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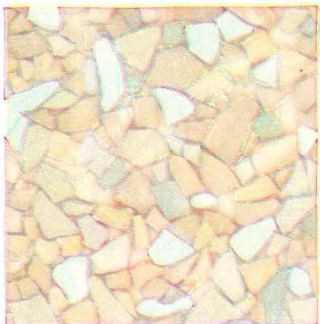
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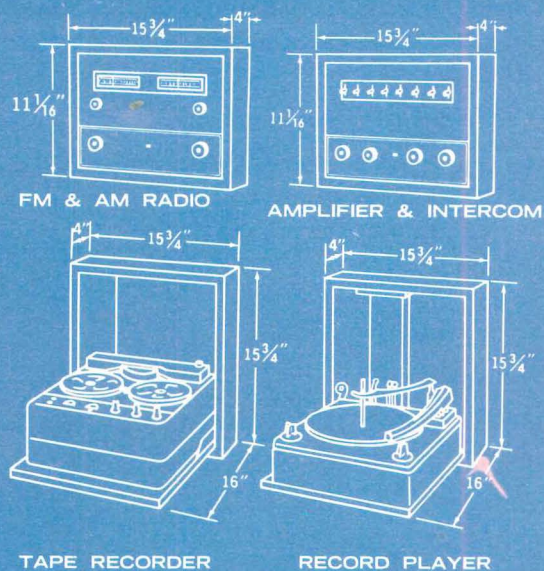
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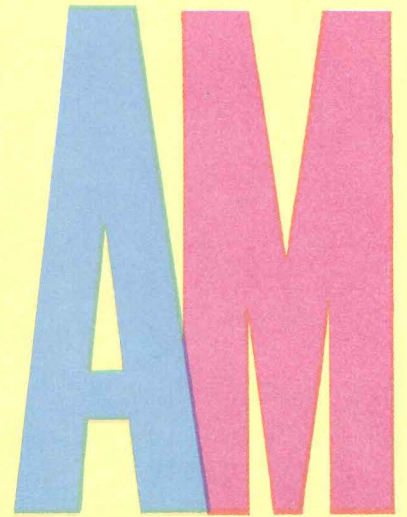
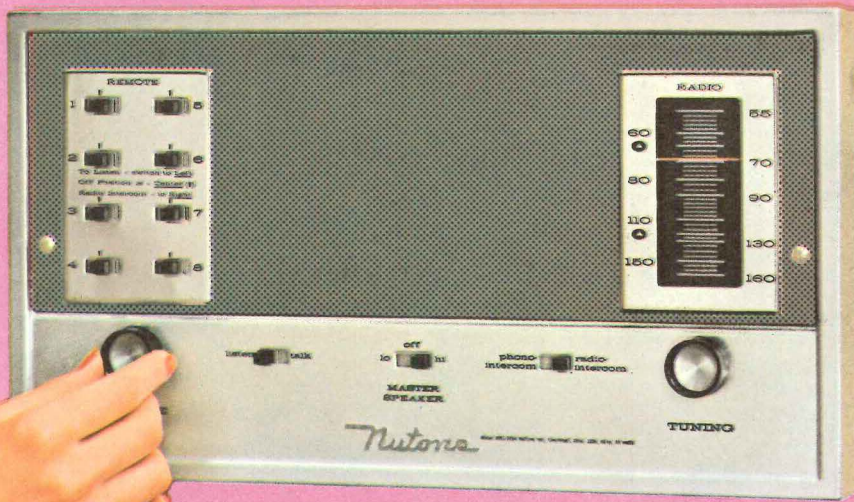


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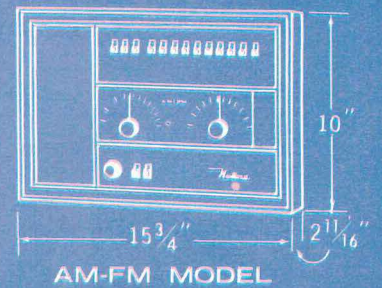
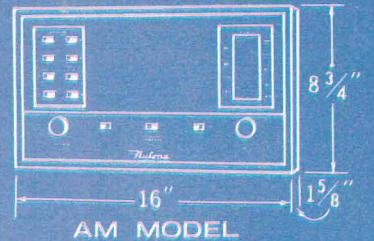
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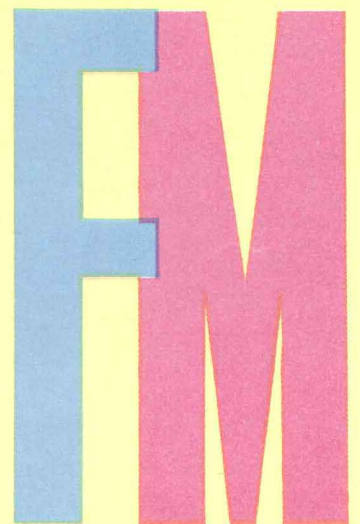
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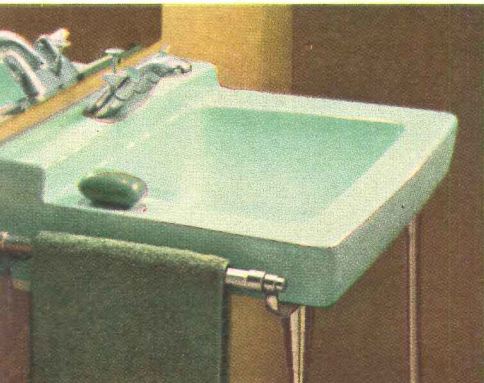




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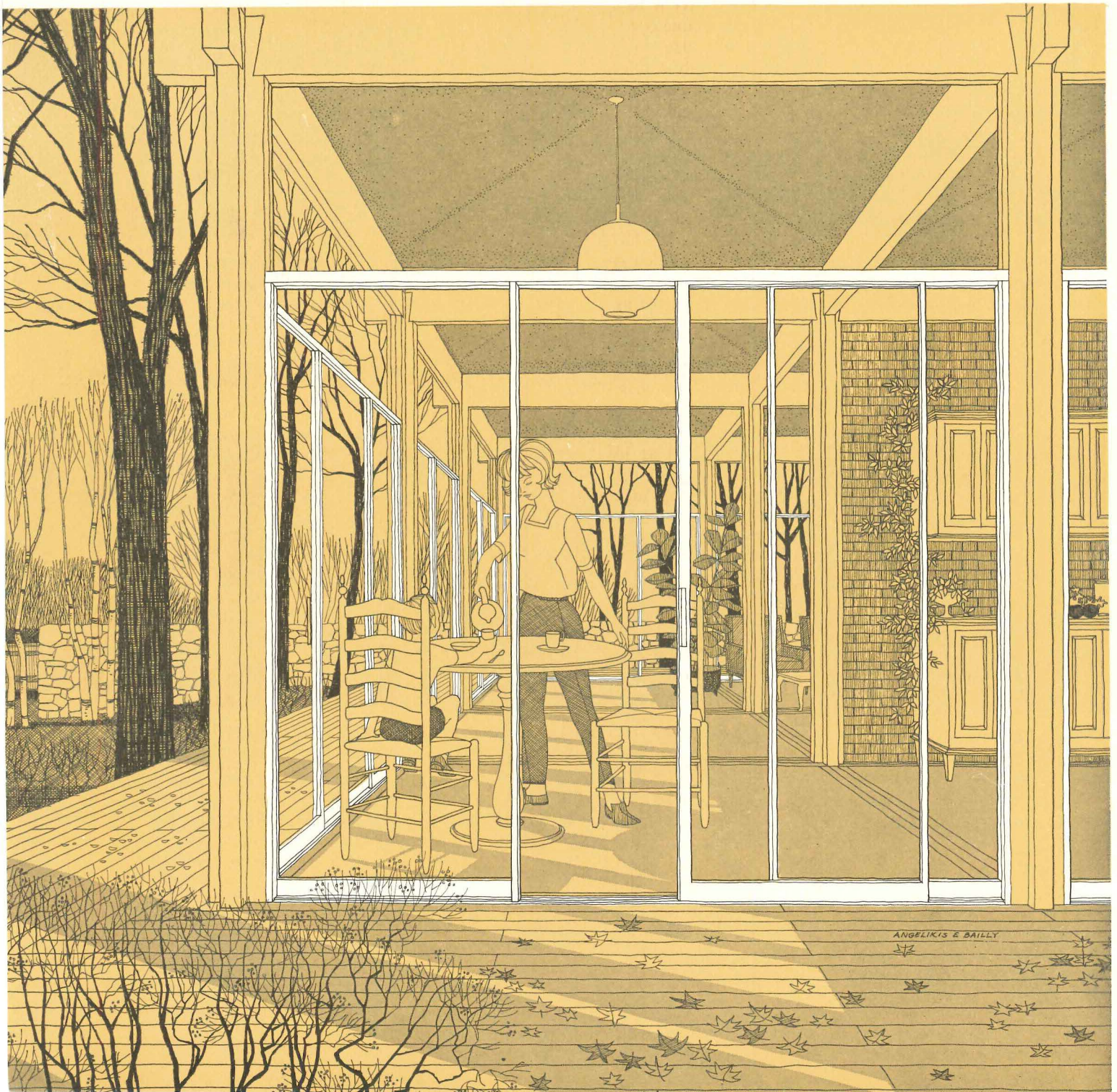
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KITCHENS: EFFICIENCY IS NOT ENOUGH

by EDWARD D. STONE

Progress can be a limiting factor and, in fact, the kitchen and the bathroom are its particular victims. It is obvious that the architect can fit three required fixtures into a bathroom which is only about 5 ft 6 in. by 8 ft. However, when this space has to serve a family of two or three or four, as it very often does, it becomes in effect a closet containing all the specialized paraphernalia that the family accumulates.

So it is with the kitchen. Actually one can have a range, a refrigerator, a sink, and some storage space in a very tiny space indeed. However, I think this approach of hygienic efficiency is really not the most satisfying nor the correct one.

Though I live in New York where one does not have the folksy approach to life, we find that, even with help in the kitchen, we still gravitate there. I have ideas on cooking and always have drinks to mix and odds and ends to do myself, which I rather enjoy. But this is a hopeless task in the tiny, modern efficient kitchen. The kitchen is a room that should be attractive.

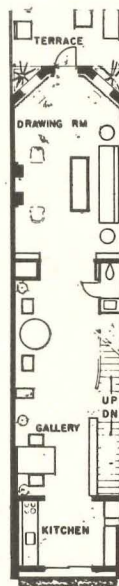
It would be interesting to do a time study to see how many hours the housewife actually spends in the kitchen, and how many hours the

children and the husband are there. I think that if we clocked the waking hours of a family we would find that a good deal more time is spent in the kitchen than in the living room. Therefore, it quite rationally seems more important that this room should be spacious enough to be comfortable. It should be well lighted and have a few attractive amenities—a Kennedy rocker, or a place for the housewife to do her accounts, and certainly a telephone. My belief that a kitchen can be a very attractive space and even have a little elegance is illustrated in the kitchen I designed for our house in New York. We have white marble flooring throughout the first floor of our house and it is carried right into the kitchen. We have glass from floor to ceiling which enables us to look out on the street; the glass is screened by a grill for privacy during the day. I must say visitors in our house really are taken aback that a kitchen can be so attractive.

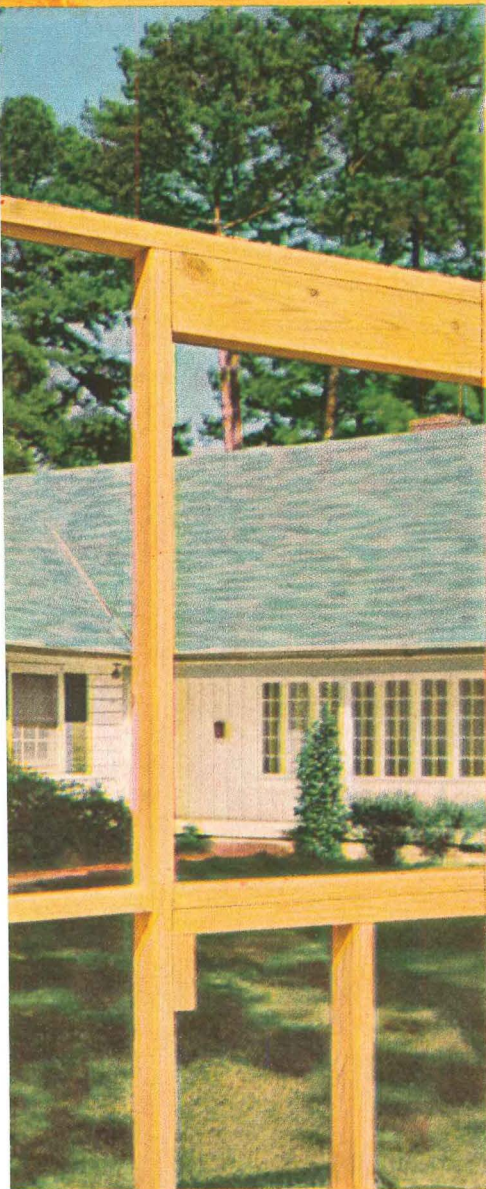
I think also about a house I did for Mr. A. Conger Goodyear, who is a great art collector. Everyone was surprised at his de luxe bathroom with its marble counters (quite a new thing in 1937) and sculptures, paintings and murals. It looked, and



The kitchen in the Edward D. Stone house has the same fine finishes and details as the main living areas of the house



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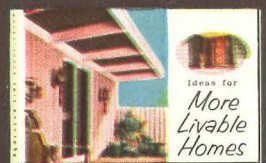
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still looks, wonderful. In the Celanese house kitchen we have a beautiful abstract painting by Joseph Albers, and we could very well have suspended sculptures, paintings or other decorative amenities. In my own kitchen we have trays, pitchers and other useful objects, which are also beautiful, on display. There is no practical objection to including beautiful things if they are placed carefully. Of course, I would not endorse putting an oil painting above the range!

The kind of kitchen you plan does depend, naturally, on the type of dwelling you are building. I am now working on my own country house. I am remodeling a house built about fifty years ago, and have arranged the kitchen with a fireplace where we can sit around the fire. Of course, we have breakfast there in the morning; ideally, there should be a place in every kitchen where one can dine informally and have breakfasts and late-night suppers. Our country house kitchen will be a great big old-fashioned kitchen where the family can gather. It is really fine to encourage everyone to participate in the preparation of the meal and have everybody contribute his or her opinion about what should be done.

However, I think that if one is planning a large house, there should be a dining room where one can have either a few for dinner or a great many, as he elects. There are, of course, architects who open the kitchen completely to the living space and even design it as a counter

right in the living room. Though I admire their ideas, from my own experience of life with a wife and children, this would not work for us. I feel strongly that one should have a separate dining room. I would not have said this twenty years ago when modern architecture was exploring the open plan so extensively, but now I would rather see a better assignment of space which would include a kitchen where a family could have informal meals, and a dining room—even if it were provided at the sacrifice of the living space. I do not see any objection to combining the dining and living space.

There is another reason why the kitchen which is simply a counter in the living room is impractical: the kitchen odors can go all through the house, and this is not pleasant.

While we are on the subject of space and planning, I think the women's magazines got us all tied up in knots and complicated the pattern of circulation within a house by demanding that one had to get from the kitchen to the front door readily without going through the living room. In other words, when one must get from the front door to the kitchen and to all the bedrooms independently of the living room, the house plan is tied up in a knot; the demand for this circulation pattern is an unnecessary refinement in the small house. It is much more spacious and gracious to plan around a big central room.

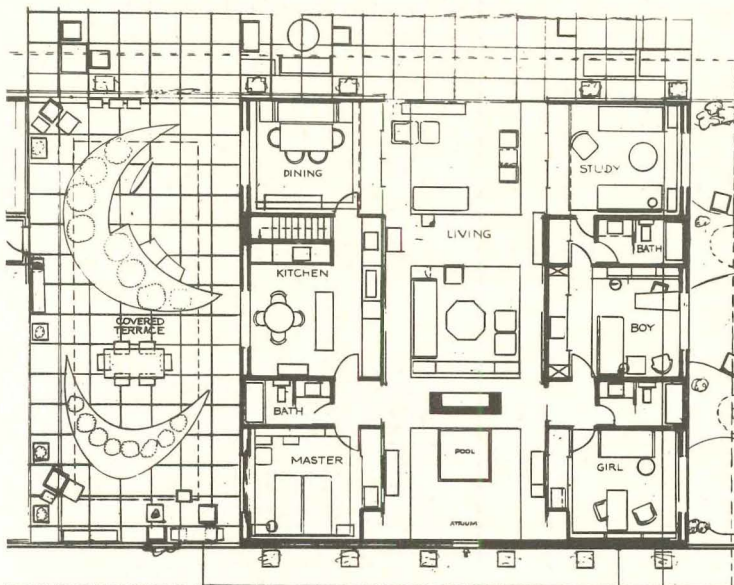
My most recent houses have a great open space through the house,

and from that great space you can get to the kitchen, to the bedrooms, and so on. In a sense, it is a revival of the inner court or atrium principle, but it is actually more like a Palladian house, where there is a great hall extending throughout the house in each direction, and where the four corners are occupied by the kitchen, bedrooms, and the dining space.

The Celanese house in New Canaan, Connecticut, illustrates clearly what I am talking about. The plan works well. From the kitchen one can walk to the front door without going through the living room, and one can also walk around to the bedrooms. It is very spacious and nice compared to the type of plan in which one comes into a little vestibule with the kitchen on one side and the bedrooms off to the other. The plan is arranged so that the kitchen opens out to a terrace which is protected from the weather. That terrace room couldn't be nicer for outdoor dining. (It is important that you can serve food and drink out-of-doors.) The dining room, which is an alcove off the living room, is directly adjacent to the kitchen and it also opens to the covered terrace room.

For the average family I think the kitchen does not need to be any larger than about 15 ft square.

Of course, the kitchen could be a little more spacious and have a fireplace and lounge area; a small but comfortable seating area. Some years ago I designed the Knoll house in Fayetteville, Arkansas, where the



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kitchen is more of a family room. They have a fireplace and enough space for a couple of rockers where they can sit by the fire. One cannot deny that that is a very attractive idea. It is in the good American tradition and harks back to the country farmhouses where they fed the harvest hands, the family, the household animals and everyone else in the big area of the country kitchen.

The kitchen can serve other purposes, too. I have designed houses where the kitchen functioned as a watch post: it was placed right in the middle of everything so that the housewife could look toward every point of the compass and see if children were up to any destructive activity. It is an important consideration in a family with young children that they can be supervised at the same time the mother is doing her housework. That is probably the origin of the so-called all-purpose room, where children can plan and store their toys, and the mother can watch and supervise them. It works out very nicely.

Generally, I think, a square kitchen rather than a galley type is most successful. The galley type of kitchen immediately precludes the spacious kitchen, and most of my recent houses have kitchens which are U-shaped in plan with an island. This provides a generous amount of counter space, which is always at a premium. The island counter serves ex-

cellently as a separation or divider between the dining portion and the work portion of the kitchen. The island counter can be occupied either by the sink or by the range. I would offer the U-shaped kitchen with an island as one of our ideal kitchens, and one which has another atmosphere altogether from that of the family-room kitchen.

We should also plan our kitchens' functions more thoughtfully. For example, combining the laundry room's functions with the kitchen's functions is not the most attractive nor the most useful situation at best. This is a housekeeping problem that perhaps I should not express a view on, but I think the laundry is better in a separate space which is adjacent to the kitchen. Or, depending on the size of the house, I have even put laundry rooms on the second floor. This arrangement works well as most laundry originates on the second floor and thus does not have to be carried downstairs and then back up.

A strong generous light is wonderful in the kitchen. A luminous ceiling would be absolutely fatal in some rooms of the house—such as the living room or the dining room, where one wants a softer atmosphere which must be provided by light from various low sources. It would, of course, be fatal in the bedroom where one only wants lights at the bed and, perhaps, at a desk. But I think of kitchens and bathrooms in a differ-

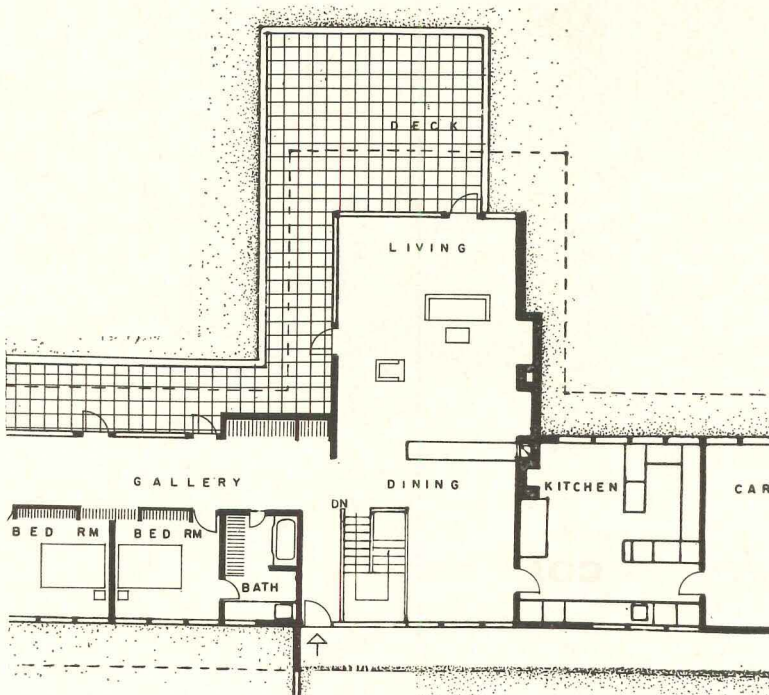


A dining court directly adjoins the kitchen in the Celanese house

ent way. All of the bathrooms we do now have luminous ceilings. The light is wonderful, and women especially love it because they can see so well to make-up their faces. The wattage can be increased to a very high level, and the room can still be made attractive in appearance with some handsome design in the arrangement of the ceiling panels. I think this could apply with equal force to a kitchen, as in the house for Fred Jones. Naturally, if we were designing the living room-kitchen with a fireplace and lounging area around it, we would want to modify the lighting design. In general, however, strong, general light is desirable in the kitchen.

In the Celanese house, the whole ceiling was, in effect, a lighting fixture. We designed a square room with a conical ceiling and a skylight right at the apex, and it gave wonderful general light.

And then, too, in the Celanese house we have an entire wall of windows rather than wall cabinets under a high or small window. We put the storage cabinets on the other three walls, and allow light to enter through the sliding glass panels. These floor-to-ceiling panels also open to the terrace room, providing easy access to the out-of-doors, an important feature in modern life with so much outdoor entertaining.



The kitchen in the Knoll house is a family area with a fireplace



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Just as the cabinetwork in any part of the house becomes a very important element in its furnishings, so it is with the kitchen. It is susceptible to the same attention that the architect might give to cabinetwork in a library or elsewhere. My personal predilection at the moment is for fine, elegantly finished wooden or metal cabinets, though earlier in my career I wanted all natural finished, wooden cabinets.

It is extremely important to have nice looking equipment which is appropriate to the house. If one is doing a very informal house of natural wood interiors and open-roof framing and brick floors, then anything except wooden cabinets would be wrong. On the other hand, if one is doing a more sophisticated house, like my own town house in New York, where the floors are marble and the walls are prepared for modern paintings, then either baked enamel or metal cabinets are fine and perfectly fitting. Cabinets with a wood finish which are detailed like modern cabinetwork are also very nice.

The kitchen should be planned so that it looks like an integral part of the house, not like a laboratory or a secondary work area. Speaking of materials, we have found in our own kitchen that there is nothing more elegant than marble as a flooring material. We have found it extremely practical. Travertine could be used or I see no reason why one could not have wood parquet floors in the kitchen either. I think these materials are infinitely more attractive, and marble and travertine are certainly more permanent, than the composition floors. I believe wood or marble are perfectly easy to maintain, and we have learned that marble flooring presents no problem.

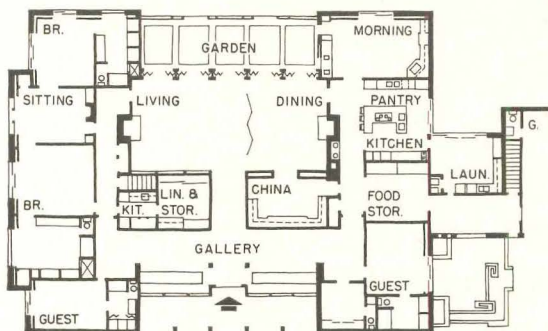
As a result of streamlining, which was a big notion along in the Twenties, architects for a while were neglecting certain functional aspects of kitchen design. For instance, in the effort to streamline kitchen equipment, ovens and even refrigerators were placed under counters where they were difficult to reach and cumbersome to use.

I remember that back in the Thirties I was one of several architects selected from all over the country to judge a cookstove competition. The competition was arranged by one of the professional journals, and we architects assembled to select the best range. We had been briefed beforehand by our distaff consultants who advised us to get the oven out from under the counter. Among the entries there, we saw for the first time the idea of the cookstove being separated into components—the oven and the range. Now, a couple of decades later, this is a standard design and one which is mass produced. It is no longer unusual to see a separate oven built into the wall at the proper height and the separate cooking ele-

ments set on a counter where they belong.

I have accepted the idea that all the sinks, refrigerators, dishwashing and laundry equipment should be built-in. My esthetic requirements in this matter make me accept the idea of built-in equipment as opposed to the old-fashioned wood burning range out in the open and the icebox on the back porch. I like the appearance of the built-in equipment, and I assume that it can be designed so that its moving parts are readily accessible. In my own kitchen, we have a wall-hung refrigerator which we can easily look into. It's marvelous.

The idea of movable equipment is an interesting one. Because the refrigerator is a bulky object and the sink is immobile, I don't see really too much chance of moving these things around. Of course, one could have a grill that could plug in elsewhere, and a heating element that would keep vegetable, casseroles and chafing dishes warm. This would really facilitate our outdoor living habits since we could then do indoor-outdoor mobile cooking.



Kitchen areas in the Ford Jones house are extensive and very decorative





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BATHROOMS: A TREND TO MORE LUXURY

by EVELYN JABLOW, A.I. D., *Member of Board of Governors of American Institute of Interior Designers*

The bathroom is rapidly becoming the most favored retreat in the American home. It is getting more focus and attention as an important room in the house than it has ever been given before. Up until now the home builder considered the bathroom a well coordinated unit if the plumbing fixtures were in matching colors. On occasion he extended himself and added contrasting wall and floor colors. The results were usually dreary combinations, such as dubonnet-colored fixtures and washed out yellow beige walls and floors. The prospective home owner, in past days, was easily satisfied if he found the expected sink, toilet, tub and shower. Floor space was usually at a minimum and little thought was given to lighting. From a builder's viewpoint, in those years, the kitchen was his big selling point. Times have changed.

Houses Now Have More, Bigger Baths

Since World War II the trend toward relaxation and leisure has grown. The general average income is higher, and families have more money to invest in comforts for themselves. As a result the bathroom has become a more luxuriously furnished room. The increased income has given people the incentive and wherewithal to indulge themselves. According to a recent National Association of Home Builders survey, the number of baths in new homes has increased dramatically.

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When architect and interior designer work together from the beginning, it is to the client's advantage. In this ideal situation it is possible to have an interior that is designed and coordinated with the architectural concept of the house. In the photo at right George Nemeny, A.I.A., designed the bathroom and selected all materials used. Evelyn Jablow, A.I.D., color coordinated the tile, selected the marble for the counter and specified a blue lacquer finish on the cabinets.



Marcel Breuer, A.I.A., keeps this bathroom functional; making use of all tile walls, floors, counters, and plastic chair, for easy maintenance. He saves the lush feeling for a private patio, that would be any interior designer's delight to furnish with the new aluminum lounge chairs and rockers

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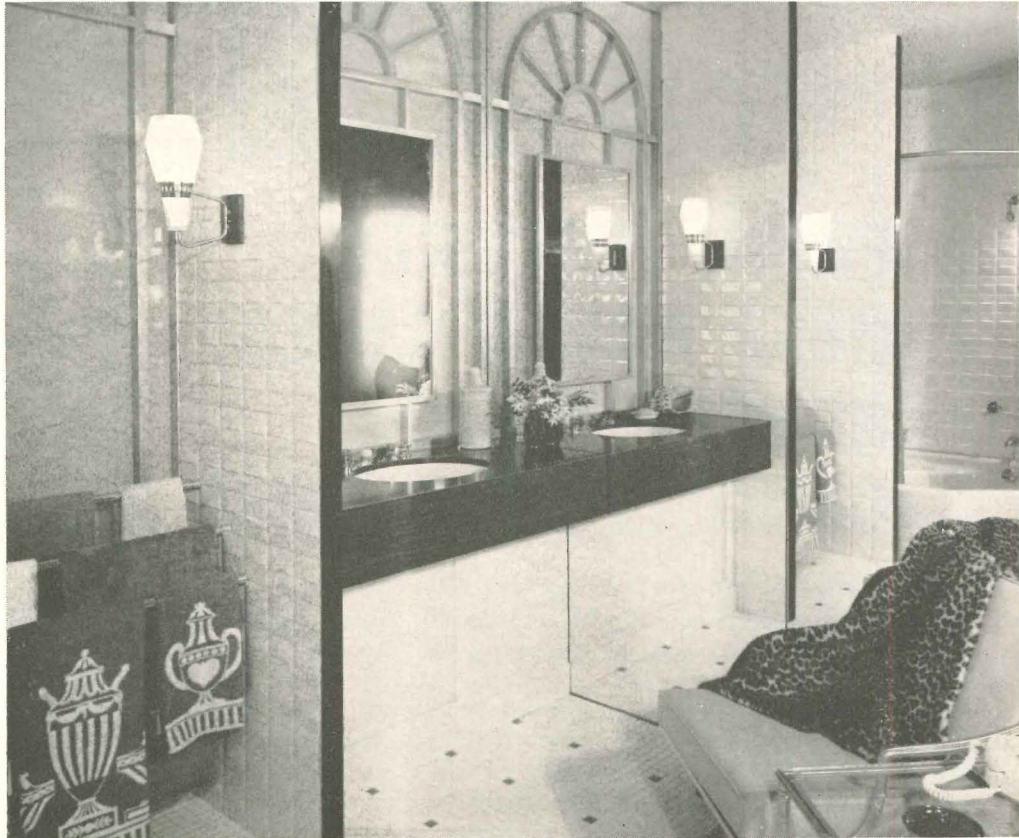
cally. In the New York area alone, the percentage of homes being built with one- and one-half baths has doubled in one year. The number of new homes with two complete bathrooms is also increasing. It is evident to architects and builders that the bathroom is coming into its own. This hitherto practical and utilitarian room is now getting full attention from manufacturers and interior designers alike.

Teamwork aids in advances

Architects and interior designers are working together, and in many instances with builders, to make the bathroom a useful, relaxing, and attractive place in the house. Good lighting for shaving and make-up areas, flat surfaces for setting down bottles and brushes, acoustic ceilings, quiet fixtures, good ventilation, air conditioning, moisture-proof and waterproof surfaces are all part of the new good planning. While the architect works on new designs and space planning, the interior designer has begun to make the bathroom pleasing to the eye. Color, towels as pretty as table linen, furniture that could be used in any part of the house, elegant lighting fixtures, beautiful wall coverings began to make their appearance in this long neglected room. At the same time builders are able to carry out these designed bathrooms by using good-

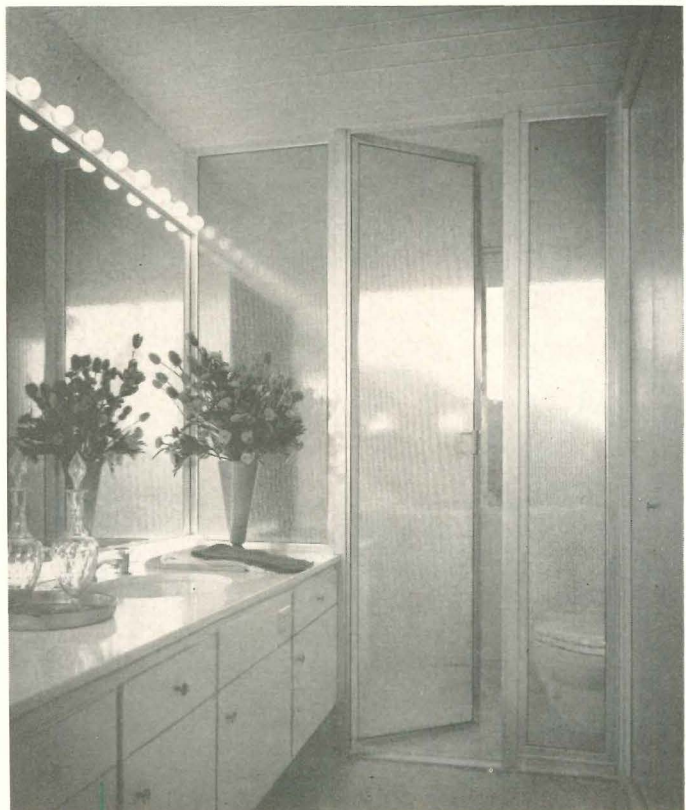
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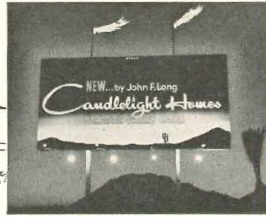
The skilled interior designer knows that a long, narrow area must be handled with special materials to create a feeling of greater spaciousness. Thus, using interesting glass for a wall and door can effectively compartment the toilet area, giving privacy but at the same time keeping an open feeling. Incandescent bulbs done in the "old-theatre-dressing table" style make for simple but dramatic lighting. Cotton wall-to-wall carpet lends warmth and color repeated in towels and flowers



Tom Lee, A.I.D., has used classic architectural forms and motifs to characterize this bathroom. The angled tub, the open linen storage were done to create a spacious look. The lounge chair and leopard throw rug give a luxurious feeling in this well-designed traditional room

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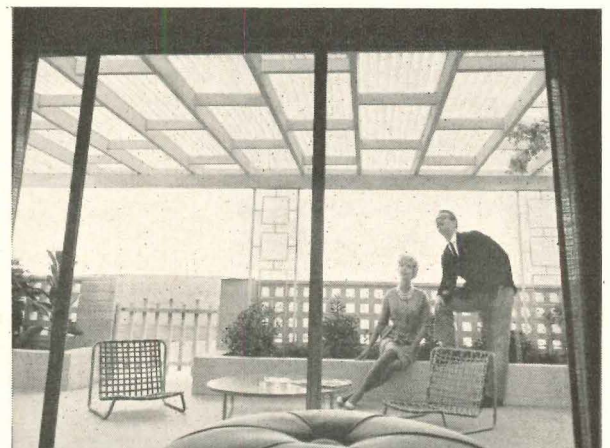
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looking, ready-made storage cabinets with built-in hampers in decorator finishes and colors, shower enclosures that are standard, tubs in rectangular and square shapes, and medicine cabinets with sliding doors.

New Fixtures and Products Abound

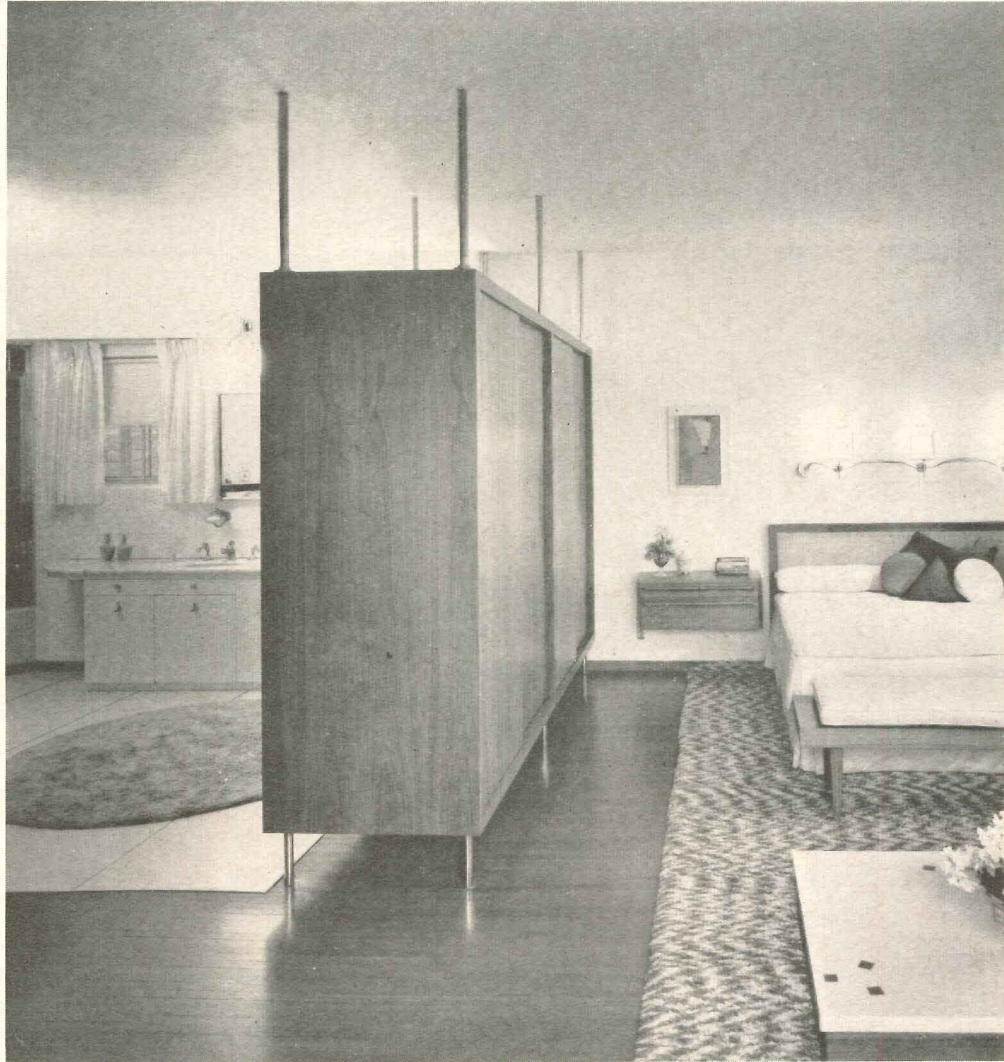
Almost every room in the house has gone through a variety of styles and periods. At each innovation or trend the manufacturers have risen to the occasion and flooded the market with new floor coverings, wall coverings, lamps, lighting fixtures, furniture and accessories.

Elegant Materials Add New Look

Today the bathroom is "it." The long list of materials and devices which are used to make this old room have a new sumptuous look include marble, terrazzo, mosaics, glass mosaic, stained glass windows, carpeting, fine cabinetwork, paintings, sculpture, music, garden areas, gold and crystal fixtures, sun lamps, massage tables, sunken tubs, and modern or antique furniture and appointments.

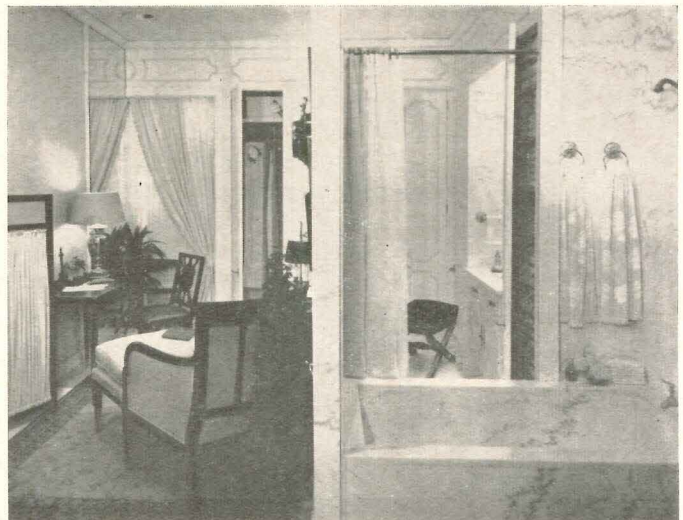
Compartmented Baths Add Usefulness

Where space will allow, the toilet, tub, lavatory, and even the shower are all compartmented. The long counter with two and even three sinks has become popular. Many bathrooms have connecting dressing rooms
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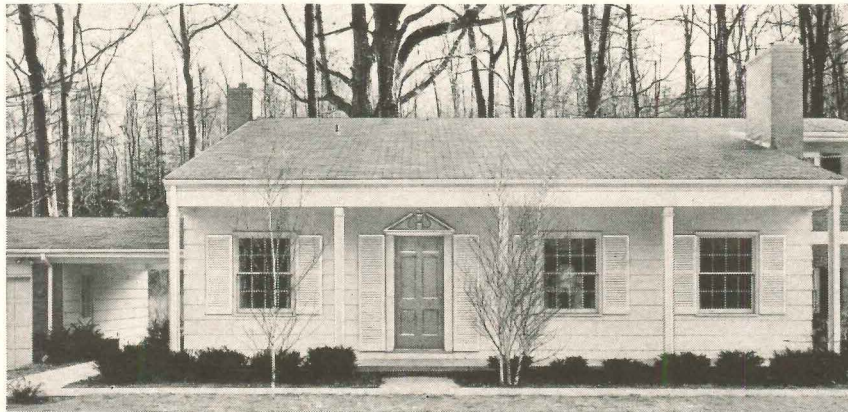
This is a combination bedroom-bathroom, done in one, large open area. Suspended closets act as room dividers, and Evelyn Jablow, A.I.D., designed these to open on both sides of the room. The bathroom can also be used as a full dressing room

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	A. Imperial RBE-90, RBE-G95	29 $\frac{5}{16}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$		E. Imperial RBE-90, RBE-G95	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$ †
	B. Custom Imperial RBE-99*	44 $\frac{7}{8}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$		F. Custom Imperial RBE-99*	44	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$ †
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	D. Compact 30 Range RBE-530, RBE-533	25 $\frac{5}{16}$	30 $\frac{3}{4}$	22 $\frac{3}{4}$		H. Compact 30 Range RBE-530, RBE-533	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	20 $\frac{1}{2}$

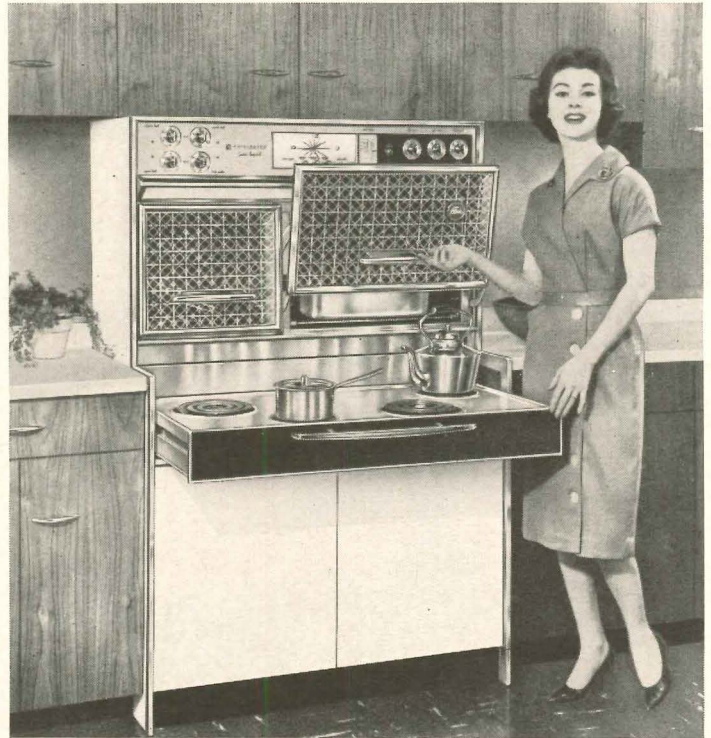
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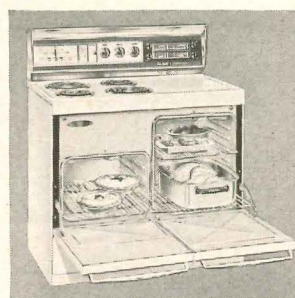
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Imperial RBB-101	32 $\frac{1}{4}$	20 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	31	19
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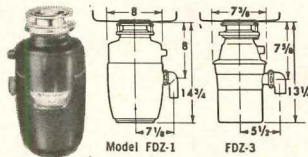


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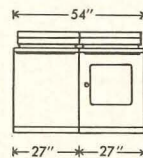
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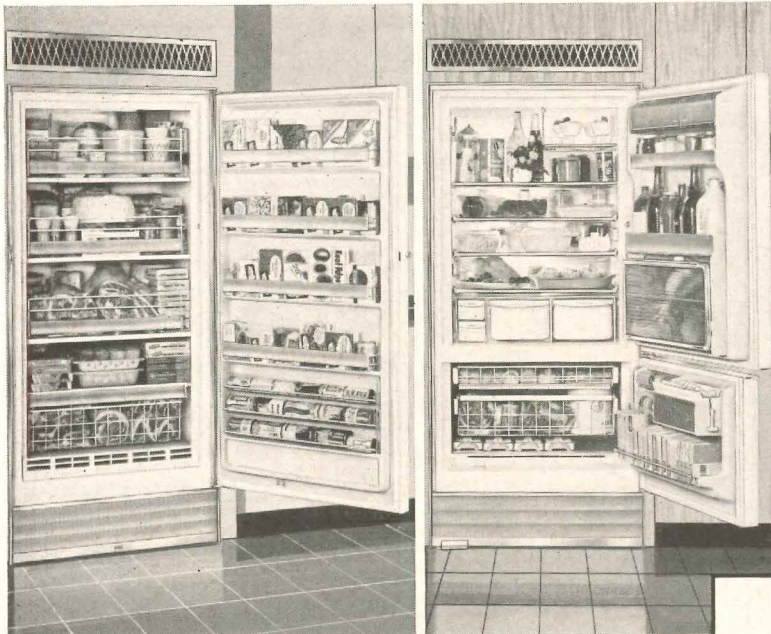
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*†FPI-14T-62, *#PFPI-14T-62, *FPD-13B-62, FPD-14T-62

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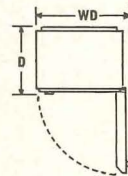
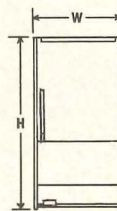
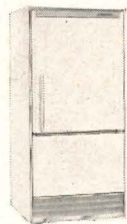
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(DIMENSIONS CHART)

Refrigerators	H	*W	D	**WD
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DeLuxe				
D-10-62	57½	24	28½	25¾
DA-12-62	59¾	30	28¾	30
D-12-62	59¾	30	28¾	30
D-14-62	64	32	28¾	34½
FD-11-62	59¾	30	28¾	30
FD-13-62	64	32	28¾	34½
FD-13T-62	64	32	28¾	34½
Frost-Proof DeLuxe				
FPD-14T-62	64	32	28¾	34½
FPD-13B-62	64	32	29¾	34½
Imperial				
FI-13T-62	64	32	28¾	34½
Frost-Proof Imperial				
FPI-14T-62	64	32	28¾	34½
FPI-13B-62	64	32	29¾	34½
FPI-15B-62	69¾	32	28¾	35¾
Upright Food Freezers	H	*W	D	**WD
DeLuxe				
UFD-11-62	59¾	30	28¾	30
UFD-13-62	64	†32	29¾	32¾
UFD-15-62	69¾	†32	29¾	39
UFD-21-62	70	†36¾	32	43¾
DeLuxe Frost-Proof				
UFPD-12-62	64	32	29¾	32¾
Imperial Frost-Proof				
UFPI-17-62	69¾	†32	29¾	35¾

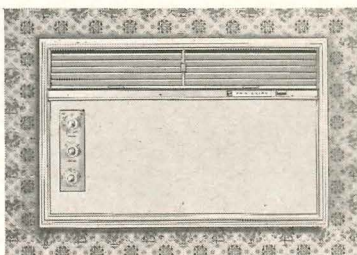
*Allow ¼" additional width for recessed installation.

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†Additional 2" to insert key in lock if built-in flush with front.

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	Width	Depth	Height	Cooling Capacities BTU/HR. **
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*All-Seasons Model with cooling and heating.

**NEMA Standard. Models also available for Thru-the-Wall installation.



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rooms fitted out with specially designed storage space. In the development of the bathroom-dressing room area the interior designer finds more and more work to do. The designing, styling and decorating he does throughout the client's house now includes the bathing-dressing space. The interior designer is being called upon to use his skill to change the once prosaic functions of the bathroom into a room where the client can relax and restore himself in comfort and style.

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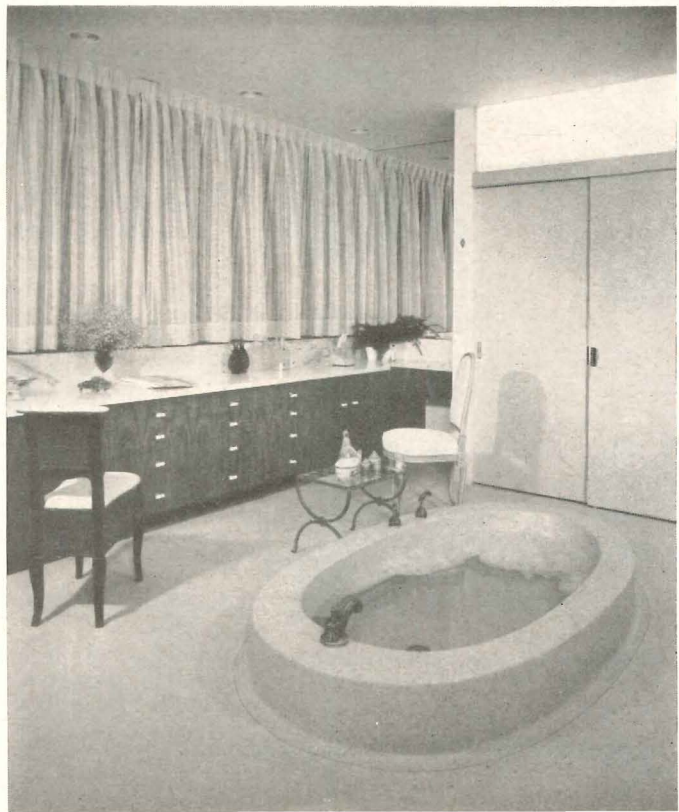
The role of the professional interior designer is an increasingly important one today in the initial home planning stage. The professional interior designer is called in with growing frequency by architects and builders to coordinate the interiors in the preliminary planning of the house. In a country where there is the largest market of all kinds of building and hard goods, the variety of products and styles makes selection extremely difficult for the consumer. In the home furnishing field the trained interior designer knows how to lay out interior space and place furniture to the best advantage, has a knowledge of today's trends, is aware of new products on the market, is a color expert, and has the talent and ability to create a well-designed and integrated interior.

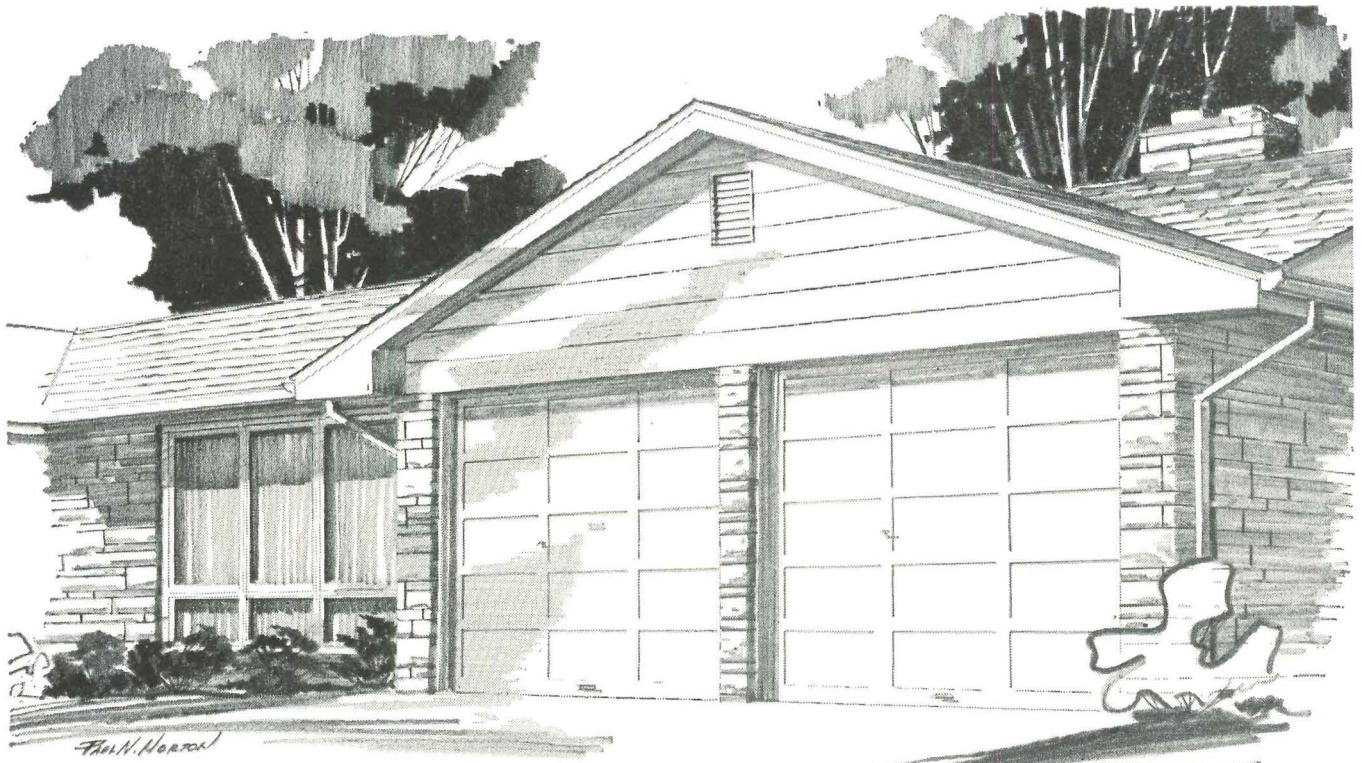
Melanie Kahane, A.I.D., has kept the handsome oval tub in the center of the room as a focal point. She has designed built-in closets on one wall, and has used walnut for the storage cabinets under the marble sink and counter top. An antique prayer chair adds an individual note



John Wisner, A.I.D., has brought an oriental influence into a bathroom which he has called a "restful living area." The use of wood paneling, shoji screens and a garden area behind the tub make for a serene and unusual bathroom. A tile floor and specially designed tub with sitting ledges illustrate how the most practical of materials can be combined with stylish furnishings to make a bathroom a place to relax in

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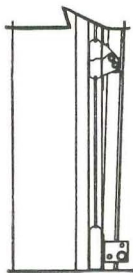
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YEAR ROUND AIR CONDITIONING: A NEW WAY TO COMPUTE HEAT LOADS

by JAMES D. NOLAN, *National Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Association*

If significant dates in the progress of the home building industry can be earmarked, certainly the past few months can be pinpointed as the period when indoor comfort in the United States came of age.

The heating and cooling industry has been moving swiftly toward the ultimate day when every one of the 58-million-plus dwellings would have year-round temperature, humidity, air movement and cleaning, humidification and de-humidification as an essential component properly designed, for the well being of the home dweller.

While this absolute achievement will not be part of our life until many years to come, several significant happenings during the last few months signal that a change is happening in the air-ducted heating and cooling industry. Changes that are suddenly exciting architects and builders to the merchandising possibilities of providing indoor living conditions that will bring true comfort, not just heat or warmth to prevent icicles from clinging to the people that dwell within.

Basically the design of a heating or cooling system is determined on how many Btu's are needed in each room to do the job. From that point the duct work must be designed to move the air, and the equipment must be sized properly.

For years there have been a multitude of methods to calculate and design a heating system. And for years architects, builders, and heating and cooling contractors have been plagued by the wide variation of end results if you apply the different methods to the same house.

The industry has not been unaware of this, but sometimes it takes a nudge to bring conformity or unification out of honest difference of engineering opinions.

The Federal Housing Administration furnished the push. They said, in effect, that the heating and cooling industry should get together and bring about a "universal" method for calculating heat loss. Thousands of hours of engineering time went into the project with the National Warm Air Heating & Air Conditioning Association working together with The Institute of Boiler & Radiator Manufacturers and the Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Institute.

Publication by National Warm Air of the new "universal" method has perhaps marked the moment of change. Now there is no longer a heating industry alone, instead it has become an air conditioning industry whose concern is total year-round comfort.

This claim has existed for years,

but with publication of the "universal" calculating method in Manual "J" by the National Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Association, the moment of change has been indelibly noted.

A much simplified, highly accurate method of figuring load, Manual "J" uses heat-transfer factors as did the Association's old Manuals 3 and 11, but the number of such factors has been sharply reduced. The old manuals listed over 8,800 factors but Manual "J" has condensed this into about 1,000 factors.

In another step to simplify the calculation procedure, Manual "J" does away with the need for multiplying the U factor by the design temperature difference. Factors are now given for the design temperature difference—the multiplication being already done.

Format of the new manual has been streamlined by separating the contents into three principal divisions:

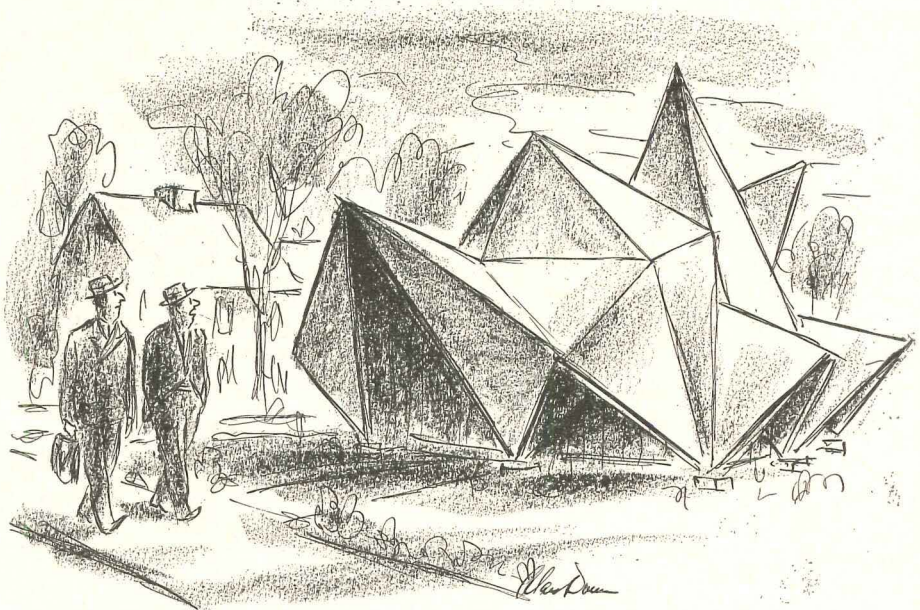
First, there are 24 pages containing a description of the new procedure with a detailed example. All of the normal conditions relating to heat gain and heat loss calculations are described in this section.

Second, the middle portion—the working section of the manual—contains tables, maps and related material to make a complete calculation.

Third, the manual contains all the unusual factors governing home and building construction, implemented by structural illustrations.

