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In developing the floor plan, Knight Dexter Robinson, designer with the architectural firm of Cull and Robinson, realized no ordinary temperature control system would do.

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ON THE COVER: Ted Sandler, art director and designer, copes with small space in his own bed-sitting room using a subtle interplay of earth tones. He used beige as the background color throughout his apartment in a converted New York brownstone (see living room on page 83). On the walls of the bed-sitting room, he stretched a plaid fabric and camouflaged unsightly pipes by using a dropped ceiling covered in the same plaid. Carpet, sofa upholstery, and curtains of wool blend tawny tones. Pale blue pillows repeat the color the blue sky in the French primitive painting by Vivin, above the sofa-bed. On the narrow wall between two windows, Mr. Sandler has hung American primitives in assorted sizes over a console table. Each side of this table is a bamboo chair upholstered in black Vermicelli linen quilted with lime-colored thread. Notice the space-saving cabinets which hold radio, telephone, bed linens at each end of the sofa bed. Photograph by Haanel Cassidy.
The new way with color

Color, like beauty, is in the eye of the beholder. Each person sees it in his own way. So does each generation. Our Victorian ancestors felt impelled to accentuate the ornate heaviness of their living rooms with a rich and somber palette. Today, we complement the structural airiness of our new homes with light, bright colors, distinct enough to compete with the view beyond the picture window. This change in attitude is influenced by the change in architecture. It is also determined by the tempo of our lives. We move faster than our grandparents did, we cover more ground. Their parlors bristled with objects, implying that they had the leisure to enjoy them. Ours are stripped by comparison; and we use color broadly, as though to catch the eye on the run. This is the new way with color—a forthright way that frankly does double-duty in replacing ornamentation. It makes sense today, just as our grandparents' way made sense in their day. The new way did not grow arbitrarily but because of a need; and it has been recognized and developed by our foremost artists, decorators, and designers, those antennae of taste who introduce us to future trends. In this issue we show you how they use color, and how you can use it. We show you what the new decorating colors are (our information being based in part on the colors used by the professionals, and in part on the results of our annual color survey, conducted this year by color expert Howard Ketcham). A fresh note in the current color picture is the emergence of pastels, not the weak, namby-pamby colors frequently associated with the word, but bright definite hues that should inspire all but the imaginatively anemic. How they inspired us can be seen on the following pages. Thanks to several hundred cooperating manufacturers, the colors shown in this issue can be found not only in paints, but also in carpets, fabrics, wallpapers, and accessories in 373 leading stores across the country.

Close-harmony in earth tones makes this bedroom warm, intimate

You would never guess that the mellow bedroom created by stage designer Stewart Chaney is actually a small back room with a bleak north outlook. Curtains striped in warm earth tones lift the low ceilings. Walls, carpet, and bed covering are sandy beige; moldings are picked out in white. Velvet table covering, rush-seated chair, bamboo-painted bed are pleasing variations on the earth-tone theme.
USE SHARP YELLOW to accent a blond, straw-textured background. Dining room furniture by Finn Juhl is silhouetted against grasscloth walls, rush rug. By Henriette Granville, Bloomingdale's.

COMBINE EARTH TONES with white in a living room. Walls are Terra Cotta, upholstery and carpet flecked with Mustard. White accents in marble table and plastic-lined cabinet. By Harvey Probber.

MIX WHITE WITH YELLOW to lighten the look of a small bedroom. Hikie-beds designed by Joseph Platt are slip-covered in colorful textured stripes. Walls are painted white. Bloomingdale's.

TAKE ONE BOLD COLOR, YELLOW, and use it to brighten a dark room. Here, yellow bedspread, upholstery, walls are used with harlequin-patterned curtains. By Orman Kimbrough, Lord & Taylor.
CONTRAST BROWN WALLS with fresh blue and white. Pyramid chest painted the wall tone is lined in blue, filled with porcelain vegetables in Gaylord Hauser's sitting room. By John B. Wisner.

TEAM TERRA COTTA WITH WHITE to camouflage problem walls and give a living room a lift. Tweed curtains, chintz upholstery, paneled screen, accessories in three values of white. Lord & Taylor.

USE BEIGE AS A FOIL for black-and-white. In Ted Sandler's living room, a small hearth rug and plaid tweed chair contribute black-and-white accents. Walls, ceilings, printed curtains mix beige tones.

ADD BLACK-AND-WHITE TO EARTH TONES for drama. In this apartment, walls are blue-black, the French chairs are covered in luggage leather. By Mrs. Archibald M. Brown, McMillen Inc.
BLEND SEVERAL PINKS to make a living room inviting. In Mrs. Leon Livingston's New York apartment, walls are the color of face powder, chair seats cerise. By William Baldwin of Ruby Ross Wood.

ACCENT WHITE WALLS WITH PINK and brown for spaciousness. In Reynaldo Luza's house in Peru, high whitewashed walls absorb the scale of table and sofa, pink seats pick up Louis XV benches.

PLAY UP THREE SHADES OF PINK in curtains, chair seats, and walls, to create a flattering background for your dinner guests. Deep Siamese Pink is main accent in the Livingston dining room.

CROSS CHERRY PINKS AND WHITE to brighten a city bedroom. In her own apartment, decorator Dorothy Draper used white cotton rug, white bed and walls, festooned windows in nosegay chintz.
You can overcome many decorating problems by a strategic use of color.

Color is the wand with which you can turn pumpkins into coaches... i.e., make a small room look important, lift or lower a ceiling, give a one-room apartment variety. To solve your decorating problems, try first to understand the weight and proportion of different colors.

The most important thing to remember is not to flood your rooms with too many colors or too many patterns. Your walls and large upholstered pieces carry the most color weight, so choose light, retreating colors for them (such as our new pastels) if your space is limited. To balance the weight of the large, light-colored sofa, you could cover two small chairs in a darker shade or paint a door in a vivid hue. If you use printed fabrics for curtains at your windows, use solid-color upholstery on your furniture. If your room is large enough to take a lot of pattern, we suggest that you choose one good design and use it throughout for curtains and upholstery, keeping the background walls unobtrusive. It's a wise idea to give your color scheme a 24-hour test by hanging up samples of wallpaper and paint to consider by night and day.

IF YOUR LIVING ROOM IS SMALL, use touches of one bold color against white instead of a hodgepodge of colors. Paint walls and ceiling off-white to make the room seem larger, lighter. Use your brilliant accent color sparingly. Here, for a surprise effect, H&G's Nasturtium is used inside the closet, on pillows, in flowers.
IF YOU LIVE IN A ONE-ROOM APARTMENT, try a panel of wallpaper to set off the sleeping area. Choose an attractive leafy pattern to make a mural of the wall behind your bed. Match the background of your paper in paint for the other walls. Use light colors for your bedspread and sofa upholstery.

IF YOU HAVE A HIGH, NARROW LIVING ROOM, give it a canopy of dark color to bring down the ceiling. Choose House & Garden's Middy Blue or Driftwood for the ceiling and carry the paint down into a cornice band above white walls. Use carpeting in a new earth tone, black lamps for accent.

IF YOUR ROOMS OPEN INTO EACH OTHER, carry a single color scheme from room to room. The fewer colors you use, the better. If you start with a chintz in wall-to-wall curtains, pick up one color from the design, repeat it in armchair upholstery, and on the wall of an adjoining room. Here, we use House & Garden's Bitter Green.
IF AN UNSIGHTLY FLOOR detracts from your room, paint it the key color of your scheme. Don't be afraid to use a startling color such as H&G's Bitter Green. Then, choose an over-scaled printed fabric and use it throughout the room in curtains, upholstery on chair and ottoman. A white-textured cotton rug will underline your conversation grouping, point up the floor color.

IF YOU HAVE A SMALL STUDY with little floor space and ill-assorted furniture, spray-paint your working tables and desk to match the walls. Push these pieces against the walls so that they will seem to melt into the background, leaving plenty of space in the middle of the room. Cover ottomans in a tidy print; use white ceramic tile flooring divided by black strips.
SOLVE IT WITH COLOR continued

IF YOUR CEILING SEEMS TO CLOSE IN ON YOU, paint it a lighter tint of the wall color to make the room seem high and airy. Choose a retreating color such as H&G's Sand. Since the window wall is in shadow, paint it a trifle lighter than the other walls. Use deep-textured carpeting.

IF YOU HAVE A LARGE LIVING-DINING ROOM, paint one wall a vivid color such as H&G's Nasturtium to silhouette your dining furniture and separate it from the living area. Repeat Nasturtium on an ottoman. Use a neutral color for the other walls, carpet. Plaid wallpaper cornice goes round the room.

Enter a new palette

Here are House & Garden's colors for 1953

Six years ago a pink pillowcase, a Bitter Green carpet, a Sky Blue goblet, were as hard to come by as a mangosteen in January. Then HOUSE & GARDEN stepped into the picture, began to ask questions. What color would you like your living-room walls to be? What color bath towels would you choose if you could get them? What furniture finish would you prefer? This kind of questioning led to an annual selection of colors which has had an enormous influence on all fields of home furnishings both in America and abroad. Each year since 1946, HOUSE & GARDEN editors have checked shopping trends, interviewed leading decorators and designers, screened the fashion field, brought together ideas from all parts of the world... to develop a palette of colors which you can use in your home. Today, you can actually find the exact colors you want in paint, bath towels, chairs, accessories, because 269 manufacturers make them in H&G colors (p. 159), 373 department and furniture stores carry them (p. 164), more than 5,000 paint or wallpaper stores are retailers for paint companies who have matched H&G colors (p. 161). This year our color survey was conducted by Howard Ketcham, color authority, who queried thousands of women in major shopping centers across the country. This survey influenced the selection of the 18 Current Colors in our palette for 1953, shown opposite. Some of these colors have been favorites for years, as consistent in decoration as the little black dress in fashion. Eleven additional Forecast colors were culled from decorators, designers, fashion experts. These are as prophetic in decoration as a new Dior or Fath collection in fashion. All of this adds up to the fact that you can plan a room today without confusion and without mistakes.
House & Garden's decorating palette for 1953
Use hot and cold blues with white in a living room to play up wood furniture. Three walls are painted Middy Blue; fourth wall is white basketweave.

Try Siamese Pinks and red in your living room. Paint walls Phlox Pink. Let your upholstery echo these colors. For dash, add black-and-white. Driftwood rug.

How to use the new colors in your own home

When it comes to planning a room scheme, what you do with color is just as important as the colors you choose. If you decide to have a room blue, you will want to know which blues to mix well, where to put them, how to accent them. The six schemes on these pages show you the right way to plan your room colors. Each of them demonstrates an important new trend in combining colors this year. You can create any one of them, since every fabric, chair, and table mat can actually be bought in a leading store; all are co-ordinated to House & Garden’s 1953 color palette which takes the guesswork out of decorating. You know, for example, that when you buy six yards of a Sky Blue fabric it will blend with Middy Blue walls. And to make your color scheme even easier to achieve, there are new ready-made café curtains and bedspreads like those on the opposite page, top left, keyed to the House & Garden palette. Another way to bring about the color harmony you want is to buy unpainted furniture which you can paint yourself. You can even get room dividers today and television sets in the raw, and paint them the same color as your walls to make your room seem larger. To help you build your color scheme from the ground up, carpets have also been developed in House & Garden colors such as Cerulean Blue and Bitter Green, as well as in classic beiges. Wallpapers, too, pick up key colors in any kind of pattern from a tiny, modern geometric to a documentary print. Once you mix any of these colors in your own room, add a touch of white as a chaser. Most of the new printed fabrics and wallpapers have some white areas in them, but you could inject an all-white lamp or a cabinet with white plastic lining, shown left. H & G’s color program makes it easy for you to carry out the color scheme of your choice in any room of your home.

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Mix Gunmetal and beiges in a dining alcove papered in a classic pattern. Carpet, curtains are Sandalwood. For accent, Lemon Peel silk on chairs, yellow roses.

Team pastel Willow with Blueberry in a study. Unpainted storage units (see page 96) and TV are spray-lacquered same color as walls, and lined in Blueberry.

Lace greens with rattan and cane. In a lanai garden room, Green Olive is a striking color for the walls, baseboards, and random tiles in the white rubber flooring.
The case for the pastel wall

The pastel wall on the opposite page proclaims a fresh new note in the current decorating picture. Not that pastels are particularly new. The Cretans used them, we know, for we find tender yellow-greens, light blue-greens, and tints of red, orange, or pink in the fragmented frescoes of Knossos. So did the artists who decorated for Madame de Pompadour, and established the light, delicate palette of the Louis XV period. Yet pastels are news today. They are news as backgrounds for our shrinking rooms, because they create an illusion of space. They are news as foils for the brilliant splashes of color we like to spread around our rooms in our upholstery fabrics and accessories. And they are news because HOUSE & GARDEN has developed eight bright new pastels (and a number of paint manufacturers are producing them for you). The colors are Sky Blue, Dresden Blue, Willow, Green Olive, Citron yellow, Carnation, Sandalwood, and Cloud Gray—all of a spring-morning freshness, all preferred by you, according to this year’s HOUSE & GARDEN color survey. The pastel wall can be a boon in many ways, as you will see by looking at the sketches on this page, each of which solves a common decorating problem. But a pastel wall cannot do everything for you. It often needs assistance, particularly when it comes to accent colors. For example, the Carnation pink wall on the opposite page is dramatic in itself, but the subtle play of white walls, striped carpet, and the carnival of colored pillows on the black sofa all help to enhance its effect.

Opposite

A single pastel wall can brighten a room

The 1953 pastel look is embodied in this Carnation pink wall contrasted with chalk-white side walls. An inky black sofa is literally littered with pillows in bright Siamese colors, like little daubs of paint on canvas. The rug is striped white, dark green, and gray. Furniture by Harvey Probber.
Do it with paint

Ten steps that take you from start to finish through an easy method of painting a room

The room you’re going to paint may be in an old apartment or a new home, but the “props” you’ll need, the tools and method of application are basically the same. On old walls (make sure they are spotlessly clean and dry) you may have to do some crack filling first with patching plaster, then sandpaper over filled-in holes before painting. Having decided on your colors, you’ll need: 1) a drop cloth to protect the floor; 2) a 4-inch brush or roller for sizing or sealer; 3) a roller with a lamb’s wool cover—preferably the type that contains a cylinder to hold about a pint of paint; 4) a funnel for pouring into cylinder; 5) a 1½-inch sash brush for spot work and trimming; 6) two empty gallon-size cans for pouring and mixing; 7) a quart or two of turpentine; 8) a stirring stick; 9) clean cloths for wiping spots off hardware; 10) patching plaster; 11) sandpaper; 12) a putty knife; 13) cardboard to protect rugs at baseboards; 14) buckets to hold paint thinners and solvents for cleaning your brushes and roller. A few cautions: don’t paint in a closed, airless room, and don’t paint on damp surfaces (or in damp weather) or on new plaster until it is completely dry. Do ask advice freely of your paint dealer about the quantities needed. Do ask him to mix or agitate the paint you buy from him. Do read fully and explicitly the directions on all labels. The step-by-step pictures on these pages were planned to start you off efficiently on the profitable adventure of painting a room. Since there is no short-cut to quality it is a sound idea to buy good paint from a reliable dealer. (Cont’d on page 148)
2 This lamb's wool roller coater is filled with paint through a funnel. Its pint cylinder holds more paint than the average wall brush and you can cover twice as large a wall or ceiling area in one even stroke. Rollers will keep drips to a minimum.

3 Start coating the ceiling with the roller, being careful to leave a one-inch strip next to wall. Make a steady, straight, horizontal stroke about four to six feet. It is not necessary to roll coater back and forth. Paint exudes evenly through it.

4 To paint the wall take the same steady horizontal stroke, as at left. Make your first stroke with roller at baseboard, the second at top of wall. Be sure to leave a one-inch strip above the baseboard and below ceiling to paint with sash brush.

5 The third stroke of the roller on your wall surface is a vertical one, taken straight from the base up to the horizontal stroke you've made near the ceiling. Again leave an unpainted one-inch strip along the side wall. Stroke with a light pressure.

6 Your fourth stroke on the wall travels down on a slight angle to join the horizontal band of color at your baseboard. From there you stroke the roller up again, overlapping the angles each time until the stretch is covered, except for inch strips.

7 After completing the wall you're ready to use a sash brush on those one-inch strips and around the woodwork. Dip brush into paint about 1/2 the length of bristles; slap excess off inside can. Paint with brush at about a 45° angle to surface.

