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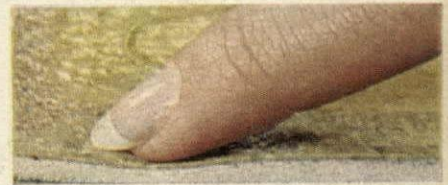
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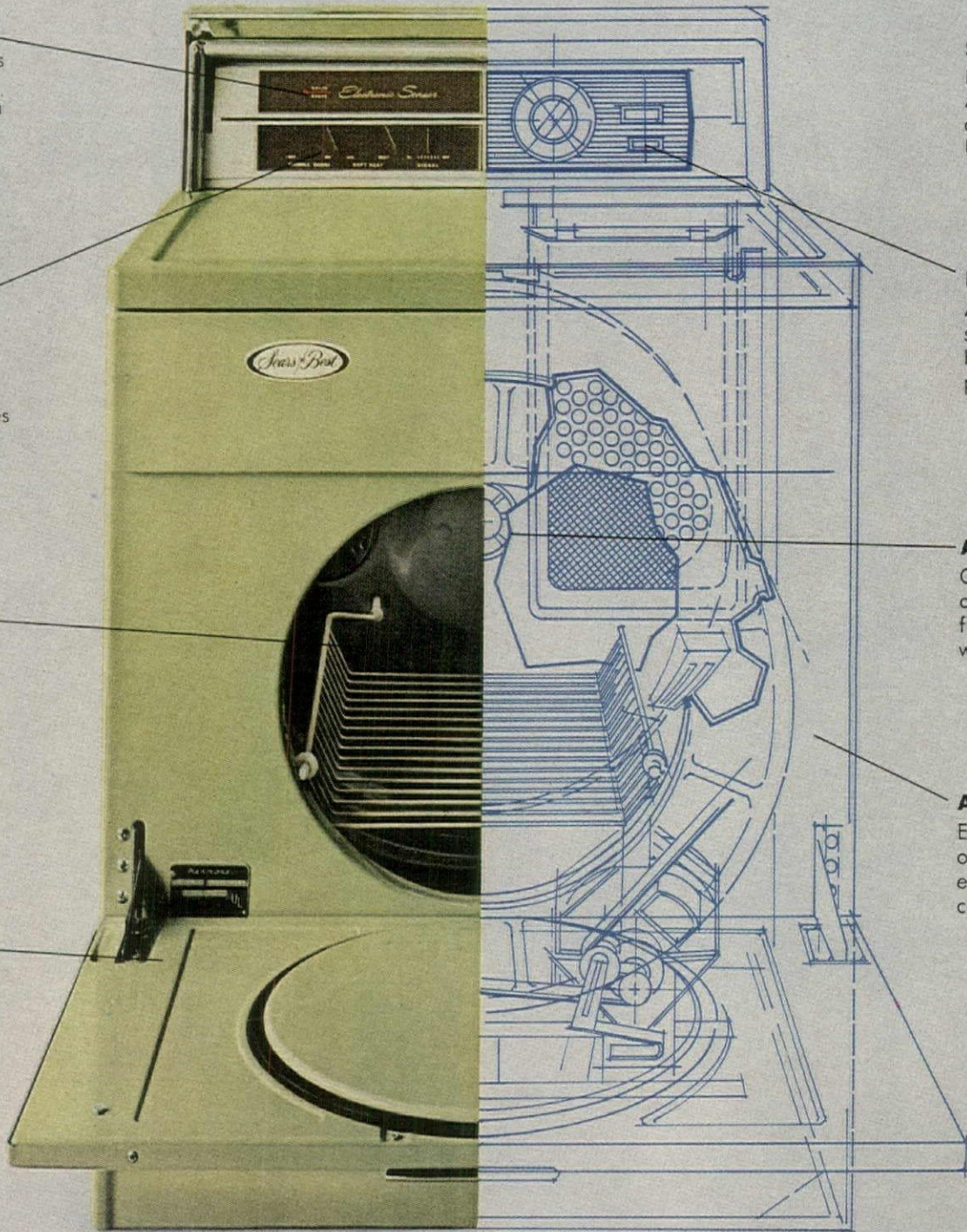
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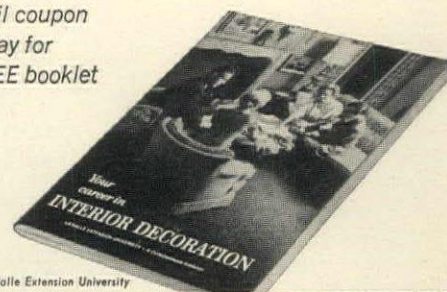