The National Association has prepared a companion worksheet identified as Form J-1 to be used for both heating and cooling calculations—formerly different

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Table 2
HEAT TRANSFER MULTIPLIERS (Heating)

Design Temperature Difference, Degrees	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	Coef. of thermal Cond. U ¹
WALLS																
No. 1 Frame and veneer-on-frame																
(a) No insulation	8	9	10	12	13	14	16	17	18	20	21	22	23	25	26	0.26
(b) Less than 1-in. insulation, or one reflective air space	6	7	8	9	10	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	0.19
(c) 1-in. or more but less than 2-in. insul., or two reflective air spaces	4	5	5	6	7	7	8	8	9	10	10	11	12	12	13	0.13
(d) 2-in. to 3-in. insulation inclusive, or three reflective air spaces	2	3	3	4	4	4	6	6	6	6	6	7	7	8	8	0.08
(e) More than 3-in. insulation	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	6	6	0.06
No. 2 Masonry walls, 8-in., 10-in. or 12-in. block or brick																
(a) Plastered or plain	14	17	19	22	24	26	29	31	34	36	38	41	43	46	48	0.48
(b) Furred, no insulation	9	11	12	14	15	17	18	20	21	23	24	26	27	29	30	0.30
(c) Furred, with less than 1-in. insulation or one reflective air space	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	0.20
(d) Furred, with 1-in. to 2-in. insulation inclusive, or two reflective air spaces	4	5	6	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	11	12	13	13	14	0.14
(e) Furred, with more than 2-in. insulation, or three reflective air spaces	3	3	4	4	5	5	5	6	6	7	7	8	8	9	9	0.09
(f) Crawl-space wall, 1-in. or less perimeter insulation	8	9	10	12	13	14	16	17	18	20	21	22	23	25	26	0.26
(g) Same as (f), for crawl-space plenum system	10	12	14	15	17	19	20	22	24	26	27	29	31	32	34	0.34
(h) Below grade	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	6	6	0.06
No. 3 Partitions																
(a) Frame, finished one side only, no insulation	18	21	24	27	30	33	36	39	42	45	48	51	54	57	60	0.60
(b) Frame, finished both sides, no insulation	10	12	14	15	17	19	20	22	24	26	27	29	31	32	34	0.34
(c) Frame, finished both sides, more than 1-in. insulation, or two reflective air spaces	4	5	6	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	11	12	13	13	14	0.14
(d) Masonry, plastered one side, no insulation	11	12	14	16	18	19	21	23	25	26	28	30	32	33	35	0.35
DOORS																
No. 4 Wood																
	15	18	20	23	25	28	30	33	35	38	40	43	45	48	50	0.50
CEILING AND ROOFS																
No. 5 Ceilings under naturally vented attic or vented flat roof																
(a) Uninsulated (unvented attic)	10	11	13	14	16	18	19	21	22	24	26	27	29	30	32	0.32
(b) Less than 2-in. insulation, or one reflective air space	4	4	5	5	6	7	7	8	8	9	10	10	11	11	12	0.12
(c) 2-in. or more but less than 4-in. insul., or two reflective air spaces	3	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	7	8	8	9	9	10	10	0.10

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forms for each operation were necessary.

An added benefit of the new Manual "J," besides space and time savings resulting from the new presentation method, is decision making—always an important consideration. Now the loads can be determined quicker and easier.

Construction details are described in general, recognizable terms, instead of laborious details which have been in the past time-consuming. Yet all of the simplification has been accomplished without affecting the overall accuracy so essential to calculating heating and cooling design.

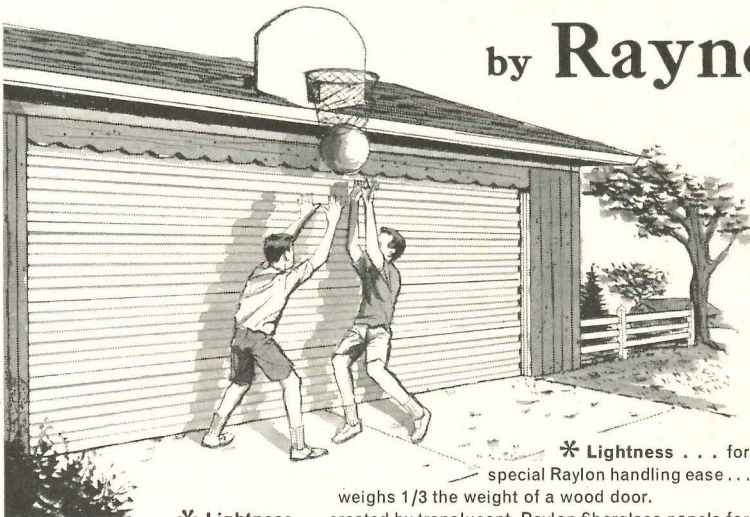
Broadened information on heat transmission through glass, more accurate and easier to use, is also found in Manual "J." Glass transfer tables are presented in a more lucid manner and represent the first time this information has been made readily available to builders, architects, and air conditioning contractors as well as engineers.

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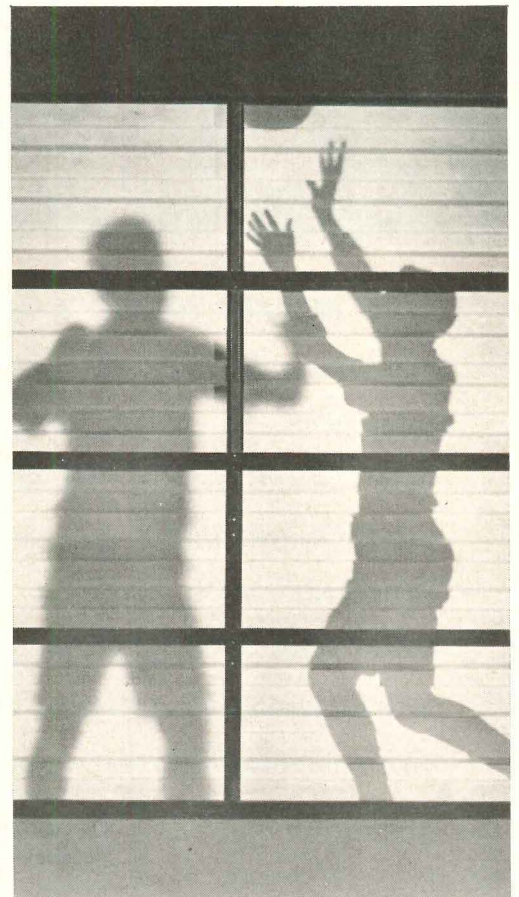
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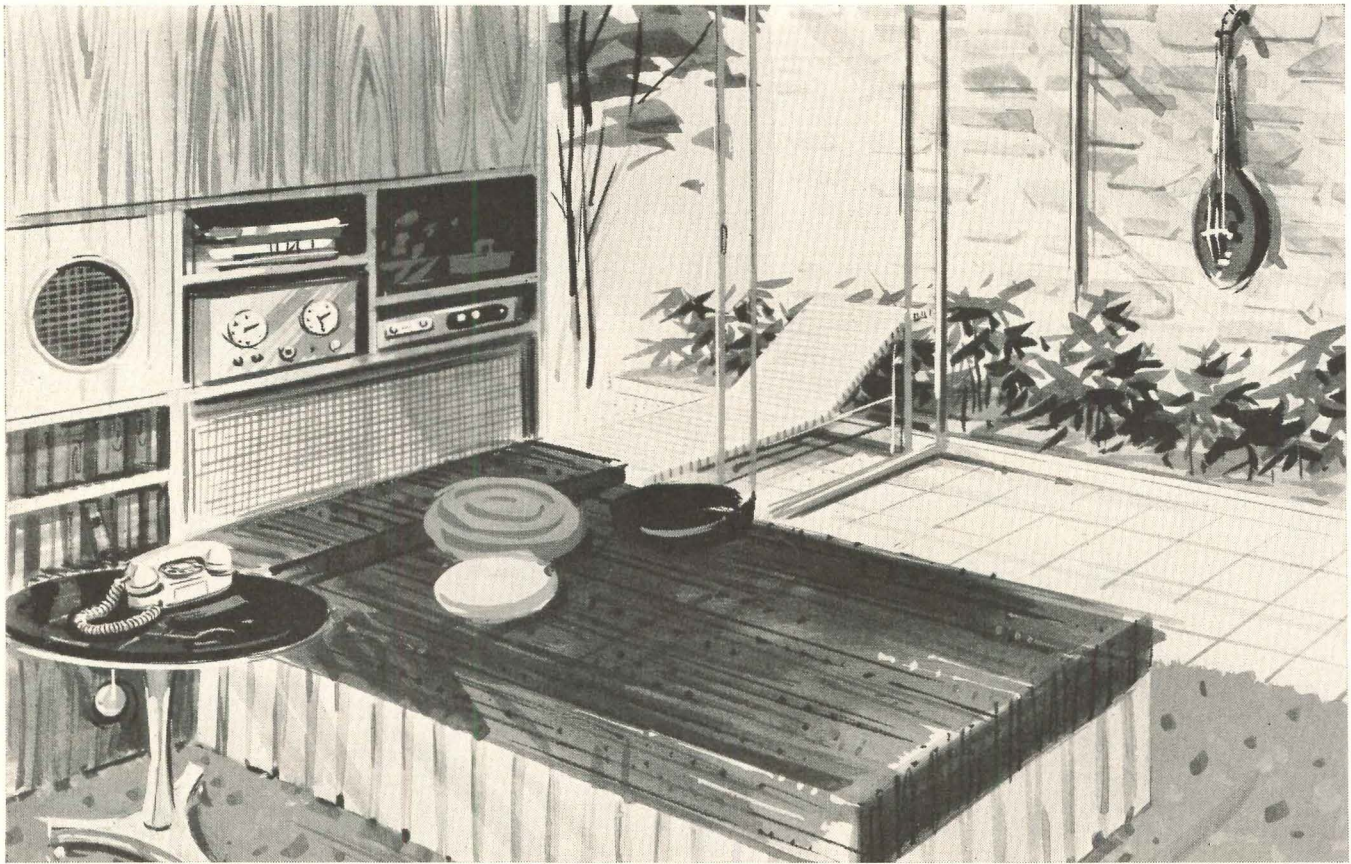
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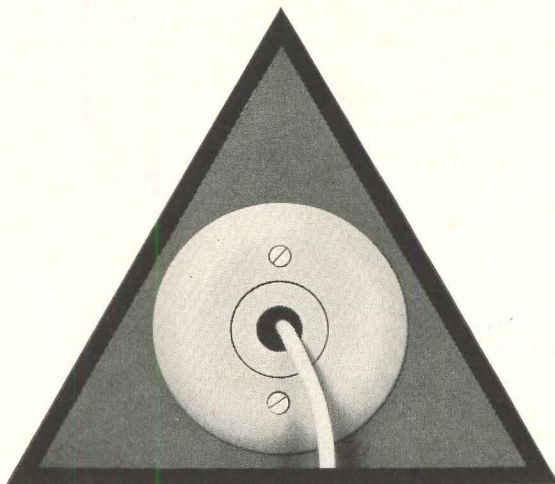


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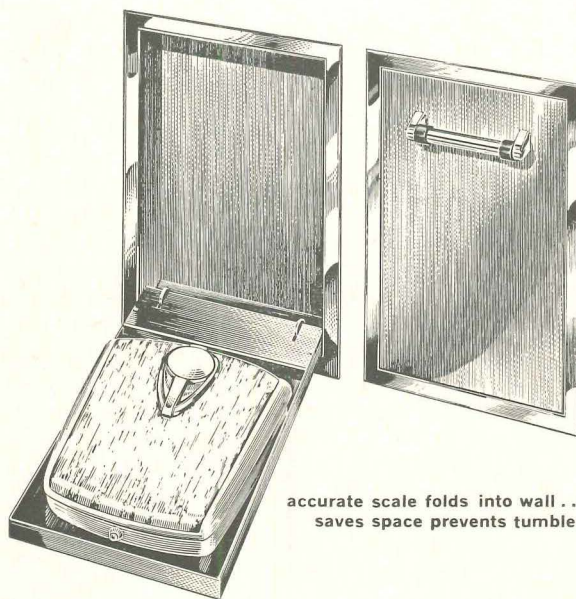
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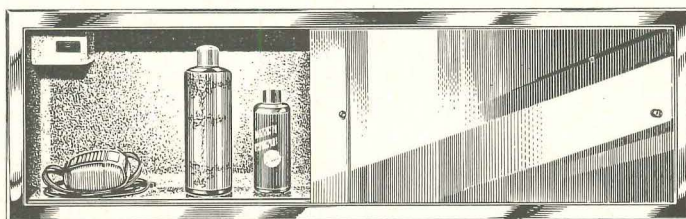
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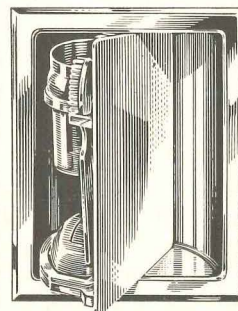
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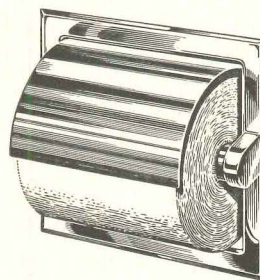


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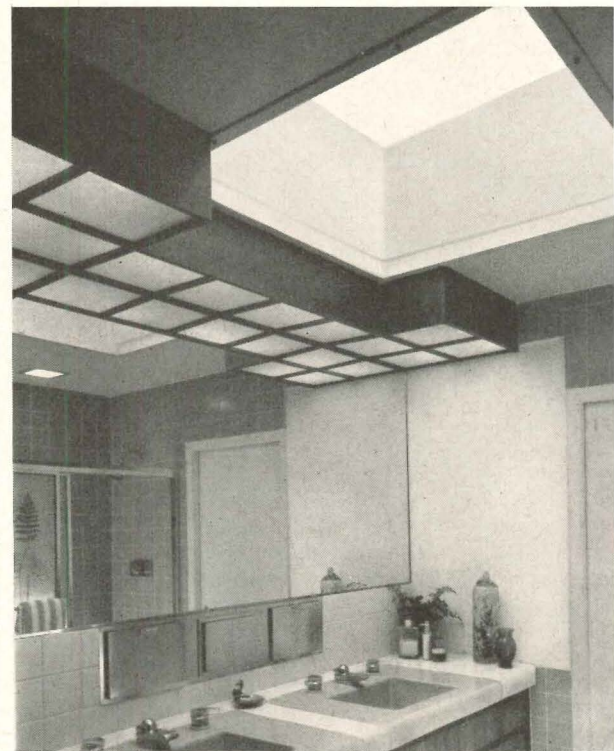
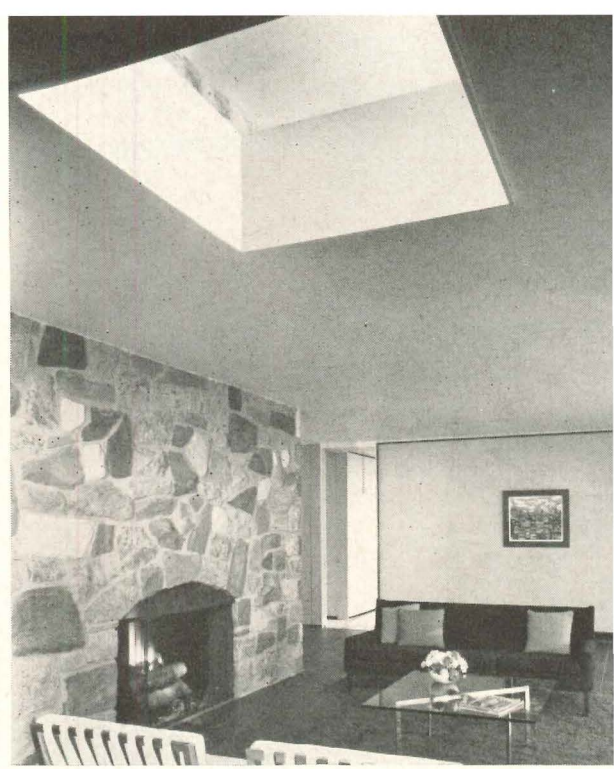
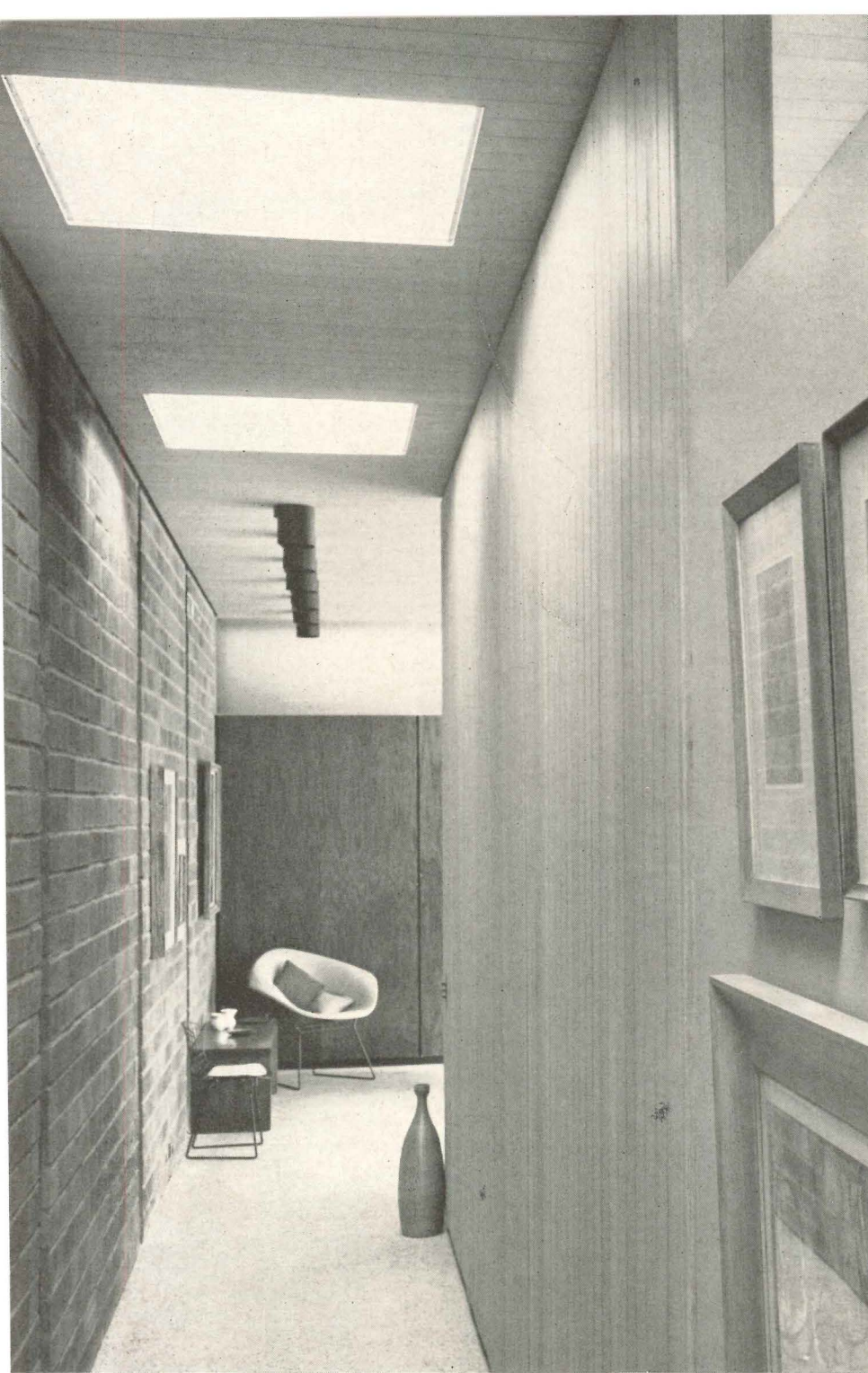
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Heat Loads 3: by James D. Nolan

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The National Warm Air Heating & Air Conditioning Association has already made the new manual available to all of its members. Non-members of the 49-year-old trade association may purchase a copy at \$2.50 per copy. Worksheets are priced at \$7.00 per one hundred.

We include here the basic procedure of the simplified method as presented in Manual "J," along with two of the critical new tables: Table 1, Outside Design Temperature; and Table 2, Heat Transfer Multipliers. The manual, as noted before, contains many other short cuts and simplifications in the calculations. Table 1, as presented here, is considerably condensed from the original, which has much greater coverage of different towns within each state. Both tables are copyrighted 1961 by the National Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Association.

for Table 1, see pages 46, 148, 151
for Table 2, see pages 38, 46, 148, 151

PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING Btuh HEAT LOSS FROM ROOMS

- A. Determine outside design temperature from Table 1.
- B. Select inside design temperature for rooms to be heated.
- C. The design temperature difference is the difference in temperature between inside and outside at design conditions. If the outside temperature is above 0 F, the design temperature difference is equal to indoor design temperature minus outside design temperature.

If the outside design temperature is below 0 F, the design temperature difference is equal to inside design temperature plus the number of degrees the design temperature is below 0 F.

- D. From Table 2 locate construction of exposed walls, windows, cold partitions, cold ceilings, and cold floors.
- E. From Table 2, determine heat transfer multiplier (HTM) for design temperature difference for each construction and type of exposure.
- F. Obtain area of exposed walls, including cold partitions, windows, and doors, in sq ft. This is the gross exposed wall area. Enter on worksheet for each room.
- G. Obtain areas of windows and doors. Enter on worksheet for each room.
- H. Subtract areas of windows and doors from gross exposed wall area for each room. This is the net exposed wall area. Enter on worksheet.
- I. Obtain the area of cold ceilings and cold floors exposed to outside temperature or to cold spaces.
- J. From Table 2, locate construction of windows, doors, and other cracks. Enter construction number and HTM in appropriate column of worksheet.
- K. Find the total length, in feet, of the crackage of the windows and outside doors for each room. Obtain the linear feet of crackage for all types of windows.
- L. The design heat loss through each window, door, cold ceiling and cold floor equals its area times the HTM for the construction. The infiltration heat loss around each window and door equals its length of crack times the HTM for the construction.
- M. Obtain total heat loss for each room by adding heat losses for walls, windows, cold partitions, cold ceilings, cold floors and infiltration. Repeat this procedure for each room including the basement.
- N. Obtain total heat loss for the entire house by adding the heat losses of the individual rooms in the structure. This value is later used in the selection of the furnace size.



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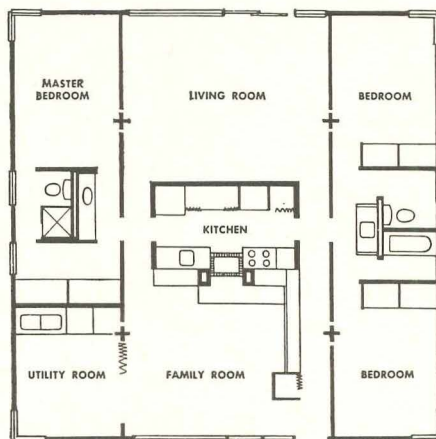


Table 2 (cont'd)

Design Temperature Difference, Degrees	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	Coef. of thermal Cond. U ¹
CEILING AND ROOFS																
(d) 4-in. to 5-in. insulation inclusive, or three or more reflective air spaces	2	3	3	4	4	4	6	6	6	6	6	7	7	8	8	0.08
(e) More than 5-in. insulation	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	5	5	5	0.05
No. 6 Built-up roof, no ceiling																
(a) Less than 1-in. roof insulation	14	17	19	22	24	26	29	31	34	36	38	41	43	46	48	0.48
(b) 1-in. to 2-in. roof insulation	6	7	8	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	0.21
(c) More than 2-in. roof insulation	5	5	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	11	12	13	14	14	15	0.16
No. 7 Ceilings under unconditioned rooms																
	7	8	10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	19	20	22	23	24	0.24
FLOORS																
No. 8 Over unconditioned rooms																
	4	5	6	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	11	12	13	13	14	0.14
No. 9 Over basement or enclosed crawl space																
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No. 10 Over open space																
(a) Less than 1-in. insulation	8	10	11	13	14	15	17	18	20	21	22	24	25	27	28	0.28
(b) 1-in. to 2-in. insulation inclusive	4	5	6	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	11	12	13	13	14	0.14
(c) More than 2-in. insulation	3	4	4	5	5	6	6	7	7	8	8	9	9	10	10	0.10
No. 11 Basement, concrete on ground																
	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	6	6	0.06
No. 12 Concrete slab, unheated																
	5	6	7	8	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	14	15	16	17	0.17
No. 13 Concrete, using perimeter system																
(a) No edge insulation ³	57	67	76	86	95	105	114	124	133	143	152	162	171	181	190	1.90
(b) 1-in. edge insulation ³	35	40	46	52	58	63	69	75	81	86	92	98	104	109	115	1.15
(c) 2-in. edge insulation ³	29	33	38	43	48	52	57	62	67	71	76	81	86	90	95	0.95
No. 14 Crawl space																
	5	6	6	7	8	9	10	10	11	12	13	14	14	15	16	0.16
WINDOWS																
No. 15 Single glass, vertical																
(a) No storm sash	34	40	45	51	57	62	68	73	79	85	90	96	102	107	113	1.13
(b) Tight fitting wood storm sash	14	16	19	21	24	26	28	31	33	35	38	40	42	45	47	0.47
(c) Tight fitting metal storm sash	18	21	24	27	30	32	35	38	41	44	47	50	53	56	59	0.59
(d) Removable storm sash	23	26	30	34	38	41	45	49	53	56	60	64	68	71	75	0.75
No. 16 Single glass, horizontal																
	42	49	56	63	70	77	84	91	98	105	112	119	126	133	140	1.40
No. 17 Double glass, 1/4-in. sealed air space																
	18	21	24	27	31	34	37	40	43	46	49	52	55	58	61	0.61
No. 18 Glass block, 3-1/8-in. thick																
(a) 5-1/2-in. x 5-3/4-in.	18	21	24	27	30	33	36	39	42	45	48	51	54	57	60	0.60
(b) 7-1/2-in. x 7-3/4-in.	17	20	22	25	28	31	34	36	39	42	45	48	50	53	56	0.56
(c) 11-3/4-in. x 11-3/4-in.	16	18	21	23	26	28	31	34	36	39	42	44	47	49	52	0.52

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State & City	Table 1 OUTSIDE DESIGN CONDITIONS FOR U.S.				Latitude Deg.
	Winter DB	Summer DB	Daily Range	Summer WB	
ALABAMA Birmingham	10	95	M	78	35
Mobile	20	90	L	80	30
ALASKA Fairbanks	-57	—	M	—	65
ARIZONA Phoenix	35	105	H	76	35
ARKANSAS Little Rock	10	95	M	78	35
CALIFORNIA Los Angeles	40	90	L	70	35
San Francisco	35	80	M	65	40
COLORADO Boulder	-15	95	M	64	40
CONNECTICUT New Haven	0	85	M	75	40
DELAWARE Wilmington	5	90	M	78	40
DIST. OF COLUMBIA Washington	10	90	M	78	40
FLORIDA Miami	45	90	L	79	25
Tampa	35	95	M	78	30
GEORGIA Atlanta	10	95	M	76	35
Savannah	25	95	M	78	30
IDAHO Boise	-10	95	H	65	45
ILLINOIS Chicago	-10	95	M	75	40
INDIANA Indianapolis	-10	95	M	76	40
IOWA Des Moines	-15	95	M	78	40
KANSAS Topeka	-10	100	M	78	40
KENTUCKY Louisville	0	95	M	78	40
LOUISIANA New Orleans	25	95	L	80	30
Shreveport	15	95	M	78	35
MAINE Bangor	-20	85	L	73	45
Portland	-10	85	M	73	45
MARYLAND Baltimore	10	90	M	78	40
MASSACHUSETTS Boston	0	85	M	74	40
Pittsfield	-10	90	M	75	40

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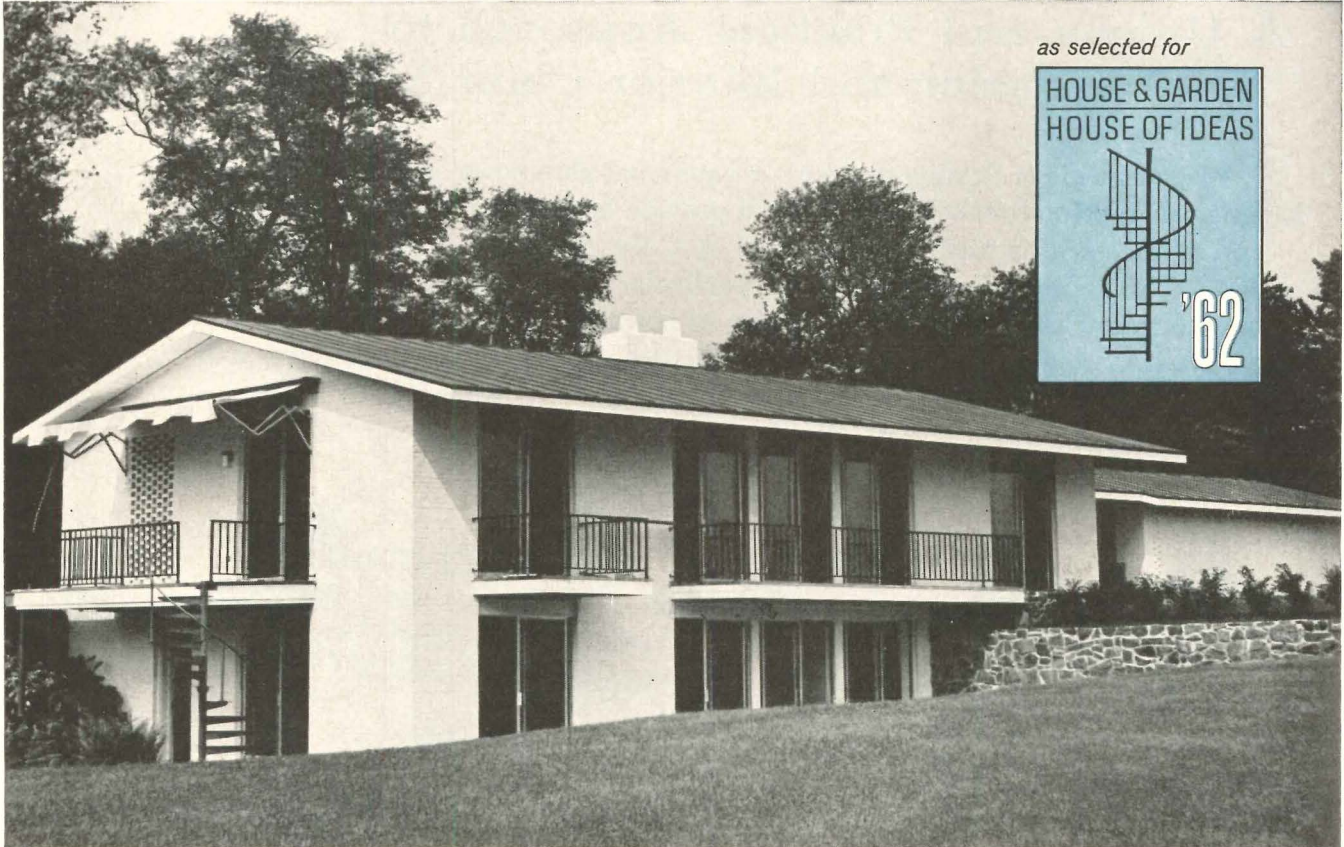


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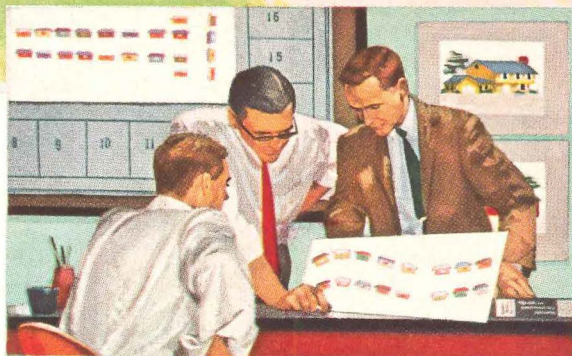
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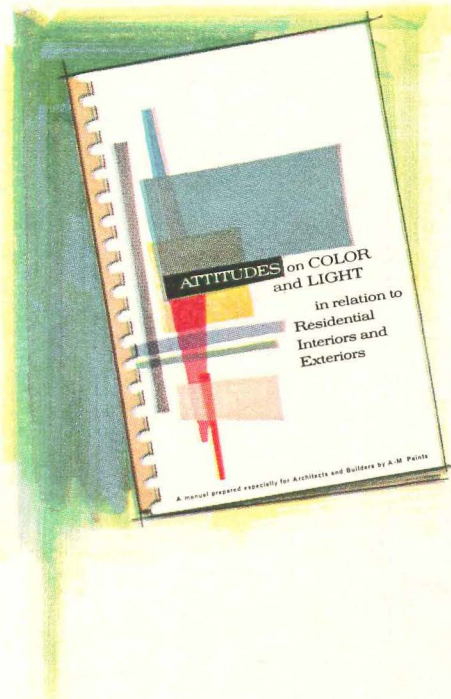
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RECORD HOUSES OF 1962

ARCHITECTURAL RECORD's seventh annual Awards Of Excellence For House Design are proudly presented to the twenty houses in this issue. As before, they were selected with the widest range of design, cost, geography and structure. To point up increasing evidence of better design in tract houses, five of them are included, and this issue is going to 20,000 builders to help foster a trend that can only be of benefit to everyone, as Mr. Lethbridge states below. Reprints will again be available in bookstores. A new feature is the Record Houses Reader Service Department for added product information (see p. 177). HERBERT L. SMITH JR.

“It is still possible, as these pages testify, for a prospective home owner to find a piece of land that suits his fancy, to retain an architect in whose ability he has confidence, and under whose guidance a builder-craftsman may construct his house with great skill and care. It is still a process of dedication, design and construction that will repay our careful study, and is a matter of social as well as artistic significance; for it must be conceded that the influence of the relatively few outstandingly good individual homes that are built each year is far out of proportion to their numbers. This small percentage of architect designed homes has traditionally acted as a catalyst in the process of changing standards of architectural taste and construction science, and even today there are more advances and new departures in construction techniques, as well as in design, made by these few rugged individualists than are developed by the combined resources of the great homebuilding industry as a whole • But most houses built in any year are built by the merchant builders, whose collective efforts make up the finished products of the homebuilding industry. As is the case with the products of many other industries, there is bound to be a wide range of quality in design and construction—in this instance far too little that is very good, surprisingly little that is totally bad, and far too much that is merely mediocre in design, if not in construction. We can ill afford to be unconcerned about an inadequate level of design in housing for we cannot easily ignore it, nor can we disregard its influence upon us all • We must all expect and demand—consumers, architects and builders alike—a higher level of beauty as well as utility in our communities of houses. The measure of our success in residential planning will be how well we can develop and use a greater degree of industrialization of production and of standardization of well-designed housing units, without sacrificing a sensitive and painstaking approach to the relation of each dwelling to its immediate neighbors, to the neighborhood as a whole, and to the nature of the site itself. Substantial progress will be made only after the weight of aroused and informed public opinion is brought to bear on the people who, directly or indirectly, plan, design, build and finance new communities of houses, wherever they may be built • There is no short cut method to achieve a high level of design, or even a satisfactory level. There are certain steps that must be followed, and the work must be coordinated by a qualified professional from beginning to end. It is futile to become involved in arguments at this point on the subject of exactly who it is who is to carry out this coordination of design and construction. The most important point is that it must be done, and, in fact, is done today too frequently by someone who is not qualified to do the work •”

BY FRANCIS D. LETHBRIDGE, CHAIRMAN A.I.A. HOMEBUILDING INDUSTRY COMMITTEE

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Development house for New Seabury, Cape Cod, Massachusetts

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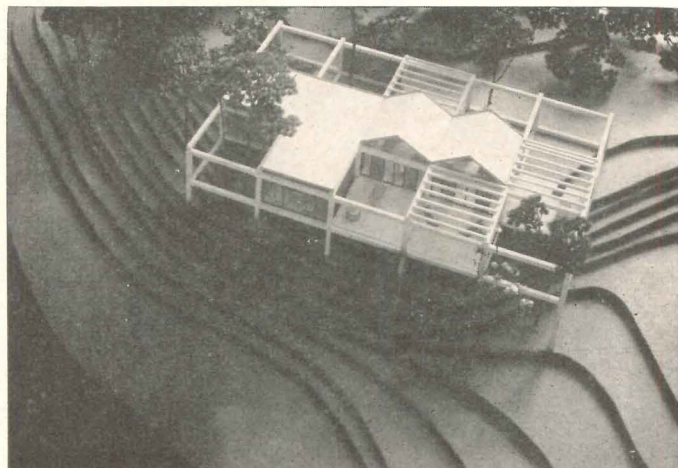
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Robert Damora and Melanie Kahane, Interior Design

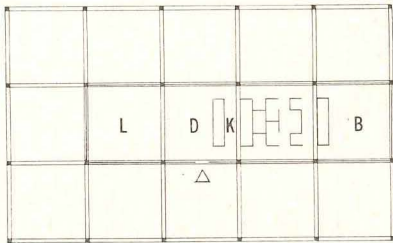


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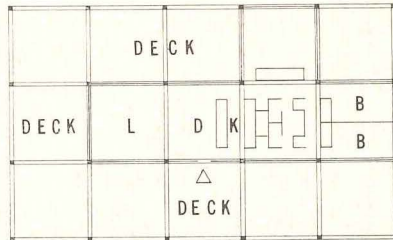
AN ARCHITECT'S ANSWER TO THE PRE-FAB TRACT HOUSE PROBLEM



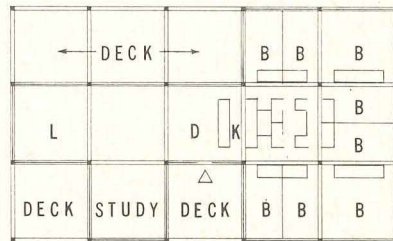
The onus of monotony, a burden of all too many of our large tract house developments, has been vigorously shed in this novel scheme. The architect and builder, working in close cooperation, have devised a moderate-priced house made of a minimum number of prefabricated component parts, which can be speedily put together in an endless variety of ways. No house need be identical to another; each may be adapted to individual requirements of family planning and site topography. Thus, for the projected 1000-house development, the effect will be that of homogeneity rather than repetition. Some architectural advice will be available on each house to insure a good plan arrangement, and to obtain a quality of fresh and spirited design parallel to the pilot model shown in the photographs and drawings on these pages.



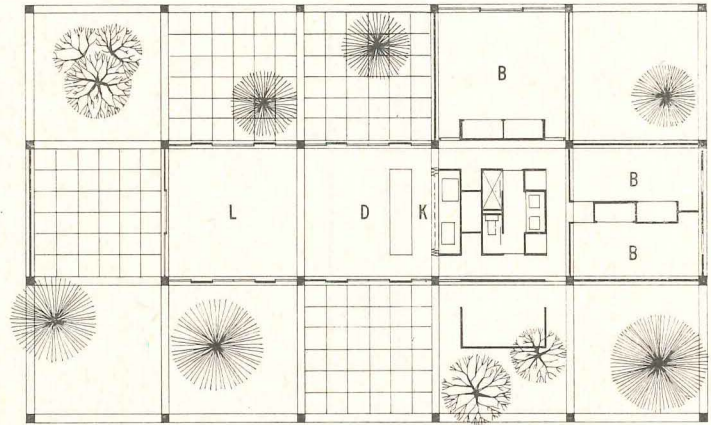
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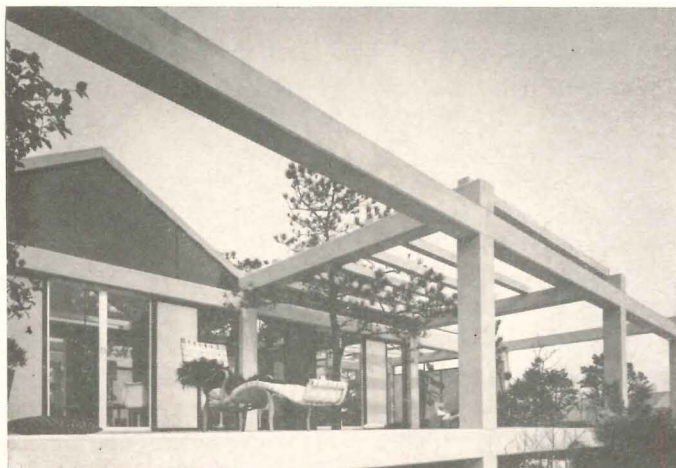


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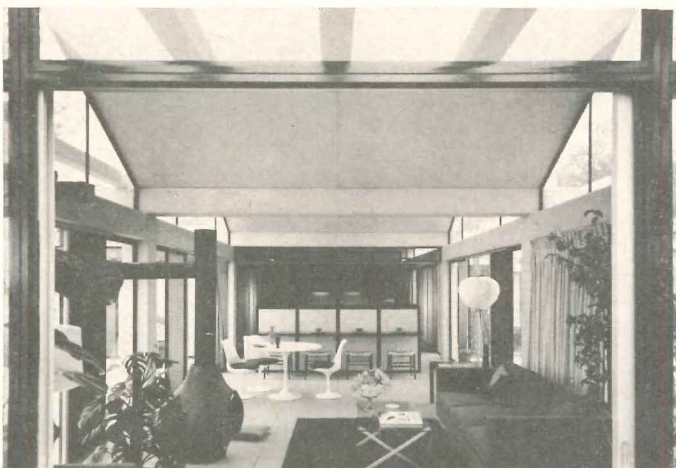


Planning for this New Seabury house is based on a grid of 16- by 16-ft units. These units interlock into adjacent units in four directions, and may be stacked vertically. Any number desired may be erected, and in any of a variety of patterns.

Within this structural framework, floors, roofs and walls may be added or eliminated to achieve a livable complex of enclosed rooms, covered or open courts and terraces or gardens. A standardized utility core, designed to fit in one of the spaces, contains all mechanical equipment.

The pilot model (larger plan at left) has five rooms and four terraces set in a pergola of 15 frame units. In volume production, it is expected to sell for \$20,000.

Besides the endless initial arrangements possible with the scheme, it also offers a design that can be easily expanded. The three plans shown at far left illustrate one way the house could be enlarged as the family needs grow. By building the entire network of frames at the outset, the house would have an air of size and interest even at its tiny beginning.



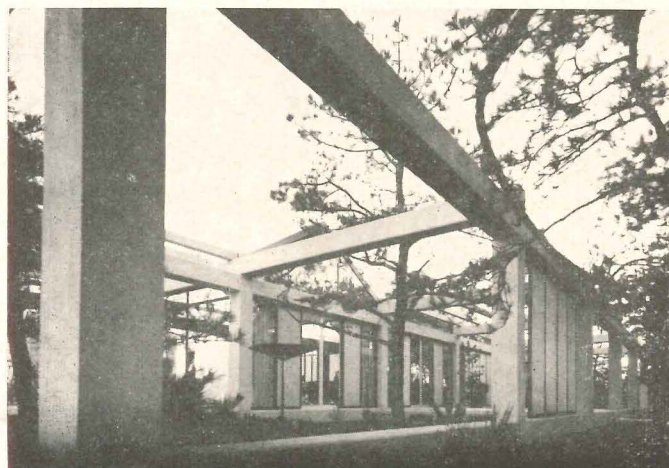
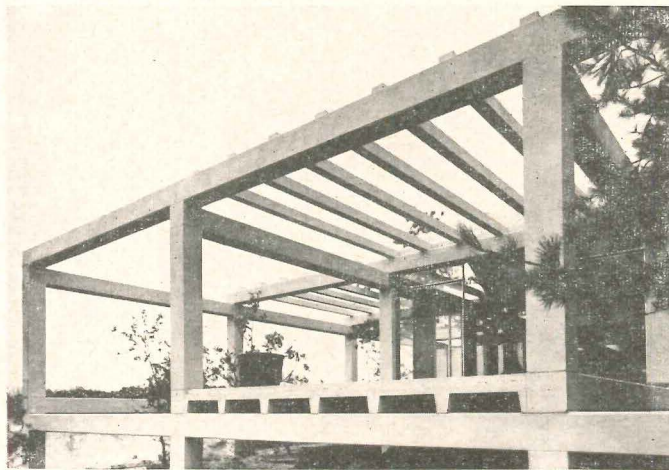
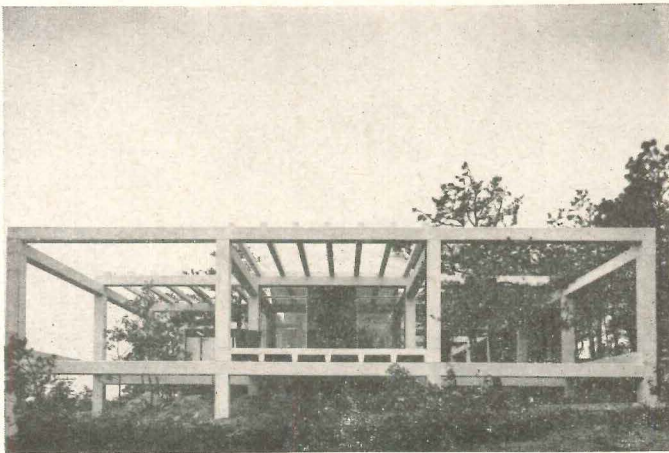
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AN INTERLOCKING FRAMEWORK
OF SPACES PERMITS PLANS
TO ADAPT TO OWNERS' NEEDS

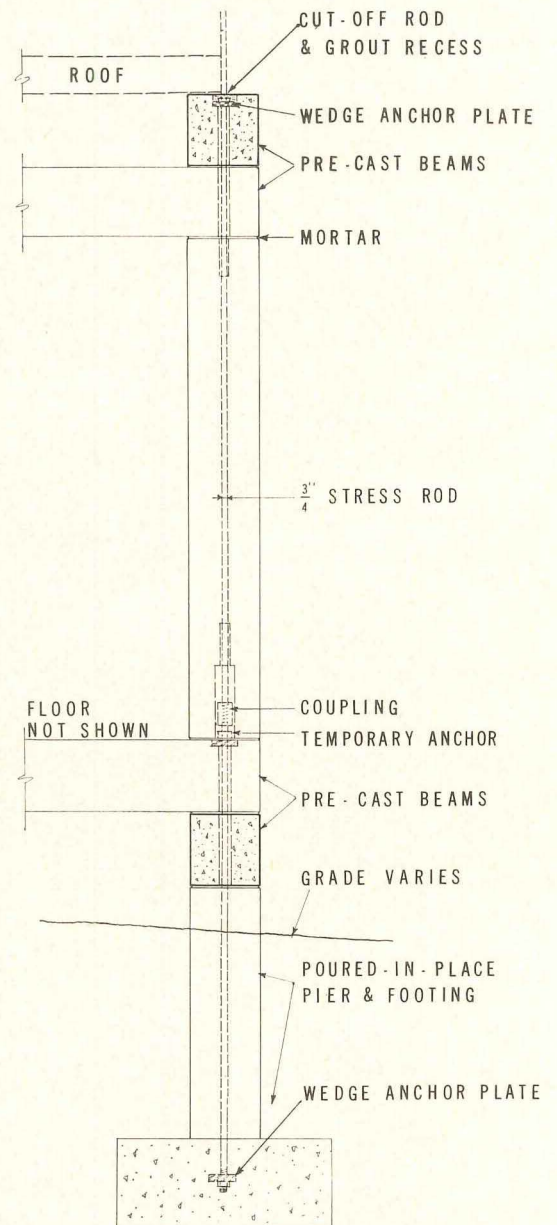
The architect of this New Seabury house states that, "concrete was used throughout in an effort to utilize the masonry fabrication plants during their slow winter months; the component parts are mass-produced and stockpiled in the winter, and are then available for speedy erection—two to three days—during the rest of the year."

There are six basic structural parts: (1) column or column blocks, (2) beam for floor and roof, (3) floor panel—poured concrete topping is added, (4) flat roof panel, (5) folded plate roof panel, (6) sun or trellis joist.

All members are hollow; voids in the floor panels serve as ducts for heating and utilities.



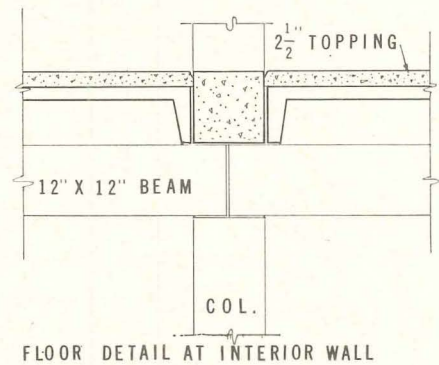
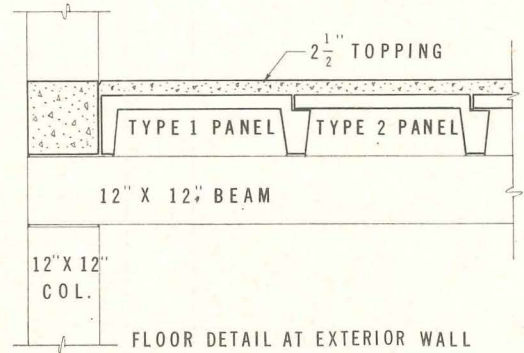
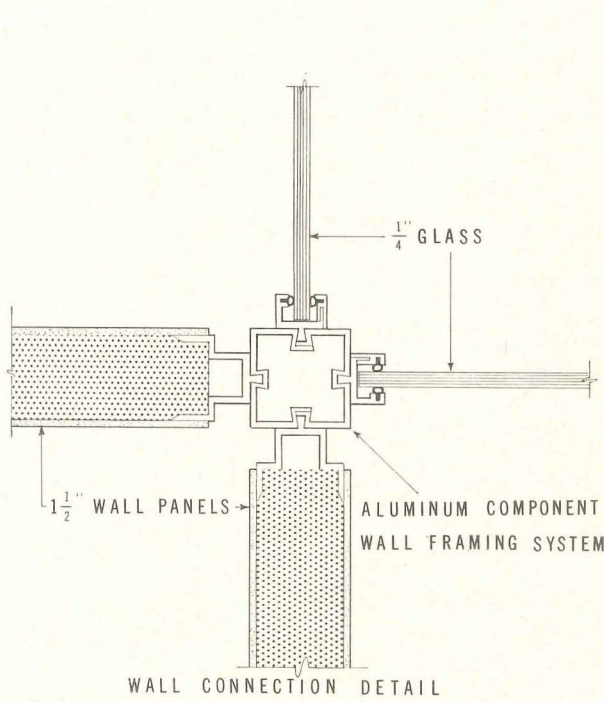
THE BASIC STRUCTURAL GRID IS ASSEMBLED FROM ONLY SIX PREFABRICATED COMPONENTS



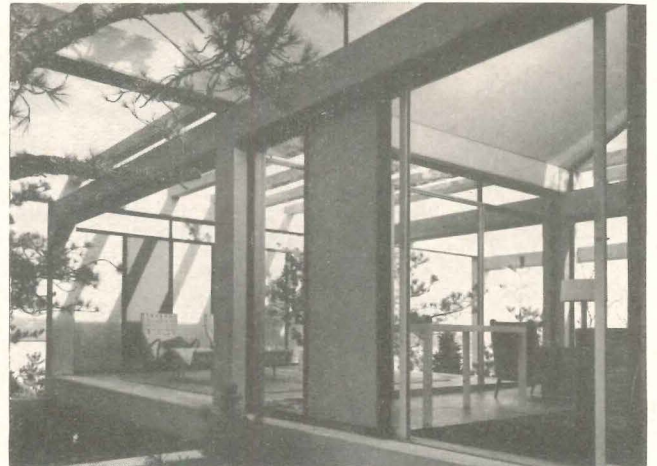
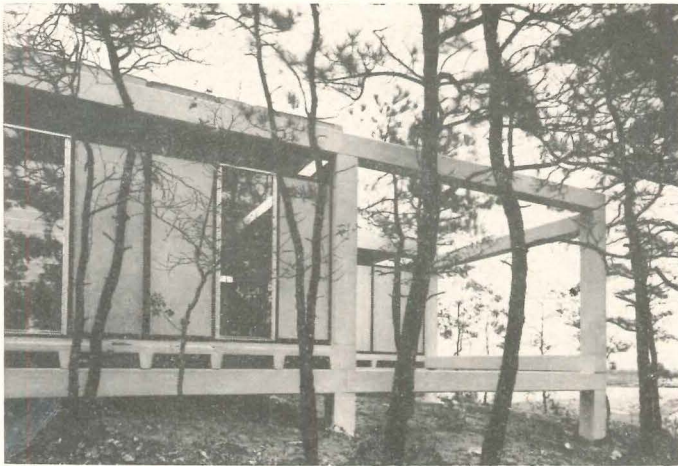
DIAGRAMMATIC SECTION OF SIX MEMBERS



A SYSTEM OF PANELS ENCLOSES ROOMS AS DESIRED

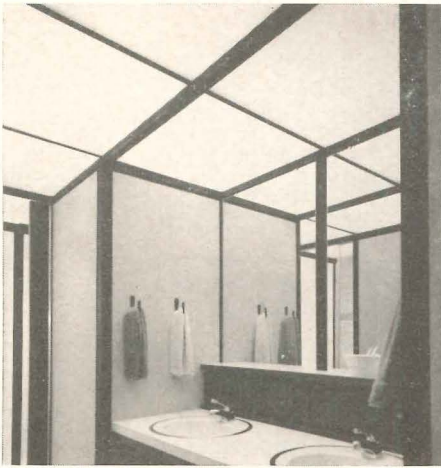
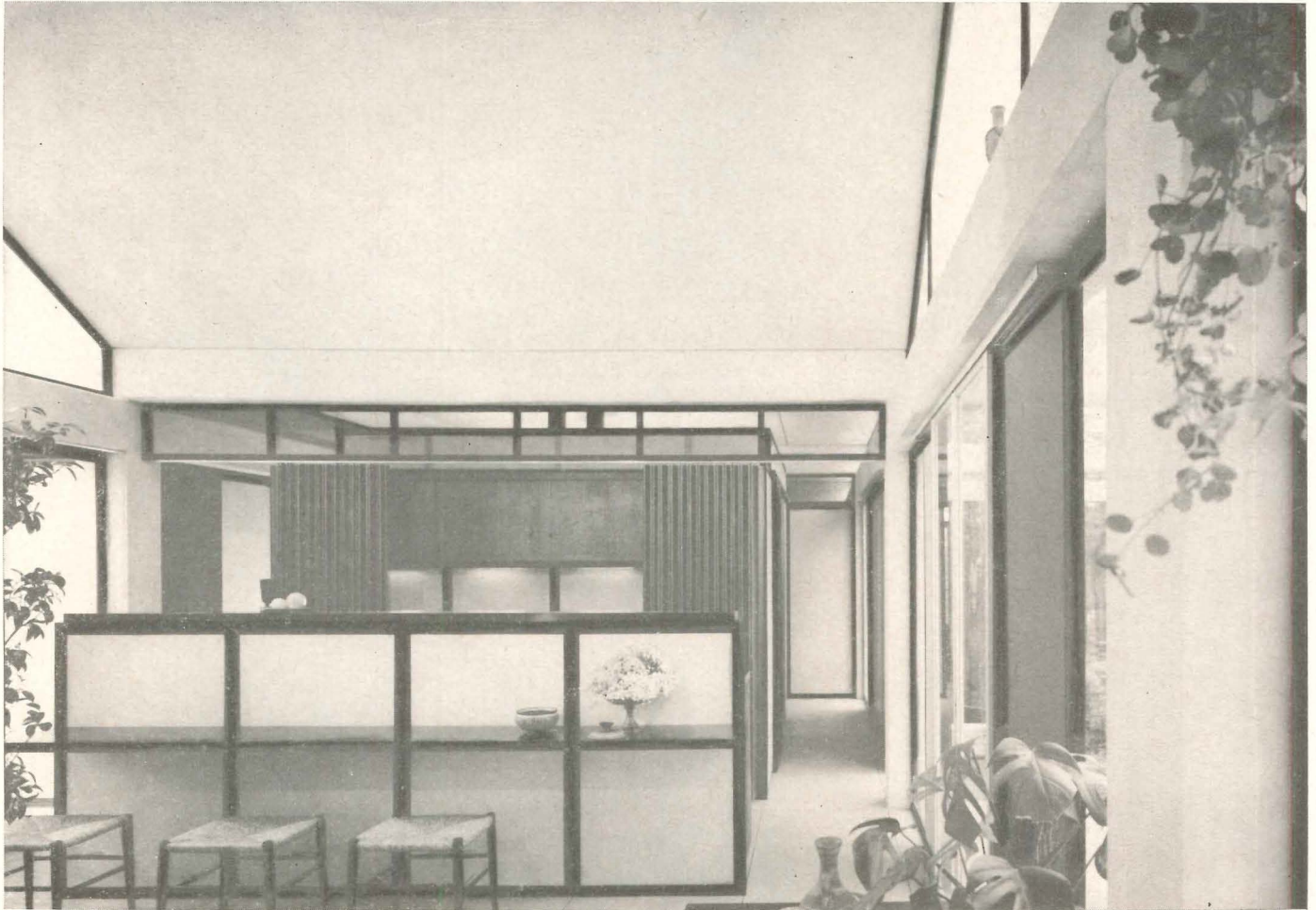


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In addition to the panels for floors and roof, rooms are enclosed by a curtain wall system (used for exterior and interior) assembled from three interlocking component panels: (1) fixed glass panel, (2) fixed sandwich-insulating panel, and (3) operating (sliding) glass or solid panel.

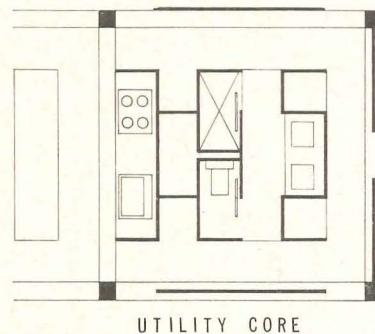
These wall panels connect to the concrete structure through a watertight key and slot system, as shown in the above detail. The panels snap in place and, at least in theory, could be quickly removed and snapped back into other sections of the channel frame to create a larger space (which remains unheated) for summer weekend visitors.



A UTILITY CORE FORMS THE HUB OF THE PLAN OF THE HOUSE

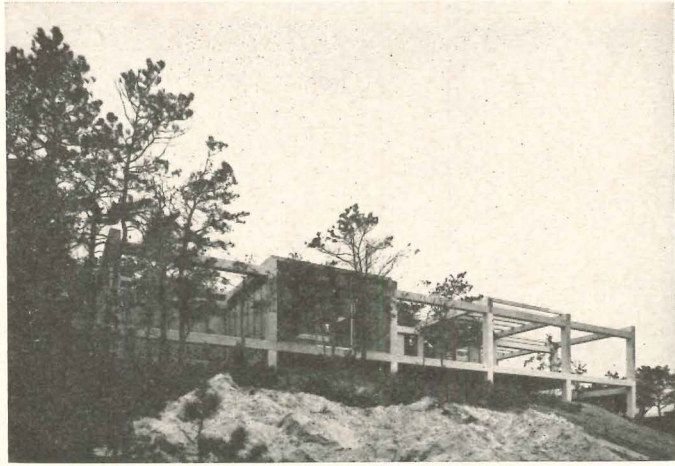
Basic to the planning and economy of the New Seabury house is a utility core with all the mechanical equipment for the house. The same wall panels described on the opposite page are assembled to make walls for kitchen, bath, closets, heater and utility room. As the panels are waterproof, their use for bath and shower areas eliminates the need for more costly tile or other superimposed bathroom waterproofing.

In the detail plan shown at right, the kitchen opens onto the dining area, and is shielded by a work-counter-bar; behind this is the heater space; and next is a compartmented bath and two closets opening on the hall.

