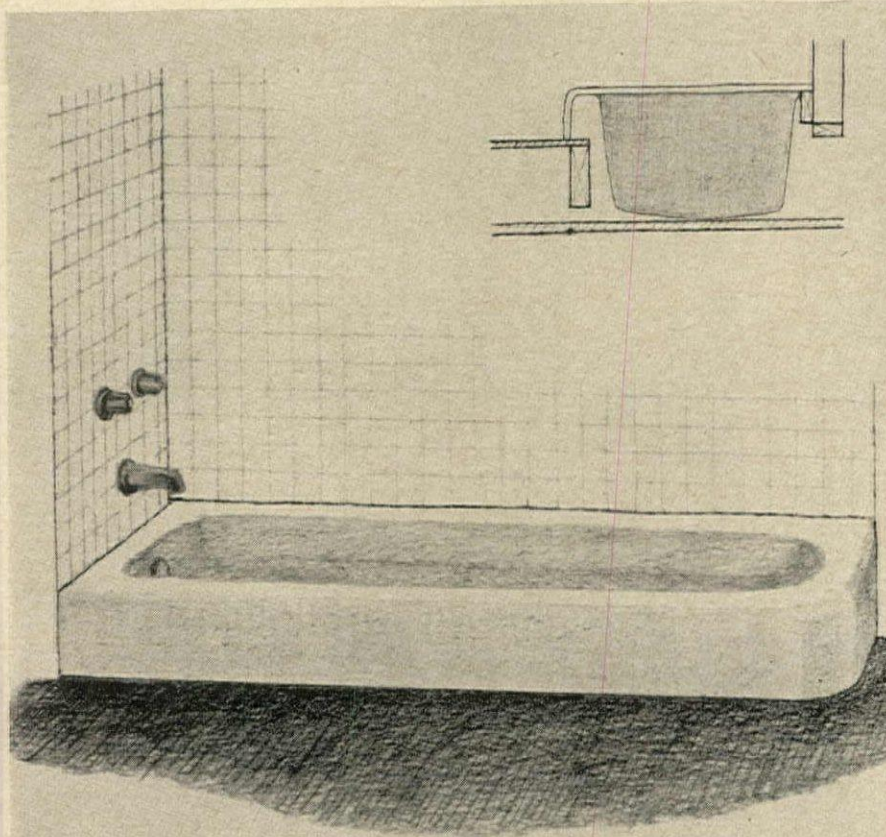
You can now obtain for your new bathroom beautiful standard-made fixtures that until recently would have had to be custom-made. Manufacturers of bathroom equipment, taking their cue from the handsome bathrooms that architects and decorators design, are offering stock pieces in a wide variety of new shapes, sizes and colors. Ready-built sunken tubs are designed to fit anywhere without elaborate framing. Lavatories have been newly styled and reshaped to fit into a variety of bathroom plans. Fittings for hot and cold water control have a new look—many are one-piece units, some have push-pull knobs instead of handles. There's a new prefabricated heating, lighting and ventilating system that you can install easily in your ceiling. On page 182 you will see how new shapes in bathroom fixtures can change the shape and size of powder rooms and bathrooms. Whether you are building or remodeling, you now have a wider-than-ever choice of plumbing equipment to make your bathroom as attractive as any room in the house.



NEW COLORS enhance today's plumbing fixtures. The lavatory above is finished in a hue called "Misty Lilac." Toilets and bathtubs are available in the same shade, and the manufacturer will provide you with a list of other bathroom products you can get to match these fixtures. Rheem.

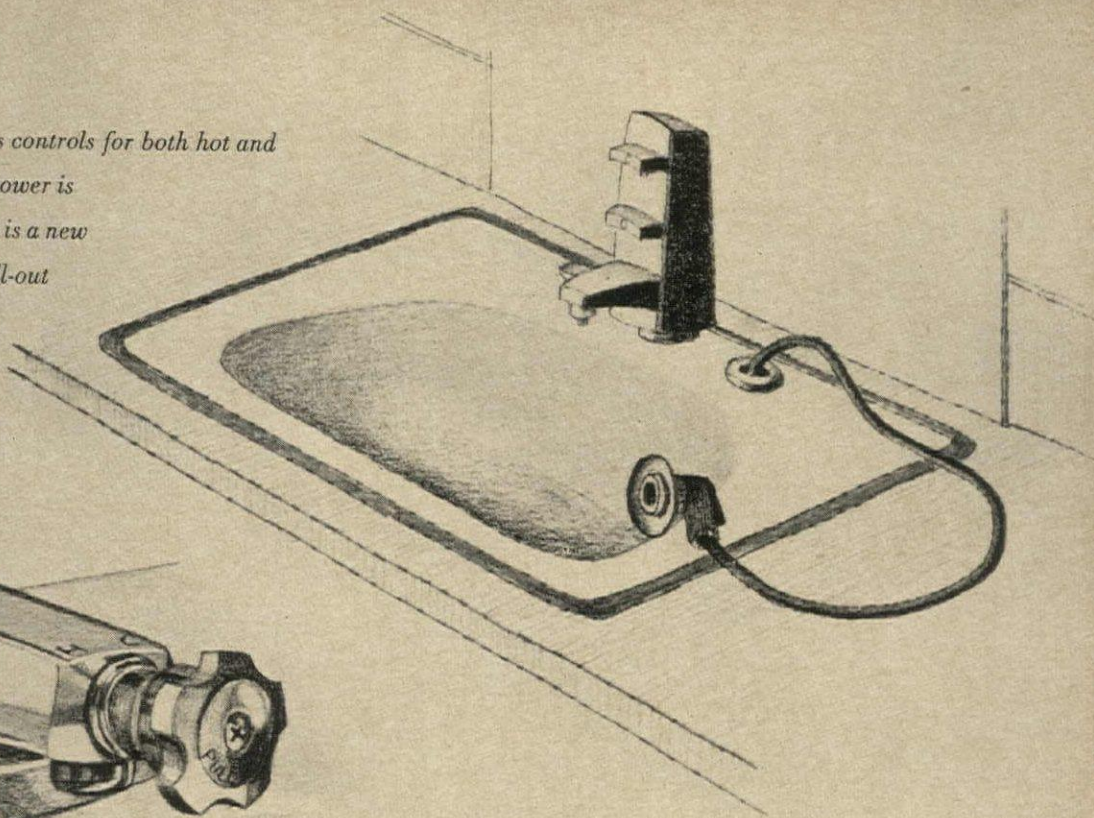
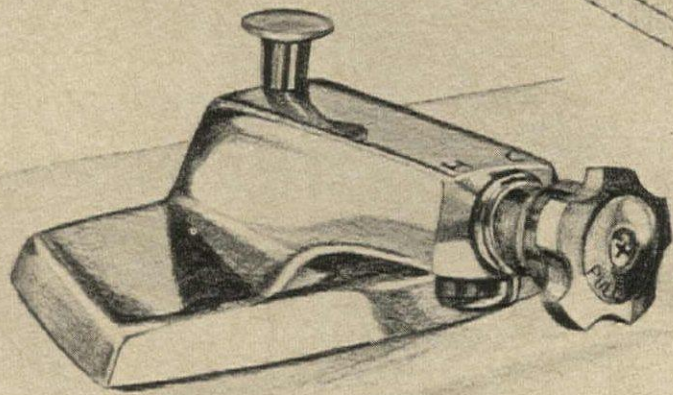


LUMINESCENT CEILING—entirely prefabricated—includes white plastic eggcrate panels, fluorescent lights, one or more electric heating elements and a concealed ventilating fan. All of this equipment plus slender aluminum supports arrives in one package and you can easily suspend it from your ceiling (see the construction detail above). Emerson Electric.

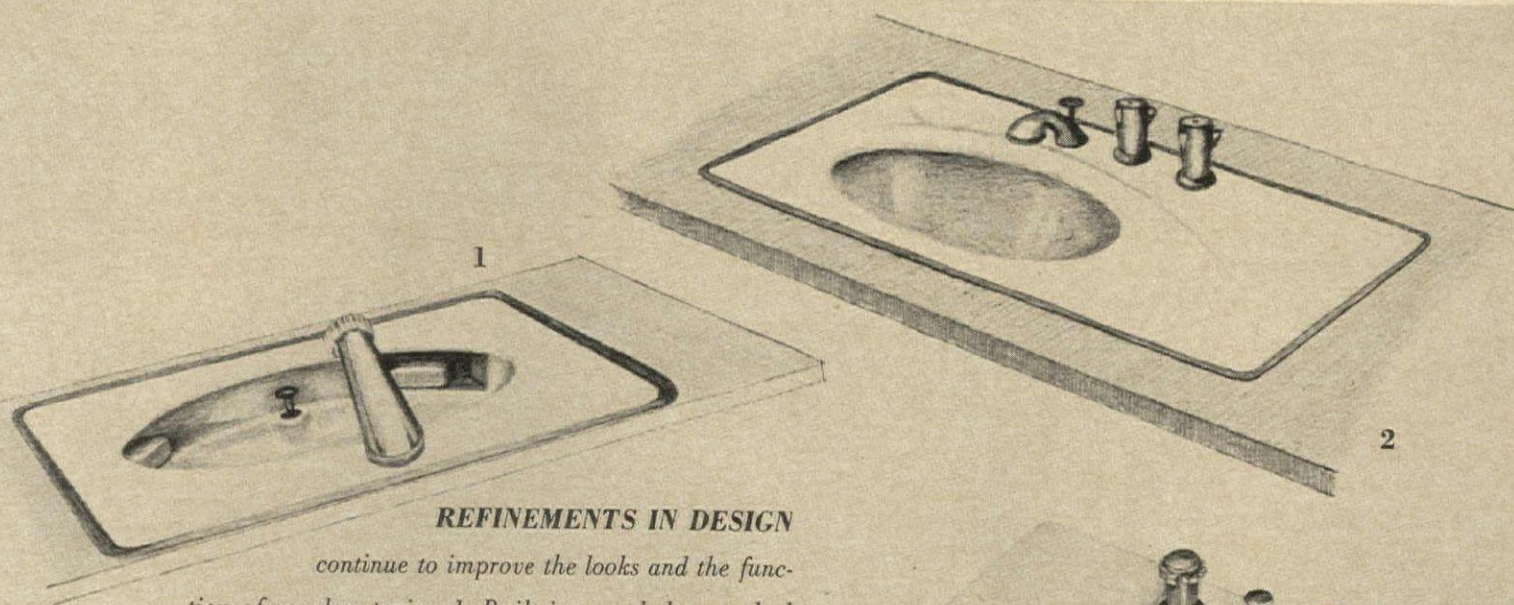


SUNKEN BATHTUB is designed to fit into ordinary construction. Cross-section detail shows how the tub fits in between the joists so it does not project through the ceiling of the room below. Once the bathtub is in place, exposed sides are 6 inches high. A sunken tub can make a small bathroom look larger, as most bulk is hidden below the floor. Borg-Warner.

TOWER FAUCET (right) houses controls for both hot and cold water. The knob at left of the tower is a control for the drain. At the right is a new addition to lavatory fittings—a pull-out hose with a special nozzle, for shampooing hair. The nozzle is designed so water won't splash. Universal-Rundle.

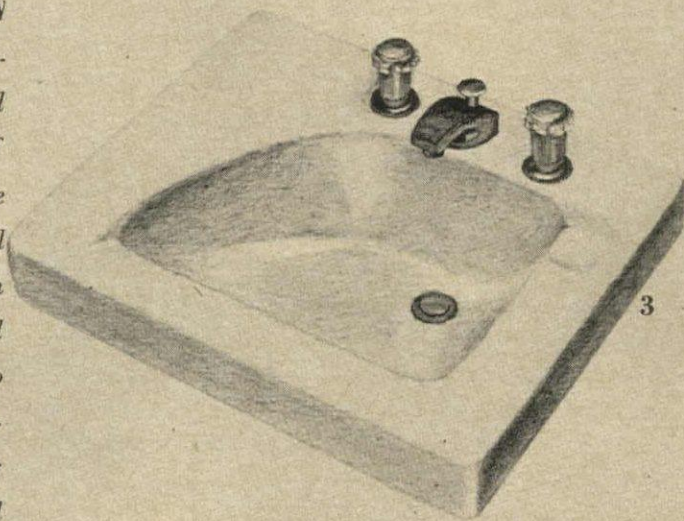


PUSH-PULL FITTING for lavatories is operated by one central control. Pulling the knob at the front of the fitting starts the flow of water. A clockwise turn produces colder water; counterclockwise, hotter. The knob at the back of the fitting opens and closes the drain. The same type of push-pull unit in several different designs is also available for bathtubs and for showers. American-Standard.



REFINEMENTS IN DESIGN

continue to improve the looks and the function of new lavatories. 1. Built-in soap ledges tucked underneath the rim of the lavatory keep the surface of the unit free and clean. The ledges are located just above the water line so that the soap stays dry when the bowl is full of water. Crane. 2. A rectangular lavatory with off-center bowl provides level space for soap dishes and towels. Here, it is recessed in the countertop; it also comes in free-standing model. Briggs. 3. Rounded corner of a square bowl leaves space for soap dish, glass or grooming aids. This is especially useful in very small bathrooms or in powder rooms. American-Standard.



There is no price tag on the

CLEAN SWEET LOOK OF SPRING

All you need to buy a whole spring full of flowers is money. But money cannot buy the springtime look. That takes imagination and understanding and effort. You won't get a good spring garden by accident. You won't get it the first time you try. And you won't get it by waiting until spring to plant it: you plan and plant it now. The imagination involved is not the kind you would need to write "Paradise Lost," for example. It is the kind that lets you see in your mind's eye in September how soft the morning light may be on an April day, how the color of the air in May will give to every flower a special sheen and shimmer, how young leaves look in the rain. (Perhaps what you really need is not imagination at all but a good memory, for without a memory you can't possibly be interested in spring.)

When we speak of understanding, we have in mind a refinement of knowledge that is not especially hard to come by. You have to know a little about plants—roots and bulbs; stems, leaves and flowers. You have to know which end of a shovel is which and whether a hole goes up or down. And it helps to have the feel of well-tilled earth and to know the difference between a blister and a callus on your trowel hand. The special knowledge you must acquire (from gardening friends and printed matter) is always readily available. As for effort—what can you say about effort except that what is one man's ambrosia is another man's wormwood.

It is the simple truth to say that the flowers you choose are less important in creating the spring look than the way you use and grow them. And while the list of available plants that will bloom with the arrival of spring is probably longer than the autumn roster, it is by no means overwhelming. Furthermore, you can scarcely go wrong growing anything that takes naturally to spring. It will, in a well-selected place and at its inevitable time, take on the associations as well as the colors of the season. Not a great deal is known about the chemistry of flower color, but hues and shades seem softer, more luminous, perhaps less dramatic in spring than they are later in the garden year. The blues (and there are many of them) have a misty clarity, the pinks have a rosy cast, the yellows run more to the cool lime tones than to the hot chromes and buttery golds of August. Or perhaps what we see as a springtime property of flowers is merely an evaluation of these colors as the most suitable ones for spring.

You will think about such matters and come to your own conclusions. You will think, too, about the way you arrange your plants so that they will have the random spontaneity that is so characteristic of all new growth in spring. You will avoid the dreary clumping of color beside color, drifting your colors, textures and plant forms (this is where understanding and imagination come in) like a series of small horizons such as those that distinguish the garden segment, *opposite*. You will count on the color of the light in spring to contribute to an effect of distance and perspective, even though your garden may be small. Above all, while you avoid sampling too many varieties, you will plan to have a seeming abundance of a select few.

● *Background trees*

If you don't have background trees of your own, "borrow" from your neighbor's yard. That's what was done here. The distant pinks are the flowers of dogwood and crab apple. They are preceded and followed by the deepening greens of deciduous maples and oaks, the solid tones of a tall spruce. Any lower tier of background trees might include hawthorn, styrax, cherry, mountain-ash and the hollies (these last afford small-scale year-round greens with bonus fruits). Which trees catch your full attention at any spring moment depends on what else is in flower.

● *Border shrubs*

Shrubbery needs to be not only high and wide, but deep. For depth, alternate or at least diversify deciduous and evergreen varieties front-to-back as well as side-to-side. Here the deciduous azaleas have gone by and the evergreen rhododendrons in mid-border are about to open. (As we said, spring is a fleeting time.) Evergreens such as rhododendron, smaller holly species, wintergreen barberry, cherry-laurel, pieris, leucothoe and yew mix well with winged euonymus, many viburnums, star magnolia, red-bud and stewartia. All these and more have flowers or fruits during the season. None gets the dull massive look of most spiraeas and honeysuckle, for example, that lack small-garden grace.

● *Hardy bulbs*

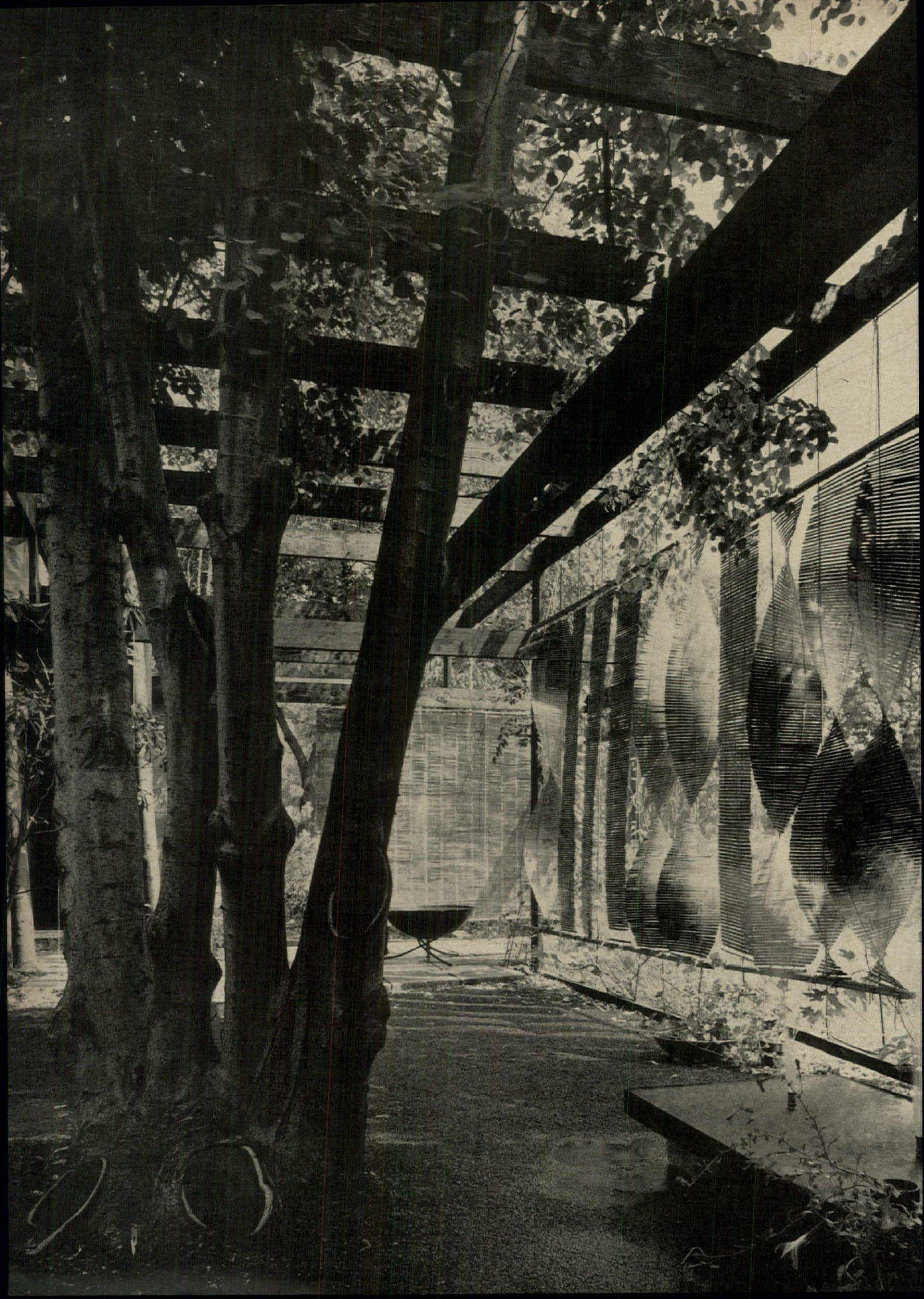
Strongest spring colors, boldest shapes, most dramatic accents are offered by the hardy flowering bulbs that must be planted in the autumn (most other things can be but don't have to be). Double tulip late pink Eros and late lily-flowered hybrid White Triumphator, *OPPOSITE*, make a lovely show for the money, especially when full blown. The list of choices is wide. A few bulbs, placed informally and almost at random, are more effective than a serried host. As for daffodils, plant them for earliest color before the great tulips.

● *Garden flowers*

Two precious border flowers that are surely the embodiment of all the springtime qualities are alyssum and forget-me-not. Here, drifts of both are used as they should be used, casually and lavishly. Among them, preceding and following both, are pansy and viola, soft pastel phlox, the steady greens of dwarf boxwood. All are equal partners in any proper spring.

GARDEN OF MR. AND MRS. AUSTIN T. GARDNER, DEERHURST, DEL.





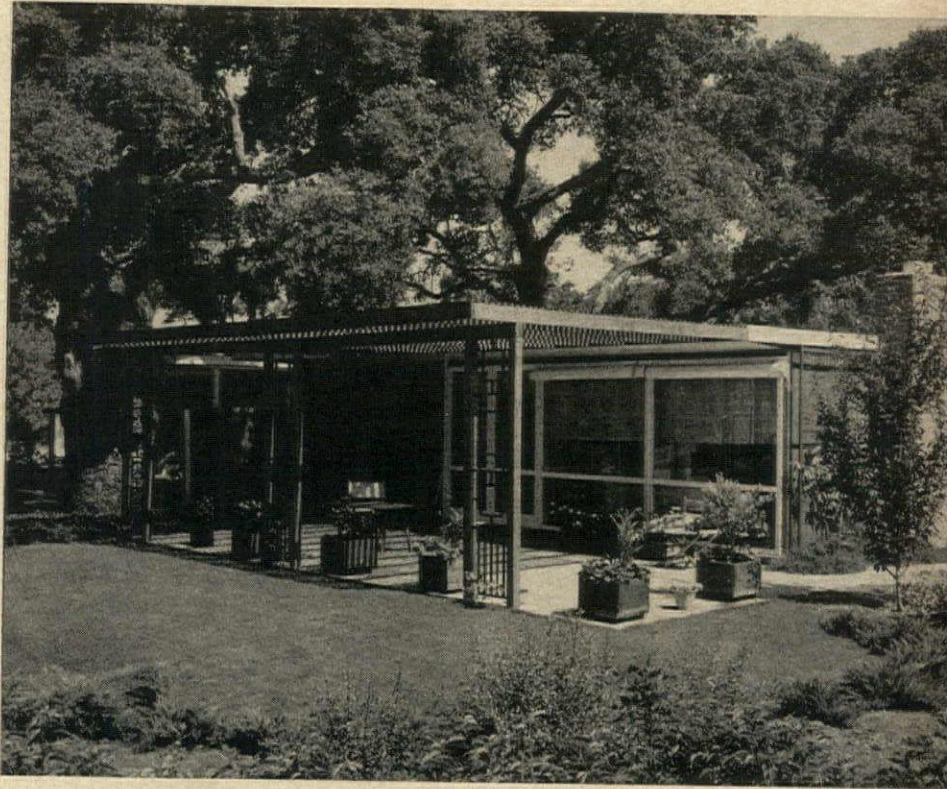


How to protect your terrace

- *from too much sun*
 - *from blustery winds*
 - *from an unwelcome view*
 - *from preying insects*
 - *from prying people*
 - *from almost anything*
- except, of course,
the outdoors itself*

Sun, wind and the point of view are all subject to modification on the inviting terrace OPPOSITE. Sunlight, and for that matter any light, is tempered by the kind and degree of shade that is provided. The decorative twists of bamboo are by turns a visual screen (from either direction), a windbreak and a decorative feature. If there is such a thing as an all-day, all-season, all-purpose terrace, here you have it at very nearly its handsome best. It is sky-open and unmistakably of the outdoors, as, of course, every good terrace should be. It is equally a part of a recognizable living design.