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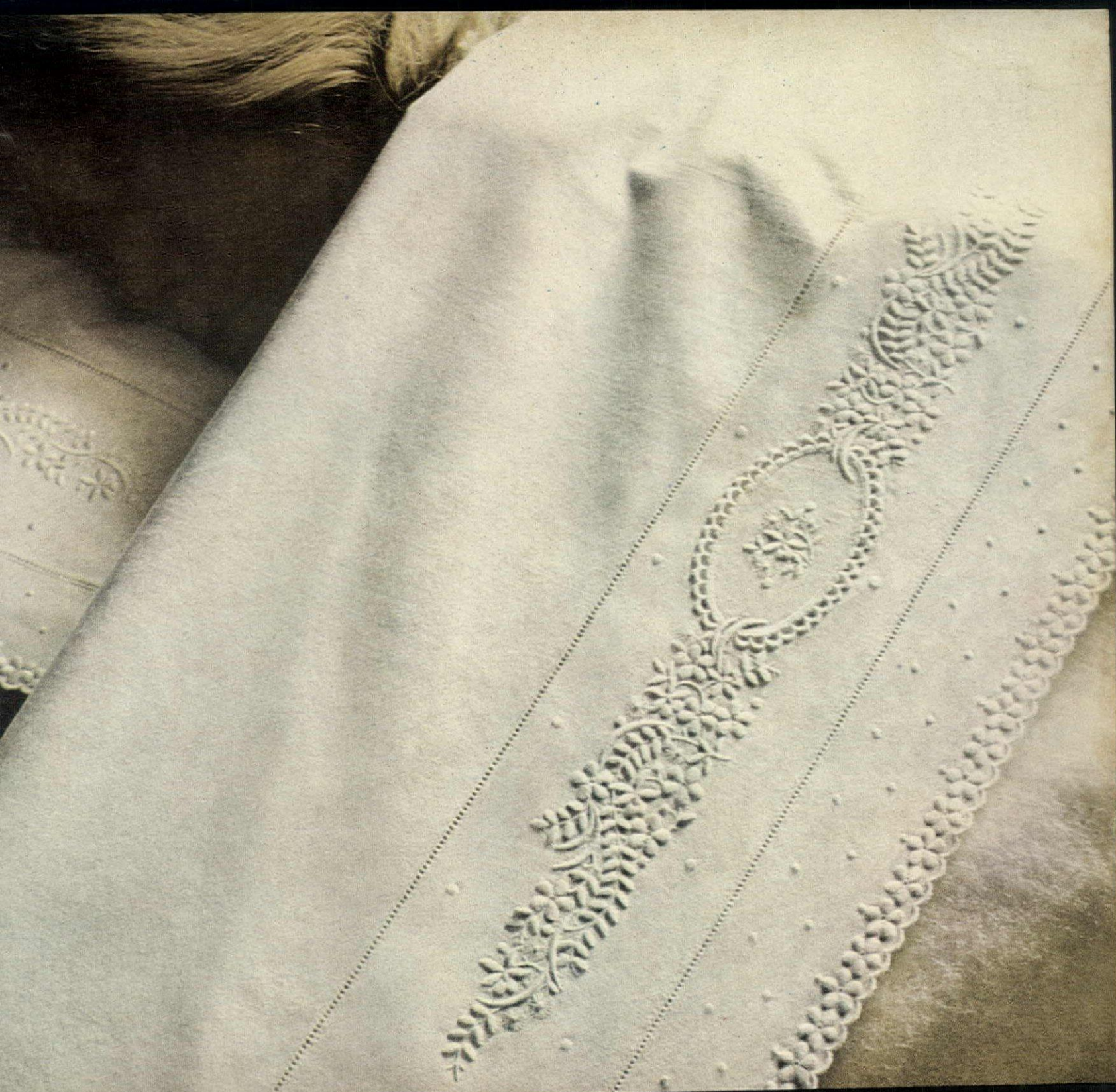
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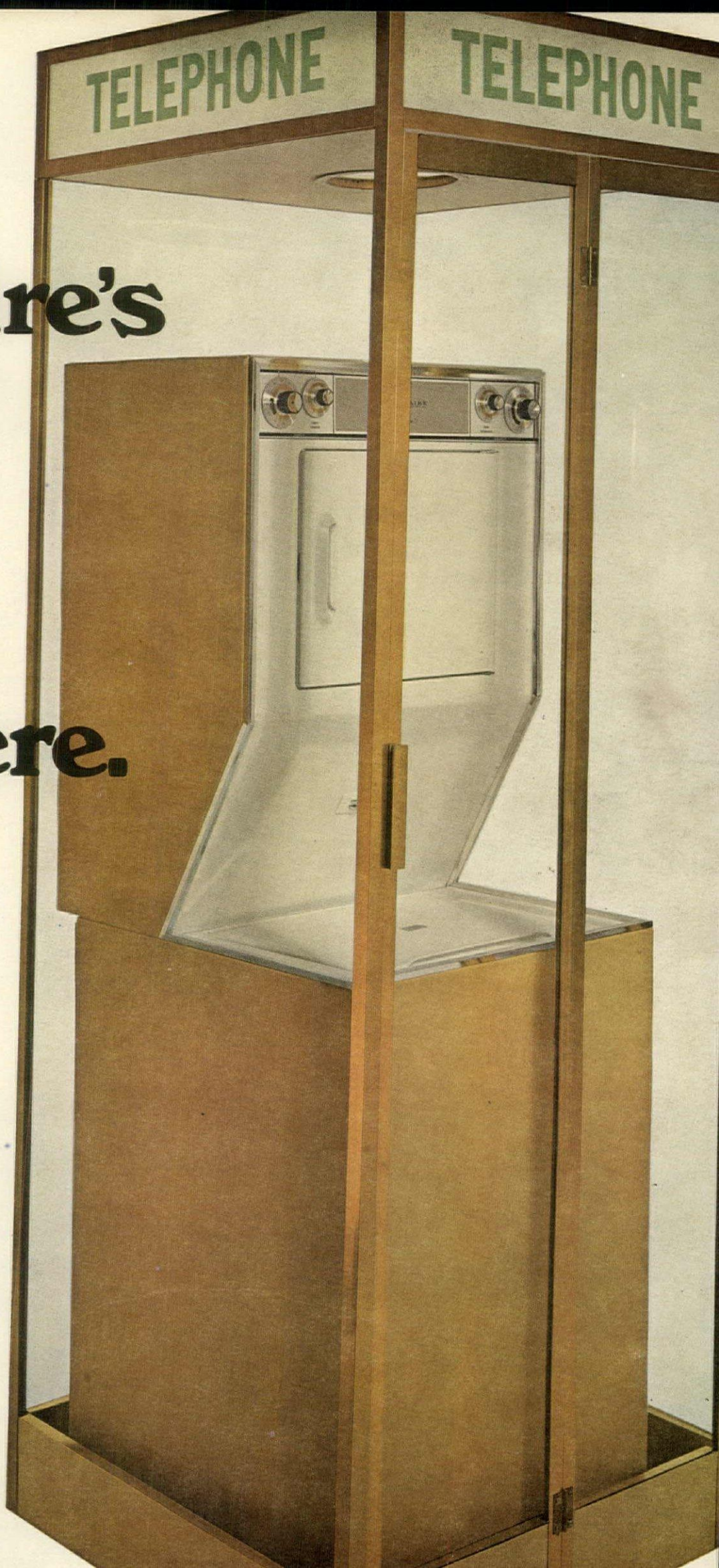
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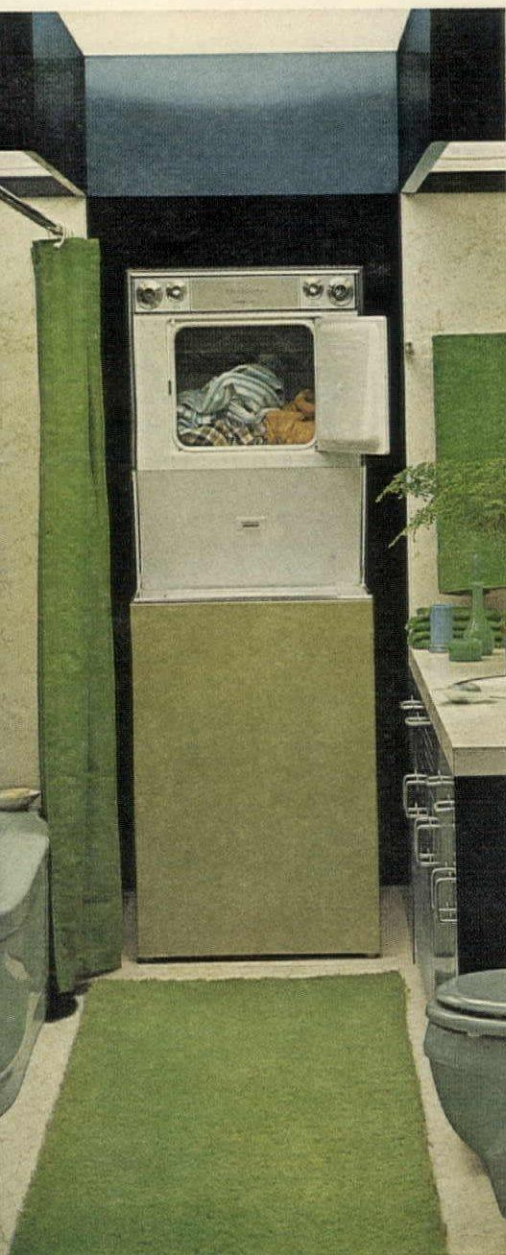