8 Here a piece of cardboard is being held in place between the unpainted window sash and the one-inch strip. This protects woodwork from any streaks or spatters and helps to keep the strokes even. After use, rinse brush bristles in a solvent.

9 To paint new window sash, casing, and sill, you first apply a coat of thin pigmented primer tinted to a shade lighter than the finish. Next an enamel undercoat, also tinted to a lighter hue than the finish. Finally, apply enamel in the desired finish.

10 To finish the baseboard use a flexible 4-inch brush with good quality bristles. As a further protection for wall-to-wall carpets, put flat squares of cardboard over drop cloth and fit them tightly against lower edge of the base molding.
In living room, the storage wall is a combination library, bar, and music wall (record albums are kept in the cabinets). Drawers hold cards, games, personal paraphernalia. Note the upholstery of Pandanus cloth, the space-giving effect of glass-topped tables, wrought-iron sofa, chair, and stool. Flame-colored pillows add a dramatic color accent.
The wall that pays its way by working for you

Why not create your own working wall out of unfinished units and paint it to match the color scheme of your room?

Would you like a separate dining area in your living room? Could you use about three times as much storage space as you now have? Would you like to divide a large bedroom into two small ones for your children? All without permanent construction and without spending a small fortune? Today you can divide a room, acquire more storage space, and give your house a fresh decorative background with a "working wall." The working wall was originally an architectural idea. Its wonderful possibilities were first enjoyed only in new houses, or in custom-built versions. Now you can assemble one yourself out of unpainted Aristo-Dividers. There are five kinds of units, all 30" high by 27" wide and 16" deep: simple bases are 3" high. Units include such diverse pieces as shelves divided in the middle to hold books on one side, china on the other; open pass-through shelves; cabinets with sliding doors on both sides; three-drawer chests; versatile, two-way chests with one drawer and one deep shelf, closed by hinged doors that could serve as desk on one side and buffet or bar on the other. We suggest that you use the most massive looking units, such as drawers, as the base. The cabinets with sliding doors can serve as either base or in the center row. On top, place shelves for books and china and, for a feeling of space beyond, include at least one unit that allows you to see through to the other side. Finally paint your working wall the same color as the walls of the room (in this case H&G's Sky Blue) to help it blend smoothly into your color scheme. H&G's Middy Blue, used inside the shelves and drawers, adds color interest and focuses attention on your books, glass and ornaments.

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If yours is a young family, you shouldn’t plan a kitchen without keeping two kitchens in mind: the one to use now, and the larger one you’ll need as your family grows. On these pages HOUSE & GARDEN presents an all-gas kitchen, 10’ by 20’ in size, no larger than the average kitchen in a small house. The planning secret lies (1) in treating walls as separate working areas, so each can expand with a minimum of rearrangement in the rest of the kitchen; and (2) in choosing a color scheme that you’ll want to live with a long time, that will become more interesting as you add bright accessories. Face the financial fact that you will be wiser to buy the best in essential equipment right from the beginning, so that you don’t have to reinvest later (the cost of your complete laundry can be included in the original mortgage on your house). Inexpensive accessories such as enamel cooking utensils are practical, add color to the kitchen (you can buy them in HOUSE & GARDEN colors). Straw baskets are also inexpensive, can be used for serving breads, nuts, crackers, etc.

The kitchen on these pages has a compact laundry wall, a dining table, four chairs, and a buffet-barbecue wall, in addition to cabinets, sink, cooking center, refrigerator, and work counters. For the future, here is how it is planned to expand: it will include a dishwasher which will form a peninsula counter extending out from the sink, a laundry wing to be built outside at left where the garden door is now, the dining area will move into the present laundry space. There is also room for future storage above and below the barbecue counter. The refrigerator is large enough to meet ordinary needs for a long time.

If anyone needs a kitchen engineered to save her steps, her back, her energy, and her temper, it’s the busy young housewife at the beck and call of tiny tyrants. Our expansible gas kitchen takes advantage of every new invention and easy upkeep material. All countertops are plastic, molded in a revolutionary way to give you rounded corners and rounded edges that are quickly cleaned. The dining table doubles as a work table, has a plastic top that looks like a natural wood grain: dining chairs have metal legs, plastic seats and backs. One wall is finished with textured plastic tile, another will washable, plasticized wall fabric in a bamboo design. In the back-saving department, note the top-loading washing machine, the stainless-steel oven at shoulder level, with cabinets above and below for pots and pans. The reach is easier if you keep heavier utensils above, lighter ones below. And note how we’ve placed the sink, work counters, and burners at the window, so you don’t have to run to the door to see what the children are up to. (A ventilating fan directly above burners will prevent window-clouding from cooking fumes.) Lighting is planned to give you direct working light where you need it most, and soft indirect lighting from tops of cabinets all around the room.

For shopping information, turn to page 147.
Choose colors you can match without color trouble. This kitchen combines metal cabinets in H&G's pastel Sky Blue with stainless-steel and white equipment. Dining table and chairs are in H&G's Sand color as are all countertops, which have a soft, linen-weave pattern. For warmth and excitement, the linoleum is Flame. Friendliness is added by the Willow green blinds at the windows and the tiny garden built into cabinet behind the sink for potted flowers, ivy, and herbs such as mint, chives, parsley. Two kitchen walls are blue, two white.
The barbecue wall is as practical as it is decorative, and you can build it yourself. Face the entire wall with new, white sculptural plastic tiles that are fire-retarding, that clean with a damp cloth. Striations give them a design character so you can put them up to form horizontal or vertical lines or in a checkerboard pattern, according to the dimensions of your room. Ventilating fan directly above barbecue draws off fumes. The counter serves as a buffet. Later, you can replace it with storage cabinets as you need them, for the counter is exactly the height of standard base cabinets. Glass enclosed cabinets above hold china and glass; they swing open with concealed finger grips. You might use them as a show case; change the show whenever you like.

The kitchen expands easily because walls and corners are planned as separate working areas: (1) barbecue wall; (2) refrigerator and storage; (3) cooking center with separate oven and burners so each can be placed at a convenient height; (4) sink and food preparation; (5) laundry wall; (6) hot water heater and door to garden. Broken lines outside show future laundry wing. Present laundry corner becomes a dining area; storage cabinets can be added here, too. A dishwasher can be placed to the left of the sink to form a pivotal peninsula separating dining area.
Laundry is compact but complete, has water heater, cabinet for linens, soaps on wall. Under them are a top-loading washer, automatic clothes dryer and ironer, tip-fronted laundry bin.

When laundry isn’t in use, just draw the white-painted shutter panels across in front of the equipment. This shuttered wall creates an attractive passageway to the garden-play yard.

Main kitchen work takes place in step-saving, curved area. Counters flank the burners and the shoulder-high oven.
The ABC's of sensible furniture arrangement

Here are six ingenious ways to cope with the floor plans of typical new apartments.

Like people, few rooms are endowed with perfect proportions. If you look at your apartment with the same critical eye you turn on your own face and figure, you'll find that you can do all sorts of things to play up the good features, camouflage bad wall angles, and make the rooms more flexible. Although you can't put a room on a diet (to gain or to lose inches in the right places), you can often turn a room's shortcoming into an asset. What counts is the way you place your furniture, how you balance plump sofas against slim-legged chairs and tables, how you break up your space with screens, room dividers, or plants. The six floor plans you see on these pages come from one of the newest apartment houses in New York, at 60 Sutton Place South. House & Garden worked out these furniture arrangements to show you how to plan an apartment for easy, relaxed living. If you are moving into a new apartment, it may be hard for you to adjust your ideas to a new arrangement of furniture. You might think, for instance, that the longest wall should fall heir to the largest sofa. But if your apartment is similar to the one shown below, the longest wall is so near the entrance that a sofa placed there would be a traffic hazard. Choose another wall out of the way of traffic for your sofa and build a small conversation group around it. You can define your seating arrangements with small accent rugs. Whatever the size or shape of your apartment, you'll need to make every inch count. The trick is to think of your rooms in terms of your family's activities. Then, instead of lumping your furniture without a plan, you will

THE FLOOR PLAN of this apartment is square and simple. A dining alcove is provided at one end of the living room, adjacent to kitchen.

THE SOLUTION of this plan is an off-balance arrangement of furniture. Two conversation groups are assembled on the short walls, a storage piece (or radio-television) placed on the long wall near the entrance. The bulkiness of the sofas is balanced by dining furniture and a room divider.
THE FLOOR PLAN of this small apartment gives better-than-average light, air, and view by means of angled windows along one side.

THE SOLUTION to the sharp-cornered window problem is arranging furniture to play up the angle. In the bedroom, a dressing table is set flush with the window, the bed against the important wall. In the living room, the window alcove provides ample space for a grand piano and indoor plants. The dining end is treated like a separate room, screened by lacquered, folding panels. Opposite the sofa is a small TV. All-over carpeting and pastel walls make the apartment seem spacious.

begin to create separate areas for conversation, dining, storage, music, and sleeping. First of all, plot the course you will take from one room to another and leave plenty of floor space to move around in. Wherever you sit in the room, you should be able to look at another grouping with the same pleasure that you get from a picture on your wall. There are many strategems you can use to bring this about. Floor screens are an excellent device for breaking the long line of a room or for concealing a dinner table until you are ready to eat. You can cover these screens with wallpaper, or paint them to match the walls. Plants are another means of redeeming a shapeless room. In the apartment above, they modify the angle of the window. You can use accent rugs to underline your furniture groupings the same way you use make-up to play up your own best features. To improve room proportions, you may have to discard your ideas about balanced furniture arrangements. If your windows jut out to capture the light and air and view, you might place one important piece at the same angle. As you can see above, this type of window is an ideal location for a grand piano. In arranging furniture in an apartment, it is vital to leave the entrance free. Along the nearest walls use shallow pieces such as bookshelves, console  

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THE FLOOR PLAN of this living room in a large apartment is long, narrow, and featureless. THE SOLUTION for an unbroken, long wall is to add a focal point. Here, an inexpensive decorative fireplace was installed to relieve the long wall and create a center for a conversation grouping. Plants in window corner are a good device for giving shape to room. On the wall near door, a long table serves for buffet dinners.

tables, chests, radio-television, long server, or bar. Be sure, however, that your linen storage is near the dining space, which in most apartments today is no more than an alcove adjoining the living room. You can give the dining space an air of its own if you use carpeting of a different pattern from the living room, as shown below, or paper one wall with a mural, opposite. Since space is at a premium today, it is a wise idea to use underscaled, light-looking dining furniture. This is particularly important if you live in a one-room apartment like the one at the bottom of the opposite page. Notice how adroitly space has been allotted to (1) relaxation and sleeping, (2) storage and music, (3) dining. There is no feeling of crowded living. You have freedom to come and go without honeycombing your way through a maze of furniture. Notice, too, that the windows in all these apartments have floor-to-ceiling curtains of sheer fabric to give lightness and the illusion of privacy. They do not curb the view, which in these apartments takes in the East River and the charming gardens below. Each one of these furniture arrangements is planned to create ease of conversation, dining, storage, and the utmost comfort for everyone in the family.

THE FLOOR PLAN of the living-dining room in this apartment is off-balance. The longest wall area is too near the door for a seating group. THE SOLUTION is an asymmetrical arrangement of furniture. At the entrance, a storage piece which holds books, accessories straightens the line of the wall. On the adjacent wall, a painted panel gives height and stature to the room. A bold screen and piano break the expanse of windows.
THE FLOOR PLAN of this living room has long, sweeping lines without any partitions to divide the length and give it a waistline. 

THE SOLUTION is a shelf unit which acts as a room divider. This helps to separate two conversation groups, an L-shaped sofa for relaxation, another sofa and chairs for entertaining. Both groupings are out of the way of traffic. Corner window is turned into a planting bay. TV extends beyond wall to separate dining alcove. Mural wall gives illusion of depth.

THE FLOOR PLAN of this apartment provides one room for round-the-clock living. It also has an angled window for light and view. 

THE SOLUTION to living in a one-room apartment is to create a conversation area around a sofa which can also serve as a bed. A screen and patterned rug accent it. On the opposite wall, a breakfront stores linens, clothes, books, and music. Window bay is logical place for dining.
Color is an invitation to be inventive

by Irene Sharaff

The well known designer of half a hundred Broadway shows (and a dozen pictures) has emblazoned her own signature in color on such unforgettable productions as "Meet Me in St. Louis," "Lady in the Dark," "On Your Toes," "An American in Paris," and "The King and I."

Like many people I respond to color because I have watched it constantly, not just for professional reasons for costumes and décor, but since everything is a color to me, or has color. People, personalities, the day of a week, the letters of the alphabet, numbers, all have specific color to me. I have remembered a poem because its opening line was "Good-by is a yellow-ribboned word." And walking along a street, I still play a game which has shortened many a long walk. I pick out a color, the coral of a woman's jacket or a child's blue hair ribbon, and try to match it by the time I reach the end of the block or street; its match is likely to turn up in a window or on a man's tie, or among some passer-by's accessories.

There is no lingo and there are no rules about using color. There are no such terms as in the ballet world where devotees discuss "bourrées" and "entrechats," or as among musicians when a layman is lost in the talk about "diminished sevenths" and "an F-sharp major basis with a persistent lowered seventh scale step."

While color does not share these technical vocabularies, it has obviously contributed a great deal both to the ballet and to music. At times the combination has produced wonderful results as in the "Toccata & Fugue" number of Disney's "Fantasia" and, in another manner of approach, in Mondrian's painting "Boogie-Woogie." Color, in fact, seems to overflow in all directions. It has crept into speech where the particular color matters less than the colloquialism such as "purple with rage," "given the green light," "in the red," "in a brown study," "in the pink of condition," "a night black as indigo," and "having the blues," which shows how much we are affected by color.

It is interesting to see how certain colors have become badges or trademarks. Chartreuse is a color associated with the Twenties as lavender has become identified with the Victorian era. The fashion world quite naturally takes to color as trademarks, Schiaparelli's Shocking Pink being perhaps the most successfully publicized. What happens, however, in the promotion of a color as fashionable, has often had unfortunate results. It also encourages our deplorable habit of casting people in the same mold, turning them out on the machine belt, and draining out individuality.

Apart from their hues, colors have lovely names; though it is not necessary to know their labels, it is useful to be able to recognize the various colors. The reds, for instance, line up in an extraordinarily romantic procession: scarlet, vermilion, garance, rose madder, car-
developed a deep sense of color. Color itself has taken on more meaning. And the banging hue of the heavens, with limitless color for students is blue, the constantly and energy governing our lives. And the whole background of Oriental religion when this meaning is as profound as the richness the people's lives as well as dedication ritual and as symbol seems to have endless horizon. The significance of color in Asia that one is apt to find people with the most sophisticated sense of color. It is there that we may see a wonderful balance in the use of color; on the one hand with spontaneity and gaiety as among children at play, on the other, exercising a true sophisticated taste, subtle in its handling of tones and judicious in the use of what might be called "the absence of color."

The temple rites, festivals, and celebrations in Asia are occasions when colors break out in a riot: brilliant reds and oranges, royal blues and sharp greens, screaming pinks and rich yellows, picked out with gold and silver tinsel. In China, until recently, bright red was the color for weddings, happy auspicious events; white was and still is the color for mourning and funerals, the lack of color as a respectful gesture to a person passing from life to death.

In Asia yellow clothes the priests like sun

Throughout Asia, yellow is the color for the priests, clothing them like the sun which is the mysterious source of heat and energy governing our lives. And the color for students is blue, the constantly changing hue of the heavens, with limitless horizon. The significance of color in ritual and as symbol seems to have enriched the people's lives as well as developed a deep sense of color. Color itself has taken on more meaning. And when this meaning is as profound as the whole background of Oriental religion and philosophy has made it, it is a little easier for us to understand how absence of color, such as we see in Chinese paintings, can be the important point it is.

There is fascination in contemplating this absence of color in the great paintings of the Chinese masters. Here is a soaring into the realm of imagination to a height of subtlety which is almost beyond the comprehension of most of us in the West. The ink monochrome tones convey color, yet there are no hues such as we associate with painting. The placing and spacing of the areas marked out by the ink tones have a significance derived from a philosophy with a long tradition which, though we know nothing of it, holds our attention in wonder and respect. Here we are confronted with the supreme example of the colorfullikeout colors. And it brings to mind a custom of Japan which manifests a delightful sort of consideration of people's visual pleasure: in the designing of a trellis along the top of a wall one section is often left completely vacant so that people can occupy their eyes by filling in the space in imagination.