OWNER-LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT: JAMES C. ROSE



Essentially a terrace (a flat paved area in the open), this small sitting place is, like most good terraces, a compromise. It is almost (not quite) roofed by the diagonal shading. It is almost enclosed by the trellis segments, by primly ranked plant boxes and, of course, by the adjacent house.

If you steep yourself in terrace lore, as we have been doing for the past eight months, you will presently realize that there is a practical limit to the number of things you can do to a terrace and still have it remain a terrace. Put a roof over it, for example, and you've got a porch. Glaze it and you have a solarium or conservatory. Enclose it with walls or fences and you immediately turn it into a court, a portico, a loggia, an atrium or even a peristyle. Yet without some regard for prevailing conditions you may wind up with a seasonal combination of the Sahara Desert and the Greenland Ice Cap—with an occasional touch of Grand Central Station at rush hour.

Making your terrace livable at any time other than a misty morning in spring or moonset toward the end of August requires both ingenuity and a willingness to compromise. Lincoln would have been content to protect his terrace from most of the elements some of the time and some of the elements most of the time. Perhaps you should, too. In a region of hot dry summers, settle for a smattering of midday shade. On a cliff above the Maine coast, insist on a stout windbreak. On a small suburban lot, devise first of all a screen against intruding eyes or an unappealing view.

Whatever you do, remember that you are preserving your terrace *for* something while you are protecting it *from* something. Are you a sun-worshipper? Then you won't shade your terrace with a spreading tree or a fixed awning, however attractive. Do sea breezes stir your blood? Place your terrace on the prow of your site, not in the lee of a high wall. Do you raise mosquitoes? Screen your terrace all around—but take a piece of the garden inside with you. Are you a child of darkness? Then ignore all the architectural rules and the compass clichés of daytime orientation and lay your terrace course into the stars and the night breeze and the rising moon.

*Shade ranks first among
the qualities that
extend terrace usefulness*



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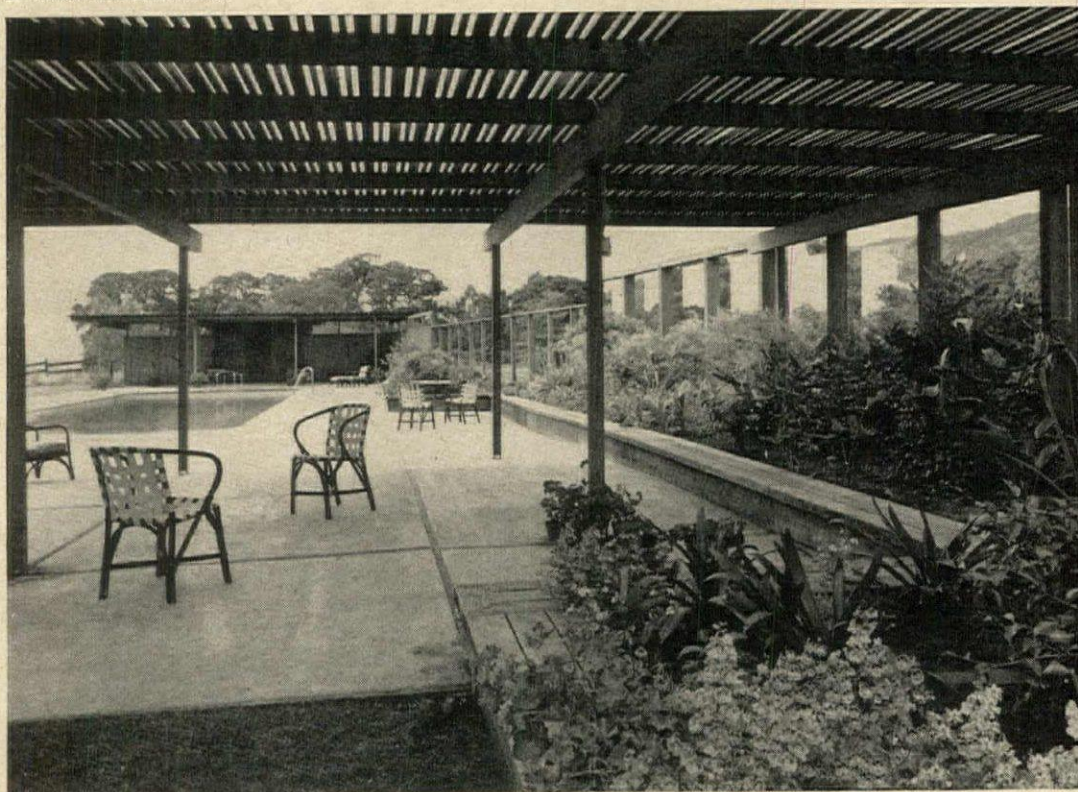
Sunlight, more than anything else, inspires the use and enjoyment of a terrace. And sunlight, more than anything else, is the first subject of amelioration and control in terrace construction. The underlying paradox lies at the heart of all of man's efforts to control his environment. Man has, over the centuries, developed considerable ingenuity at bringing extremes together in a great diversity of combinations. Consequently, the terrace that receives the most sun, for example, is also quite likely to demand the most flexible amount and kind of shade, when that is wanted. And the terrace that is exposed to the most searching wind requires the most effective screening in order to be habitable when wind becomes too much of a good thing. But you cannot and should not protect a terrace from all outdoors at once. You would do better to stay inside and curl up with a good book.

Rain, for example, is typical of the elements no terrace should be protected from altogether. Yet there are times and places where rain can be brought under control. A solid roof keeps water from a walk-way, **1**, in no-nonsense fashion. The effect of a roof is perhaps more strongly conveyed by over-all slats, **2**. Only sunlight is controlled here—reduced, at an informal guess, by about 30 per cent right through the day. Sunlight is similarly held back, though to a considerably greater extent, by the thick-thin slats over a poolside area, **3**. In addition, wind protection is provided by glass panels along one side.



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Local and highly portable shade, 4, is supplied by furniture parasols which, for people who love summer rain, provide rain shelter, too. Uniform sun reduction, needless to say, is the special province of all awnings. And the amount of reduction, actual and apparent, depends on the texture and color of the awning material taken together. The fixed arcade, 5, is always cool, always glare-free. While the shading value of ordinary mesh screening is considerable, depending on material and construction, its primary reason for use is the exclusion of insects. Total enclosure, 6, is of course essential. But the beauties of the garden or surrounding terrain need not be lost on that account. You can take your garden inside with you. In multi-purpose terraces, or those serving a number of different living areas, a variety of terrace shelter may be in order. Everything from widely spaced beams to close horizontals overhead and solid roof strips, 7, may be useful to give either the effect or the actuality of shelter. Or, finally, let the outdoors speak in its own terms. Reduce structural emphasis to the bare minimum. 8. Provide the kind of shelter nature would provide to meet its own needs and spread a fine wisteria overhead.

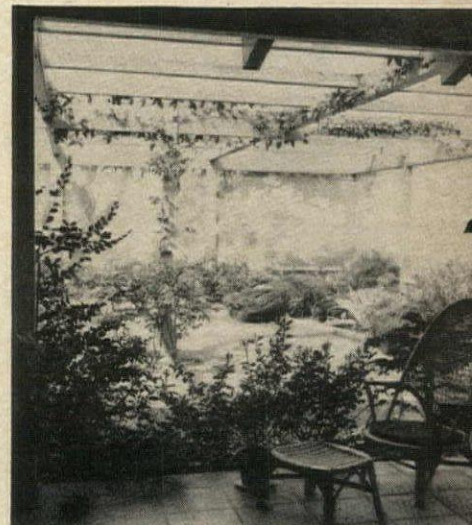
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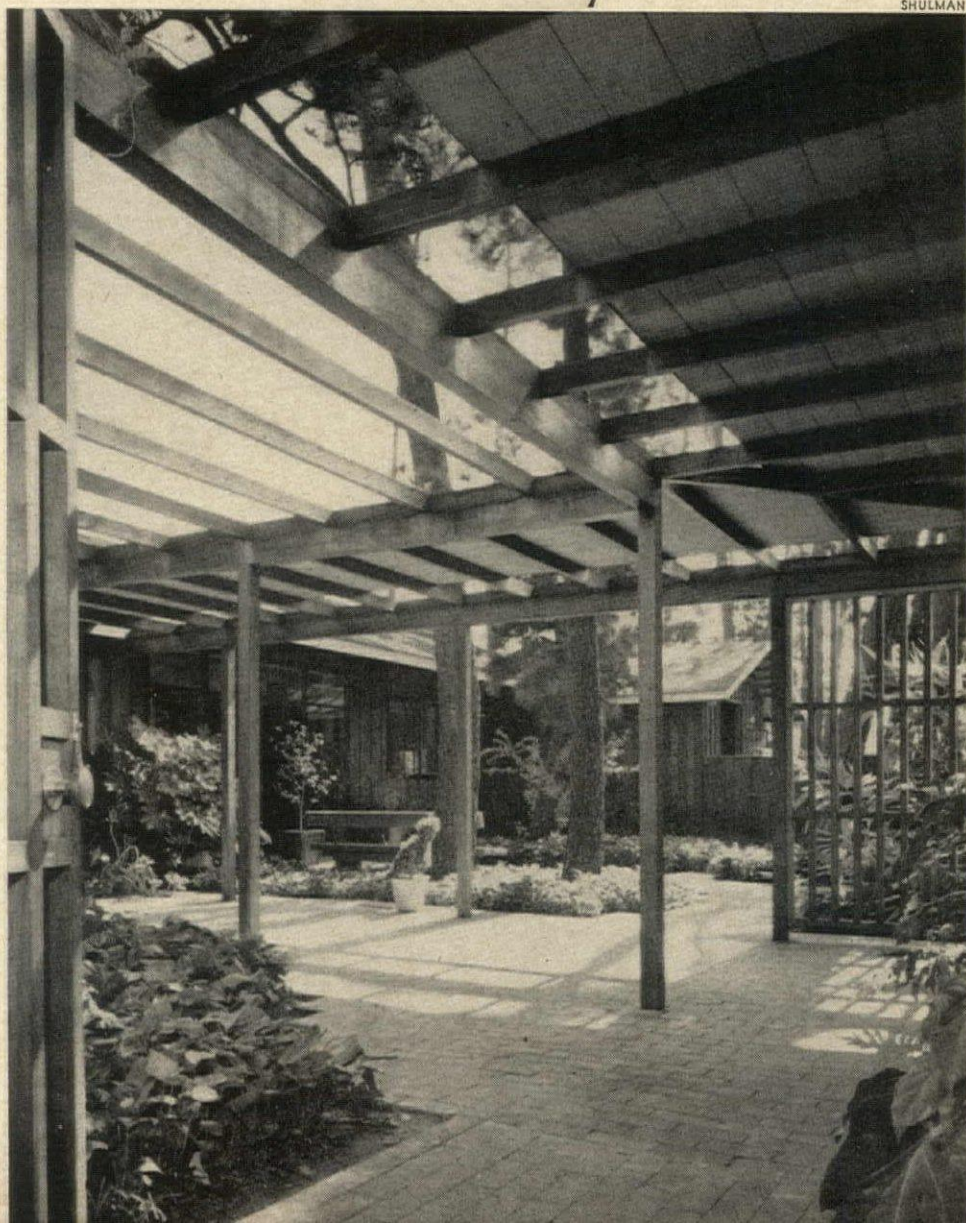
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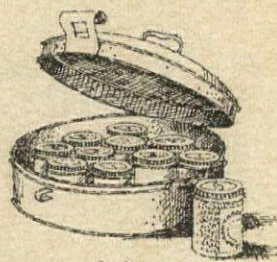
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THE SHELTERED LIFE FOR SEASONINGS

Only at the peak of their powers will herbs and spices do true justice to your cooking

Since an awareness of the seasoning powers of herbs and spices is sure to gild any cook's reputation, there are very few kitchens today without their full complement of bottled exotics. Their storage, however, is sometimes rather curious. Huddled together in wild disarray in an unhandy cabinet, they often languish unused because they are unseen, uncatalogued and consequently unidentifiable. There is only one answer to this pointless hodgepodge: get your seasonings (your favorites, at least) out into the open. Assess your menu patterns, then divide your herbs and spices into four or five logical flavor groups: one for salads, one for roasts and stews, a group for baking, another for sauces (such as spaghetti sauce, if you have a fine Italianate hand), and perhaps an extra group for your own particular speciality. If, for example, you're fond of Indian dishes, you might keep curry powder, turmeric, coriander, cardamom and saffron in an appropriate Eastern-looking box or basket. For salads, assemble a group of some of the seasoning salts



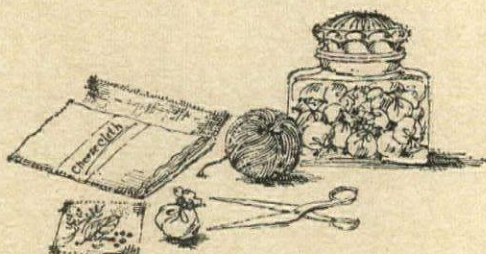
Antique spice box makes a snug hideaway



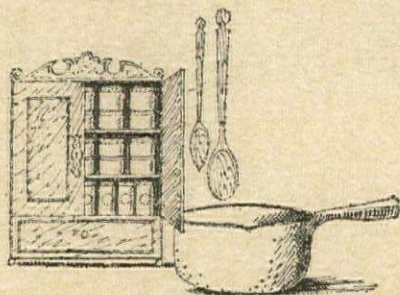
Chemist's test tubes keep rare blends identified

and dried herbs, plus salt and fresh peppercorns. For stews and casseroles, bay leaves, thyme, rosemary and basil are a good quartet.

There are no hard and fast rules as to what seasoning goes with what: your taste and habits will guide you. But there is one rule that must be



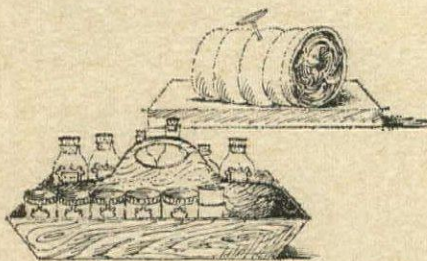
An apothecary jar is dedicated to bouquets garnis



A miniature armoire is a pretty, practical spicery

observed in every kitchen if the cook is to garner fresh laurels: *all containers must be airtight*. Herbs and spices have a short shelf life, and every time a jar is opened some of the power and flavor floats away. So, keep them in their original containers—or, if you prefer to use decorative crocks and vials, be sure they are tightly closed by a cork, a screw top or a ground-glass stopper. If you like to buy your herbs and spices in fairly large sizes, then decant them into your special containers in small quantities—so that the larger jar needn't be opened so often.

Seasonings lend themselves to display, so by all means display them. Look for interesting frameworks: old spice boxes, usually round and

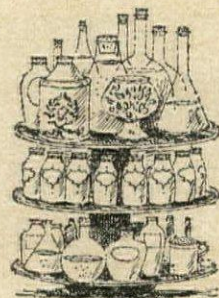


A cutlery tray can be toted about the kitchen

made of wood or tôle, are still to be had for a reasonable song, and will hold quite a clutch of squat jars with their contents identified on the lids. Antique containers—letter boxes, miniature chests, cutlery trays—are always intriguing, but if you have a perfectly good, conventional spice rack that lacks only glamour, marbleize it (see

H&G, May 1962, page 121). A rack of chemist's test tubes, oddly enough, is a very pretty sight, and exactly the spot for your own special blends. When blending, mix up a reasonably generous quantity, then fill and label each tube so you don't have to guess at that wonderful flavor you achieved last week.

Pharmaceutical jars and beakers often have extraordinary shapes and are relatively inexpensive. Use them for oils, herb and wine vinegars, and bouquets garnis which, if you're gourmet, you'll make yourself: fill little cheesecloth bags with bay leaf, peppercorns, dried thyme and anything else that tickles your fancy. For a vernal nip in soups and stews, tie a fat sprig of parsley and some celery tops to the little bag with a



A lazy susan, as always, does yeoman service



Pharmaceutical devices are the thing for liquids

string long enough to hang over the side of the pot. Then you can fish out your herbs with no fear of their ending up, sodden and disconcerting, cheesecloth and all, on a guest's plate.

Thus are seasonings kept within the cook's vision, romanticized and held in the pink of perfection. If, however, your kitchen is so minuscule that a display of jars and bottles is either impractical or impossible, the same feat can be accomplished by keeping your herbs and favorite condiments in tiny plastic bags with twisted wire closures. These can be kept neatly in a drawer.

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Blender Cook Book

By James A. Beard

■ If such master chefs as Escoffier and Carême had been blessed with a blender, who knows what culinary triumphs might have been added to their impressive roster? Originally used as a mixer of drinks, the blender was soon recognized by good cooks as an important and basic kitchen accessory and one of the truly original pieces of cooking equipment to have appeared in centuries. (The mixer and rotisserie are, after all, only mechanical variations on processes previously done by hand or clockwork.) Not only can the protean blender take over many of the time-consuming techniques essential to fine cooking—puréeing and grating, mincing and chopping; it also has the power to mix and homogenize solid and liquid ingredients in a unique way. Rich sauces and creams which previously needed a cooking process to give them body and smoothness can be whipped up in this magic appliance without going near a saucepan. (The best exam-

ple is hollandaise—the making of this classic sauce becomes fool-proof in a blender.) Despite all the evidence, you may still find purists who insist that only the old hand methods get the right results. Actually there are very few jobs that your blender cannot do as expertly—and in a fraction of the time. But it is not an all-purpose machine. Certain things are best done by hand or with a mixer or grinder (you'll find a list of Blender Do's and Don't's, *below*). Never use a blender wrongly or tax it beyond its capacities. Do learn the correct way to use your blender by reading and following the instructions that come with it. Then your imagination will suggest all kinds of ways your blender can be pressed into service for odd jobs or to simplify recipes. (One ingenious cook discovered she could regranulate hardened brown sugar in her blender.) You'll literally find it as valuable to you as a second pair of hands would be.

How to use a blender

Blender Tips

1. Use your blender to purée and blend cooked foods and pan juices for smooth sauces, soups.
2. Use your blender to make spreads, pastes, dips. Such thicker mixtures sometimes need to be stirred down during blending. Turn the motor off and use a rubber spatula to scrape the mixture from the sides of the container.
3. Use your blender to make bread crumbs or cracker crumbs:
SOFT CRUMBS—Quarter 1 slice of bread; blend at high speed for 5 seconds. Makes approximately 1 cup.
DRY CRUMBS—Break 1 slice dried or toasted bread into pieces. Blend at high speed, flicking the motor on and off, for about 10 seconds. Makes approximately ¼ cup.
CRACKER CRUMBS—Blend 12 crackers at high speed, flicking the motor on and off, for 10 seconds. Makes approximately ½-¾ cup. Use up stale bread or the bits and pieces in the bottom of the cracker tin by making them into crumbs and storing in a tightly closed container. Do not blend breads or crackers that have been greased unless they are to be used at once. They will not keep for any length of time.
4. Use your blender to chop or grind nuts:
CHOPPED NUTS—Blend ¼ cup nut meats at high speed, flicking the motor on and off, for 5 seconds.
GROUND NUTS—Blend 1 cup nut meats at high speed, flicking the motor on and off, for 10 seconds.
5. Use your blender to chop raw vegetables. Cut vegetables into small cubes or slices. Blend at high speed for 5 seconds.
6. Use your blender to make fresh cracked pepper. Blend the whole peppercorns at high speed for 1 minute.
7. Use your blender to chop parsley. Remove the stems and be sure the parsley is fairly dry. For best results the blender should be less than half full. Blend at low speed.

Blender Do's and Don't's

DO cut firm foods (vegetables, cooked meats, cheese, bread) into cubes or small pieces before blending.

DO turn off the motor when stirring ingredients.

DON'T fill the blender more than ¾ full. Larger amounts must be blended in two or more lots.

DON'T expect your blender to:

- beat egg whites • whip cream • mash potatoes
- crush ice • grind raw meat • extract juice.

Dips, Spreads, Pâtés

Pineapple Dip

1 medium can crushed pineapple, undrained
2 tablespoons soy sauce
2 teaspoons curry powder
2 teaspoons catsup
½ teaspoon salt

Put all ingredients in blender. Blend until smooth. Serve as a dip for shrimp, crab or lobster. Makes approximately 1½ cups.

Fine Liver Pâté

1 pound chicken livers
¼ cup cognac
1 egg
½ pound unrendered chicken fat
½ cup heavy cream
¼ teaspoon allspice
Salt, freshly ground black pepper to taste
2-3 chopped truffles

Marinate the chicken livers in the cognac for 1-2 hours. Put the livers and the cognac in the blender with the egg and ½ pound of chicken fat. Blend until smooth. Remove and stir in the cream, allspice, salt, pepper and chopped truffles. Mix thoroughly. Render the remaining chicken fat and use to grease a loaf pan. Pour in the chicken liver mixture. Cover with aluminum foil and place in a pan of hot water. Bake in a 325° oven for 1½ hours. Chill before serving.

Tangy Cheese Spread

¼ cup beer or ale
¾ pound aged Cheddar cheese, coarsely grated
⅛ pound blue cheese, crumbled
½ teaspoon dry mustard
1 tablespoon soft butter
2 dashes Worcestershire sauce
1 dash Tabasco
1 teaspoon coarsely chopped chives or onions

Put the beer or ale and Cheddar cheese in the blender and blend for 20 seconds, or until smooth. Add the remaining ingredients, except chives, and blend until smooth. Spoon into a crock or serving dish and chill. Garnish with chives. Makes approximately 2½ cups.