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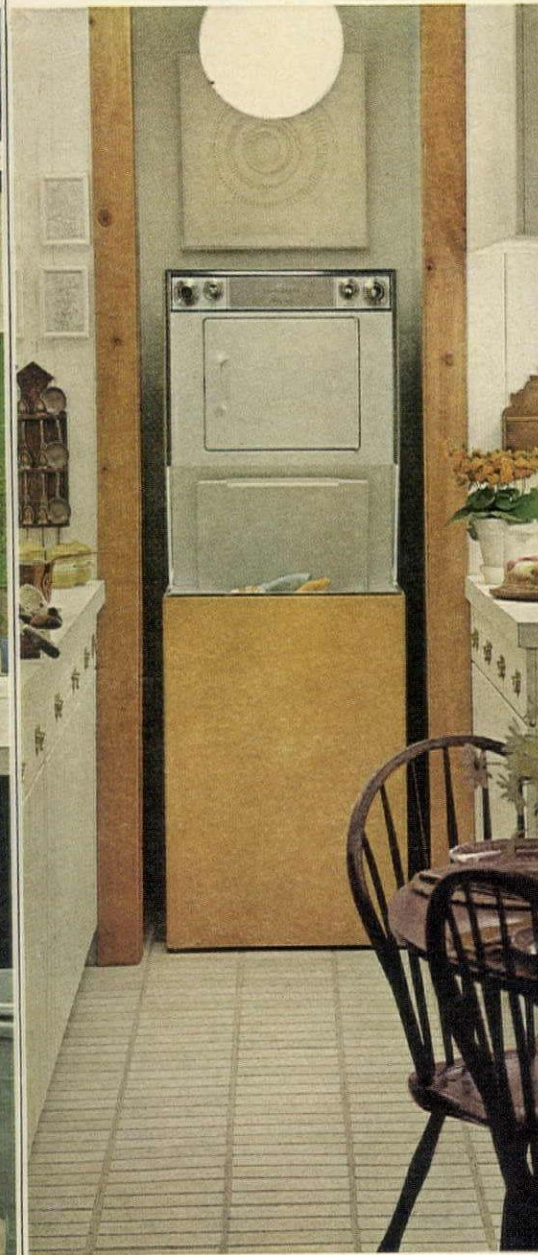
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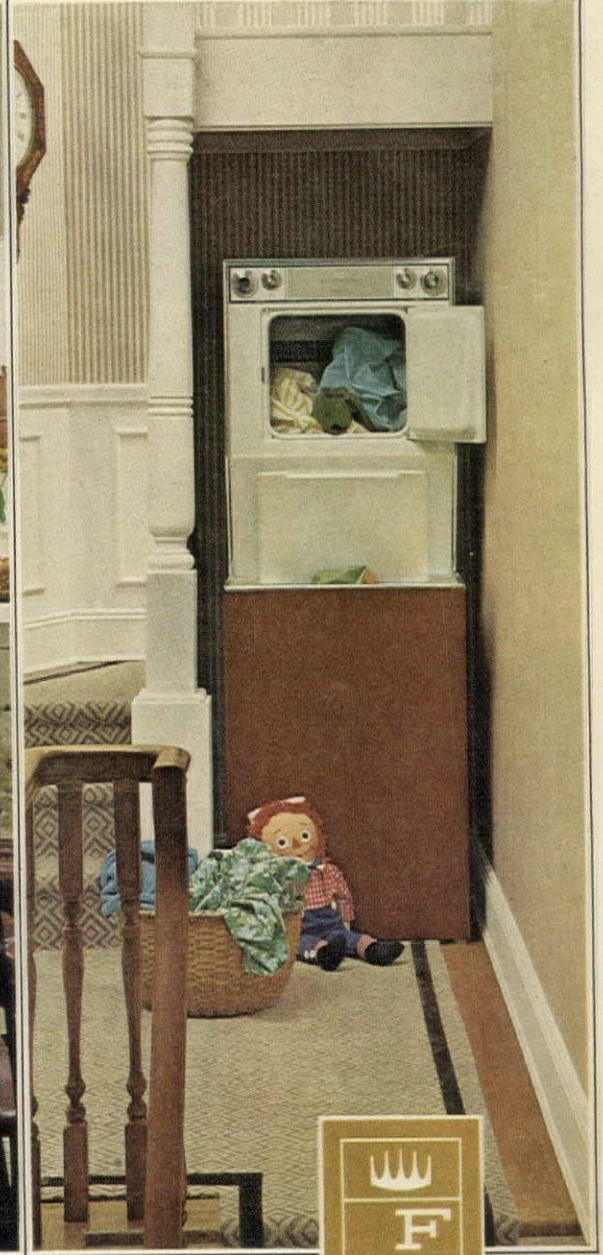
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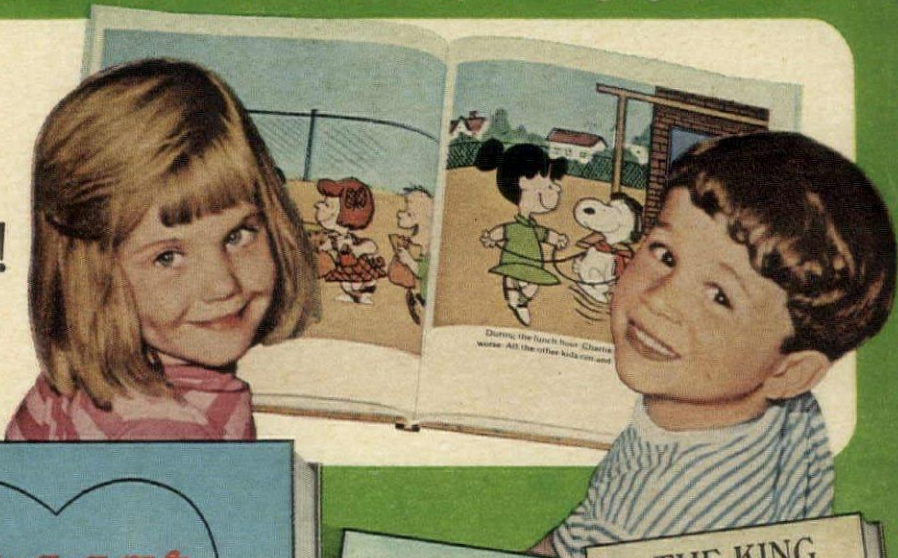