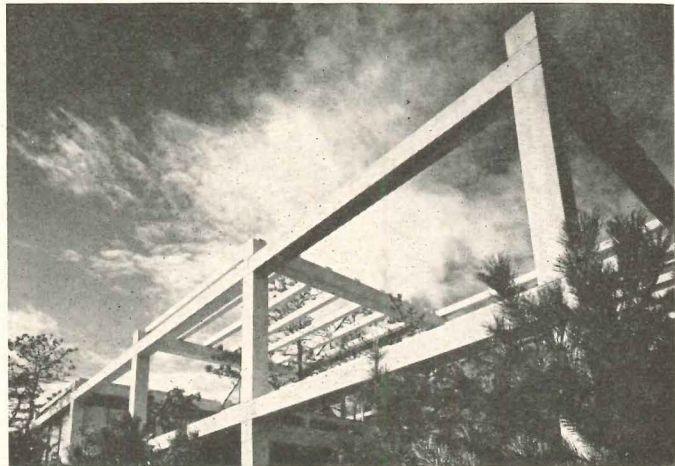


UTILITY CORE

THE STRUCTURE ADAPTS
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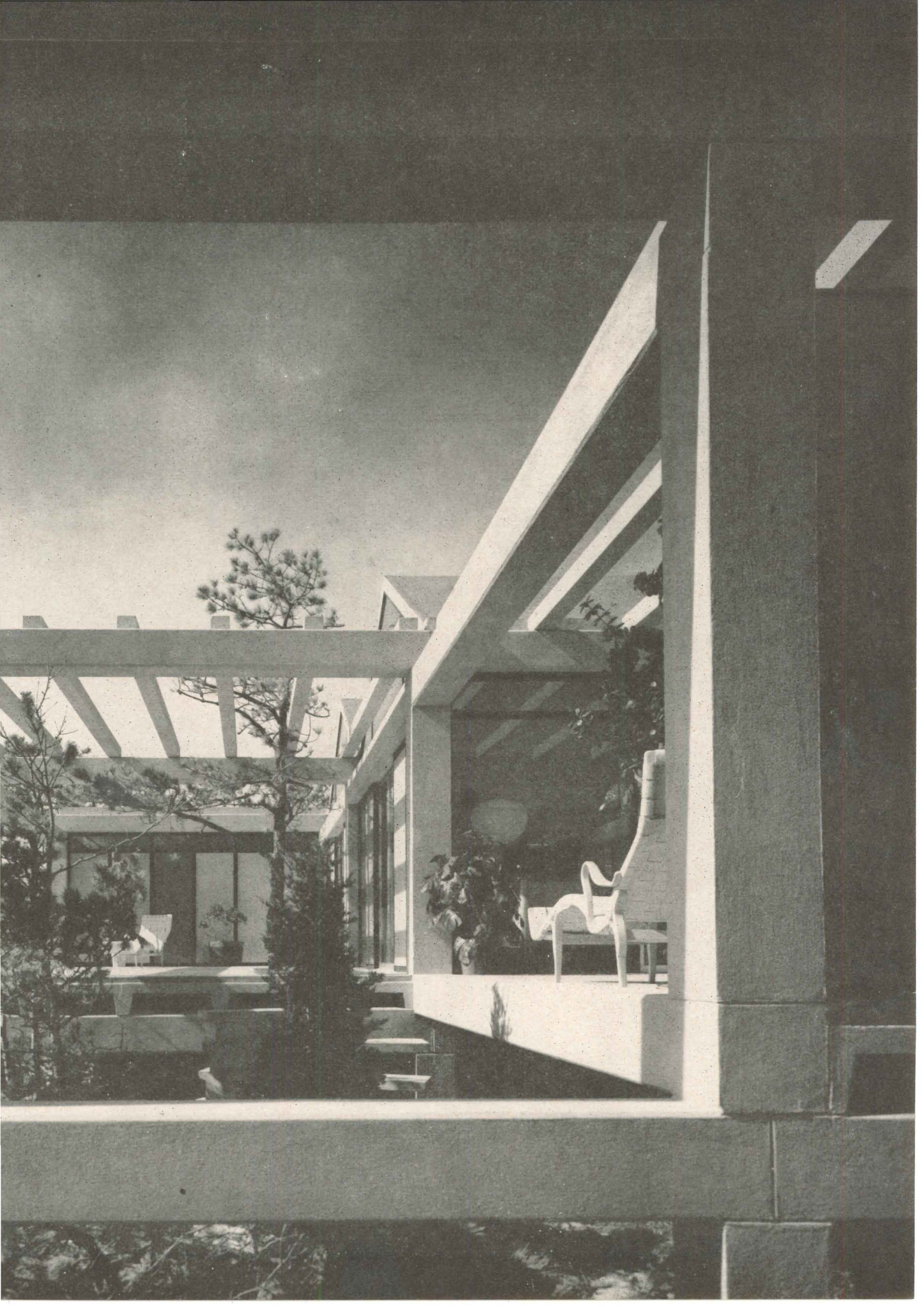


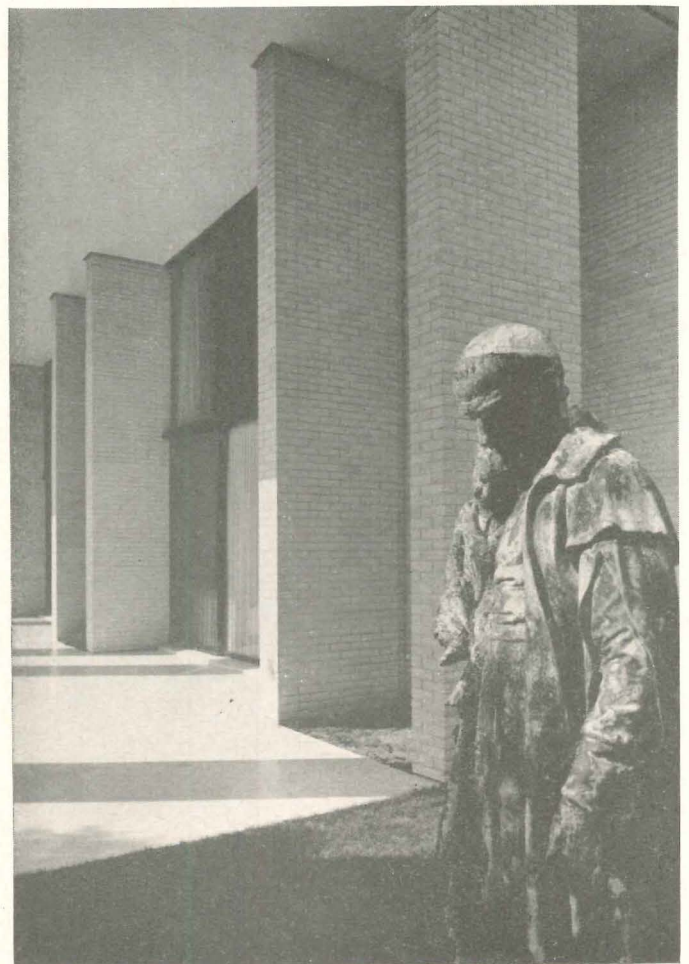
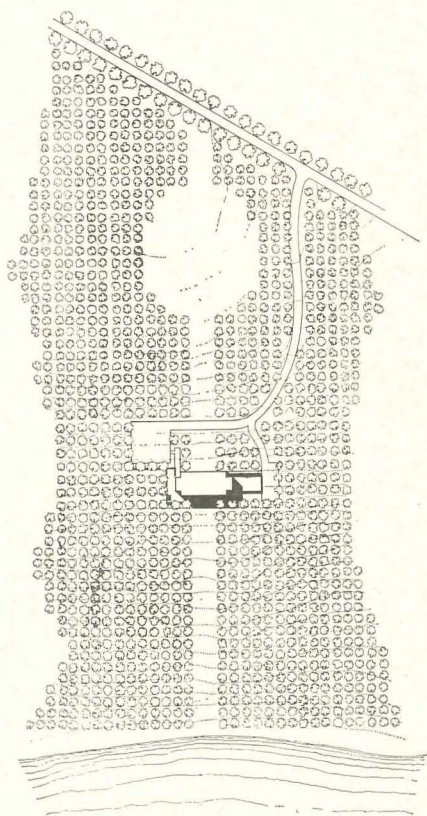
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As the house itself sits on a sort of platform, attractive natural sites can easily be preserved as shown in these photographs. The pilot model is built with cast columns, but it is projected that mass-produced houses would be constructed with columns made of concrete blocks strung together to give greater flexibility for site adaptation.

Trees and other existing landscaping can also be easily preserved as desired with this adaptable house; several such examples can be noted here. In this first house, various levels of terraces and gardens are being developed in the "void" areas of the structural frame grid. It is also projected that a plastic swimming pool will be suspended in one such area.





The lean elegance of this house forms a focal point for a truly spectacular site: a 30-year-old orchard of 35-ft high orange trees, with a central *allée* 1000 ft long opened up to a lake. The house is placed on axis at a level approximately 25 ft above the lake, an item unusual for the flatlands of Florida. A podium-like terrace on the lake side further dramatizes the importance of the house. The scale of the house is a deceptive one: big as it is, lack of ordinary sized fenestration and openings offers no comparison for scale and makes the house seem even larger than it is.

The basic design motif of the house, inside and out, is one that is becoming more and more typical of Rudolph's work—an almost sculptural concern for the interplay of rectangular forms and voids, and of both the horizontal and vertical planes. It is a design which must be walked around to be really seen, and the entrance approach is designed for this.

CONTEMPORARY IN THE GRAND MANNER

PAUL RUDOLPH, ARCHITECT

*Residence for Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Liggett
Tampa, Florida*

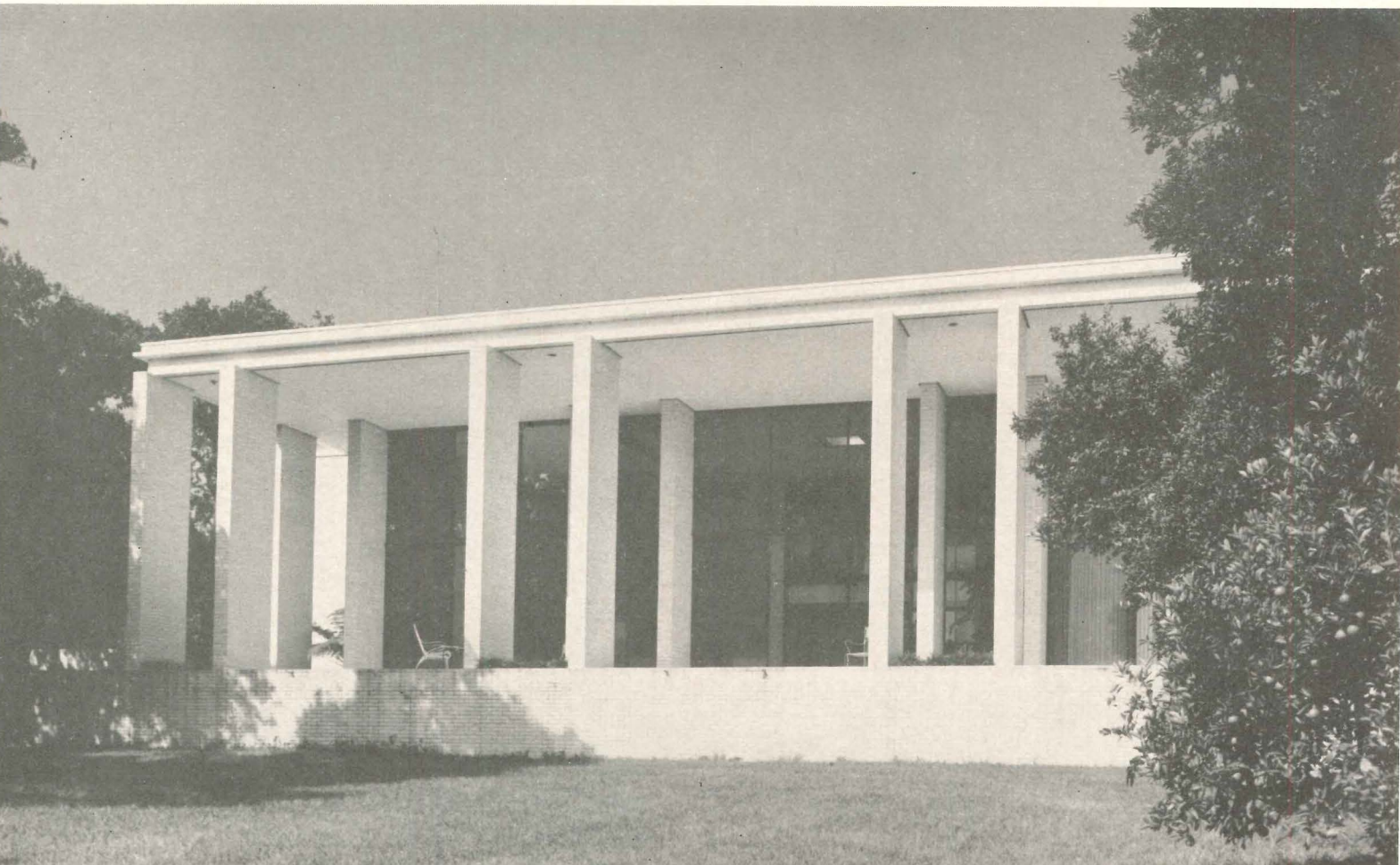
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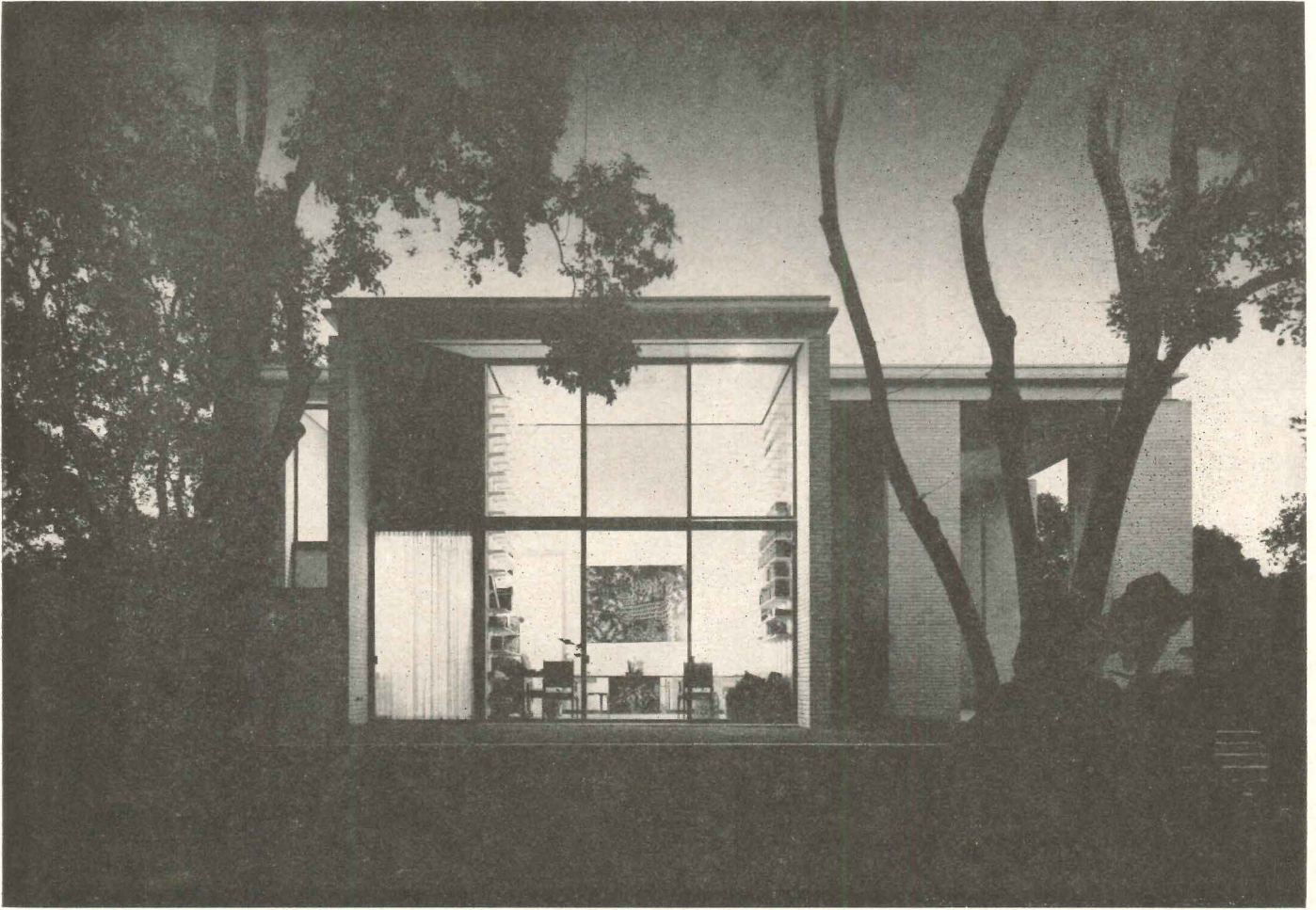
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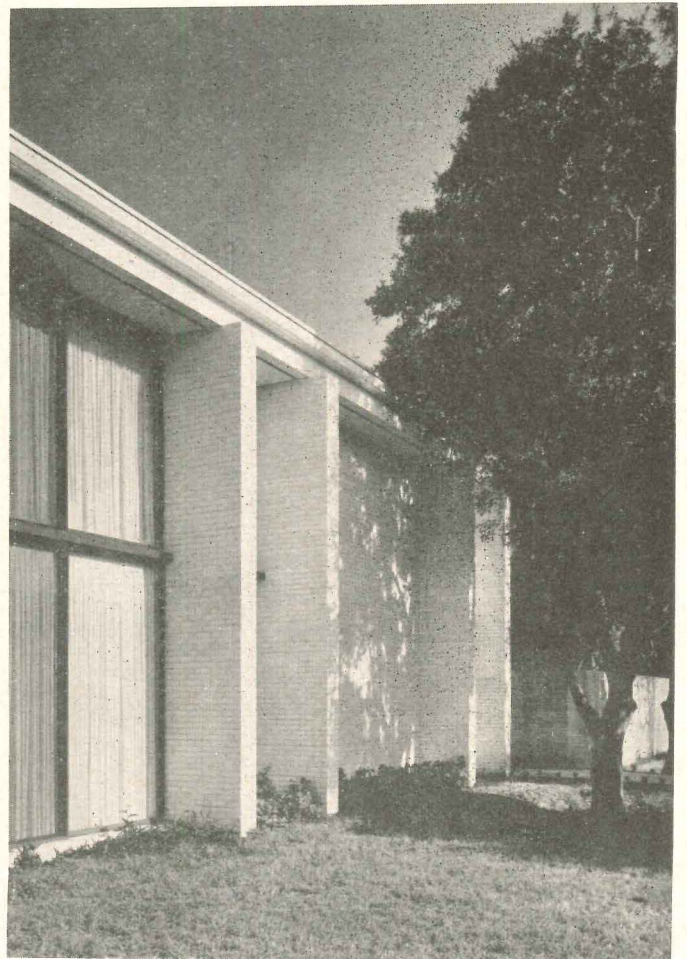
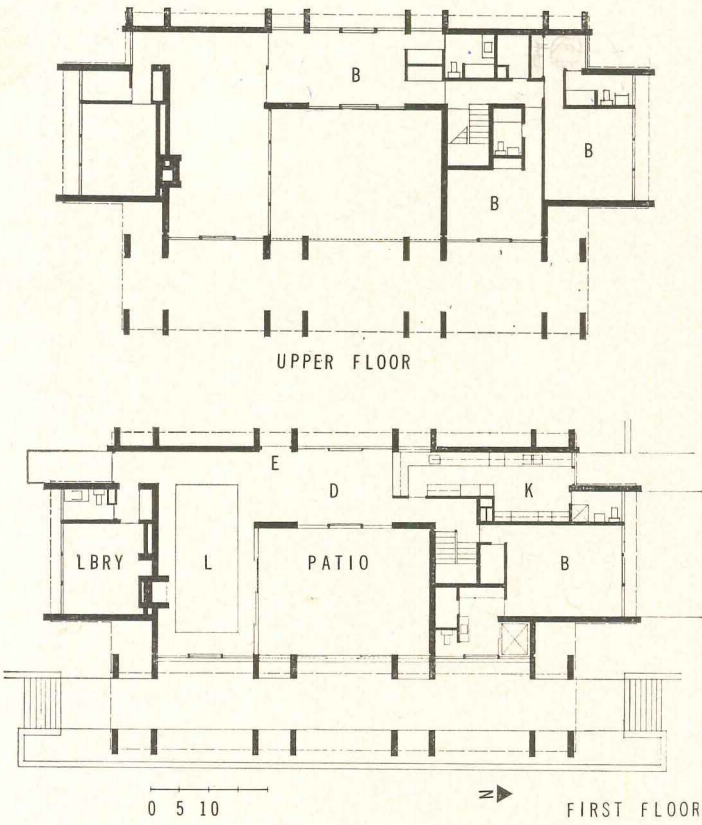
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Handwritten notes and a small diagram above the floor plans, possibly indicating orientation or a specific architectural detail.



OPENNESS AND UNDERFURNISHING ADD TO SPACIOUSNESS

THE PLAN has all major rooms facing long vistas through the orange grove, with the exception of the master bedroom on the first floor, which has its own walled-in garden, terrace and pool. Rooms for the children and for guests are on the upper floor. The plan centers on a roofed and screened center courtyard, which will be filled with exotic planting.

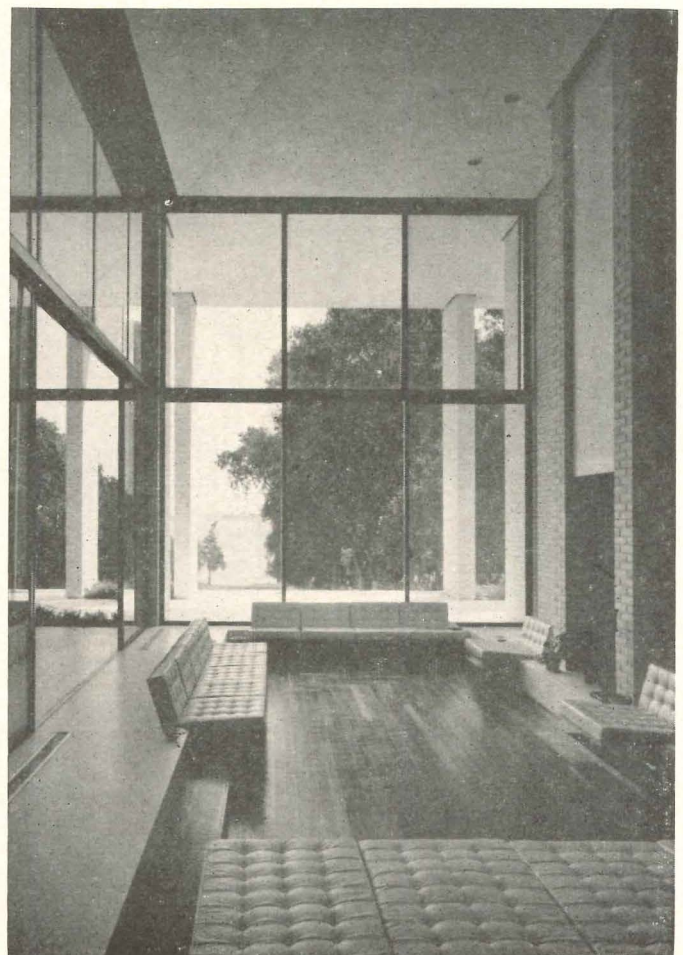
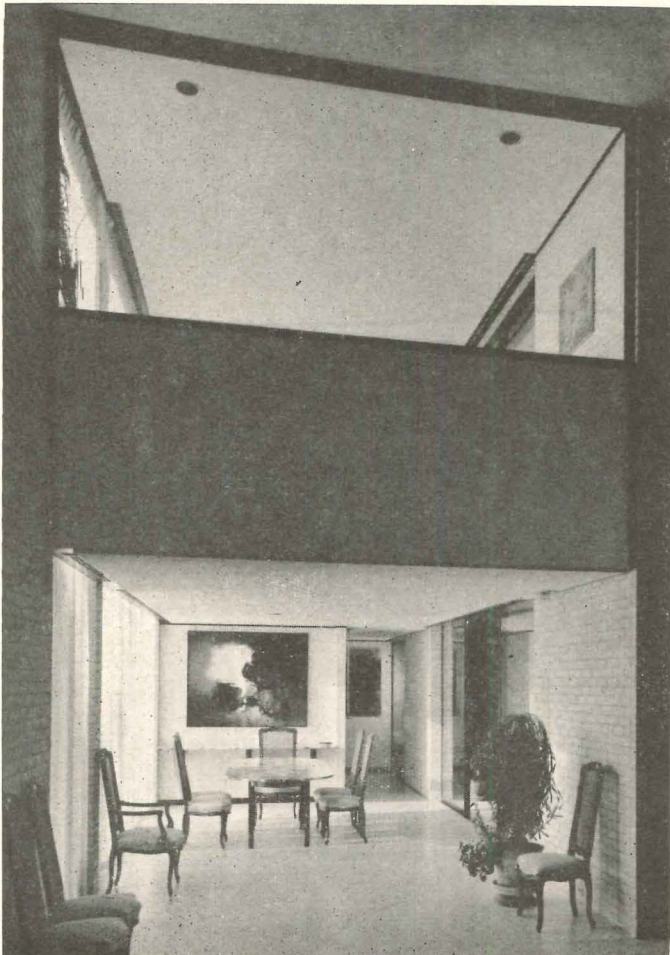
THE STRUCTURE is framed with concrete block, steel beams and 10-in. bar joists. Floors are 2½-in. concrete slabs on bar joists, finished with carpet, terrazzo or rosewood. Exterior walls are brick treated with silicone.

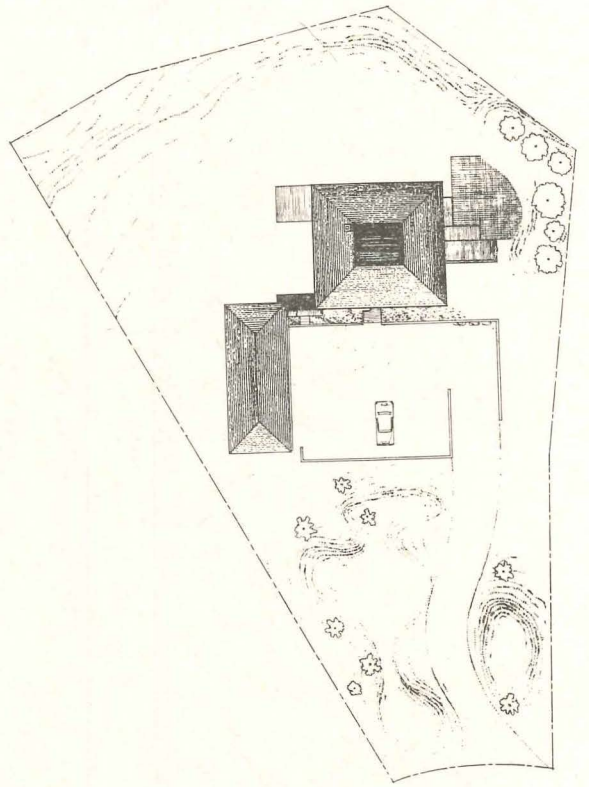
THE INTERIORS were in large part designed by the architect to emphasize the sense of space: note especially the furnishing of the living area, with built-in leather seats flanking a rosewood-floored sunken conversation area. Interior finishes are brick, glass and plaster. Living room and library ceilings are two stories high.

THE COST of the house was approximately \$108,000.

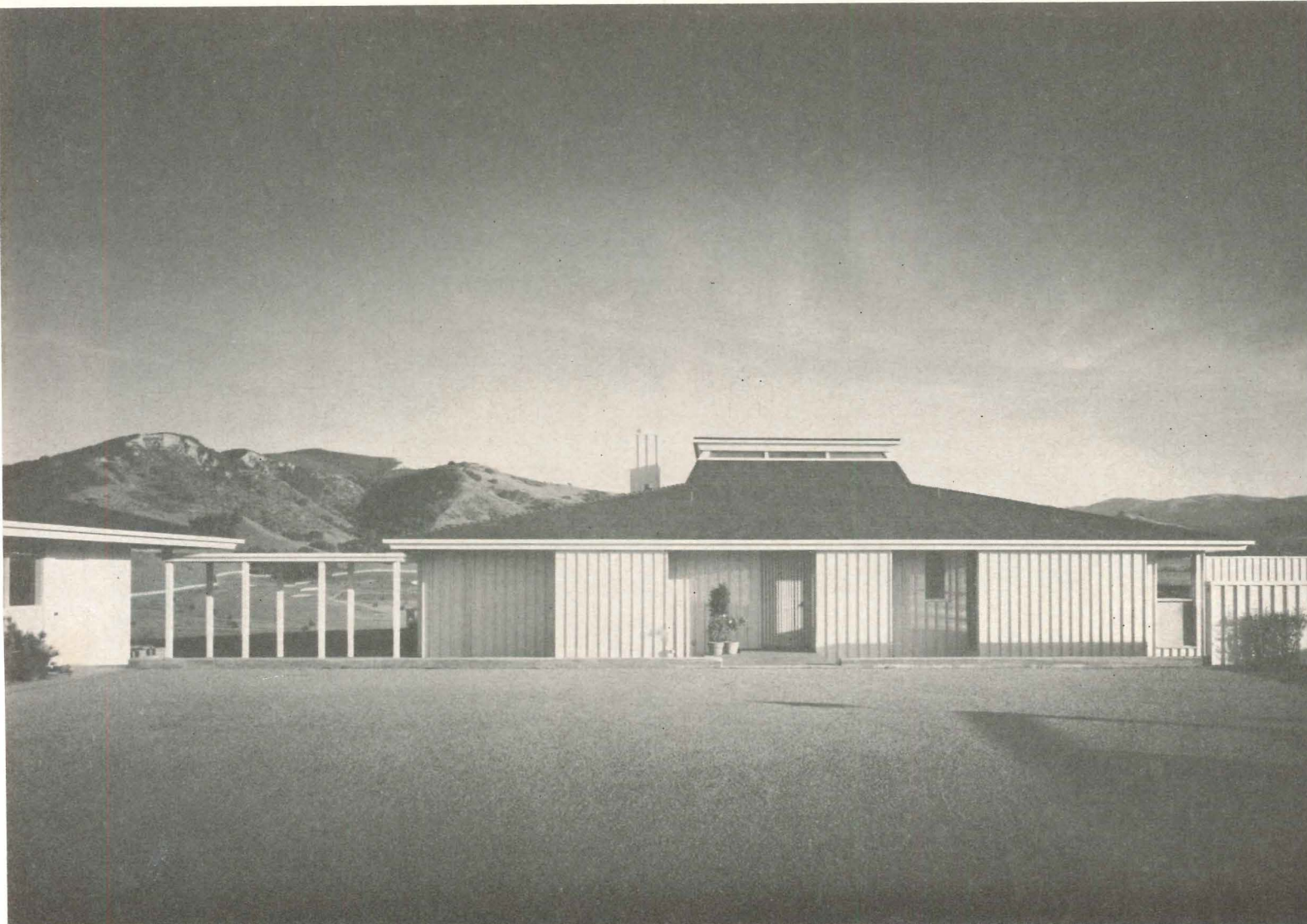
THE EQUIPMENT includes air conditioning for all the house except the central patio. The system uses ceiling diffusers, floor and sidewall returns.

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CHARLES W. MOORE AND
RICHARD C. PETERS, ARCHITECTS

Development house for Roy K. Hubbard

Corral De Tierra, California

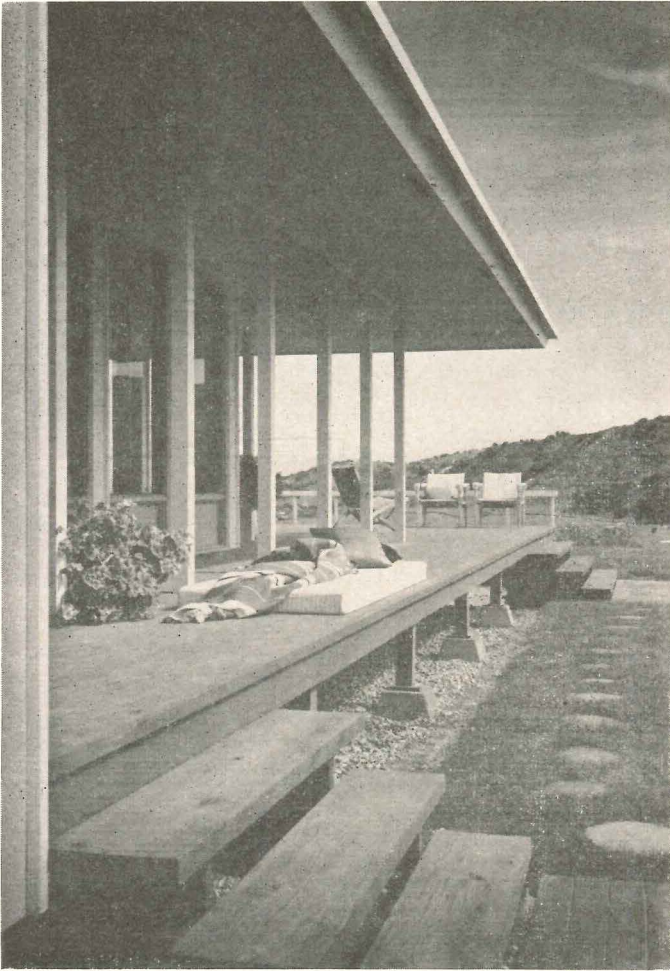
Roy K. Hubbard, Contractor

Clair Young, Interior Designer

POWERFUL DESIGN SETS TRACT PACE

This handsome house-for-sale is a pilot project for a subdivision of one acre lots adjoining the newly completed Corral de Tierra Country Club, in a valley of the Santa Lucias between Monterey and Salinas, California. The problem for the architects was to design a large house, with a powerful and suitable identity, which would be attractive to as wide a variety of buyers as possible. Thus, a plan was required which would suit clients with young children, older children, or no children, with or without servants, for formal or informal living—in other words, for almost any kind of family. The scheme as built goes far in achieving this adaptability in a very comfortable and sophisticated fashion. A strong identity was set by using a basically simple rectangle with a high, top-lighted center space.

Rooms and terraces are arranged around this central room in such a manner that their uses could be easily varied to suit different occupants. Thus, the center area could be furnished as a formal room, or opened (as shown on the next page) informally into the other living areas. The area to the east of the center room can function as a formal dining room, or as a family room with a barbeque. The central bedroom, adjoining the master bath, can serve as a study, or as part of a master suite for an older couple; it can also share the front divided bath with the front bedroom if it is to be occupied by children or guests. A fourth bedroom, adjoining the garage, is planned for a servant, guest house, or for older children in a large family. All these major rooms have adjoining outside decks.



PHOTOS: MORLEY BAER

THE STRUCTURE of this California builder house is of 2 by 4 Douglas Fir, 16-in. O.C. set on foundations of reinforced concrete. Exterior walls are painted plywood and redwood battens. The roof is of cedar shingles.

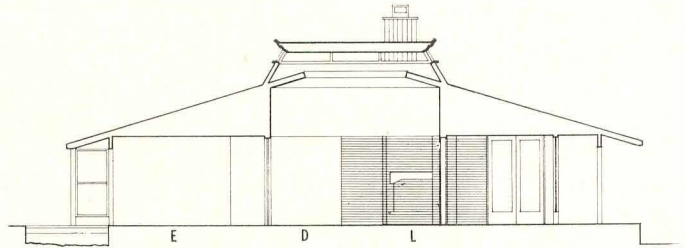
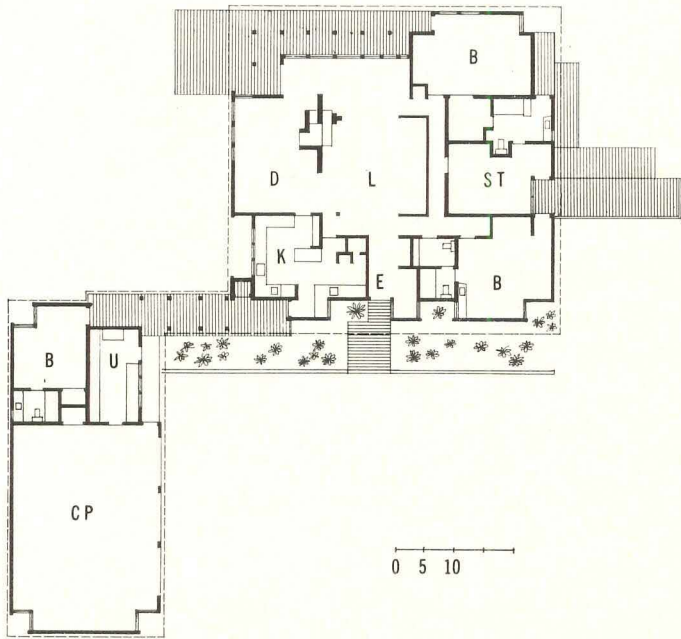
INTERIORS are finished with plastic walls, acoustical plaster ceilings and oak or vinyl floors. The fireplace wall is adobe. Baths are plaster and mosaic tile. A folding door divides living and dining rooms.

EQUIPMENT includes two furnaces of 100,000 and 80,000 BTU respectively, plus a separate wall heater in the garage. There is a concrete septic tank, stainless steel sink, counter-top range, dual wall oven, built-in dishwasher and refrigerator, counter blender, and garbage disposer.

THE COST was about \$60,000.

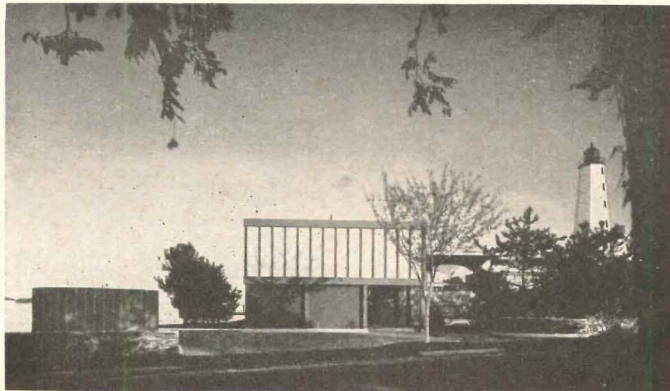


DRAMATIC CLERESTORIED ROOM IS HUB OF ADAPTABLE PLAN





AN INTERPLAY OF PAVILION SHAPES GIVES RESIDENCE CHANGE OF PACE

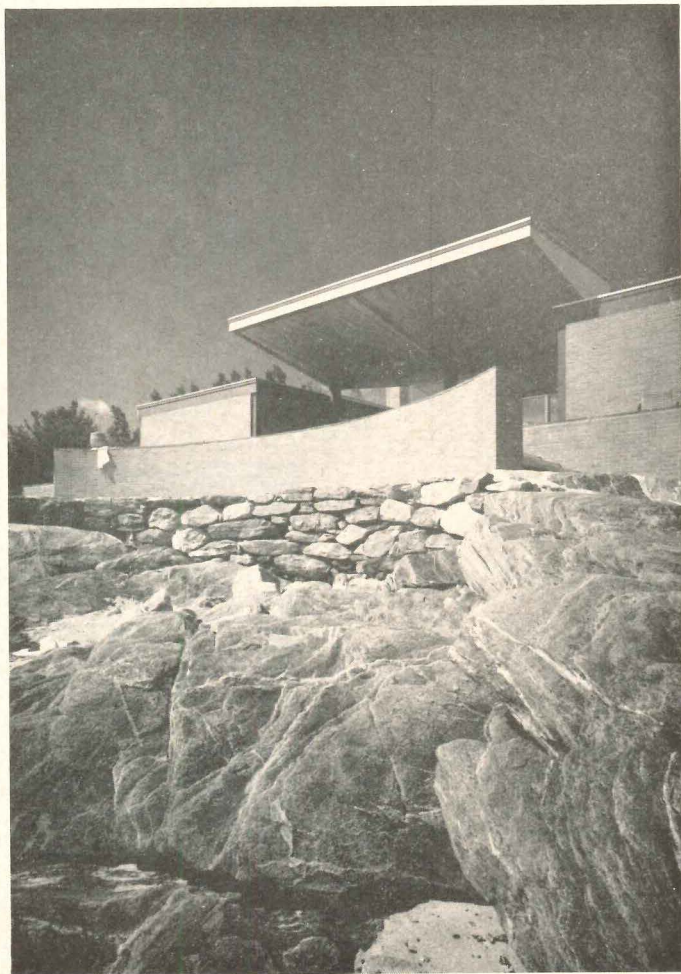


ULRICH FRANZEN AND ASSOCIATES,
ARCHITECTS

*House in New London, Connecticut
William Atlas, Structural Engineer
John Prieto, Mechanical Engineer
George C. Field, and
F. W. Brown Co., Contractors*

This extremely dramatic house is constructed on a small but historic piece of rock adjoining the 18th Century Lighthouse of New London. Here, Ulrich Franzen has further developed his well-known umbrella-roofed pavilion into a form that presents a series of curves in one façade (photo, left) and a series of triangles in the other (see next page). This unit is surrounded by three rectangular structures and a round dining porch (photo, above) to form a varied and interesting compound. The umbrella-roofed unit is placed on a platform for further emphasis and protection from high tides. The compound was arranged on the lot to create a series of courts, terraces and beach.

INTIMATE OR BROAD TERRACES
VARY EACH ROOM'S OUTLOOK

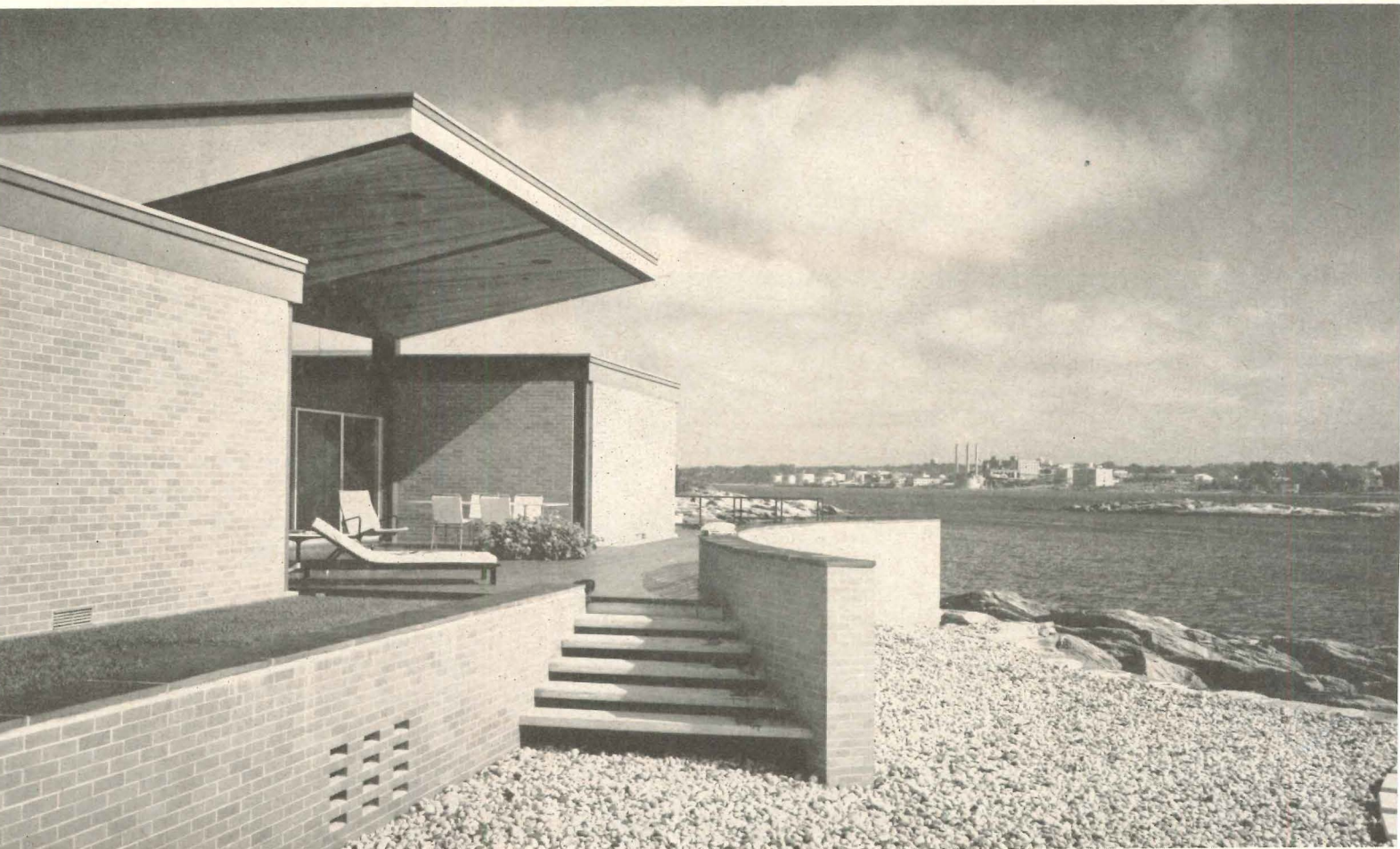
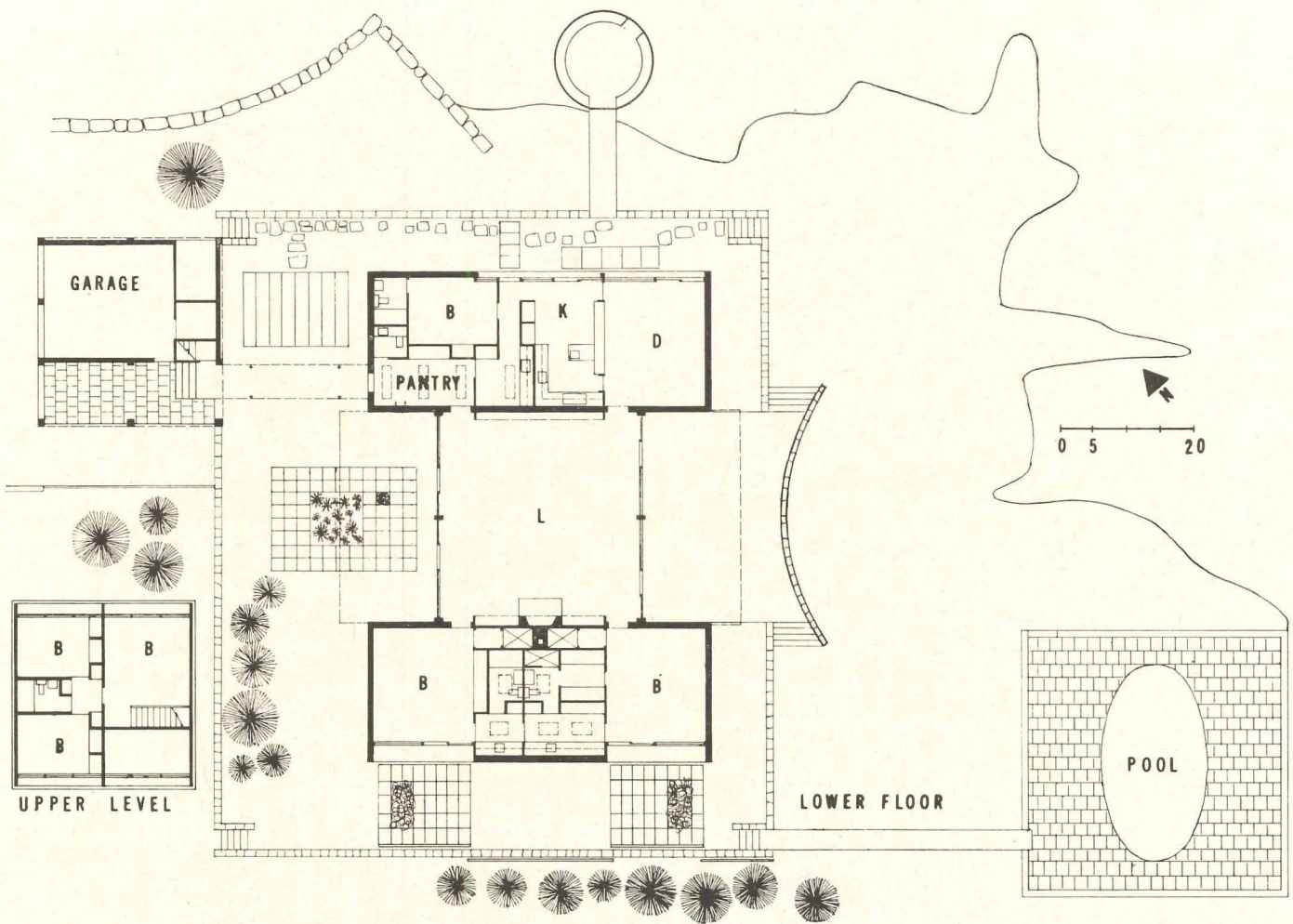


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THE PLAN of this house in New London treats the living area as a sort of "great hall," flanked by a service-dining wing and a bedroom wing. Pantry and bath areas make extensive use of skylights for daylighting. A detached two-story unit serves as a boys' bunkhouse and garage; this unit can be shut down during the winter when the children are away at school.

THE SITE required much concern to fend off the sea and waves. Walls were located and existing rock utilized as much as possible to minimize wave damage and salt spray. The location of the pool, in the open ocean, serves as a buffer toward the worst weather. The beach is of pebbles.



STRUCTURAL SHAPES ARE ALSO DOMINANT IN THE INTERIORS

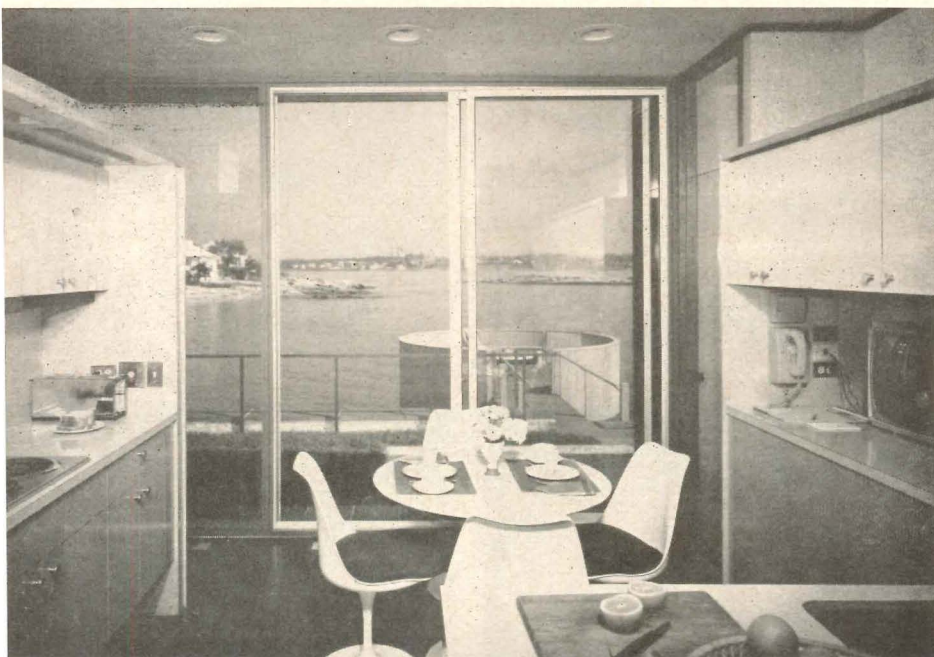
THE STRUCTURE of the house in New London has a light steel frame set on concrete foundations. The roof is wood decking on a steel frame; ceilings are cypress strips and plaster. Exterior walls are silicone-treated brick over light-weight concrete block. Sliding glass doors have aluminum frames, 1-in. insulating glass.

THE INTERIORS rely largely on exposed and painted or stained structural finishes, painted plaster and tile in baths. Floors are walnut strip, vinyl tile or cork tile. Doors are painted or veneered plywood. Kitchen counters are stainless steel.

THE EQUIPMENT includes silent switches and recessed ceiling lights. The house has year-round air conditioning. Kitchen appliances are electric, including water heater, counter top range, refrigerator and garbage disposer.

THE COST of the house itself was about \$22 per sq ft, exclusive of landscaping, seawalls, fill or custom-built cabinets.

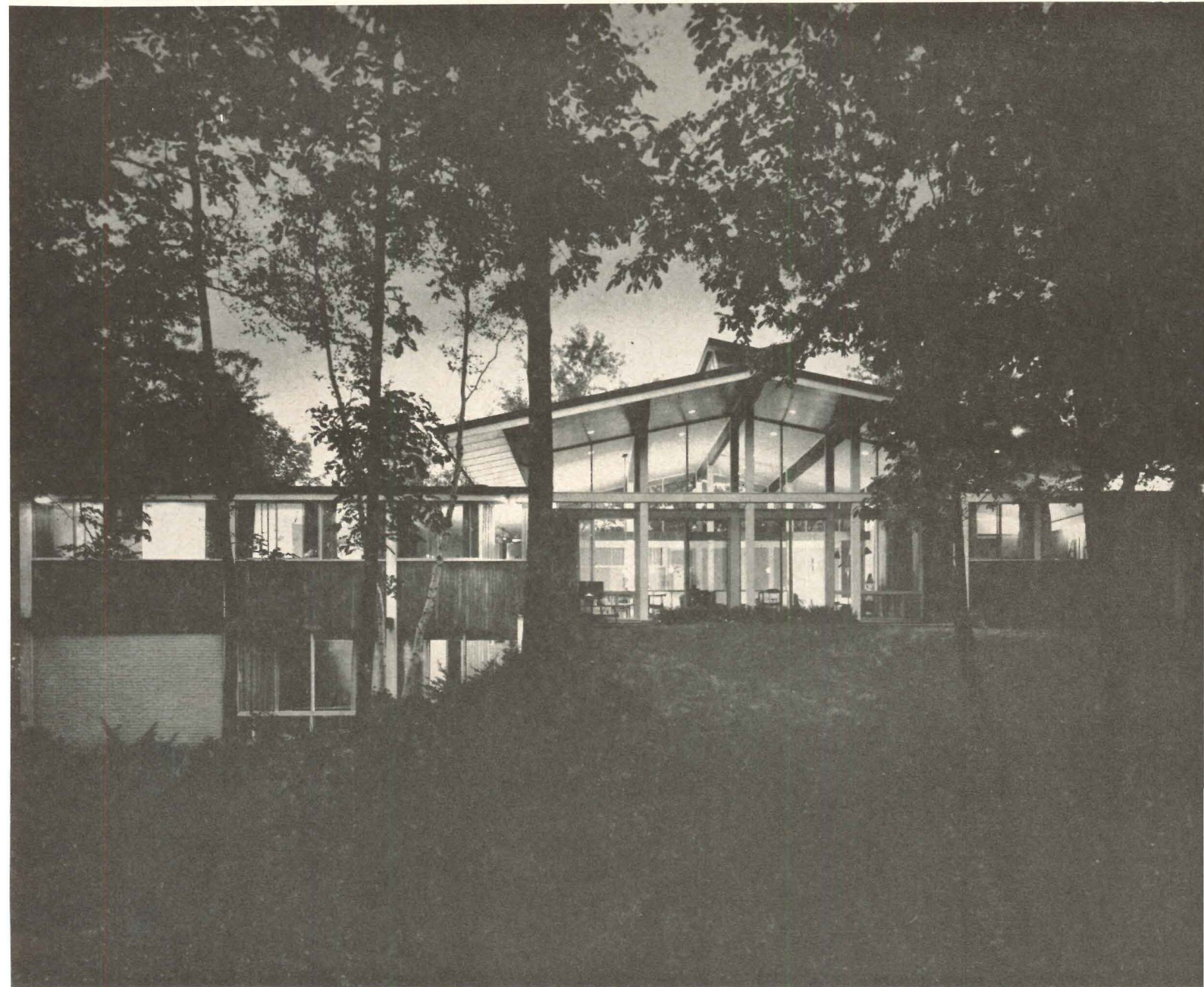
LANDSCAPING was designed by the architects to create a change of pace from the big seascapes to intimate views toward carefully paved and underscaled planting off one end of the living room, and off all bedrooms. Much of the site had to be made by means of seawalls and rockfill.



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MODERN TO FIT A TRADITIONAL CODE

Two fairly difficult design problems were solved with considerable finesse in this house: (1) the site was an attractive, wooded one, yet afforded little level buildable area, as the land sloped sharply in two directions; (2) the zoning requirements contained rigid specifications originally intended to outline a two-story Colonial design.

The codes called for a specific height for a house in the area, and for the larger part of the roof to be sloping. To further complicate matters, the owners' requirements seemed best served by a basically one-level, contemporary scheme that provided good separation between the adults' and the children's areas.

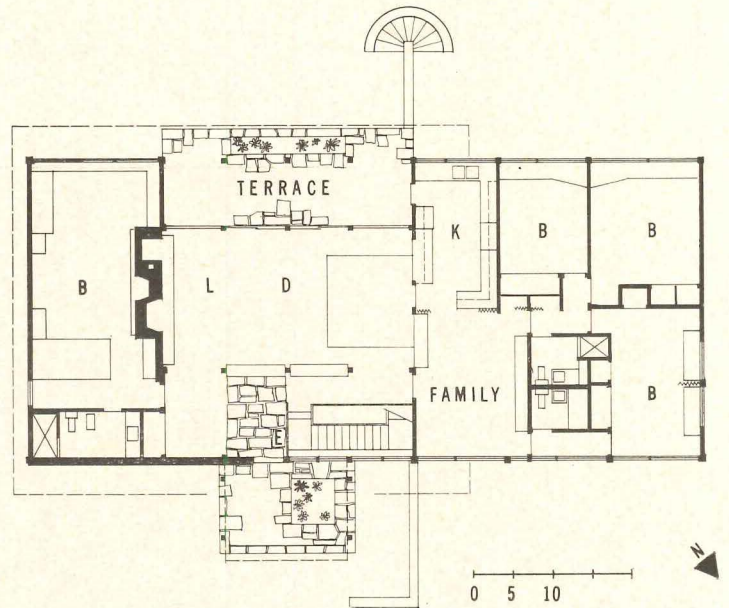
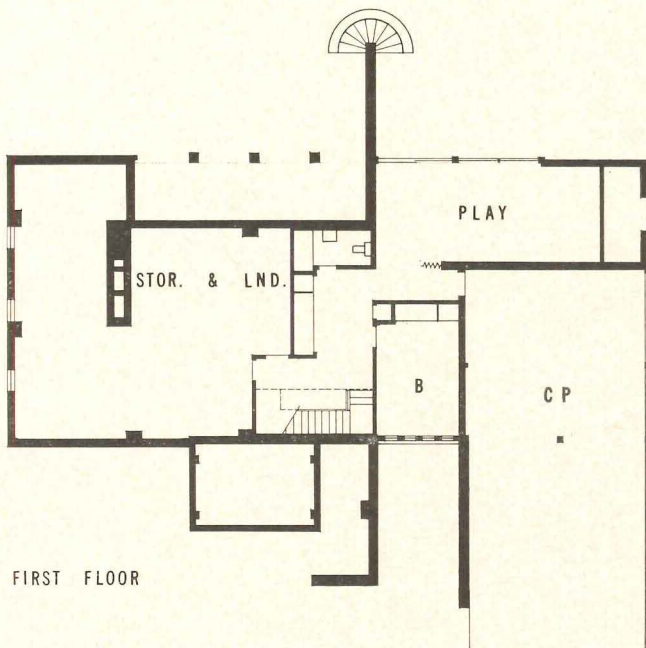
As can be noted in the photograph at left, and on the plan on the next page, the final design solves each of these problems. To preserve the trees and avoid cutting and filling the plot, one portion of the house was dropped to a lower level on the site. This wing, devoted to children's and service rooms, was made two stories high, and sized to the maximum square footage allowed by code for a flat roofed wing. Major rooms are on the top floor of this wing, at the same level as the rest of the house. Height requirements were met in the upper, adults' wing, by a dramatic roof sloping up to an 18-ft ceiling peak in the living area. A tiny "penthouse" on the roof top ventilates long sloping planes to prevent condensation.