Guacamole

2 ripe avocados
1 8-ounce package cream cheese
2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
2 dashes Tabasco
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

Peel the avocados and cut them into chunks. Put them in the blender and blend until smooth. Add the remaining ingredients and blend. Turn into a serving dish. Use as a dip for raw vegetables or fried tortillas, or heap on a lettuce leaf and serve as salad with Mexican dishes. Makes approximately 2 cups or serves 4 as a salad.


Sardine Spread or Dip

1 6-ounce can boneless, skinless sardines
1 medium onion, cut into slices
3 tablespoons lemon juice
2 tablespoons parsley sprigs
1 8-ounce package cream cheese, softened and broken into pieces
1 dash Tabasco

Put all ingredients in blender and blend at low speed for 45 seconds. Serve as a spread or dip. Makes approximately 1½ cups.



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Tuna Pâté

- 6 ounces cream cheese
- 2 hard-cooked eggs
- 3-4 tablespoons cognac
- 1 7-ounce can tuna in oil (*olive oil, if possible*)
- 2 truffles
- Freshly ground pepper
- Jellied consommé
- Protein toast triangles

Let the cream cheese stand at room temperature to soften. Purée the hard-cooked eggs in the blender. Remove. Place the cognac and part of the tuna and its oil in the blender and blend until smooth. Add the rest of the tuna, bit by bit, until it is all blended in.

Chop one of the truffles and combine with the cream cheese in a bowl. Work them together, seasoning with pepper to taste. Combine in the blender with tuna mixture and the puréed egg. Blend until smooth. Taste for seasoning, adding salt if necessary.

Pack the pâté into a serving bowl and decorate the top with the remaining truffle, sliced. Cover with a thin coating of melted jellied consommé and chill until the coating sets. Serve with buttery protein toast triangles (butter protein bread, cut into triangles and toast in a 300° oven until golden). Serve hot or cold.

Rummed Crab Spread

- 1 6½-ounce can crab meat, drained and flaked
- 1 tablespoon capers
- 2 hard-cooked eggs, quartered
- 2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- ¼ cup dark rum
- 2 tablespoons prepared mustard
- ¾ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

Combine all ingredients in blender and blend until smooth. Start at low speed, increase to high. Serve as a spread with crackers or thin toast fingers. Makes approximately 1½ cups.

Salmon Dip

- 1 7½-ounce can salmon
- 2 cloves garlic
- ½ cup parsley sprigs
- ½ cup mayonnaise
- ¼ cup heavy cream

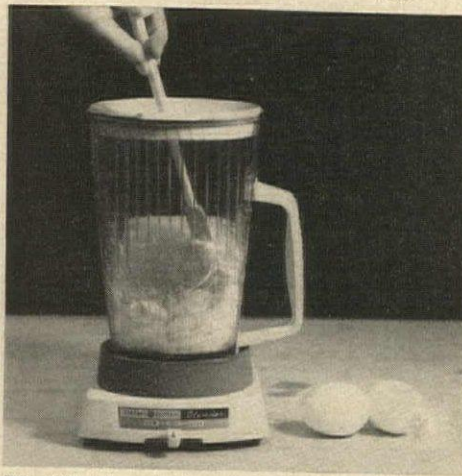
Drain the salmon and remove bones and skin. Put all ingredients in blender and blend at low speed for 30 seconds. Turn to high speed and blend for an additional 15 seconds. Chill. Serve as a dip for raw vegetables or seafood. Makes about 1½ cups.

Shrimp Dip

- 1 5-ounce can shrimp (*or equal amount of cooked fresh shrimp*)
- 1 cup sour cream
- ¼ cup bourbon
- 1 teaspoon coarsely cut parsley
- ½ teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon coarsely chopped dill
- ¾ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1 tablespoon coarsely cut chives

Put all ingredients except the chives in blender and blend until smooth. Remove and stir in chives. Chill. Serve as a dip for raw vegetables or seafood or use as a dressing for seafood salads. Makes approximately 1¾ cups.

How to purée hard-cooked eggs



Blend hard-cooked eggs 1 minute at high speed. If part remains unblended, turn off motor and stir from sides to center with a rubber spatula.

Pâté Maison

- ½ pound chicken livers
- Butter
- 2 eggs
- 1 small onion
- 1 clove garlic
- ¼ cup rum
- 1 pound pork, ground twice
- 2 tablespoons flour
- ½ teaspoon allspice
- Salt, freshly ground black pepper to taste
- Salt pork strips

Sauté the chicken livers in butter until just partly cooked. Put in the blender with the eggs and blend until smooth. Add the onion, garlic and rum and blend again.

Mix the chicken liver purée with the ground pork and add the flour and seasonings. Knead together thoroughly.

Line a loaf pan with strips of salt pork and fill with the meat mixture. Cover with aluminum foil and place in a pan of hot water. Bake in a 350° oven for 2 hours.

Soups

Gazpacho

- 1 29-ounce can tomatoes (3½ cups)
- 1 cup tomato juice
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1½ teaspoons dried basil or ½ cup fresh basil leaves
- Few sprigs parsley
- Few leaves celery
- 1½ teaspoons salt
- Freshly ground black pepper to taste
- 1 bunch green onions, coarsely cubed
- 1-2 red Italian onions, coarsely cubed
- 3 good-sized fresh tomatoes, peeled, seeded and coarsely cubed
- 2 medium green peppers, seeded and coarsely cubed
- 2 cucumbers, peeled, seeded and coarsely cubed
- 4 stalks celery, coarsely cubed
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 tablespoon wine vinegar
- ¼ cup dry sherry

Place the first 8 ingredients in a large skillet. Cover and cook gently for about 1 hour, or until the flavors are well mingled. Force through a strainer or food mill.

Put the coarsely cubed vegetables in the blender and chop. (Do not fill the blender more

than ¾ full. You will have to chop the vegetables in two or three lots.)

Combine the chopped vegetables with the strained tomato mixture, adding a little more tomato juice if necessary. Mix with the olive oil, wine vinegar and sherry and taste for seasoning. Chill. Serve very cold. Serves 6-8.

Quick Potage St. Germain

- 1 11½-ounce can condensed split pea with ham soup
- ½ cup tomato juice
- 3 tablespoons tomato paste
- 1 cup cream
- Salt, freshly ground black pepper
- Chopped green onions

Place the soup, tomato juice and tomato paste in the blender and blend for 30 seconds. Pour into a saucepan and heat to the boiling point. Stir in the cream and season to taste with salt and pepper. If the mixture is too thick, add more cream. Serve in heated cups and garnish with chopped green onions. Serves 4.

Clam Bisque

- 2 7-ounce cans whole or minced razor clams
- 2 cups heavy cream
- ½ teaspoon salt
- Dash Tabasco
- Finely chopped parsley

Put the undrained clams into the blender and blend for 30 seconds. Transfer to the top of a double boiler and add the cream, salt and Tabasco. Cook over hot water until the mixture just reaches the boiling point. Taste for seasoning. Serve in hot cups with a sprinkling of finely chopped parsley. Serves 4-6.

Variation: Just before serving, add 2 tablespoons cognac or 3 tablespoons dry sherry.

Corn and Clam Bisque

- 2 7-ounce cans whole or minced clams
- 1 12-ounce can whole-kernel corn
- 1 small white onion, sliced
- 2 cups heavy cream
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- Finely diced pimiento

Place the undrained clams, corn and the sliced onion in the electric blender and blend 1 minute. Transfer to the upper part of a double boiler and add the cream, salt and pepper. Heat over the hot water until the mixture just reaches the boiling point. Serve in heated cups with a garnish of diced pimiento. Serves 6.

Variation: Add ¼ cup bourbon to the hot bisque just before serving.

Shrimp Bisque

- ½ pound cooked, cleaned shrimp
- ½ cup cooking liquid from the cooked shrimp, or canned clam juice
- 2 cups heavy cream
- ½ teaspoon salt
- Few grains mace
- ⅓ cup dry sherry
- 1-2 finely chopped cooked shrimp
- Chopped green onion

Place the whole cooked shrimp and the liquid in the blender and blend for 1 minute. Remove to the top of the double boiler and add the cream, salt and mace. Heat over hot water until the soup reaches the boiling point. Add the sherry. Serve in heated cups and garnish with chopped shrimp and chopped green onion. Serves 4-6.

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Vichyssoise

2 cups finely diced raw potatoes
4 tablespoons butter
6 leeks, cleaned and cut into 1" pieces
3 cups chicken bouillon
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
Dash nutmeg
1½-2 cups sour cream or heavy cream
Chopped chives

Cook the potatoes in salted water to cover until just tender. Melt the butter in a skillet and cook the leeks gently, tossing them lightly, for a few minutes. Add the chicken bouillon and bring to a boil. Lower the heat and simmer the leeks until tender. Add the potatoes to the leeks and broth and season to taste with salt, pepper and nutmeg. Put this mixture in the blender (you will need to blend it in two lots) and blend for 1 minute, or until smooth. Chill. When ready to serve, mix in sour cream or heavy cream. Garnish with chopped chives. Serves 6.

Meat, Poultry

Vitello Tonnato

3½-4 pounds lean leg of veal, boned, rolled and firmly tied
1 large onion, sliced
1 small can anchovies
1 7-ounce can fine tuna in oil (olive oil if possible)
2-3 stalks celery, cut in chunks
1-2 carrots, sliced
½ sour pickle
Few sprigs parsley
Pinch of thyme
Few peppercorns
2 cloves garlic
1 pint dry white wine
1 pint rich chicken stock
1½-2 cups mayonnaise (see Sauces)
Salt, freshly ground black pepper, lemon juice
3 cups cold cooked rice
Chopped parsley
Capers

The day before you plan to serve the vitello tonnato, place the veal in a large heavy skillet with a tight-fitting cover. Add the onion, the anchovies and their oil, the tuna with the oil, the celery, carrots, pickle, parsley, thyme, peppercorns and garlic. Pour in the white wine and chicken stock and bring to a boil. Lower the heat, cover the kettle and simmer gently until the veal is tender. Turn the meat two or three times as it cooks. Cool in the stock. Put meat and stock, in the kettle, in the refrigerator to chill overnight.

The next day, remove the meat, roll it in foil and return to the refrigerator. Cook the stock over high heat until reduced to 1 pint. Chill.

Place 1 cup mayonnaise in the blender and add a little of the chilled stock. Continue blending until the sauce is a smooth mixture, not too thick and firm. It should have just enough body to cling to the sliced veal. (You will probably use about 1 cup stock and 1½ to 2 cups mayonnaise.) Taste for seasoning and add lemon juice to taste.

To serve: Heap the cold rice on a large platter, piling it high in the center. Sprinkle with chopped parsley. Cut the veal into thin slices and arrange them overlapping down the center of the rice. Spoon some of the sauce over the meat slices and garnish with capers. Serve the rest of the sauce separately. Serves 12 generously.

Baked Chicken with Tippy Vegetable Sauce

1 2½-pound frying chicken, cut in quarters
Salt, freshly ground black pepper
½ cup melted butter
1 medium tomato, peeled and seeded
¼ cup coarsely chopped mushrooms
4-5 sprigs parsley, coarsely chopped
2 tablespoons sliced green onions
1 small carrot, coarsely cut
2 tablespoons celery, coarsely cut
Dash Tabasco
¼ cup bourbon
1 tablespoon brown sugar

Sprinkle the chicken with salt and pepper and place in a shallow baking dish. Brush with melted butter. Bake in a 350° oven for 45-50 minutes, or until tender.

Combine the tomato, mushrooms, parsley, green onions, carrot, celery, Tabasco, bourbon, brown sugar and ½ teaspoon salt in the blender. Blend until smooth. Pour over the chicken and bake for 10 more minutes. Serves 4.

Baron of Baby Lamb with Niçoise Sauce

1 baron of baby lamb
Salt, freshly ground black pepper, rosemary
4 cloves garlic
½ cup wine vinegar
4 egg yolks
2 tablespoons fresh mint leaves
¼ pound butter

Rub the baron of lamb well with salt, freshly ground black pepper, a little rosemary and 1 clove garlic. (Do not stud it with garlic. Baby lamb is too delicate for this treatment.) Arrange it in a roasting pan and insert a meat thermometer in the fleshy part, making certain it does not touch the bone. Roast in a 325° oven until the thermometer registers 155°-160°. Or, allow 12 minutes per pound.

Slice remaining garlic and put in a small saucepan with the vinegar, 1 teaspoon salt and ½ teaspoon pepper. Cook over a brisk flame until the liquid is almost reduced to a glaze. Remove the garlic, if you wish. Place contents of saucepan in the blender with the egg yolks and mint.

Flick the motor on and off until the egg yolks and vinegar mixture are well blended but not liquefied. Heat the butter until it almost boils and pour the hot butter in a steady thin stream over the egg yolks as the blender is operating at high speed. Blend until the sauce thickens and is smooth. Makes about 1½ cups. Serve the lamb with this sauce and the pan juices. Serves 8-10.

Farmhouse Fricassee of Chicken

½ cup oil
3 leeks
2 stalks celery
1 carrot
8 chicken legs and thighs
12 cloves garlic, peeled
3 tablespoons chopped parsley
1 teaspoon salt
½ cup cognac
3 egg yolks
1 cup cream

Pour the oil into a heavy casserole or baking dish with a tight cover. Wash and clean the vegetables and cut them into julienne strips. Place on the

bottom of the dish. Arrange the chicken on top and sprinkle with the whole garlic, parsley and salt. Add cognac, cover tightly. Bake in a 375° oven for 1¼ hours, or until chicken is tender.

Remove the chicken pieces to a hot platter and keep warm. Put the pan juices and vegetables, including the garlic, into the electric blender and blend until smooth and puréed. Beat the egg yolks with the cream. Return the sauce to a skillet and heat slowly, adding the egg-cream mixture. Cook gently, stirring, until the sauce just thickens. Do not let it boil. Taste for seasoning and serve with the chicken. Serves 8.

Lemon Veal Birds

1 cup fine dry bread crumbs
1 tablespoon grated lemon rind
Salt, freshly ground black pepper
Melted butter
6 slices veal, 6" by 4", cut very thin
Flour
4 tablespoons butter
White wine or veal stock
Lemon juice
Chopped parsley

Make the bread crumbs in the blender: Break 4 slices of dried or toasted bread into pieces. Blend at high speed, flicking the motor on and off, for about 10 seconds. Remove and measure 1 cup.

Mix the bread crumbs with the lemon rind, salt and pepper to taste and enough melted butter to moisten slightly.

Spread each veal slice with a little of the bread-crumbs mixture and roll up. Tie with string or fasten with toothpicks or skewers. Lightly season the flour with salt and pepper. Dust the veal birds with the flour. Melt the butter in a heavy skillet and brown the meat on all sides. Add the white wine or stock, cover the pan and lower the heat. Cook gently, turning veal birds once or twice, until meat is tender, about 45 minutes to 1 hour, adding more liquid if necessary.

When the veal is done, remove it to a hot platter. Taste the pan drippings for seasoning and add lemon juice to taste. Pour over the veal birds and garnish with chopped parsley. Serves 3-6.

Meat Loaf

24 thin pretzels
1 fairly large onion, sliced
2 cloves garlic, sliced
½ green pepper, cut into strips
2 pounds ground beef
1 pound ground pork
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
1 bay leaf, crumbled
1 teaspoon crumbled thyme leaves
2 eggs
Salt pork slices
Melted butter

Place the pretzels, onion, garlic and green pepper in the blender and blend until thoroughly chopped and mixed.

Remove and mix with all the other ingredients except the salt pork and melted butter. Knead with the fingers until the mixture is thoroughly blended.

Arrange slices of salt pork in the bottom of a loaf pan. Form the meat into a loaf and place it on top of the salt pork. Brush with melted butter and top with a few more slices of salt pork. Bake in a 325° oven, basting occasionally, for 1½ to 1¾ hours, or until cooked through. Turn out onto a hot platter and let stand 10 to 15 minutes to settle juices before serving. Serves 8.

Circassian Chicken

- 3 quarts water
- 1 4-pound chicken, cut in pieces
- 1 onion
- 1 carrot
- 1 bunch parsley
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 2 cups walnut meats
- 1 tablespoon paprika
- 3 slices white bread

Bring water to the boil and add the chicken, onion, carrot, parsley, salt and pepper. Simmer gently until very tender. Skim the broth and let the chicken cool in the liquid. When cool, remove the chicken pieces and take the meat from the bones. Discard the bones, skin and gristle and dice the chicken meat.

Place the walnut meats in the blender and blend until finely ground (see Blender Tips). Remove; mix with the paprika. Press in a fine cheesecloth to extract the reddened nut oil. Reserve the nuts and the oil.

Cook the chicken stock down a little until it is quite rich. Cool. Soak the bread slices in a little of the broth and then squeeze them dry. Combine the bread and ground nuts and place in the blender. Blend until smooth, adding 1 cup chicken broth, a little at a time, until the mixture is a paste.

Arrange the chicken on a serving platter and spread with the nut paste. Sprinkle the red oil over the top. Or, mix half of the paste into the chicken, top with the rest of the paste. Serves 6.

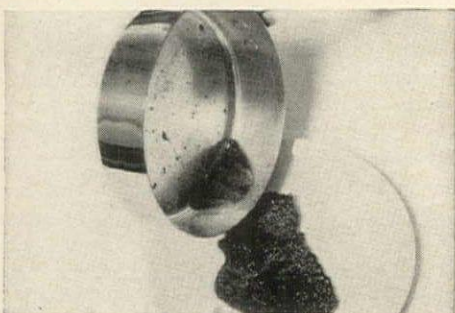
How to make Steak au Poivre



1. Measure the peppercorns into the blender container; blend at high speed for 1 minute.



2. Press crushed pepper into both sides of individual steaks with the heel of your hand.



3. Sauté steaks quickly, searing pepper into meat. Rinse pan with cognac, pour over steak.

Steak au Poivre

- 2 tablespoons peppercorns
- 2 individual steaks
- Butter
- Salt
- ¼ cup cognac

Place the peppercorns in the electric blender and blend at high speed for 1 minute. Press the crushed peppercorns into both sides of the steaks, using the heel of your hand to push them in firmly.

Sauté quickly in a buttered skillet until brown and crusty on both sides but rare in the center. The pepper should be seared into the meat. Season with salt and remove to hot plates. Rinse the skillet with the cognac and pour the pan juices over the steaks. Serves 2.

Yorkshire Pudding

- 3 tablespoons beef drippings from a roast
- 3 eggs
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup sifted flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

Grease a 9" baking pan or 8 custard cups well with the beef drippings and leave some in each cup or in the pan. Place in the oven to get fairly hot. Put the eggs, milk, flour, salt and pepper in the electric blender and blend at high speed for 30 seconds. Stop the motor once during the process and scrape the batter down with a rubber spatula. Pour the batter into the hot containers or pan and bake in a 400° oven for 40 minutes, or until lightly browned and puffy. If you use individual cups, pierce each pudding with a knife and let them stand in the oven for another 5 minutes. Serve with roast lamb or beef. Serves 8.

Toad in the Hole

- 12 link sausages
- Salt, freshly ground black pepper
- Yorkshire pudding batter (see above)

Parboil the sausages in boiling water to cover for 6 minutes. Drain and brown lightly under the broiler. Place the sausages and their fat in a baking pan and season with a little salt and pepper. Top with Yorkshire pudding batter and bake in a 375° oven for 40 minutes or until lightly browned and puffy. Serves 6.

Seafood, Fish

Codfish with Aioli

- 2 pounds filleted salt codfish
- 6-8 potatoes
- 12 carrots
- 1 pound snap beans
- 6 hard-cooked eggs
- Sauce Aioli

Soak the codfish overnight, changing the water once. Drain and poach in hot water until just tender and flaky. Peel the potatoes and boil in salted water until tender. Cook the carrots whole until tender. Cook the beans until just crisply tender. Arrange the fish and vegetables on a large platter and garnish with hard-cooked eggs, sliced. Serve with Sauce Aioli, plenty of French bread and brisk white wine or a Tavel rosé. Serves 6.

Sauce Aioli

- 4 cloves garlic
- 2 eggs
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1½ cups (approximately) olive oil

Place garlic in the blender with the eggs, lemon juice and salt. Blend. Slowly add the oil, blending it in, until the mixture thickens to the consistency of mayonnaise. Taste for seasoning and add more lemon juice, if necessary.

Shrimp and Clam Soufflé

- 1 7-ounce can minced clams
- ½ pound raw shrimp, peeled and cleaned
- 1 teaspoon dill weed, or 1 tablespoon fresh dill
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 5 egg yolks
- 6 egg whites

Put all ingredients except the egg whites in the electric blender and blend for 30 seconds.

Beat the egg whites until stiff but not dry. Remove the mixture from the blender and fold in ⅓ of the egg whites rather thoroughly. Fold in the remaining egg whites very lightly. Pour the mixture into 6 buttered individual soufflé dishes, or 1 large soufflé dish, no more than ⅔ full.

Place individual dishes in a pan of hot water and bake at 375° for 15-17 minutes. If you use one large dish, bake at 375° for 30 minutes. Serve with hollandaise sauce (see Sauces). Serves 6.

Shrimp, Latin-American Style

- 2 cups olive oil
- 2 pounds raw shrimp, shelled and cleaned
- 2 egg yolks
- ½ cup dry white wine
- ½ teaspoon anchovy paste
- ¼ cup wine vinegar
- ¼ cup fresh lime juice
- 4 pinches mace
- 1 tablespoon mustard
- 1 teaspoon parsley
- 1 teaspoon chives
- 1 teaspoon capers
- 2 teaspoons tarragon
- 2 teaspoons freshly ground black pepper
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce

Heat 1 cup of the olive oil. Toss the raw shrimp in the hot oil 2-3 minutes, or until pink. Drain and cool. Place the rest of the ingredients in the blender and blend only until smooth. Do not blend until the mixture turns into a mayonnaise.

Pour the marinade over the cooled, drained shrimp and let stand in the refrigerator for 24 hours. Serve as an hors d'oeuvre. Serves 8.

Bourride

- 2 pounds fish (bass, haddock, flounder), cut in serving-size pieces
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- Bouquet garni (thyme, bay leaf, fennel, orange peel)
- Salt, freshly ground black pepper
- 12 slices bread
- Garlic
- Sauce Aioli (see above)

Place the fish in a skillet and cover with the onion and bouquet garni. Season to taste with salt and pepper and add boiling water to come a little above the fish. Boil for 10 minutes.

While the fish cooks, toast the bread and rub with cut cloves of garlic. When the fish is tender, remove it and keep warm. Strain broth.

Mix the strained broth little by little with 1 cup of the Sauce Aioli. Be careful not to let the mixture curdle. Pour into a saucepan and cook very slowly over a low heat until the sauce just coats a wooden spoon. Do not let it boil.