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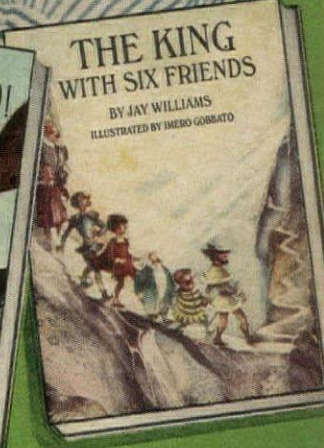
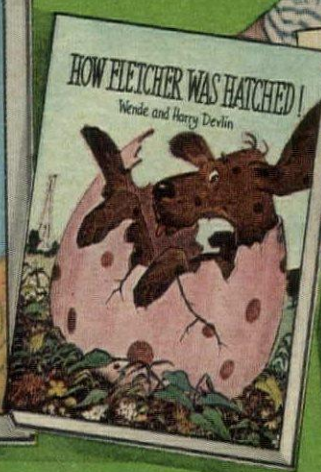
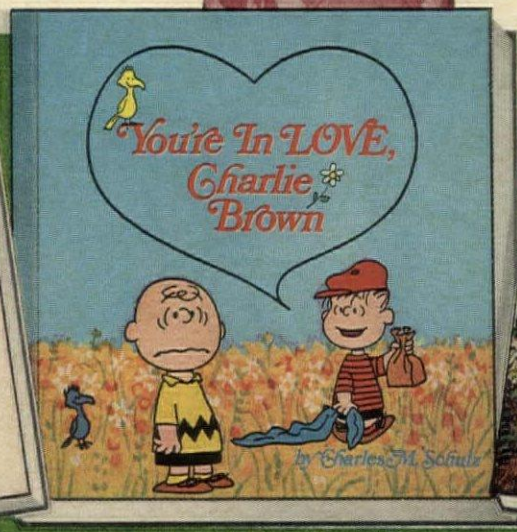
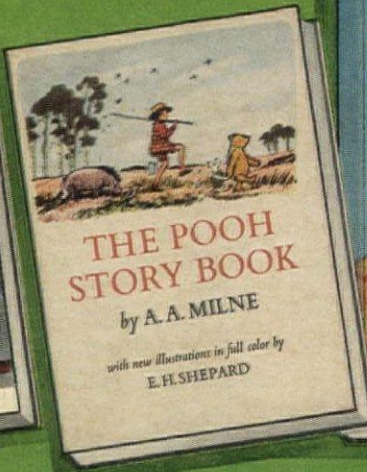
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ceiling.’