KRAMER & KRAMER, ARCHITECTS

*Residence in Teaneck, New Jersey
Aaron Hitter, Structural Engineer
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SKILLFUL DETAILS CREATE A HOUSE OF GREAT ELEGANCE

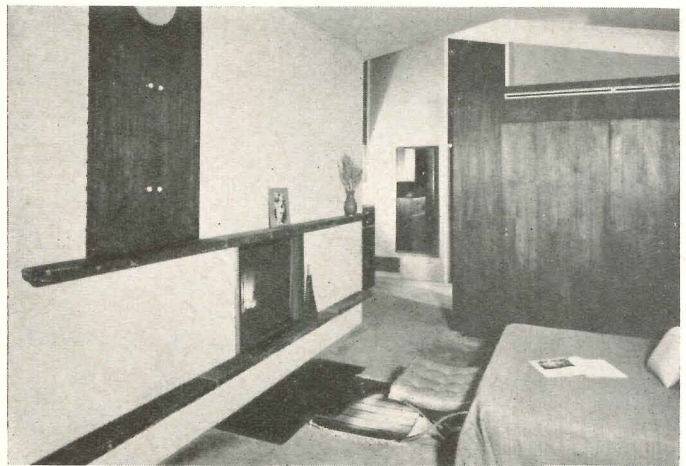
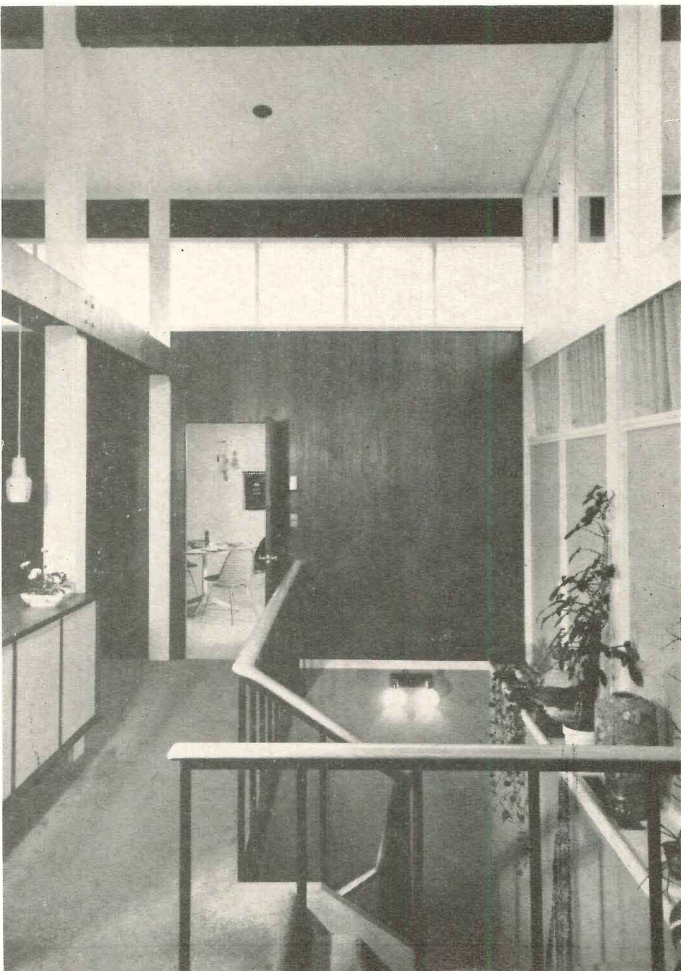


THE PLAN of this New Jersey house does a nice job of separating age groups, while at the same time permitting groups of rooms to be used together for family group activities, or for entertaining. The children's bedrooms are grouped together with the kitchen and family room for ease of supervision. The playroom on the lower level is remote enough for sound isolation from the living area. Also on the lower level are the carport, and a bedroom for servants or guests. The major traffic area of the house at the entry is screened from the living area by cabinets; the high roof carrying through greatly increases the sense of spaciousness.

THE STRUCTURE of the house is of douglas fir, with foundations of concrete block and brick walls, poured concrete footings. The exterior is surfaced with cypress siding and common brick. The roof is built-up 5-ply tar and marble chip. Thermal insulation is 4-in. glass fiber batts.

INTERIORS have plaster walls and ceilings, floors of plywood finished with carpet, vinyl tile or ceramic tile. Cabinets and panels are teak.

EQUIPMENT includes year-round heating and air conditioning.



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CASUAL RETIREMENT HOUSE GETS BIG SPACE WITH FOLDING WALLS

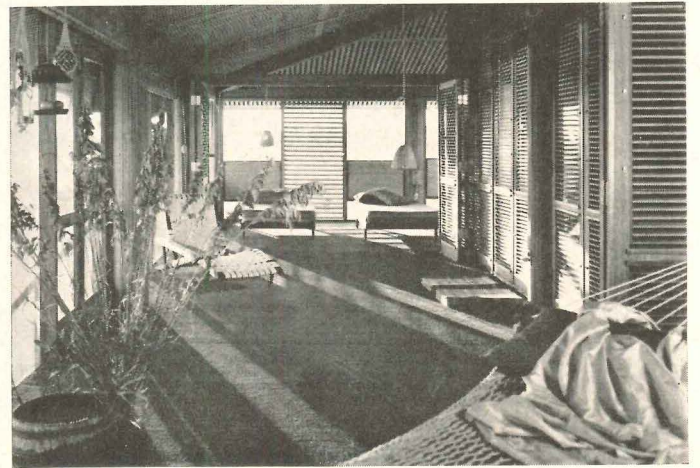
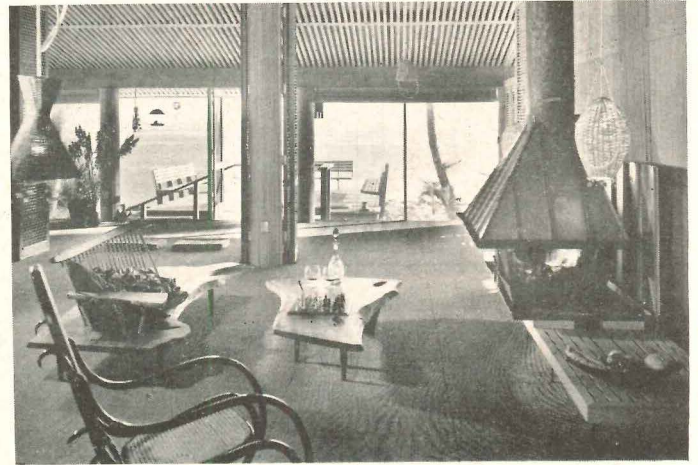
ROBERT B. BROWNE, ARCHITECT
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*Residence for R. S. Barrows
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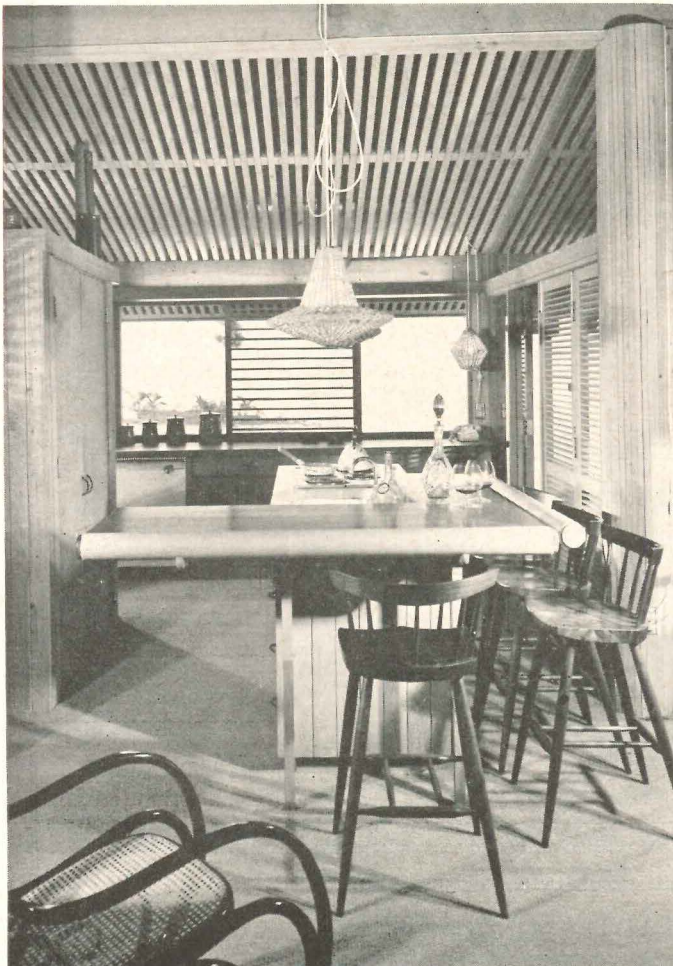
Modern techniques and materials mingle with tropical romance in the design for this house set on coral rocks jutting into the Atlantic Ocean. The owners, retired after a busy industrial career near Chicago, desired a small, durable home, which would provide simple comfort and uncomplicated relaxation. Its otherwise idyllic location posed the big problem of hurricanes.

The result is essentially a large screen porch under a great overhanging metal roof. Rooms are created, for the most part, by folding wood jalousies which can permit complete openness when desired and ventilation control at all times. After the famous hurricane Donna, the house was undamaged in a town 50 per cent leveled.

WOOD STRUCTURE IS
MAJOR DECORATION



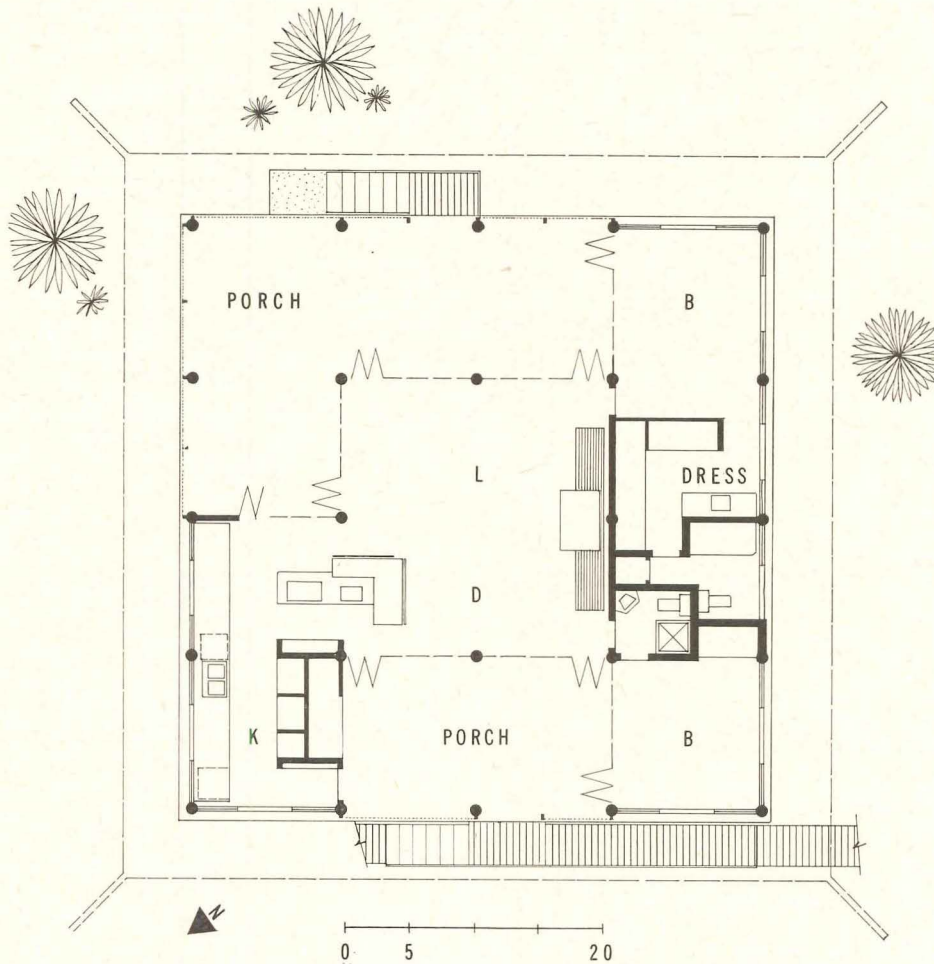
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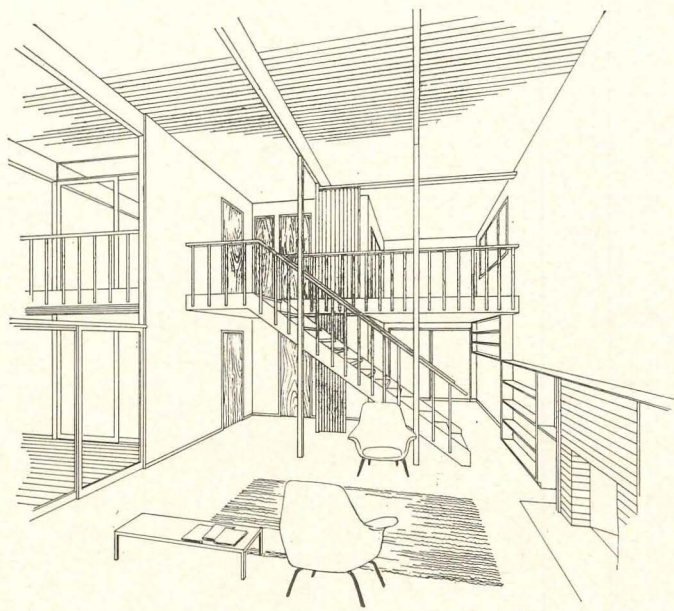


THE PLAN of the Barrows house gains maximum living area in fine weather by opening all rooms to the screen porches. Plastic storm shutters can be snapped in place for cool or well spells.

THE STRUCTURE, except for the roof, is all pine and is pressure-treated against insects and mildew. Creosoted posts support floor beams set $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft above grade and two roof beam bands, one at the perimeter and the other inside at the roof break. Floors are two by fours spiked solid over the beams. The roof is of two by fours on edge, spaced $3\frac{5}{8}$ in. o.c., and covered with a standing-seam membrane of galvanized iron sheet coated with white epoxy.

EQUIPMENT includes an oil-fired, forced air heating system, with glass fiber ducts under the floor. All closets have dehumidifiers. The kitchen includes built-in range, oven, refrigerator, dishwasher, garbage disposer and washer-dryer. Piping is plastic.





TRACT HOUSE IN BAY REGION STYLE

Though small, this house (in each of its three versions) gains apparent size by a number of well thought-out devices: the two-story living room, and the two-story glass wall which lights it; a small deck outside the second-floor master bedroom; other decks and patios, at ground level, for sitting and dining, and for looking out on; folding doors which, when opened, allow the living room space and space from the upstairs bedroom and the downstairs study-guest room to merge.

The internal planning of the house is characterized also by flexibility so that it may accommodate a variety of family arrangements. The two rooms at the end of the living room might serve as bedrooms, study, recreation room, guest room, or an extension of the living room.

ROGER LEE ASSOCIATES, ARCHITECTS

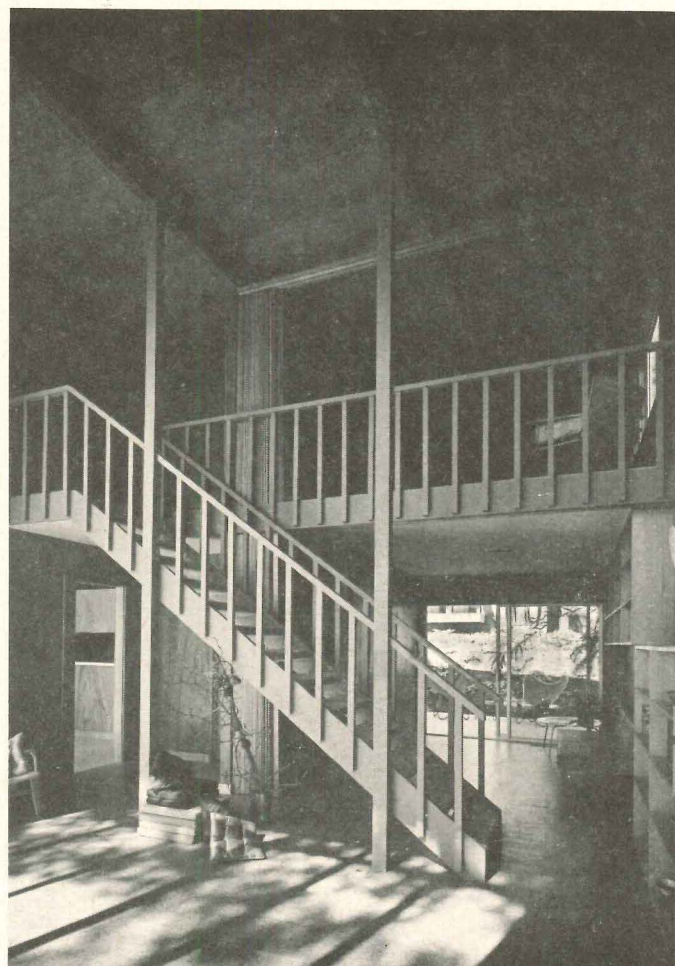
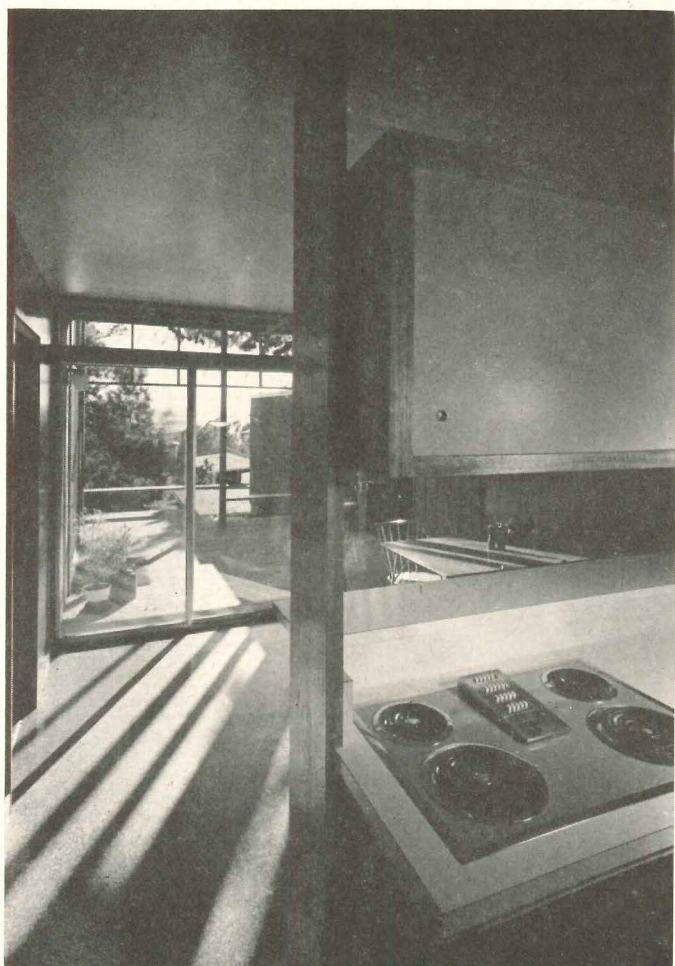
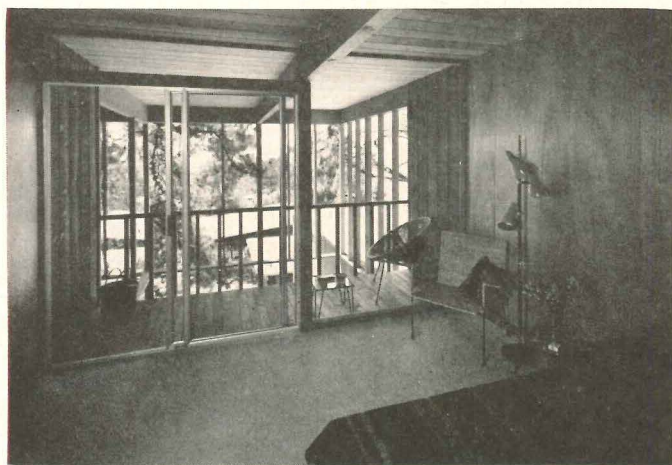
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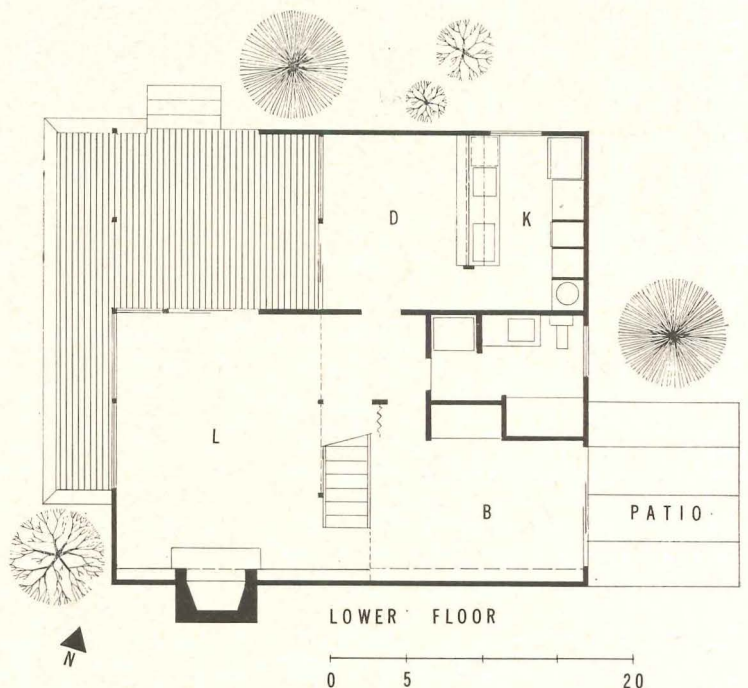
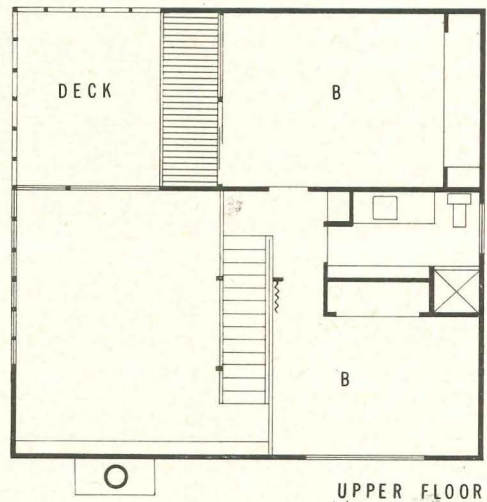
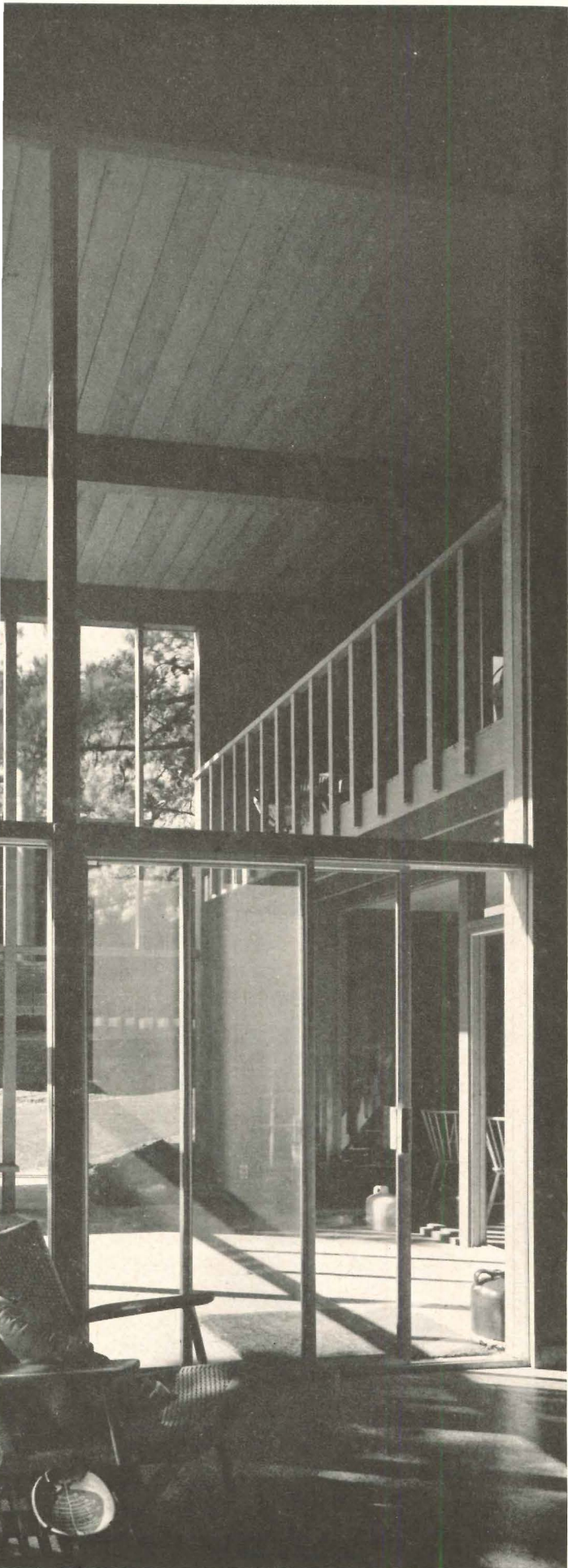
INGENUITY APPLIED TO PLANNING CREATES SPACE IN SMALL HOUSE

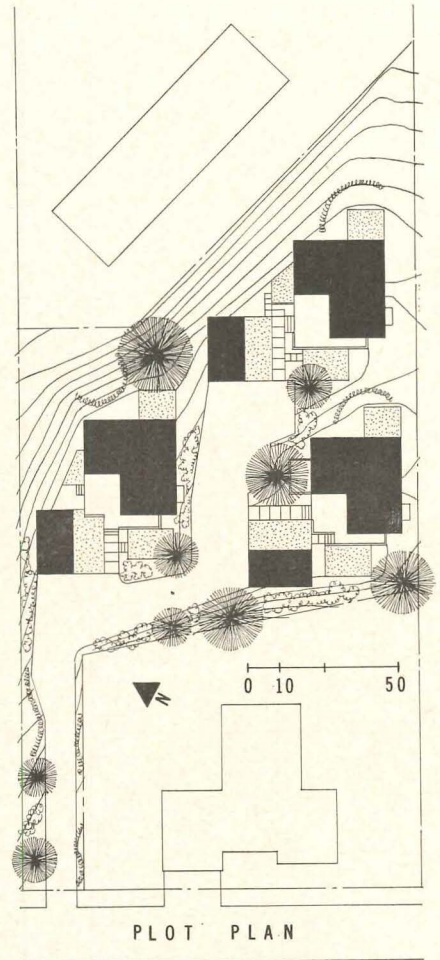
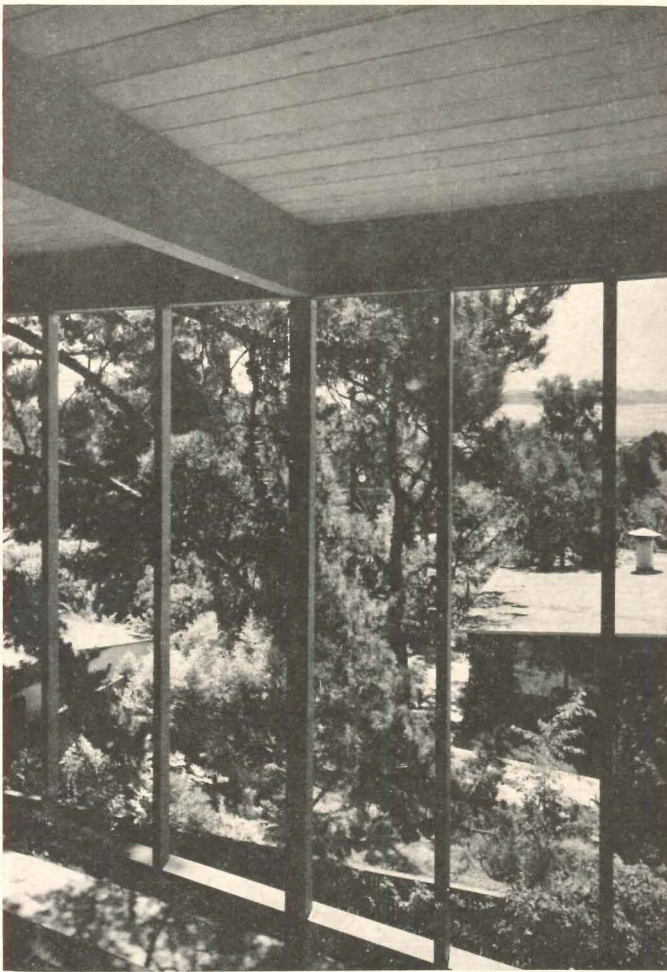
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THE STRUCTURE is wood frame on a concrete foundation. The exterior walls are stained cedar, and the interior walls, in all rooms including the bathrooms, are mahogany plywood. Ceilings are exposed cedar beams and planks on the second floor and in living room; gypsum board in study, kitchen and dining room. Flooring in downstairs living area is cork tile; in baths, kitchen and dining room, it is vinyl tile, and upstairs is carpeting. Built-ins include bookshelves and storage cabinets along the entire length of the fireplace wall downstairs, and dressers in both upstairs bedrooms and in upstairs bath. Folding doors are mahogany.

COST of each house was about \$23,000.





THREE HOUSES MADE A COMMUNITY BY ADROIT PLANNING

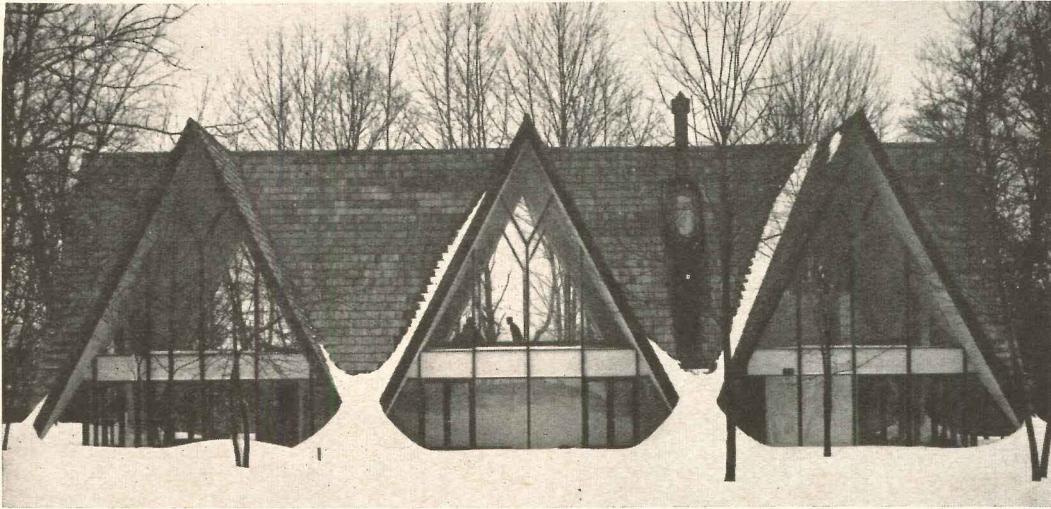
THE SITE PLAN for these three houses creates a small and well organized community. The houses are very nearly identical, except for minor variations in the placement of garages and patios. But the arrangement of the houses shows considerably more finesse than is usual among tract houses. By not setting the houses in a straight line, and by placing windows with care, the architect has contrived to give each house a degree of privacy. The hilly topography has cooperated in this contrivance, as have the Monterey pines and other trees left standing on the site.



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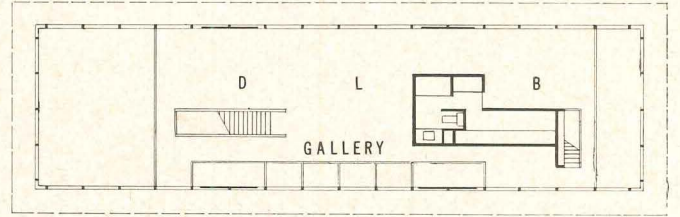
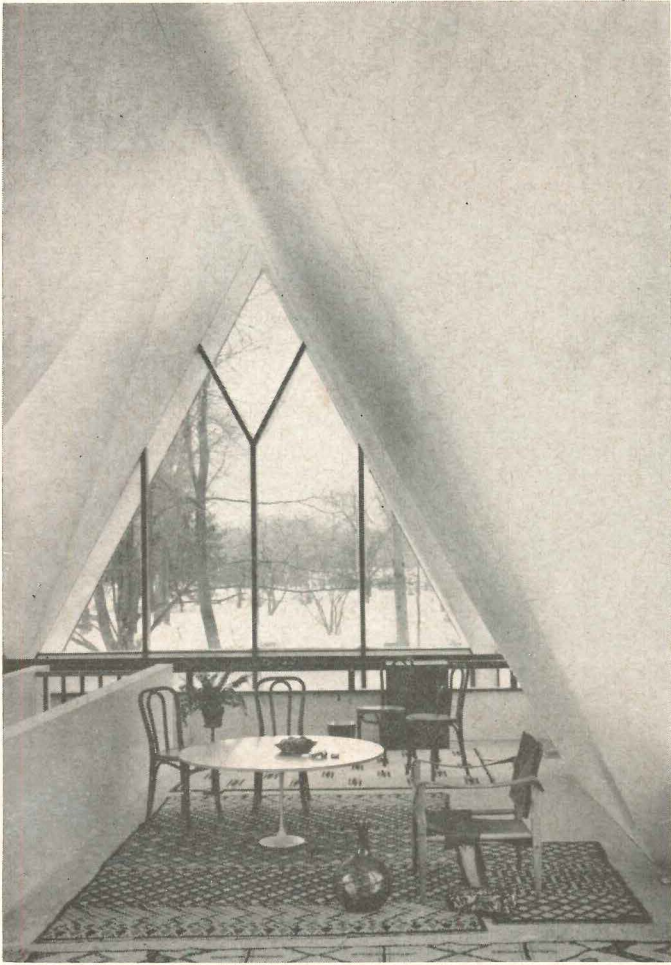
A MODERN HOUSE REFLECTS ITS TUDOR NEIGHBORHOOD

JOHN TERENCE KELLY, ARCHITECT

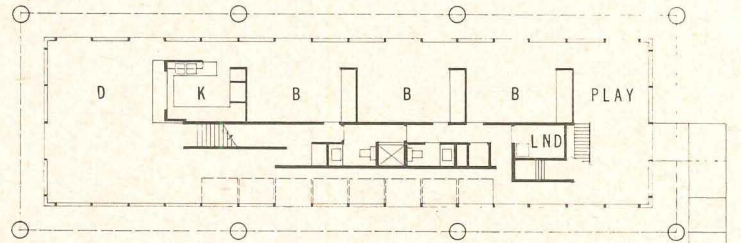
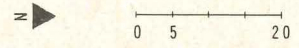
*Residence for Dr. and Mrs. Harold McDonald
Gulf Farms, Elyria, Ohio
Neil Guda, Job Architect
R. M. Genset & Associates, Structural Engineers
Andrew N. Psiakis, Heating Engineer
Eugene Resar, Contractor*

This striking house is constructed of intersecting wood A-frames, its gables filled entirely with glass. Conforming to the spirit, if not exactly to the letter, of the neighboring houses—all of Tudor revival design—the architect observed the pitch of their roofs, then repeated it and carried it to the ground. Still in the spirit, the mullions are of dark-stained wood composed rather as half-timbers are; the in-filling, however, is glass instead of stucco.

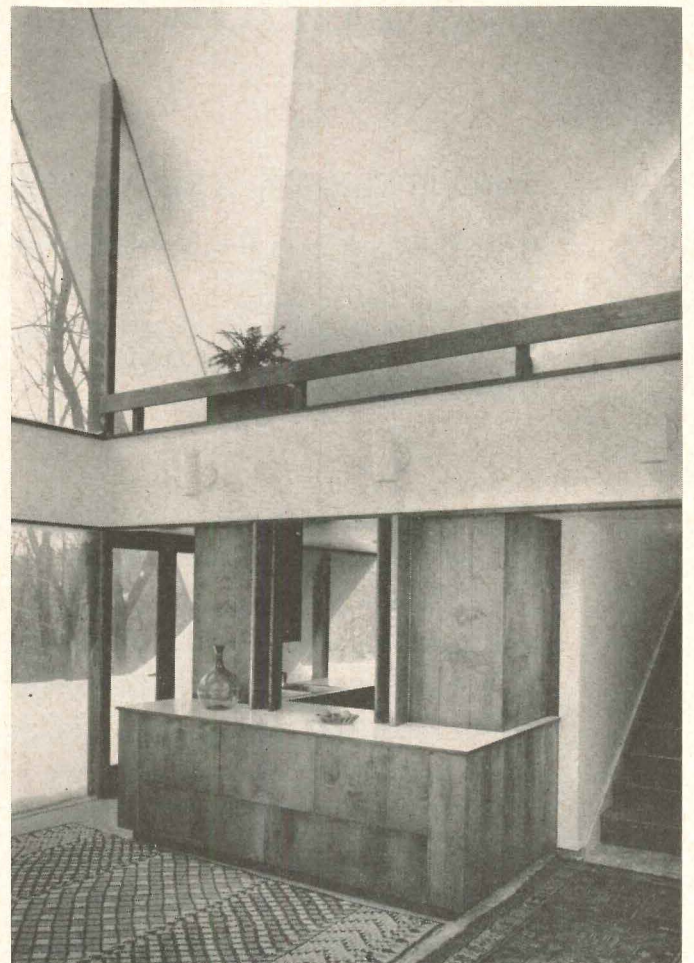
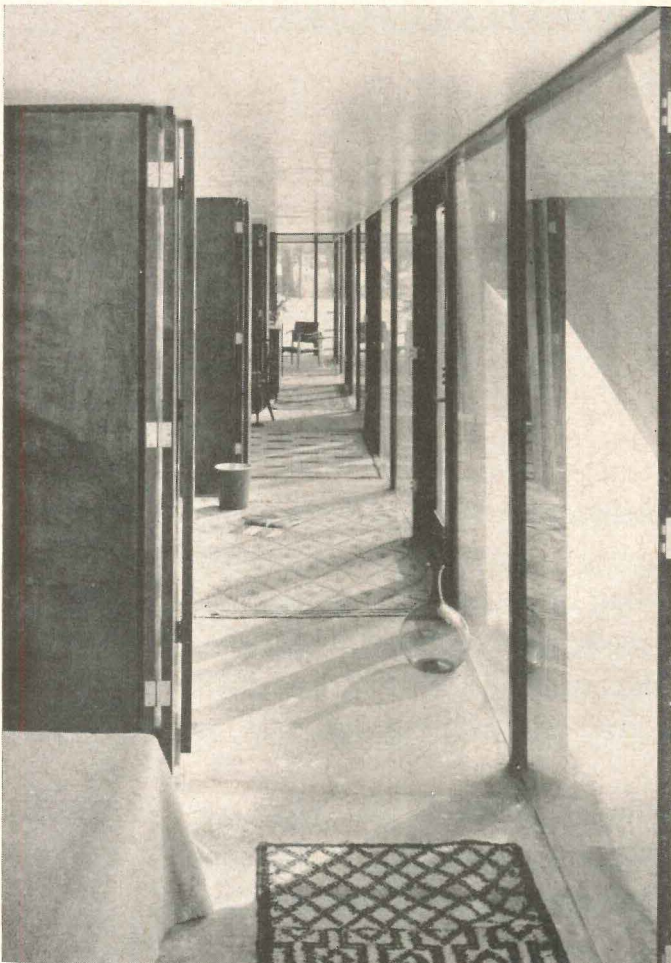
Though the structure is of primary interest, a livable plan has been ingeniously inserted into it. Adult areas—living room, master bedroom and a dining room—are on the upper floor; children and family activities are housed on the ground floor.



UPPER FLOOR



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UNUSUAL STRUCTURE AFFORDS SPACES OF VARIED CHARACTER

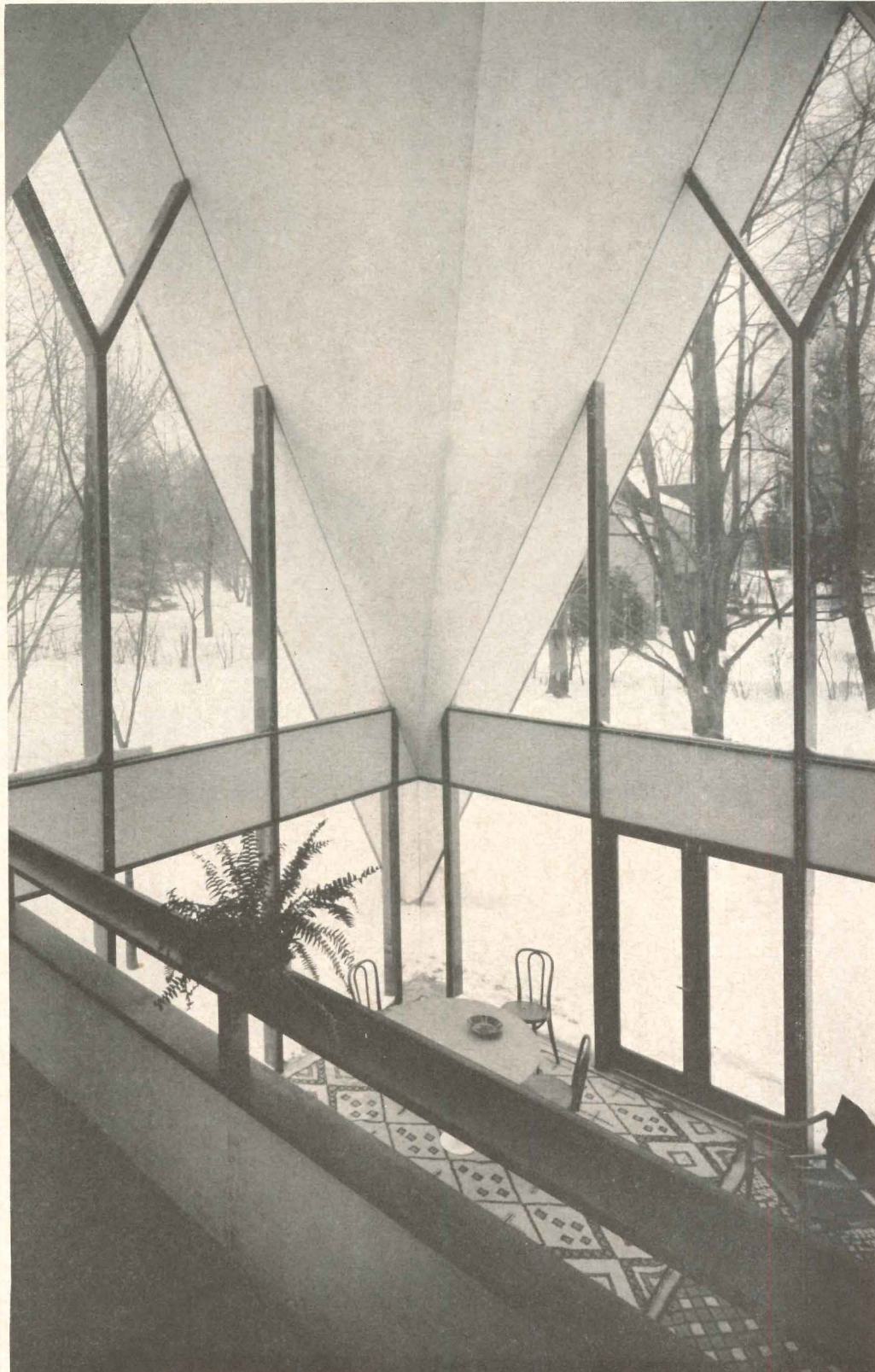
THE STRUCTURE of the McDonald house is of wood frame, resting on eight points, anchored by concrete piers 8-ft deep. The roof is covered with wood shakes. The ground floor is slate, set on a concrete slab. Interior walls are smooth dry wall, ceilings are sand-finished plaster.

To secure privacy from the road in front of the house, a masonry garden wall will be built in the near future. Behind it will be a gravel-covered central court and a carport. The carport will be connected to the playroom by a covered walk.

THE PLAN places formal areas and the master bedroom on the second floor, and family activities and children's rooms on the first floor. The house has two dining rooms: one for the family on the first floor, another for more formal occasions on the second. The upstairs dining room is served by a dumbwaiter.

On the first floor, bedrooms for the children—a college-age daughter, two young sons and an infant—can be shut off at night by doors folding out from the closet partitions to the outside wall. The master bedroom is open to the living room, but is closed at the balcony end by a folding Japanese screen.

Upstairs windows will be provided with triangular blinds on rollers mounted on the spandrel; the blinds will be hoisted from the peaks "like sails."





Modest in both size and budget (\$15,500), this house pays large dividends in pleasant space and in intelligent exploitation of its site.

The owner is a young college teacher, single, whose domestic requirements and wishes encompassed some contradictions. The architect's solution to these opposing needs was a plan which he likens to "two interlocked boxes—one solid, one open," with utilities furnishing the connective.

As a social adjunct to her profession, Dr. Galbraith needed space to entertain both fellow faculty members and students in groups

ELROY WEBBER ASSOCIATES, ARCHITECTS

*Residence for Dr. Virginia Galbraith
South Hadley, Massachusetts
Richard Remillard, Building Contractor*

\$15,500 BUYS CIVILITY AND COMFORT

of varying sizes. The relatively large living-dining room can comfortably accommodate quite a large company, while the sitting area within the room seems at once spacious and intimate.

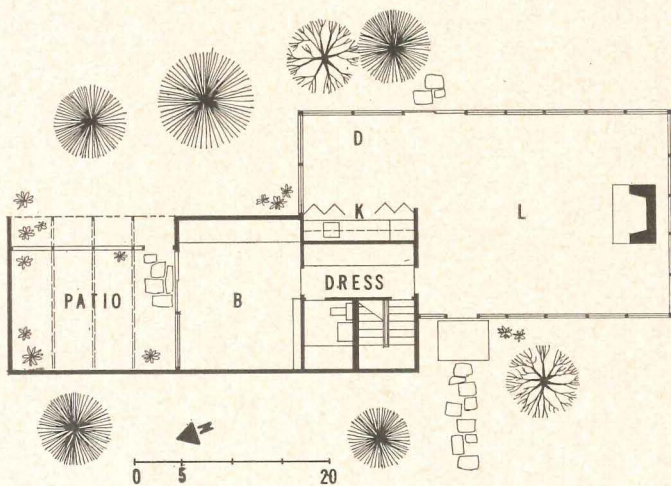
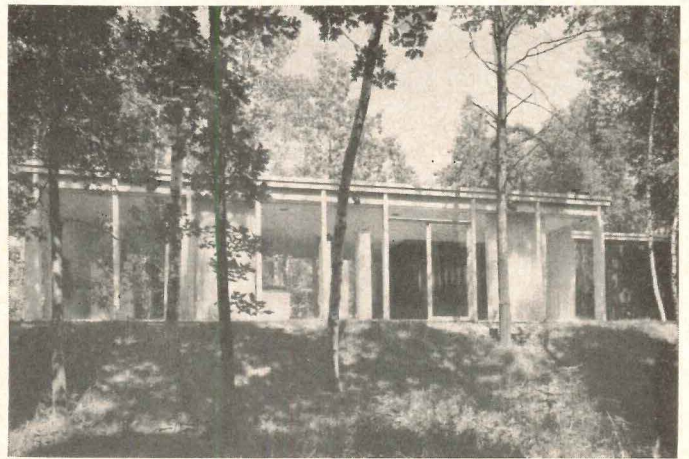
For study and sleep, a sense of protection and privacy not provided by the glass walls of the living area was wanted. The study-bedroom, the "solid" box, is therefore windowless on three sides. The fourth wall is of sliding glass, opening onto a fenced patio.

To take advantage of the site, glass walls on all four sides of the living area allow views

of the thick woods growing close to the house. They also admit a great deal of sunlight. In the summertime, the trees are sufficient to control both light and heat, obviating any necessity for artificial sun control or for air conditioning. In the wintertime, natural light and heat are both welcome.

Dr. Galbraith also wanted a house which would demand a minimum of housekeeping chores. The easily kept galley-type kitchen, the expanses of uninterrupted, clutter-free floor, and the virtually maintenance-free landscaping were designed to this end.

WILD WOODS AND NEAT HOUSE
COMPLEMENT EACH OTHER

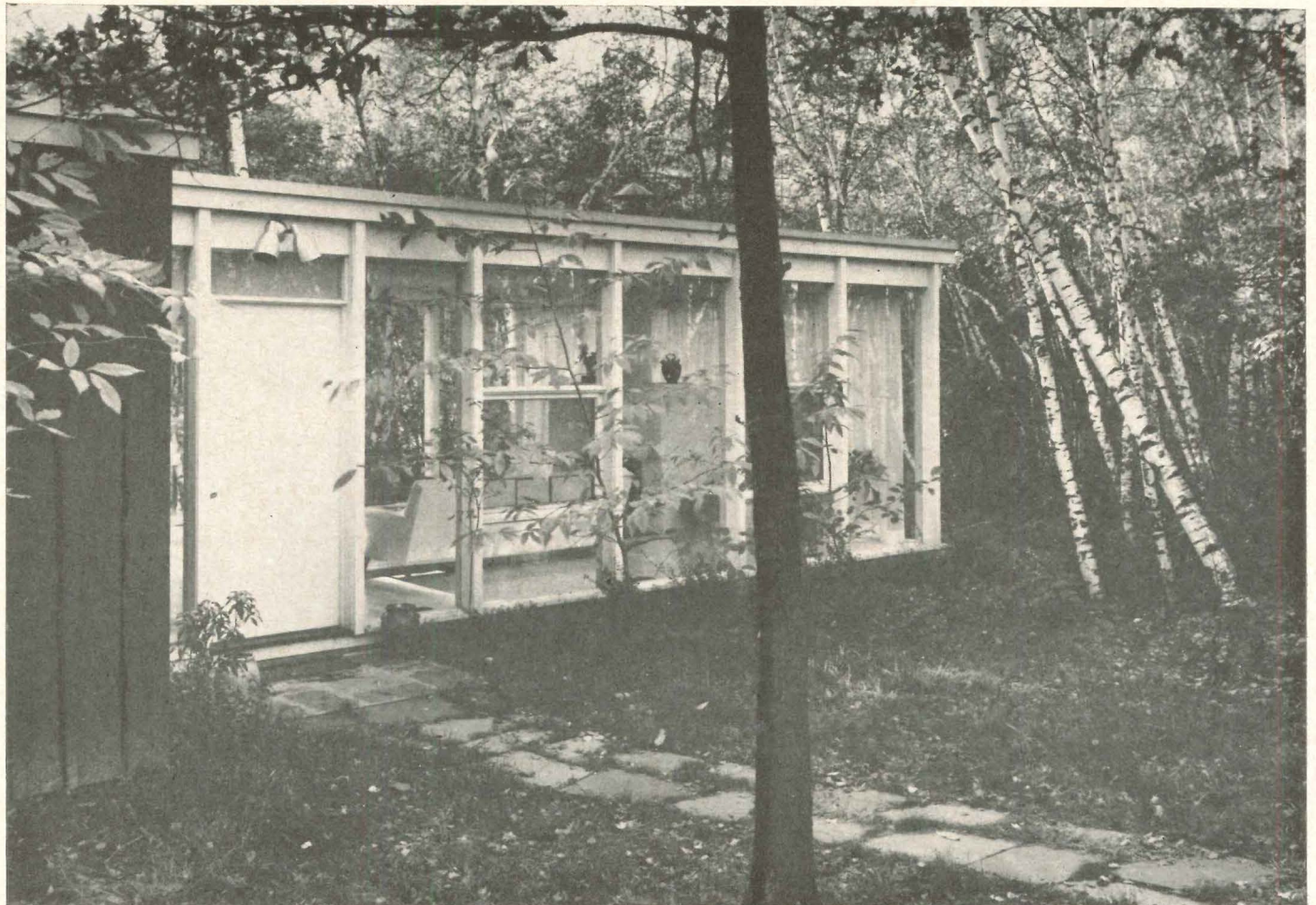


THE STRUCTURE of the Galbraith house is entirely wood frame, except for concrete foundation walls. The exterior, where not glazed, uses rough-sawn pine siding stained dark, with pine trim painted white. The roof is three-ply tar and gravel.

THE INTERIOR FINISH relies on simple, conventional materials: plaster for walls, ceiling and fireplace; vinyl tile for floors; Philippine mahogany for doors and one wall. The kitchen can be closed off entirely by folding wood doors.

LANDSCAPING was held to a minimum to reduce the necessity for extensive maintenance. Trees and shrubs were left, as nearly as possible, as found. That part of the land disturbed during construction was later graded, planted with meadow grasses, and "allowed to return to original woodland."

THE COST of the house was \$15,500, excluding the cost of the land. Not including the partial basement, its area is 1040 sq ft.



The usually pleasant and rhythmic repetitions of a post and beam structure can sometimes verge on monotony in such a large one-story house as this. However, the architects have skillfully solved the problem in this case by several devices: (1) the plan and structure of the house were divided into three distinct units, connected by glassed-in entries; (2) the use of a folded plate roof added further to give varied scale to the building; (3) close integration of terraces, courts and

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landscaping with the house gives outdoor rooms of different aspects.

The site is on a lakeside, and approached down a steep hill to a motor court at the front of the house. The diversity of shapes in the house noted above thus gives additional design impact as one first glimpses the house from the road above.

All major rooms are oriented to face the attractive lake front, and to take advantage of the outdoor living areas.



THREE-PART PLAN GIVES GOOD SCALE

BASSETTI & MORSE, ARCHITECTS

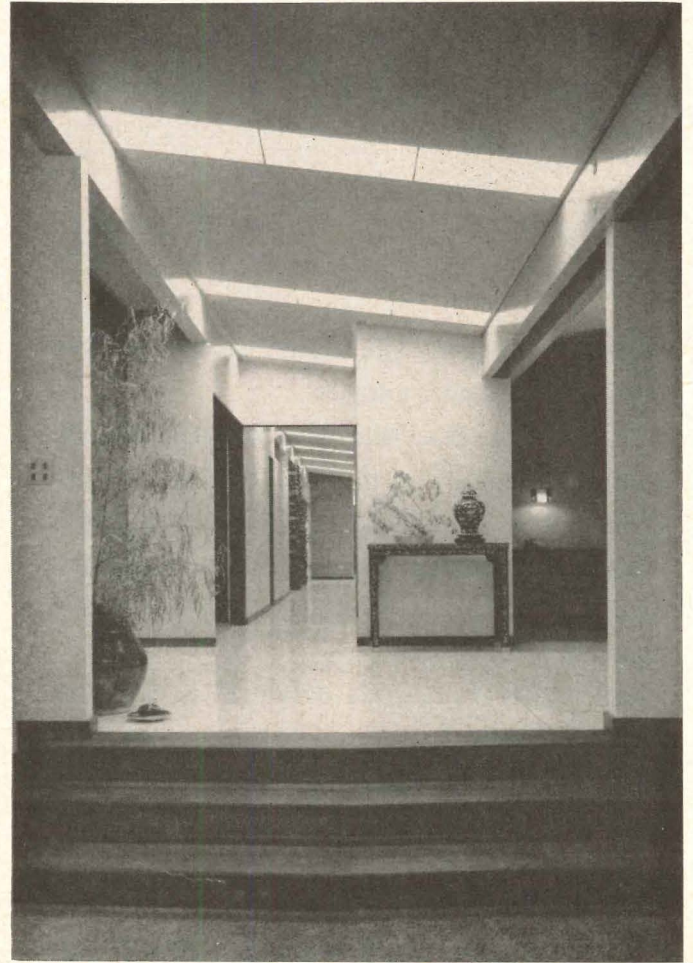
*Residence for Steven P. Wertheimer
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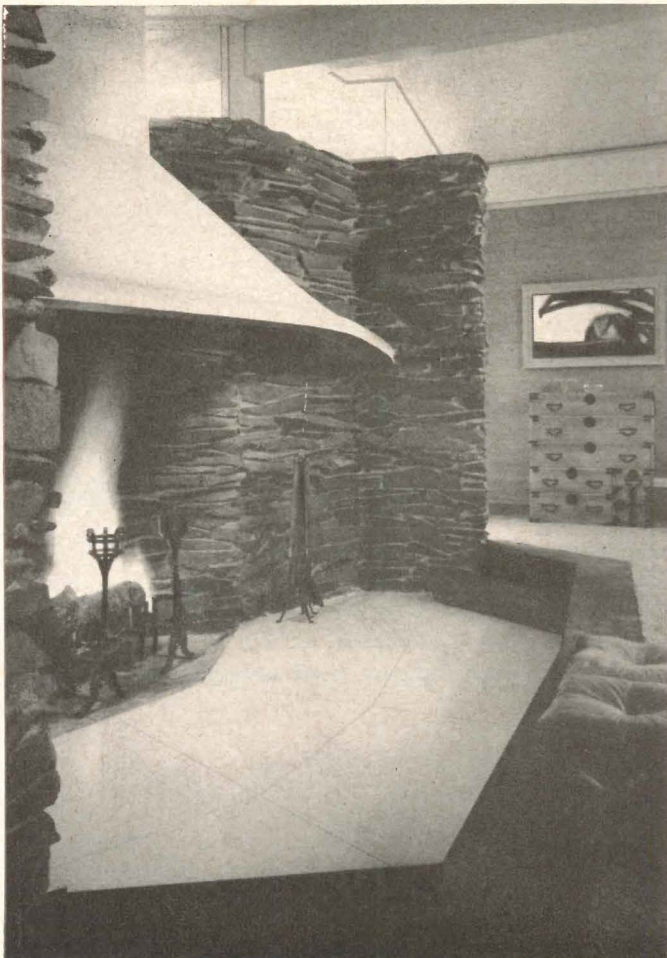
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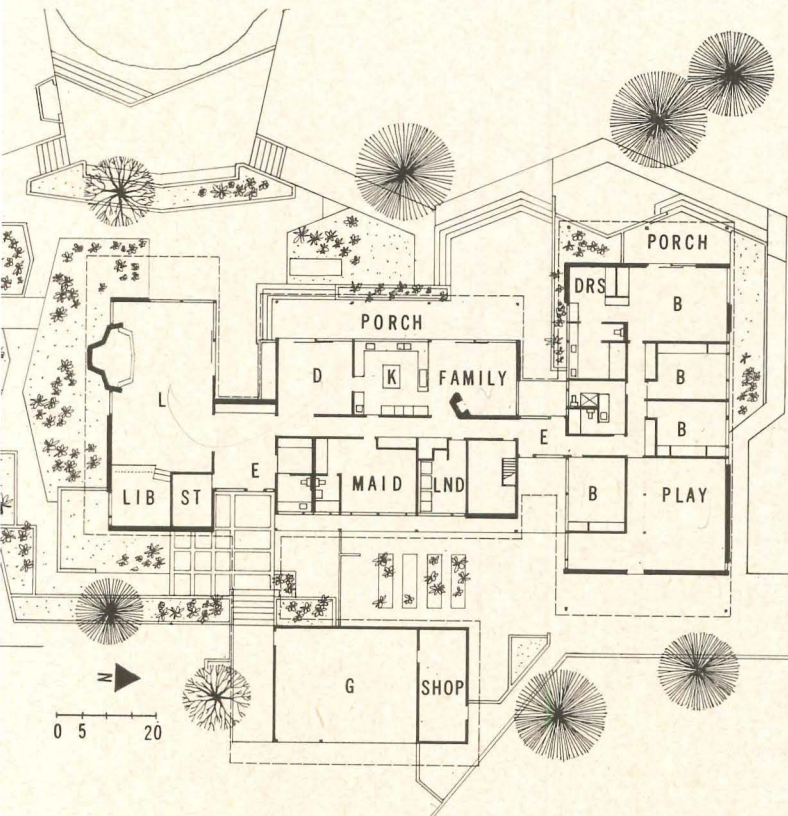
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BRIGHT SPATIAL VARIETY
TYPIFIES INTERIORS



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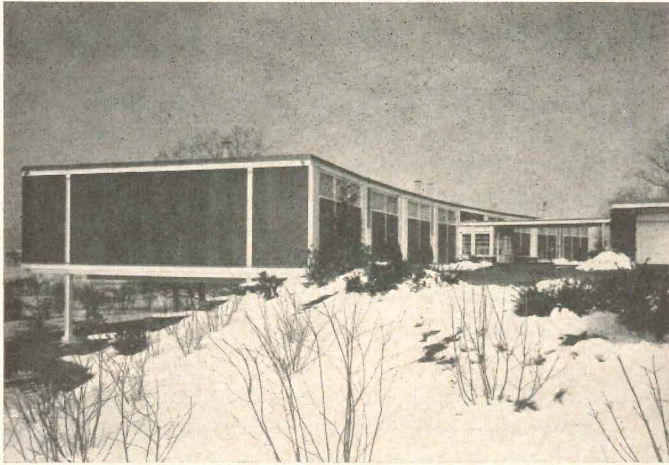
THE PLAN of the Wertheimer house puts living, library and study areas in a high-ceilinged wing, dining and service functions in the center unit, and bedroom and children's play areas in the third section. It is an arrangement well suited to the many simultaneous activities of a family.