This quality of absence of color was impressed on me by the black and the gray silks among the Siamese fabrics used in "The King and I." In their somber way they are as beautiful as the gay plaids which were by far more numerous. Although plaids are usually associated with Scotland, they are designed and woven in quantity in most countries where weaving is an important part of community activity. The combining of the squares and lines of colors is an extraordinary outlet for individual inventiveness. Characteristically, perhaps, it is rare in Siam to find two identical patterns of plaids, while in Scotland plaids are purposely woven in certain prescribed patterns and color combinations to identify the various clans.

George Gershwin music, a Parisian ballet

The Gershwin film, "An American in Paris," presented a completely different set of problems about colors which behaved differently on film from the stage. Close-ups, medium shots, and other angles create the differences. There is also the variation in the degree and ways of lighting. Too much color moving too quickly across the screen can cause visual indigestion. In the ballet, which was more ambitious in scale than any yet filmed, I was presented with the problem of creating décor and costumes which should convey the feeling of Paris in the late 19th and the 20th centuries as background to a condensed summary of the story in ballet form. I turned to the famous painters of Paris of that time and the visual aspect of the ballet was based on the style and palettes of six painters, Dufy, Van Gogh, Toulouse Lautrec, Renoir, Utrillo, and Rousseau. More specifically, the opening of the ballet was set in the Place de la Concorde in the style of Raoul Dufy; as for color, red-white-and-blue was not only an obvious choice but Dufy's way of handling them somehow manages to convey the touch of the Parisian. In the Van Gogh sequence, the yellows used ranged from the most fragile yellow-greens to rich golds and to dark brown yellows; it was a good color to "rise" to a climax with the music.

To enjoy color, learn to use your eyes

Many people ask me about color and colors. I have never been able to make an adequate reply because I have found that when one is actually handling colors, the theories and the few worn principles about color are forgotten. The quickest way to learn about colors is by handling them, mixing them, combining them, and growing familiar with what they can do, finding out how they can express, describe, and decorate. With this, I have found that far and away the most valuable assets are a pair of eyes and a lot of looking.

The invitation to be inventive is probably the most generous gift that color has to offer, opening up all nature for experiment. Above all, color enlarges our visual experience and imagination. Could any gift be more welcome?
Fruit desserts are never out of season

Helen Evans Brown, author of "The West Coast Cook Book,"
gives 17 easy ways to serve fresh, canned, or frozen fruits

As a nation we have a weakness for rich desserts and many of us make unnecessarily hard work of a party by trying to outdo ourselves on the last course. Europeans on the other hand serve fruit, like after dinner coffee, as a matter of course. To the English, fruit is the real interpretation of the word dessert. (Puddings, tarts, molds, and trifles are sweets, and something else again.) The Italians call a dish of fruit giardineto, or little garden. They use fruits as edible centerpieces often as decorative as a Della Robbia pottery. Fruit desserts are relatively simple to produce and are certainly a pleasant epilogue if you have served your guests a substantial main dish. Contrasting with it in flavor, texture, and eye-appeal, they can top off any meal gracefully.

Today in America, because of new methods of packaging, freezing, and shipping, fruit can be served in any season. It is an especially good choice if you are diet-conscious.

QUATRE MENDICANTS. The French have a charming old recipe named for the four chief orders of the Mendicant Friars. It consists of little leaf-lined baskets filled with fruit and nuts. Raisins are there to represent the Dominicans, or black friars; blanched almonds signify the Carmelites, or white friars; dried figs the Franciscans, or gray friars; filberts the Augustinians, or brown friars. Today we do not stick to the classic selection. Sweet juicy dates, fat walnuts or pecans, and plump apricots and prunes are quite as welcome. Have individual baskets lined with pretty leaves—whatever the garden yields. Have the raisins in little clusters on their stems, the nuts cracked but still in their shells. And don't stop at dried fruits. Picture a basket lined with geranium or lemon leaves, and in it lush ripe strawberries, golden apricots, huge black cherries, and tiny pale green grapes, with perhaps green almonds or, as in the original, blanched and untoasted almonds. This dessert needs wine. If dried fruits are served, a Marsala or port would be nice; fresh fruits call for something lighter—perhaps a sauténe or one of the sweet California white wines.

FRESH FIGS. With air freight as efficient as it is today, you don't have to be a resident of California to enjoy fresh figs in season. At their best, they are bursting with juice and have little drops of sirup oozing from their skins. They may be served in several ways—connoisseurs like them best cut in half and spooned from their skins. You can also inoculate them with a little sherry or Madeira. This is done with a medicine dropper and is a simple operation. At other times the figs are peeled and a little port wine poured over them. They are equally delicious served simply, with just sugar and cream. When fresh figs (Cont'd on page 167)

Table settings have come a long way since your grandmother's day. Where her chief concern was to match, ours is to mix with flair and individuality. Opposite, we show you how traditional and modern china and silver benefit by this treatment. You will find that an open-minded use of H&G's new colors (see page 89) can rejuvenate your table setting as quickly as your walls.

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MAANEL CASSIDY

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How colorful is your table?
Cool pinks, variations on a pastel theme, will bring a rosy glow to your table. Accent its delicate air with Reed & Barton's “Marlborough” sterling at Bamberger's.

Dresden Blue, Middy Blue team well with gray for an inviting table setting. A gray mat frames two shades of blue in linen and Spode’s “Gloucester” Lowestoft.

Hot Pink spices a table setting in a modern mood. A Siamese Pink mat flavors a Dove Gray napkin and a Gunmetal plate in Franciscan pattern, “Starry Night.”

Hot Chocolate mat with sepia-and-white provincial earthenware, Booth's “British Scenery,” combines dramatically with Cerulean Blue glass and Sky Blue linen.
1. Blue phlox contrasts with green laurel, wild flowers, ferns by a brookside garden.

2. Turquoise blue cement squares brighten herb beds of chives, lavender, geranium.

3. Pastel pink dogwood, cutleaf red maple soften the rough masses of gray rocks.

Plant your garden with an eye to color

4. Multicolored pansies repeat tulip tones

5. Tanbark gives warm earth tones to paths

6. Citron, tawny yellow primroses with sky blue bugle, accent a rill
Three seasons of color in your perennial border

These hardy favorites will give you color in your garden from spring to frost

The pleasing promise of color in constant bloom in your flower border from early spring to late autumn need not be wishful thinking. There are ways of reaching this goal without investing in an elaborate outlay of new perennial plants. The first thing to keep in mind is that there are three major blooming seasons, spring, summer, fall, in which you can count on color. The plants you select to flower in each of these seasons ought to be chosen for their hardy dependability so that no unsightly, wilted stretches occur along the border. Here are the perennials you can depend on to bloom from early May to about the middle of June: iris, coral bells, candytuft, peonies, perennial phlox, columbine, Siberian larkspur, tulips. From mid-June to mid-July: columbine, peach bells, Siberian larkspur, delphinium, phlox Miss Lingard, regal lilies, blue Salvia (such as S. farinacea). From mid-July to the end of August: perennial phlox, balloon flower, late blooming lilies, day lilies, delphinium, annuals, Veronica (variety V. longifolia subsessilis), Carpathian harebells. From September to frost: asters, chrysanthemums, perennial phlox, phlox Miss Lingard. Begin by deciding on one important perennial for each major flowering season. The best are those that bloom profusely for a long season and come in sufficient varieties of color to give you changes of hues and shades. From among the plants listed above, the following hardy favorites are outstanding perennials for color from spring to frost: tulips, iris, peonies, delphinium, day lilies, phlox, Michaelmas daisies, and chrysanthemums. If you

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Modern house in
a romantic mood

All the glamour and feeling of living on a tropical island is captured in this California house. It mirrors the Pacifica mood of indoor-outdoor living to which H&G devoted its April issue. Patio and pools, luxuriant plants, natural textures, latticed walls, all contribute to a serene, sun-swept look. In designing this romantic house, architect Burton A. Schutt was faced with a special set of conditions: a family of three creative people who wanted to live in Beverly Hills, California, and carry on their separate careers at home. They consist of Mr. Edward L. Alperson, a moving picture producer; his wife, a professional sculptress; their son, Edward L. Alperson, Jr., a composer. Mr. Schutt's solution was to give each of them a private world tailored to individual requirements plus a common living area of great flexibility which merges with a patio-room. Mr. Alperson, who has a separate bedroom and dressing room, can walk under a roof extension to his studio-office which contains a projection room. Mrs. Alperson's studio adjoins her bed-living room, opens on the entrance court so that blocks of stone can be deposited

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at its threshold. Their son Edward, Jr. occupies the far corner of the house, has a sound-proof bed-living room in which he composes and makes recordings. All members of the family have easy and individual access to the central section which, thanks to movable partitions, can give the impression of continuous space or can be broken up into living room, dining room, and lanai. Hub of the whole living scheme is the patio, which is ideally planned for a mild climate. Two pools of irregular shape and different depths plus built-up plant beds, give this patio variety and interest. Its expanse of paving leads in and out of the shade cast by a free-form roof as streamlined as an airplane wing. At one point, this roof is pierced to allow palms to tower through to the blue California sky. In the exterior design of the house, climate and privacy were important factors. Because two sides were exposed to hot sun, and another gave directly on the entrance drive, unprotected glass walls were not practical. The solution was a series of handsome exterior screens, each of different design and material.

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Sliding doors and screens can rearrange living-dining space

Flush doors roll back between lanai and dining room to give free access to table, roll together into free-standing panel while table is set or cleared. Fretted doors beyond open or close off both these rooms from living room.

A musician can live 24 hours a day in this bedroom-studio

Built into the walls of Mr. Edward Alperson Jr.'s room are television, a refrigerator, bar (above left), bookcase, radio, phonograph, and tape recorder (right). His work table is expandable, bed has built-in storage counter. Walls are lined with sound-proofing cork.

A screened terrace is off this studio-bedroom

Class doors open out onto this flowery terrace whose decorative pierced wood wall makes the room private and airy.

Mr. Alperson finds quiet seclusion here

The bedroom of a busy Hollywood producer is restful, has minimum furniture, sliding Japanese windows.
The two free-form swimming pools are of different depths for bathing or wading. Like paving, coping is gray with turquoise line at water's edge. Chairs are iron or natural wood covered in white canvas.

Studio-office repeats openwork motif of screens. When not used for film projection, folding panels divide interior into three overnight guest rooms. Foreground, sculptured piece by Mrs. Alperson.

Grapevine screen on patio side of house protects lanai from hot western sun. Glimpses of a green plant pocket between it and house are inviting.

The impression is one of breadth and serenity—a feeling created by the flow of space, the preponderance of white with black accents, the filtered light, the few but interesting ornaments which range from primitive carvings to paintings by one of vines, another of pierced masonry, a third of fretted wood. Filled with tropical plants, the spaces between screens and house make cooling oases against its walls. Dramatic night lighting in patio and entrance court emphasizes the lacy patterns of the screens, the exotic forms of palms, banana trees, bamboo, Monstera deliciosa. Indoors, the impression is one of breadth and serenity—a feeling created by the flow of space, the preponderance of white with black accents, the filtered light, the few but interesting ornaments which range from primitive carvings to paintings by
Modigliani. House and patio occupy practically the whole of the lot they are situated on. Yet though street traffic streams by on two sides of the house, there is little noise and no sense of living on small acreage. This is due to site planning which angles the house around the outside of the lot and puts living at the center, screens which give privacy even to front rooms at court level, and a protective bank which was pushed up out of earth removed for the excavation. A wonderful party house, it also provides for three separate lives, three self-centered careers.

Fretted screen reflects sun in daytime, creates privacy.

Same screen from indoors gives view through to court.

Masonry screen makes background for flowers.

Sliding indoor screens decorate three living areas.

Plant pockets create natural screens of greenery.

Grapevine screen, trained on wires, is easy to grow.

Spotlights show up the two kinds of screen which protect court-level front rooms. At left, an eye-level solid wood screen with plants behind it shelters living room. At right, a fretted screen creates cool, filtered light in the dining room, a dramatic pattern at night.
Traditional details characterize this house: an arched loggia with white scrolled-iron supports, central bay window, lanterns at house corners, roof of shakes instead of shingles, pink brick exterior; white shutters; muntined panes.

House with a past and a present

Its roots stem deep in the New Orleans and New England heritage

If you saw the house on these pages in a New England village, it would look perfectly suitable. It would be equally at home on a balconied Southern street, in a Midwestern suburb, or under the bright California sun. Its architecture, which is the type we call "transitional," has the rare quality of getting along with its neighbors, be they old or new. The reverse of "clinical modern," its details are traditional. Because the garage forms an extended wing of the house, the over-all lines are long and low. The house is a good neighbor in another sense, too. Its owners, Dr. and Mrs. George Sehring, are lifelong friends of their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Flint (the latter's house appeared in August HOUSE & GARDEN) whose garden backs on theirs. Instead of fencing one another out, as many neighbors do, their yards have been combined into a single shady lawn area where the children can play. Designed by architect Jerome Cerny, both the houses spread hospitable terraces toward each other. Though the Sehring house gives the effect of being small, it has plenty of living space, including three bedrooms, an entrance hall, a powder room, a separate dining room, and a library which Dr. Sehring occasionally uses for consultation.
On the garden side, the house looks across a shady lawn to its neighbor. The three center windows belong to kitchen, dining room, and study. To the left is the garage whose doors of divided glass panes match the house windows. Tall elm trees shade house and terrace.

Bay window on front of house looks out onto a quiet, beautifully landscaped section of Joliet, Illinois.

Kitchen has Provincial table for breakfast, children's meals, birch-paneled cabinet.

Floor plan shows convenient access from garage through utility room, diagonal corridor which gives privacy to doctor's library.
Modern heating: key to comfort

Today's heating equipment can do more than keep you warm; it can give you a cleaner, healthier, more comfortable house. It takes a minimum of space and practically runs itself.

What has been happening to houses has also been happening to the heating equipment in them. It has been getting smaller. But it has been getting better. Since new houses abandoned the basement and spread out in one story, in closer relation to outdoors, heating has undergone a metamorphosis. Boilers and furnaces, pipes and ducts had to diminish and accommodate themselves to less space. How compact and efficient they have become is illustrated on the opposite page.

The popularity of glass walls and open-plan interiors puts solid wall space at a premium today; so the old-fashioned upright radiator is disappearing. Floors, ceilings, baseboards, or inconspicuous built-in wall units have become heating sources for rooms. Some are sketched on page 122. The new practice of stretching the house out in wings, instead of centering it around a chimney, also presents problems in distributing and controlling heat. These problems have been solved in ways that provide far more convenience and work automatically to do your heating chores for you. See the equipment on page 123.

But the best achievement of modern heating is the new standard of comfort it is bringing about. Comfort, in house heating particularly, has many aspects. In the past it was largely calculated by the temperature of the air alone. But that isn't all you need to be comfortable. Far from it. You need floors, walls, and ceilings around you that won't chill you. You need air that is fresh, instead of dry, stuffy, and dusty. You need an indoor climate equally free of the stifling hot air that gives you headaches and the drafts that give you colds.

The mere provision of heat won't accomplish this. Comfort in your house really depends on several closely related factors: (1) control of air temperature, (2) control of the temperature of surfaces around you such as walls, ceilings, floors, (3) control of air circulation and humidity, or amount of moisture in the air.

To satisfy all these requirements is a large order, but it is the goal of good house heating practice today. In working out such plans, architects and heating engineers are designing the insulation and ventilation of the house in close conjunction with heating. Both, of course, are vitally related to it. Summer cooling is also an increasingly important element in houses in many parts of the country. Here is a list of questions and answers that summarize some of the problems connected with today's house heating methods:

Q. What does a house heating system consist of?
A. Generally it consists of (1) the fuel burner, (2) furnace or boiler, (3) ducts or pipes for circulating heat, (4) room units where the heat is distributed, (5) controls to operate the equipment.

Q. How do house heating systems operate?
A. The furnace warms air which rises through ducts to the rooms in the house. This is called a warm-air system. The boiler heats water which circulates through pipes to the rooms. This is called a hot-water system. The warm air is released in the rooms through wall or floor registers. The hot water warms convectors, radiators, baseboard panels, or floor or ceiling coils. Both the warm air and hot water cool and return to the furnace or boiler to be heated and circulated again through the systems.
The controls automatically turn the fuel burner on or off, operate other mechanical parts of the system.

Q. What is air conditioning? What is radiant heating?
A. True air conditioning functions as a forced warm-air system but it can cool the house as well as warm it. It does the following things: heats air in winter, cools it in summer, circulates and cleans air by filtering it year-round, takes moisture out of air in summer and adds it in winter. Radiant heating can be a form of hot water or warm-air heating. The coils or pipes of a radiant heat panel may be laid in floor or ceiling and are heated by hot water circulating through them. Warm air may also be circulated through a series of ducts or an enclosed floor or ceiling panel to provide radiant heat.