BY WILLIAM BALDWIN

I often wonder why even my most sophisticated clients—those who plan a room's colors, fabrics, furniture, and objects down to the last ashtray—almost always fail to look up. There was a time when the ceiling was the glory of a room. Think of those beautiful old ceilings in Italy and Spain, arched, sculpted, painted with stars. Or the great English Adam ceilings of the late eighteenth century, elaborately plastered and painted—ceilings so wonderful that carpeting was often woven to match. Today, with some striking exceptions, the ceiling is largely ignored.

It amazes me that in New York, the tall city with the short rooms, where people ought to be concerned with raising the roof, so many merely give the ceiling a lick of white paint and let it go at that. Unless the walls are stark white, too, white paint is guaranteed to bring that ceiling down all over your shoulders. Indeed, if you really want to lift the ceiling, you should paint it *darker* than the walls—anywhere from one tone darker to almost black. Then it will recede like a clear sky at midnight and be more dramatic. Many rooms in Latin countries where plaster-white walls prevail, have ceilings of sky blue or sea green. Not only does the color heighten the room, it also makes the room incredibly cool looking, and helps get rid of that old villain, glare.

Even a room with dark walls can have a dark ceiling if there are enough windows all around to give good crosslight. With only one exposure, though, a dark ceiling can be fatal. A friend of mine once painted his living room, with its single row of windows, a dark, shiny brown—ceiling and all. At night, it was magic. The ceiling disappeared right into the New York skyline, and the whole room sparkled. But during the day, you would open the door and see absolutely nothing but black, with glare at the far end. It was like living in the Holland Tunnel. My friend repainted his ceiling within a month. It is now a buff color, and that makes all the difference in the world. When a ceiling must be pale, even a few drops of the wall color in the ceiling white keeps the ceiling a comfort-

able distance away. To raise a light ceiling even more, install a narrow cornice molding painted to match the walls. In small rooms like entrance halls or dressing-room passageways where you don't stay very long, a delightful ceiling raiser is mirror. But I would never mirror the ceiling in a room where you linger very long—it's quite unnerving to glance up and see yourself standing on your head.

You can lower the ceiling with moldings or wallpaper

There are some rooms, believe it or not, whose ceilings are too high. Generally, the smaller the room, the lower the ceiling should be, to avoid the feeling that you're sitting in the bottom of a well. You can lower the ceiling physically by building a whole new one. One corridor I know has one wall of built-in cabinets, the other of paintings and drawings. The ceiling is unbleached muslin stretched on a frame. And above it, diffused by the muslin's irregular weave, is a row of lights directed at the pictures. That ceiling is functional, attractive, and gives the hall much better proportion. You can also lower the ceiling visually. The simplest way is to paint the cornice molding to match the ceiling, or install the molding a little way down the wall and paint everything from there up in the ceiling color.