THE STRUCTURE is of laminated posts and beams, with exterior wall panels of corrugated cement asbestos board, interior panels of plaster board. The long center hall of the middle section of the house is given a bright, cheerful appearance by a series of plastic skylights along its entire length (photo top left). Floors are carpet or vinyl, ceramic tile in the baths.

EQUIPMENT includes a heat pump heating system which circulates water through coils in the floor slab.

THE COST was about \$128,000.





CURVING HOUSE DESIGNED FOR SWEEPING VIEW

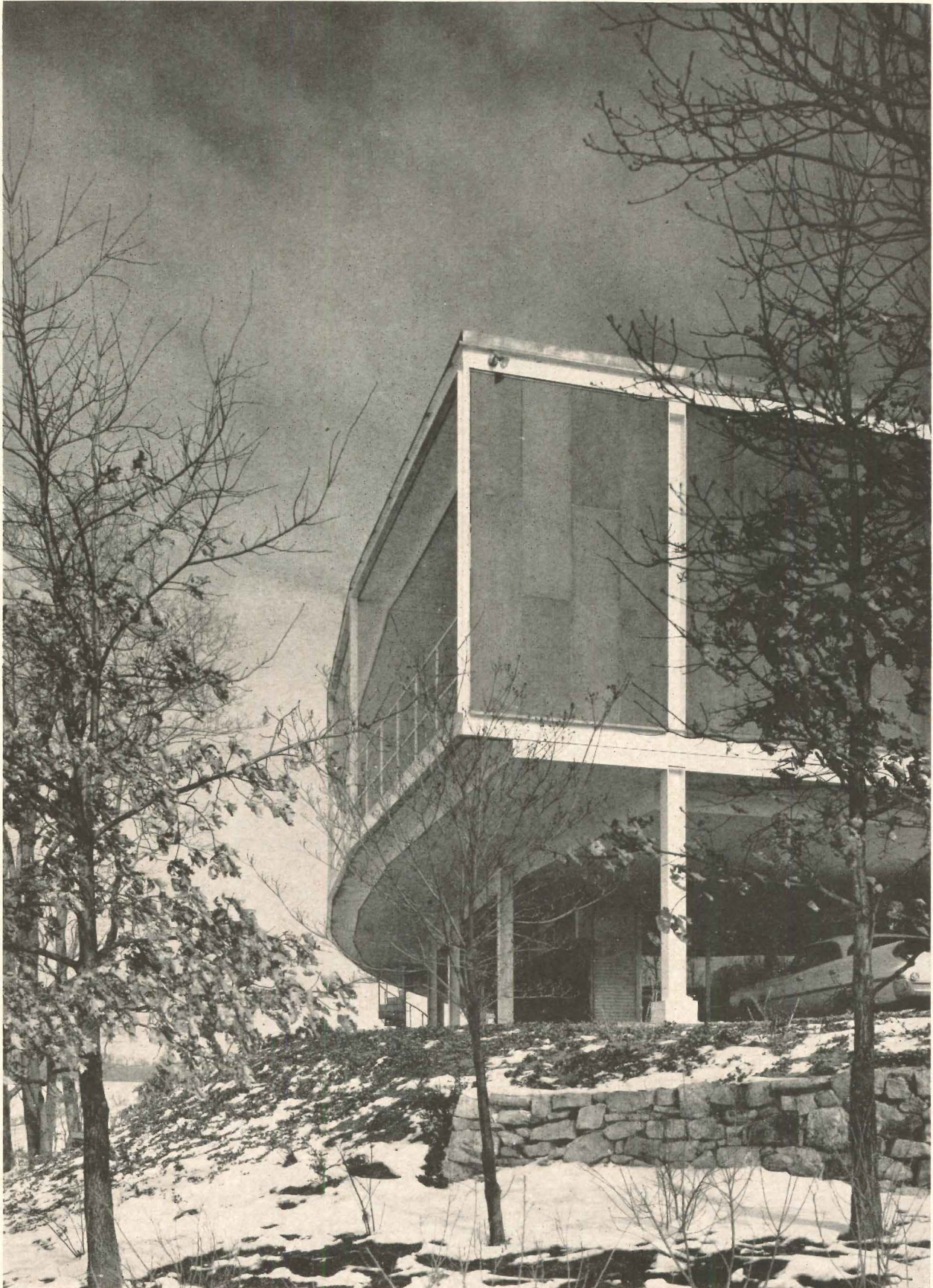
GEORGE FRED KECK-WILLIAM KECK,
ARCHITECTS

*Residence for Mrs. Frank E. Payne
Pleasant Valley, Bucks County, Pennsylvania
McCloud & Scatchard, Landscape Architects
J. Illick, Contractor*

This dramatic curving façade was designed to take fullest advantage of a superb view of Bucks County to the north and west of the house. All of the rooms on the main floor share this view. Thanks to the length of the house and to the gentleness of the curve, the rooms are very nearly rectangular, rather than wedge-shaped. Since the owner wanted, in addition to the view, a rather formal house in which to display a large collection of furniture, she has managed to have the best of both worlds.

The neat, symmetrical exterior reflects the character of the interior. Built with "indigenous" materials (slate is quarried locally, and structural steel is manufactured nearby), it is enclosed with a pattern of modular panels which has become almost a trademark of the architects: solid panels, fixed and sliding glass, louvered strips used both for ventilation and for definition of the curtain wall.

PHOTOS: JOSEPH W. MOLITOR



SPACIOUS MODERN INTERIOR SETS OFF FINE FURNITURE



THE SITE of the Payne house is a "determined" slope, providing very little level space for parking and access. Though the house is projected from the side of the hill primarily for other structural and design reasons, this device also frees this minimal level area for the accommodation of automobiles. Mrs. Payne, an enthusiastic gardener, has taken great interest in the impressive in-season planting.

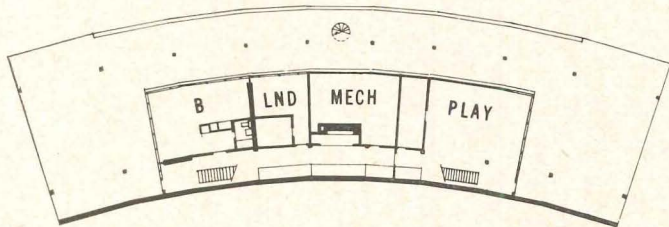
STRUCTURE is welded steel frame; the exterior walls are exposed white-painted steel and slate panels, both smooth and rubble. The foundation is reinforced con-

crete. Shutters are aluminum with a baked-on white finish.

Interior finish is plaster on walls and ceilings. Flooring is parquet in the living areas, vinyl in the kitchen, and tile in the bathrooms. The double-paned windows are set in wood sashes. Daylighting is augmented by a number of plastic skylights.

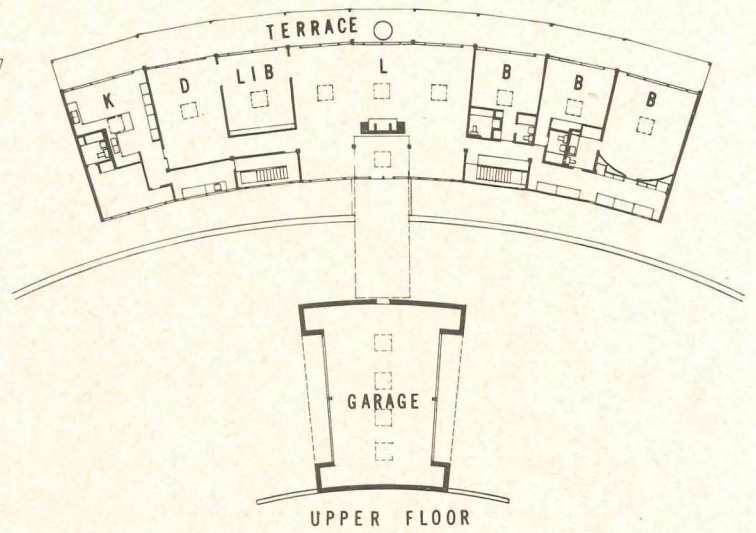
EQUIPMENT includes air conditioning and a radiant heating system.

THE COST of the house was \$225,000.



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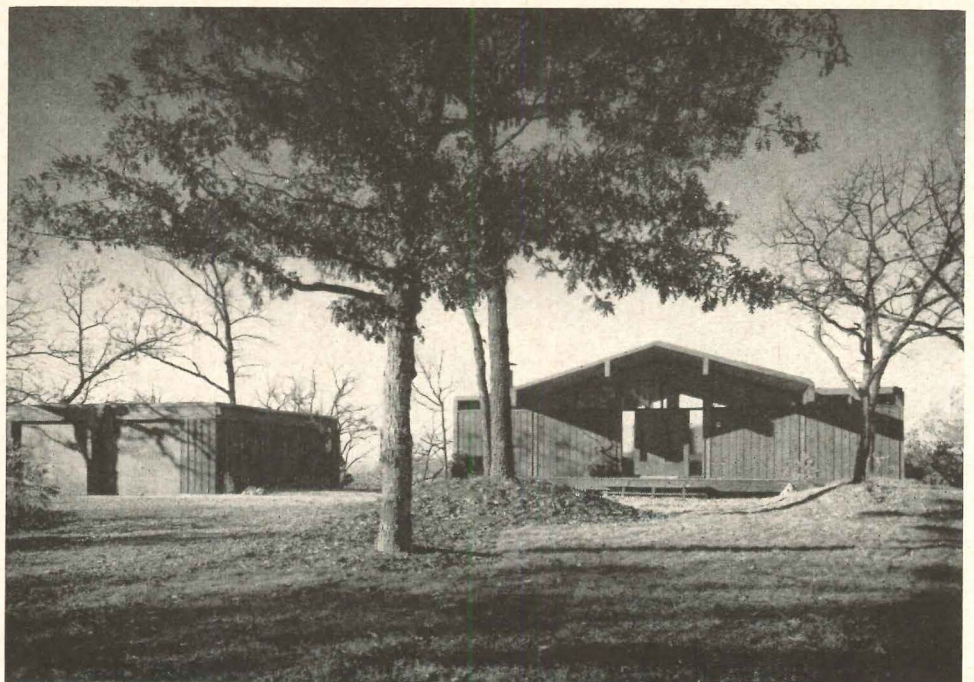
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URBANITY AND RUSTICITY ARE SKILLFULLY COMBINED

This is very much a country house. Its rough-sawn cedar siding is stained charcoal, so that its weathered walls might appear to have stood in the countryside for a long time. But any first impression of primitive rusticity is dispelled when one takes a second look and recognizes the suavity of design and detail that is evident even in photographs.

Built on a sharply sloping site, the house is entered on the upper, and main, level. This level is in effect one large room. Functional areas—living, dining and study—revolve around the central stairway and free-standing fireplace. The areas are each well defined, but borrow visual space from each other and from an extremely generous view of the Minnesota country.

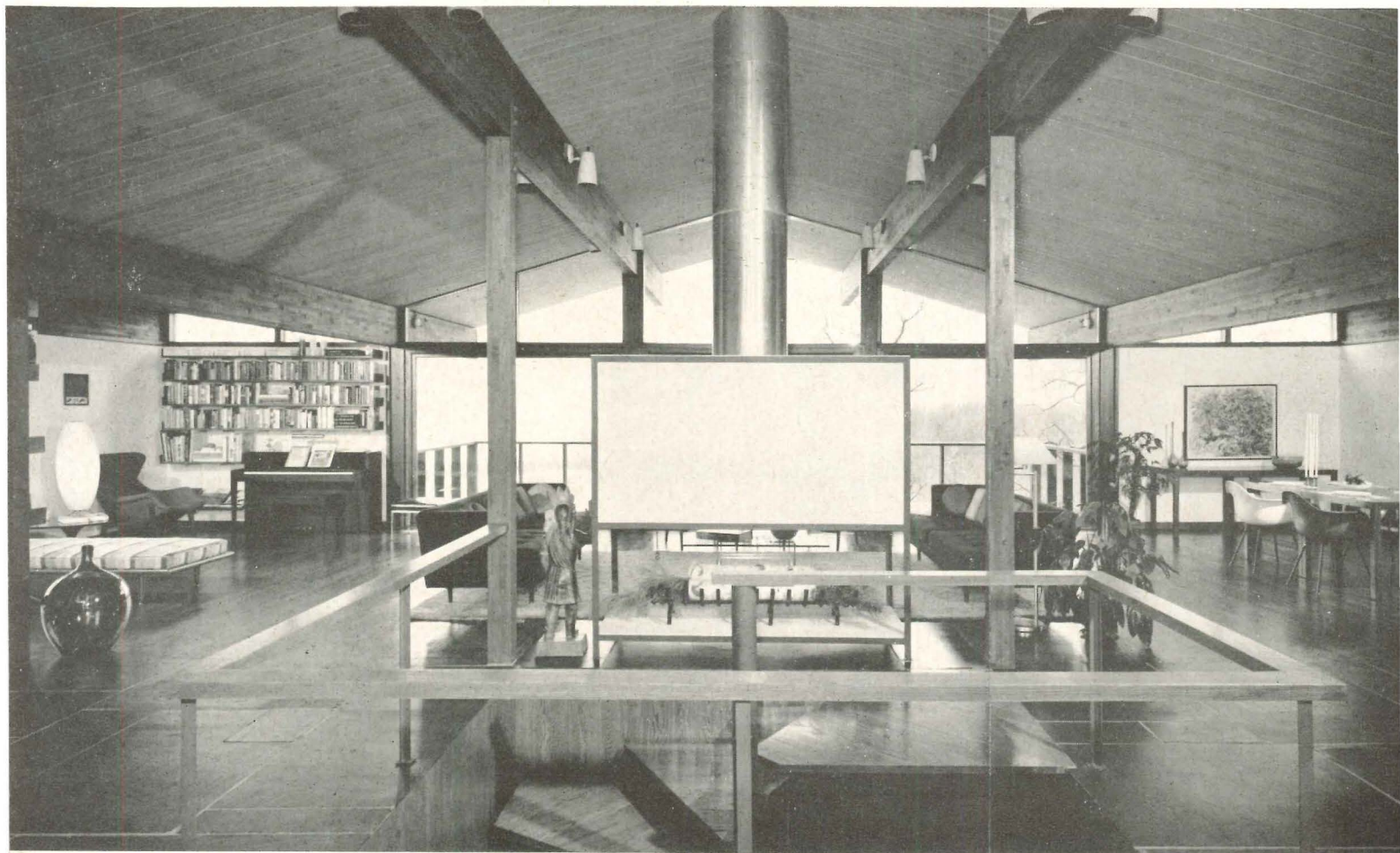




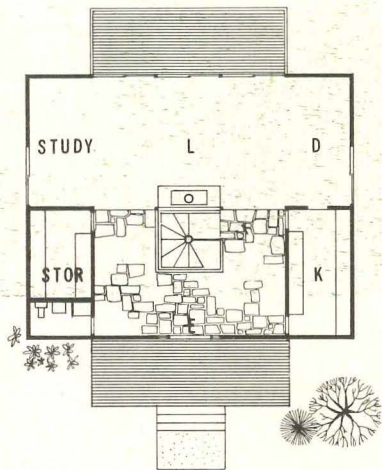
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NEWTON E. GRIFFITH, ARCHITECT

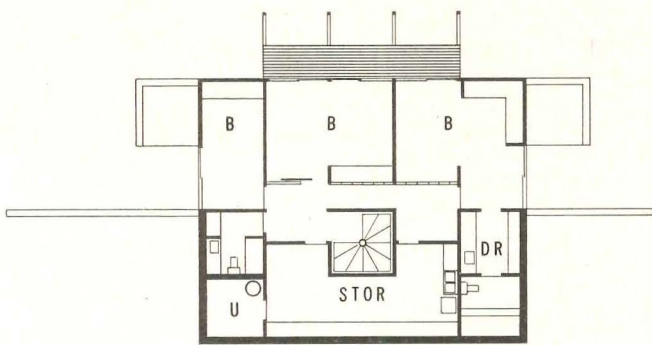
*Residence for Mr. and Mrs. Newton E. Griffith
Edina, Minnesota
Gerald F. Paulson, Structural Engineer
Richard Peterson, Mechanical Engineer*



UPPER FLOOR



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RESPECT AND IMAGINATION ARE APPLIED TO TRADITIONAL MATERIALS

THE PLAN of the Griffith house places all main living areas on the upper floor. This solution, because of the site's sharp drop-off, allows easy access from the front of the house. It also allows dramatic exploitation of the view.

Central to both the house's appearance and its interior circulation is the "circular stairway which is really square." The architect-owner feels that "it is a very strong sculptural shape as well as being extremely functional."

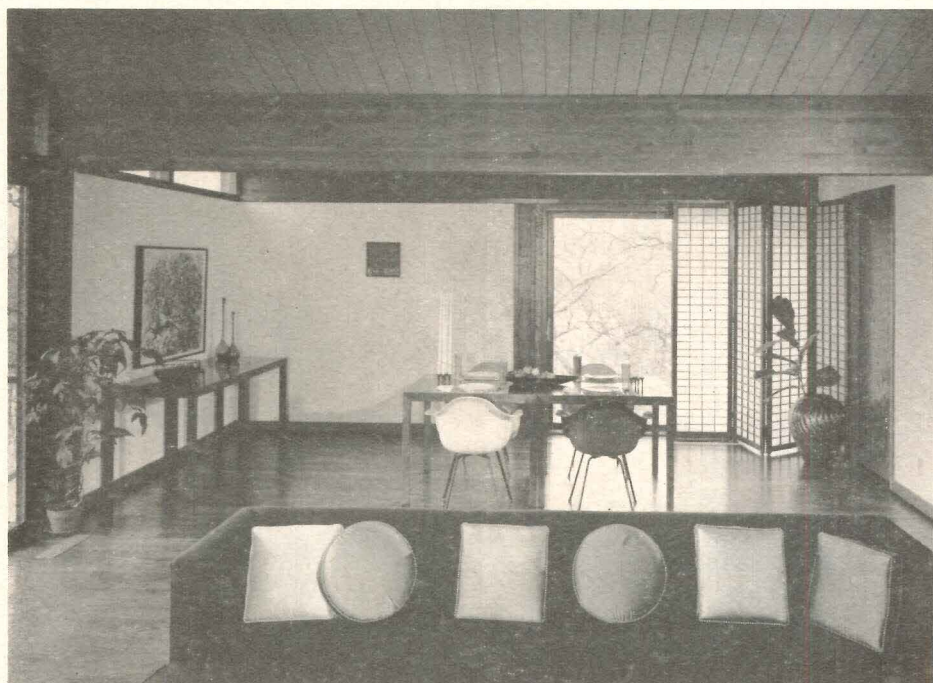
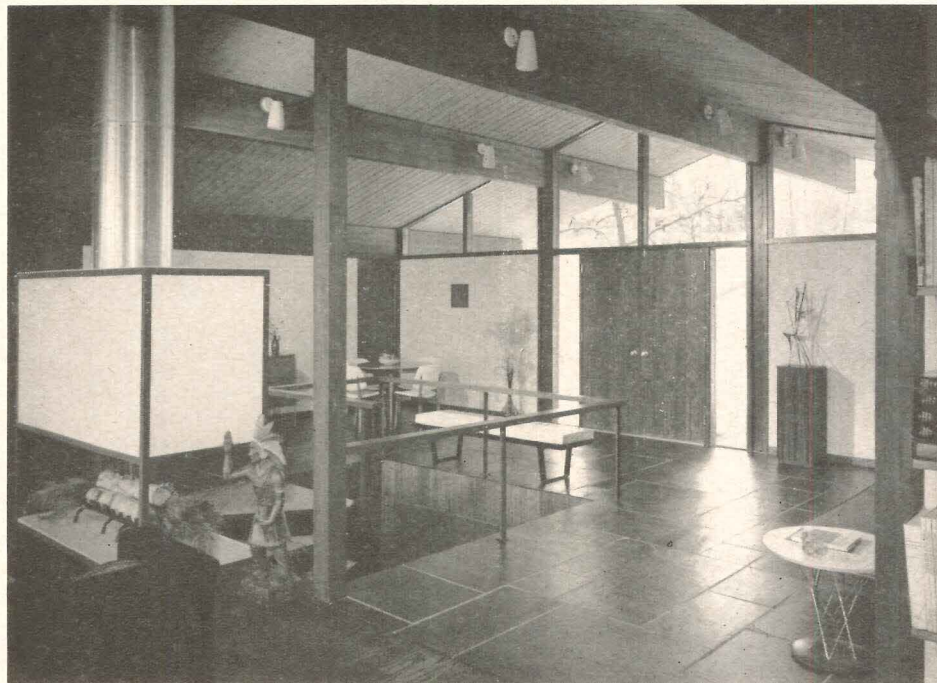
On the ground floor are the master bedroom, the children's room and the guest room. An unusual amount of space for bulk storage has been provided; a large laundry-cum-storage room on the ground floor, and an out-sized coat closet with built-in storage units on the upper level.

THE STRUCTURE is laminated wood frame with stained cedar siding. Floors are oak in living areas and kitchen, slate in the entrance and upstairs lavatory. On the lower level, all floors are finished with vinyl. Ceilings are wood decking on the upper floor, acoustic tile on the lower. Interior walls and partitions are painted drywall.

The house has no windows, properly speaking. All openings are pairs of wood-framed sliding doors. All glass, both sliding and fixed, is insulating.

EQUIPMENT includes two oil-fired furnaces supplying the forced air system.

COST was approximately \$43,500.



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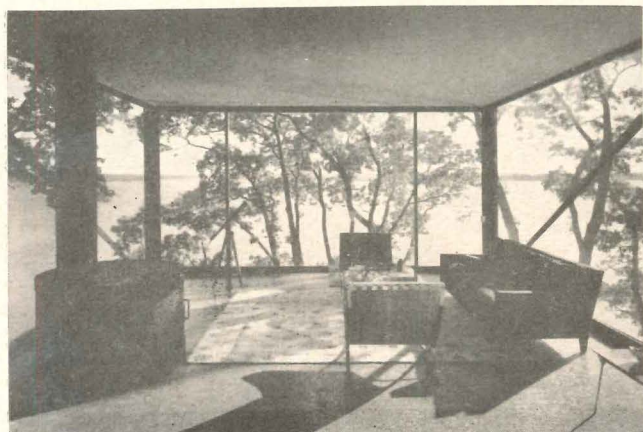
GLASS LIVING PAVILION TOPS VIEW

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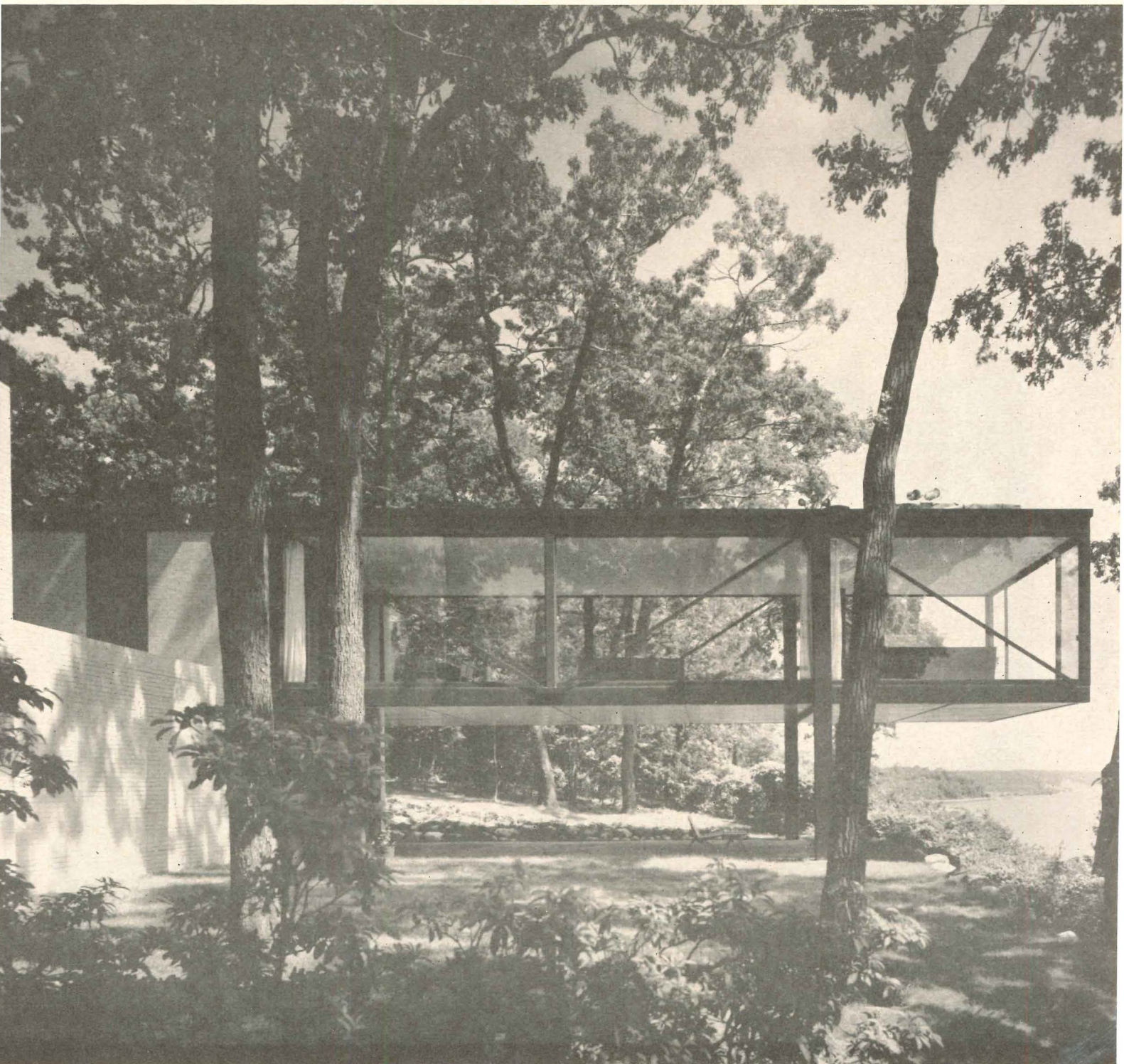
*Residence on Lloyd's Neck,
Long Island, New York
Eipel Engineering, Structural Engineers
Fred S. Dubin, Mechanical Engineer*

The problem of designing a large house for an extremely narrow lot has been solved here by splitting the plan into two pavilions, each offset from the other, with the long axis of each following that of the site. One unit is devoted to living, dining and kitchen, with service quarters below; the other contains bedrooms, library, laundry and storage. The two units are connected by an interior corridor on the lower level, and by an open terrace above (see plan on next page).

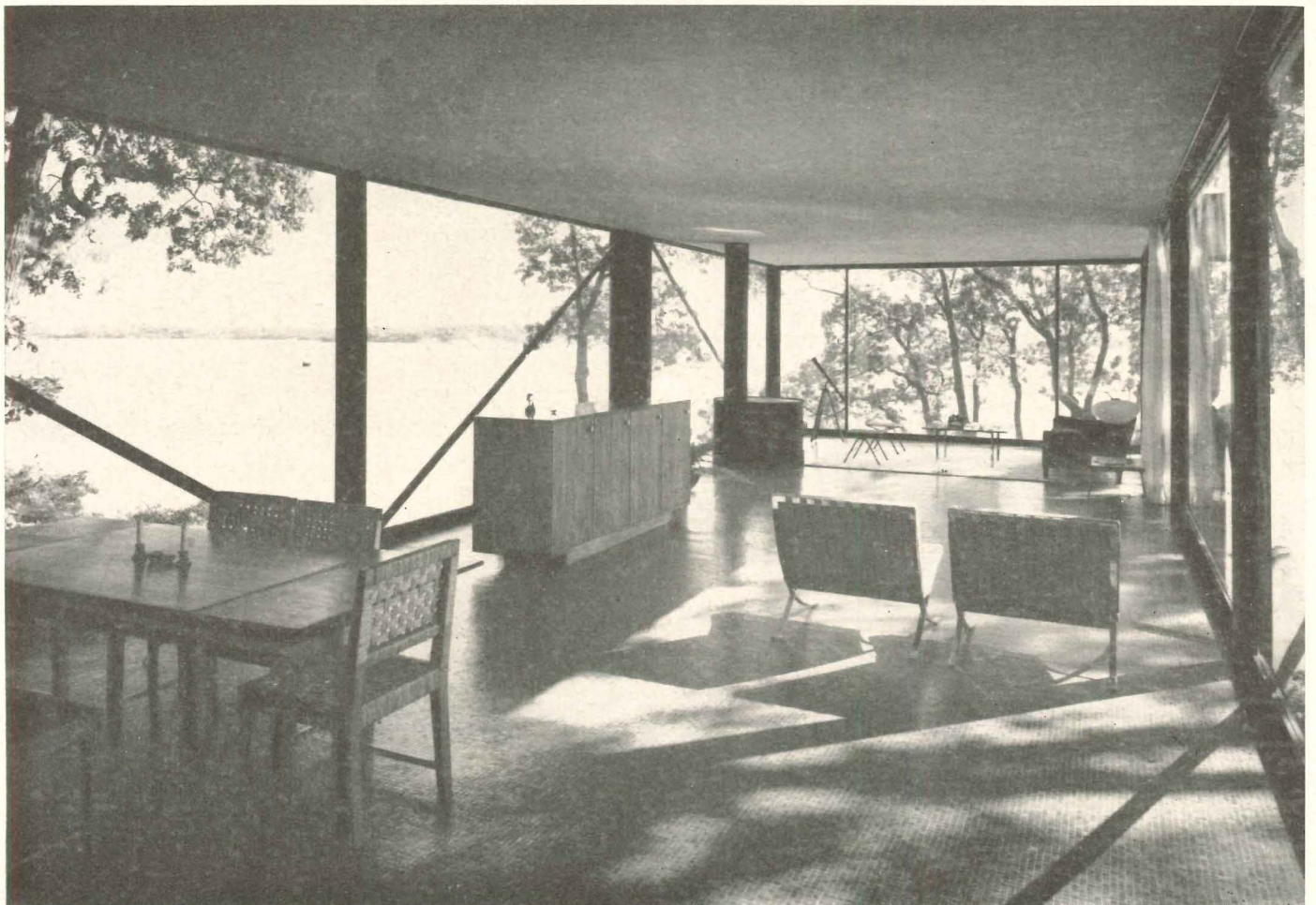
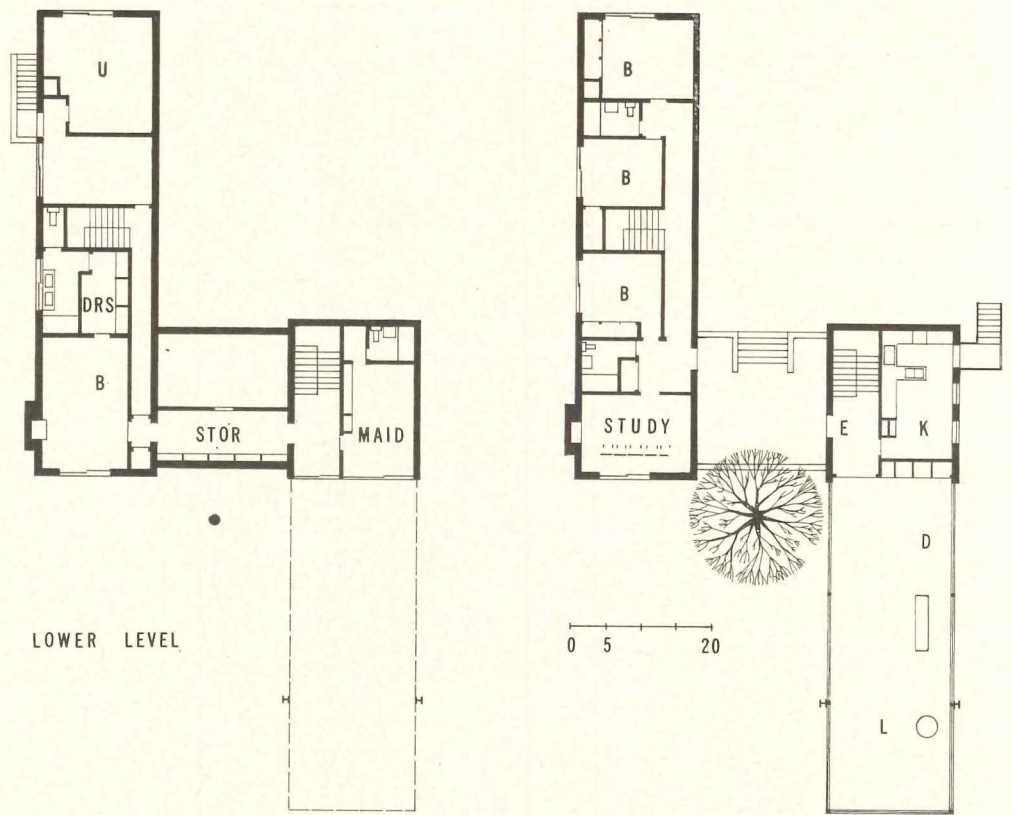
The site is 100 ft above a "fjord" type of inlet, and offers very dramatic views. The offset plan of the two pavilions allows views from all rooms—and the major view over the water is capitalized on by the spectacular raised living pavilion shown here. It projects out over the edge of the cliff, giving the effect of being built in the trees, and sheltering a terrace below. The design of this one unit is based on an early sketch of Mies van der Rohe's, with diagonal truss-like members crossing in front of the glass walls.

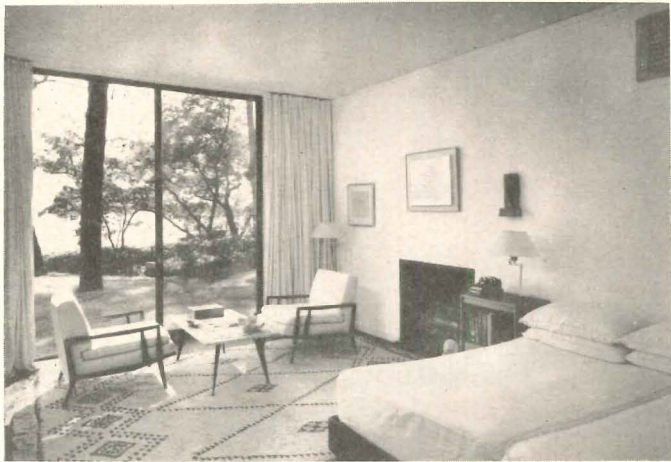


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CLASSIC SIMPLICITY PROVIDES A HOUSE OF GREAT STYLE





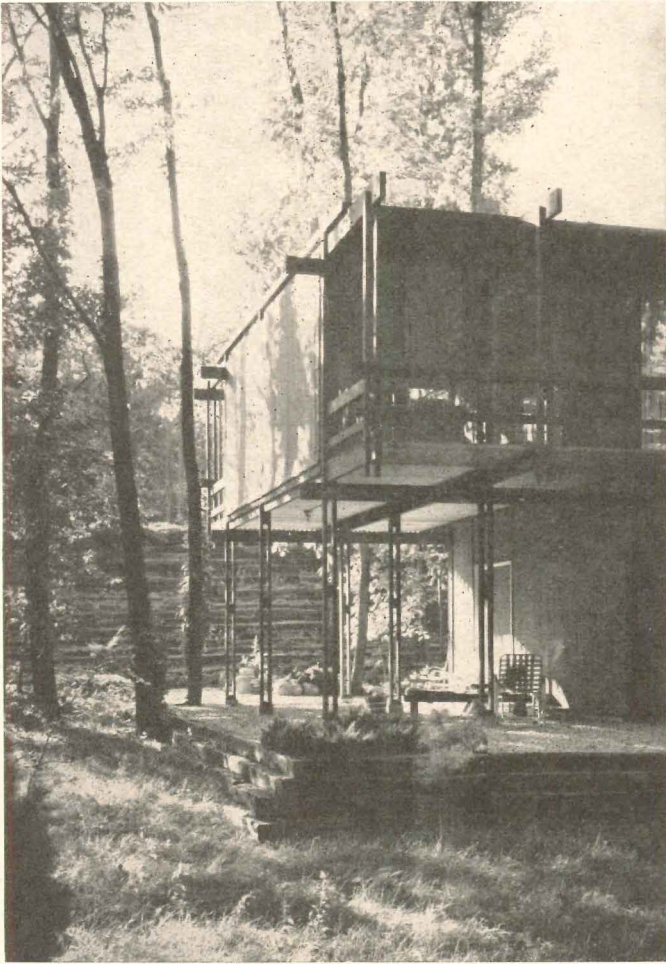
THE PLAN of this Long Island house gives excellent separation for living and bedroom areas—an especially useful item for the sea-side location where entertaining may be more frequent than in less pleasant locales. The big living area and terraces can accommodate a large number of guests.

THE STRUCTURE is a very nicely proportioned one, with a frame of exposed, and painted, structural steel on concrete foundations. Exterior walls are of brick and glass; interiors are painted plaster, on wood studs. All ceilings are plaster except for acoustic tile in the playroom. The roof is built-up tar and gravel.

INTERIORS are simply but well finished. Flooring for the various rooms includes: mosaic tile in living areas, rubber tile in kitchen and playroom, ceramic tile in baths.



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PHOTOS: NORMAN F. CARVER JR.

ART AND CRAFT COMBINED IN SIMPLE STRUCTURE

Built like a fine cabinet, this house was constructed with scrupulous attention to joinery. Essentially a simple post and beam structure, it has been highly refined for appearance's sake. Each beam and column has been extended beyond the joint to exaggerate the visual impact of the trabeation. The slim paired columns seem at once impossibly light and insistently structural. The result is a building of considerable sophistication and deceptive simplicity.

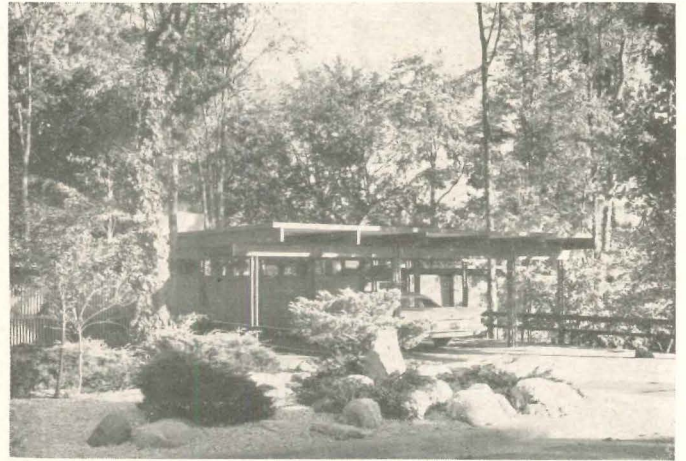
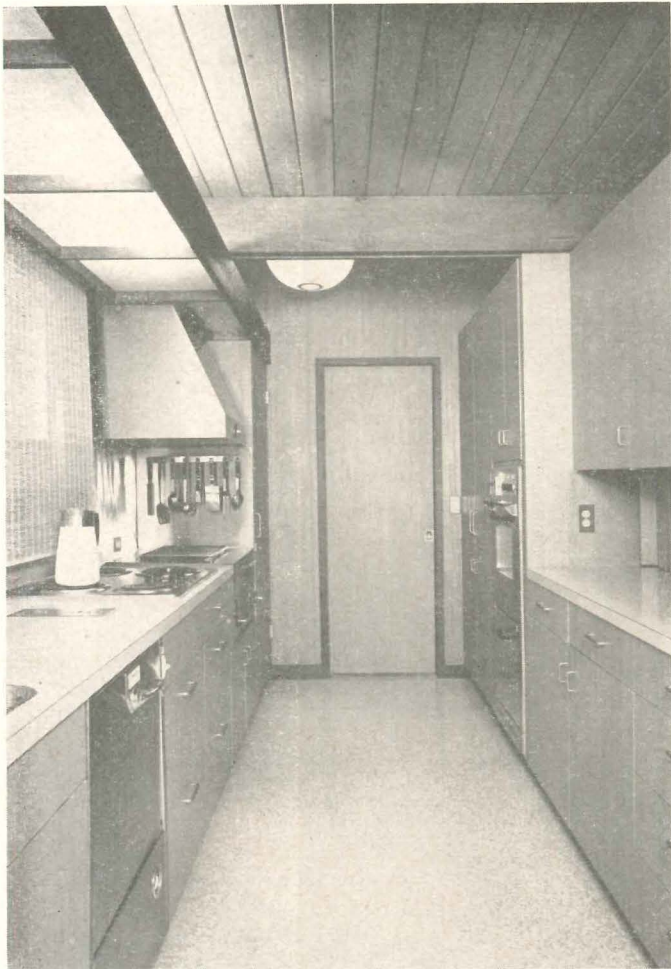
The architect has made no attempt to merge the house with nature. He has, rather, deliberately left the landscaping rough in contrast to the building's precision. This contrast is emphasized by raising the house on a low pedestal, approached by rough-hewn steps, and surfaced with smooth white gravel.

The plan, following a solution which seems increasingly popular, places the major living areas on the second floor in the fashion of the old *piano nobile*.

NORMAN F. CARVER JR., DESIGNER

*Residence for Mr. and Mrs. Donald Probasco
Kalamazoo, Michigan
David Spaulding, Contractor*



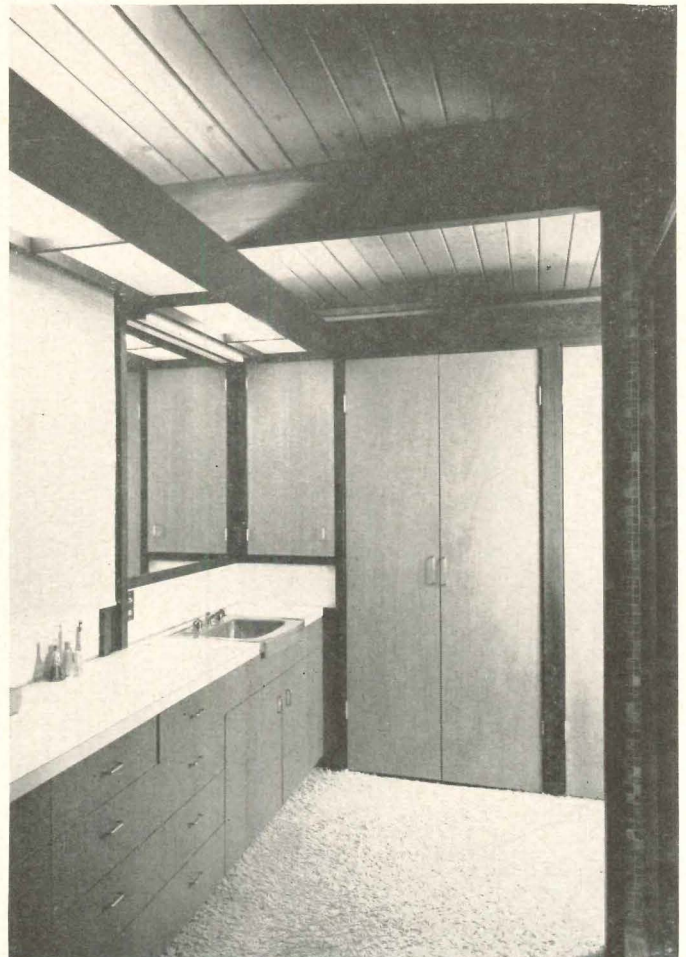


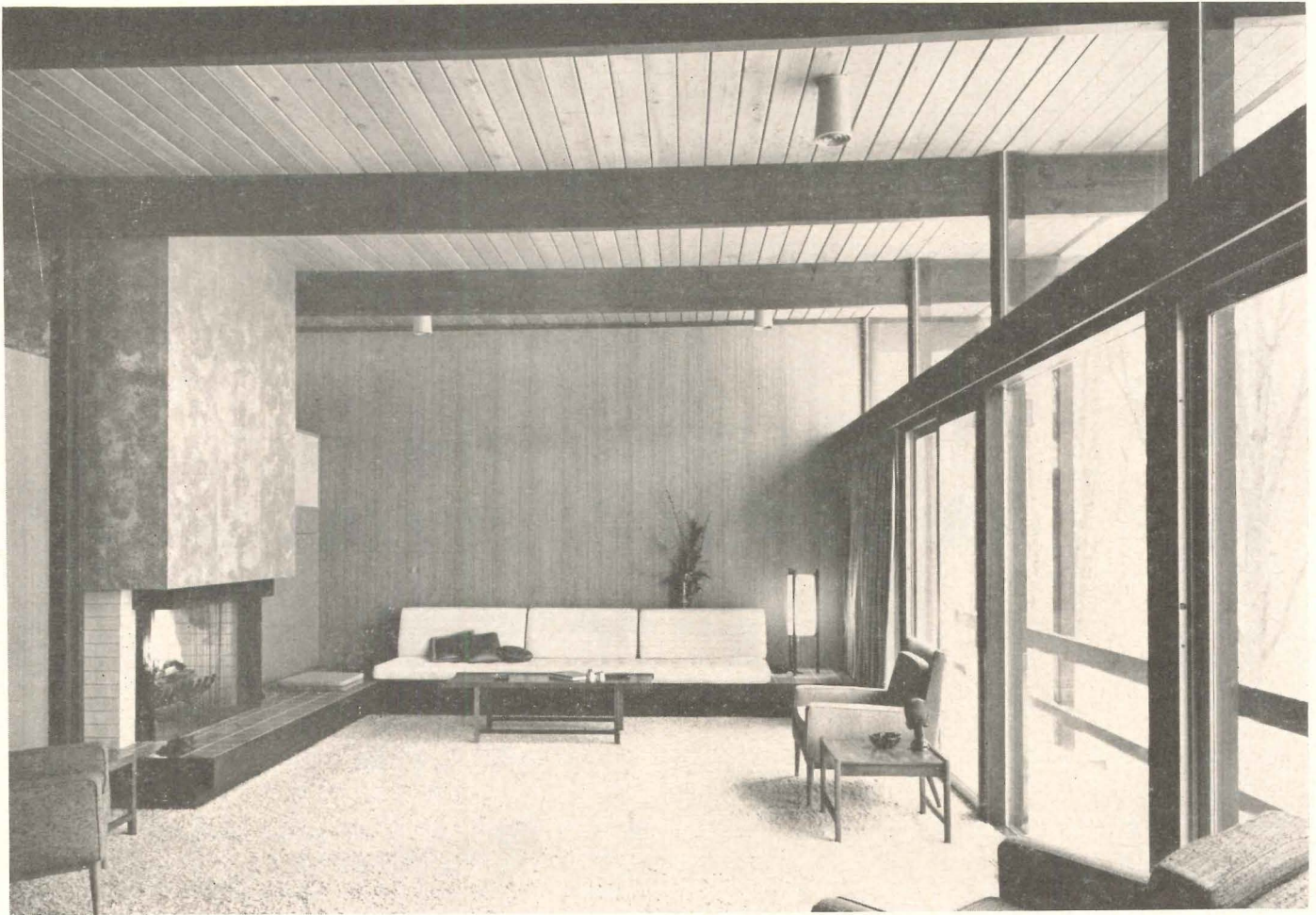
PRECISELY DETAILED MATERIALS
HAVE A RELAXED SIMPLICITY

THE STRUCTURE of the Probasco house is Douglas fir frame with a concrete foundation. Siding is scored Douglas fir plywood, which is also used on interior walls, along with mahogany plywood and plaster board. Ceilings are Douglas fir decking. Floors are finished with carpeting in the living areas and with vinyl in bathrooms and kitchen. Fixed glass panels are stopped directly into wood posts.

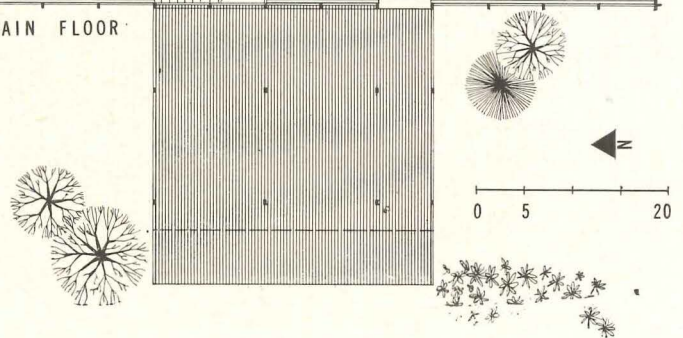
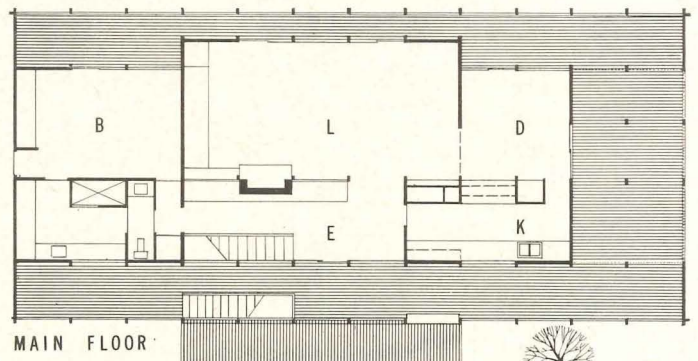
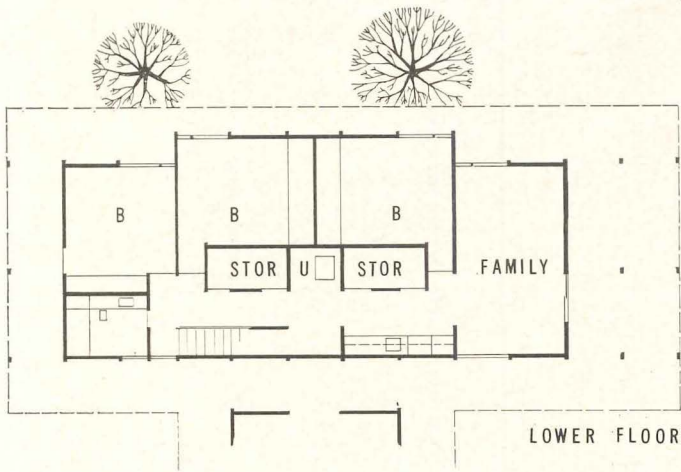
THE PLAN puts the carport, by special permission of the zoning board, close to the street. This also serves as a bridge entering the upper story directly. The ground floor contains rooms for two children of college age; it has its own entrance, and can be closed off entirely when not in use. A grill across the front of the house assures a degree of privacy while allowing a view outward.

THE DECOR opposes rich colors to the natural materials of the structure. The owners, who have a fabric shop, have hung burnt orange draperies in the living room, and turquoise draperies in the entrance.



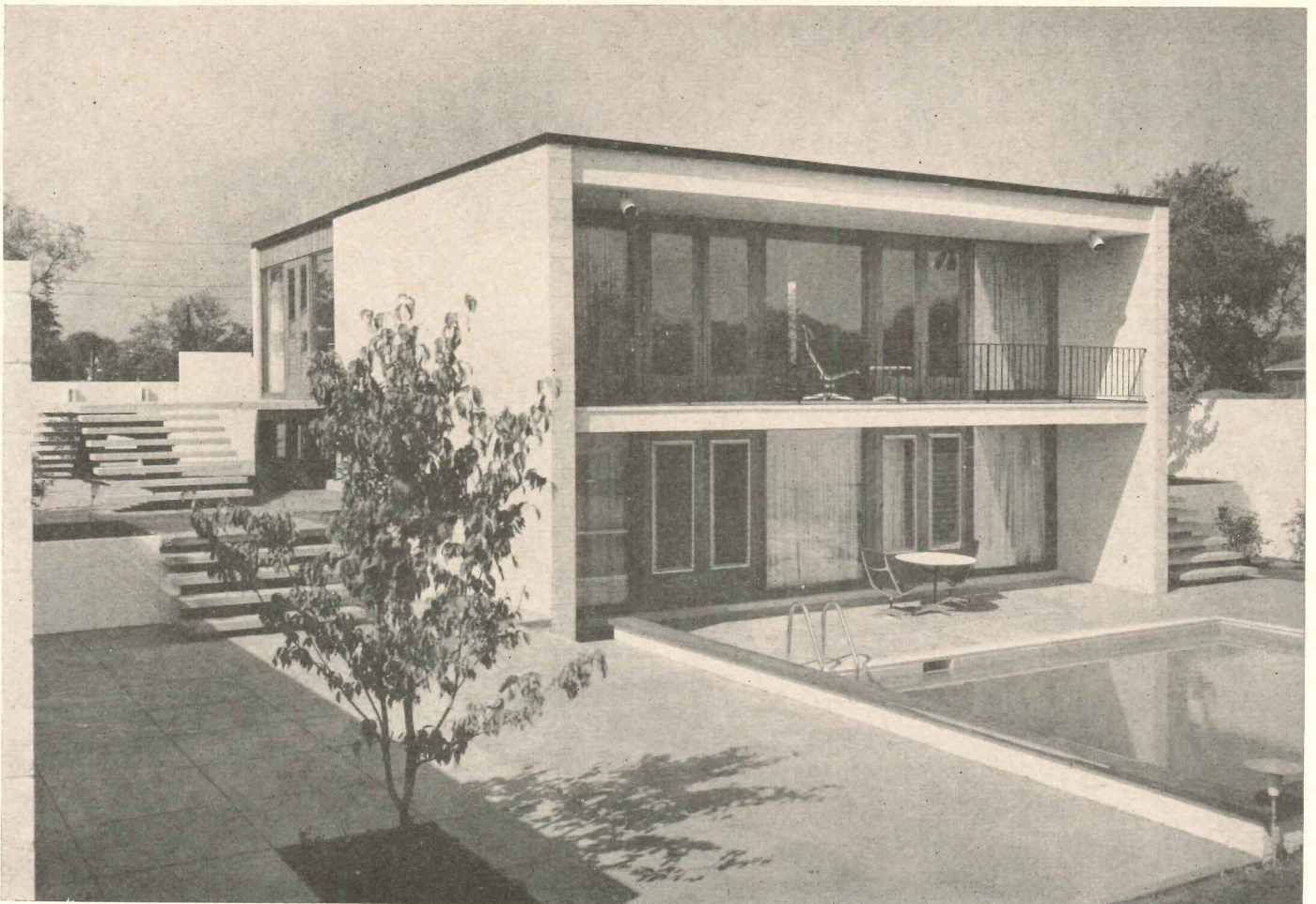


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BUILDER HOUSE OF CONCRETE OFFERS BUDGET LUXURY

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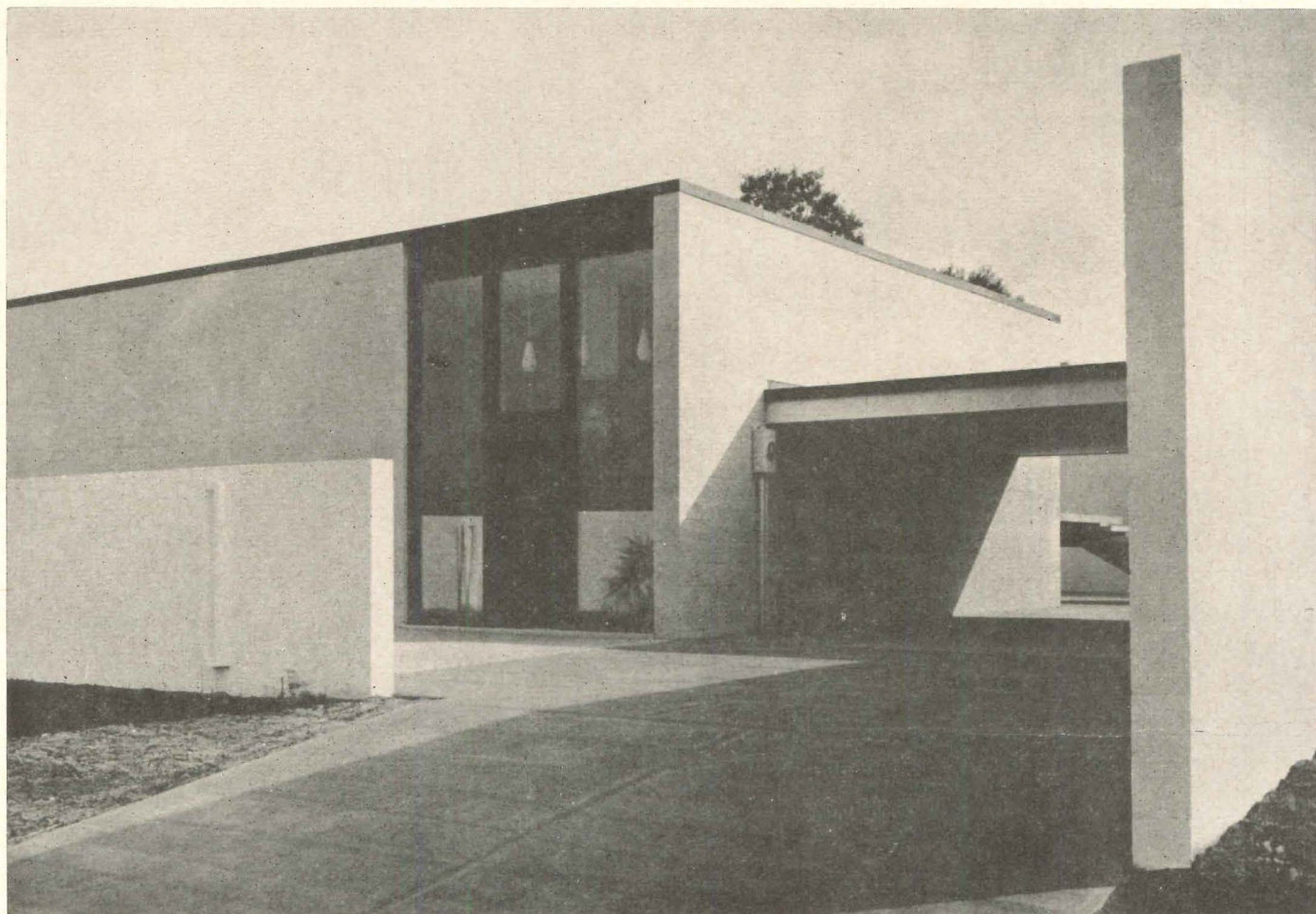
A great deal of well organized and pleasant living space is packed into this budget development house for a typical family of four. Its spaciousness-at-a-price can largely be attributed to skilled handling of a compact, rectangular shape, simplicity of design, and use of low cost materials. A two-story scheme (with entry at mid-level) also frees a large part of the fairly standard suburban lot for use as outdoor living areas. Concrete walls enclose these outside spaces to create a variety of private courts for family relaxation and entertainment.

To achieve individuality in a development of these houses, the basic cube form would remain constant, but the exterior features such as fencing and car shelter would be varied.

The house was awarded the first place national prize in the Concrete Industries' *Horizon Homes* Program.