Q. What is forced warm air?
A. It is heated air circulated through the ductwork of a warm-air heating system by a blower fan. The fan, running continuously, insures a steady supply of warm air and more evenly-balanced temperatures.

Q. I have heard the expression “wet heat” as opposed to warm-air heating. What is it?
A. Heating by hot water which is distributed from a boiler to radiators, convectors, baseboards, radiant heating panels constitutes wet heat.

Q. If the ordinary radiators and floor or ceiling panels are each heated by hot water, what is different about radiant heating?
A. In radiant heating the whole surface of a floor or ceiling panel becomes a large radiator. It warms the room surfaces to a low temperature without heating the air perceptibly. The result is there are no cold walls or floors to chill and draw heat from you. Air temperature is low which means the room is less drafty, less dry and stuffy. The old-fashioned radiator had a comparatively small heating surface and it heated the air around it creating dusty, drafty air currents.

Q. What circulates water through a hot-water system?
A. To insure heated water passing to radiant heating coils, radiators, or baseboard heating units, a circulating pump is connected to the boiler. Run by electricity, it is thermostatically controlled so heat supply can be turned on or off as weather changes dictate.

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**Inconspicuous heating in floors, ceilings, or walls replaces bulky radiators**

Concealed in concrete floor slab, metal ducts around perimeter of the house carry warm air from central furnace. Registers under windows distribute warmth, are the only visible heating equipment.

**Heating coils in ceiling** are completely hidden from view. Hot water circulating from boiler through coils warms ceilings and they become radiant-heating panels to warm you. Can be installed in new concrete floors.

**Metal baseboard heating units,** installed on outer walls of rooms, look like wood baseboards. Warmth comes from hot water circulating through them from boiler. They steal no furniture space from room, warm walls and floors.

**Convectors** are sleek cabinets which can be recessed in wall. Heating units inside circulate hot water or steam from boiler. Air enters bottom of cabinet, is heated by unit, exits through the top grille.

**Wall registers** diffuse warm air from furnace. Curved register shown is placed high on wall, doesn't interfere with furniture, is inconspicuous. Other registers, set low on walls, warm windows.

**Electric heating** panels need little wall space, operate by switch, do away with heater, fuel, chimney, etc. With automatic thermostat controls, they heat one room or whole house. Panel, far right, distributes heat by circulating fan. Glass panel gives radiant heat.

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**Q. Does baseboard heating give radiant heat?**

**A.** Yes. Baseboard units are placed along the outer walls of rooms and under windows and their metal casing gives radiant warmth to floors and walls where a room is coolest. They resemble the usual wood baseboard but are heated by hot water circulating through them from the boiler. Some types also heat the air. Air enters the baseboard and emerges through slots after being warmed. Baseboard heating is adaptable to old or new houses and can heat the whole perimeter of the house giving remarkably even heat. It takes up no wall space required for furniture.

**Q. Doesn't warm-air heat require a lot of space to accommodate heating ducts?**

**A.** There is a new warm-air heating system which embeds the heating ducts in the concrete slab of the house. Called perimeter heating, it loops heating ducts around the outer edges of the floor slab, connects them to a centrally located furnace. Floor or wall registers are cut into the ducts under the windows to deliver a blanket of heat where it is apt to be coldest. This method is being widely applied to many houses. It has the advantage of providing some radiant heat from the floor slab and some warm-air heat from the registers, and it provides filtered air. It is also used in houses with "crawl space" under them, can be put in older houses with basements; ducts 4" in diameter can be used.

**Q. Is year-round air conditioning in general use for houses?**

**A.** It is an increasingly important consideration in houses built for owners or for sale. This is particularly true in the South and Southwest. Development houses selling for as little as $12,500 have included summer cooling recently. And the tremendous national sales of room-cooler units indicate a desire for the kind of summer comfort in homes that people take for granted in stores, restaurants, and theaters. Installed in houses, air conditioning would circulate air that is warm or cool, cleaned, humidified, or de-humidified as needed. It would certainly affect the design and construction.
of new houses. If windows didn't have to open and no cross ventilation were necessary for indoor comfort, a house might be simpler in plan and structure. The psychological hazard of a sealed house is still a factor, however.

Q. *What is a "heat pump"? I hear that heat out of the ground, air, or water can warm your house?*

A. The heat pump is another heating and cooling method which, long discussed, is now in actual use in some parts of the country. It taps heat which is present in the ground, air, or water and brings it indoors to heat the house in winter. In summer, it reverses the cycle and removes heat from the house. The heat is transferred through a refrigerant gas with the help of compressors, fans, and condensers. The initial cost of a heat pump has been brought in line with comparable air conditioning but installation cost, like other new devices, may be high.

Q. *What about electrical heating?*

A. Many houses are already using electric heat. Wall heaters and panels are used for auxiliary warmth or for the whole house and electrically-heated panels or cables are installed in walls and ceilings. Where power is easily available, electric rates are favorable to this heating method. It is clean, since there is no fuel; it costs little to install since it needs no chimney, ducts, piping, furnace, boiler, etc. Electric panels of glass which give radiant heat have been widely successful and so have fan-circulating heaters.

Q. *Are heating controls just mechanical gadgets or do they add to convenience and comfort?*

A. They are practically a silent janitor for you because they can run your heating system automatically. They can start the furnace or boiler for you, lower or lift the temperature unassisted when weather changes, turn off a gas burner if air in the furnace gets too hot for safety. They are largely responsible for most of the good results we get from present-day heating equipment. Here are some of the ways in which they operate. Room thermostats"
Does your lawn say,

Keep off the grass?

Here is the correct way to build
a lawn you can walk or play on

A great many people imagine that to
renovate a poor lawn or build a new
one is both complicated and costly. It
needn't be. A new lawn, seeded in Sep-
tember, will—in many sections of the
country—take firm root before frost,
benefit by weeks of cool weather and
fall rains. If you want to play lawn
games on vigorous, uniform turf or en-
tertain outdoors under the stars, build
your lawn with a good foundation. A
well-prepared seed bed will save you
hours of pampering thin grass and re-
seeding bare spots. Remember that the
best quality of seed you can buy, suited
to your climate, locality, sun and shade
areas, is your best penny saver. For
games, a good section of your lawn
should be as even as an outdoor floor.
Where there is considerable slope, you
may wish to level the activity area and
take care of the change in grade with a
low retaining wall or a terrace. When
you have marked off the size of the lawn
and its location, decide what final level
allows you the most playing surface.
To root well, grass needs proper drain-
age, so if water tends to stand in any
spots—as, for instance, at the foot of a
slope at one side of the lawn—a single
line of 4” porous tile laid from 2’ to 2½’
deep along the foot of your slope will
carry off seepage. But before laying tile
lines or tackling a severe drainage prob-
lem, we suggest that you get the advice
of your local landscape contractor or
nurseryman. It’s a good idea to test the
soil with a home test kit or send a sample
to the county agent of your agricultural
experiment station. The report will tell
whether you need to add lime, plant
food, and fertilizer and the quantity
needed. If you have heavy clay soil, you
may want to try one of the new soil con-
ditioners. (See August H&G for how a
good soil conditioner works.) After you
have graded the seed bed, mix any
needed requirements of lime, plant food
and organic material with the top four
inches of soil. A hardy lawn needs at
least six to eight inches of well-
nourished topsoil or good loam. To
incorporate ingredients, break up and
work the soil well with a steel rake (on
large lawns use a power tiller). Next,
roll the area with a heavy roller. Rake
lightly, let the earth settle for two days.
Now you are ready to sow. Choose a
windless day, broadcasting seed by
hand or with an easy-to-operate seed
spreader. Keep distribution even and
unhurried. If you sow by hand, take
three pounds of seed for a 1,000-sq.-ft.
area and mix it equally with sand. Di-
vide the whole in half. Sow the first
half from north to south; the second
half from east to west. Roll again with
your roller lightened. Then water gently,
evenly, thoroughly. Do not let the seed
bed dry out at any time until grass ap-
ppears. Let grass grow three or four
inches before mowing. For first mow-
ing, set your mower blades as high as
possible. On the second mowing .set the
mower about one inch high. This
shorter cutting helps the roots make a
compact growth before frost. Water well
during fall and dry spells. Let the new
grass go into winter at about a two-
inch height. In spring when the ground
is dry enough, rake lightly, go over the
area with a light roller, work in bal-
anced food at the rate of 30-40 pounds
per 1,000 sq. ft. The better the care, the
sooner you’ll have an outdoor floor
on which to walk and play games.
Lawn games, old and new, which you can enjoy with your family and your guests

The all-time favorite game for the average-sized suburban lawn is croquet. To play the American variety with a team of six, you'll need a grass area 50' wide by 100' long to set out wickets and stakes. English lawn croquet, for a team of four, requires a lawn space 28' wide by 35' long. Badminton, the faster, modern version of battledore and shuttlecock, is played on an area 20' wide by 44' long, and takes a net, stakes, pegs, guide ropes in addition to bats, etc. But once you have rigged the net, it doubles in service for the game of deck tennis, played with a rubber ring tossed back and forth in singles or doubles matches. On a new lawn surface you'll be wise to move games from place to place to avoid wearing turf down in one spot. Horseshoe pitching has its aficionados, as has quoits, which you can play in a milder form by pitching a rubber ring at the stake instead of trying for a "ringer" with a heavy iron quoit. Pitching horseshoes requires a stout arm and a keen eye, but you don’t have to rummage through an old barn to find the trimmings. Stakes, horseshoes, and rules for scoring are available through sports stores. Tether ball, akin to winding ribbons around a May pole, is a game to bemuse and amuse your young. A ball on a long cord is fixed to an upright pole. The gimmick is for each side to outvie the other in whacking the ball completely around the pole to the end of its tether. More diversissements for small lawn-fry: flying model planes (Cont'd on page 130)

Regular care will give you a lawn as velvety-firm as this one of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Linn at Lake Bluff, Illinois.
Among low rocks, try long-stemmed *Tulipa clusiana*, whose clear white petals are brushed with crimson lines.

The hot scarlet of a clump of the early *T. praestans* Fusilier will brighten dark evergreens, gray rocks.

**Tulips: new in color, new in form**

Today you can have almost any color scheme you want in your tulip garden

If you look forward to a blaze of garden color in the chilly, early months of spring, scatter drifts of daffodils and crocus beneath trees, plant beds of hyacinths and tulips. The new tulips described here are dependable, and some are sensational. The richness of their color and variety is prodigal. If this is your first acquaintance with these early blooming, long rewarding flowers, we suspect that you will be a happy victim of “tulipomania” for years to come. The primary lesson to learn, in selecting tulips, is to familiarize yourself with their official classes, such as the Darwins, Cottage types, and Breeders. Some are for low bedding, some are tall and regal; others are giants in bloom. This year, thanks to remarkable progress by hybridizers, you can make fresh selections from greatly enlarged groups. If this is your first planting of bulbs, you have the advantage of actually beginning with what amounts to a new race of tulips since the post-war years. One group of tulips now making its bow to gar-

At the edge of your terrace, build a raised stone bed for fragrant hyacinths, so you can enjoy their scent. Rim with ivy.

Group pink and white tulips informally with perennials such as blue *Phlox divaricata*, white candytuft, pink English daisies.

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deners has an ancestry stemming from the famous *T. fosteriana* Red Emperor. Of these, Darwin Holland's Glory is a huge rosy scarlet, and for its bulbs Dutch growers have paid thousands of guilders. The purpose of these crosses is to produce tulips with the immense flower size of Red Emperor and the blooming times, colors, and tall stems of Cottage and Darwin varieties. Most of the new hybrids so far introduced are scarlet or red. Since they are more than one generation removed from species, they are officially classed as Cottage or Darwin, but some of the latest crosses have been unofficially termed "Gigantea" tulips. Only a few of these newest hybrids are offered as yet: Dr. Phillips, Dover, and Oxford, red; and Gudoshnick, yellow. As new colors are added to this group, it may prove to be the most sensational tulip development of the century. One of the most impressive showings this spring was the Johannesburg tulip, a gigantic, egg-shaped Darwin with a uniform color of deep eggplant purple. Rich new tones of brown and rose are provided by the chocolate bronze Breeder Mahatma, and in Darwin Magneto you will discover a clear, rose-pink tulip without a trace of lilac in its hue. Species tulips have also been hybridized to produce a colorful new race of tulips. Most outstanding are those obtained from the crossing of species *T. kaufmanniana*, carmine-flushed yellow, with *T. greigi*, deep scarlet, and many hybrids from this crossing are listed as named varieties. They vary in height from 6" to 12" and, in our New Hope, Pennsylvania, garden, they bloom from late March to late April. Most of these display brilliant tones of carmine, red, scarlet, and gold, or various combinations of the *T. kaufmanniana* coloring. A few, such as Bellini, Fritz Kreisler, and Racine, are shades of soft pink and cream, with no hint of red or yellow. While these new (Cont'd on page 176)

![Naturalize drifts of daffodils under trees, near tree trunks, along edges of brooks, wherever grass is not cut and foliage may ripen.](image)

![Scatter crocus in rainbow hues of blues, purples, violets, and white in grass beneath large shrubs or small flowering trees, like the deep pink saucer magnolia used here.](image)
Fence yourself in with evergreen yews

Well chosen and carefully planted,
they will yield a lifetime investment in privacy.

1. Spreading branches of English yew soften hard vertical line of an old walnut tree in the Berwyn, Pa., garden of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Reed.

2. At your doorway, plant good specimens of the spreading Japanese yew, *Taxus cuspidata*. These need very little clipping.

3. Accent corners of your carport with upright forms of the Hatfield yew. Add a dwarf *Taxus* for interest and balance.

4. To divide properties, use a compact narrow hedge of Hicks yew. It retains a neat appearance, needs few clippings.
Have you ever wanted to fence yourself in from your neighbors with a living green screen instead of a picket fence? If you have, then why not make a lifetime investment in privacy with the flourishing evergreen yew or *Taxus* family? They have an extraordinary value in usefulness, and once their roots are down they grow, even in the deepest shade, with a thick, springy vigor. Giants among the yews will provide you with a hedge having a potential reach of 10 to 25 feet. Low and medium hedgerows make decorative borders and boundaries. Dwarf yews have graceful, spreading habits of growth, and many yews add color to frosty fall days with bright red berry clusters. This particular evergreen family is not cheap, but neither is the cost of lumber and labor to build a ranch-type fence. One of the prime reasons for planting yews in your garden is their capacity to maintain themselves verdantly, live long, and keep their form with few clippings or shearings.

If your house is on a corner or at the bend of a road, the tall varieties will serve as wind, road, and light screens. Some can be planted for patio and porch shade; as a leafy guide line along driveways; to soften the lines of a carport and make a green link to the house. If you have a rocky backyard to cope with, there’s a good variety of dwarf yew for mass plantings and rock gardens. For color in early spring the bright needles of new foliage make a striking note against the darker green vigor of the old. A sound selection of yews will give you a great variety of greenness, from the gay, yellowish-green of *Taxus cuspidata nana* to the deeper *T. media kelseyi*. Because yews have different growing heights at maturity, you can plant them as low, spreading foundations under windows; as border accents in the medium sizes. As bold, showy accents, the tall pyramidal yews give you a handsome outlook. An excellent variety to use by low walls or under windows is the Spreading English yew, *Taxus baccata repandens*. Its branches droop gracefully; its foliage is dense. It seldom grows over 3’ high. It is apt to be tender in cold climates and performs better in partial shade. A trim, clipped hedge bearing bright red berries in fall and winter can be grown from the Cushion Japanese yew, *T. cuspidata densa*. This is a compact, rounded dwarf type, maturing at a height of about 4’. Yews take time to grow and to cover their branches protectively, and if you want a variety making faster growth than the Cushion yew, try selected forms of *T. c. intermedia*. A relatively rapid grower for hedge planting is the spreading Hatfield yew. This hedge evergreen fills well in its center, reaches widths of 8’ to 12’ unless you trim it back. The flat-topped Japanese dwarf yew, *T. c. nana*, eventually makes a span of 10’ to 12’, but it grows slowly and you can restrain it by clipping. Its foliage is yellowish-green and it thrives best in light, filtered shade. If you’re going to plant around a newly-built house, a newer, useful type is the low-growing Ward Anglojap yew, *T. media wardi*. It gives you the

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Give your garden a year-round carpet of greens

You can use these leafy green plants in places where grass won’t grow

Nature’s obliging method of supplying us with hardy ground covers began on the duff of forest floors uncounted time ago. Today, when you walk in the woods you can feel underfoot the springy softness of moss, thickly rooted ferns, and aromatic ground pine. You probably wish that you could have as many refreshing ground covers under your own shade trees. You can. And you don’t have to make a day-long trek into the woods to transplant these ground covers. You can grow them in open spaces or in dense shade. Or even on a space so tiny that to mow it is impractical. Ground covers, like trees that flower, bear fruit, and then proceed to give leafy shade, repay you infinitely for moderate care. They thrive surprisingly well in troublesome situations. As a replacement for grass on dry spots, steep slopes, in damp shade, these hardy little plants adapt themselves easily and tenaciously. Their leaf designs are appealing. Many have a patterned texture as diverting as the whorls of a sea shell. Some will give you greenery throughout the winter. Others thrive on sloping land, eliminate mowing, or act as a shoring up operation on earth that might erode during high winds and wet weather. If you are making new plantings of bulbs this fall, choose a ground cover as a protective background. Should the turf edgings around your house resemble flat green ribbons against masonry or stone you can give these green strips pace and individuality by using ground covers of different sizes and shapes of leaves. Plant clumps of hardy English ivy or the shiny, evergreen leaves of periwinkle, Vinca minor, which bears white or blue flowers. Pachysandra, the gardener’s standby, takes well to deep shade and makes an attractive substitute for grass. Once established, with new plants watered well, ground covers go about the business of maintaining

Pachysandra thrives in the shade in the Long Island garden of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weldon designed by Innocenti and Webel.