Arrange the pieces of toast in a tureen and pour the sauce over them. Serve the fish separately with the remaining Aioli. Serves 6.

Vegetables

New Potatoes in Garlic Sauce

3 pounds new potatoes, small if possible
3 cloves garlic, sliced
1¼ cups beef or chicken broth
1 teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons butter
Chopped parsley
Freshly ground black pepper

Scrape the potatoes and place them in a heavy skillet. Put the garlic, broth, and salt in the blender and blend for 30 seconds at high speed. Pour over the potatoes, cover the skillet and cook gently until the potatoes are just tender. Shake the pan occasionally so that the potatoes will cook evenly. Dress with the butter, parsley and pepper to taste before serving. Serves 6.

These garlicky potatoes are excellent with roast lamb or with beef steaks.

Cannelini Bean Salad

Cannelini—white kidney beans—come in cans ready to reheat or to serve cold in salads.

2 cans cannellini
1 slice bread
2 cloves garlic, sliced
⅓ cup walnut meats
1 cup rich chicken broth
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
Dash of Tabasco
1 tablespoon lemon juice
Salad greens
Chopped parsley
Chopped mint

Drain the beans and set aside. Place the bread in the blender and blend to crumbs. Add the garlic, nuts, broth, salt, pepper, Tabasco and lemon juice and blend at high speed for 1 minute. Pour over the beans and toss to mix well. Line a bowl with greens and put the bean salad in the bowl. Top with chopped parsley and mint. Serves 6.

Tabbouleh

(Mint and Parsley Salad from the Middle East)

1 cup fine burghul (cracked wheat)
1 cup finely chopped onions
Salt, freshly ground black pepper
1½ cups chopped parsley
½ cup chopped mint
¾ cup peeled, seeded and chopped tomatoes (optional)
¾ cup olive oil
1 cup lemon juice

You may use the blender to chop the onions, the parsley and mint as directed in Blender Tips.

Soak the burghul in boiling water for 5 minutes. Drain and press out excess water.

Mix the onions with the burghul, crushing

the onion juice into the wheat with your fingers. Add salt and pepper to taste.

Mix the parsley, mint, chopped tomatoes (if used), olive oil and lemon juice with the wheat and taste for seasoning. Heap on a large platter and garnish, if you like, with quartered tomatoes or cherry tomatoes. Serves 4-6.

Corn and Chili Soufflé

1 12-ounce can whole-kernel corn
1 4-ounce can peeled green chilis
4 egg yolks
½ cup grated Gruyère cheese
½ teaspoon salt
6 egg whites

Place the corn, chilis and egg yolks in the blender and blend for 30 seconds. Remove and stir in the cheese and salt. Beat the egg whites until stiff but not dry and fold ⅓ of them into the corn mixture rather thoroughly. Fold in the rest of the egg whites lightly and pour the mixture into a buttered charlotte mold or soufflé dish. Bake in a 375° oven for 30 minutes, or until lightly browned and puffy. Serve with beef or chicken. Serves 4-6.

Desserts

Pineapple Ice Cream

1 medium can crushed pineapple
½ pint heavy cream, whipped

Place the undrained pineapple in the blender and blend until smooth. Fold thoroughly into the whipped cream and pour into an ice cube tray. Freeze until firm. Serves 4 generously.

Note: If you like a sweeter ice cream, add sugar to taste.

Pineapple Sherbet

Blend a can of crushed pineapple until smooth and freeze in the ice cube tray. Serve with or without whipped cream garnish. Serves 4.

The Queen's Soufflé

Lady fingers
6 eggs
1 cup filberts
½ cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 egg whites
Sweetened whipped cream

Butter a 1½-quart soufflé dish and sprinkle it with sugar. Arrange lady fingers in the bottom.

Separate the eggs and combine the egg yolks, the nuts, the sugar and vanilla in the blender. Blend at high speed until it becomes a smooth paste. This will take about 2 minutes. Beat the 6 egg whites plus the 2 extra whites until stiff but not dry. Fold into the nut mixture and pour over the lady fingers. Bake in a 400° oven for 30 minutes, or until lightly browned and puffy. Serve at once with sweetened whipped cream. Serves 6.

Greengage Sherbet

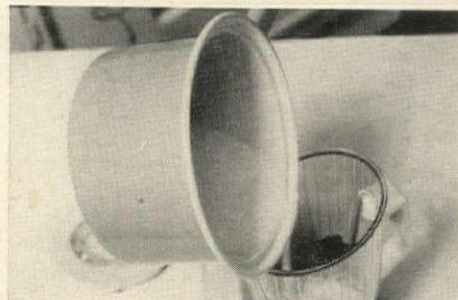
Pit canned greengage plums and place the fruit with the juice in the blender. Blend until smooth. Pour into a decorative mold and freeze until firm. Unmold onto a platter and surround with fresh fruits, such as small bunches of green grapes, or tiny fingers of pineapple. Serve with whipped or sour cream.

How to make Pots de Crème

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1. Put chocolate bits, egg, sugar, vanilla and a pinch of salt in container of the blender.



2. Heat milk just to boiling point. Pour into blender and blend at low speed for 1 minute.



3. Pour mixture into pots de crème and chill.

Pots de Crème

¾ cup milk
1 cup (6-ounce package) semi-sweet chocolate bits
1 egg
2 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
Pinch of salt

Heat the milk just to the boiling point. Place all the other ingredients in the blender and add the hot milk. Blend at low speed for 1 minute. Pour into 6 pots de crème and chill for several hours. Serves 6.

Almond-Stuffed Apples

½ cup blanched almonds
2 tablespoons water
¼ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon almond extract
8 medium-sized baking apples
Melted butter
Sifted dry fine bread crumbs
Sugar
Whipped cream

Place the nuts in the electric blender and blend until finely ground. Add the water, sugar and almond extract and blend until smooth.

Peel and core the apples and fill them with the almond paste. Roll the apples in melted butter, then in fine bread crumbs (these may be made in the blender) and finally in sugar. Arrange them in a buttered baking pan and bake in a 425° oven for 25 minutes, or until tender.

Serve from the baking dish and pass whipped cream. Serves 8.

Moghlie

(Festive Rice Pudding)

This decorative pudding comes from Lebanon. It is traditionally served to all relatives when a boy is born into the family.

- 1 1/4 cups rice
- 1 tablespoon caraway seed
- 1 tablespoon anise seed
- 8 cups water
- 2 1/2 cups sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon powdered ginger
- Blanched almonds, walnuts, pistachios, coconut

Place raw rice in the blender and blend until fine and powdery. Remove and measure 1 1/4 cups.

Blend caraway seed and anise seed. Mix the rice with 2 cups of water and add the sugar, caraway and anise. Bring 6 cups of water to a boil, add the rice mixture and ginger and continue cooking. Stir occasionally. Cook until the mixture coats the spoon.

Pour into individual serving dishes and decorate with chopped almonds, walnuts, pistachios and coconut. Serves 15.

Mocha Ice Cream

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 1/2 teaspoons instant coffee
- 1 cup (6-ounce package) semi-sweet chocolate bits
- 2 eggs
- 1 1/2 cups heavy cream, whipped

Combine sugar, water and instant coffee in a saucepan and bring to a boil. Boil for 3 minutes.

Place the chocolate bits in the blender and add the sugar syrup. Blend for 6 seconds. Add the eggs and blend for 1 minute. Remove and fold the mixture into the whipped cream. Pour into ice trays and freeze until firm. Serves 6.

Sauces

Sauce for Lamb

- 2 hard-cooked eggs
- 1/2 cup olive oil
- 3 cloves garlic, sliced
- 2/3 cup pecans, or filberts, or walnuts
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon (or more) lemon juice
- Dash Tabasco
- Chopped parsley
- Chopped mint

Place the eggs in the electric blender and blend at high speed for 1 minute. Add all the rest of the ingredients except the parsley and mint. Blend at high speed for 1 minute. Taste for seasoning and add more lemon juice if needed. Serve with a garnish of chopped parsley and mint. Makes approximately 2 cups.

Sauce Superb

- 1/2 cup blanched almonds
- 1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1/4 cup apricot brandy
- 1/2 cup bourbon
- 1/2 cup toasted flaked coconut

Place the almonds in the blender and blend until well ground. Add the sugar, brandy and bourbon and blend until smooth. Remove and mix in the coconut flakes. Serve as a sauce over ice cream or puddings. Makes approximately 1 cup.

Mayonnaise

- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Dash Tabasco
- 3 tablespoons wine vinegar
- 1 cup oil

Place the egg, mustard, salt, Tabasco, vinegar and 1/3 cup oil in the blender and blend at high speed for 5 seconds. Remove the cover insert and pour in the remaining oil in a steady stream as the mixture blends. Blend until smooth and thick but do not overblend. Makes approximately 1 1/4 cups.

Niçoise Mayonnaise

- 2 eggs
- 3 cloves garlic
- 6 anchovy fillets
- 6 pitted black olives
- Juice of 1 lemon
- 1 cup olive oil

Place eggs, garlic, anchovies, olives, lemon juice and 1/3 cup oil in the blender. Proceed as for regular mayonnaise, adding the remaining oil as directed. Makes approximately 1 1/2-1 3/4 cups.

Clam Sauce for Pasta

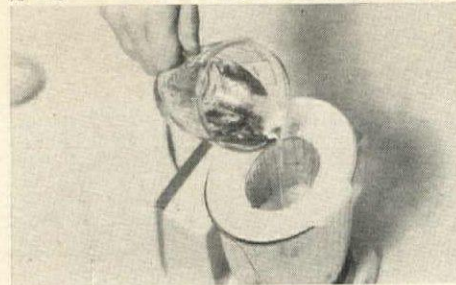
- 4 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 cloves garlic
- 2 7-ounce cans whole clams
- 1/2 teaspoon salt, pepper to taste
- 1/4 cup finely chopped parsley
- Cooked spaghetti

Place the oil, garlic, clams and their juice in the blender and blend 1 minute. Remove to a saucepan and season with salt, pepper and parsley.

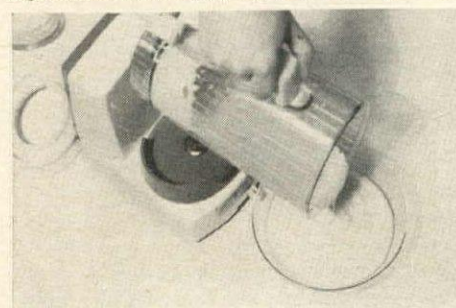
How to make Mayonnaise



1. Break egg into blender, add seasoning and 1/3 cup oil. Blend at high speed for 5 seconds.



2. Remove cover insert and, with blender on high, add remaining 2/3 cup oil in steady stream.



3. Blend only until smooth and thick; do not overblend. Pour into bowl or jar for storing. For shopping information, see page 183.

Heat gently.

Toss the cooked spaghetti well with the clam sauce. Serve with additional chopped parsley. Serves 4 as a pasta course.

Anchovy Sauce for Pasta

- 1/2 cup olive oil
- 4 cloves garlic
- 12-14 anchovy fillets
- 1/2 cup parsley sprigs
- 3-4 basil leaves, or 1 teaspoon dried basil
- Cooked green noodles
- Grated Parmesan or Romano cheese

Place the olive oil, garlic, anchovy, parsley and basil in the blender and blend for 30 seconds. Remove to a saucepan and heat gently.

Serve green noodles topped with the anchovy sauce and grated cheese. Serves 4 as a pasta course.

Hollandaise

- 4 egg yolks
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
- Dash Tabasco
- 1 cup butter, melted and heated almost to the boiling point

Place the egg yolks, lemon juice and seasonings in the blender and blend for a second or so. Do not overblend until eggs liquefy. Remove the cover and pour in bubbling hot butter in a thin steady stream as the mixture blends. Blend until smooth and creamy, but do not overblend. Makes approximately 1 1/2 cups.

Sauce Mousseline

Blend hollandaise with an equal amount of salted whipped cream. Serve with asparagus or fish.

Sauce Aurore

Add 1 tablespoon (or to taste) of tomato paste to hollandaise.

Sauce Maltaise

Follow the recipe for hollandaise, but omit lemon juice and substitute orange juice and 1 teaspoon grated orange zest.

Bearnaise Sauce

- 1/4 cup tarragon vinegar
- 1 tablespoon red wine
- 1 finely chopped shallot
- 1 1/2 teaspoons dried tarragon, or 1 1/2 tablespoons fresh tarragon

Place all ingredients in a pan and cook until the liquid is almost a glaze. Add to the hollandaise sauce in the blender and blend for 1 minute.

Aromatic Sauce for Seafood

- 1/2 cup olive oil
- 3 shallots, sliced
- 1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- 1 teaspoon soy sauce
- 1 teaspoon tarragon
- 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1/4 cup Pernod
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- Few sprigs parsley

Combine all ingredients in the blender and blend 30 seconds. Makes approximately 1-1 1/4 cups.



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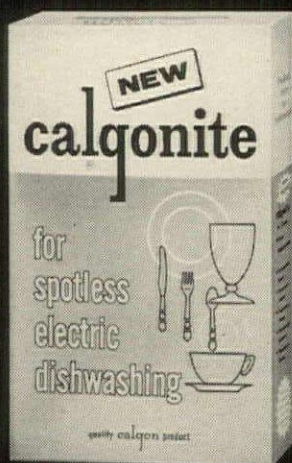
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COOLING DRINKS from the blender

By James A. Beard

A blender drink can be tall and thirst-quenching, concentrated and vitamin-packed, with or without alcoholic spirits. And, true to its name, the blender combines things you'd never associate normally and transforms them quickly into distinctive beverages.

DRINKS BASED ON TOMATO JUICE

TOMATO JUICE PROVENCALE

1 cup tomato juice
1 clove garlic (more or less, to taste)
4 or 5 leaves fresh basil
¼ teaspoon salt
Dash of lemon juice

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

TOMATO JUICE MEXICAINE

1 cup tomato juice
½ peeled green chili (comes in cans)
2 or 3 thin slices avocado
Pinch of oregano
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

TOMATO JUICE BRITISH

1 cup tomato juice
3 or 4 sprigs watercress (without stems)
1 sprig parsley (without stems)
Dash of Worcestershire sauce
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

TOMATO JUICE ITALIENNE

1 cup tomato juice
4 or 5 leaves fresh basil, or ½ teaspoon dried
1 good-sized slice of red Italian onion
½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
Dash of salt

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

TOMATO JUICE PIQUANT

1 cup tomato juice
Juice of 1 lime
Good dash of Tabasco
Freshly ground black pepper to taste
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

TOMATO JUICE CAJUN

1 cup tomato juice
1 strip of green pepper
Dash of Tabasco
¼ clove garlic
Dash of lime juice
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

TOMATO JUICE CALIFORNIAN

1 cup tomato juice
½ cup shredded raw carrot

2 sprigs parsley (without stems)
1 tablespoon lemon juice
Dash of Worcestershire sauce
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend for 1 minute and pour over ice cubes in a chilled glass. Serve with a topping of sour cream and a sprinkling of paprika.

TOMATO JUICE NEW ENGLAND

½ cup tomato juice
½ cup clam juice
Juice of ½ lime
Dash of Tabasco
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend for 1 minute. Serve over ice cubes in a chilled glass.

Variation: Add 1 or 2 whole cherry-stone clams to ingredients in blender.

MEXICAN MARIA

2 ounces tomato juice
2 ounces tequila
Juice of ½ lime
Thin strip of peeled green chili
Good dash of Tabasco
¼ teaspoon salt

Blend until well-mixed. Pour over ice cubes in an Old-fashioned glass and garnish with a slice of lime.

FRUIT JUICE DRINKS

PINEAPPLE WATERCRESS WHIRL

1 cup chilled pineapple juice
Juice of ½ lime
4 to 6 sprigs watercress (without stems)

Blend for ½ minute and serve over ice cubes or in a chilled glass.

ORANGE JUICE HAWAIIAN

¾ cup chilled orange juice
1 slice pineapple
Dash of lemon juice

Blend for ½ minute and serve over ice or in a chilled glass. Garnish with a sprig of mint.

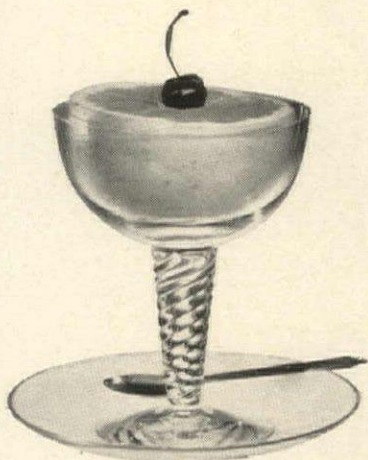
ORANGE EGGNOG

3 tablespoons frozen orange concentrate, thawed
¾ cup milk
1 egg

Blend until well-mixed. Serve in a chilled glass.

ALL-IN-ONE BREAKFAST SHAKE

1 cup milk, well-chilled
1 cup orange juice, well-chilled
1 cup corn flakes



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1 egg
Simple sugar syrup to taste

Blend for 1 minute. Makes 2 average servings, or 1 ample serving.

FROZEN DAIQUIRI WITH VARIATIONS

2 ounces light rum
Juice of 1 lime
1 teaspoon fine sugar
2/3 cup crushed ice (or more, if you like)

Blend for 1/2 minute, or until ice and liquid are well-mixed. Pour into a chilled champagne coupe.

Variations: To the ingredients in the blender add 1/3 of a ripe banana, or 6 mint leaves, or 1 slice of ripe pineapple, or 2 orange sections.

TIDES ROYAL GRAPEFRUIT FIZZ

1 egg
1 teaspoon sugar
1/3 cup frozen, fresh or canned grapefruit juice, unsweetened
2 ounces gin
Cracked ice

Blend the egg and sugar for 10 seconds. Pour into a cocktail shaker and add the grapefruit juice, gin and cracked ice. Shake well and strain into three well-chilled champagne glasses and fill glasses with chilled champagne.

DRINKS WITH VODKA BASE

VODKA WITH LEMON

2 ounces vodka
2 slices peeled lemon
1 teaspoon sugar syrup
1/2 cup crushed ice

Blend for 1/2 minute and pour into a chilled coupe.

VODKA WITH ORANGE

2 ounces vodka
2 slices peeled orange
Dash of sugar syrup
2/3 cup crushed ice

Blend for 1/2 minute and pour into a chilled coupe.

VODKA WITH GRAPEFRUIT

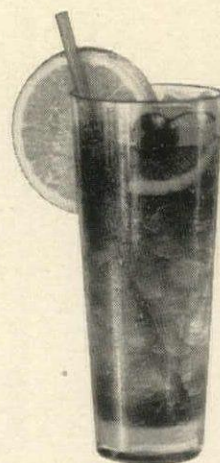
2 ounces vodka
1/2 cup fresh grapefruit juice
Dash of sugar syrup

Blend for 1/2 minute or less and pour over crushed ice in a 10-ounce glass. Garnish with a sprig of mint.

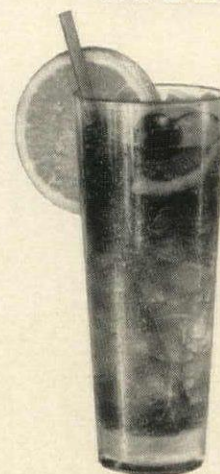
VODKA WITH TOMATO JUICE

2 ounces vodka
2 ounces tomato juice
1 slice peeled lemon
Dash of Tabasco
Dash of salt
2/3 cup crushed ice

Blend until well-mixed and pour into chilled Old-fashioned glass or champagne glass.



GOOD



GREAT!



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What's the best-known, best-liked rum cooler? Planters' Punch—traditionally made with Myers. To make: 1 tsp. sugar, juice 1/2 lemon, 2 oz. Myers Rum, dash Angostura, dash grenadine. Shake with ice, add soda to taste in tall glass. Magnificent—thanks to the flavor-magic of Myers!

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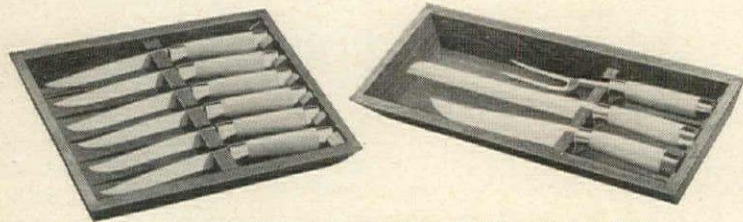
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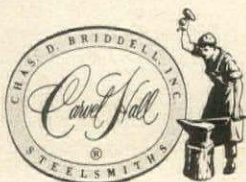
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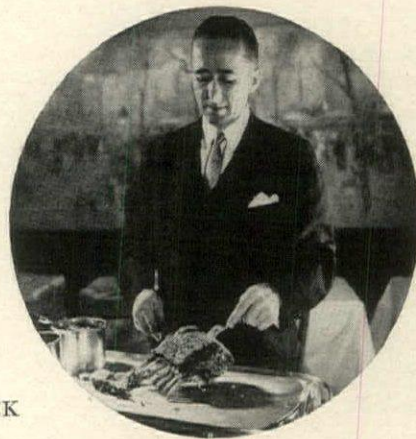
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HOW TO CARVE LAMB

Lamb is a delicate and flavorful meat that affords many different types of roasts but it often presents a problem in carving. The important thing when carving lamb is to understand the bone structure of the roast and slice it accordingly. Here Mr. Fred Decré of the Caravelle Restaurant in New York shows you the correct way to deal with a rack, saddle and leg of lamb. Simplest to carve is the rack—a single rack of rib chops which has only to be cut into individual portions. (A crown roast, the double rack tied in the form of a crown, is also carved into single chops.) The saddle, a more complex cut consisting of the double loin and tenderloin, is carved in long strips on each side parallel to the spinal column. The technique for carving a leg of lamb is explained on page 178.



HOW TO
CARVE A RACK
OF LAMB



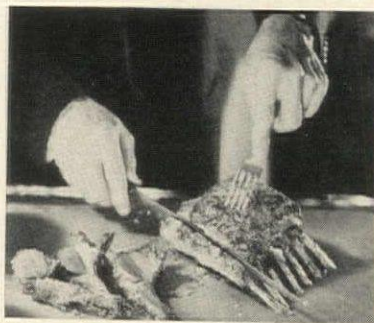
Arrange rack of rib chops on platter with Frenched (scraped) bone tips pointed away from carver.



Make first cut at the top where chops are joined.

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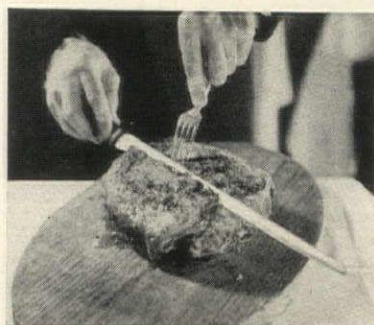


Separate chops by carving between the rib bones.