KUHN & DRAKE, ARCHITECTS

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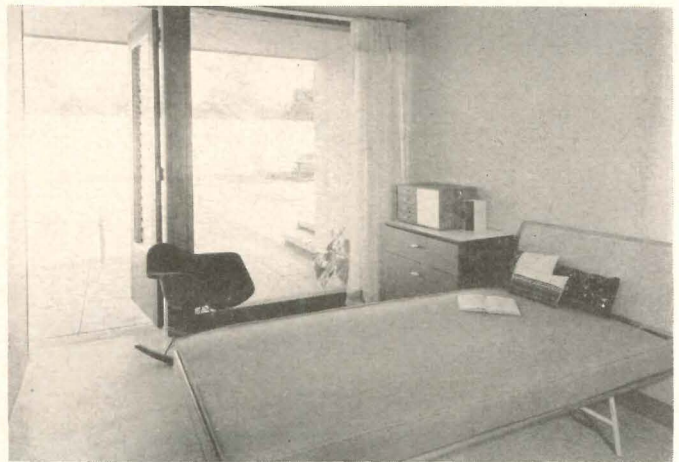
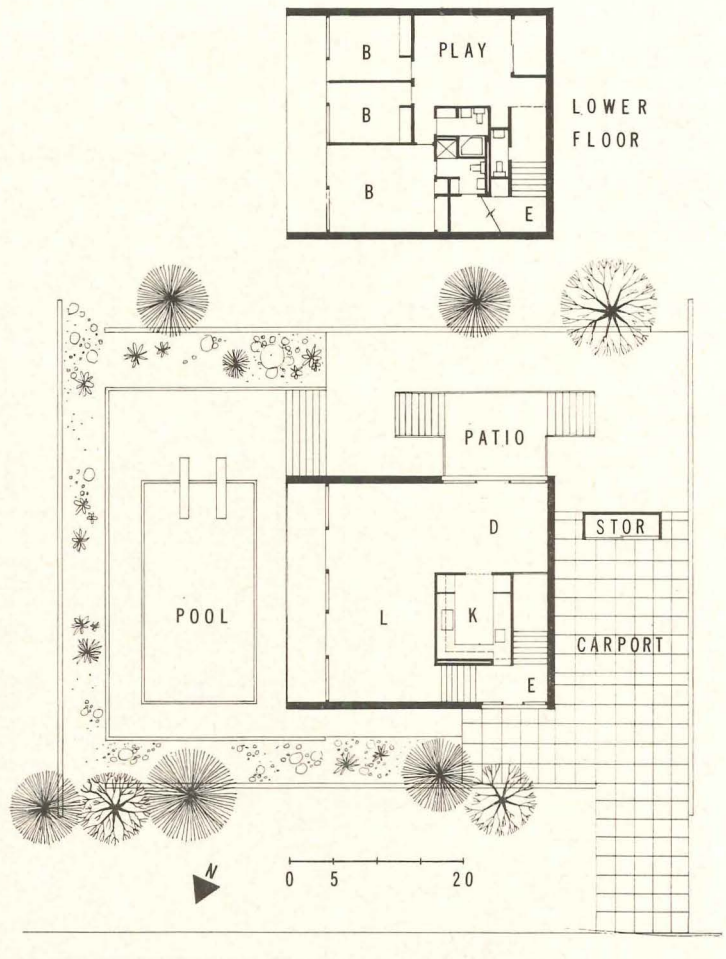


OPEN-PLAN UPSTAIRS AREAS GIVE GOOD FLEXIBILITY FOR FURNITURE PLACEMENT

THE PLAN is arranged with bedrooms on the lower level, with each opening onto the pool terrace for breakfast and a morning dip. Upper-level living areas are expanded by a balcony and a dining porch.

THE STRUCTURE uses concrete block bearing walls, with the rest of the frame of wood. Roofing is built-up tar and gravel. Interiors are finished with painted concrete block and redwood; ceilings are gypsum board. Floors in living areas are carpeted, those in the kitchen and on the lower floor are vinyl asbestos.

THE COST of the house is \$20,000, without lot, pool or garden walls.



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DESIGNED FOR A HILLTOP VIEW

A hilltop site with a fine view, but no trees, is capped here by a house of appropriately strong and handsome design. Big and well-handled window areas make the most of the panorama, and are flanked by "view balconies" leading from the sides of the house. Considerable visual interest is given to the house itself by placing the post and beam structural frame well outside the brick and glass curtain walls.

The owners are a childless couple whose stated program was a "one room house." As can be seen on the following pages, the architect has created some extremely interesting and dramatic interior areas by level changes within a two-story, rectangular structural volume. The plan orients the big main living space to the view through a wall of two-story-high windows. Bedroom areas are on a higher level, and open onto small back balconies (photo, below left). A two-car, drive-through garage is placed below the bedrooms.

The only major partition in the interior is a curving, brick fireplace wall which helps to define the unusual elliptical "conversation pit" in the living area.





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JAMES EDGAR STAGEBERG, ARCHITECT

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LEVEL CHANGES DEFINE AREAS IN "ONE-ROOM HOUSE"

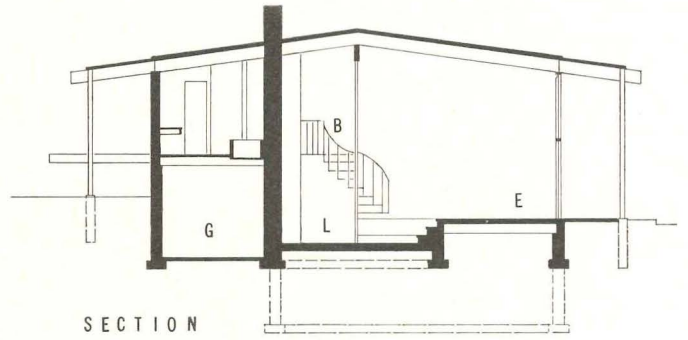


THE STRUCTURE of the Ewert house is completely exposed, inside and out: 2-in. roof decking is installed over double 3- by 14-in. beams, which frame on either side of the supporting columns. The roof is surfaced with pitch and gravel. Exteriors are 10-in. cavity walls, with brick exposed inside and out. All operating windows are 8-ft-wide sliding glass doors, double glazed; solid doors are used at the entrance and leading to the balconies.

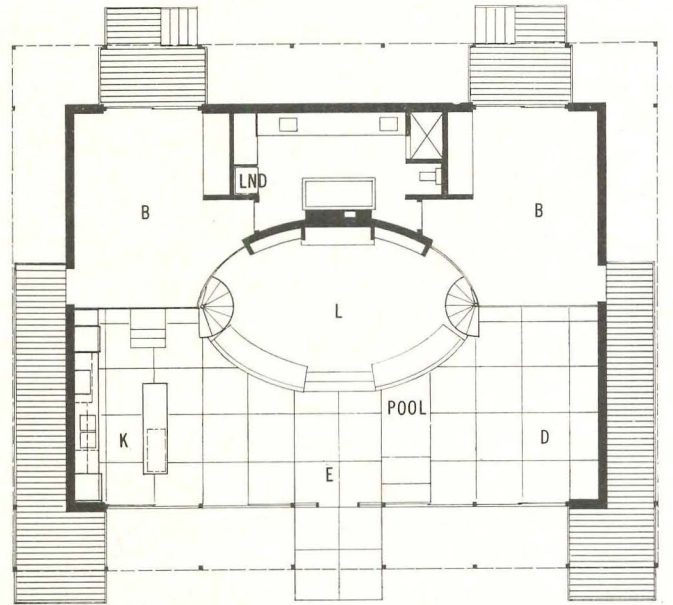
INTERIOR finishes, as noted, are basically the same as on the outside of the house, with the addition of some walnut paneling. Floors in the living areas are terrazzo; bath floors are ceramic tile, those in bedrooms are oak. Ceilings are fir.

EQUIPMENT includes a warm air heating system, kitchen and bath exhausts, and kitchen appliances built into plastic-topped cabinets.

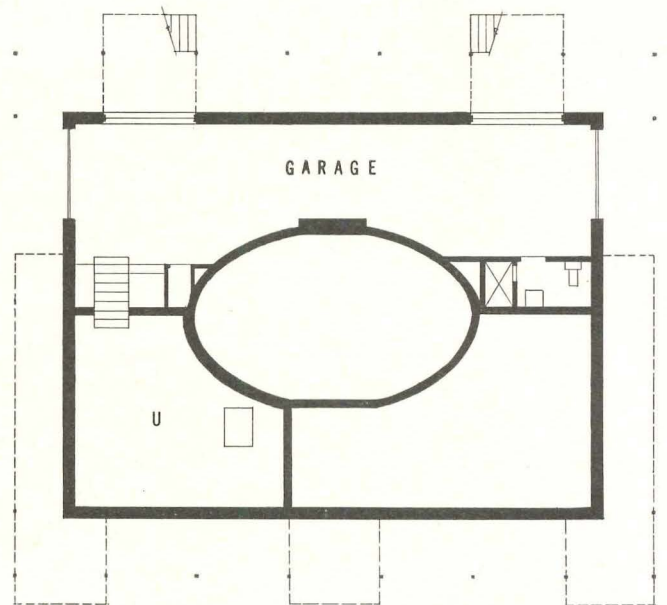
THE COST of the house was approximately \$40,000, excluding lot, landscaping and furnishings.



SECTION



MAIN FLOOR



LOWER FLOOR



GEORGE S. LEWIS,
ARCHITECT

*Residence for Mr. and Mrs. David Hall Faile
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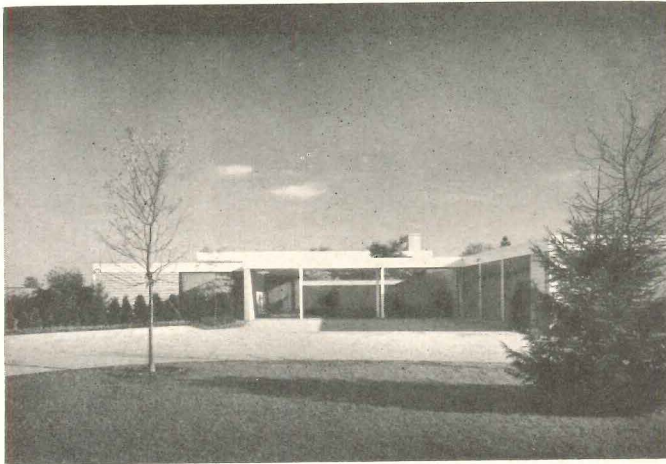
ARTFUL UNION OF SIZE AND SIMPLICITY

Unrestrained by stringent budgetary limits, this large house nonetheless exhibits commendable self-restraint in its courtesy to its site and its neighborhood.

The architect had an esthetic responsibility to conform to the existing milieu: large turn-of-the-century houses surrounded by well-kept lawns, within sight of Long Island Sound. In addition, the owners' domestic requirements demanded a great deal of space, and a variety of well-defined areas—rooms for sitting and entertaining, room for study, separate sleeping and recreation areas for adults and for three teen-age children.

To accommodate these requirements within the local code limit of a 95-ft frontal width, and to minimize the apparent volume of the house, the architect filled the lot, creating an artificial hill. The lower floor, containing the children's room, is tucked behind the hill; the upper floor thus gives the impression, from the front, of being a single-story house.

Exterior materials—taupe-colored brick and clapboard siding—were chosen in agreement with local usage.

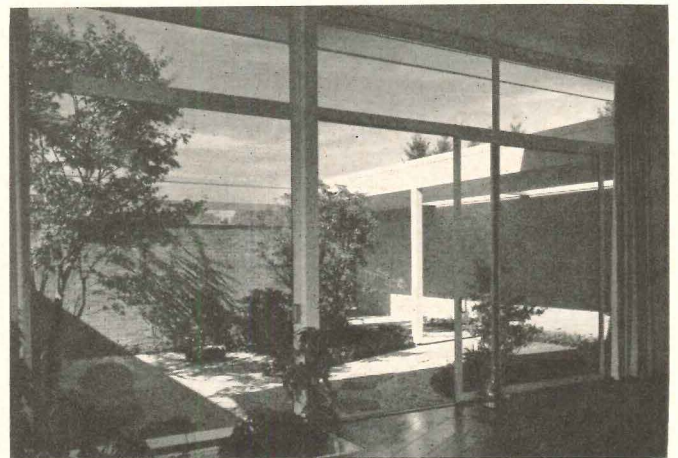


THE PLANNING of the Faile house places living areas and the parents' suite on the upper floor, for the reasons mentioned on the previous page, and in order to exploit the view of the water. The long hall on this floor is central to circulation, connecting as it does all rooms except the kitchen. A deck opening off of the dining room can be used for dining and for sitting, and is connected by a curved stairway to the swimming pool terrace below.

The playroom now shared by the children (two boys and a girl) is designed to become eventually part of an apartment, in preparation for the day they will bring their own families to visit.

The house reflects to a considerable degree the experience of Mr. and Mrs. Faile, who have a background in residential design and construction; many elements were developed by them, including a number which they had tried out previously.

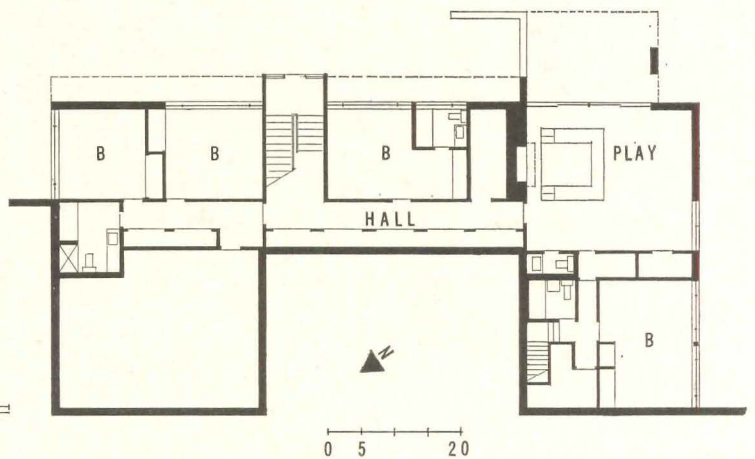
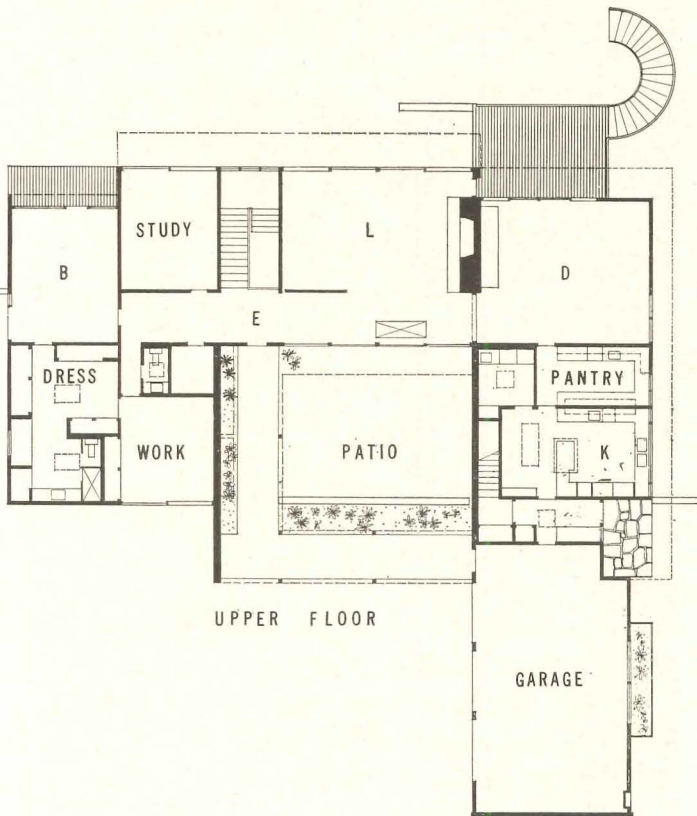
THE STRUCTURE is conventional wood frame, except for the laminated wood beams supporting the raised roof over the living room. The foundation is reinforced concrete frame on wood piles. Exterior finish is of brick and 6-in. redwood clapboards. Interior walls are mostly unpainted plaster, with tile finish in the bathrooms. Flooring is wood in dining room and hall, vinyl tile in the kitchen, ceramic tile in bathrooms, and quarry tile in the playroom. Ceilings throughout the house are sand plaster, except in the playroom, which is finished with acoustic tile.





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CAREFUL ATTENTION TO
 DETAILS AND FINISHES YIELDS
 A POLISHED INTERIOR



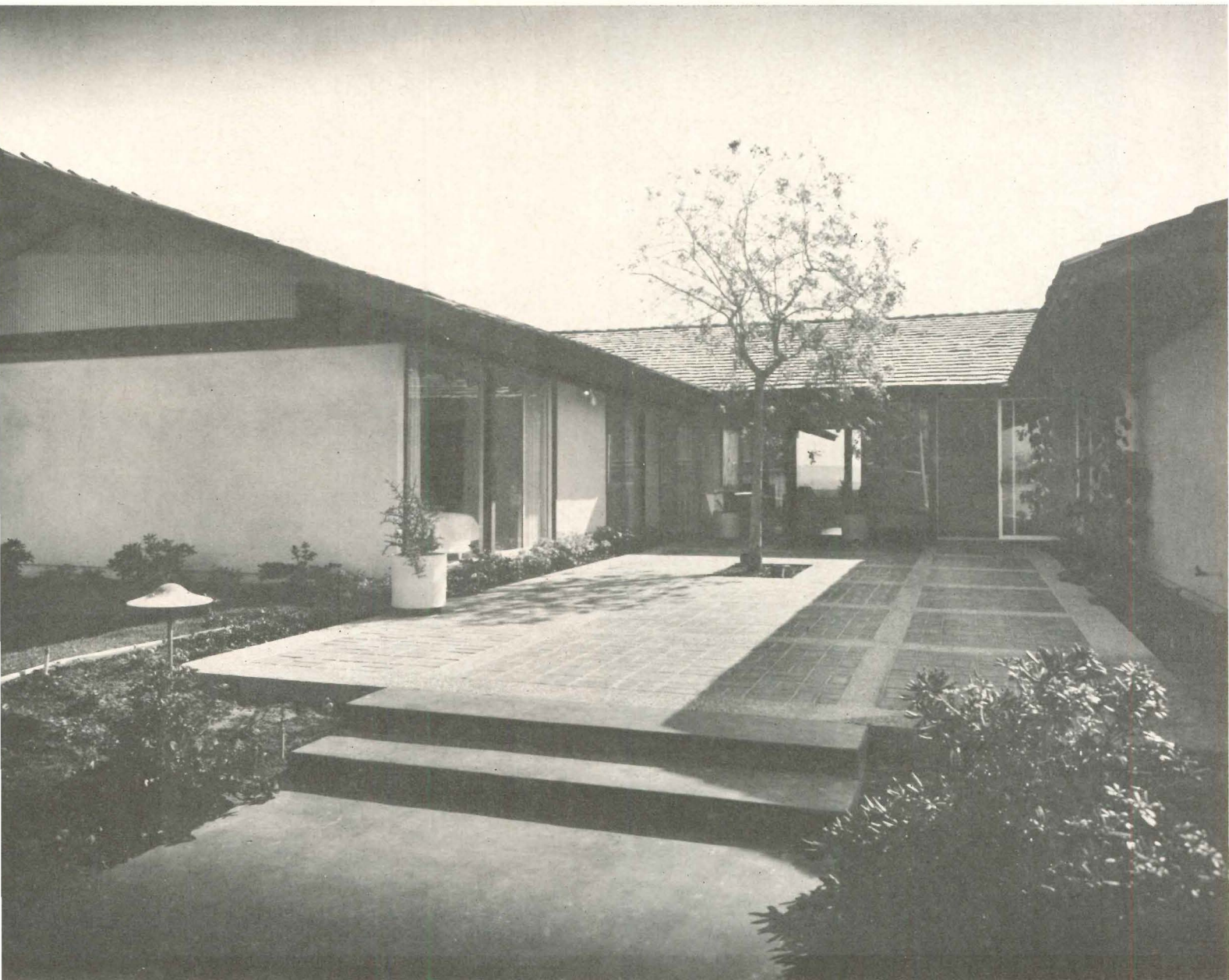


TRACT HOUSE IN GOOD MODERN DESIGN

LADD & KELSEY, ARCHITECTS

*Residence for Laguna Niguel Corporation
Laguna Niguel Community, South Laguna, California
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Brandow & Johnston, Structural Engineers
Morgan Evans, Landscape Consultant
Laguna Niguel Corp. Construction Co., Inc., Contractor
Ladd & Kelsey, Landscape Design
Adele Faulkner, Interior Designer*

This attractive house is an excellent example of a high quality tract house resulting from the close cooperation of developers and architects. Designed for the Monarch Bay section of the Laguna Niguel Community, the house is one of three basic floor plans (which have some nine exterior variations) set to serve as a standard for the community.



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THE SITE of the Monarch Bay development is on a bluff overlooking the Pacific Ocean on one side, and distant mountains on the other. The area is about 70 acres, with 171 home sites 85 by 120 ft. Some of the lots will be used for individual custom designed homes.

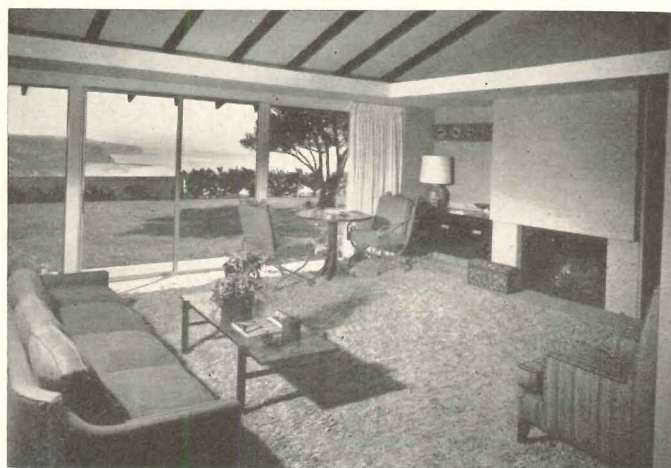
THE PLAN of this house gains its sense of space by the use of a dramatic entrance court which opens in turn to a gallery, then to the living room with its wide window wall framing a vista of the sea. This central portion of the house has high ceilings which follow the roof line for further emphasis of size. Four bedrooms are grouped in a wing to one side of the living area; one bedroom off the court can double as a study or guest room. Dining and service areas are placed in a flanking wing.

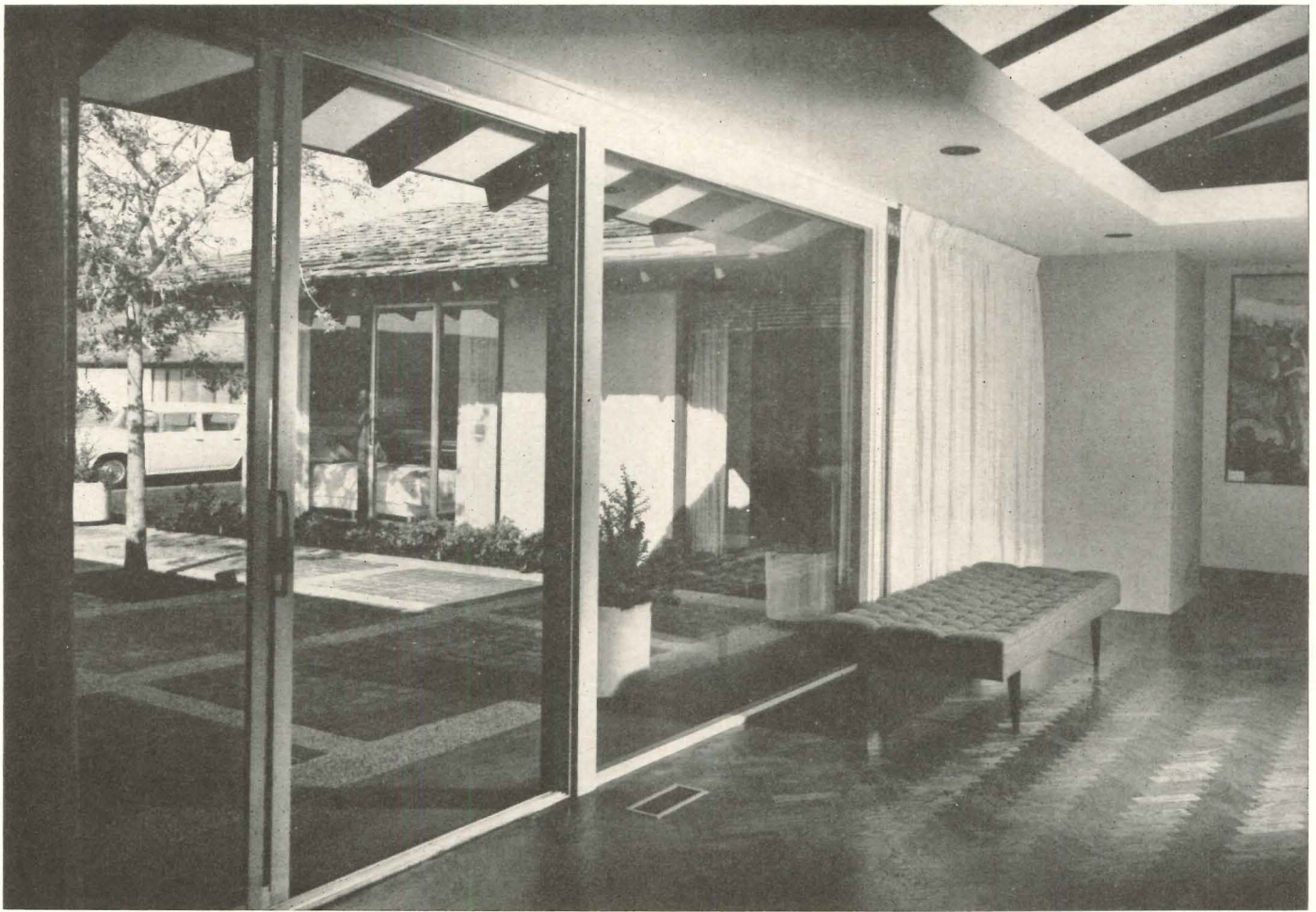
THE STRUCTURE of the house is wood frame on concrete floor slabs. Exteriors and interior walls and ceilings are painted plaster. The roof is shingled. Floors are oak parquet, carpet or vinyl tile. Heating is a forced air system, with perimeter distribution.

THE COST of the house is \$51,500, including a sprinkler system and landscaping in the front.

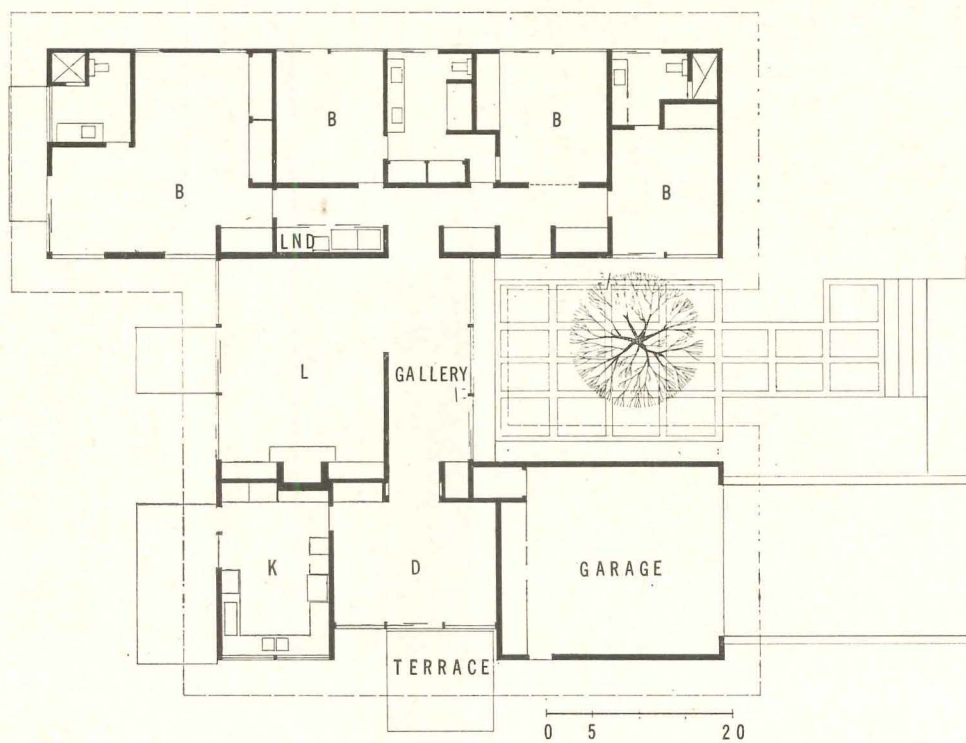


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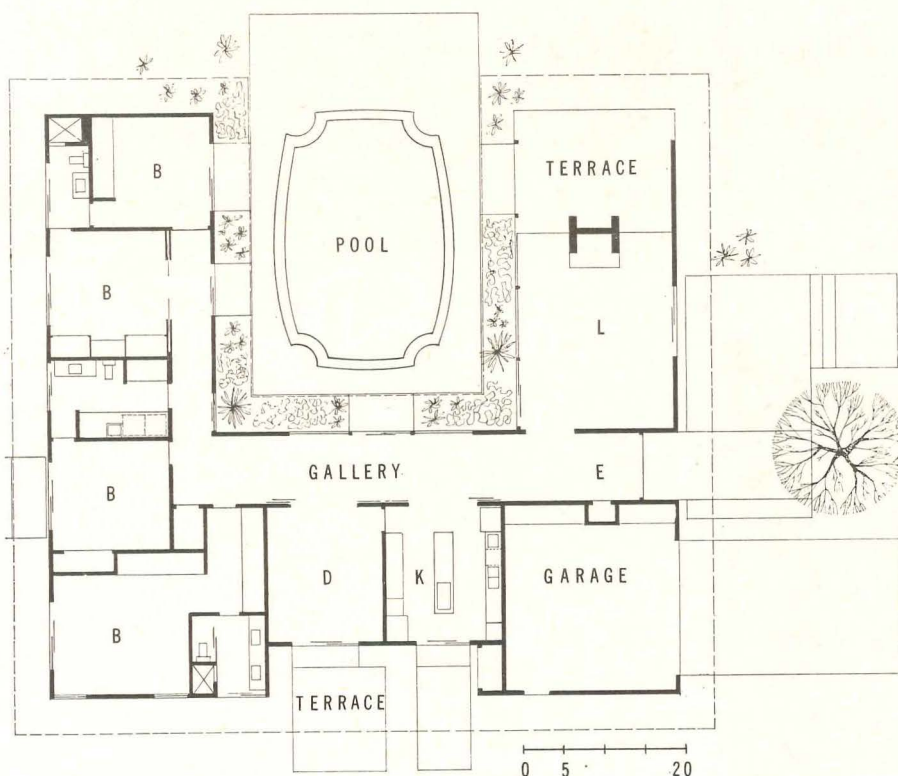
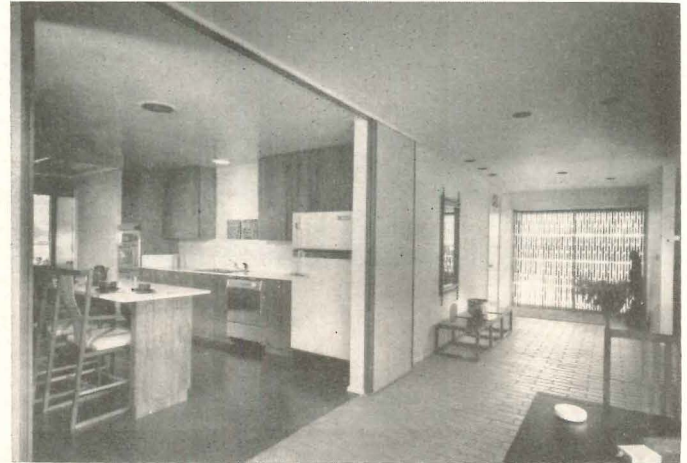
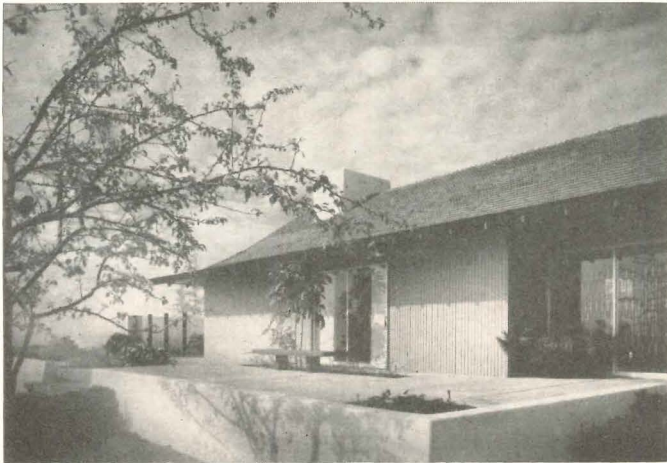




SPACE AND OPENNESS HIGHLIGHT THIS PLEASANT DESIGN



OTHER MONARCH BAY MODELS
ADD VARIETY TO THE AREA



A more tropical approach is used in this scheme, with its broad, double-pitched roof and textured wood siding. The plan preserves many of the basic room relationships of the preceding house, but places the living room in a wing at the front to give privacy to the patio and swimming pool.

The kitchen is treated here more as a family room, with an island counter-bar and wide sliding doors opening onto the gallery.

The bedrooms have easy access to the patio, and to the gardens at the back, via sliding glass doors.

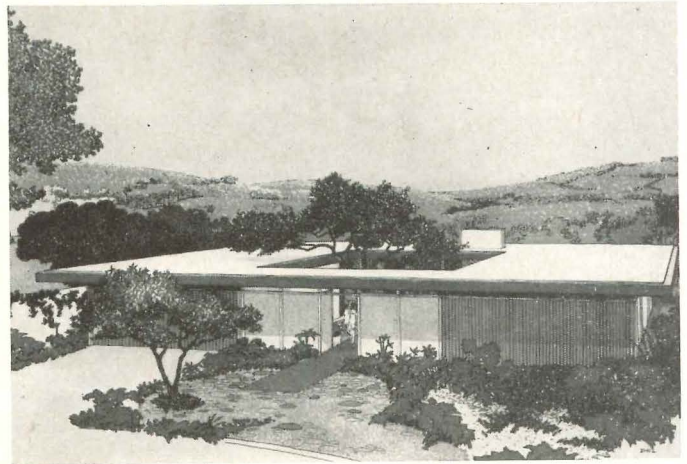
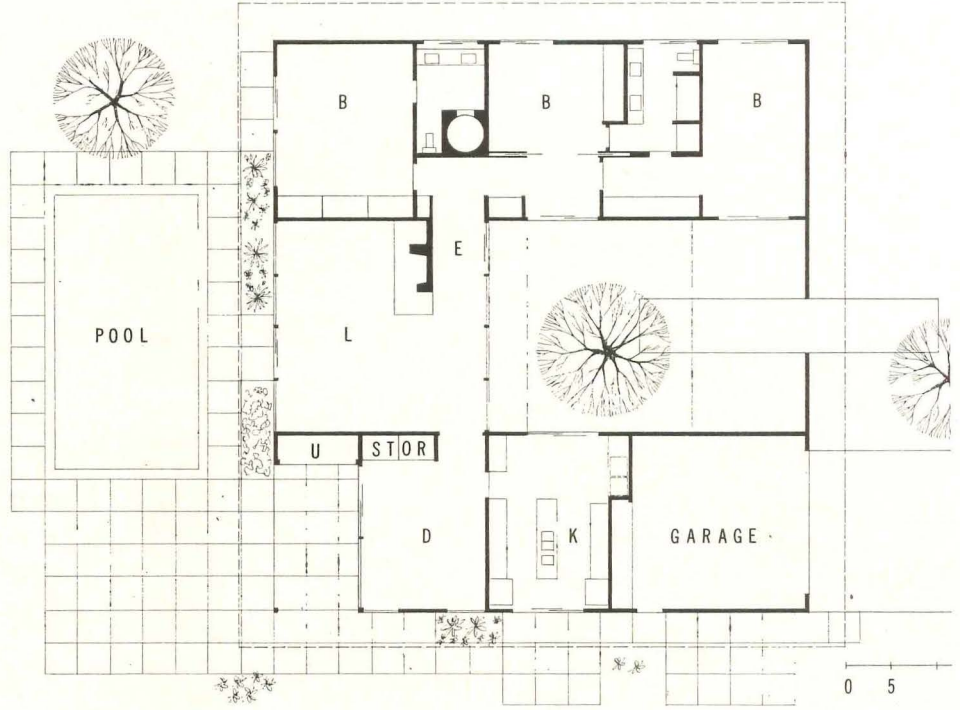
The living room opens onto the swimming pool patio through a covered terrace; the fireplace is backed by a barbecue pit for outdoor dining.

A trim and straightforward modern design is used for this smaller, three-bedroom scheme.

Here, the entrance court is developed as a playful water garden, screened from the street by a wall and gate. The long vista through entry and living room to the sea beyond is preserved.

A covered outdoor dining terrace adjoins the dining room, and overlooks the swimming pool at the back.

Though somewhat similar in basic plan arrangement to the first of the houses shown from this development, the flat roof and equally well designed, but blanked-off façade give an entirely different appearance.



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A MULTI-LEVEL HOUSE WITH SERVICE TOWERS

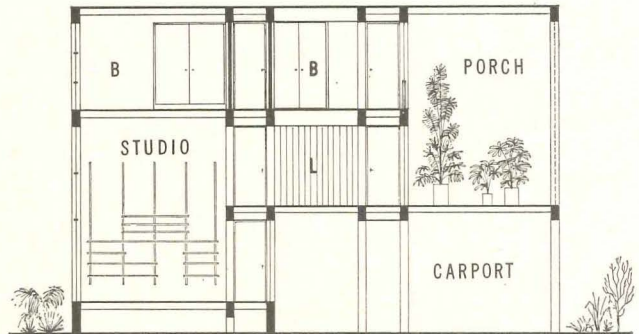
ROBERT ERNEST, ARCHITECT

*Residence for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ernest
Atlantic Beach, Florida
Register & Cummings, Structural Engineer
L. L. Abbott, Contractor*

An unusual amount of living space for a small, lower cost house has been developed here by the architect for his own family. Three major design devices served to gain this goal: (1) a multi-level scheme minimizing roof and foundation area; (2) use of simple, low-cost materials—especially concrete block; (3) the placement of all utilities in a “service tower” to minimize piping, venting, etc.

The end result of these items, plus the placement of the stairs in a second “tower” to balance the service one, has been to free the interior for a number of open living spaces with a wide variety of sizes and views. As added height improved views of the ocean at the back of the site, and also gave better air circulation, major rooms were placed on higher levels, with the lowest floor devoted to stair entry, carport, workshop, and a laundry. The master bedroom, for example, has a clear view of the ocean across the upper portion of the porch.

As the lot is a long and narrow one, the side walls of the house were left blank, with no windows, for privacy from neighbors. The front and rear elevations are kept as open as possible for maximum light, air and view.

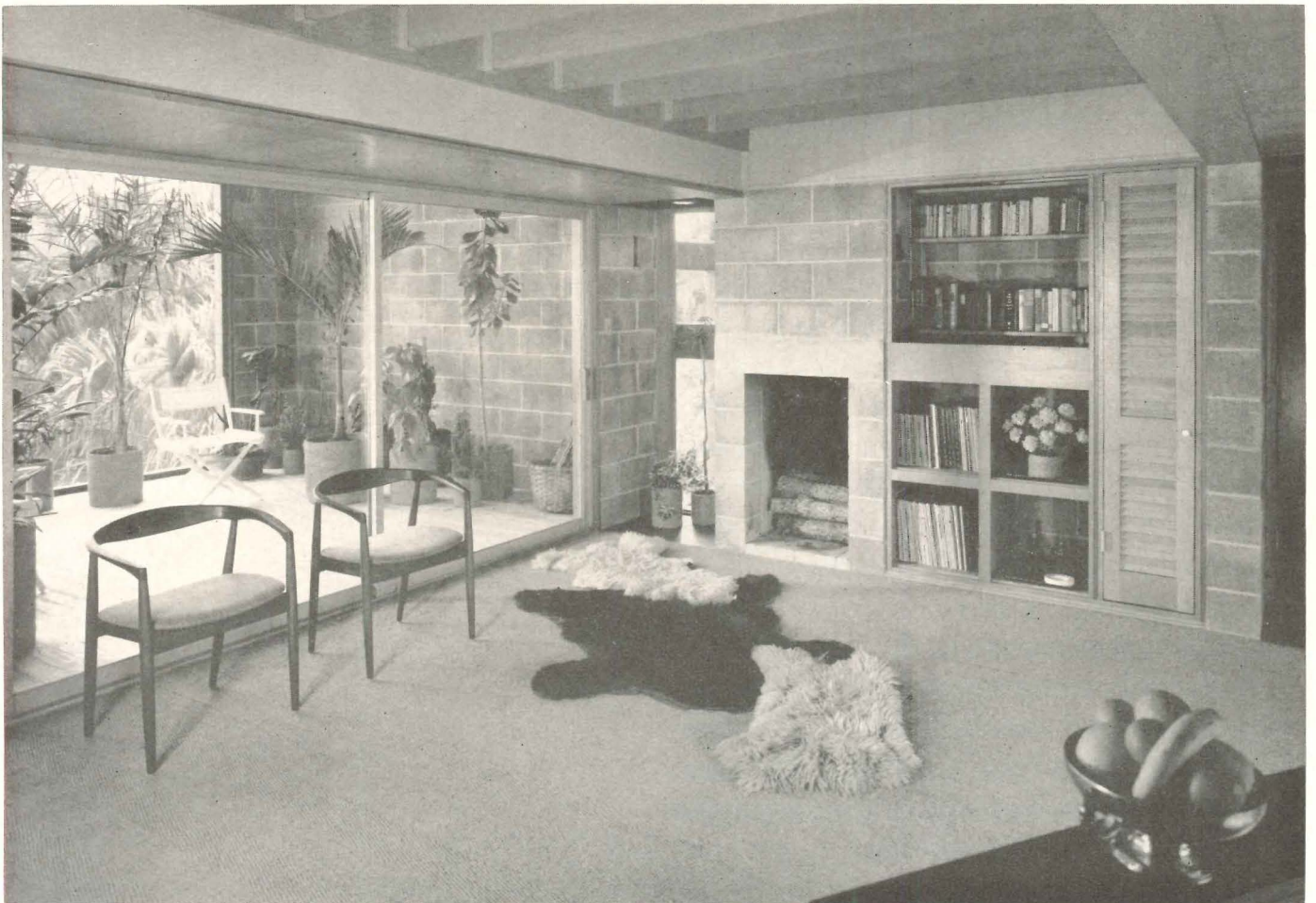
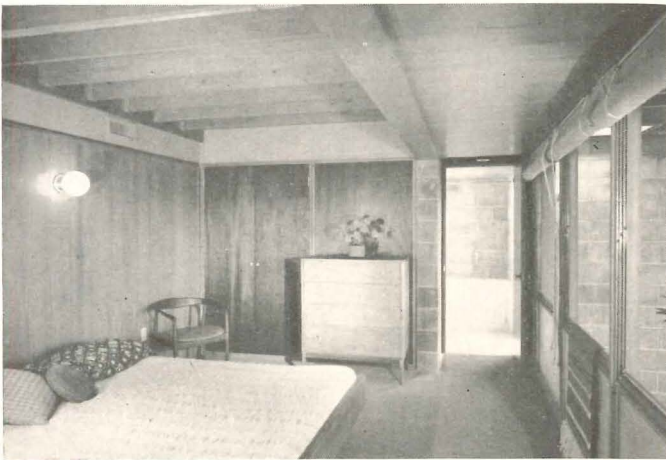


FRANK STRUCTURE, NATURAL FINISHES GIVE LOW COST

THE STRUCTURE of the Ernest house is principally of light-weight concrete block bearing walls, with concrete lintels and bond beams; roof and floor framing is wood. The "service towers" flanking the structure also serve as buttresses.

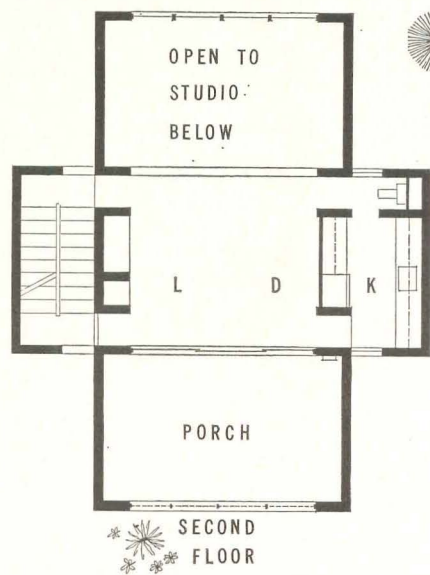
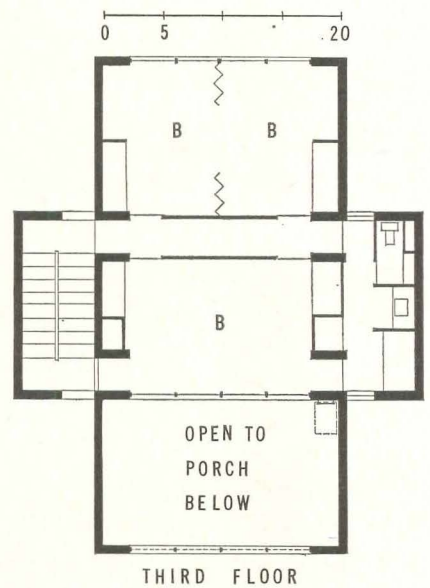
FINISHES include clear silicone on the concrete block, gray stain and creosote treatment for wood. With the addition of some stained cypress walls, the interior walls are the same as the outside. Floors are wood covered with ship deck matting in living areas, sheet vinyl in the kitchen, and mosaic tile in the bath areas. All ceilings are wood with exposed beams.

THE COST of the house was \$22,050, without lot, landscape, furnishing.





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SPACE SERVES BOTH ART AND FUNCTION



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GEORGE MATSUMOTO, ARCHITECT

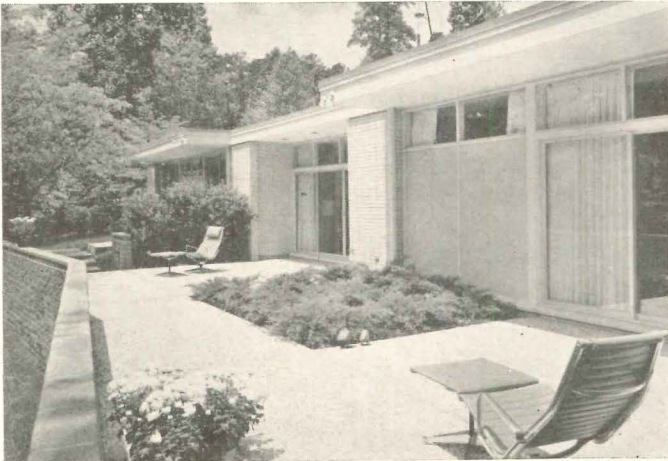
Residence for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thrower

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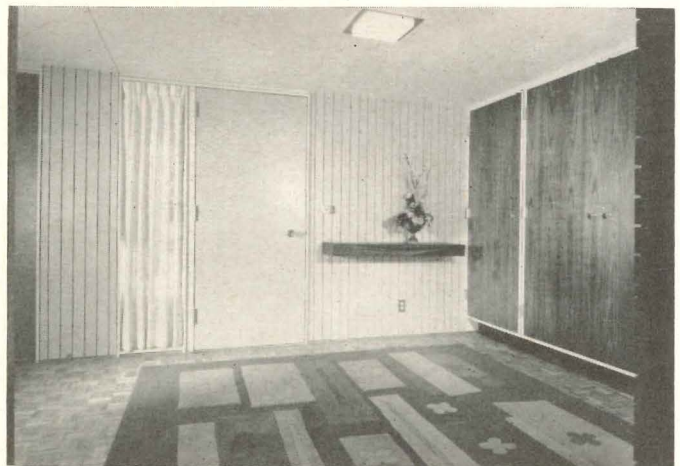
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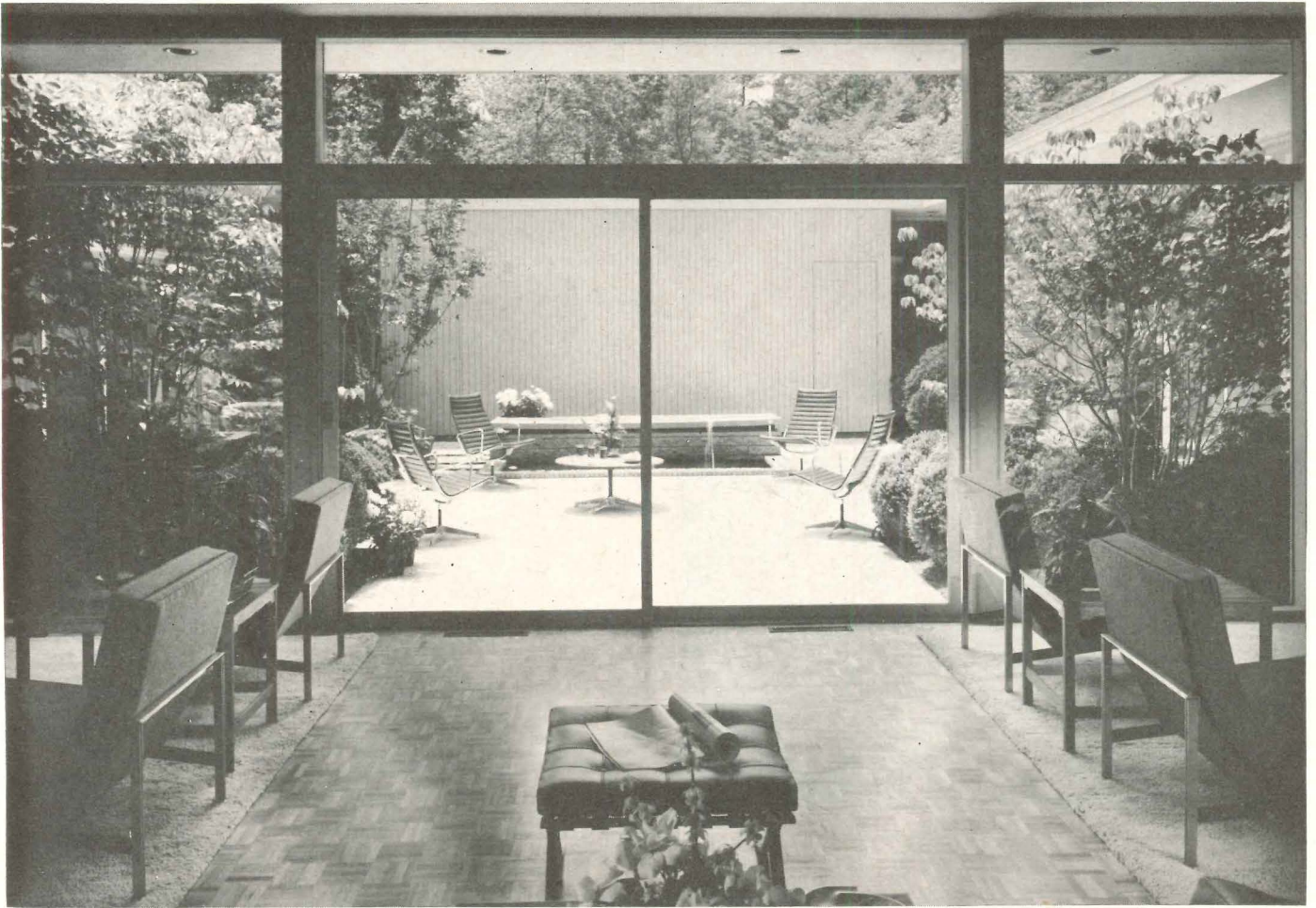


This house has, to start with, a great deal of space, and this space has, to go on with, been visually expanded to quite generous proportions. It is not this apparent expansion, however, which distinguishes the house; it is the extremely sophisticated manipulation of space, both functionally and esthetically.

Esthetically, the space is handled in terms of vistas, sometimes extended, sometimes ending abruptly, or opening out sideways. This interpenetration of voids and solids always indicates that there is more space, and space of a different character, around the corner.

Functionally, the space has been arranged so that private and utility areas, well separated from one another, occupy the four corners of the house. The center of the house is thereby freed for living and entertaining.



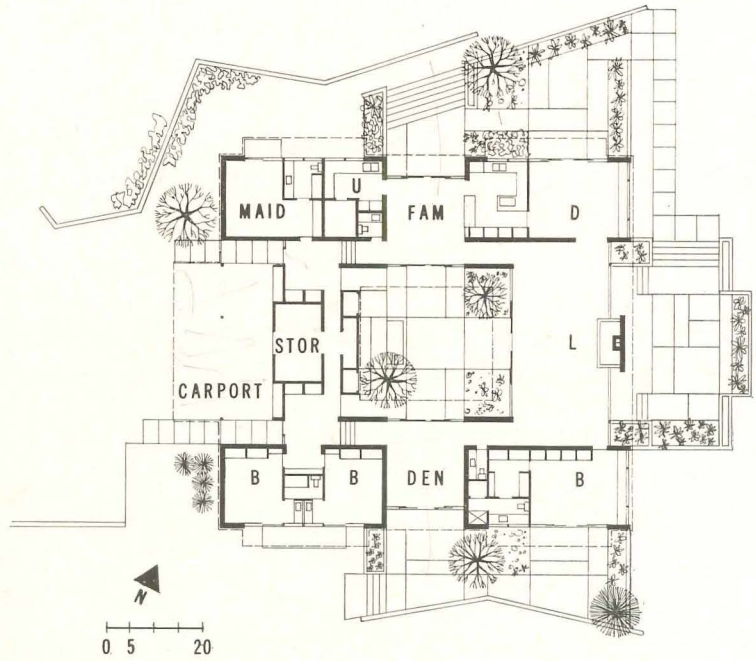


THE SITE of the Throrer house is generally sloping. By cutting into the hill on the north side, the architect was able to provide a terrace on the service side, giving outdoor space to the dining and breakfast rooms. Fill on the south side, held by a high retaining wall, yielded a private terrace for the bedrooms. The house is sited happily, for two enthusiastic golfers, next to a golf course.

THE STRUCTURE is hard-pressed brick and wood siding on a foundation of split-block concrete with reinforced concrete footings. Interior walls are plaster and plywood, and ceilings are plaster. Floors are oak in the major areas, ceramic tile in baths and kitchen. Sliding glass doors are aluminum-framed; all fixed panes are double-glazed.

The warm air heating system is supplied by two heat pumps.

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FOR LIVING AND LOOKING



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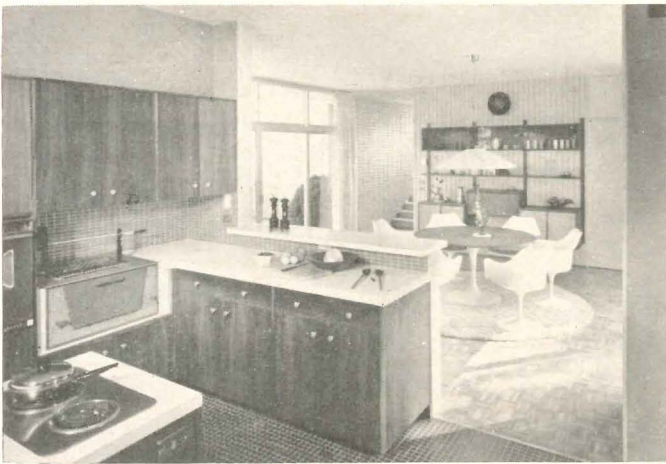
THE PLAN of the Thrower house was designed for the frequent entertainment of guests. Occasional visits of the owners' grown children with their families, as well as of business associates, demanded the large guest suite. The owners also wanted space to entertain groups of up to 150 guests.

The mild climate calls for usable outdoor space, and the owners make liberal use of the interior court and three large terraces for living and for entertaining.

Since the client is the owner of a furniture company, he also wanted a house which would display a collection of fine furniture. To accomplish this, the house was kept extremely simple as a backdrop; materials and details were especially carefully finished to complement the furniture.

COST was about \$85,000.