Beams in ceilings were once considered such terrible eyesores that they were painted out at once, but they can be great assets. If you have plastered beams, you can wallpaper them or decorate them with stenciling. I've even gone so far as to paint the bottom of the beam pale blue, the sides green, and over each color, thin lines of scarlet. On the other hand, if the beams are only around the edges of a room, I recommend painting them the same color as the wall. They make a kind of frame for the furniture and look built in rather than stuck on. If you have wood beams, you can darken them, lighten them, wax them, paint them, or make them look old and rustic. And who says the panels between beams must be a single color, or even painted at all? One ceiling I know in Peru has wood beams and between them, a herringbone pattern of terra-cotta brick. Another ceiling is hung between pale beams with silver paper, glazed with amber to a bronzed, nonshiny glow.

A living ceiling

It is imagination that makes a ceiling, like anything else, something glorious. Recently I worked on one in Florida, a tray-shaped wood ceiling that rose from wall height to 20 feet, with exposed beams crisscrossing one another in marvelous patterns. We glazed the whole thing with clear transparent colors—deep blue and green for the beams, paler shades for the panels between. The result is striking: subtle color plus that beautiful wood grain. In another house I worked on, the bedroom ceiling is dominated by a huge circular skylight. I worried for a while that the couple might be disturbed by the early morning light streaming through, but to my great relief, they love it. Theirs is a living ceiling, thrilling as a thunderstorm, and as romantic as a starlit night.



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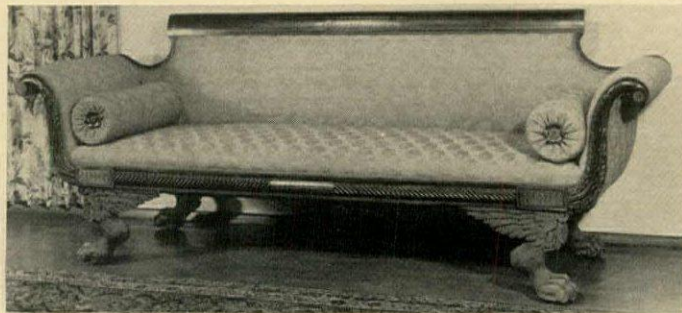


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AMERICAN EMPIRE SOFA

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J.B.L.—Pasadena, Calif.

Your sofa, designed in the Grecian manner, is in the American Empire style, dating around the 1820s. With its graceful lines and bold carving, it represents the finest quality of workmanship of that era. The sofa was probably made by a New York cabinetmaker.



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PLATES

My great grandmother bought these plates when the English home of the Empress Eugénie was vacated. Were they made for Napoleon III as I've been led to believe? I've included the design on the side and center of each plate. One stamp on the back says "E. Leveille, 74 Bt. Haussmann, Paris"; another, "B. W. M. & Co., Romeo."

R.C.—Stowe, Vt.

The Staffordshire potters Brown, Westhead, Moore & Co., who made your plates, worked at Caudon Place, Hanley, 1862-1904. They registered the pattern "Romeo" at the London Patent Office, January 25, 1868. Leveille was the Parisian shop where the plates were purchased, which makes it unlikely that they were made specifically for Napoleon III. They might have been owned by him, but to prove that would take considerable research—possibly a hunt through old bills and inventories.

In our small library, we have limited resources, and we're trying to identify this bronze turtle, hand-carved with a hole in the center top.

W.C., librarian—Cairo, Ga.



CHINESE WATER DROPPER

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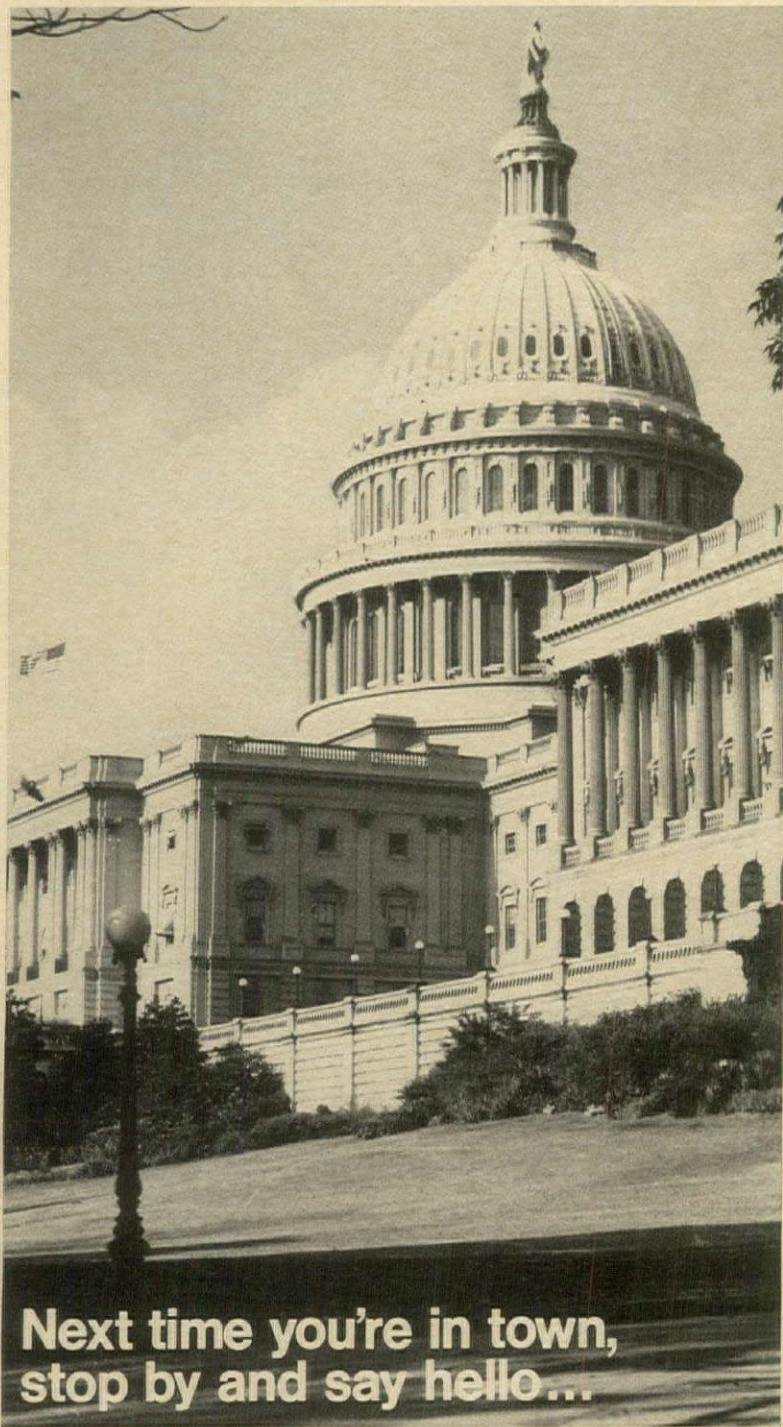
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THE WASHINGTON BEAUTY SCENE . . .