Pick up chop on flat of knife, holding firmly with fork, and remove to plate.

HOW TO CARVE A SADDLE OF LAMB



Arrange saddle, bone side down, on carving board. Slice off layer of fat on top of the saddle by cutting parallel to the meat.



With turn of knife, remove layer of fat; discard.

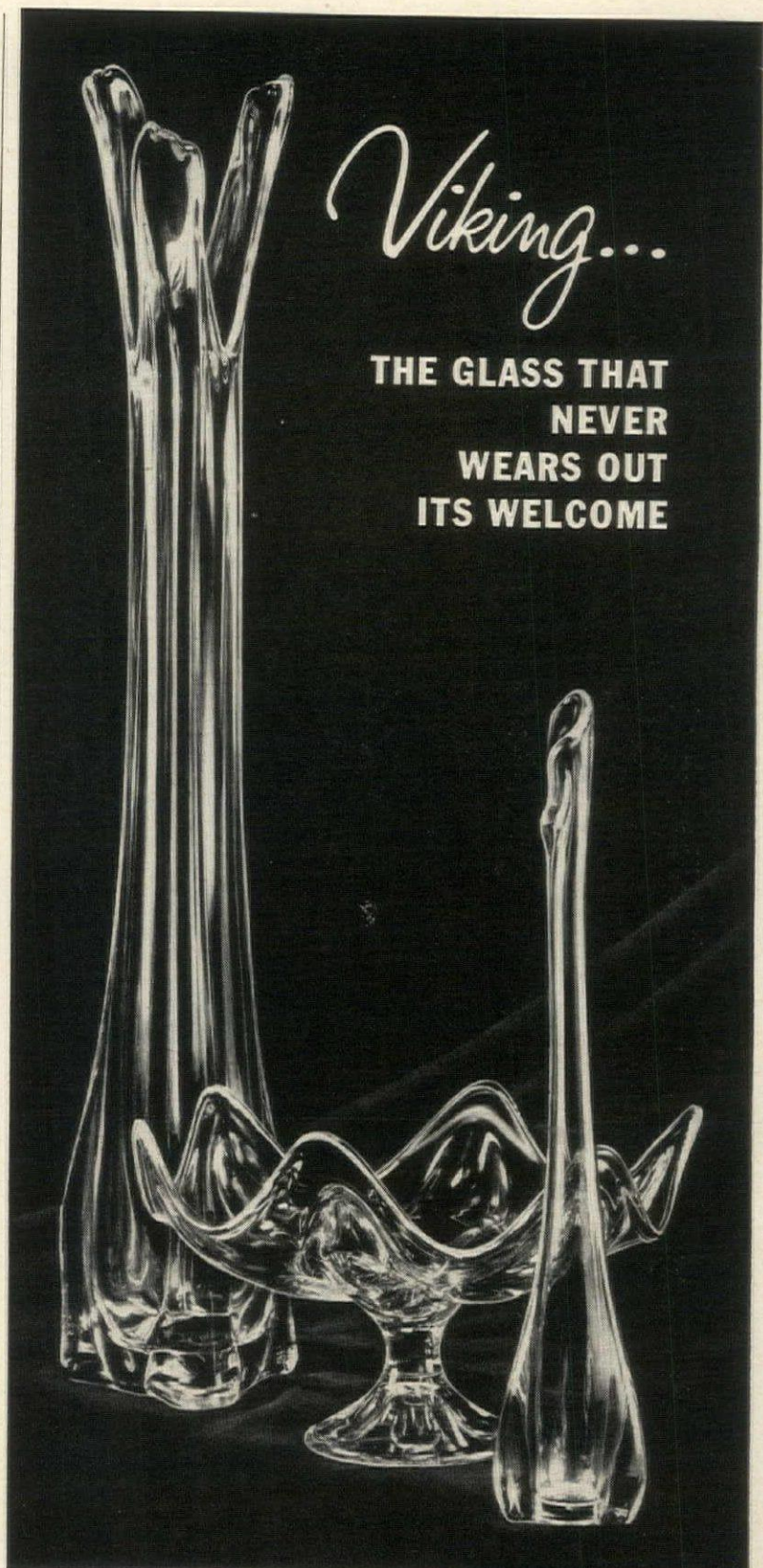


Carve saddle down toward bone with knife parallel to spinal column. Cut the meat into thin, even, lengthwise slices.



Transfer slices to plate; add gravy, vegetables.

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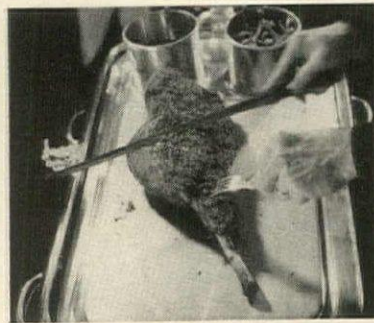
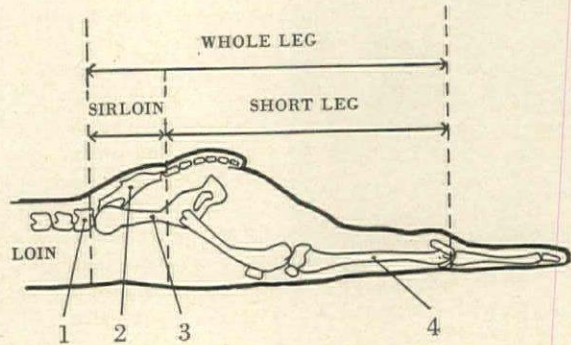
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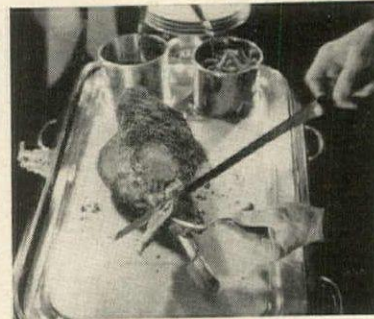
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HOW TO CARVE A LEG OF LAMB

A perfectly cooked and carved leg of lamb is an asset to any menu. Although the leg is often carved down toward the bone, like a ham, the following method of slicing across the top is better from the viewpoint of appearance and flavor. You may buy a whole leg or short leg (with sirloin portion removed) as shown in the diagram. A whole leg may be easier to carve if you have the tail and pelvic bone removed by the butcher.



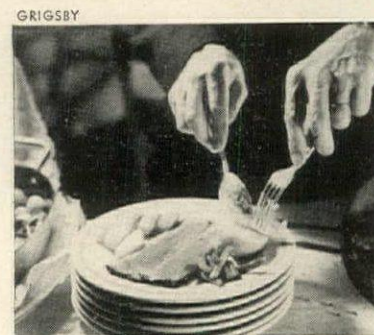
Arrange leg of lamb on a platter, bone side down, with exposed tip of shank pointed to left of carver.



With long, flexible slicer, start carving a third of the way down leg and cut small slice from top.



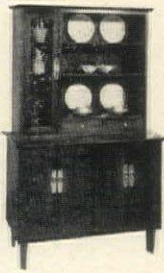
Continue carving across the top of the leg, with the grain of the meat. After removing top slices, carve sides in long slices.



Transfer slices to plate for individual serving; garnish with vegetables.

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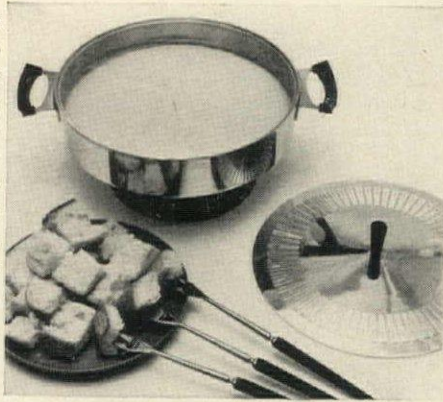
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Out of the frying pan and straight into the mouths of eager diners might go such party fare as cheese fondue—when served in a frying pan as handsome as Prestoware's 10-inch crucible of polished cast aluminum. The decorative handles are shaped for a sure and comfortable grip; the lid, with its embossed pattern and slender knob, is literally top news. The 2-quart pan and lid, \$9.95. National Presto Industries, Inc. The rosewood-handled fondue forks, \$1.95 each. Stark-Valla.



The appetite-appeal of all the hearty fare this 5-quart Dutch oven can hold is abetted by the shapely good looks of the pot itself, from Griswold's new Symbol group. Its handles are wrought with the sculptured grace of contemporary flatware, while its lid is enameled in brilliant pimento red. The 10-inch polished cast-aluminum pot, \$11.95. Griswold Manufacturing Co.

Practical hostesses and connoisseur cooks will welcome Revere's trim skillet-brazier. This sleek, straight-sided pan with the neat black handles can come to the table brimming with anything from sukiyaki to Swiss steak, for as a cooker it combines the virtues of a skillet and a Dutch oven. New 4-quart pan, from the stainless steel Designer group, \$18.95. Revere Copper & Brass Co.



SHADOWS-ON-THE-TECHE

(pages 148-151)

Gold moiré dining room curtains, red damask parlor curtains, velvet for drawing room chairs, striped silk for Baltimore-Sheraton sofa, Schumacher.

Wallpaper and border, parlor and girl's bedroom, Nancy McClelland.

Wallpaper, dining room, Katzenbach & Warren.

Wallpaper border, dining room,

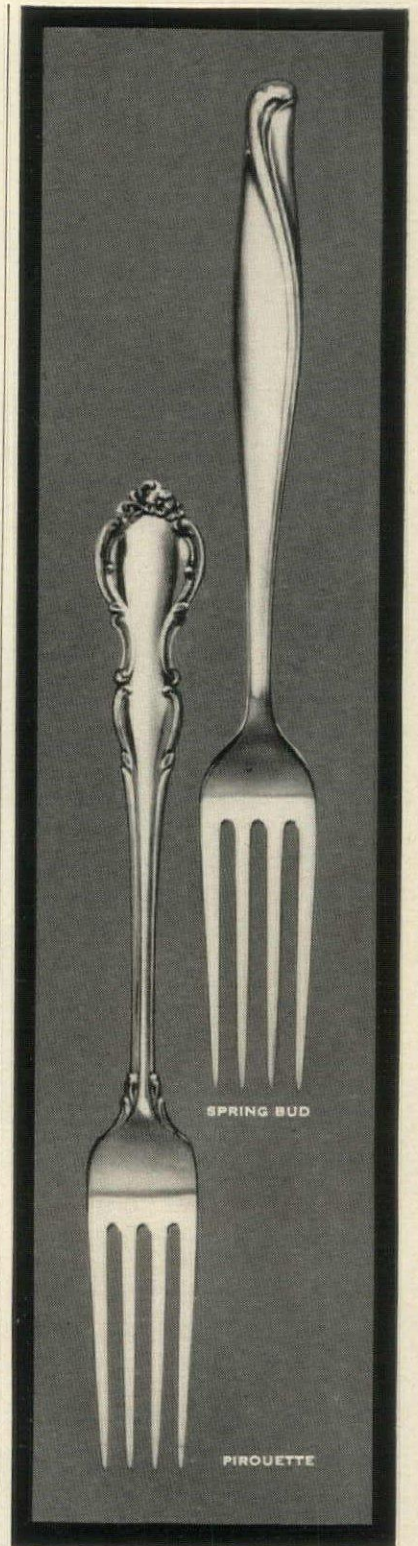
Jones & Erwin.

Black horsehair for dining room chairs, Stroheim & Romann.

Tambour curtains, sitting room; organdy under curtains, drawing room; muslin curtains, master bedroom and girl's bedroom, Greeff Fabrics.

Matting used as floor covering, Gotham Carpet.

Paint, Martin-Senour.



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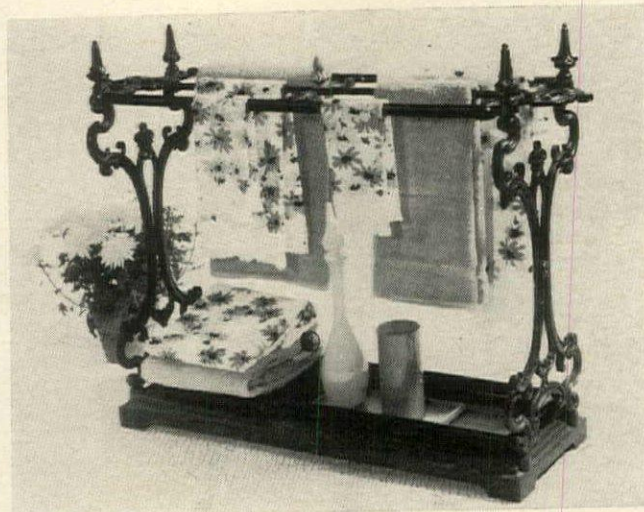
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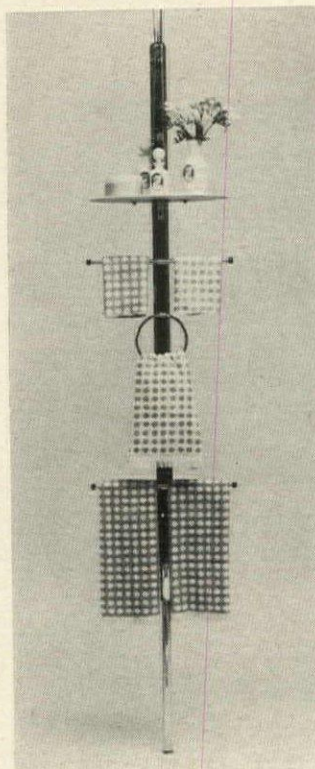
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TALENTED TREASURES FOR YOUR BATHROOM

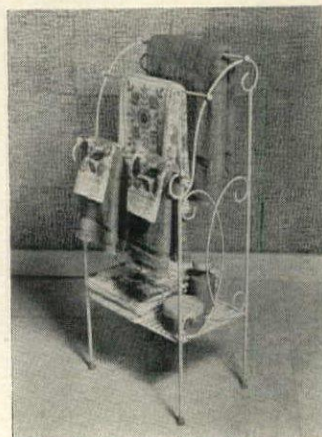
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UMBRELLA STAND of cast iron, a rare piece of Victoriana, makes a spacious display rack for bright-blooming towels—in this case, Morgan Jones' colorful "Wildflowers." Thus garnished, the one-of-a-kind antique could even serve splendidly in a guest room. Stand, \$125 from Marion Wieder at Saks Fifth Avenue.



SLENDER COLUMN of chrome occupies a minimum of space and has many useful possibilities. For on it you can mount towel bars, rings or shelves in any assortment you choose. You might even install a similar towel tree in the kitchen. The polka-dot towels are Fieldcrest's "Cayette." Floor-to-ceiling pole, \$16; fittings, \$2.25 to \$5.50. From Hammacher Schlemmer.



AN OLD-FASHIONED PLANTER might have inspired this airy white iron stand, which can bring a garden grace to a bathroom while holding a goodly supply of towels. The towels with the stylized flowers here are Dundee's "Provincial." Stand, \$14.95. Bloomingdale's.

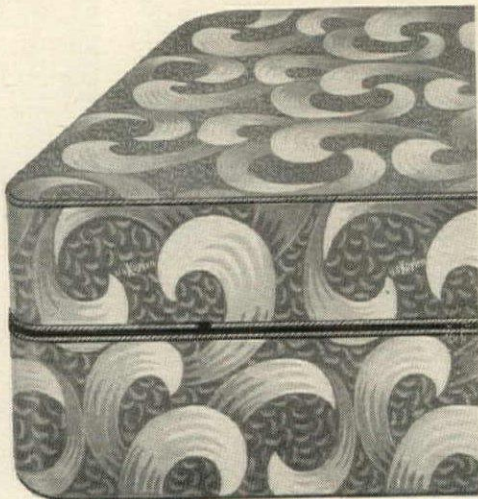
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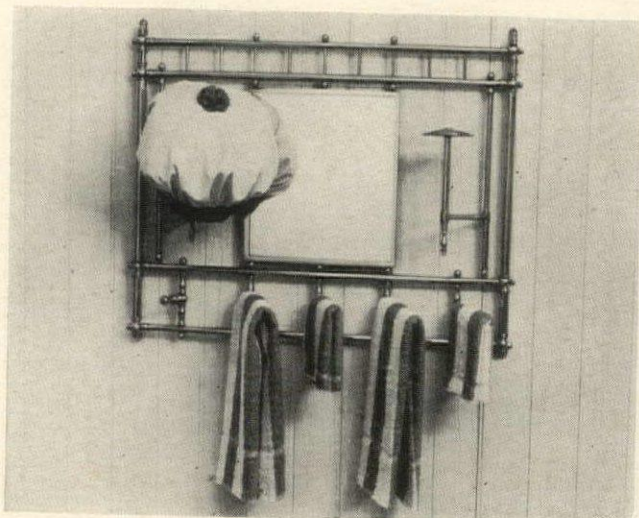
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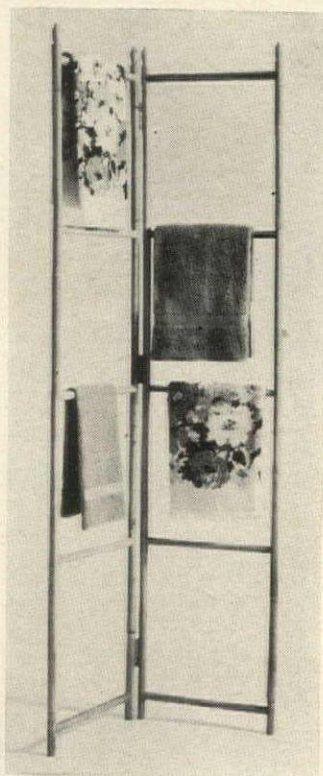


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SOLID BRASS COAT RACK, a copy of the wooden ones of fifty-odd years ago, is a fine addition to a bathroom. Besides holding towels, it has hat stands for shower caps and a mirror. The towel bars hold Cone's striped towels; swivel-out hat stand holds Kleinert's pomponed shower cap. The rack, including mirror, \$89.95. Julius Garfinckel.



AN OPEN SCREEN of bamboo makes a pretty frame for the whole family's towels, taking up little space but filling an entire corner of the bathroom with bright banners of color. The flowered towels are Wamsutta's "Fantasia." The folding towel ladder is \$25 from Anne Davis.



RATTAN TEA CART makes a charming rack that seems to bring the garden into the bathroom, as it nostalgically calls forth the lawn parties of long ago. Stores plenty of pretty towels—in this instance, a pattern called "Snow Flowers" by Callaway. Cart with lift-off tray, \$42.50. From Walters Furniture.



TRIPOD STAND has towel bars supported by graceful S-curves. Of brass, topped with a bright ball finial, the stand could make an important-looking addition to a bath or dressing room. The laurel-wreath embroidered towels and the panel-design shower curtain are by Martex. Towels available at Bloomingdale's. Stand, \$79 at B. Altman.



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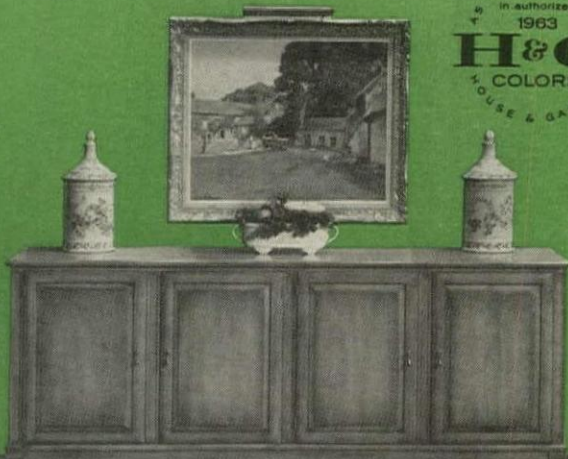
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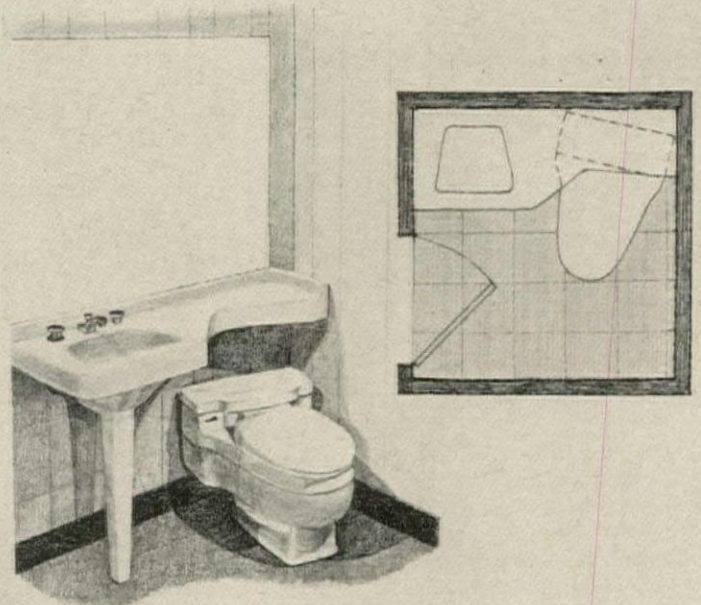
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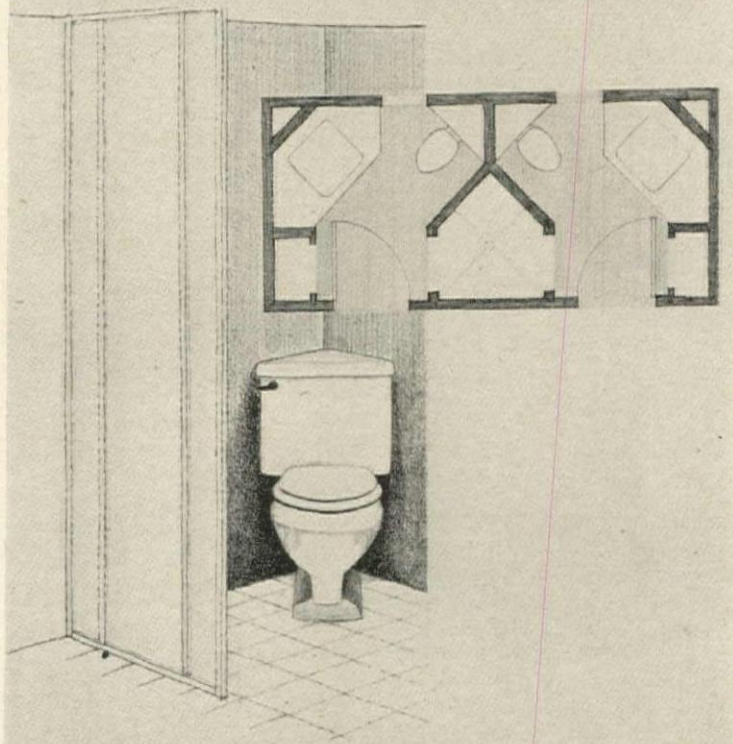
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All H&G 1963 Colors are available in paints made by Colorizer and Martin-Senour.