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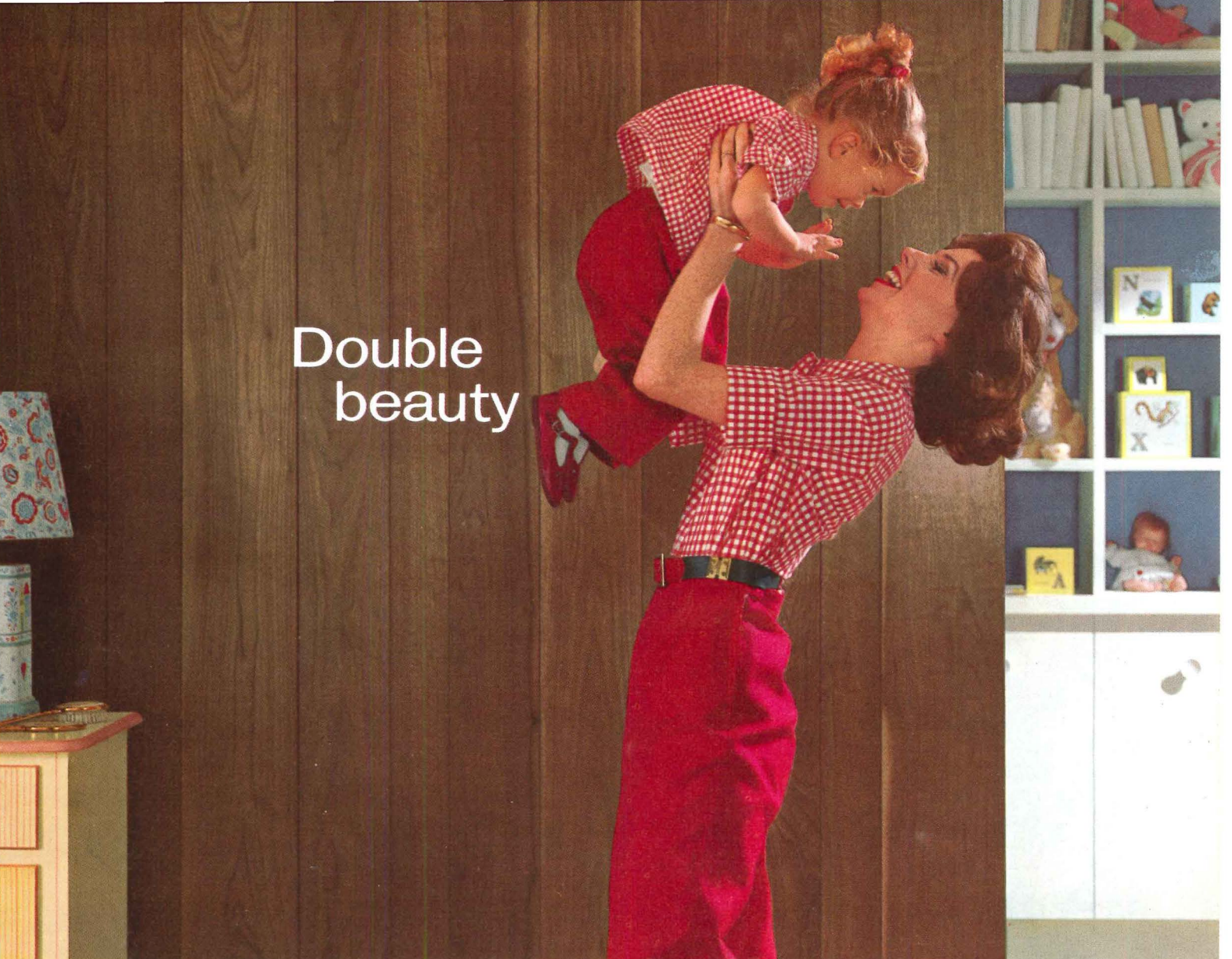


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No. 18 Glass block, 3- ¹ / ₄ -in. thick																
(d) 7- ³ / ₄ -in. x 7- ³ / ₄ -in. with glass fiber screen dividing cavity	14	17	19	22	24	26	29	31	34	36	38	41	43	46	48	0.48
No. 19 Corrugated structural glass	41	48	51	61	68	75	82	88	95	102	109	116	122	129	136	1.36
INFILTRATION, Btuh PER FOOT OF CRACK:																
No. 20 Residential doors																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm door	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200	2.00
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm door	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	1.00
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	280	300	320	340	360	380	400	4.00
No. 21 Garage doors																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm door	540	630	720	810	900	990	1080	1170	1260	1350	1440	1530	1620	1710	1800	18.00
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm door	180	210	240	270	300	330	360	390	420	450	480	510	540	570	600	6.00
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	180	210	240	270	300	330	360	390	420	450	480	510	540	570	600	6.00
No. 22 Doors opened frequently																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm door	81	94	108	121	135	148	162	175	189	202	216	229	242	256	270	2.70 ¹
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm door	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	1.00 ¹
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	280	300	320	340	360	380	400	4.00 ¹
No. 23 Swinging doors⁶																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm door	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200	2.00 ⁷
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm door	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	1.00 ⁷
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	280	300	320	340	360	380	400	4.00 ⁷
No. 24 Swinging doors leading to vestibule⁶																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm door	48	56	64	72	80	88	96	104	112	120	128	136	144	152	160	1.60 ⁷
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm door	24	28	32	36	40	44	48	52	56	60	64	68	72	76	80	0.80 ⁷
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	96	112	128	144	160	176	192	208	224	240	256	272	288	304	320	3.20 ⁷
No. 25 Revolving doors used in cold weather⁶																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm door	21	25	28	32	35	39	42	46	49	53	56	60	63	67	70	0.70
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm door	13	15	17	19	21	23	25	27	29	32	34	36	38	40	42	0.42
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200	2.00
(d) Poor fit, with storm door	19	22	25	28	31	34	37	40	43	47	50	53	56	59	62	0.62
No. 26 Wood sash windows, double-hung																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm sash ⁸	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200	2.00
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ⁸	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	1.00
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	171	199	228	256	285	314	342	370	399	427	456	484	513	541	570	5.70
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ⁸	53	62	71	80	89	97	106	115	124	133	142	150	159	168	177	1.77
No. 27 Wood casement, hinged window																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm sash ⁸	39	46	52	59	65	72	78	85	91	98	104	111	117	124	130	1.30
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ⁸	18	21	24	27	30	33	36	39	42	45	48	51	54	57	60	0.60
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	111	129	148	167	185	204	222	240	259	278	296	314	333	352	370	3.70
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ⁸	35	40	46	52	58	63	69	75	81	86	92	98	104	109	115	1.15
No. 28 Metal sash windows, double-hung																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm sash ⁸	43	56	64	72	80	88	96	104	112	120	128	136	144	152	160	1.60
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ⁸	29	33	38	43	48	52	57	62	67	71	76	81	86	90	95	0.95
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	171	199	228	256	285	314	342	370	399	427	456	484	513	541	570	5.70
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ⁸	53	62	71	80	89	97	106	115	124	133	142	150	159	168	177	1.77
No. 29 Architectural projected or basement windows																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped or poor fit with storm sash ⁸	43	56	64	72	80	88	96	104	112	120	128	136	144	152	160	1.60
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ⁸	29	33	38	43	48	52	57	62	67	71	76	81	86	90	95	0.95
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	171	199	228	256	285	314	342	370	399	427	456	484	513	541	570	5.70
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ⁸	53	62	71	80	89	97	106	115	124	133	142	150	159	168	177	1.77

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Table 1 OUTSIDE DESIGN CONDITIONS FOR U.S.					
State & City	Win-ter DB	Sum-mer DB	Daily Range	Sum-mer WB	Latitude Deg.
MICHIGAN					
Detroit	-5	90	M	75	40
MINNESOTA					
Minneapolis	-25	90	M	76	45
MISSISSIPPI					
Biloxi	25	90	L	80	30
Jackson	15	95	M	78	30
MISSOURI					
St. Louis	-5	95	M	78	40
MONTANA					
Helena	-40	90	H	63	45
NEBRASKA					
Lincoln	-15	95	M	78	40
NEVADA					
Reno	5	95	H	65	40
NEW HAMPSHIRE					
Concord	-10	85	H	73	45
Portsmouth	-5	85	L	74	45
NEW JERSEY					
Atlantic City	10	90	L	78	40
Newark	0	90	M	76	40
NEW MEXICO					
Albuquerque	10	95	M	65	35
Raton	-5	95	H	65	35
NEW YORK					
Buffalo	-5	85	M	73	45
New York	5	90	M	76	40
NORTH CAROLINA					
Asheville	5	90	M	75	35
Hatteras	20	90	L	80	35
NORTH DAKOTA					
Williston	-35	90	M	73	50
OHIO					
Cincinnati	-5	95	M	78	40
Cleveland	-5	90	M	75	40
OKLAHOMA					
Oklahoma City	0	100	M	77	35
OREGON					
Baker	-15	90	M	66	45
Portland	10	85	M	68	45
PENNSYLVANIA					
Philadelphia	5	90	M	78	40
Pittsburgh	-5	90	M	75	40
RHODE ISLAND					
Providence	0	90	M	75	40
SOUTH CAROLINA					
Charleston	20	90	L	80	35
Greenville	10	95	M	75	35
SOUTH DAKOTA					
Pierre	-20	95	M	73	45

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Now PresTeel Spiral Stairways for Houses

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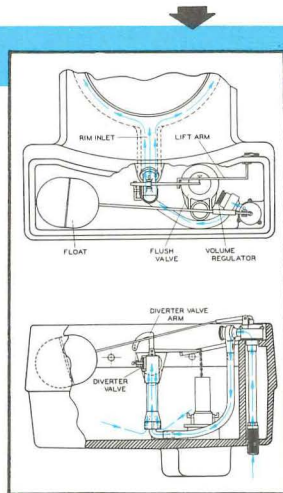
More Efficient Flushing Action . . . New Case ballcock (Pat. Pend.) employs the jet pump principle to aspirate tank water, thus supplying more than double the usual amount for rim flush.



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Plumbing Contractors

will recognize the extra value of these *Silhouette* features:

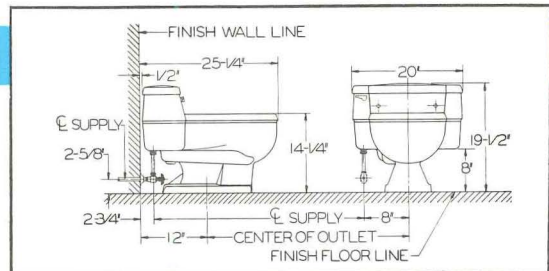


Water Saving . . . The *Silhouette* uses only 13 quarts per flush.

Simplified Anti-Syphon Ballcock . . . Has very few parts. Only one volume control adjustment.

Simple Installation . . . The *Silhouette* one-piece is designed for a standard 12 inch rough. It has a 8" undertank clearance. As little as 15 pounds water pressure or as much as 150 pounds or more, at the fixture will give satisfactory operation.

Easier to Handle . . . The *Silhouette* can be maneuvered even in close quarters because it weighs only 70 pounds and is just 25" in length.



Architects and Specifying Engineers
will further appreciate these
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Table 1
OUTSIDE DESIGN CONDITIONS FOR U.S.

State & City	Win- ter DB	Sum- mer DB	Daily Range WB	Sum- mer tude Deg.	Lat- tude Deg.
TENNESSEE					
Chattanooga	10	95	M	76	35
Memphis	5	95	M	78	35
TEXAS					
Amarillo	0	95	H	72	35
Dallas	10	100	M	78	35
UTAH					
Salt Lake City	0	95	H	65	40
VERMONT					
Bennington	-10	90	M	73	45
Newport	-20	85	M	73	45
VIRGINIA					
Norfolk	15	90	L	78	35
Richmond	10	90	M	78	40
WASHINGTON					
Seattle	15	80	M	65	50
Spokane	-15	80	H	65	50
WEST VIRGINIA					
Wheeling	-5	90	M	75	40
WISCONSIN					
Milwaukee	-15	90	M	75	45
WYOMING					
Cheyenne	-20	90	H	62	40
Yellowstone Park	-35	85	H	62	45

FOOTNOTES

- The U values are expressed in Btuh per sq ft per degree, F.
- Heat loss through doors is figured the same as windows. See Construction No. 15.
- Calculated per running foot of perimeter.
- Infiltration factors are expressed in terms of Btuh per foot of crack per degree of design temperature difference.
- HTM for Constructions 23, 24, and 25 are expressed in terms of Btuh per person entering the building in an hour.
- Infiltration factors for Constructions 23, 24, and 25 are expressed in terms of Btuh per degree design temperature difference per person entering the building.
- Storm sash which cover only glass areas do not reduce infiltration, and the infiltration should be figured as if storm sash were not used.
- Use only crack of storm sash when it is used; otherwise figure crackage.
- HTM is in terms of Btuh per CFM.

Table 2 (cont'd)

Design Temperature Difference, Degree	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	Infil- tration Factor (IF) ^s
No. 29 Architectural projected or basement windows																
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	137	160	182	205	228	251	274	296	319	342	365	388	410	433	456	4.56
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ^s	43	50	57	64	71	78	85	92	99	107	114	121	128	135	142	1.42
No. 30 Residential casement windows																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped	29	33	38	43	48	52	57	62	67	71	76	81	86	90	95	0.95
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ^s	17	20	22	25	28	31	34	36	39	42	45	48	50	53	56	0.56
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	81	95	108	122	136	149	163	176	190	204	217	230	244	258	271	2.71
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ^s	25	29	34	38	42	46	50	55	59	63	67	71	76	80	84	0.84
No. 31 Fixed or picture window																
(a) Average fit	8	9	10	11	13	14	15	16	18	19	20	21	23	24	25	0.25
(b) Poor fit	22	25	29	32	36	40	43	47	50	54	58	61	65	68	72	0.72
No. 32 Heavy casement window																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped	21	25	28	32	35	39	42	46	49	53	56	60	63	67	70	0.70
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ^s	13	15	17	19	21	23	25	27	29	32	34	36	38	40	42	0.42
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200	2.00
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ^s	19	22	25	28	31	34	37	40	43	47	50	53	56	59	62	0.62
No. 33 Vertically pivoted window																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped	78	91	104	117	130	143	156	169	182	195	208	221	234	247	260	2.60
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ^s	42	49	56	63	70	77	84	91	98	105	112	119	126	133	140	1.40
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	222	259	296	334	370	408	445	481	519	555	593	630	667	705	741	7.41
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ^s	69	81	92	104	115	127	138	150	161	173	184	196	207	218	230	2.30
No. 34 Jalousie window^s																
(a) Average fit, weatherstripped or not	48	56	64	72	80	88	96	104	112	120	128	136	144	152	160	1.60
(b) Average fit, with storm sash ^s	29	33	38	43	48	52	57	62	67	71	76	81	86	90	95	0.95
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	137	160	182	205	228	251	274	296	319	342	365	388	410	433	456	4.56
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ^s	81	95	108	122	136	149	163	176	190	204	217	230	244	258	271	2.71
No. 35 Industrial pivoted window																
(a) Average fit, not weatherstripped	94	110	126	142	157	173	189	205	220	236	252	268	284	299	315	3.15
(b) Average fit, weatherstripped or with storm sash ^s	56	65	74	83	93	102	111	120	130	139	148	157	167	176	185	1.85
(c) Poor fit, not weatherstripped	288	336	384	432	480	528	576	624	671	720	769	816	864	911	960	9.60
(d) Poor fit, with storm sash ^s	84	98	112	125	139	153	167	181	195	209	223	237	251	265	279	2.79
No. 36 Between Foundation and sill																
(a) Frame buildings	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100	1.00
(b) With crawl-space plenum	39	46	52	59	65	72	78	85	91	98	104	111	117	124	130	1.30
No. 37 Ventilation¹⁰																
	32	38	43	49	54	59	65	70	76	81	86	92	97	103	108	1.08

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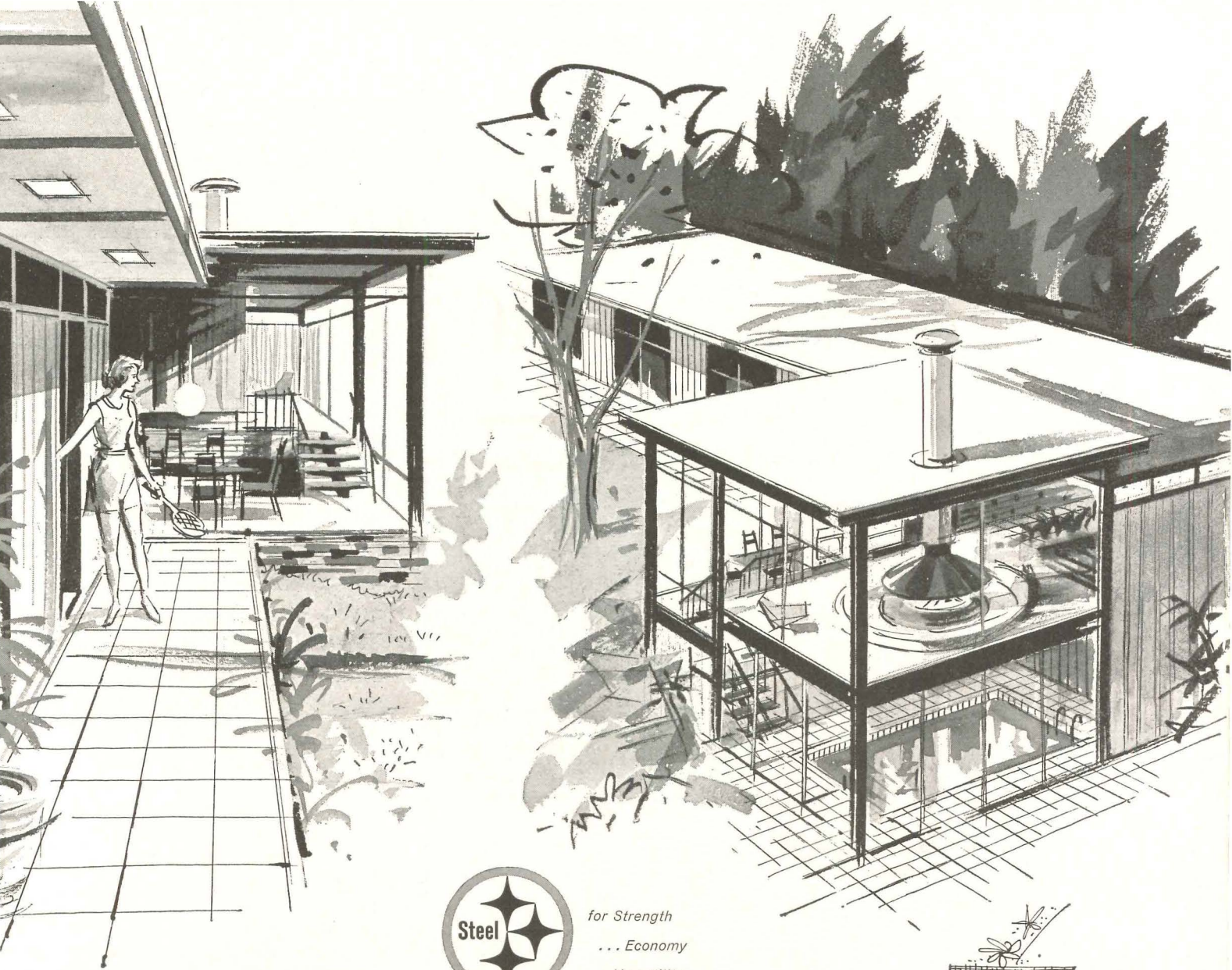


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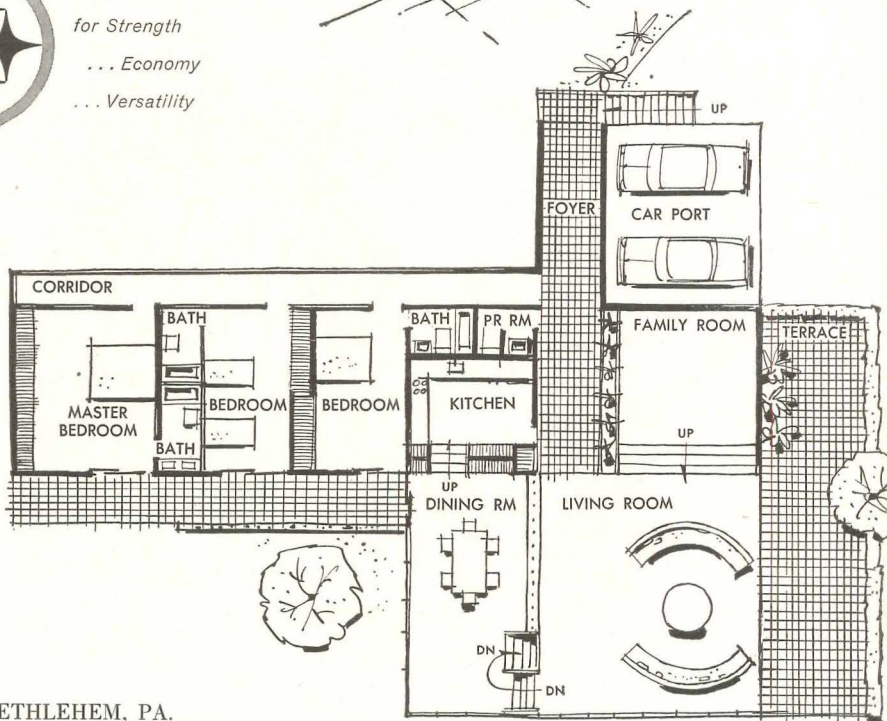
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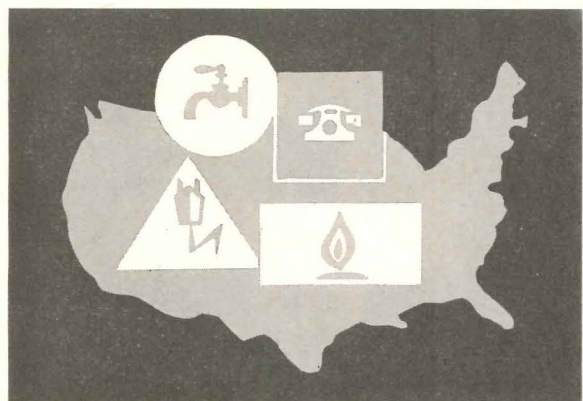
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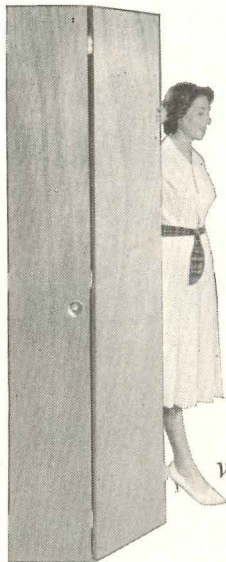
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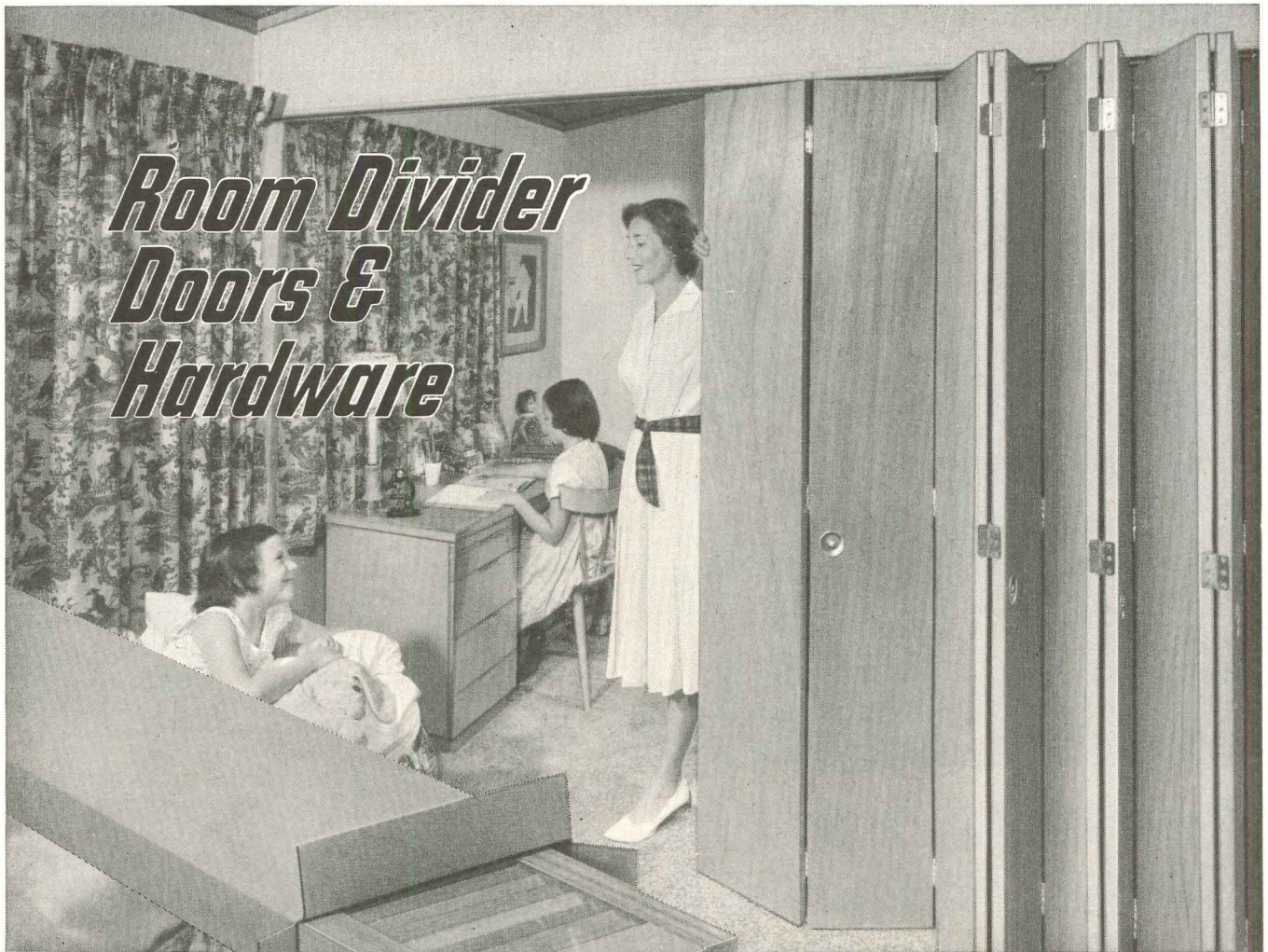


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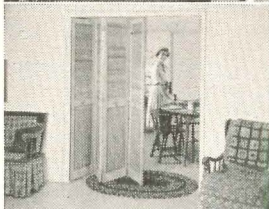
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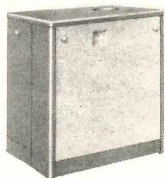


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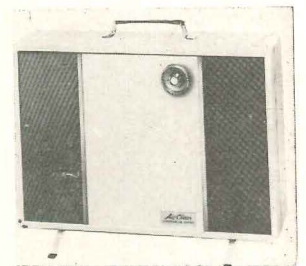


Lamidall plastic laminate panels are available in five wood grains with random grooves. Panels are 16-in. wide or 4-ft wide, in 8- and 10-ft lengths for installation over studs, furring strips, or any solid backing. Woodall Industries, Inc., 3500 Oakton St., Skokie, Ill.

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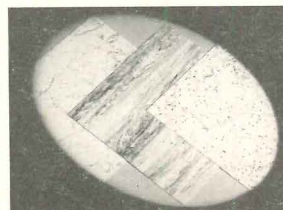
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VINYL TILE IN SQUARES AND STRIPS



Wide decorative range and durability are features of NoScrub Deluxe vinyl tile, available in both 9- by 9-in. tiles and 6-ft-wide strips. Both types can be laid directly on concrete slabs. Five patterns are offered in several colors. Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron 16, Ohio

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EASY-OPENING GARAGE DOOR HAS BAKED ENAMEL FINISH

A lightweight garage door with horizontal aluminum panels is available in white, beige, yellow, coral, and green. The overhead opening hardware is balanced at lifting points so that only an 8-lb lift is needed to open the door. The finish coat of baked enamel has an estimated life expectancy of at least 10 years. Also available is epoxy primer coat for custom finishing. Liteline, Inc., 1808 Abalone Ave., Torrance, Calif.

CIRCLE 229 ON INQUIRY CARD

PUSHBUTTON DOOR LOCK ELIMINATES KEYS



To operate Combo Lock, a push-button mechanism for opening doors, you push one or more of five buttons in a pre-set order and turn the knob to release the lock. The combination can be changed only by the owner. It is available with or without keys. Emerson Electric Co., 8100 Florissant Ave., St. Louis 36, Mo.

CIRCLE 230 ON INQUIRY CARD

DISHWASHER FEATURES AUTOMATIC HEAT BOOSTER



Three-way washing action in the *Imperial 900* electric dishwasher insures full scrubbing and rinsing of all items, regardless of their positions in either upper or lower baskets. An automatic heat booster system is provided for use whenever there is not enough hot water. Five dishwashing cycles are possible. *Waste King Corp., 3300 E.*

50th St., Los Angeles, Calif.

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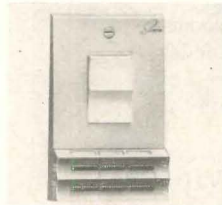
FREE-STANDING FIREPLACE CAN GO INDOORS OR OUT

Free-standing silicon carbide ceramic fireplaces formed on a potter's wheel have simple lines and a rough, rich surface texture. Their light weight makes them safe to set on any light, non-flammable hearth anywhere in the home. No masonry support is required. Wood, charcoal, or coal can be burned. Protective screens fit openings. *Strawberry Bank Craftsmen, Inc., Box 475, Little Compton, R.I.*

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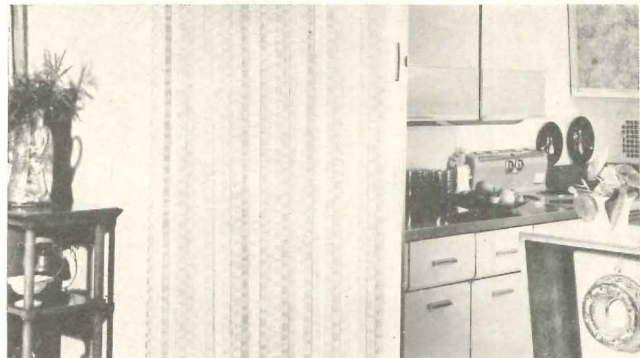
PUSHBUTTONS OPERATE REMOTE CONTROL SYSTEM

A pushbutton system is designed for remote control of any or all electrical devices in a home. The *Swepe* system uses low-voltage magnetic relays mounted on decorative control strips energized by an electronic power pack. Indicator lights on the control panel show the condition of each circuit at all times. A programming device allows circuits to go on and off at predetermined times. *Reiner Industries, Inc., 4811 Telegraph Rd., Los Angeles, Calif.*



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MAHOGANY AND VINYL SHADES, FOLDING DOORS



Philippine mahogany and vinyl are used together to achieve multi-tone designs for folding doors and window shades. The material can be cleaned with a damp cloth. *American Accordion-Fold Doors, Inc., 175-35 Liberty Ave., Jamaica 33, N.Y.*

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LIGHT CONTROL GIVES FULL-RANGE DIMMING

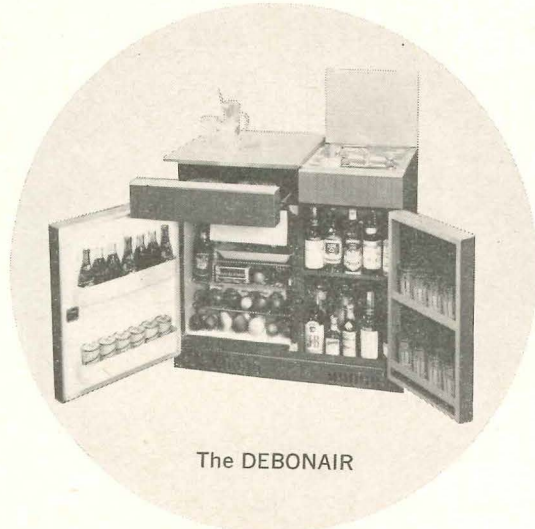
The *Luxtrol SBD 500* light control gives uninterrupted dimming from full brightness to off. It is the same size as an on-off switch, and can control 500 watts of incandescent lighting. *Superior Electric Co., Bristol, Conn.*

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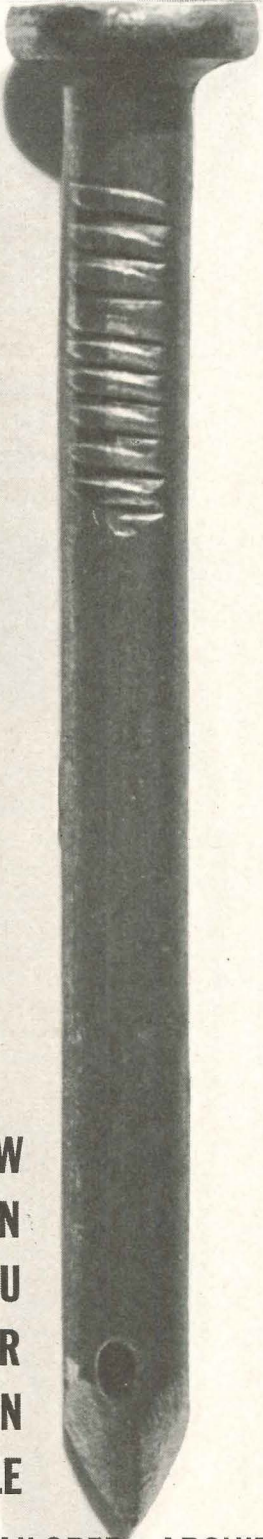
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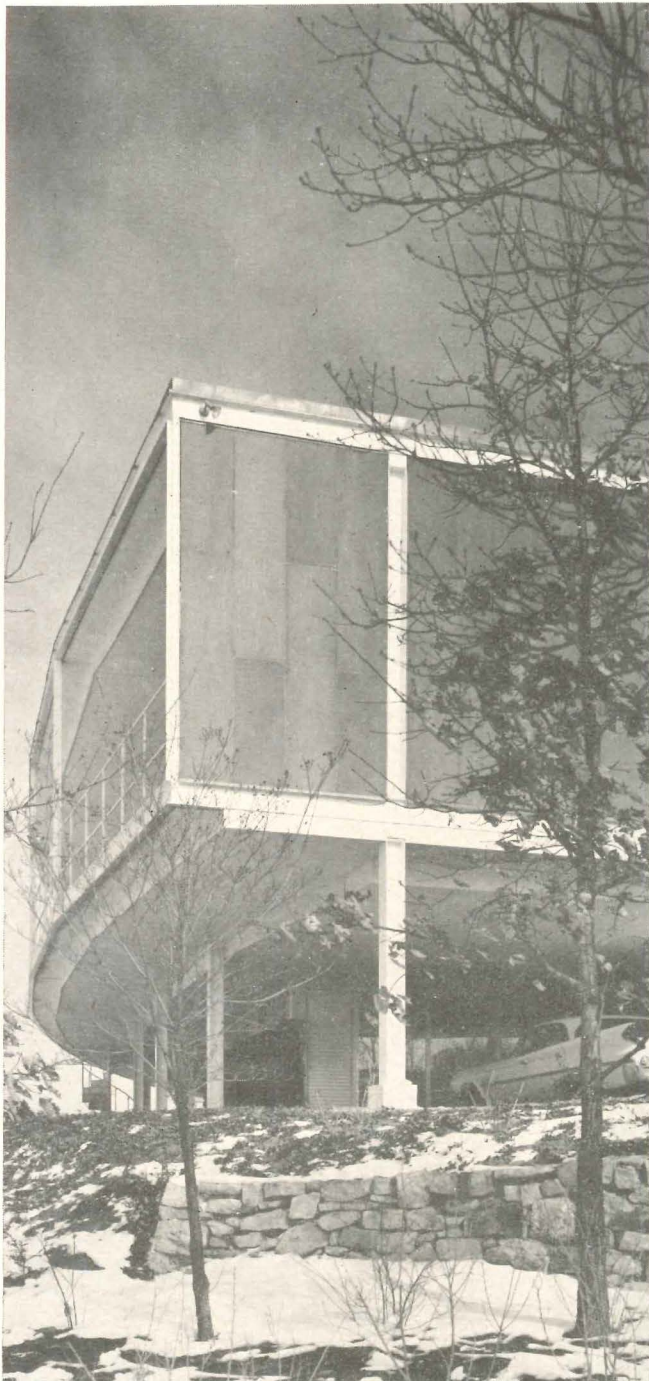
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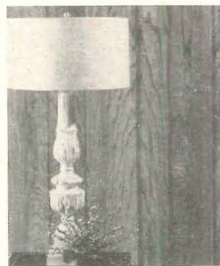
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VINYL CLOTH SHADES IN MANY PATTERNS

Window shades of vinyl-impregnated shade cloth are offered in a choice of eight stock patterns, including delft, poppies, gentian flowers, paisley, and awning strips, all in a variety of colors. The designs are printed in vinyl ink. *Howard & Schaffer, Inc., 22 E. 55th St., New York 22, N.Y.*

CIRCLE 236 ON INQUIRY CARD

RANDOM PLANK LOOK IN WOOD PANELING



Prefinished hardwood panels are 4 ft wide and 7, 8, 9, and 10 ft long with deep lengthwise grooves to give a random plank effect. Finish is resistant to dirt and grease. Six available woods are walnut, cherry, elm, oak birch, and maple. Alternate color tones are tawny oak, platinum birch, and antique elm. *Weyerhaeuser Co., Tacoma, Wash.*

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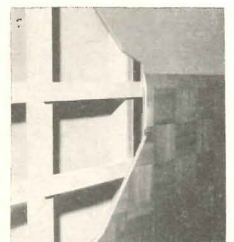
BUILT-IN COFFEEMAKER BREWS COFFEE QUICKLY

A built-in coffeemaker automatically brews from 2 to 12 cups of coffee in less than four minutes. A quick recovery water system means large amounts can be brewed for parties, etc. The hot water storage tank fits inside any standard kitchen cabinet. The control assembly consists of a small control panel, plus the coffee brewing cartridge and serving decanter. A push of a button gives instant hot water for other beverages. *Cory Corp., 3200 W. Peterson, Chicago 45, Ill.*

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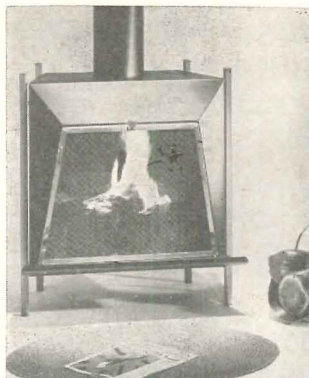
PARQUET PANELS FOR WAINSCOTS

Parquet blocks, in a choice of four woods, are laminated to a resilient base to provide a new wainscot material. Each *Flexstrip* unit has four 6-in. square blocks mounted on a 1-ft square panel for application on existing walls or to furring strips. *Homasote Co., Trenton 3, N. J.*



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FIREPLACE STANDS ON ITS OWN LEGS



The *Tucsonan* steel fireplace can be used either free-standing or built-in, in almost any interior setting. It is 35-in. high, 22-in. deep, and 34-in. wide, with pedestal legs to remove the fire chamber from the floor. Included is a brass framed fire screen which locks into the fireplace body for added safety. *Space-Planner Co., Inc., Tucson, Ariz.*

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Super 300 Seal-O-Matic shingles are heavyweight, self-sealing asphalt shingles with high resistance to damage from storms and wind. After application, shingle edges

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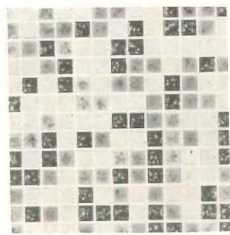
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**WIDE ALUMINUM SIDING
SHORTENS ERECTION TIME**

A 16-in.-wide vertical aluminum board and batten siding shortens erection time compared with standard 12-in. panels. The *Alumalure* baked-enamel finish is expected to last up to 30 years and is available in all regular Alcoa siding colors. *Aluminum Co. of America, 1501 Alcoa Bldg., Pittsburgh 19, Pa.*

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Six new patterns, designed by color expert Howard Ketcham, have been added to the line of *Vicco KJA* mosaic ceramic tiles, making 13 colorful patterns now available. Since the tile is impervious to water and is easy to clean, it can be used both indoors and outdoors. The $\frac{3}{8}$ -in. square tiles are mounted

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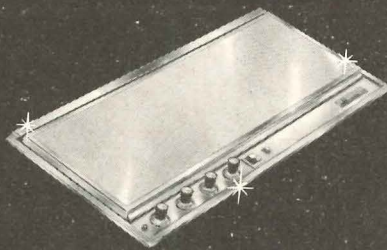
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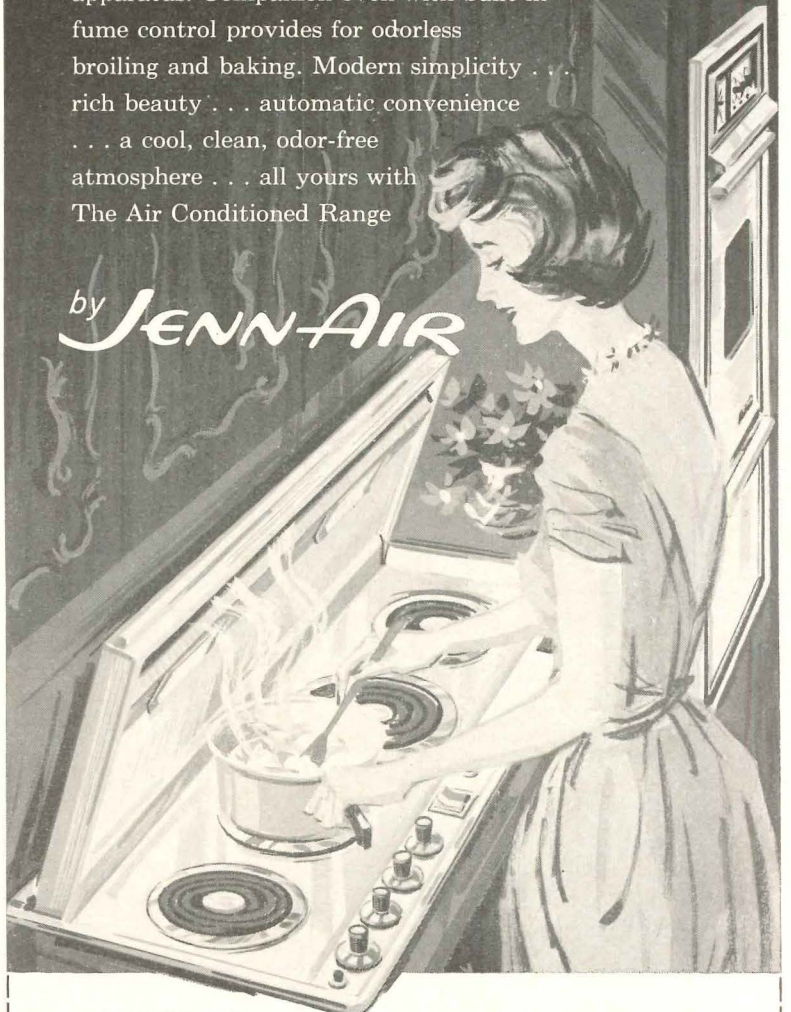
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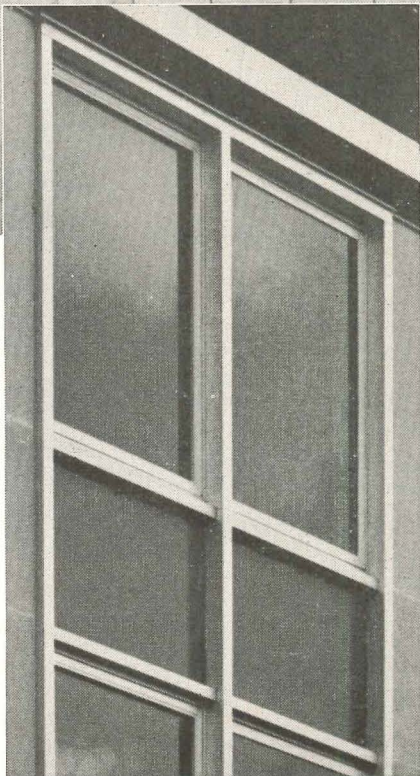
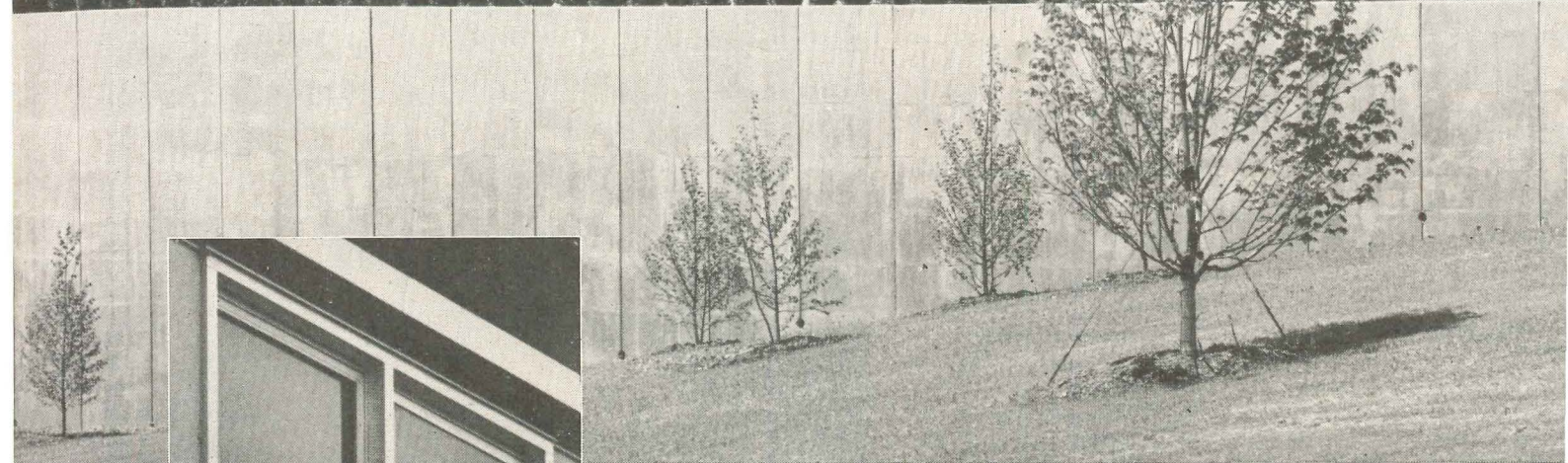
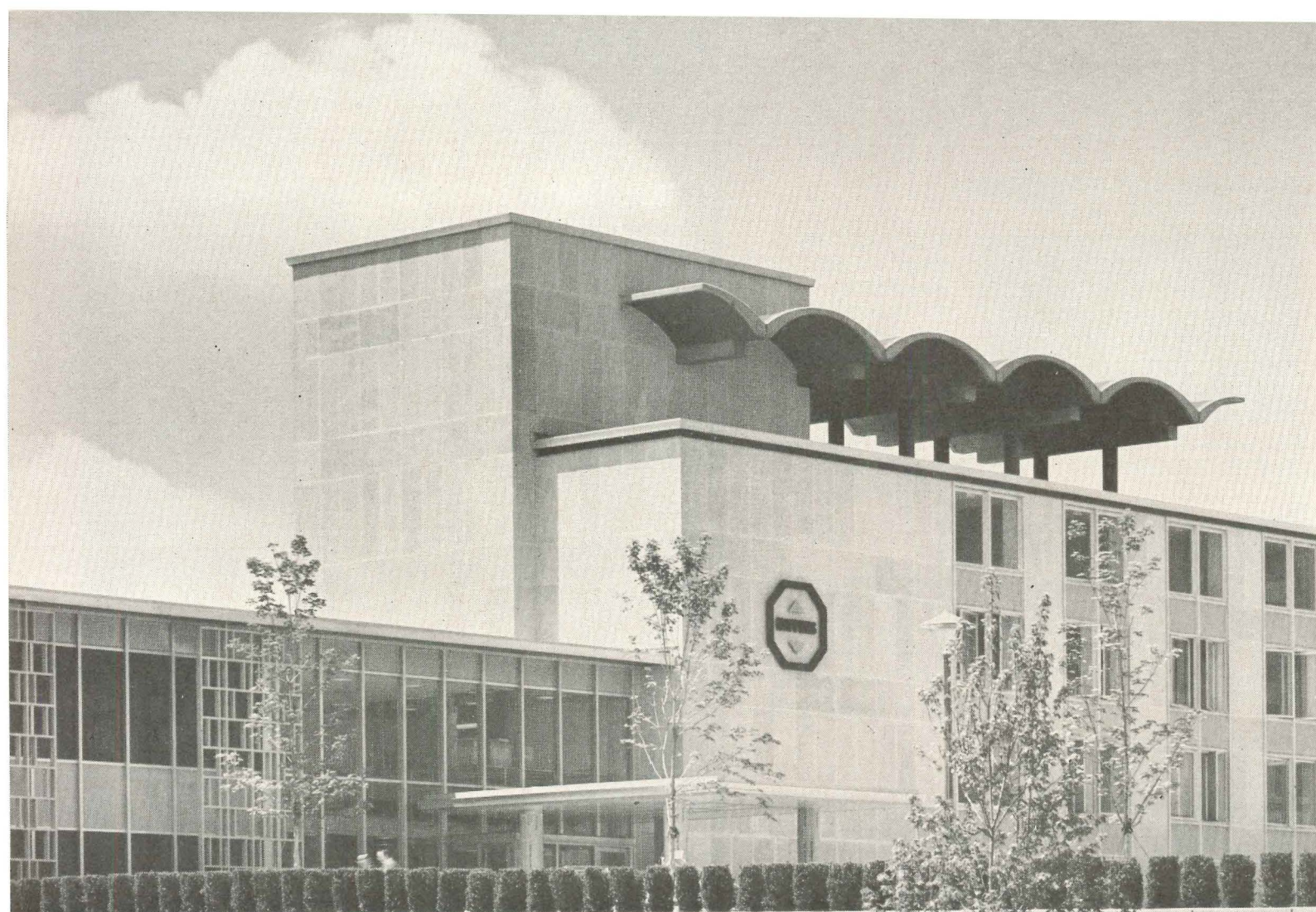
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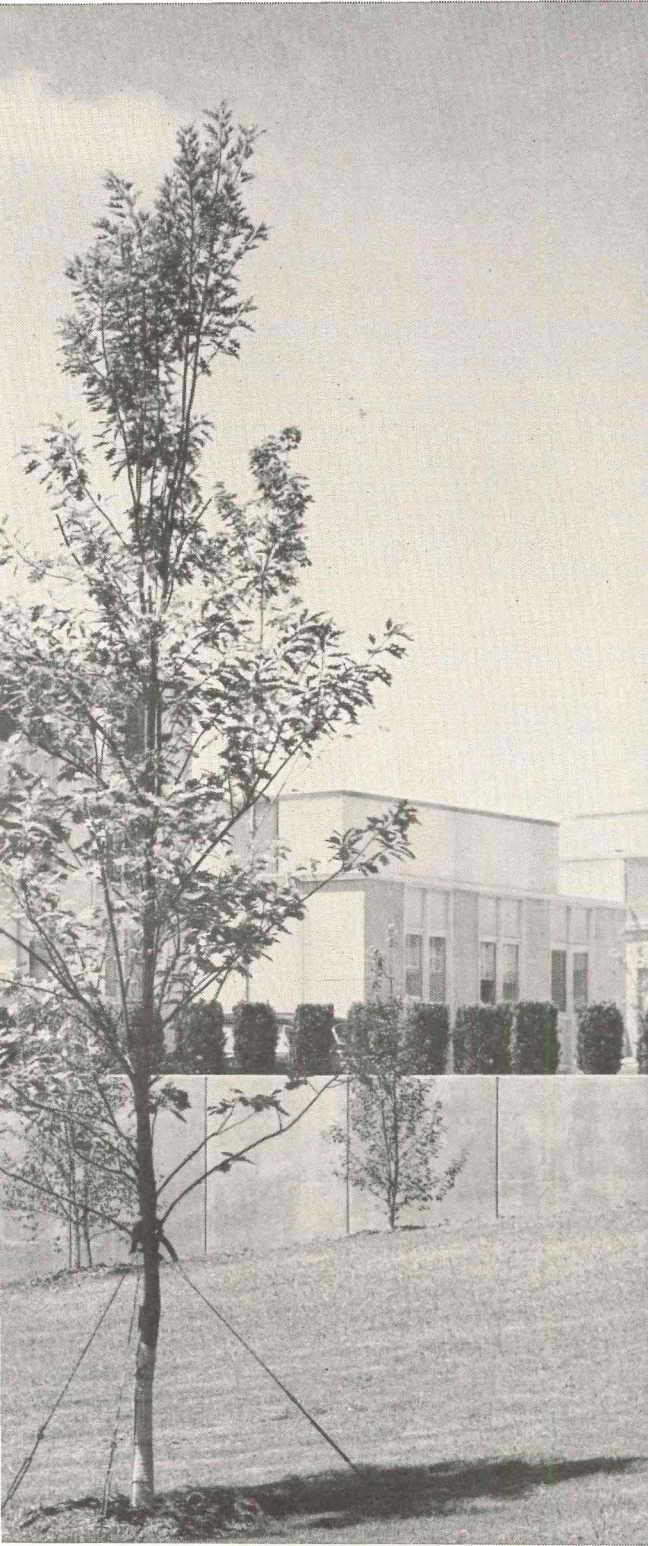


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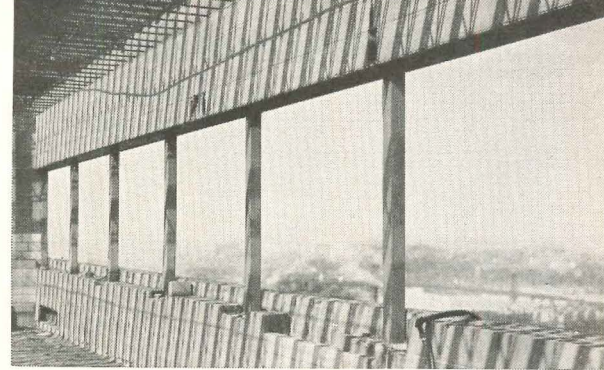
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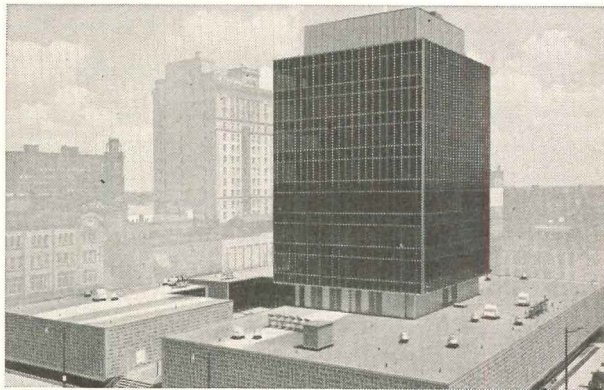
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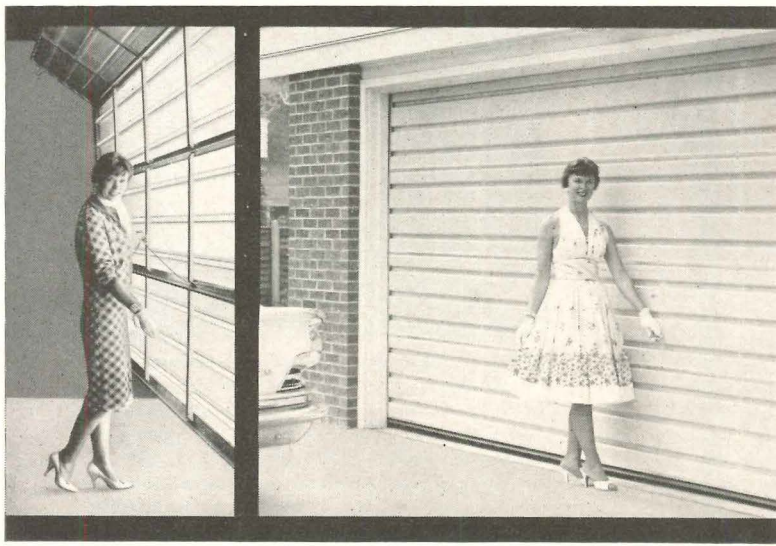


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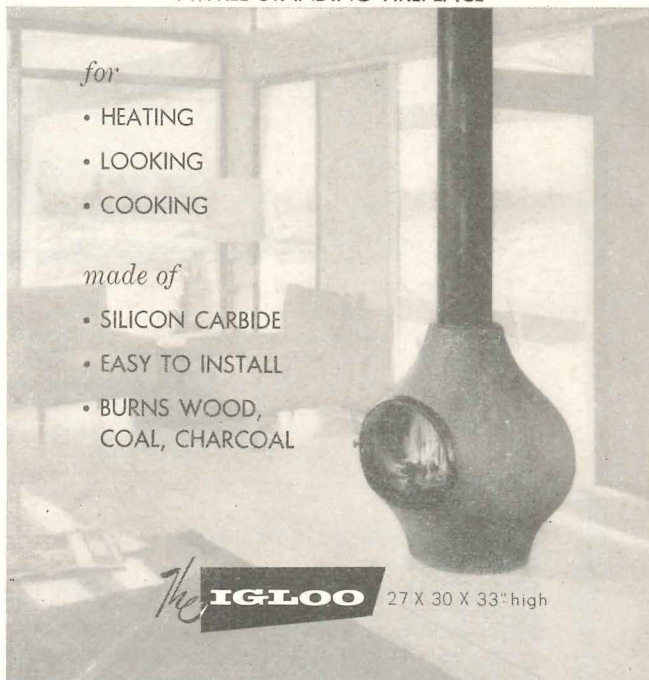
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BATTERY-POWERED FIRE ALARM



A home fire alarm which looks much like a round thermostat rings long and loud when room temperature rises above a level set by the owner. The battery-powered device is installed by simply placing it on the wall. *Win-Check Industries, Moonachie, N. J.*

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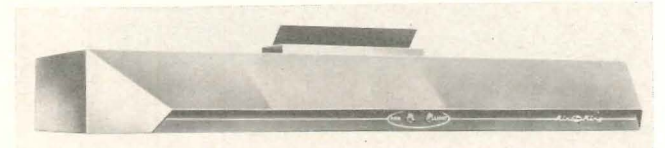
PREBUILT SHOWER STALL OF STRONG PLASTIC

Polyester resin reinforced with glass fiber, the same plastic used for impact-resistant boats, is used in a one-piece, pre-built shower stall. It has walls of American Cyanamid's *Laminac* with a hard, lustrous finish which resists mildew and fungus growth. *Ceralyte Corp., 165 Social Hall Ave., Salt Lake City, Utah*

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RANGE HOOD HIDES FAN TO SAVE CABINET SPACE

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A switch on the thermostat changes a gas-fired furnace to a summer air conditioning unit. Both systems use the same ductwork, and change-over is made possible by an interchangeable single- or multi-speed blower arrangement. Sixteen units, designed for installation versatility, are available in the line. *American Furnace Co., 1300 Hampton Ave., St. Louis, Mo.*

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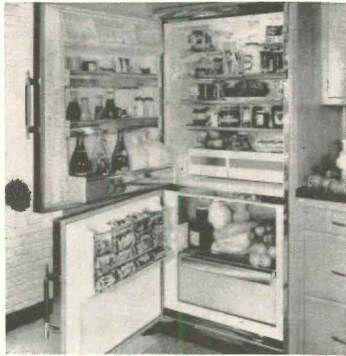
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FREEZER CHANGES TO REFRIGERATOR

Flexible usage is a feature of a built-in combination refrigerator-freezer which can be converted to all refrigerator either temporarily or permanently. The frost-free "convertible" provides either an 11-cu-ft refrigerator with a 5-cu-ft freezer, or a 16-cu-ft refrigerator. *Revco, Inc., Deerfield, Mich.*



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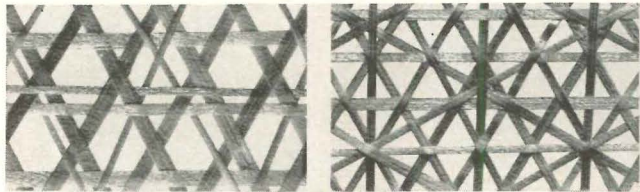
VINYL WALL COVERINGS FROM SWEDEN

Vinyl wall covering fabrics from Sweden can be used on any smooth surface. Patterns include embossed linen, homespun weave, Baltic Seagrass with vertical lines, embossed leather, and Swedish woodgrains. All patterns come in a variety of durable colors. *Galon Fabrics, Inc., 281 Fifth Ave., New York 16, N. Y.*

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CANE BETWEEN VINYL SHEETS FORMS DECORATIVE PANELS

Layers of rigid vinyl surround cane which is handwoven in a variety of patterns. The clear or translucent sheets



can be used for furniture panels, doors, screens, and decorative lighting. *Polyplastex United, Inc., 870 Springfield Road, Union, N. J.*

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RADIANT GLASS HEATING PANELS

Laminated glass is said to increase radiant heat and prevent shattering in electric panel heating units. The panels are available in baseboard, wall and ceiling models, and in portable units. Baseboard and wall models may be surface mounted or recessed. *Gar Wood Industries, Inc., 800 Lowell St., Ypsilanti, Mich.*

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ROUND BOWL IS ADDED TO KITCHEN SINK



A round bowl at the side of a standard double sink gives extra flexibility in any kitchen. The *Gormay* family sink is built of strong nickel stainless steel. *Carrollton Mfg. Co., Carrollton, Ohio*

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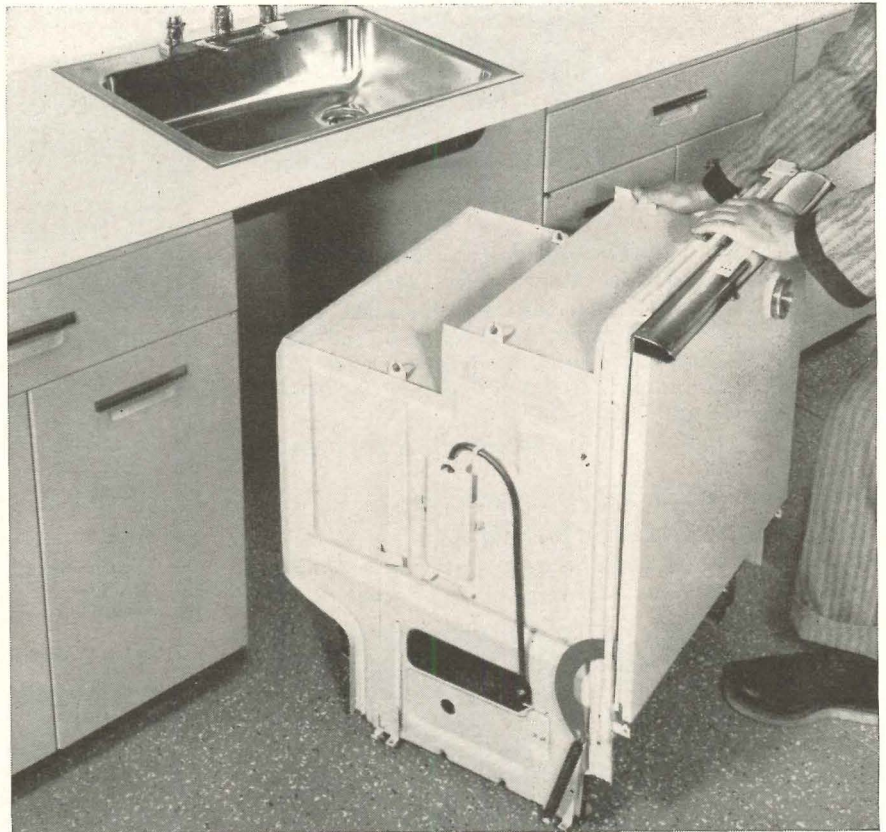
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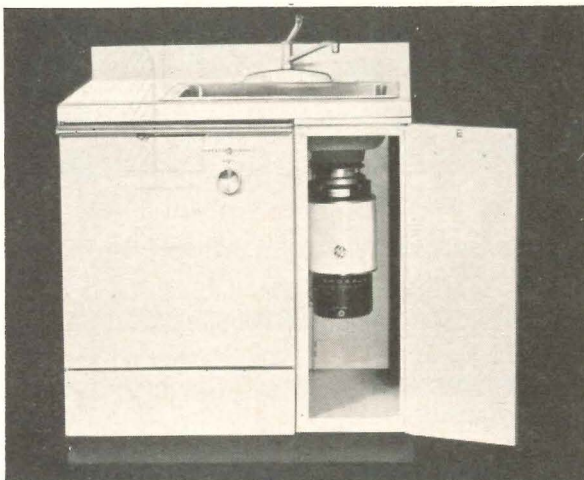


Slides right under the sink. General Electric's flexibility of installation allows you to put SS202 in either 24" or 36" of space. And there's no problem about sink bowls either. General Electric has arranged with many top manufacturers to have sink bowls specifically designed for use in conjunction with the SS202. You can get the list from your General Electric representative.