SOME ENDEARING PLACES

Washington is a city where visitors tend to feel extremely well with themselves. Attractive. Unfurled. Infused with the charisma of the Capital. For one thing we own the place (New York belongs to Them whoever They are, San Francisco belongs to Them, even Perth Amboy is Theirs but Washington is just simply Ours), and this gives a becoming, proprietary air to the way everybody walks, particularly on the broad sidewalks down near the seats of power.

Here is the Alabaster City side of Washington, white with marble that seems to be washed invisibly, daily, live with the incessant movement of fountains, heroic with Jefferson and Lincoln, green-green-green for many months with old, heavy trees and miles and miles of grass. Cropping most casually anywhere here—a quick call-up of the birth of this nation. As an example, there was a moment lately when the custodian of the house that belonged to Stephen (My Country Right or Wrong) Decatur stood in the beautiful Federal doorway and looked down to the White House across Lafayette Square. "This whole park," she explained, "was supposed to be part of that site, but Mr. Jefferson thought that that much grounds for a Presidential residence might be a little pretentious. So he decided against it."

This instinct—on a national scale—for the exact proportions of good manners is still part of the sensitivity of this city. Washington may not be all the way with Lord Chesterfield when he wrote "Everything is Best at Capitals, the best masters, the best companions, the best manners," but apart from the follies and vanities of politics, it does behave in a dependably easy, human way. For instance, a visitor wandering near the White House and seized with a longing to polish up her looks, might ordinarily hesitate to seek out the Best Place and just walk in cold. Not in Washington. Just a few blocks up Connecticut Avenue she can find a place where there is a particular kind of Washington excellence and absolutely no put on or put down. . . .

THE PLACE OF THE LITTLE RED DOOR Many pretty Government girls, quite a few Diplomatic ladies, most of the people who invent and reinvent the social scene and Mrs. Nixon—who has a tiny, tranquil pale pink room reserved for her—just naturally gravitate to Elizabeth Arden's. This long, low white place is actually two houses rambling together and Miss Mildred Gouthrie, who has been directing it for years, admits "It's a funny old building." But obviously no new, impersonal, steel and glass structure could ever reproduce this irreplaceable atmosphere—

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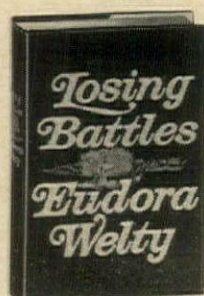
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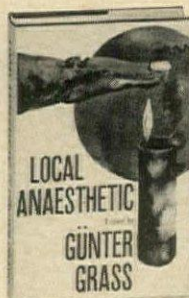