Cover

"Fashion Rite" rug, Cumuloft, 12' or 15' width. \$9.95 sq. yd. Magee.

Curtains and wing chair fabric: "Hermosa" 48" wide Courtauld rayon and cotton damask, Scotchgard finish. \$2.98 yd., Riverdale.

Tiebacks, 3/4" diameter cotton cord. Tape trimming on sofas, 1 1/4" wide, cotton, 30c yd. Consolidated.

Pillows on sofa: "Plaza Check" 54" wide spun rayon. \$9 yd. Jofa, Inc.* Needle-point pillows, privately owned. Sofas with kick-pleated skirts, 72" l., 35" d., 27 1/2" h., arm 24 1/2" h., in muslin \$517, Erwin-Lambeth.

Wing chair, cabriole front legs in Breton finished fruitwood, 46 1/2" h., arm 25 1/2" h., seat 19" d., 16 1/2" h., in muslin \$240. Erwin-Lambeth.

Armoire, privately owned.

Tables, lamps, accessories from The Collector's Eye, Westport, Conn.

"Flowerscape" oil painting by Alice Forman, \$450. The Camino Gallery, 89 East 10th St., New York, N. Y.

Color Schemes

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Draperies, "Magnolia" cotton floral print, 54" wide, \$3.98 yd.

Sofa fabric: "Kimberly" 54" wide cotton, \$3.98 yd. Kandell.

Rug: "Basketweave" cotton & rayon, 7' x 7', \$59.95. Cabin Crafts.

Furniture and accessories, privately owned.

Pages 116-117:

Flooring: "Travertine" vinyl, 9" x 9", \$1. sq. ft., Amtico.

Area rug: "Finnish Meadow", 4' 6" x 6', \$139. Bigelow.

Fabric on John Stuart sofa: "Caribe" cotton and Avisco rayon, 54" wide, \$4.95 yd., Cohama.

Coffee table, plastic laminate, 36" diam., 15" h. Steel wire chairs fused white plastic designed by Bertoia, upholstered in Naugahyde. 33 3/4" w., 28" d., 30 1/2" h. Knoll.*

Curtains: Belgian linen casement, 48" wide, \$3.40 yd., Kravet.

Wall paneling: "Weldwood" by U. S. Plywood.

Painting "Mixed Greens" by Charles Heilemann and accessories all privately owned.

Page 118:

Living-dining room photographed at A.I.D. Design & Decoration Show 1962.

"Country Plaid" wallpaper, 40" repeat, \$16.75 single roll.

"Country Plaid" fabric on sofa and Roman shade, 51" wide cotton, \$7.50 yd.

Inset on sofa wall and dining room wall, "Country Rose" wallpaper, \$9.50 single roll.

Co-ordinated cotton fabric, 36" wide, \$4.90 yd. All by C. W. Stockwell Co. Round dining table, Tuscan replica

antique matte finish, 48" x 48" x 29", with two 24" fillers.

Painted armchair: 22" w., 21" d., 42" h.

Painted side chair, 19" d., 19" w., 41" h.

Commode: painted with burnished gold-leaf trim. 45" w., 11 1/2" d., 32" h. Sofa, 96" l., 31" d., 30 1/2" h.

Armchair, 28" w., 33" d., 30" h., back. Drum lamp table, replica antique marble top, 20" diam., 24" high.

Chest, Veneto replica antique, 47" x 20" x 30".

Bench, Tuscan replica antique, 24" w., 26" d., 25" h. All by Baker.

Custom woven carpet, accessories privately owned.

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Silk velvet on sofas, 50" w., Greeff Fabrics.*

Silk twill on chair, 50" wide, Scalmandre Silks.*

Pillows covered in hand woven Siamese silk, 40" wide, Far Eastern Fabrics.

Wool carpet, Edward Fields. Vinyl flooring, Amtico.

Furniture and accessories, privately owned.

Page 120:

Fabric on beds and boudoir chairs, "Viva" 50" cotton, Margaret Owen, Inc.*

Carpet, custom design.

Furniture and accessories privately owned.

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Carpet: "Treasure Twist" 50l du Pont nylon, \$9.95 sq. yd., Barwick.

5" wool fringe added by H&G.

"Petit Trianon" wallpaper moldings, architectural elements. Louis Bowen, Inc.*

Drapery fabric: "Maintenon" Belgian linen, 46" wide, \$9.75 yd.

Antique satin on armchairs and ottoman, 55" wide cotton and rayon, \$9.40 yd.

Back of armchair covered in "Navarre Plaid" 50" wide. Belgian linen. \$5.10 yd. All fabrics from Brunschwig & Fils, Inc.*

Loveseat, Neapolitan walnut finish on frame. 54" l., 32" d., 29" h. Arm 22" h., in muslin, \$397.

Armchairs, Neapolitan walnut finish on frames. 24" w., 22" d., 34" h., in muslin \$201.

Ottoman, buttoned, on Shepherd casters. Diam. 30", 15 1/2" h., in muslin \$135.

Painted side table with Neapolitan walnut finish top and Venetian Blue fluted pedestal base. 22" w., 22" d., 18" h. \$79.

Commode with Neapolitan walnut finish, one drawer, two doors with brass grille. 28" w., 19" d., 25" h. \$129.

All furniture by Henredon. Accessories and table beside armchair, privately owned.

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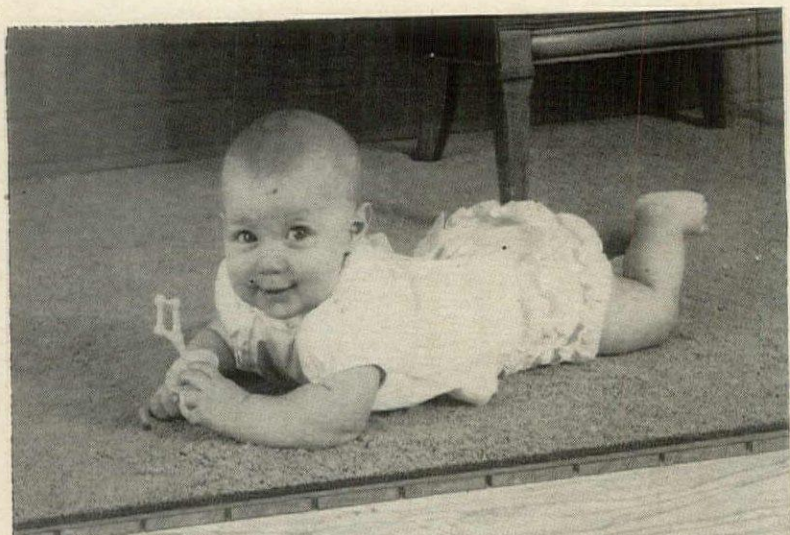
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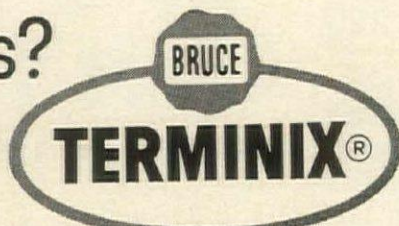
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Tuxedo sofa and tufted club chairs designed by Angelo Donghia, from Continental Craftsmen.

Upholstered in: 50" wide preshrunk cotton canvas. Canvas canopy and upholstery fabric, Canvas Awning Institute.

Armchairs, tables, stools, chandelier, vases and urns from Yale R. Burge.* Blinds: H&G's Oyster White Venetian blinds installed in aluminum frames with H&G's Blueberry Blue tapes. From The Venetian Blind Institute.

Tablecloth and pillows made from "Crozon Check" linen and cotton, \$9.75 yd. Brunswick & Fils, Inc.*

Monkeyskin rug from D. J. Guccione, 215 East 19th St., N. Y., N. Y.

Page 123:

Kitchen cabinets and roll-out cart: custom made of Philippine mahogany.

Walls and countertops in kitchen: Formica.

Flooring: concrete stained brown; black set-in rubber mat in front of stove and sink.

Built-in stainless steel ovens: Thermador.

Drop-in cooking top: Thermador.

Dishwasher: Westinghouse.

Disposer: In-Sink-Erator.

Light fixtures: Howard Miller.

Refrigerator: coppertone, wall-hung by General Electric.

Sofa in sitting area: covered in imported Indian fabric.

Painting: "Mexican Square" by James Pinto.

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Furniture, rug and accessories are privately owned.

Vertical tontine blinds from Cumberland Furniture Co.

Flooring: vinyl tile by Amtico.

Rug: hand woven, custom design from Puerto Rico.

Upholstery fabrics: "Woolsuede" 54" wide, 100 per cent wool, Isabel Scott Fabrics Corp.*

Painting by Barbara White.

Mixed Greens

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"Samara" interior plywood paneling, lacquer finish, 4' x 8' panels. U. S. Plywood Corp.

Omni poles, 8' high, natural anodized aluminum. \$26 each. Birch shelves, 32" w., 12" d., $\frac{3}{4}$ " h. \$13.

Brackets finished in natural anodized aluminum, 12" long. \$3. White enamel steel lamp. \$15. All by Structural Products, Inc., Charlotte, Mich.

Rug: "Conestoga" stripe, two ends fringed, 6' x 9', cotton, \$99.95. Wunda Weve.

White vinyl tile, 9" x 9", 85c sq. ft., Amtico.

Egg chair (at left), molded plastic construction. Upholstered in "Bolivia

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Swan chair, molded plastic construction with base of cast aluminum, upholstered in wool fabric. Both from Fritz Hansen, Inc.*

Coffee table, brushed chrome steel base, polished 1" plate glass top. 16" h., 36" w., 36" d. John Vesey.*

Oil painting, "Landscape," \$350, by Alice Forman. The Camino Gallery. Aluminum sculpture by August Brexina. Juster Art Gallery.

Astraglobe, hammered antique copper planter, rubber fruit and leather box with brass trim, all from Kean Associates.*

Red tôle coffee urn on stand, 15" h., yellow tôle box, on feet, 8" x 12". Spode plate and Mercury glass urn. All from Doris Dessauer.*

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Tablecloth, Calais cloth, 68" x 90", \$15. Carina cotton napkins, \$1.75 ea. Both by Craig. Bonwit Teller, "At Home Shop," New York.

Dinner plate, "Dorchester" 10", \$6.25 ea. 5 pc. place setting \$19.75, Royal Worcester.

Flatware, "Florentine" vermeil, 6 pc. place setting, \$95. Ashtrays, vermeil, \$7.25 ea. Matchboxes, vermeil, \$6. Salt stands, silver, \$9. Salt spoon, repoussé, \$2.75. Pepper cruets, silver, \$23.75. Kirk.

Crystal goblets and wineglasses, "Debutante," \$2.75 ea., Fostoria.

Brass candlesticks, 2 bases, 2 tops, 3 pairs of stems, \$12 set. Design Research Inc., 57 Brattle St., Cambridge, Mass.

Candles, H&G's Bronze Green by Colonial Candle.

Curtain and pillow fabrics by Unika-Vaev. At Georg Jensen, New York.

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Fern place mat runner, vinyl surface, foam rubber backed. 11½" x 17", \$1. Stotter.

Flatware, "Colonial Shell" stainless, 6 pc. place setting \$12. Reed and Barton.

Crystal plates, 10", \$3.25 ea. Crystal rimmed soup bowls, \$2.75 ea. Goblets and wineglasses, "Jamestown," \$1.95 ea. Fostoria.

Napkins, Belgian linen, 17", 6 for \$4, Leacock.

Salt and pepper shakers, lacquerware, \$1.20 pr. Cigarette holder, 80c, Azuma, 790 Lexington Ave., N. Y. 21. Ceramic asparagus-covered box, 9" l., \$17.50, La Cuisinière, 903 Madison Ave., New York 21, N. Y.

Ceramic tureen with cover, from Italy, \$25. Rosemary Bouden, St. Armand's Key, Sarasota, Fla.

Rug, "Geometry," wool, 7' 6" x 4' 7", Maurice Villency Inc., 242 East 51st St., New York 22, N. Y.

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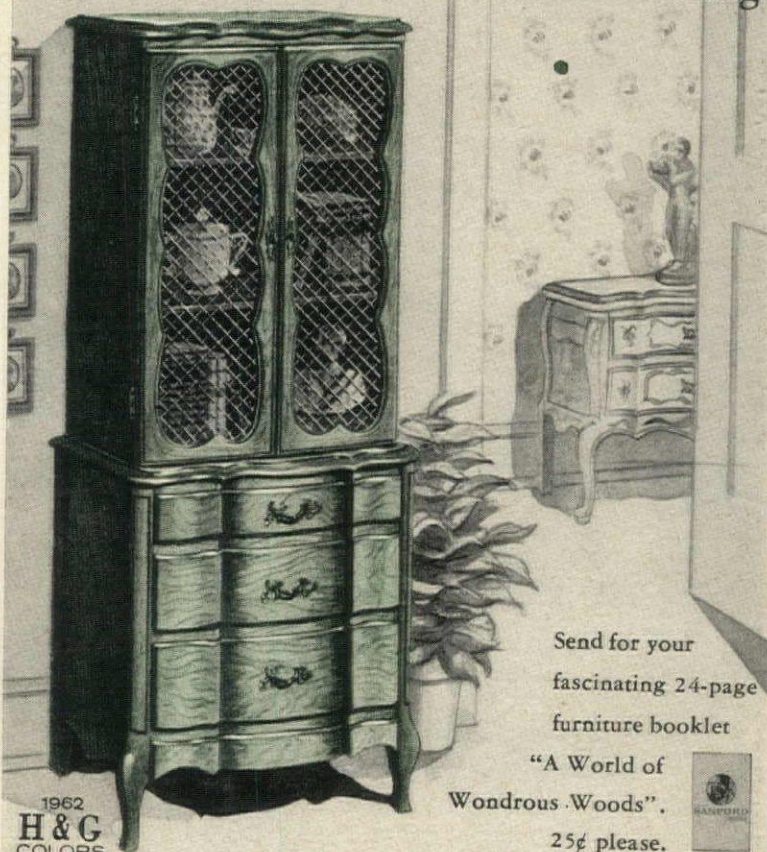
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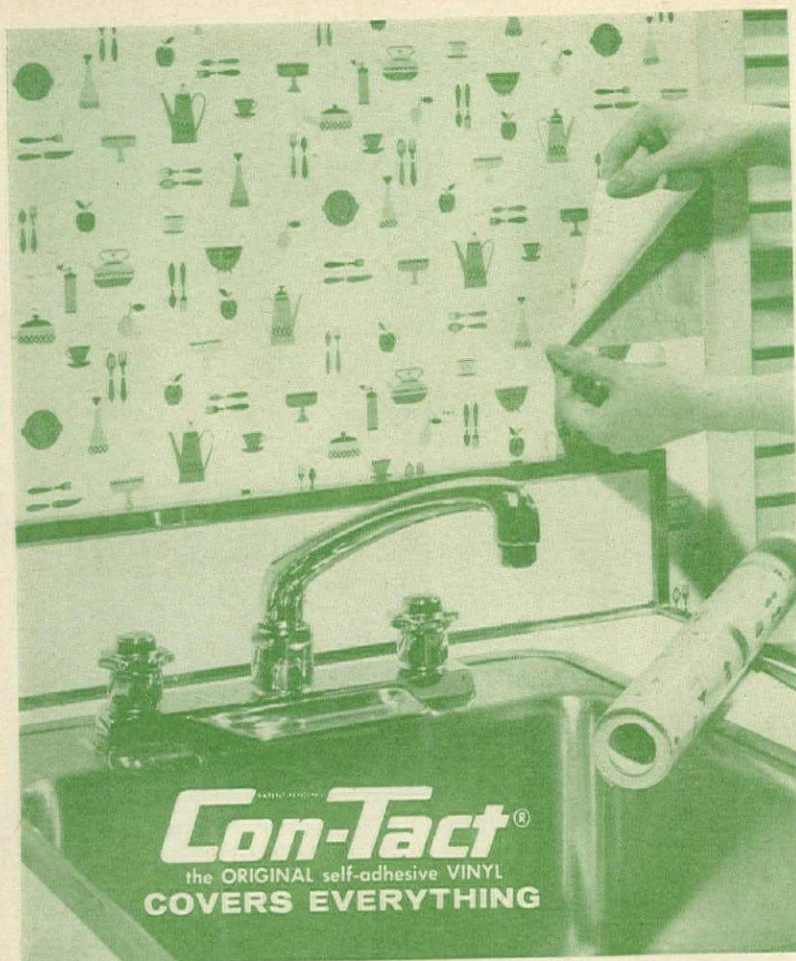
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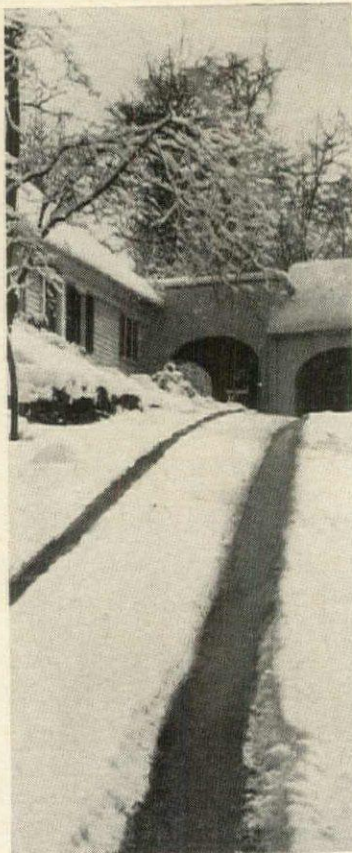
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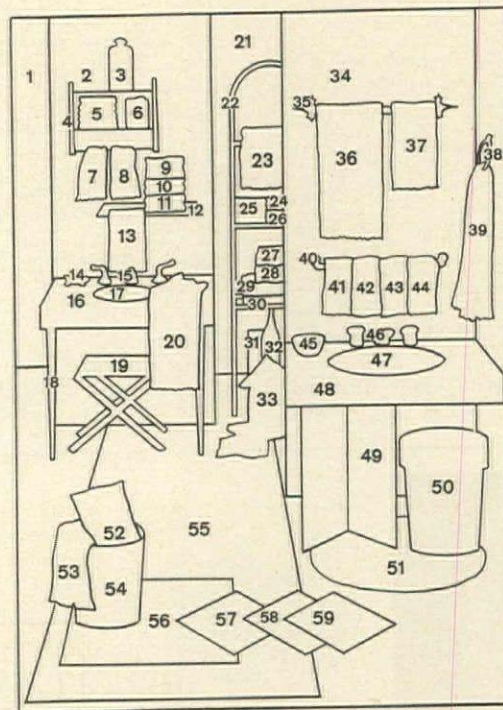
Metal drawers and fruit and vegetable bin, Washington.

Hood, custom made.

Patterned wall tile insets, 4" x 4", early Magellanic design, Humberto Arellano, Monterrey, Mexico.

Wall and floor tile, imported handmade Mexican clay tile, Mexico Art Tile Co., 8151 Broadway, San Antonio, Tex.

Ceramic tile on countertops, 2" x 2" module, duragaze finish, Aztec Ceramics, San Antonio, Tex.



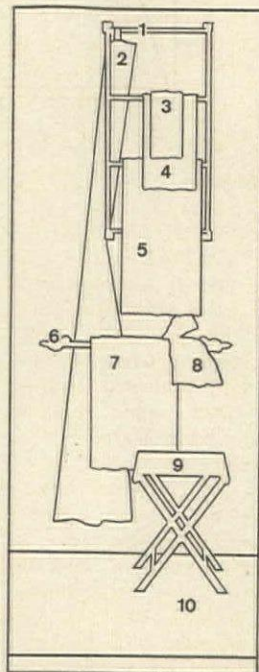
Bath Story Page 132:

1. Acoustical tile: "Woven Grass" pattern. H&G's Citron & Citrus Green. 12" sq.; carton of 40, \$10. Barrett, Div. of Allied Chemical.
2. "Spanish Cork" wallcovering. H&G's Citrus Green. Thin sheets of real cork laminated to paper, vinyl-coated, 30" wide. \$24. double roll. Katzenbach & Warren.*
3. Apothecary jar, 12" high, crackle glass. H&G's Citrus Green. \$6. Designed for Living, 131 East 57th St., New York 22, New York.
4. Double modern shelf and towel bar, 19" wide, brass finish, 2 glass shelves. \$33. Paul Associates, 208 East 50th St., N. Y. C.
5. "Command Performance" hand towels. H&G's Geranium Pink. Bath, \$4; hand, \$2; fingertip, 75c; wash, 75c. Cannon.
6. Apothecary jar, 10", white crackle glass. \$5.50. Designed for Living.
7. "Imperial Rose" fringed fingertip towel, two-tone reversible Jacquard. H&G's Wood Violet. Bath, \$4.98; hand, \$2.49; fingertip, 84c; wash, 84c. Fieldcrest.
8. "Royal Velvet" fingertip towel.