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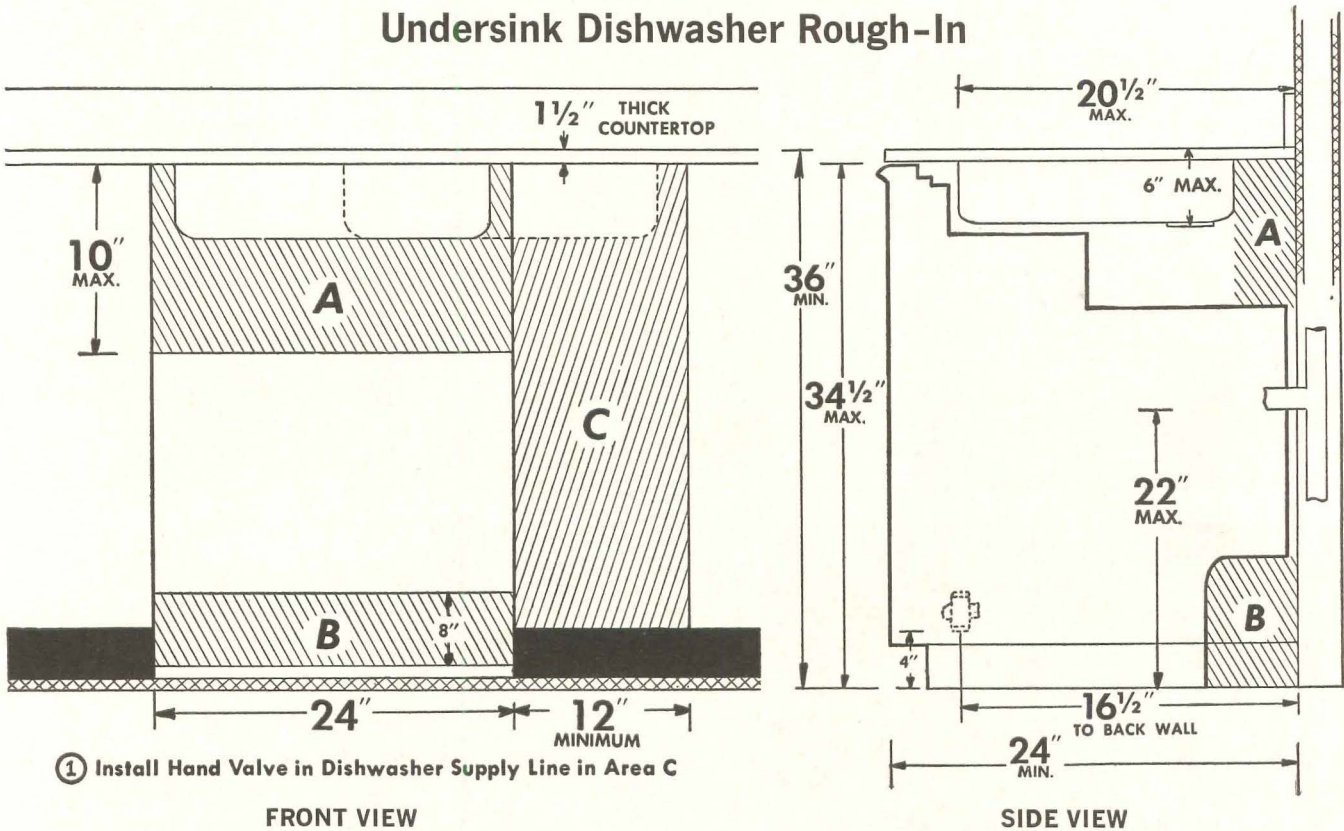
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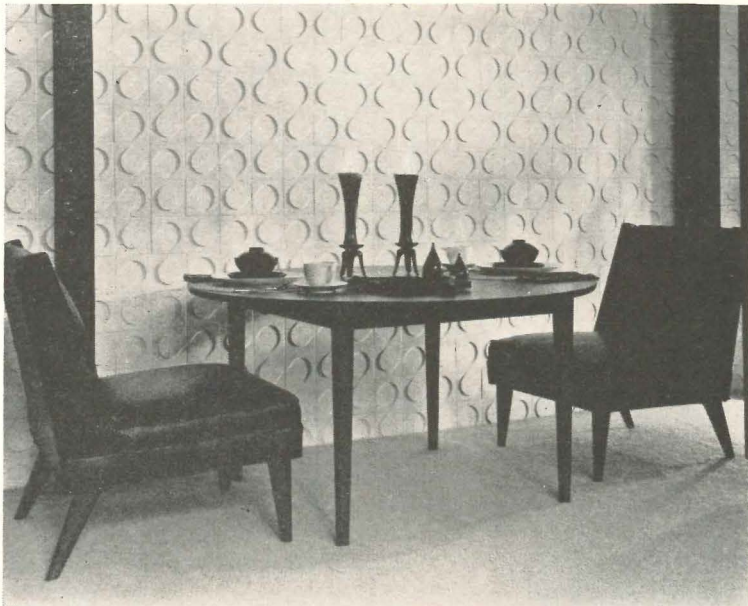
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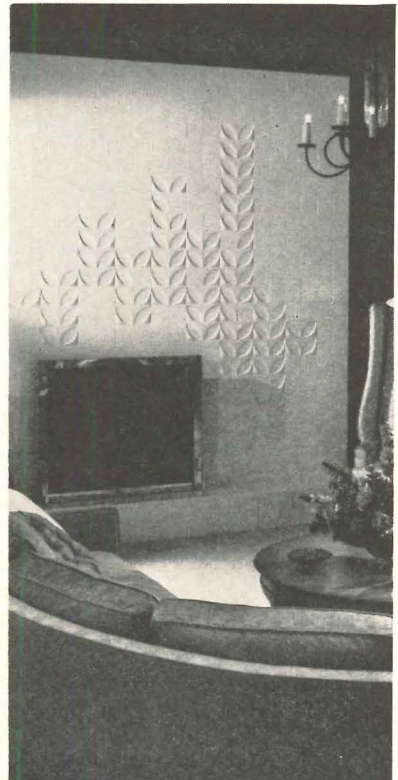
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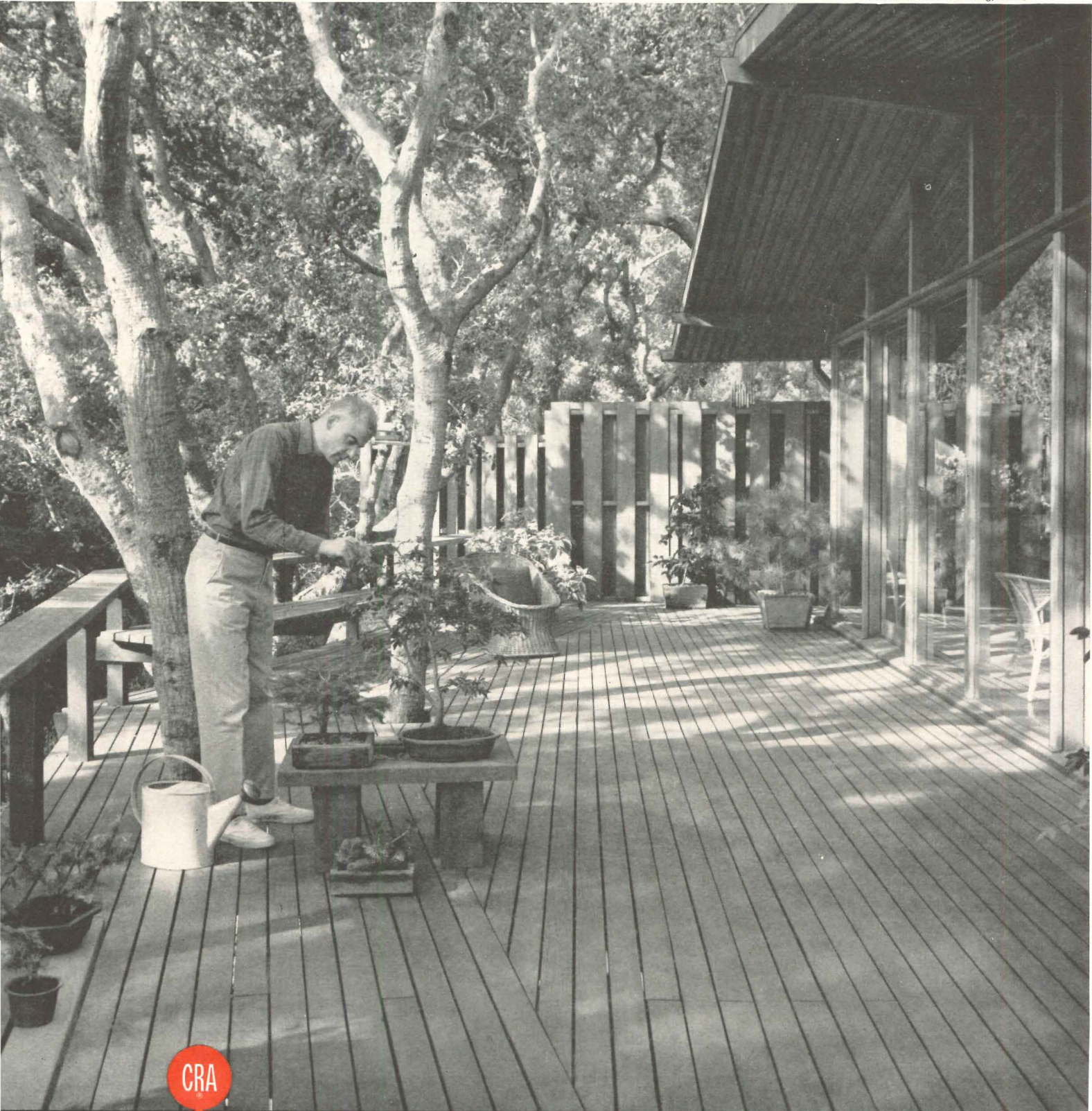
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NEW PRODUCTS

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FREEZER REFRIGERATOR FITS IN SMALL SPACE

Frostless Foodarama is only 41-in. wide, but it has a refrigerator with a capacity of 11.8 cu ft and a freezer with 5-cu-ft capacity. Doors on both units open wide, with shelves providing extra storage flexibility. An air circulation system assures uniform temperatures

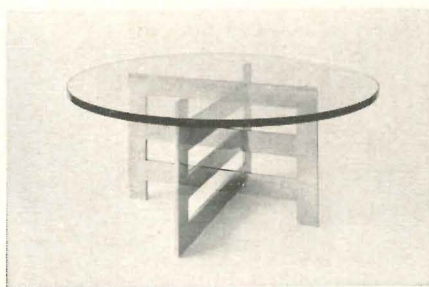


in both freezer and fresh food compartments. *Kelvinator Div., American Motors Corp., Detroit 32, Mich.*

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STAINLESS STEEL USED FOR FURNITURE

Stainless steel residential furniture includes three table designs, two chandeliers, and frames for upholstered

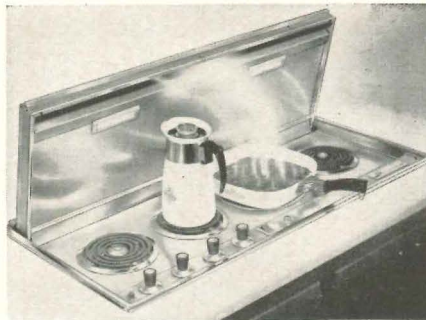


pieces. All pieces are welded with no visible screws or nails. Warm colors are used in the upholstery materials of velvet, satin and silk. *Evelyn Jablow, 250 E. 52nd St., New York, N.Y.*

CIRCLE 257 ON INQUIRY CARD

RANGE AND OVEN WITH FUME CONTROL

The *Air Conditioned Range* is a built-in cooking surface with its own fume control system which removes cooking odors, smoke and heat before the fumes escape into the room. During cooking, fumes are sucked through a pull-off slot in the raised cover. Operation is quiet because power unit is suspended on a resilient mounting in a bottom cabinet.

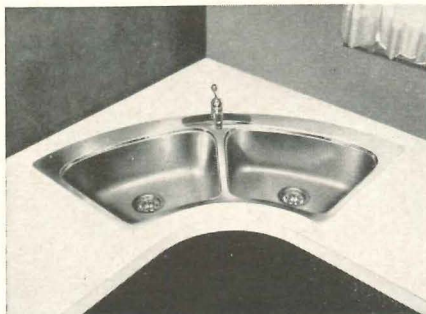


The matching, built-in oven has the same fume control so the kitchen is not heated when the oven is opened. *Jenn-Air Products Co., Inc., 1102 Stadium Drive, Indianapolis 7, Ind.*

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CURVED SINK FITS IN CORNER

A curved sink to put in the corner eliminates the awkward angles and cramped work spaces that sometimes accompany corner sink installations. The dual-compartment sink is stainless steel with

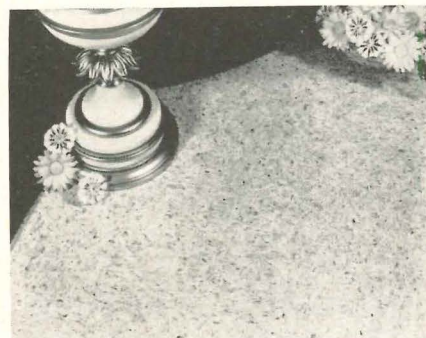


a satin finish. *Lyon, Inc., 13881 W. Chicago Blvd., Detroit 28, Mich.*

CIRCLE 259 ON INQUIRY CARD

TERRAZZO PATTERNING IN VINYL ASBESTOS TILE

Terrazzo patterning in vinyl asbestos floor tile is achieved with chips of marble that are encased in translucent vinyl. The tile has the monolithic appearance of actual terrazzo. The chip patterning is deeply imbedded for long life and resistance to wear. The tile can



be installed on, above or below grade over most subfloors. *Azrock Products, Box 531, San Antonio, Tex.*

CIRCLE 260 ON INQUIRY CARD

TRANSISTOR INTERCOM HAS PORTABLE UNITS

A portable intercom unit weighs only 1½ lb, works by plugging into any AC electrical outlet, and requires no connecting wires between units. Two-way conversation is possible on a system with any number of stations. Each unit has four transistors and two diodes for low power drain and good fidelity. *Fas-*



co Industries, Inc., Augusta at North Union, Rochester 2, N.Y.

CIRCLE 261 ON INQUIRY CARD

PULL TO START WATER WITH WASHERLESS FAUCET

An easy pull on a faucet without washers starts the water flow, while pushing stops the water. Turn the *Push-Pull* control knob to the right for colder water; to the left for hotter water. With the control knob mounted on the front of the spout, wet hands do not



drip over the fittings. There are fittings for bath, shower, and lavatory. *American-Standard, 40 W. 40th St., New York 18, N.Y.*

CIRCLE 262 ON INQUIRY CARD

TEMPERATURE GOES DOWN WHEN LIGHTS GO OFF

A light-sensitive thermostat automatically adjusts room temperature to either a higher or lower setting, with a differential of up to 10 degrees. The higher temperature is maintained during the day and when artificial light at night indicates the room is occupied. When lights are turned off, the temperature drops to the lower setting. *Federal Pacific Electric Co., 50 Paris St., Newark, N.J.*

CIRCLE 263 ON INQUIRY CARD

NEW LITERATURE for home-planning

For more information . . . circle the key numbers of the literature you want (see number below each literature item) on the Inquiry Card, pages 177-178.

DECORATIVE LAMPS

(A.I.A. 31-F-23) New designs in lighting fixtures are illustrated in three catalogs which present floor lamps, table lamps, and ceiling fixtures. *Habitat Inc.*, 336 Third Ave., New York 10, N.Y.

CIRCLE 274 ON INQUIRY CARD

PLAY EQUIPMENT

Concrete play equipment designed to please children's eyes in addition to allowing a variety of activities is presented in a 12-page booklet. *Form, Inc.*, 12900 W. Ten Mile Rd., South Lyon, Mich.

CIRCLE 275 ON INQUIRY CARD

WATER SOFTENERS

(A.I.A. 29-D-32) Water softeners, both automatic and manually-controlled, are described in an eight-page booklet which includes installation information. *Culligan Inc.*, Northbrook, Ill.

CIRCLE 276 ON INQUIRY CARD

DECORATIVE PANELS

A six-page catalog shows new patterns available in plastic-finished hardboard and reinforced glass fiber panels. *Barclay Mfg. Co.*, Barclay Bldg., Bronx 52, N.Y.

CIRCLE 277 ON INQUIRY CARD

END CAP FOR PARTITIONS

A five-page folder gives diagrams and installation details of a metal cap which fastens to the end stud of gypsum wall-board or gypsum lath partitions to replace conventional wood back-up strips. *Allmetal Co.*, 1911 Ridge Ave., Evanston, Ill.

CIRCLE 278 ON INQUIRY CARD

VENTILATING FANS

(A.I.A. 30-D-1) A new kitchen wall ventilating fan which is designed to move air fast with minimum noise is the highlight of a four-page folder. *Ventrola Mfg. Co.*, Owosso, Mich.

CIRCLE 279 ON INQUIRY CARD

COLORFUL LIGHTING

Decorative lighting using hand-blown colored glass over glass or free-form plastic fixtures is described in an eight-page booklet. *Thomas Industries Inc.*, 207 E. Broadway, Louisville 2, Ky.

CIRCLE 280 ON INQUIRY CARD

AIR CONDITIONERS

(A.I.A. 30-F-1) New publications from Chrysler Airtemp include a 14-page booklet designed to help select room air conditioners; a six-page folder on 1962 residential products; and a four-page folder with application data on central cooling systems. *Chrysler Airtemp*, Box 1037, Dayton 1, Ohio

CIRCLE 281 ON INQUIRY CARD

METAL FOLDING DOORS

A 12-page catalog gives details and installation pictures of metal folding doors for closets. *Float-Away Door Co.*, 1173 Zonolite Road, Atlanta 6, Ga.

CIRCLE 282 ON INQUIRY CARD

WINDOW PLANNING

Architects' sketches illustrate design ideas for both interiors and exteriors of wood windows. *The Malta Mfg. Co.*, 120 Mill Street, Gahanna, Ohio

CIRCLE 283 ON INQUIRY CARD

USING HARDBOARD

(A.I.A. 23-6) "Hardboard Panels for Today's Interiors" describes wood grained hardboard panels. "Hardboard Sidings for Distinguished Exteriors" includes construction and finishing data. *Masonite Corp.*, 29 N. Wacker Dr., Chicago 6, Ill.

CIRCLE 284 ON INQUIRY CARD

ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT

"Westinghouse Products for Residential Builders" is a 32-page catalog of the company's full line. *Westinghouse Electric Corp.*, P.O. Box 2099, Pittsburgh 30, Pa.

CIRCLE 285 ON INQUIRY CARD

LIGHT CONTROL

Details are given on a one-button, dimming and on-off light control for both fluorescent and incandescent lights. *Hunt Electronics Co.*, Dallas 20, Texas

CIRCLE 286 ON INQUIRY CARD

USING MARBLE

Full color photographs of actual houses show advantages of using marble for decorating almost every room in the house. The 20-page booklet also discusses such features as durability and long-term economy. *Marble Institute of America, Inc.*, 32 S. Fifth Ave., Mount Vernon, N.Y.

CIRCLE 287 ON INQUIRY CARD

KITCHEN DECORATING

"Dream a Kitchen" has 16 pages of kitchen decorating ideas using inlaid linoleum flooring. Full-color photographs of eight kitchens and many linoleum patterns are shown. *Armstrong Cork Co.*, Lancaster, Pa.

CIRCLE 288 ON INQUIRY CARD

DECORATIVE DOORS

(A.I.A. 19-E-1) Designs possible with the *Symphonic* line of flush, bifold, and stile and rail doors are shown in an eight-page illustrated booklet. *Simpson Timber Co.*, 2046 Washington Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

CIRCLE 289 ON INQUIRY CARD

CERAMIC TILE

Ceramic tile for residential interiors is illustrated by sketches showing use of the tile in kitchen, family room, home bar, and bathroom. *Amsterdam Corp.*, 285 Madison Ave., New York 17, N.Y.

CIRCLE 290 ON INQUIRY CARD

COFFEE BREWER

Coffee Butler can automatically brew and serve a cup of fresh (not instant) coffee every 12 seconds. The appliance can be installed with water supply, drain and electrical connections, in either a wall or cabinet. Face of the unit is 12 by 22 in. Booklets give details. *Havajava Mfg. Co.*, 711 W. Ivy St., Glendale 4, Calif.

CIRCLE 291 ON INQUIRY CARD

LAYING OAK FLOORS

(A.I.A. 19-E-9) A 12-page specification manual gives details on preparing, laying, and finishing oak floors. *National Oak Flooring Mfgs' Assoc.*, 814 Sterick Bldg., Memphis 3, Tenn.

CIRCLE 292 ON INQUIRY CARD

DISPOSER DETAILS

In-Sink-Erator's complete line of residential garbage disposers is presented in a six-page folder featuring automatic reversing action and a plastic detergent shield. Both lock-cover and continuous-feed models are available. *In-Sink-Erator Mfg. Co.*, Racine, Wis.

CIRCLE 293 ON INQUIRY CARD

BATHROOM CABINETS

Both metal and wood are used for bathroom cabinets and accessories, shower stalls, vanities, and kitchen cabinets described in a 16-page catalog. *Standard Steel Cabinet Co.*, 3701 Milwaukee Ave., Chicago 41, Ill.

CIRCLE 294 ON INQUIRY CARD

DOORS AND WINDOWS

A 12-page booklet gives illustrations and specifications for a complete line of aluminum windows and doors. Sketches show interior construction, extruded aluminum members, and mounting requirements. *Roger Industries, Inc.*, 205 Watts Road, Jackson, Mich.

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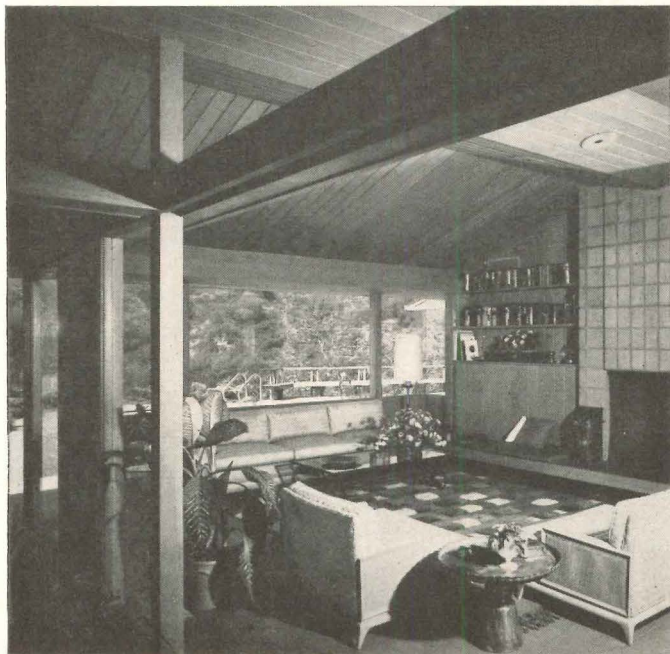
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Snug in its sloping site, this contemporary's shingled roof and planked siding demonstrate some of wood's natural hillside manner. Note how the beauty of weathered wood suits this low, rambling residence designed by Rex Lotery, A.I.A., architect.

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COST OF RECORD HOUSES NEAR YOU

In using Record Houses our readers have asked, "If I build a house like so and so built in _____ city what would it cost here?"

We again put this question to Myron L. Matthews, editor of the Dow Building Cost Calculator and Valuation Guide, an F. W. Dodge Corporation service. He did some research and presented us with the answers for those Record Houses for

which cost data was available, as though they were to be duplicated in 14 selected cities located in representative geographic areas of the United States. The figures for each listed city would be applicable within a 25 mile radius of it.

In an effort of this kind it must be recognized that the estimates in the tabulations following can only be approximate within 5 to 8 per cent one

way or the other, and maybe more if unusual abnormal conditions prevail in one locale or another. However, over a period of 35 years the Dow Calculator has established a good record and we believe their figures will work out well for the purposes intended.

If you are impressed by certain Record Houses look up their local estimated approximate cost for a lo-

RECORD HOUSES 1962 Comparative Building Costs

NAME OF HOUSE WHERE BUILT	Wertheimer House (p. 98) Mercer Island, Wash.	Probasco House (p. 114) Kalamazoo, Mich.	House in (p. 52) New Seabury, Mass.	Ernest House (p. 136) Atlantic Beach, Fla.	Griffith House (p. 106) Edina, Minn.	Payne House (p. 102) Pleasant Valley, Pa.	McDonald House (p. 90) Flvrn., Ohio
CONSTRUCTION COST *	\$128,000	\$43,000	\$20,000	\$22,050	\$43,500	\$225,000	\$51,500
COST TO BUILD IN							
BOSTON, MASS.	129,200	40,800	20,000	24,400	40,950	214,600	47,450
CHARLOTTE, N. C.	93,300	29,500	14,450	17,650	29,600	155,000	34,250
CHICAGO, ILL.	134,750	42,500	20,850	25,450	42,700	223,750	49,450
COLUMBUS, OHIO	134,550	42,500	20,800	25,400	42,650	223,450	49,400
DALLAS, TEX.	118,550	37,450	18,350	22,400	37,550	196,850	43,500
DENVER, COLO.	127,600	40,300	19,750	24,100	40,450	211,950	46,850
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.	116,750	36,900	18,050	22,050	37,000	193,900	42,850
KANSAS CITY, MO.	127,700	40,350	19,750	24,100	40,500	212,100	46,900
LOS ANGELES, CALIF.	130,500	41,250	20,200	24,650	41,350	216,750	47,900
MEMPHIS, TENN.	117,200	37,050	18,150	22,150	37,150	194,650	43,000
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.	137,100	43,300	21,200	25,900	43,450	227,650	50,350
NEW YORK, N. Y.	151,250	47,750	23,400	28,550	47,950	251,150	55,500
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.	132,100	41,750	20,450	24,950	41,900	219,400	48,500
WASHINGTON, D. C.	129,100	40,800	20,000	24,400	40,950	214,400	47,400

* Omits land, landscaping, special foundations, architectural design and supervision fees

cation nearest to you. If the Dow figure for such a location is attractive, consult an architect to see what he can do for you.

Incidentally, the figures given here do not include land, landscaping, unusual foundation conditions due to topography or soil, furnishings, or the architect's design and supervision fees, but cover the costs of the construction of the house itself.

The Dow Building Cost Calculator and Valuation Guide is used widely throughout the United States and Canada. Its objective is to show the replacement costs for more than 650 building types with counterparts almost everywhere. The costs are revised and supplemented at intervals keeping them in balance with changing prices for building materials and wage rates for building trades craftsmen. Dow building costs data is generally recognized by courts as authoritative and is used by real estate tax assessors, fire insurance valuation engineers, real estate appraisers, mortgage loan officers in financial institutions, architects, builders and a broad list of governmental agencies—Federal, State, County and Municipal.

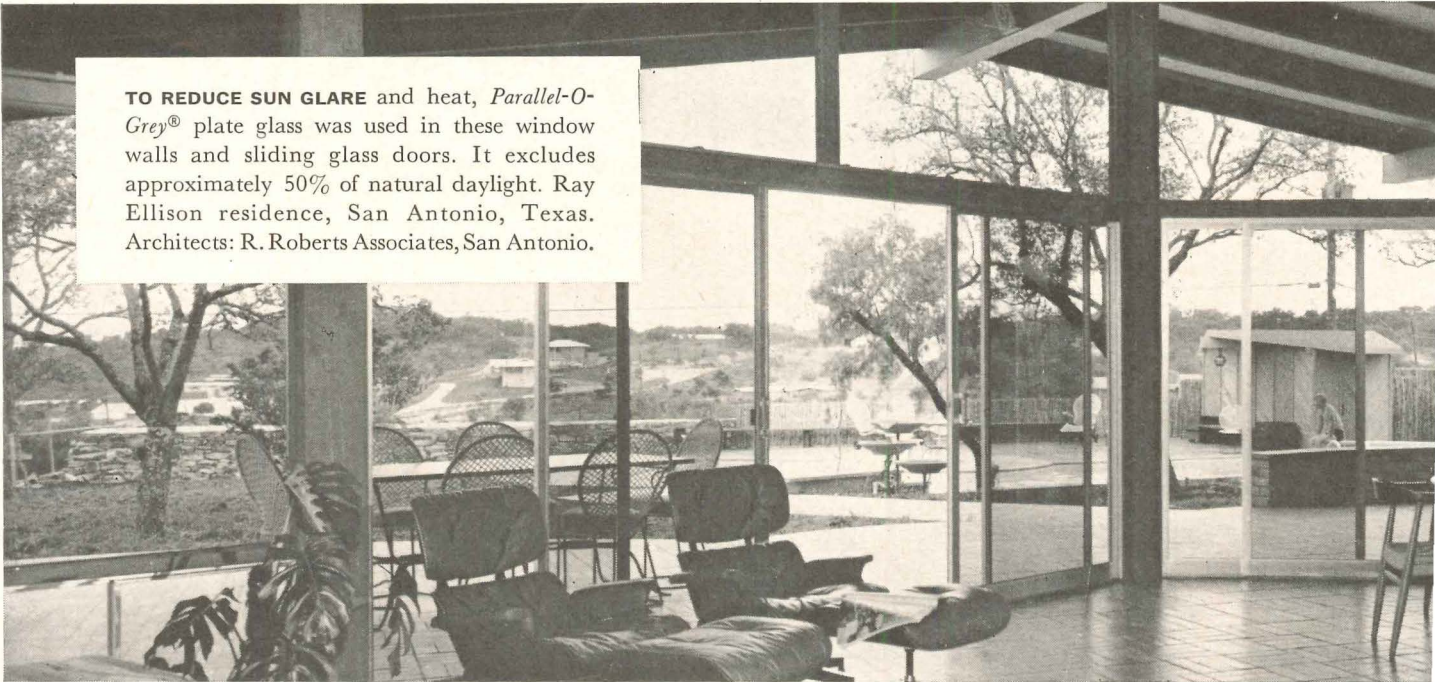
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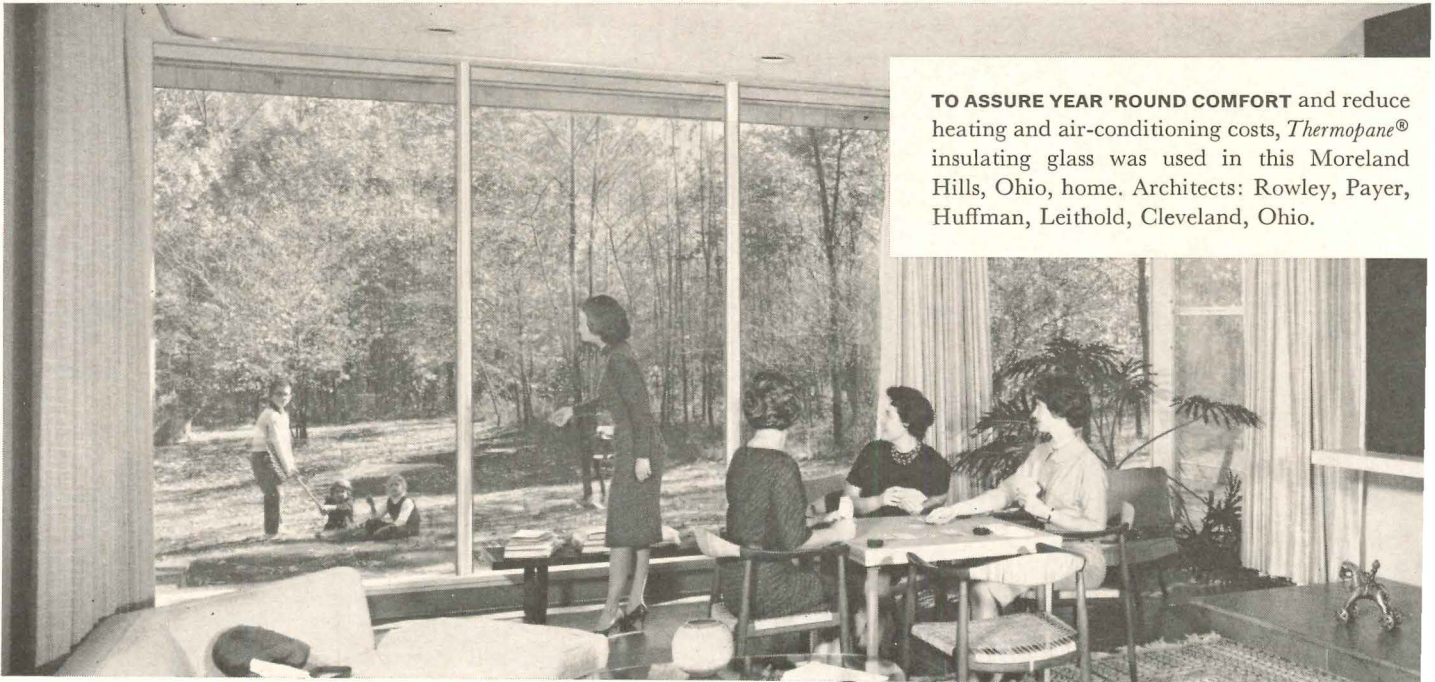
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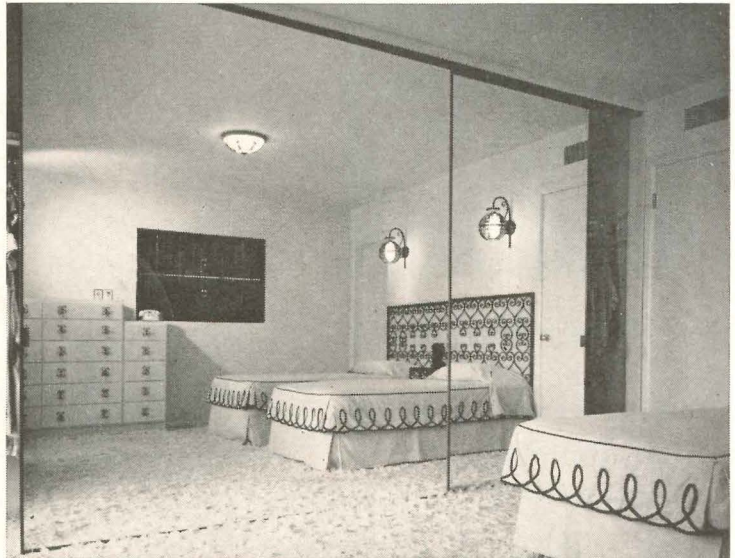
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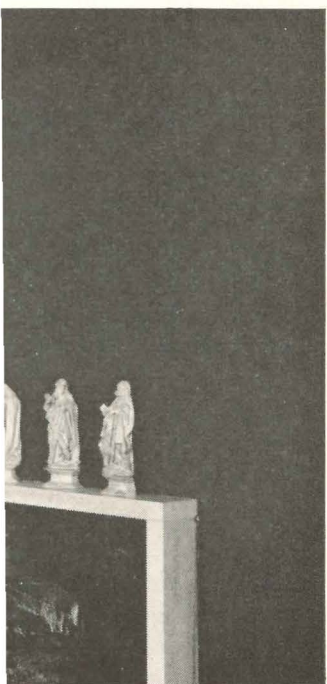
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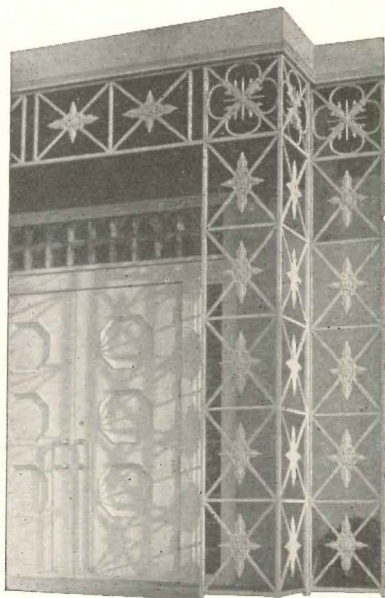
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The Dodge study consists of two parts. Part one is concerned with housing characteristics—the highlights of this part follow. Part two deals with materials and types of construction. The survey revealed the dynamic changes taking place in the materials, component parts and in the method of constructing one-family houses.

According to the survey, the median selling price of a one-family house today is \$17,990, up \$3,490 from 1956. Regionally the highest selling price is in the Northeast at \$19,490. In the West the price is \$19,000, in the North Central Region \$18,000, and in the South \$15,925.

The Dodge study shows that nearly all one-family houses are detached; only one per cent are semi-detached or row houses and these are mostly in the Northeast.

Although one-family houses are predominantly houses of one story, the survey showed that the percentage of one-story houses dropped from 87 per cent of the total in 1956 to 82 per cent in 1961. Moreover, the number of split-level houses increased from 6 to 8 per cent in the five year period. Regionally, the South had 92 per cent one-story houses, the West 90 per cent, the Northeast 63 per cent, and the North Central Region 81 per cent. The greatest per cent of two-story houses, namely 19, was in the Northeast.

In the Dodge survey the average floor area in new houses in 1961 was 1,448 sq ft, up substantially from 1956. Floor area also reflected a regional difference. In the South, the selling price is less than the national average, but square footage of floor area is above the national average, namely, 1,506. The other figures are West—1,497, Northeast—1,442, North Central—1,358.

Although the number of houses with basements (full or partial) increased only slightly in five years—from 43 to 45 per cent—the number of houses built on slabs increased substantially, going from 16 to 26 per cent. The other houses had crawl space only (27 per cent), or combination crawl space and slab (2 per cent). Geographically, in the Northeast 80 per cent of the houses have basements, in the North Central Region 73 per cent, in the South only 10 per cent, and in the West 16 per cent. The number of houses built on slabs in the South has increased from 31 to 51 per cent; in the West from 9 to 36 per cent.

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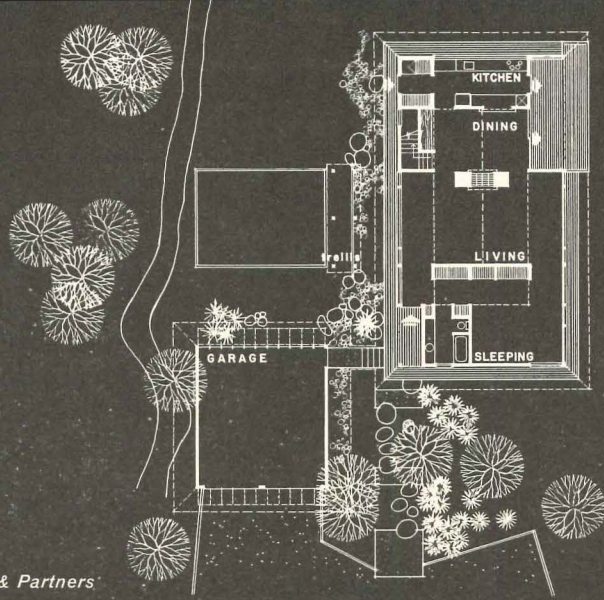
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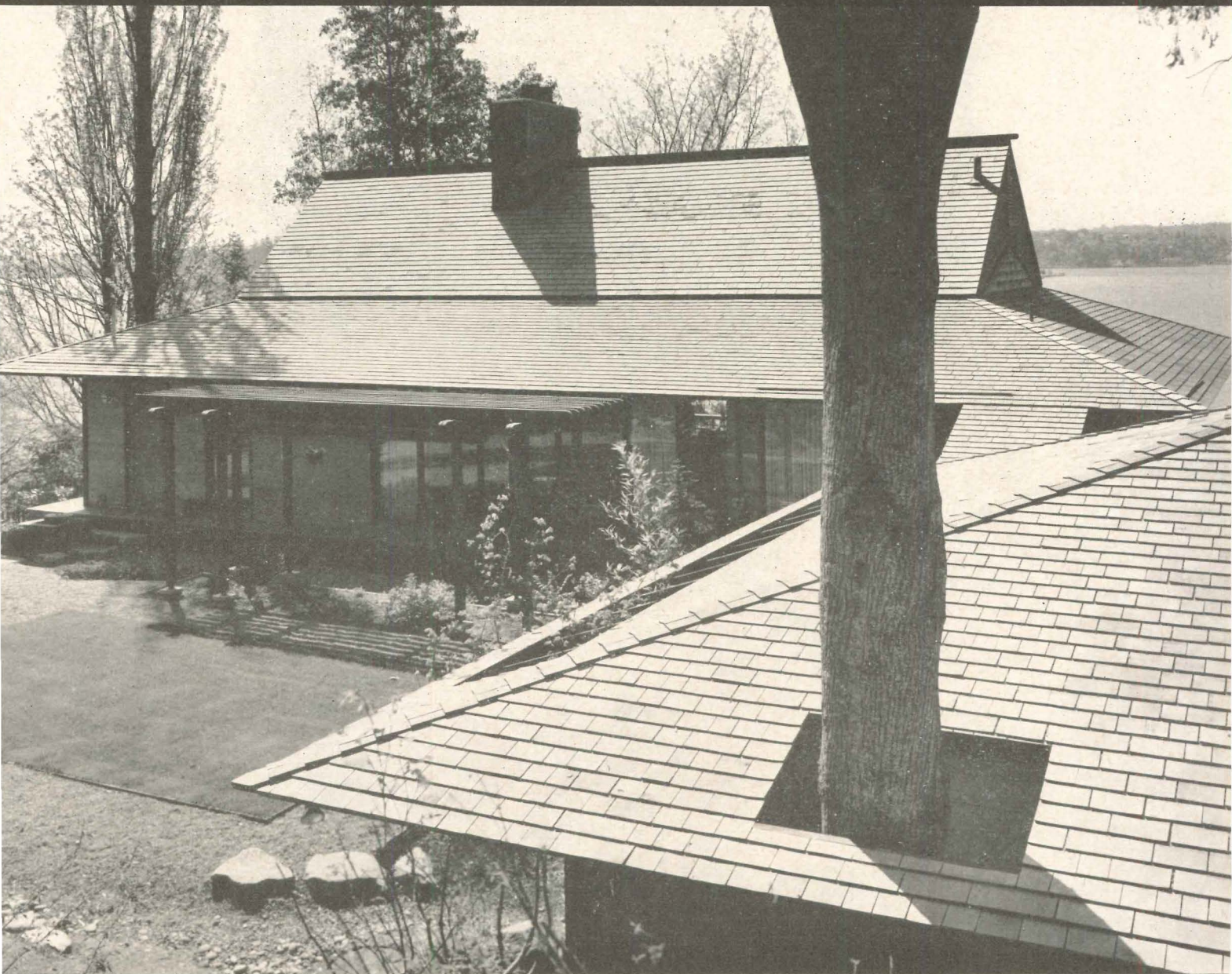
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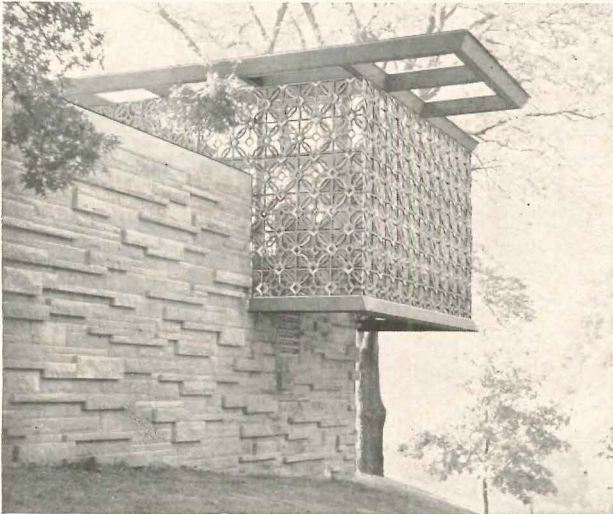
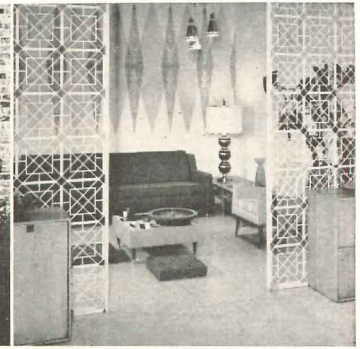
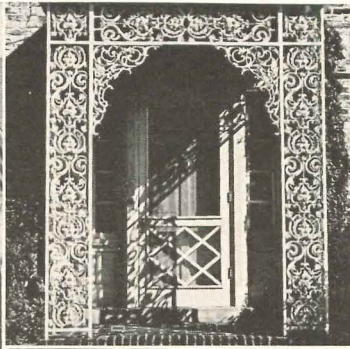
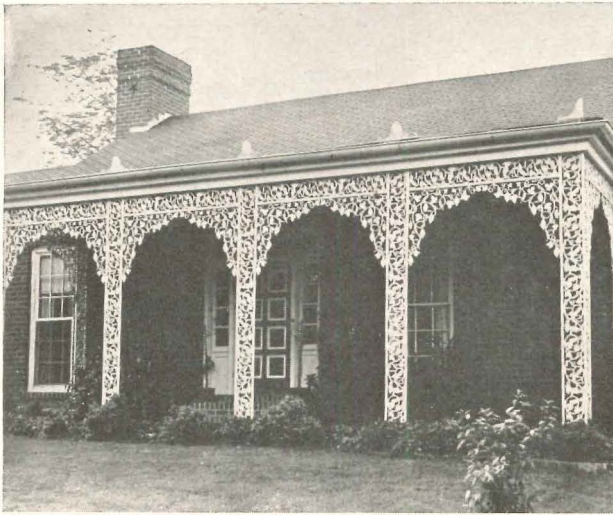
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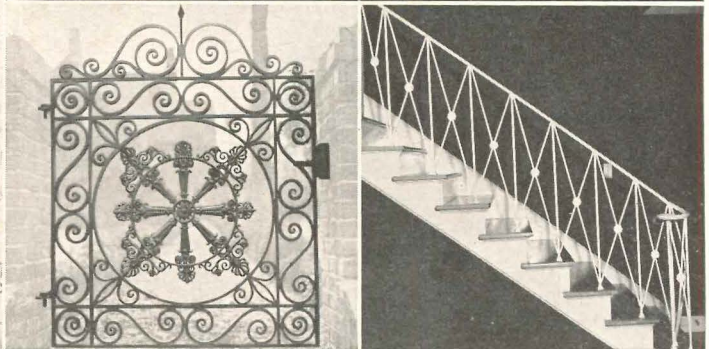




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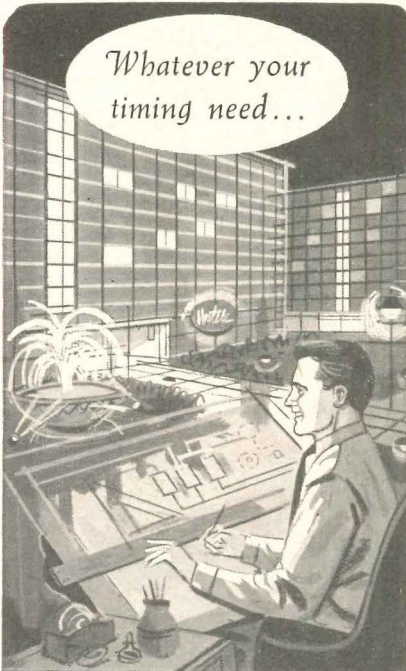
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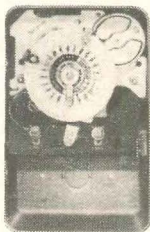
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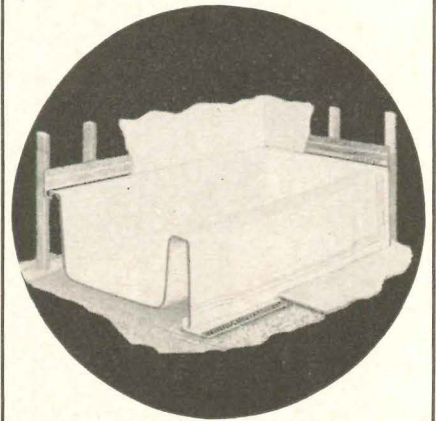
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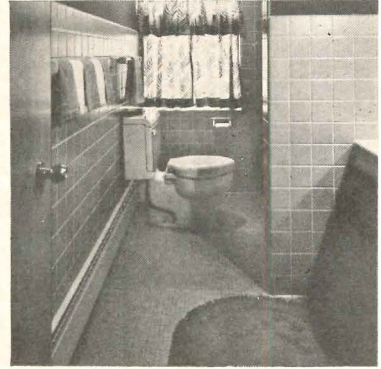
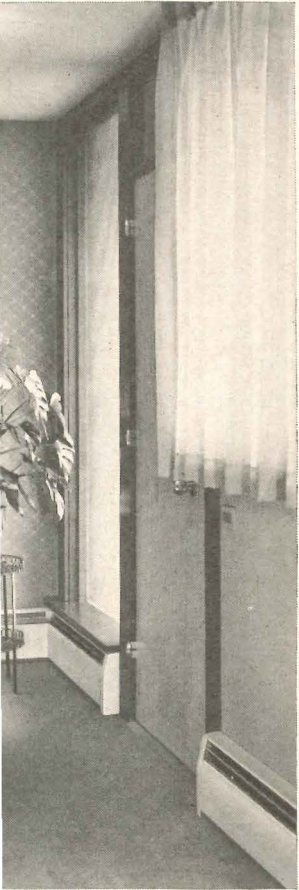
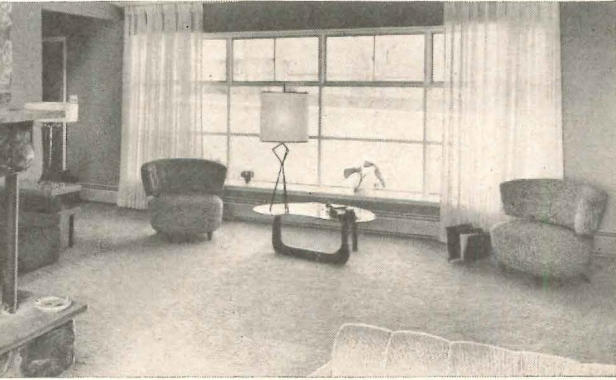
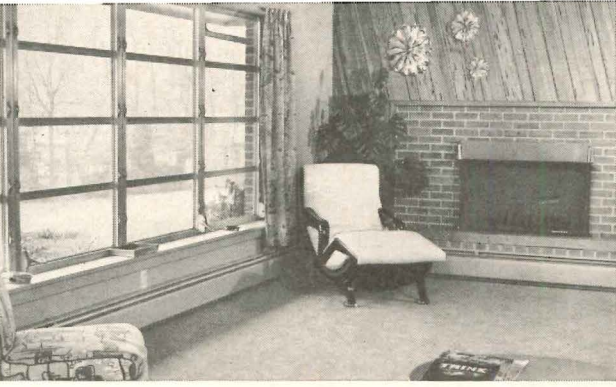
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A four-page folder illustrates how garage doors can gain a distinctive appearance with applied, inset, or painted designs. *Crawford Door Co., Detroit 5, Mich.*

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LAWN WATERING

Details on an automatic control system with indoor timer console for watering the lawn are given in a folder. *Straza Industries, 790 Greenfield Drive, El Cajon, Calif.*

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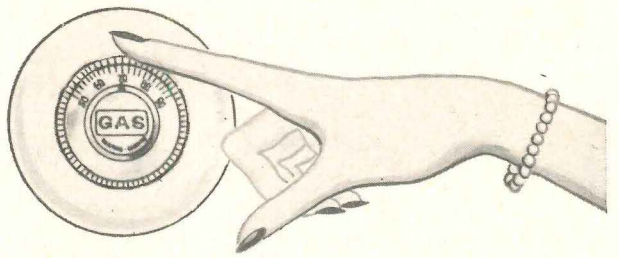
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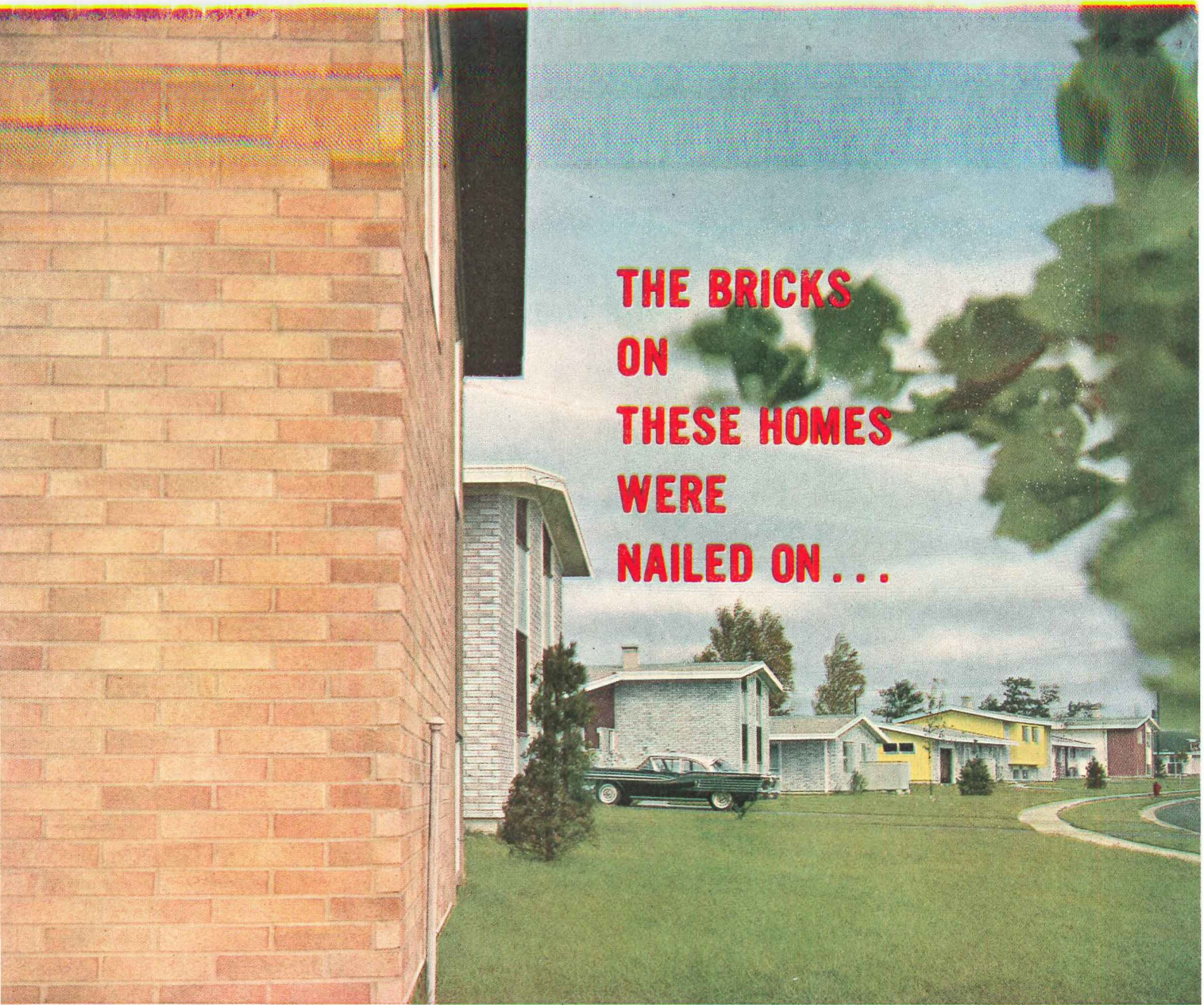
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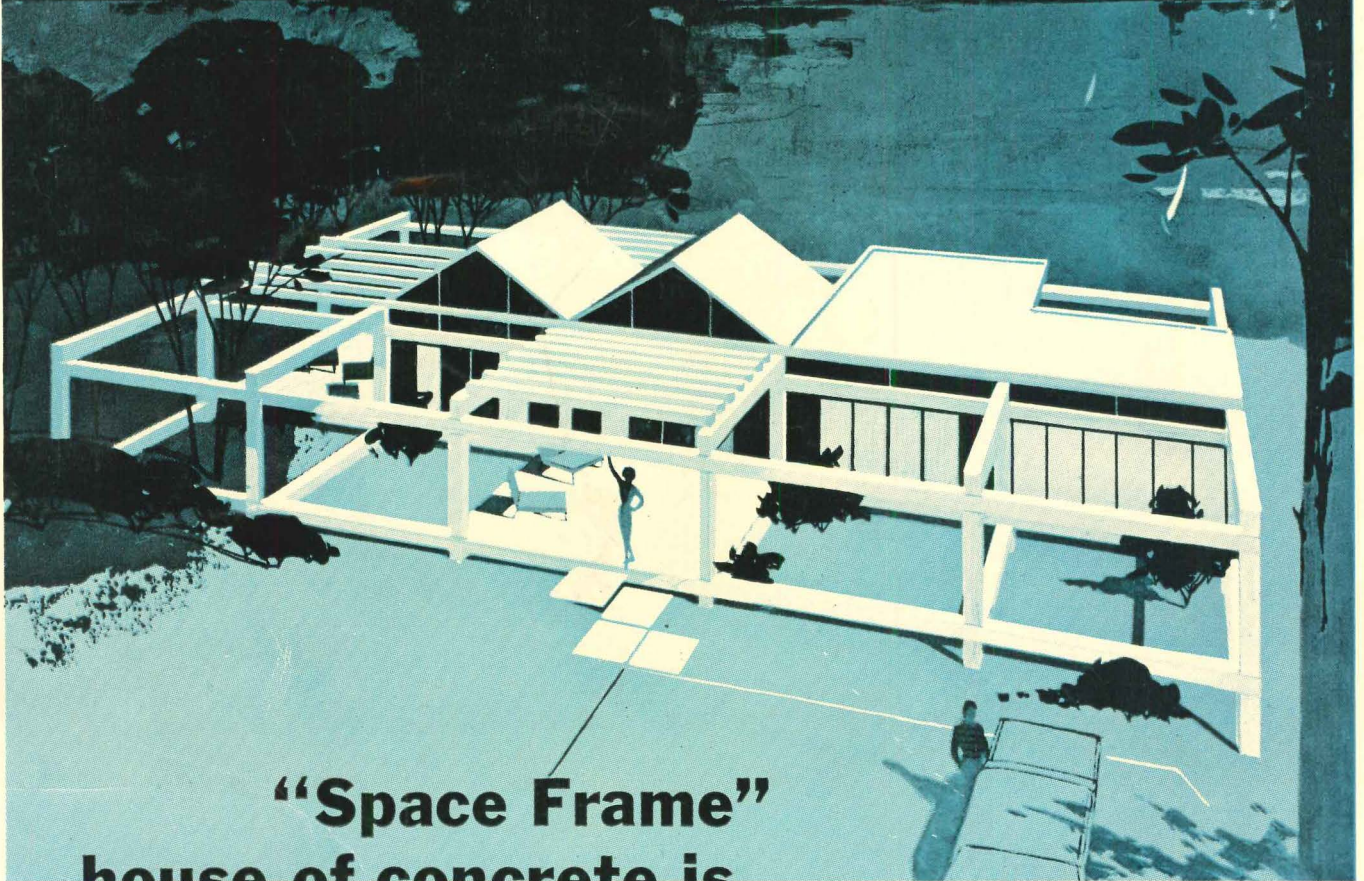
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