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NEW COLORS

Here is the shopping information for the merchandise shown on page 90-91. For the prices and additional details on the items below, write to House & Garden's Reader Service.

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All the furniture shown in this photograph is designed by Harvey Probber; mahogany on Harefleur finish. Bar cabinet has cellarette lined with white plastic, carved, fitted glass shelf, drawer and interior light. Sliding door cabinet with interior adjustable shelf is mounted on platform base. Card table is 36" sq. Side chairs, covered in Sky Blue leather by The Upholstery Leather Group, table and chairs also available in bone or amber finish. All at Macy's New York.

Alexander Smith "Carmel" twist broadloom carpet, from 27" to 136" widths, we show: Cerulean Blue, also available in 12 other colors at Horne's, Pittsburgh. "Lahtalla" wallcovering is white basket weave, mohair on fabric backing. Designed by A. E. Sylvester for L. E. Carpenter Co.

Accessories on card table: Alabaster cigarette box from House of Italian Handicrafts, N. Y., Raymor Danish blue ash trays at Georg Jensen, N. Y.

Bar unit: Black ceramic bowl: light wood cigarette box, House of Italian Handicrafts.

On bar: Dragon fly mobile, designed by Brice Jernigan, may be ordered through him. Maxwell chrome vacuum cleaner, available through U. S. Rubber Co.

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Mount Airy Furniture Co., Town & Country Collection; bed is ash, lacquered in Sky Blue; step nightstand, ash in Surry finish. Both at Davison-Paxon, Atlanta.

Heritage-Henderson The Lynne Chair, covered in Cerulean Blue texture by Schumacher, 50" w. at W & J Sloane, N. Y.

Black Pearl finish shell by Camer Glass Co. Black and white cigarette boxes, copper bottoms, from New Design, Inc., N. Y.

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"Regal" Diryite flatware, marketed by Karastan, available in 12 other colors at McCulcheon's, N. Y.

James Lees "Janillelight" random loop cut "First Empire" wallpaper by Louis W. Hirshfeld Co., "Holiday" glasses, 30 oz. cocktail mixer, at The J. L. Hudson Co., Detroit.

Bottom shelf: Flat white ash tray by Rorstrand, Inc. at Bonnier's, N. Y.

Sliding door unit: Large ceramic bowl by Rorstrand at Benniker's.

Lange & Williams black "Wire Diamond" lamp, white shade, available through decorators.

Lower shelf: Erickson opalescent glass bowl from Design for Living, N. Y.

Lower left

Hastings Square Group, designed by William Pahlmann, the chests, table, bench, and chairs are of walnut. The high back lounge chairs are upholstered in "Fernwalk" 50" linen and rayon screen print in watercolors: red, pink, black on white ground. By D. N. & E. Walter at Bloomingdale's, N. Y. All the furniture is available at W & J Sloane, N. Y.

Foam rubber cushions, 19" sq., 3" thick are covered in Siamese Pink "Taffette" 50" acetate shantung weave by Celanese. Krylon cushions on special order through U. S. Rubber Co.


Accessories on chest: White Italian pottery lamp, House of Italian Handicrafts, N. Y.

black and white jars; Venetian white glass plate, all by Alban Conway, N. Y.

On table: Black Grainware bowl (holding flowers) from Saks Fifth Avenue, N. Y.

Pearl finish shell by Camer Glass Co. Black and white cigarette boxes, copper bottoms, from New Design, Inc., N. Y.

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Good storage is the key to good housekeeping

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Left

This pass-through wall between kitchen and dining room lets down as counter, contains a bar underneath for easy serving on terrace, in dining or living rooms. Architect, Worley K. Wong and John Garden Campbell.

Right

A radio is conveniently housed in the back of this desk which also serves as an end table for sofa-bed.

Bookshelf wall displays pictures in a paneled central shell which divides lower storage cabinets from radio, record player, speaker, books. Architects, Bolton White & Jack Hermann.
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Small high extra oven for family-size meals

Roper fully automatic gas range has convenient-level oven with glass door, light. Permits simultaneous roasting and baking. Holds two 10'' pies or 6-lb. rolled roast. Big clock-controlled oven, high infra-red broiler, toaster, compartment, fluorescent lamp. Included: 3 Pyrex dishes, cookie sheet, and biscuit tin. $379.95.

This broiler rolls out at the touch of your foot

Tappan range broiler comes out full length of broiler pan, permits easy turning of large steaks, etc. Oven door lifts off to facilitate cleaning. Nylon-rollered basket in the storage compartment pulls out to store lids, etc. Pyroglas plates protect the rear burners, act as food warmers. Price is $349.95.
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Kelvinator's small-budget 30" range can cook complete oven meals, large tom turkey. Has built-in top floodlight, and automatic oven timer. Oven pre-heats quickly, has special heat-saving seal. Four 7-heat surface units, roomy storage drawer. Price $229.95.

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Acme's 3-in-1 refrigerator-range-sink, has stainless-steel top, 2 burners, gas or electric, a 4-cu-bic-foot refrigerator, a capacious sink that takes large-sized pots, pans. Ideal for a guest cabin or a summer house. Price $364.95 for either electric or gas model.

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Household shortcuts

A housewife's proper pride in doing things well needs occasional bolstering up. For this, there's nothing like a new gadget, a quicker cleanser, a more efficient piece of equipment. Here are 9 ideas any one of which can give your housekeeping a lift.

Newest dish drainer is big and roomy enough to hold two dozen plates, has trays for the silver. Vinylite coating by Artwire makes it grease-proof. In Cherry, Lemon Peel, Dresden Blue, 19½" x 15½" x 4½". $2.69. Lewis & Conner.

Floor polisher attaches to your tank vacuum cleaner, makes light work of scrubbing, waxing, polishing. Lambs-wool pad snaps on for buffing; side handle converts it into furniture-or-car polisher. By Beal Speed, $29.95. From Meier & Frank Co., Portland.

Automatic can opener with push-button control has the Can Mfg. Institute's seal of approval. Since statistics show that each of us opens 574 cans a year, it pays to buy a good opener. Cahil's Magna-Matic hangs on wall; its magnetic arm holds lids. $5.95 in chrome, Hammerschlemmer.

Refrigerator-freezer each with its own door, own controls in gas or electric models. No moving parts assure silent operation. Automatic defrosting, butter conditioner, adjustable shelves. Choice of interior colors to match kitchen: blue, green, or gold. 9.28 cu. ft. $500 at all Servel dealers.
Right
Cookie boards carved by skilled Old World hands are masterpieces. Designs on both sides, these 24½" Springerle boards make attractive wall hangings too. $10.25 each, Marshall Field, Chicago.

Below
Stoneware pitchers in muted gray with blue snowflake pattern, in 6 sizes for all needs. 4 oz. up to 24 oz. from 80c up to $1.50. From Bloomingdale's, New York.

New liquid floor polish cleans as it waxes. Cuts floor care, removes dirt and scuff marks, protects wood, buffs to a high luster. Pint size 75c; quart $1.29. From Wanamaker's, Philadelphia.

Nylon mesh laundry bags hold, protect fine lingerie, curtains, gloves, baby clothes in a washing machine. In 3 sizes: 11", 18", 23", $3 for all at Bloomingdale's, New York.

Oven cleaner dissolves grease, dirt, and baked-on drippings. Does away with scrubbing, scraping, or rubbing with steel wool. All you do is apply, let set, and wash off. 8 oz. jar 69c, 16 oz. jar 98c. At Jordan Marsh, Boston.

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Informal living can be luxurious too, with Continental Solid Cherry Bedroom Furniture. This design, inspired by originals made in rural England during the Chippendale era, has been re-created by Continental master craftsmanship, carved and moulded from Solid (Mountain Wild) Cherry, and given a warm glowing antique finish.

Vermouth drinks

They range from Continental aperitifs to mild cocktails that are refreshing, easy on the budget.

Vermouth, like champagne, is one of the most exacting of brews to make and one of the most distinctive. In either the French or the Italian type, you taste subtle overtones of 30 or 40 herbs, roots, peels, and seeds. Both kinds of vermouth require from two to four years to bring to perfection. The French type, based on white wine, is dry, pungent—the classic teammate with gin in the martini. Italian vermouth, which begins with sweeter wines and gains more sweetness and color from caramel, is best known here as the second ingredient of the Manhattan. However, if you limit yourself to these two mixes, you don’t know half of the vermouth story. In Europe, both types are enjoyed in themselves and drunk as we drink sherry before or between meals. The French go in for vermouth cassis, a tart, clean-tasting long drink which is tops in summer anywhere. Italians enjoy something anachronistically called the “Americano” because, back in the 1920’s, it was a Florentine bar’s first valiant attempt to reproduce the dry martini. In Cuba, they drink vermouth achampañado (fizzy) with the simple addition of lime, sugar, and soda. America has contributed the bamboo cocktail which combines vermouth with sherry. Easy to make at home, all unite the pleasures of novelty with a lightness which is welcome in warm weather.

Vermouth cassis. Mix J. Boissiere dry vermouth imported by Dennis & Huppert with crème de cassis, ice, soda. All glasses courtesy of Georg Jensen. Poster, courtesy French Tourist Office.
Vermouth acompañado. Mix Cresta Blanca white vermouth, sugar, a twist of lime peel. Triple dry, this vermouth can also be used one-to-three to produce the palest, driest of martinis. For recipes, write H&G’s Reader Service.

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Mousetrap's grab bag this month has something in it for everyone. One of the most newsworthy items is "Children's Zoo," a fabric riding the waves in the nursery of the recently-launched S. S. United States. Now you can have this same beguiling pattern of sea-going giraffe and their friends to decorate your child's room at home. "Zoo" is printed in red, white, and blue on cotton, sailcloth...

Say Happy Birthday with a hand-painted metal cooler delivered packed with ice and a bottle of champagne. Cooler which has handles and strap is an excellent carrier for picnics... Bathtub sailors will enjoy a small floating buoy bell made of Vinlyite plastic with a real bell that rings when the buoy tips; weighted base holds it upright...

New bath-sized towels in Fieldcrest's thick-piled "Cloisonne" weave (see below) will match whatever your bath scheme is, in a variety of hues... Fitted top sheets in colors with mitered corners and plenty of foot room are another Fieldcrest time saver... If poodles are your favorite friend, you probably know about Martex Poodle Stripe towels; now you can match them with a pattern of colorful poodles on a Koroseal shower curtain... Underfoot try a soft, rubber sponge bath mat with inlaid checker or diamond patterns (green, black, rose, blue with white)... Corner cupboard news: Herbs and spices with a seasoning guide, index cards, come tucked in a gay metal box for your pantry shelf... Have you heard about the kind of deviled crab that you can eat, shell and all? This freshly-frozen party dish runs in a pastry jacket shaped like a crab shell. Bake and whisk under the broiler for a matter of seconds... From France comes a potato cutter for a platter of French fries; saving hours of slicing, this all-steel kitchen helper cuts a potato into 49 chips at one fell swoop... A new...
air-tight plastic bread box with a snugly fitted sealing lid keeps bread fresh for seven days in a row. It's shatter-proof, roomy enough for large-sized loaves... Crumbs, and even liquids can be swept up and the evidence carried safely away in a new Lustro-Ware dustpan made of Styron; seamless, molded in one piece with high sides, this dustpan comes in fresh colors, won't dent or rust... If you want to save time, soap, and wear on your hands, try the new "Squeeze-N-Wash" combination brush and soap dispenser on dishes, pots, pans; with each squeeze of the dispenser (which you fill with water and detergent after unscrewing the brush head) a measured amount of fresh suds comes through the brush... If lamps with a Provincial air appeal to you, there's a mortar-and-pestle lamp base topped with a drum-shaped shade of textured fabric... Another, inspired by an early New England banister post has a drum shade of natural burlap... "Quintet" is a modern planter candelabra with five shaded brass candles surrounding a copper bowl for green plants... Another planter kit, which comes ready to assemble, holds plants in a miniature pine exotar with raffia thongs, a ceramic earth container... "Jungle Jim" sets a new high in record storage convenience (see picture above); the rack's ten separate steel-rod compartments accommodate about 40 10-inch or 12-inch record albums or more than 200 long-playing records; a plywood shelf at bottom of rack takes care of the overflow... Here's a good space-saver for your closets, a round hat bag with a zipper opening, four heavy cardboard shelves inside... Two tables to brighten your reading corners are shown above. The drum table with pedestal base has a subtle blend of contemporary with traditional design... Designer Allan Gould's book trough table keeps small spaces in mind yet provides generous room for magazines and surface uses... If you have a parrot in your life or a feathered whistler from the Harz Mountains, there's a lightweight plastic bird cage for your darling with no sharp edges for tail feathers to tangle with; trays, perches, cups are removable so you can wash the cage like a dish. For sources of Better Mousetrap items write House & Garden's Reader Service, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York, N. Y.
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Musical quizzes

A lively set of games by David Ewen
and Nicolas Slonimsky to play with your friends

How much do you know about music? The following quizzes will tell you, and are also entertaining and instructive. They appear with others in an amusing book by Messrs. Ewen and Slonimsky: Fan With Musical Games and Quizzes (Prentice-Hall, Inc.). To score, give yourself one point for each correct answer. Poor: less than 50 points. Fair: 50 to 75. Good: 75 to 98.

1. Fill in each of the following descriptive clichés with the appropriate musical instrument.
   (a) Fit as a
   (b) Clear as a
   (c) Bold as
   (d) Tight as a
   (e) He blows his own

2. Each of the following instruments is known by a nickname. Pair the instrument with its sobriquet.
   (a) accordion  (a) sweet potato
   (b) clarinet  (b) doghouse
   (c) ocarina  (c) squeeze-box
   (d) double bass  (d) slush pump
   (e) trombone  (e) licorice stick

3. What instrument...
   (a) Changes its shape during a performance?
   (b) Is played without the performer’s touching it?
   (c) Has colored strings?
   (d) Can be carried in a vest pocket?
   (e) Is carried by the player like a life preserver?

4. Pick the right definition.
   (a) STACCATO: A short, crisp note; a famous orchestral conductor; a short composition for the violin; a musical instrument.
   (b) PIZZETTI: Plucked notes on a string; a modern Italian composer; orchestral variations; a group of percussion instruments.
   (c) SPICCATO: A needle-type food favored by Italian singers; a crisp, bouncing figure made on violin strings by the bow; a Rumanian dance arranged by Heifetz; a composition for the doublebass.
   (d) ALLEGRO: The composer of a choral work, Miseré; a musical comedy by Rodgers and Hammerstein; a slow movement of a sonata; a famous Italian pianist.
   (e) DUX: Captain of the guards in Carmen; the main subject of a fugue; the quacking sounds in Haydn’s Toy Symphony; abbreviations in a ukulele and xylophone duet.