9. "Royal Velvet" hand towels, H&G's Loganberry, \$1.98. Fieldcrest.
10. "Royal Velvet" hand towels, H&G's Wood Violet, \$1.98. Fieldcrest.
11. "Royal Velvet" hand towels, H&G's Loganberry, \$1.98. Fieldcrest.
12. Towel bar—supply shelf, 22" wide, brass finish, 4 rods. \$27. Paul Associates.
13. "Imperial Rose" hand towel, H&G's Wood Violet, \$2.49. Fieldcrest.
14. Soap dish, scalloped silver, \$22.50. Sherle Wagner, 125 East 57th Street, New York.
15. Silver basin fixtures, \$175. Sherle Wagner.
16. Marble counter and apron 36" long, white veined. \$300. Sherle Wagner.
17. "Renaissance" bowl, white with silver design, 14" x 17". \$75. Sherle Wagner.
18. Console legs, silver, tapered, block top. \$89 each. Sherle Wagner.
19. "Clavos" cross leg folding stool covered in cut velvet stripe. H&G's

- Green Olive*, brass-footed legs. 15" x 18" x 17" h. Made in Spain. \$75. Bergdorf-Goodman, New York.
20. "Talisman" bath towel, fringed ends. *H&G's Geranium Pink*. Bath, \$3; hand, \$1.89; fingertip, 80c; wash, 70c. Cannon.
21. "Commander Stripe" wallpaper, *H&G's Delphinium Blue and Empire Green*, treated with "Lavcoat" to make it washable. Panel 8'9" x 27" w. \$13.50 per panel. Leoda de Mar Inc.*
22. White iron shelf unit, curved top, 4 glass shelves. 21" w. x 78" h. \$48. Mayhew, 603 Madison Ave., New York 22, N. Y.
23. "Early American Paisley," paisley embroidered border. *H&G's Delphinium Blue*. Bath, \$2.98; hand, \$1.69; wash, 69c. Wamsutta.
24. "Horizon" hand towel, *H&G's Bristol Blue*. 2½"-wide stripes. Bath, \$1; hand, 59c; wash, 29c. Dundee.
25. "Royal Velvet" hand towels, *H&G's Hyacinth*, \$1.98. Fieldcrest.
26. "Royal Velvet" hand towels, *H&G's Bristol Blue*, \$1.98. Fieldcrest.
27. "Royal Velvet" hand towels, *H&G's Bristol Blue*, \$1.98. Fieldcrest.
28. "Luxor" hand towels, *H&G's Blueberry Blue*. Bath, \$4; hand, \$2; fringed fingertip, 75c; wash, 75c. Martex.
29. "Stratford" bath towels, *H&G's Delphinium Blue*. Bath, \$1.69; hand, 89c; fingertip, 39c; wash, 39c. Wamsutta.
30. "Luxor" bath towel, *H&G's Blueberry Blue*, \$4. Martex.
31. Vase 9½" high, *H&G's Green Olive*, \$4.50. Blenko.
32. Hand-blown decanter, *H&G's Green Olive*, 13¼" high, \$5.50. Blenko.
33. "Taffalure" acetate taffeta shower curtain, *H&G's Bristol Blue*, \$4.95. Aquatized, \$5.95. Kleinert.
34. "Canas" bamboo design wallpaper, *H&G's Empire Green* on white, 27½" trimmed. \$8.25 single roll. Printed on vinyl to order, \$16.50 single roll. Gene McDonald, Inc.*
35. Towel bar, Louis XVI design, silver with crystal rod. \$45. Sherle Wagner.
36. "Stockholm" bath towel, *H&G's Antique Gold*, embroidered star border. Bath, \$1.98; hand, \$1.20; fingertip, 60c; wash, 50c. Callaway.
37. "Royalty" hand towel, *H&G's Lemon Peel*. Bath, \$1.98; hand, \$1.29; fingertip, 69c; wash, 59c. Callaway.
38. Chrome towel ring, prop.
39. "Wildflowers" fringed bath towel, printed flowers, *H&G's Antique Gold and Lemon Peel*. Bath, \$2.98; hand, \$1.79; fingertip, 69c; wash, 69c. Morgan-Jones.
40. Towel bar, silver brackets with crystal rod. 18" l. \$37.50. Sherle Wagner.
41. "Royalty" fingertip towel, *H&G's Lemon Peel*, 69c. Callaway.
42. "Luxor" fingertip towel, *H&G's Green Olive*, 75c. Martex.
43. "Royalty" fringed fingertip towel, *H&G's Curry*, 69c. Callaway.
44. "Royalty" fringed fingertip towel, *H&G's Mushroom*, 69c. Callaway.
45. Glass bowl, *H&G's Green Olive*,

47. Ovalyn lavatory, *H&G's Wintergreen*, 14" x 17", \$29. American Standard.
48. "Tatami" vinyl, straw matting effect, tile constructed, *H&G's Sagebrush*, .080" gauge, 95c sq. ft. Amtico.
49. Under-sink brass screen, folding bamboo frame with mesh. 24" high, 36" wide. \$135. Paul Associates.
50. Hamper, painted straw, *H&G's Green Olive*, 15" h., 15" diam. \$7.95. Hill House. Tipton, Pa.
51. "Snow Flowers" round cotton rug, *H&G's Lemon Peel & Antique Gold*, 27" diam. \$3.95. Callaway.
52. "Charmette" cotton shower curtain, *H&G's Pistachio, Sagebrush, Bristol Blue*, \$7.95. Kleinert.
53. "Royalty" hand towel, *H&G's Curry*, \$1.29. Callaway.
54. Wastebasket, painted straw, *H&G's Green Olive*, 11" h., 11" diameter. \$5.95. Hill House.
55. Wall-to-wall cotton carpeting, *H&G's Pistachio*, 36" w., \$7.95 yd. Martex.
56. "Grand Antique" marbled pattern, vinyl tile, *H&G's Bronze Green*, 12" sq., \$3.50 sq. ft. uninstalled. Robbins.
57. Vinyl tile, *H&G's Wintergreen*, 9" sq., 83c sq. ft. uninstalled. Robbins.
58. Vinyl tile, *H&G's Green Olive*, 9" sq., 83c sq. ft. uninstalled. Robbins.
59. "Pompeian" translucent marble, vinyl tile. *H&G's Green Olive*, 9" sq., \$1.50 sq. ft. uninstalled. Robbins.



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H&G's Tangerine

- Four-rung ladder towel rack, brushed chrome finish. \$45. Paul Associates, 208 East 59th St., New York 22, N. Y.
- "Art Nouveau" shower curtain, vinyl, \$6.95. Jakson.

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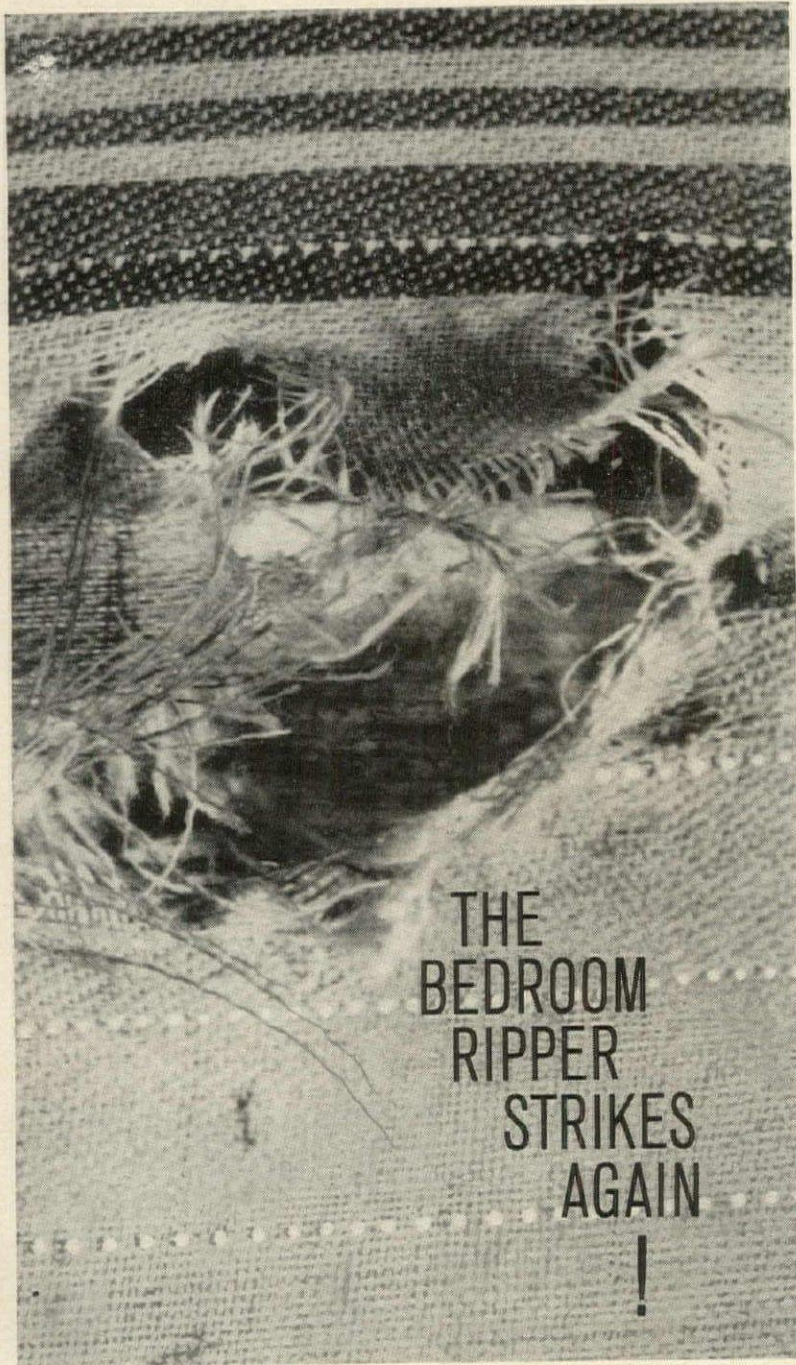
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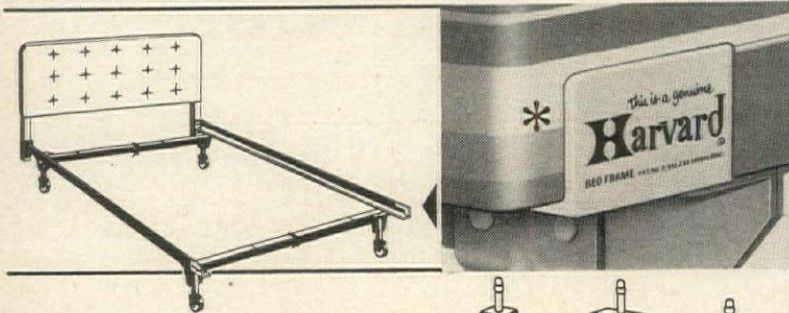
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4. "Luxor" hand towel, \$2. Martex.
5. "Snow Flowers" bath towel, \$1.98. Callaway.
6. Towel bar, fluted crystal, crystal ball and silver acorn finials. 24" l., \$55. Sherle Wagner, 125 East 57th St., New York.
7. "Luxor" bath towel, \$4. Martex.
8. "Luxor" fringed fingertip towel, 75c. Martex.
9. Folding bench, painted frame; orange-mustard, gold cotton damask seat. 10" x 14" x 17" h. \$6.95. Accents Inc., 88 University Place, N. Y., N. Y.
10. Cotton carpeting, 36" wide. \$7.95 yard. Martex.

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3. NEIMAN-MARCUS
Main & Ervay St., Dallas, Tex.
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5. DESIGNED FOR LIVING
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Sheets and pillowcase, "Aurora," multi-stripe border and pillowcase, twin, \$3.98; double, \$4.98; case, \$1.39, Utica-Mohawk.

Blanket, "Norsman" rayon and Acrilan, nylon binding, 72" x 90", \$7.98, Cannon.

Furniture by Herman Miller.

Cleaning Closet

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On door, top to bottom:

Polly-Flex Kaddy Bins, white plastic, 4 1/2" x 14" x 5 1/2", \$1.29 ea., Republic Moulding.

One Step Floor Care liquid cleaner and polish, Armstrong.

Ajax All Purpose Cleaner with ammonia, Colgate Palmolive.

Bissell upholstery cleaner and applicator.

Johnson's paste wax.

Oven and grill cleaner, Dig Co., 119 East Soper St., St. Louis, Mo.

RA Poly disposable polyethane gloves.

Research Associates, Linden, N. J.

Comet Cleanser, Procter & Gamble.

Windex window and glass cleaner, Drackett.

Pledge furniture and dusting wax, aerosol can, Johnson.

Old World Polish, Baker Furniture.

Six disposable filter bags, General Electric.

Household utility sponges; Pot & Pan scrubber, plastic wool pads, Magla, 412 Halsey St., Newark, N. J.

Sponshine sponge, Whirlpool. Neoprene Ebonettes, liquidproof gloves, Pioneer Rubber.

Tool kit, plastic, \$15.50, Stanley.

Tide, Spic and Span; Procter & Gamble.

Hagerty Silver Foam, 37 oz. \$3.95.

Metal Rub-Less polish, Hammacher Schlemmer, 145 East 57th St., N. Y.

White Rocket scrub brush, Bloomingdale's, New York.

Closet interior: left to right

Whisk broom, upholstery brush, Venetian blind brush, Bloomingdale's, New York.

Hose, tubes and floor attachment, General Electric.

Four brushes and rug-cleaning attachment, Singer.

Slim Jim, long, narrow plastic foam cleaning tool, Bloomingdale's, New York, N. Y.

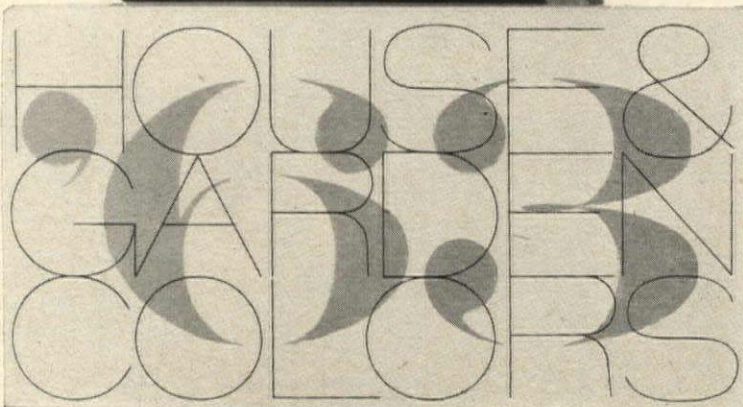
Lincoln BeautyWare Ladder/Stool, washable simulated leather, mar-resistant vinyl padded seat, textured rubber step, chrome frame and step; 29 1/4" h., x 16 3/8" w., x 4" d., \$11.98, Lincoln Metal Products.

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Lincoln BeautyWare canister, white with Wedgwood blue design, chromium lid, set of four \$8.98, Lincoln Metal Products.

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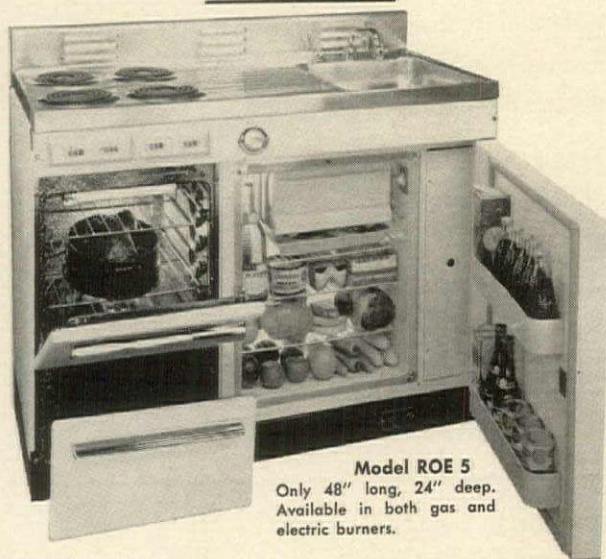
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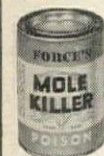
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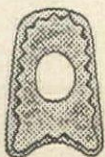


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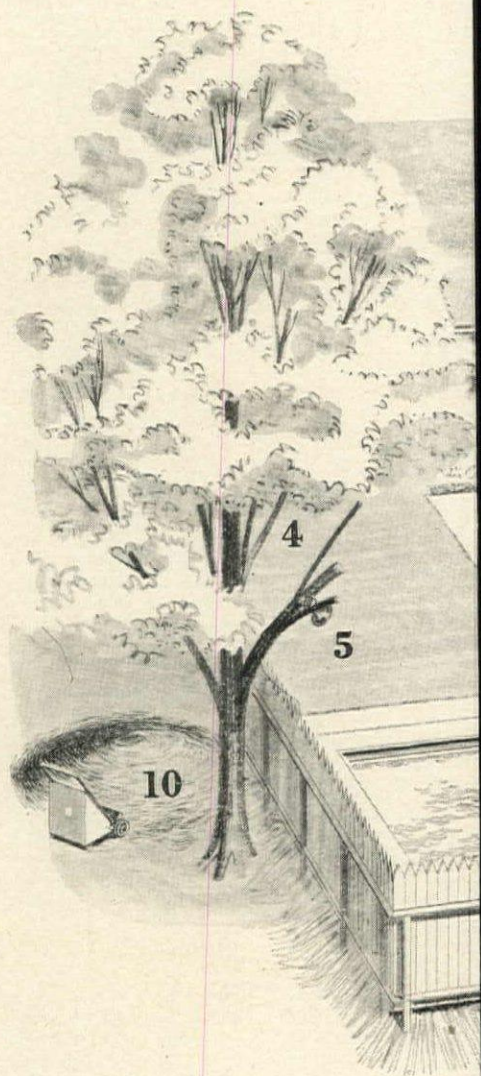
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THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO EVERY BOUNDARY

The offenses that make bad neighbors are more likely to be committed out of ignorance than either deliberate discourtesy or simple foolishness. But whatever the cause, the effect is the same. What may seem acceptable on one side of the line can be an abomination on the other side, and neighborly relations suffer. Outright trespass and overt vandalism are seldom the issue. Leaving aside the unpredictable excesses of children (who do grow up), most bad neighborliness stems on the one hand from failure to understand—and honor—the rights and privileges of property ownership, and on the other hand from minor invasions of privacy and niggling evasions of community responsibility.

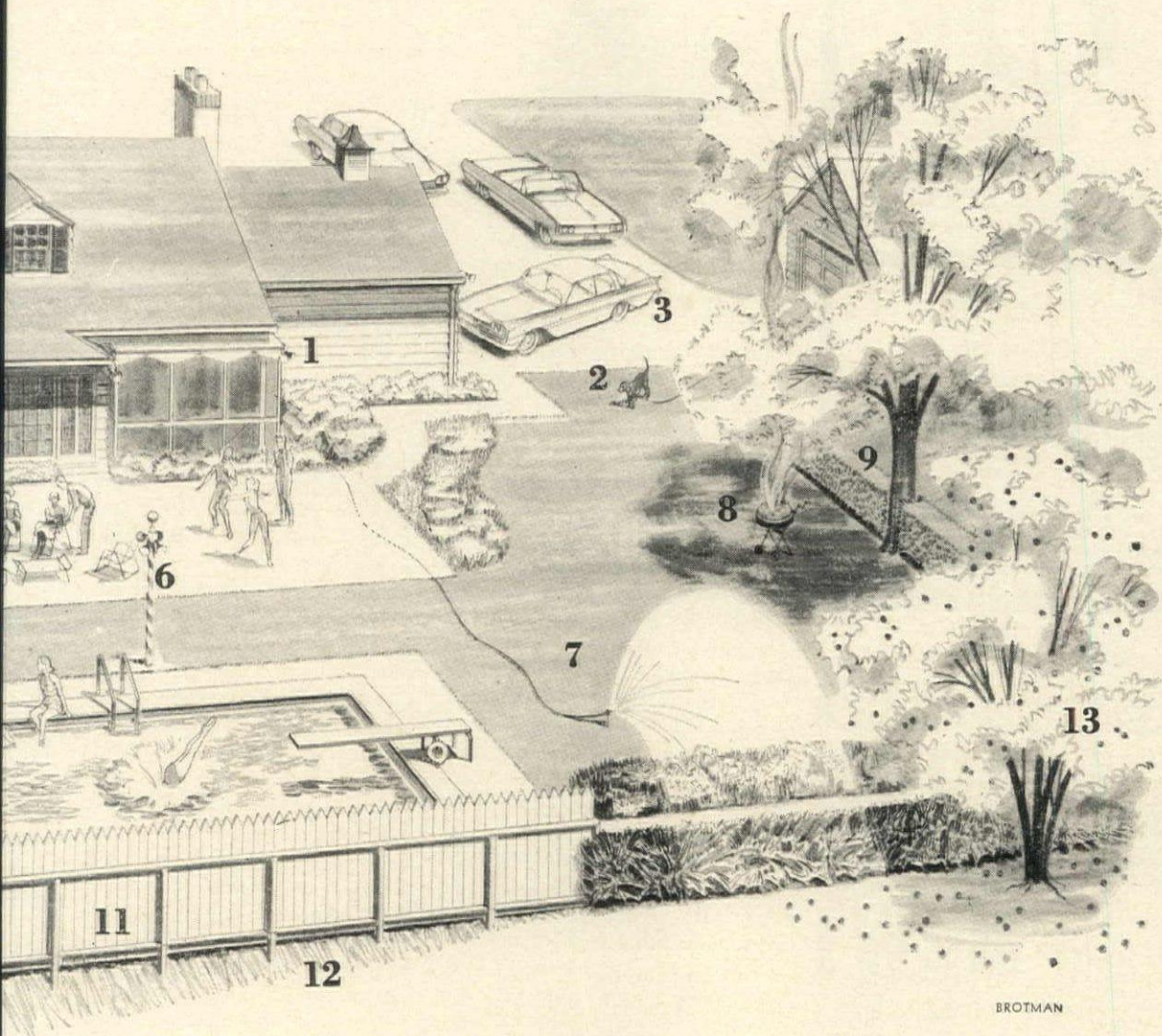
It is not too much of a simplification to say that most of the tangible forms of trespass, however recondite, are governed by some kind of law or legal precedent—and that most of the intangible but no less noisome offenses are not covered by law at all. Thus the disposition of a tree limb that falls on your lawn from a tree on your neighbor's property is covered in detail by statute. Yet the racket from a late party that rocks the neighborhood may violate no law. And while a small boy may not legally sell lemonade on his front lawn if the locality in which he lives is zoned for residential use exclusively, nevertheless a man may beat his wife on his front stoop, overtly and noisily, and no man can say him nay unless she officially complains.