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chair is painted Blueberry.
Table is made up of Black Beauty portable sawhorse legs, which are adjustable tubular steel, can be painted any color; slab door for top. At Abraham & Straus, Brooklyn.
Morgan-Jones all cotton Emerald Twist broadloom carpeting in Willow green at Macy's New York.
Holland Shade Co. "Glowood" woven natural wood cafe curtains, 36" l. 30" w. per panel at G. Fox & Co., Hartford.

Accessories on table: Twin table lamp designed by Paul McCobb, metal base, natural linen shades by Crane, turquoise.

Remington "Quiet-riter" typewriter in Avocado anil Leaf green rick-rack design, cotton and rayon damask weave by Stead & Miller. All at W. & J. Sloane, Washington, D.C.
American Billrite Rubber Co., Inc. "Americo" rubber tiles, 9" x 9", in marbled Green Olive and white, available through decorators.

Accessories on coffee table: Blue ceramic ash tray, House of Italian Handicrafts, N.Y.

"Park Avenue" ice tub with Lucite handles and walnut top, 3½ qt. capacity, from Bloomingham's, N.Y.

On bar: Cambridge Glass Co., highball, cocktail, and cordial glasses at Bloomingham's, N.Y.

Heisey Glass Co., Country Club cocktail shaker, old-fashioned glasses, both at Woodward & Lothrop, Washington.

Fostoria Glass Co., 30 oz. cocktail mixer at The J. I. Hudson Co., Detroit.

Sooria Janis large perforated white metal canape tray.

Natural wood fruit and grapes by Edward Greenman, N.Y.
Lower right: All furniture shown is made of rattan, designed by Tommi Parzinger for Willow & Reed Art Work. Bar-commode is covered with caning on bar top and three sides. Hanging knock-knock shelf above bar comes to a point. Glass top coffee table, 48" diameter. Club chair is covered in Avocado and Leaf green rick-rack design, cotton and rayon damask weave by Stead & Miller. All at W. & J. Sloane, Washington, D.C.

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5. Each of the unintelligible sentences below makes sense if the italicized words are deciphered by means of puns—musical or otherwise. For example: "A half-written message equals two lodgings" becomes "a half-note equals two quarters."

(a) Put on some hair keynote.
(b) Let's stop at the measure for a drink.
(c) Her family regarded him as a wonderful round for voices popular in the 18th century.
(d) He was the contrapuntal imitation of the church.
(e) He knew that the English dance in 3/4 time was up.

6. While you are in a punning mood, what opera is—
(a) a group of railroad workers?
(b) a hat?
(c) a filet?
(d) a playing card?

7. Each of the following is the literal translation of some foreign composer's name. Who are they?
(a) Carl Weaver
(b) Joe Green
(c) George Trade
(d) John Stream
(e) Dick Cartwright

8. Sharpen your wits on these wordplay puzzles:

(a) Give the last names of composers whose first names are Edward, Elouard, and Edward.
(b) The name of what Bohemian composer contains the popular abbreviation of a famous opera house?
(c) The name of what musical form can be made into a big gun by inserting an "n" in it?
(d) What accidental can be the cause of an accident?
(e) The second and third syllables of what trisyllabic musical form means "fake" in slang?

9. Unscramble the letter in each of the following words to produce the name of a famous composer.

(a) No Chip
(b) N. W. Rags
(c) V. I. Red
(d) S. S. Saturn
(e) R. E. Egg

10. What do you know about the loves and lives of composers?

(a) Who conducted an ardent love affair exclusively by mail?
(b) Who had to go to court before he could marry the woman he loved?
(c) Who wrote a tempestuous love letter to an unnamed beloved which was found in a secret drawer after his death?
(d) Who made love to and married the sister of his fiancée?
(e) Who loved passionately, and for many years, the widow of his best friend, yet never married her?

11. What am I?

(a) I was written by a forgotten composer whose name was Ivanovici. My lilting melody in 3/4 time has been sung and played around the world, and I recently became a hit in the first of the screen biographies of Al Jolson. I was first heard on the soundtrack of a British film, Dangerous Moonlight, with a score written by Richard Addinsell. As a piano concert, I became a standard piece at pop concerts, but regular symphony orchestras almost never play me.

(b) I am a well-known operetta sung to the tune of a 19th-century French march. It was glorified in a folk song.

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12. Each of the following fabricated subtitles hints at an important detail in an opera plot. What opera?

(a) In the bar
(b) No visa
(c) Preoccupation in Japan
(d) The fatal haircut

13. Name the person identified by each sobriquet.

(a) King of Ragtime
(b) King of Jazz
(c) King of Swing
(d) King Louis
(e) King of the Woodpile

14. Two well-known operas are set in places that have featured prominently in recent history. In which opera is the locale the same as the one where—

(a) an atom bomb exploded?
(b) a trial of Nazi war criminals was held?

15. Do you know the names of these rivers?

(a) What river, flowing through Belgrade and Budapest, was glorified in 3/4 time?
(b) What river, flowing through Prague, was glorified in a symphonic poem?
(c) What river, emptying into the Caspian Sea, was glorified in a folk song?
(d) What river in West Germany was glorified in a symphony?
(e) What American river was glorified in a waltz?

16. Music inspired by countries is not always written by composers of corresponding nationalities. Can you name:

(a) an Italian caprice by a Russian?
(b) a Spanish rhapsody by a Frenchman?
(c) a Cuban overture by an American?
(d) a Turkish march by an Austrian?
(e) a Russian lullaby by an American?

17. What compositions recall the following sounds?

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18. True or false?
(a) Geraldine Farrar, celebrated prima donna of the Metropolitan several decades ago, was the daughter of the first baseman of the Philadelphia Phillies in the National League. 
(b) Lawrence Tibbett, who has sung the role of a sheriff in Puccini’s The Girl of the Golden West, is the son of a sheriff who was killed by a gang of bandits he was trying to capture. 
(c) Grace Moore, beloved American singer, first achieved success at the Metropolitan Opera House, then on the Broadway musical-comedy stage. 
(d) Helen Traubel, brilliant Wagnerian soprano of the Metropolitan, is part-owner of the St. Louis Cardinals. 
(e) Lily Pons has had an American town named after her.

19. Who are the musicians hidden between the P’s and T’s in the name-pyramid?

For answers to quizzes see below

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Here is the shopping information for the merchandise shown on pages 98-101. For prices on the items below, write to House & Garden’s Reader Service.

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Beautycraft Curv-Line Kitchen cabinets are done in pastel Sky Blue, available through Miller Metal Products, Baltimore.

In-a-Wall gas oven, of stainless steel, and 4-burner cooking unit by Chambers.

Table and chairs by Daystrom.

On table: Black and white mats, rosewood cutlery, America House, N. Y. Oval basket imported by Basket Crafters, N. Y. Hallcraft covered vegetable dish.

On counters: Countertop surfaces are Textile Monomer by General Electric. Eight cup triculator. Double boiler, tea kettle, and colander by Belmont Enameling and Stamping Co.

Columbia Mills Lattishades, available in various colors.

Outside kitchen: Jungle Gym play unit, F. A. O. Schwarz, N. Y.

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Burr-Southern Corp., fireplace adjusting and electric spit. Texture Tile on wall and buffet, plastic Deco-Block by Plastic Engineering, Inc. Hallcraft dinnerware (on countertop). Large cabbages, turnips and dishes (on shelves) are imported china at Alice Marks, N. Y. Filiniknife with Formica Strata-wood handle by Ekco Products Co.

Banbo Viertec wallcovering by L. E. Carpenter. Table accessories: same as above.

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Automatic ironer, washer, and dryer, all by Blackstone Corp.

Top right

Same unit hidden by 7” shutter, made by Paul Heaney.

Below

Gas refrigerator and water heater are by Servel, Inc. Floors of kitchen are done in Flame by Congoleum-Nairn, Inc.

Answers to musical quizzes

1. (a) fiddle; (b) bell; (c) brass; (d) drum; (e) horn. 
2. (a) and (c); (b) and (d); (c) and (a); (d) and (b); (e) and (a). 
3. (a) trombone; (b) theremin—ether music; (c) harp; (d) piccolo; (e) sonophone. 
4. (a) short, crisp note; (b) modern Italian composer; (c) a crisp bouncing figure made on violin strings by a bow; (d) a musical comedy by Rodgers and Hammerstein; (e) the main subject of a fugue. 

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TABLE SETTINGS

Here is the shopping information for the merchandise shown on page 109. For prices on the items below, write to House & Garden's Reader Service. Table shown in four settings is at Bamberger's, Newark, N. J.

Top left
"Goral Ferncroft" Royal Worcester bone china at Shreve, Crump & Low, Boston; "Chippendale" pattern Stuart crystal goblet and wine, from Maior & Berke, Inc., Atlanta. Oval braided pink place mat, woven straw, by Alice Marquart at Mayesh Shop, N. Y.

Imperial Linens pink napkin, organdy, and linen, from a 16-piece set, at Saks Fifth Avenue, N. Y.

Reed & Barton ash tray, open salt, pepper, "Norman Antique" salt spoon, all at Bamberger's, Newark. Centerpiece is white porcelain fruit and epergne at Helen Cole, N. Y.

Top right
Spode "Gloucester" Lowestoft earthenware, 10" plate, Copeland & Thompson, Inc., N. Y.

Cambridge Glass Co., "Pristine" candle holder, tall goblet and wine, at Bamberger's, Newark, N. J.

WORKING WALL

Here is the shopping information for the merchandise shown on pages 96-97. For prices on the items below, write to House & Garden's Reader Service.

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Ready-to-paint Aristo-Divider storage units comprise a complete room divider. The unit shown here consists of: three divided bookcases, two open bookcases, four sliding door cabinets, three 3-drawer chests, one chest-drawer table, five bases. All pieces except chest open on both sides. By Salamanco & Co.

The black wrought-iron furniture was designed by George Nelson for Arbib, Inc. Sofas and chairs are covered in washable Madagascar cloth. Coffee table and lamp table have glass tops; stool table comes with or without cushion. All at Carson Pirie Scott, Chicago.

Acessories on coffee table: White salad plate, made in Germany, Georg Jensen. Acessories on coffee table: White salad plate, made in Germany, Georg Jensen.

While porcelain epergne at Helen Cole, N. Y.

For additional information on paints measured (for you to mix yourself; 3) or mixed to your order. Every year paint manufacturers are devising new ways to make paints more versatile in their ability to cope with problem surfaces. (See page 149.) They are satisfyingly easy to apply, whether you prefer a brush or a roller. For directions on how to apply patching plaster, see page 119.

For additional information on paints write to H&G's Reader Service.
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How to apply patching plaster before painting walls

Wall scratches or cracks in old plaster should be filled with a good grade of crevice filler or with patching plaster which you mix to a paste. Then take a sharp knife to open up the crack, cutting out rough edges cleanly, as shown, left.

Mix patching plaster according to directions on box label. Take a stiff putty knife and carefully, thoroughly fill the crevice, working paste into the opening to obtain a smooth result. Now give it time to become dry before you sand it.

An easy method of sanding the patched spot is to obtain a block of wood and wrap the sandpaper around the block, using it in a circular motion. When the surface is smooth, touch up the patch with shellac, and allow to dry completely before you paint over the patch.

Versatile paints for every kind of surface

The paints described below have a remarkable adaptability to every kind of paintable surface. But one thing to keep in mind is to put the surface in good condition before coating it. Paint stores will give you helpful advice as to the special kind of paint best suited to the special job you have in mind, indoors or out, on wood, plaster, building board, glass or metal. They will tell you how to prepare surfaces, how long to allow for paint to dry thoroughly, and how many square feet you can expect to cover with a given amount of paint.

Any plaster which tends to flake off should be strengthened with a penetrating sealer. Rust spots ought to be primed with a rust resistant paint, and stains treated with a suitable stain sealer. Remove oil and grease spots with a cutting solvent before painting, and put your surface in a firm, clean, dry condition so that nothing interferes with the sticking quality of paint or its durability. Whether you're going to paint a porch, a trellis, a glass door, a linoleum floor, brighten a dark hall, or freshen nursery walls, here are the types of paints for the job:

1. A paint that frosts glass and is now available in colors.
2. Floor and porch enameled finish paints to use on cement, wood, and linoleum surfaces.
3. Weather-tested exterior house paints, with a semi-gloss finish.
4. Synthetic rubber-base latex paint (a new development in gloss and semi-gloss, water solvent paint) for bathrooms, kitchens, walls, and woodwork.
5. Radiator and range enamels specially mixed (in the case of radiators) to maintain their color despite transmitted heat. These won't chip or peel.
6. Enamels with gloss and semi-gloss finish for indoor and outdoor walls, woodwork, furniture, and metal.
7. A paint with a satin-luster look that needs no hand rubbing; mixed for coating unfinished, painted, or finished furniture; good for kitchens and bathroom doors where woodwork takes hard use; does not scratch or crack.
8. Plastic resin and pure oil gloss paint with a resistance to hot liquids, alkalis, stains, and scratches.
9. Gloss trim and trellis paints, which have been weather-tested against chalking and fading.
10. Oil and casein-base paints in gloss, semi-gloss, and flat finishes for use on walls and ceilings.
11. Waterproof enamel for cement and concrete floors; resistant to alkaline chemical reactions and to skidding.

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Right

Knotty pine mantel is faced and lined with cast buff quarry-stone; also comes in red brick, ceramic tile bronze, or marbleized black and gold. Mantel is 4' 6" w. x 4' 1½" h. by Readybuilt.

Left

Fire grate is black wrought iron, designed by George Nelson for the Howard Miller Company. You could use it to grill snacks on cool fall evenings. Tool set of brush, shovel, stoker, has birch handles, attaches to handy wall bracket.

Right

Andirons curved like black iron ribbons, also by George Nelson, have a tidy, contemporary neatness, give a dressed-up look to fireplaces.

Handsome walnut fireplace mantel has traditional dignity, lends itself to formal groupings. From Edwin Jackson.

Right

Brass andirons, designed to reflect maximum gleam of firelight, are 16" high; also in copper, steel. Edwin Jackson, New York.
The Beacon Hill Collection

From the luxurious eighteenth century homes of famous Beacon Hill, Boston, stems this outstanding collection of the finest furniture of that period.

Left
Black iron andirons are X-shaped to give sturdy support to firewood. The matching tripod floor stand is formed of three metal rods to hold brush, shovel, and stoker. All are by designer George Nelson.

Right
Simple as Colonial hardware but modern in feeling, these George Nelson andirons offer variety in black wrought-iron.

Left
"Freehold" Franklin stove reflects light and warmth in polished metal, takes to backgrounds of colorful chintzes, bright new felts. Size is 32 h. x 30½" over-all. Also in smaller sizes. Wm. H. Jackson Co.

Right
If you prefer a coal fire, this black and brass grate has an air of graceful useability. Large grate is 33½". From William H. Jackson Co.

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Each piece of furniture in the BEACON HILL COLLECTION is recreated in very limited number. To own one of these fine pieces is virtually to own an original. The entire collection is shown in the clothbound, one hundred and eighty-five page book above.

See the elaborate book shown at the left at accredited decorators and a few of the leading stores that maintain fine furniture galleries.

There is also an abridged twenty-eight page illustrated brochure shown below, which may be obtained for twenty-five cents, by writing today, to: Beacon Hill Collection, 85 Albany Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
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Records to keep your party moving

Try these albums on your dancing guests

Gather a group of reasonably healthy Americans together for a party and it is highly likely that some of them will want to dance. You're a lucky hostess if you can find an appropriate radio program at that moment; you're a wise hostess if you have some dance records around. The following selection should take care of most such pleasant emergencies, unless you happen to have a group of ballerinas on your hands. First, Tommy Dorsey Plays Cole Porter, an RCA Victor record (10", LP, No. LPM-22) containing Mr. Dorsey's suave yet lively arrangements of Just One of Those Things, Love for Sale, Why Shouldn't I, You Do Something To Me, I Get a Kick Out of You, and It's Delovely...Frankie Carle Plays Frank Loesser (RCA Victor 10" LP No. LPM-19) presents the facile pianist leading his orchestra through My Darling, My Darling, Two Sleepy People, I Wish I Didn't Love You So, Spring Will Be A Little Late This Year, Once In Love With Amy, and Moon of Manacora...

A new Columbia record, Let's Hear the Melody (10", LP, No. CL-102) features Benny Goodman and his clarinet, backed by strings, in renditions, mostly slowly paced, of Goodbye, If I Had You, I Didn't Know What Time it Was, Lover Come Back To Me, Moon Glow, Embraceable You, I Gotta Right to Sing the Blues, and Georgia On My Mind...Another popular horn man, Harry James, and his orchestra perform on Columbia 102 LP record No. CL-6138, playing two medleys designed especially for dancing and including such favorites as These Foolish Things, Deep Purple, and several James specialties.

Trickier and faster

Your more adventuresome guests may prefer the Fascinating Rhythms of Percy Faith (Columbia 10" LP record No. CL-6203) whose orchestra plays not only the familiar What is This Thing Called Love, but such tricky items as Flight 33½ and Brazilian Sleigh Bells...The King of the Mambo, Pérez Prado, leads his orchestra through six exhilarating examples of the new Cuban dance on RCA Victor 10" LP record No. LPM-21...More mambos, by Humberto and Noro Morales, may be found on Columbia 10" LP record No. FL-9522, these rather more exotic as to orchestration...Devotees of the Charleston will like Spike Jones Plays the Charleston (RCA Victor 10" LP record No. LPM-18) which includes I Wonder Where My Baby is Tonight, Black Bottom, and Varsity Drag, done to a turn...For a little bit of everything, try A Tribute to Glen Miller (Decca 10" 78 rpm album No. 898), with Jerry Gray's arrangements played by Mr. Gray.
New home furnishings in House & Garden colors

There is no end of news about new home furnishings in House & Garden's new colors for 1953—the colors that take the guesswork and legwork out of your shopping. You'll be amazed at the scope and variety. Here are shopping tips which will help you to put new life into your living room, dining room, bedroom, or bath.

Furniture news begins with the finish. Bodart's new French Provincial breakfront in antiqued white puts H&G's Sky Blue or Siamese Pink on the inside to set off a collection of china. Hitchcock chairs and stools strike a fresh note since they are now finished in all 29 H&G colors.

Old Colony's handsome cellaret can be lined in any H&G color, has pull-out panels covered in leather dyed to match. For the TV set, CBS-Columbia presents a metal, table-model cabinet in a choice of six H&G colors to match your walls. Raffia-paneled doors of Du Mont's Banbury TV cabinet are colored H&G's Driftwood or Spruce green. This straw texture in new shades harmonizes with dark or light wood finishes.

Color in textured curtains, rugs, tiling. Cotton fishnet curtains by North American Lace are designed in many lengths and many H&G colors for air, light, and privacy. Nubby-textured vinyl wall covering and upholstery, called "Boucle," by L. E. Carpenter is available in 11 H&G colors.

"Cordoray," a new Flor-Ever plastic tile patterned to resemble colored twists of cord, takes the floor in tones of five H&G. 

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**Knotty pine breakfront** carries surprise color inside. Interior is painted H&G's Blueberry which provides a subtle backdrop for china. By Heritage-Henredon.

Colors: Flame, Gunmetal, Leaf, Hot Chocolate, and Pebble.

**Color news in the bed and bath departments.** General Electric presents a chance to sleep, warm and cozy, under electric blankets that match or accent your bedroom scheme in H&G's Dresden Blue, Flame, or Citron.

Martex has designs on your bathroom with two stunning new patterns in 12 H&G colors: "Sovereign" soft-finished terry towels with a chevron border; "Domino," a solid-color jacquard diamond. And, big news, Martex's new over-sized hound's-tooth check comes in four H&G colors combined with white.

Color for your table. Clement's ceramic-handled "Delvynware," striped in H&G's Phlox Pink looks marvelous with Leacock's Italian Bisso Linen-cloth and napkins in a three-color plaid. Add color to your occasional tables by using Virginia Metalcrafters' easel-back picture frames in Carnation pink, Pebble, or Sky Blue. For your night table, Aristocrat's "Minute Clock" with Roman numerals is garbed in a wide range of H&G colors.

More color notes. Give your "thank you" notes a glow with Eaton's "Gossamer Stripe" sheer paper, pink striped for femininity... The House of Frames has created an effective way to outline black-and-white prints with sailcloth or hemp frames dyed in 7 H&G colors... Bissell's "Apartment" carpet sweeper is Flame-colored. Mason's telephone covers are made of Tenite plastic in six H&G colors... Cook-and-serve electric casseroles by Nesco are now enameled (on steel) in H&G's Terra Cotta or Spruce green. See page 164 for stores carrying merchandise in House & Garden's 1953 colors.

For additional information, write to House & Garden's Reader Service.
The well-bred squash

The summer squash that blooms in your garden and comes to fruit for your table has a selective family tree. Its seed is the refined product of careful plant breeding. Before a new strain is packeted for your garden, scientists watch each crop or generation of squash plants for the improvements they seek: stronger stems, compact growth, uniform size, and flavor-resulting habits. Four or five years may elapse between the day a horticulturist eyes the new plant and the day you harvest your pedigreed squash family. If the valuable stock seed from this new plant should be lost, it takes years to duplicate a well-bred squash.

Self-pollination or inbreeding. Sometimes a single squash will develop a new, interesting trait. To perpetuate it, the plant breeder transfers pollen from the male flower to the female flower of the same plant to produce a new generation with all the desirable characteristics of the parent squash.

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Gardening

White Flower Farm puts an accent on tulips in its fall catalog. There are 17 varieties of Botanical tulips offered, among a selection of nearly 80 different kinds. Also offered are narcissi, some small and unusual daffodils, a lily collection, a new and extremely colorful single hybrid peony. This impressive book is supplemented with some excellent line drawings. 25c. White Flower Farm, HG 9, Litchfield, Connecticut.

Wayside's 1952 fall catalog is, as usual, filled with excellent cultural notes to guide you in the growing of hyacinths, daffodils, lilies, tulips, and of course, a collection of prize-winning roses. 50c in coin or stamps. Wayside Gardens, 30 Mentor Avenue, Mentor, Ohio.

Jackson & Perkins' catalog for fall has pages describing and illustrating the most popular hybrid tea, floribunda, and climbing roses. Outstanding garden perennials, hybrid lilies are among selections. Jackson & Perkins, HG 9, Newark, New York.

Davey Tree has some excellent advice on the technique of tree care from transplanting large trees to feeding, pruning, and surgery. The various devastation of trees are exposed. Davey Tree Expert Co., HG 9, Kent, Ohio.

Associated Bulb Growers of Holland has advice on fall planting and can tell you the depth to plant each imported Holland bulb, the average height of bloom for the different classes. Associated Bulb Growers of Holland, HG 9, 41 East 42nd St., New York, New York.

Bathroom features are described in this folder. The Case one-piece water closet and accompanying Case Windell lavatories are shown with dimensions, descriptions included. W. A. Case and Sons Manufacturing Company, HG 9, Buffalo 3, New York.

Furniture

Saginaw presents a collection of modern and traditional furniture which includes bookcases, table desks, expand-and-away commodes. There are a variety of woods to complement the other pieces you already have. Saginaw Furniture Shops, HG 9, 666 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago 11, Illinois.

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A fresh new color designs are to be found in Continentals, braided, round, and oval rugs, which come in charming colors and have regional American names. Rug dimensions, descriptions are given. National Automotive Fibres, Inc., HG 9, 327—23rd Ave., Oakland 6, California.

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6. (a) Carmen by Bizet; (b) Fedora by Giordano; (c) Mignon by Thomas; (d) Pique-Dame—Queen of Spades—by Tchaikovsky.
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8. (a) Edward Grieg, Edouard Lalo, Edward Elgar; (b) Smetana; (c) Gahan; (d) A-flat; (e) symphony.
9. (a) Chopin; (b) Wagner; (c) Verdi; (d) Strauss; (e) Grieg.
10. (a) Tchaikovsky; (b) Schuman; (c) Beethoven; (d) Mozart; (e) Brahms.
11. (a) Waves of the Danube (Anniversary Song); (b) Warsaw Concerto.
12. (a) Rigoletto; (b) The Consul; (c) Madame Butterfly; (d) Samson and Delilah; (e) Die Walküre.
13. (a) Irving Berlin; (b) Paul Whiteman; (c) Benny Goodman; (d) Louis Armstrong; (e) Lionel Hampton.
14. (a) Madame Butterfly—Nagasaki; (b) Die Meistersinger—Nuremberg.
15. (a) Danube; (b) Moldau; (c) Volga; (d) Rhine; (e) Missouri.
16. (a) Caprice Italien by Tchaikovsky; (b) Spanish Rhapsody by Ravel; (c) Cuban Overture by Gershwin; (d) Turkish March by Mozart; (e) Russian Lullaby by Irving Berlin.
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- Spring-Air Company

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- Cabin Crafts, Inc.
- Cannon Mills, Inc.
- Fieldcrest Mills, Inc.
- J. & C. Bedspread Co., Inc.

**BLANKETS**
- Cannon Mills, Inc.
- Chatham Mfg. Co.
- The Churchill Weavers
- Fieldcrest Mills
- General Electric Co.
- Kenwood Mills
- Pearce Mfg. Co.
- St. Marys Blankets
- Springfield Woolen Mills

**CERAMICS**
- Pemco Corporation

**CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES**
- Bartmann & Bixer, Inc.
- Cannon Mills, Inc.
- North American Lace Co.
- Robertson Factories, Inc.
- Scranton Lace Co.

**DECORATIVE ACCESSORIES**
- Ajello Candles
- Aristocrat Check Co.
- Charmwick Candles
- Design Technics
- Gottschalk Sales Co.
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- Victorlite Candle Co.
- Virginia Metalcrafters
- Will & Baumer Candle Co., Inc.

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- Doulton & Co., Inc.
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- Herman C. Kupper, Inc.
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- Lenox, Inc.
- Midhurst Importing Co.
- Red Wing Pottery, Inc.
- Steubenville Pottery Co.
- Josiah Wedgwood & Sons, Inc.
- Worcester Royal Porcelain Co., Inc.

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- Custom Order Fabrics
- Adler-Schnee Assoc.
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Bartmann & Bixer, Inc.
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Colonial Drapery & Curtain Corp.
Covington Fabrics Corp.
Edgar Sales, Ltd.
Everfast Fabrics, Inc.
Golding Decorative Fabrics
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are unavailable those that have been preserved in sirup may be used. Heat them in their own sirup, douse with brandy and serve blazing, with vanilla ice cream.

Walnuts and wine with apples. Ten­
nyson’s “Across the walnuts and wine”
reminds us of another unsurpassed de­
sert. The nuts should be cracked but left in their shells. For more flavor and crispness, allow them a few minutes in a moderate oven. The wine must, quite naturally, be of the finest. Madeira is first choice; port or mellow sherry are also excellent to serve with walnuts. All should be selected with great care so, if in doubt, put yourself in the hands of your wine merchant. This combination is a fitting supplement to fresh autumn apples, served whole and peeled at your place.

Apples with rum. This is a simple chafing-dish recipe. Peel three firm apples, preferably pippins, cut them in eighths, remove cores. Brown them in the blazer of your chafing dish with one-third cup of butter. When nicely colored, sprinkle them with granulated sugar—the amount depending upon the tartness of your apples—and pour on a jigger of Jamaica rum. Set afire. As the flames die down, push the apples to one side of the pan and add a generous spoonful of apricot jam to the juices in the pan. As it melts, ladle it over the apples and serve them hot with a pitcher of very cold, very thick cream. Thinner-than-thin cookies with this.

California deep-dish apple pie. For a pie large enough for 10 or 12 persons, peel a dozen tart apples, and cut them into eighths and remove cores. Arrange them in a glass or earthenware baking dish about two inches deep. Mix a quarter pound of melted butter with a cup of sugar and—this may surprise you—two tablespoons of frozen con­
centrated orange juice. Pour mixture as evenly as possible over the apples, then sprinkle a third-cup of chopped almonds over the whole. Make a pastry with two cups flour, one-third cup each of butter and lard, one and a half teaspoons of salt, and water to moisten. Roll rather thick (do it on aluminum foil or waxed paper, and save cleaning a board), and cover the apples, press­
ing the pastry on the edge of the dish. Make five cross gashes in strategic spots. Bake in 425° oven for 10 min­utes, reduce oven to 350° and cook until apples are tender. Now into those stra­
tegic gashes, using a funnel, pour some rum—a quarter-cup in all. Serve the pie warm, please, with thick sweet cream, not whipped.

Charlotte rum. Charlottes, which are confections of bread and butter and fruit, are old-fashioned desserts that have recently been rediscovered. When properly made, they are unsurpassed. Make apple sauce in the usual man­ner, or use white wine instead of white wine. When cooked, let it cool rather thick (do it on aluminum foil or waxed paper, and save cleaning a board), and cover the apples, press­ing the pastry on the edge of the dish. Make five cross gashes in strategic spots. Bake in 450° oven for 10 min­utes, reduce oven to 350° and cook until apples are tender. Now into those stra­
tegic gashes, using a funnel, pour some rum—a quarter-cup in all. Serve the pie warm, please, with thick sweet cream, not whipped.
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a spoonful of apricot jam, if desired. Keep it warm while preparing its bed. Cut sliced white bread in rounds or hearts or diamonds, using a cookie cutter. Any white bread, even the tasteless commercial varieties, may be used but, quite naturally, good homemade bread will produce a better charlotte. Dip each piece of bread into butter that is melted but not too hot, and arrange them closely together on the bottom and sides of a mold or round-bottomed bowl. Now fill the mold with the nicely flavored apple mixture, and top with more of the butter-dipped bread. Put in a 450° oven and bake until the top crust is a gorgeous brown. Turn out on a large plate and pour over the sauce made by heating a cup of apricot jam with a jigger of rum, and pass the cream. This dessert, all but the baking, can be made well in advance.

Apricot cruts. This is a dessert for the thrifty as well as the indolent. You can either use stale bread crusts or regular slices cut into fancy shapes. Sauté in butter in a chafing dish if you prefer. A dollop of apricot preserve is put on each piece of toast and they are allowed to cook a minute or two longer, then served hot, with cold sour cream. If desired; some brandy or rum may be mixed in with the preserve before it is spooned onto the toast.

Fruit layers with sour cream. This is an amazingly good dessert that a six-year-old could make. It has a base of bread and, like the charlotte recipe, the better the bread the better the pudding. Remove the crusts from white bread and make triple-layered sandwiches, using a filling made by mixing a jigger of rum with a cup of peach preserve. Cut each sandwich in half, cover sides and top with a thick layer of sour cream, sprinkle with brown sugar, and allow the confections to re pose in the refrigerator for three or four hours. Just before serving, sprinkle with chopped walnuts.

Quince soufflé. This is a patient soufflé; it will wait for close to an hour without becoming temperamental. The reason is that it’s steamed in a double boiler rather than baked. Beat six egg whites until stiff, then fold in five tablespoons of sugar and a third-cup of quince preserves, as well as a teaspoon of lemon juice and a speck of salt. Grease the top of a double boiler, place over boiling water, pour in the mixture, cover, and steam for an hour. If dinner is delayed don’t worry—just leave the cover on (don’t peek!) and let the soufflé stand over the hot water until needed. Turn out on a large serving dish and serve with the following sauce: Mix three egg yolks with four tablespoons of sugar and a tablespoon of cornstarch. Pour in gradually a cup of boiling water and a jigger—or more—of brandy. Cook gently over hot water until thick. This, too, may be made ahead of time and kept warm, or carefully reheated at serving time. This soufflé, by the way, can be made in the

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chafing dish—the blazer set over the
hot water jacket. In this case, the
mixture, being shallower, will cook in less
time—about 25 to 35 minutes. Any
marmalade or jam may be substituted
for the quince, and the hot souffle, when
served with cold fruits, is superb. Try
using apricot jam and strawberries, or
raspberry jam and sliced peaches.

Peach filbert crisp. Peel and slice six
large flavorsome peaches and arrange
them in a well-buttered baking dish
or glass pie pan. Sprinkle them with a half
cup of sugar that has had a quarter tea-
spoon of almond extract mixed with it,
and a quarter cup of sliced filberts.
Combine a cup of flour, a half-cup of
sugar, a quarter pound of butter, and
a quarter teaspoon of salt, and mix with
a fork until it looks like coarse crumbs.
Sprinkle this evenly over the peaches.
Bake at 350° until the peaches are
tender and the top a pleasing brown.
Serve this neither hot nor cold, but
warmly in between, and accompany it
with cold sour cream.

Fried bananas with rum. Here is a
good chafing dish recipe, although it
may, of course, be done in the kitchen.
Peel ripe bananas, split and halve them
making four pieces from each, then
saute in butter until amber colored on
both sides. Now sprinkle them with
sugar—two teaspoons for each banana
—and drizzle with a little lemon juice.
Pour on Jamaica rum. allowing two
tablespoons each, and blaze it. Serve
with a shaker of powdered sugar.