The never-never drawing at right covers some of the more common violations of the law and general neighborliness, and suggests as well that what may seem pleasant on one man's property may seem like studied offense to the man next door. Joint property ownership and shared rights cause more trouble perhaps than almost any aspect of interneighbor relations. While banks and mortgage agencies frown on the practice, shared rights to access roads and driveways are still written into many deeds. (Worse yet, they are sometimes omitted.) Sooner or later, every such shared right will cause friction, even if not a shooting war. Most common joint tenancy, so to speak, is of the shared driveway. And blocked driveways are occasionally inevitable, no matter who has what rights. They may be blocked by cars; they may (Continued on page 196)



MONTH

Many a good neighbor policy may come to grief in the backyard—wrecked by the Scylla of bad manners or the Charybdis of bad management

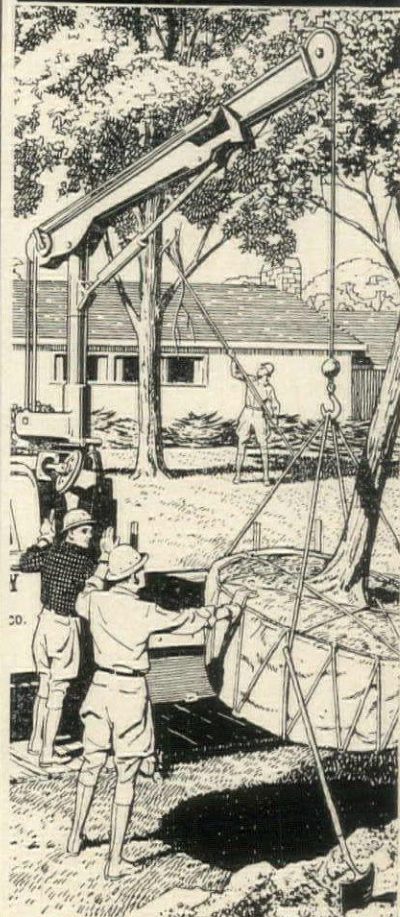


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7. Thoughtless placement of sprinklers is often a nuisance at best, a cause of damage at worst.
8. Barbecue fires, even though burning without flame, may scorch priceless trees, kill branches.
9. Harming or damaging trees astride boundary lines may offend your neighbor as well as break the law because such trees are common property.
10. Fresh grass clippings or green compost may overheat prior to decomposing, cause bad odors.
11. Reverse side of boundary fences are often anything but decorative, may offend a good neighbor.
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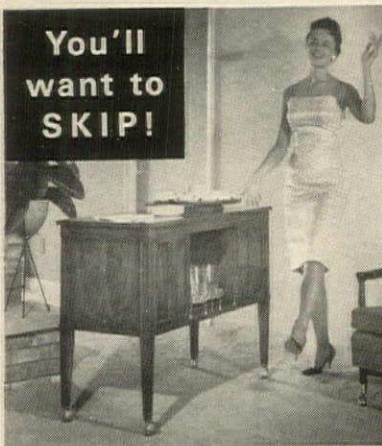
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Notes for September Gardeners

First you worry about your lawn (but not too much), then turn to seasonal tasks of no great urgency



First weekend

Turf tactic. Nature indeed abhors a vacuum, and in our experience nature tends to fill all vacuums with weeds. This has become particularly obvious now that the development of herbicides, both selective and promiscuous, has done so much to reduce lawn weeds. Paradox? Not at all. It's simply that when you upset the balance, however unfavorable, between lawn grasses and weed plants, a greater proportion of new weeds than of new grass plants may result. It is obviously the part of wisdom for you to see that the new balance should be weighted in favor of the turf grasses. This sounds complicated chiefly because it is complicated. Here is an oversimplification: When you eliminate weeds that have been taking up space in your lawn, you give any seeds that may have been present in the soil a fine chance to grow. The seeds that are most likely to be there are weed seeds. To remove weeds from your lawn, then, is not enough. You must provide new grass seeds to fill the space before the weed seeds do.

It's as simple as that. Never eliminate weeds without encouraging the immediate growth of new grass. This is the essential rule whether you are merely killing off a few broad-leaved plants, attacking a substantial stand of crab grass or wiping out all vegetation for a fresh start.

Once you have established a weed-free lawn, timely insurance is offered by a top dressing of compost and sandy soil, roughly half-and-half, and an application of lawn fertilizer. Compost alone is too insubstantial to do much good. Loam topsoil is full of weeds, hard to get and expensive. But ordinary "fill"—even sandy subsoil—mixed with your own compost makes a fine lawn supplement. Brush the mixture thinly into the turf raked wholly free of dead and matted grass; sow new grass thinly; fertilize; brush

the whole lawn again; water well. Yes, there will be plenty of weed seeds in the compost. But in autumn, and among healthy grass plants, they won't stand a chance.



Second weekend

Planting point. Successful wintering of autumn-planted evergreens depends on a nice balance between root establishment, late-season top growth and the kind of winter weather the plants can survive. All evergreens, and especially broadleaf species, continue in a state of normal though reduced growth during the cold months when deciduous plants are almost wholly dormant. That means that their roots must be actively established in the soil before winter. That means that roots must make effective contact with the soil as soon after fall transplanting as possible. That means that planting should be done while relatively warm growing weather still remains. That means that the plants should be watered well so that the roots may grow during this all-too-brief period. That means that new green growth will inevitably be stimulated above ground. That means that tender new shoots must contend with drying winds, cold or freezing temperatures before their tissues have toughened up. That means that the plants may be severely set back in growth, even killed. And that means that you have wasted a good plant.

Why bother at all with fall transplanting? So you can gain growing time for the plant, possible convenience for yourself and for no other reason. How do you avoid the horrendous pitfalls listed above? By moving the plant early, but not watering so much that the resulting new growth will be too tender and succulent to withstand the onslaught of winter, yet watering enough so that the roots will become capable of keeping the plant supplied with moisture until spring comes.

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Third weekend

Casual bounty. No one needs to be told that roses make fine cut flowers for the house. But the decorative value of timothy hay, Queen Anne's lace, magnolia pods and milkweed, for example, are not so widely recognized. It takes a special kind of eye to spot the display possibilities of meadow and wayside plants, and not necessarily a gardener's eye at all. (It has been demonstrated many times to our editorial satisfaction, or dissatisfaction, that some of the best gardeners have a conventional, even faulty eye for flower beauty in any but a horticultural context.) Flower arrangements, in the usual understanding of the term, have little or no part in what we are talking about. There are no special rules for displaying commonplace plants, including leaf and stem, flower and fruit, except the rules that would apply in creating any kind of comparable esthetic effect. And we are never quite sure what those rules really are. But we know that autumn affords wonderful harvests of plant beauty. Not only from along your own fences or among your trees and shrubs will you find the unorthodox form, the unsuspected color, the surprising pattern, but along the roadsides, too. (There still are roadsides that you can walk along, even stop beside—superhighways and patrol cars to the contrary notwithstanding.)

ing.) Beach grasses, reeds, rushes are easy to gather and long lasting. Sumac, pepperidge, benzoin, many viburnums, clethra, winged euonymus are but a few of the foliage plants, wild or cultivated, that make bold effects with no fuss. Most of the same plants, plus choke-berry, horse-briar, woodbine or Virginia creeper, many barberries and some of the unsheared privets make a fine show, either alone or in combination. To mention any dozen names is to realize there are a hundred others. As we said earlier, all it takes is a special kind of eye.

Book note: Speaking of autumn plants, there is a new book that tells you how to dry flowers on purpose: "New Techniques with Dried Flowers" (Hearstside, \$2.50), by Sarah Whitlock and Martha Rankin. We happen to think this thirty-page volume is over-priced. But who are we? For people who are interested in preparing plants for a long and lasting life, especially with the help of newly discovered techniques, this book may be treasure.



Fourth weekend

Plant pound. Few gardeners are so profligate or so callous that they can leave vulnerable plants to the mercies of winter weather without finching. But with a special kind of cruelty that has become socially acceptable (at least in gardening circles), they will bring their plants indoors to dry up, or suffocate them with mulches, or overfeed them in the garden in the mistaken belief that a rampant plant is therefore a durable one. These gardeners would do better, more often than not, to let nature take its course. The toughening process through which waning autumn and approaching winter puts the great majority of hardy plants is actually vital to their future well-being. But there still remain many borderline plants that for one reason or another gardeners become un-

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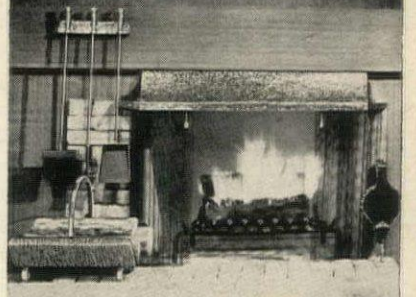
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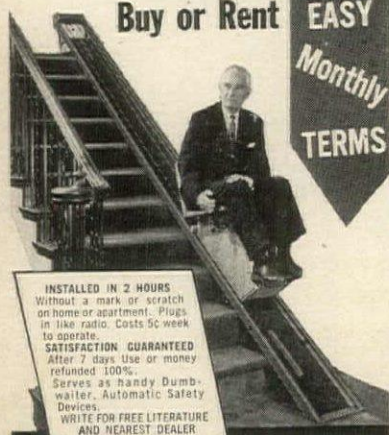
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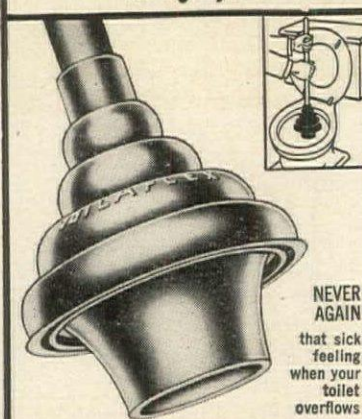
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reasonably attached to. These may be imported plants that offer a simple challenge in cultivation. They may be less amenable species of plant genera that constitute what, for want of a better term, may be called hobby collections. They may be ordinary plants with which you wish to take no chances. For all these, special protection is justifiable, perhaps even necessary.

Such protection, however, may not need to spare plants from the extremes of winter temperature, or from snow and ice. It may need only to condition the plants to seasonal extremes more slowly or more evenly than might otherwise be the case. If mere cold has the power to destroy the tissues of a plant, nothing you can do will save it short of supplying artificial heat. But if the suddenness of the freezing is the problem, then all you need to do is retard the process.

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be blocked by delivery trucks serving your neighbor's house; they may be blocked by snow that falls without regard for convenience or the sanctity of shoveling and plowing agreements. There is no good solution to the common driveway problem except the complete avoidance of it.

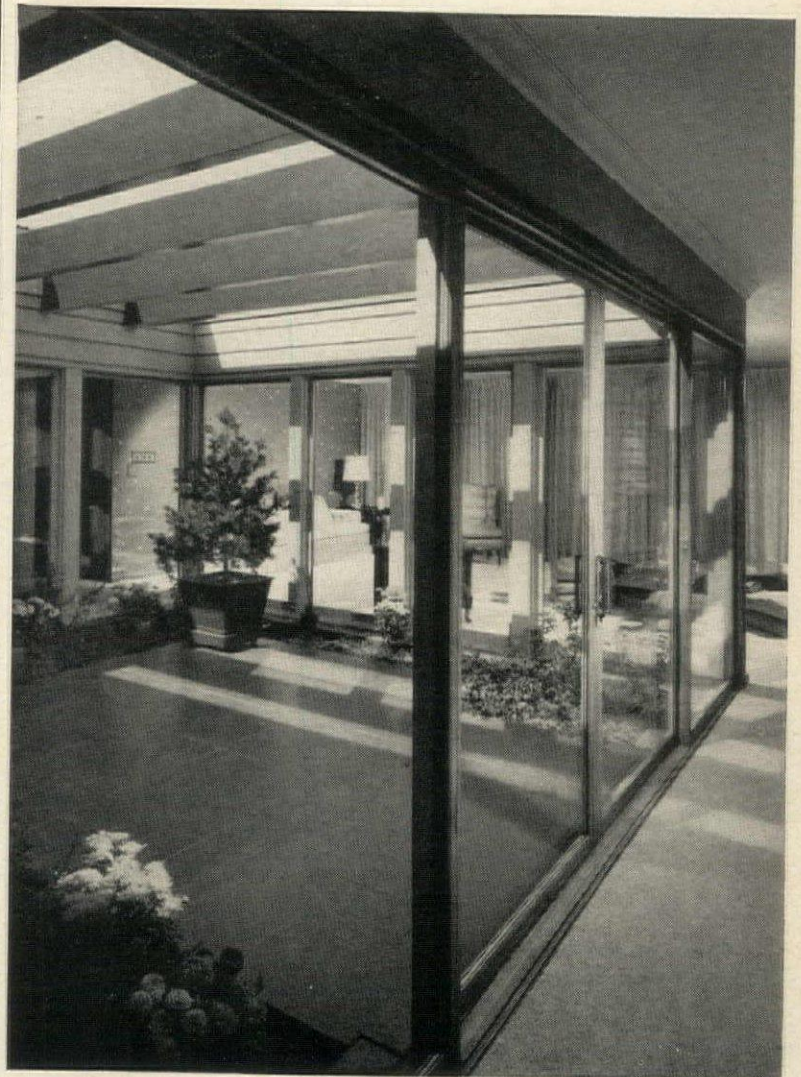
The community tree problem can be almost as troublesome, especially because you wouldn't think so beautiful a thing as a tree could cause trouble at all. But it is a fact of real property law that a tree whose trunk occupies space at ground level on both sides of a boundary line is the joint property of the land owners, and neither owner may dispose of it, harm it, use it commercially or move it without the express consent of the other. If the tree emerges from the ground wholly on one side of the line and then promptly leans over to the other, the situation may be quite different. The tree is owned by the person from whose land the trunk rises. The part of the tree overhanging the adjoining property may be removed by the owner of the adjoining land provided that the tree is not injured by such removal. In some cases, then, you may remove part of a tree that interferes with your enjoyment of

your property and the space above it (or in the case of roots, the ground below). We won't go into the legalistic question of who has the right to use the wood contained in a limb legally cut off a tree owned by somebody else. Nor the use of fruit that falls on your land from your neighbor's tree. Nor how such use may be enjoyed by the one entitled to use it. But these are matters which *can* be adjudicated and therefore should be covered by ordinary neighborly agreement before adjudication becomes an issue.

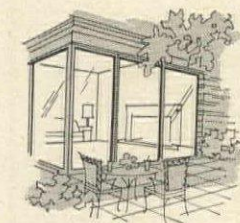
You may not cause water to fall unnaturally on your neighbor's property, nor may you grade your land in such a way that earth invades your neighbor's land. You may not build a fence or wall wholly or partly on your neighbor's land without his permission. But if you do, then the fence or wall becomes community property, and you may not remove or alter it without his consent. So it is a very good idea to keep *all* parts of such structures not only within your own boundaries but far enough within them so that you may service them on both sides without trespassing on your neighbor's property. (This is specially important with hedges.) While you may well come to an agree-

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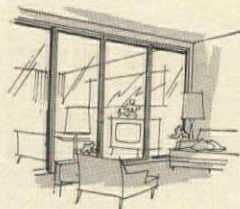


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The ramifications of the law in these matters make a fascinating study for a long winter evening by the fireside, and they are subject to many vicissitudes. They should be anticipated where possible and settled promptly before disagreements about them can spoil your or your neighbor's enjoyment of your respective holdings. The problems the law does not cover can cause more friction than even the legal points.

Two concomitants of outdoor living today that cause more bad feeling among neighbors than any other are light and noise. By lights we mean electric flood and spotlights. Under noise we include music, both actual and, as in too many instances, so-called. Modern engineering has amplified both light and sound beyond all reason. Special lenses built into weatherproof reflecting bulbs of high intensity have put the equivalent of stage lighting under the eaves of every house and in every tree. (And while the ladder is up, like as not, an extension loudspeaker is installed.) Only recently have the satisfying possibilities of low-level night illumination become recognized (H&G, August: "Make the Night Visible"). Except for sports or for emergency anti-prowler hook-ups, high-intensity and boundary-facing lights are not only unnecessary but obsolete. And even where strong illumination is required, as around a swimming pool or a parking area, protective hoods and a little attention to directional adjustment will prevent your blinding the neighbors

or making an unseemly spectacle of your grounds.

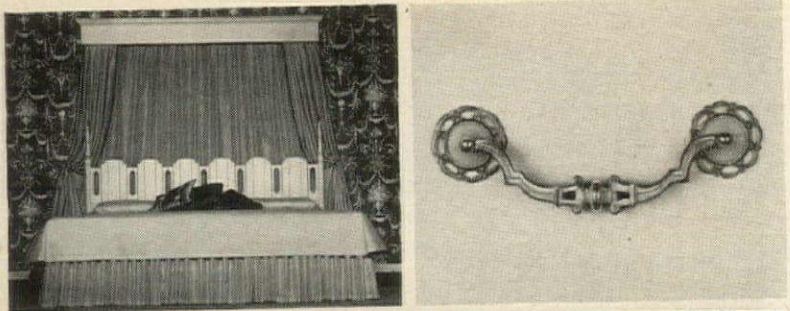
There is no feasible way to stop the passage of sound at your boundary line. Contrary to popular belief, shrubbery and tree foliage offer little obstruction to sound. But the fact that the belief is popular might indicate that where the source of the sound is not obvious, the impact of the sound is lessened. And of course where the directional effect of many outdoor loudspeakers is exaggerated (all loudspeakers have some directional effect), the escape of unneighborly sounds from your yard can be reduced simply by aiming the speakers properly, and avoiding bounce off house walls in the process. As with light, most electronic noise is turned too high too much of the time. Since high fidelity reproduction outdoors is virtually impossible anyway except with complicated and expensive rigs (weatherproof high fidelity is pure myth), perhaps it would be well to treat music as a casual accompaniment to other outdoor activities and not an end in itself.

In what we say about the use and abuse of lighting and sound equipment outdoors we are skirting the field of etiquette, which we have no interest in invading. The law is not involved here. But even leaving good manners out of it, an exercise of judgment may affect the permanent good or ill of neighborly relations.

A word should be added in dispraise of thoughtless gardeners. Bad cess to the man who dumps great piles of fresh grass clippings close to his neighbor's line, there to fume and rot in the summer heat. A murrain on the husbandman who uncorks his power mower at 7 o'clock of a Saturday or Sunday morning. And the back of our hand to the enthusiast who sets his lawnsprinkler so as to drench passers-by or his neighbor's wash.

There is a special etiquette of swimming pool conduct that must be observed if suburban peace is to be maintained without strain. This concerns not only proper fencing for safety's sake, but proper grading after excavation, good placement with regard to the boundary lines, proper disposal of overflow and backwash from either pool or filters, and of course careful aiming of floodlights away from adjoining property.

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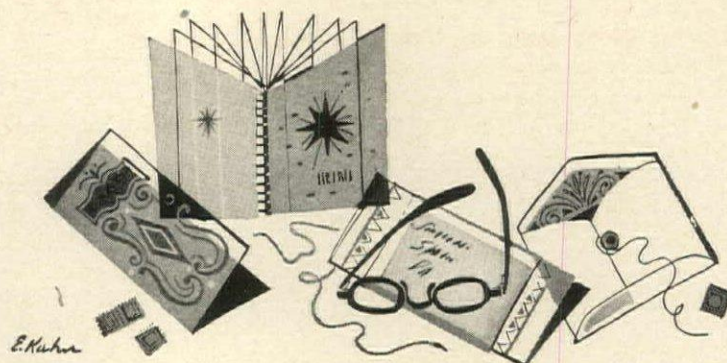


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antique shops are the grotesquely strange masks and *Wajang* puppets carved out of djati wood or shaped from buffalo skin, with golden bodies and pastel faces.

Everywhere there are restaurants specializing in the twenty-dish, sambal-spiced *rijsttafel* (rice table) served by Indonesian waiters wearing turbans of batik cloth. Golden light Dutch beer is the customary throat air conditioner as you approach the fried banana, *saté* (roast pork on a stick), vegetables in peanut sauce, *kroepoek* (pulverized shrimp bread), meat in Madeira sauce, mixed sour vegetables and other delicacies. We ventured once to the famed Bali, which attracts tourist hordes in Amsterdam and Scheveningen. Now, like our Dutch colleagues, we are habitués at the more intimate Deli in Amsterdam which makes no bid for foreigners.

Most Dutchmen (and I am now included) use almost any occasion to down a shot or two of *genever*, the sneaky, locally distilled gin that is colorless and potent. Behind the Dam Square in Amsterdam, I stop at the Wynand Fockink tavern to sip, hands behind my back, from a glass filled to the brim in a setting of roughly hewn beams and shelves lined with hand-blown bottles, much of it dating back to the sixteenth-century Spanish occupation of the Lowlands.

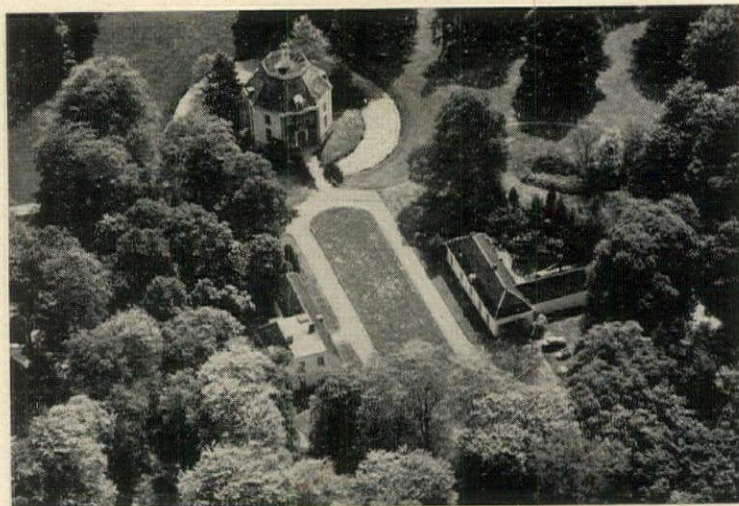
A restaurant my wife likes to go to is De Groene Lanteerne (The Green Lantern) on an Amsterdam back street (Haarlemersstraat, 43), with an authentic antique interior and a specialty of *schuttersmaaltijd* (soldier's meal), an old-fashioned word for mixed-up meats. Or, we may take an evening meal by a window of Du Chat Qui Pelote, whose chief attraction is a splendid view of the Oude Kerk, the old church consecrated in 1306 and now Amsterdam's most ancient building.

En famille, we enjoy the short ride to a delightful retreat, the Krantje Lek (Leaking Faucet) in the dunes and blooms area outside Haarlem. Children are left outside to scamper up the sandy hills while their elders gorge on *pannekoeken* the thickly over-sized pancakes spiced with apple, bacon or confiture and smothered in thick syrup and sugar. In the Gooi, the green belt that is called Holland's Westchester County, Lage Vuursche is the best known *pannekoek* inn. It is nineteenth-century farmhouse in style with huge fireplaces inset with Delft tiles. Across the road is the Castle Drakenstein which Crown Princess Beatrix has purchased as her own future home.

Some eight or nine miles from Amsterdam is the post-card town of Monnikendam where you find the Stuttenburgh restaurant. Amidst the soft tinkling of the famed music box collection, you can eat fresh *paling* (smoked eel) and then go out into the sixteenth-century streets for a walk up to the Speeltoren (Playing Tower), whose moving figures have been enacting their pageant since 1591.

Holland, to us, has remained a land of the unexpected. In Maastricht, a town built around Roman ruins, we come across in the fortress a tremendous labyrinth covered with autographs starting in 1037. The province of Assen boasts marvelous collections of primitive weapons and Egyptian beads. At Drenthe we can see the *hunnbedden* or giants' beds, huge stones believed to have been carried from Norway thousands of years ago by glaciers and used by a race of giants as headstones for tombs.

Holland is a country small in physical area only, and that turns out to be a blessing for anyone who wants to see it all and take some home with him.



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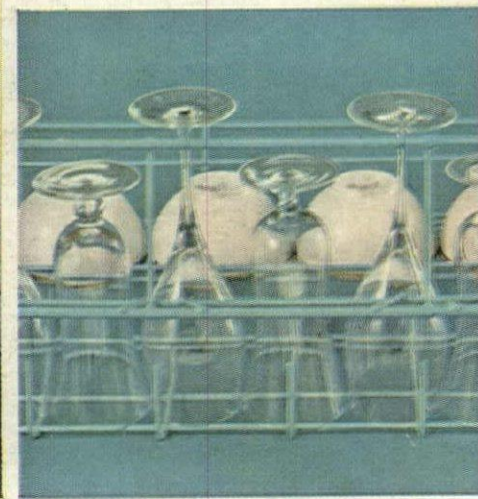
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