Pineapple ginger. A ripe pineapple,
or canned pineapple for this. Cut in
fairly small pieces and brown lightly
in butter. (Here, too, a chafing dish is
indicated.) Sprinkle with a half-cup of
brown sugar, add a jigger of rum and
two tablespoons of chopped preserved
ginger, including some of the sirup, and
cook another few minutes before
ladling, hot, over vanilla ice cream.

Tangerine compote. Mandarin or-
anges, or tangerines, which are canned
in Japan, are available in most good
grocery stores. Tiny peeled segments of
the fruit are put up in a light sirup
that in no way detracts from their del-
icate flavor. They may be served chilled,
and without further embellishment,
or
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the juice may be spiked with a little Madeira. This dessert needs a simple cookie as an accompaniment, or perhaps a slice of old-fashioned pound cake. Canned mandarin oranges play a part in a slightly fancier dessert, too; orange sherbert, drizzled with Cointreau and garnished with the neat little golden wedges.

Guava shells. Another canned fruit that makes a sophisticated and delightful dessert is the guava shell, from Cuba. Drain the shells, reserving the juice, and fill them with cream cheese that has been softened with cream. Arrange, filled side up, on a dish, sprinkle each shell with some slivers of toasted almonds, pour the sirup around the fruit, and serve with pride.

Cherry ripe. Great luscious black Bing cherries, blushing Queen Annes, and brilliant red Tartarians are served in little bunches on a shimmering pile of ice—that's all there is to this dessert, but it is enough. As to the wine, I bow to Edward A. Bunyard who says to "leave them in unwedded bliss," though I wonder if that authority meant our sweet American cherries when he penned that dictum. Certainly he would allow a glass of Armagnac with the coffee that follows.

Pineapple, laun style. A pineapple, voluptuously ripe, is dessert perfection. Serve it in the Hawaiian manner. Cut an inch-and-a-half from both top and bottom of the fruit and, using a long sharp knife, circle the flesh inside the rind and push it from its shell. Cut this piece into eight wedges and fit back into the pineapple, replacing both top and bottom. Serve from the shell and pass a shaker of sugar and a decanter of rum for any guests who care to gild the lily.

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advantages of rapid, broad growth, attrac-
tive dark green hues. There is a
taller group of yews, in heights of 4' to
6' which you can plant for upright lines
as a contrast to low foundation plant-
ings. Or you can make small bright ac-
cent points with the medium-sized
plants in borders. The Goldtip Japan-
ese yew, T. c. aureascens, and Taxus cus-
pidata ovata are spriipy, upright ever-
greens. In early spring Goldtip's new
foliage is yellow, as its name suggests,
but by fall it becomes more nearly green.

One of the handsomest of all the
yews for ornamental planting is the
Brown Anglojap yew, T. media browni.
Its branches spread abundantly; its
leaves are short and in spring the tips
of its new growth glow with a bronzy
tone. This changes subtly from light
to medium green and by fall the needles
turn a dark, rich green. If you want a
low or medium height hedge this yew
is an excellent choice because it can be
kept as low as 10" to 12" and from 8"
to 12" across. You can prune it, at full
height, into globes for a touch of topiary
design. Gardeners who enjoy

texture in massed evergreens will like
to T. media brevissima and T. m. cliftoni.
The first has thick, boldly patterned
foliage. The Clifton yew's dark green
needles cover the branches in whorls.

Another hedging favorite among the
yew family is Hedge Anglojap yew, T.
media davidiardi, growing to about 3'
to 4'. You can tuck individual plantings
of it in your flower beds.

Where you want to soften an awk-
ward angle or a jutting corner, the nar-
row, upright yews, 4' to 6' high are
attractive. They are often seen by gate
posts and doorways, and you can use
them to separate parts of your garden,
in narrow hedgerows. Your best
choices in this group are the Hicks
Anglojap yew, T. media hicksi; the
Stoveken Japanese yew, or other se-
lected types your nurseryman suggests,
such as Taxus cuspidata 'stapigiata'.

Where you have considerable land
and want to invest in yews on a larger
scale, try the broad, pyramid-shaped
Hatfield yew, T. media hatfieldii. It is
massive, and impressive for founda-
tion plantings, giving you a striking
evergreen of from 6' to 10' with whirled
leaves. Giant among the yews, with a
potential reach of 10' to 25' is the Up-
right Japanese yew, T. cuspidata capi-
tata. The shearing on all yews is a mat-
ter of your personal taste. Give them a
trim, barbed look or let them spread
freely in sun or shade. Their growth
and greenery will repay you wherever
you plant them.

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For a list of yews classified by size, and
where to use them, write to House &
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themselves with an occasional soil-feed­
ing assist from you. Some (like Mother
Goose’s porridge in the pot) like it
hot, some like it cold. But whatever
your locality, the following guide to
ground covers will surely answer your
needs. Broad-leaved ground covers will
not endure as much foot traffic as grass.
About the only ones which do not
suffer are bugle, Ajuga reptans, in its
various color forms and some of the
starrider, small-leaved veronicas. These
will also survive mowing.

For sunny spots sedums are the
easy gardener’s friends for they quickly
creep over the ground. A few will also
serve in shade. Equally fall in growth
is the weedy, yet appealing little
ground-ivy, Nepeta hederaescent, with its
small irregular trumpets of violet-blue.
The variegated form with white-marked
scallop on its rounded leaves is more
restrained in growth.

Plants with evergreen leaves, such
as the reliable pachysandra, enhance
your garden in winter as well as sum­
er. While pachysandra seems to be
permanently healthy, it may develop a
fungus infection wherever the plants
are crushed under foot.

Some gardeners like to use myrtle,
or periwinkle in combination with
English ivy. These dark-leaved trailers
both appear at their best when inter­
planted with spring bulbs, in the South
with St. Brigid anemones; and you can
even add borders of violets. English
ivy is especially handsome beneath
flowering cherry trees. Interesting ef­
facts of tone and texture can be ob­
tained by using contrasting varieties
in drifts. In the North the harder
Baltic strain is more satisfactory.

The far western shrub, Mahonia repa­

ta, has been used successfully in
northern New York State. In a Phila­
delphia garden it has been planted on
a sunny slope. It sometimes suffers
from winter burning, but new green
shoots always rise from the roots in
spring. This Mahonia, which is low,
spreads rapidly by runners. Yellow
flowers contrast with its bluish leaves.

On small areas where the soil is
acid, the tiny partridge berry will hold
its small round leaves close to the
ground through summer and winter.
Scarlet berries brighten it from Septem­
ber on. For larger areas, a less common
native evergreen, Pachystachys canbyi,
makes a fine-textured carpet with its
small slender leaves. Ranks where
grass is difficult to grow and mow will
often support larger shrubs than these
two miniatures. When the soil is acid
and too rocky and dry for almost any­
things else, heather, Arctostaphylos
uva-ursi, will cover the ground effec­
tively. Leucoboth makes a magnificent
picture with its dark-leaved branches
arching over a shaded bank in acid soil,
and its flowers are like dense clusters
of lilies-of-the-valley. For similar situa­
tions in mild climates the box-myrtle,
Leptospermum buxiform, another ever­
green plant of the Southwest, is choice.

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but it will not thrive satisfactorily outside of the mid-South.

Some of the small shrubby plants that are classed as herbs are excellent as ground covers, especially in sun. Of them all, thyme in its many varieties is perhaps the most appealing, for it is low-growing, fine-leaved, sturdy, pleasant in flower, and quick to spread by rooting branches. It is tempting to walk upon it because of the pungent fragrance, but the plants will do better if stepping stones are placed among them. Germander, more frequently seen as edging, can within limits be used to cover broader areas. Where a gray effect is sought, some of the artemisias will serve.

When Japanese honeysuckle is mentioned, horticulturists are of two minds. The majority say to avoid it like the plague, because of the danger of its reaching beyond its confines and smothering all adjacent vegetation. Others, however, point to the fact that Hall’s variety, Lonicera japonica halliana, will keep within bounds, and can be grown on gravelly slopes.

When this and other ground-cover plants become too rampant, they can be easily held in check with a foliage spray of 2, 4-D discreetly used. This acts as a chemical mowing and retards the outward growth of the colour without disturbing the soil, as happens when excess plants are pulled up by the roots. Extreme care must be used not to let spray drift onto nearby vegetation.

The number of herbaceous plants which will carpet the ground with pleasant and varied foliage is limitless. For each situation, no matter how difficult, there is some good species which will willingly cover barren earth. Even under a maple tree the tiny speedwell, Veronica spicata, considered a weed in lawns, weaves a fine close mat of green. Ferns with their habit of living in shade are a good choice for wooded property. Ranking high as ground covers are the maidenhair, hay-scented, and beech ferns; also the Christmas fern of the East and, of larger stature, the western sword fern.

May-apple and blue cohosh have a manner of holding their leaves on such an even plane that they give the effect of a level green flooring laid about eight inches high. Both plants are capable of completely covering the ground in the dense shade of trees. Forget-me-nots can be used to create rivers and bays of blue in moist, light woodlands. They will maintain themselves year after year. Japanese primulas also will self-sow if they like the degree of moisture and the partial shade you give them.

Some gardeners do not consider a plant a valid ground cover unless it really hags the soil. Although sweet woodruff, Asperula odorata, may grow eight to ten inches high, it more or less enters this class. At the base of a tree there is nothing more airy in May than the clusters of tiny white flowers above the layers of spickelike leaves. (Continued on page 176)
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New soil conditioners

If you have not already tried one of the new soil conditioners, you will certainly want to test one this fall. Some basic facts need to be emphasized. The purpose of a soil conditioner is to improve the structure of a problem soil. Where soil has a high percentage of clay and fine silt, you may consider it a problem, for it becomes muddy when wet, and forms a hard surface crust when dry.

It becomes difficult for seeds to germinate, for plants to send down roots. A soil conditioner will not improve the structure of sandy soil to any great extent. Crusting of the soil indicates that there is enough clay present for the chemical to work. If it does not crust, a soil conditioner will be of no benefit. Nor will a conditioner be effective on muck or soils with high organic content, or improve soil that is in good condition.

Soil conditioners now available are of three types: liquid, water-soluble, and fine powder. Whichever one you use, you must use it under proper conditions and in the correct quantity. The percentage of active ingredients is higher in some products than others. For this reason it is important to follow the directions that accompany the product you select in order to reap the maximum benefit from the soil conditioner. It must penetrate to the depth you wish to improve. Even with a good conditioner, the soil is too damp when you apply the material, the soil will ball up into hard lumps which are impossible to break apart.

There is no aritificial method of obtaining good soil. You might as well face it: it takes work. When you apply any of the material, you must mechanically work the soil to the granular consistency of a good seed bed. Be sure to use the correct quantity of soil conditioner to the depth needed for effective results. In other words, for deeply rooted plants such as carrots, tomatoes, and most tall-growing flowers, it is best to treat a 6" depth, working the material thoroughly into every bit of the soil. For shallow rooted plants a treatment of 3" is usually sufficient.

Soil conditioners act on the physical structure of the soil. If you take some wettable flakes or powder in your fingers and run water on it, you will notice a stickiness or gumminess. These gams or resins are probably similar to the gums produced naturally by microorganisms in the soil. If you stretch your fingers, you will note the elasticity of these gums (some gams have greater clum­

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crosses are more effective when planted in separate varieties, they are still scarce, so some Holland growers are offering mixes of them under the name "Peacock" tulips.

Among established tulip categories you will find other strikingly new varieties. Outstanding among the newer double late tulips—sometimes called "peony" or "tree-peony" tulips—are: Apothospro and Clara Carder, pink; Joseph Israels, deep crimson-red; Borgia, maroon and gold; Idia van Zanten, deep yellow; Grand National, light yellow; Lilac Queen, blue-violet.

All-around, a huge, red globular Triumph tulip, and Fiery Cross scarlet Cottage tulip with blackish sheen, make vivid patches of color behind a border of cadytina. Modern Times is probably the best of the early lavender tulips. The bright magenta of Triumph Imary and the lilac-pink of Dandy are new warm tones. Darwin Celebes supplies a golden yellow note contrasting brightley with Darwin Demeter, which opens reddish violet but turns royal purple as the petals unfold. Two strikingly new "pre-May-flowering" Breeder tulips, Goati Para and Orange Delight, add blends of bronze, rose, and amber to this "pre-May-flowering" group. The new Breeders, Cottage Sky and Cottage Cloud, add tones appropriate to true blue. To learn more about all the fine new varieties in the Breeder, Cottage, and Darwin classes, check the description in the catalogs available through your bulb and plant dealers. You'll find that the first un barring colors of tulips grow to your borders in spring will be a wellcome sight.

CHARLES H. MUELLER

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strawberry makes a neat carpet; numerous veronicas, even some of the weeder species, are good. A flat creeping plant with yellow-green leaves and violet flowers, is unusual. Mazus, however, should be divided every few years.

A miniature riddle of the fragrant lily-flowering tulips is the Canadian Tulip, or false lily-of-the-valley. The fact that it will carpet the ground with foliage and flowers in rich and sandy soil, as well as in full sun, or shade, or even where it is occasionally flooded, commends it as a superior cover where many other plants might fail. CAROL H. WOODWARD

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Dry vs. wet application?

This question cannot be answered without first answering two other questions that are far more important:

1. How deep must a soil conditioner be applied to be effective?

2. How much soil conditioner is needed to do the job?

How deep?

In building a new lawn, or repairing an existing one (see above), penetration to a fraction of an inch may be sufficient to hold the soil surface in place during germination of the seed. However, this is simply erosion control—for real benefit to grass roots, treatment of ½ inch and more is recommended.

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sides for work and general upkeep. If
Phlox: Marie Louise, white: Lillian. Pride, deep purple; Zinnia
Spun Gold, yellow
Pink, blue and white
(Pink and soft yellows)

Tulips: yellow and bronze Breeder
Columbine: Azure Fairy, blue: A.
chrysantha, yellow
Coral Bells: Heucher, sangunilae
alba; white
Iris: Misty Gold, Golden Majesty, yel­
low; Snoqualmie, white; Great
Lakes, The Adirondack
Peony: La Cygne, Solano, Jeanne
Lepandry, The Bride, white
Phlox: Marie Louise, World Peace,
white; Katrien, lavender; Progress, blue
Lilies: Henry, yellow; auratum, gold­
headed
Daylilies: Golden Emblem, Rajah,
yellow; Heroes, Vulcan, dark red; Tasmania, coral
Chrysanthemums: Fred Rockwell,
bronzy orange; Apricot Glow, bronzy apricot; Golden Carpet,
yellow
Asters: Blue Gown, china blue; Vio­
letta, deep blue
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LAWN GAMES

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plywood space ships, box kites (this takes a long grass runway and an open lawn for a good send-off into the wind), rolling hoops, and trying a hand at the trick of throwing miniature wooden Australian boomerangs, Archery for junior Robin Hoods takes up little lawn space. The archery score board has a stout cover, is packed with stuffing, and stands on a tripod. This game, as well as darts, should be played out of the wind and away from windows! Clock golf, once the marker and lines are laid out, is a fairly stationary adjunct of your lawn and is best played on loam seeded with bent grass to provide a velvety, close-cropped surface as on putting greens. There are a number of simpler putting games which take up less space but give you plenty of practice for that effortless sweep to the cup. If you enjoy lawn bowls, the English variety is played with four bowls and one small ball, or "jack." An Italian cousin to English lawn bowls is bocce and in France it is bowls. You may have seen bowls played under the parasol plane trees of the Midi or in the courts of small village inns in the South of France where the game is as indispensable to the noon hour as a leisurely aperitif. Bowls (like bocce) is as simple in equipment as it is long on enjoyment. It can be played on any level patch of earth or grass lawn. The size of the playing field should be approximately 15' wide by 90' long. The game, depending on the number of players, requires six to 16 metal balls each about 3" in diameter, weighing not more than two pounds, four ounces; le but (or "jack"), a wooden ball about 1 1/2" in diameter; and two to eight players. With more than two the group divides into two teams. The winner of the toss opens the game by throwing out le but and rolling his first ball as close to it as possible. His opponents then take over and roll until they have placed a ball closer, or knocked his ball away, after which his side has its turn until, between each team, all balls have been bowled. The winning team receives as many points as they have balls closer to le but than the best of their opponents' balls. The charm of this domesticated French cousin of bowling on American lawns is that it requires skill, subtlety, not strength. Bowles gives every player a gentle, exercising stretch without sunstroke. For sources of lawn game equipment, write to H & G's Retailer Service.

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