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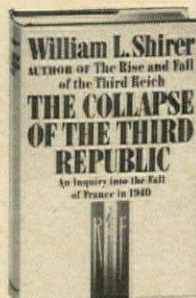
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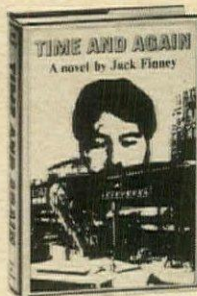
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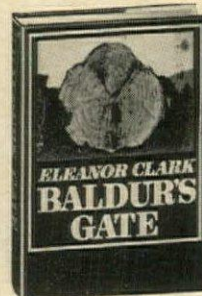
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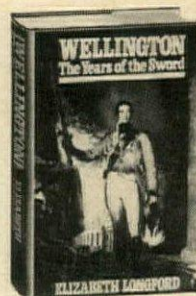
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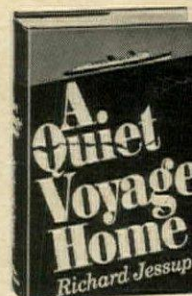
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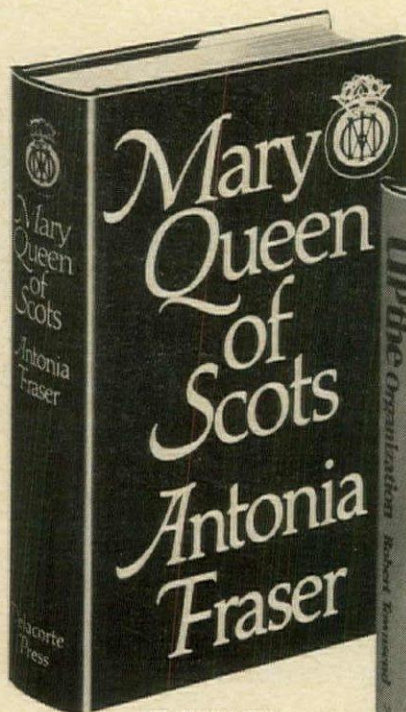
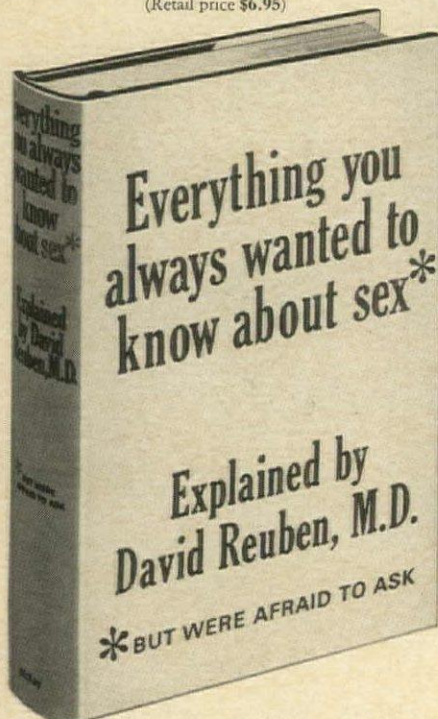


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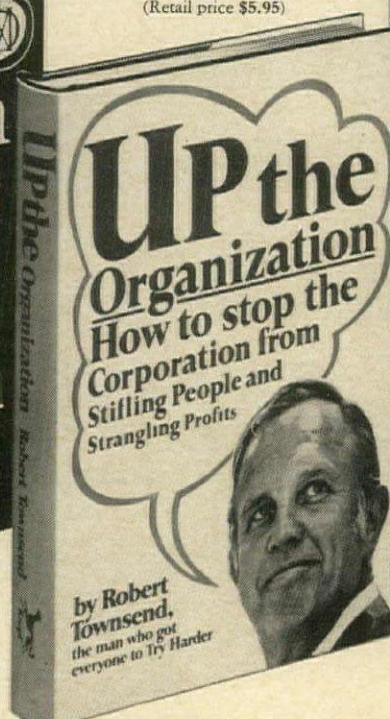


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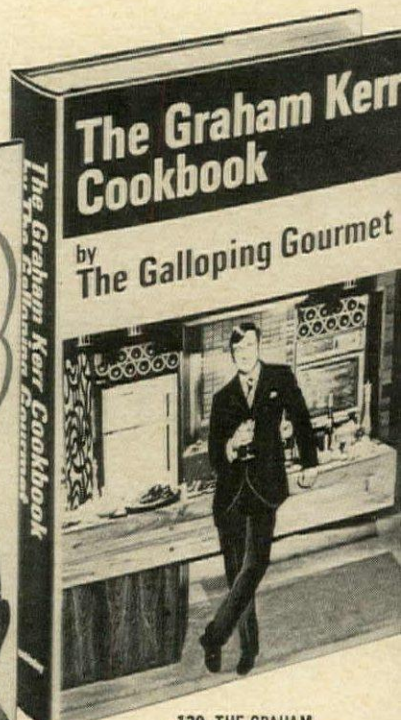
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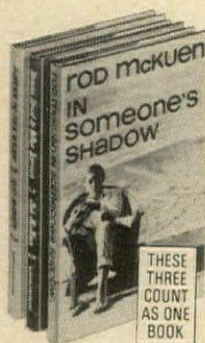


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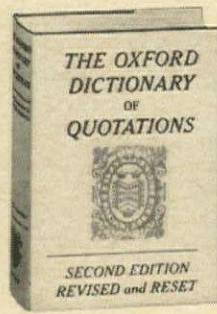


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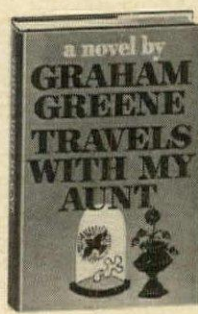
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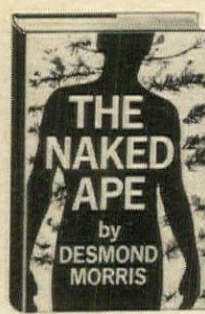
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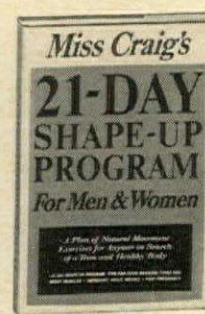
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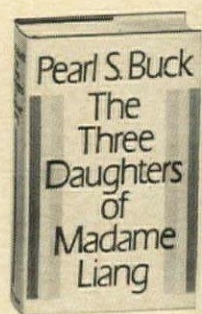
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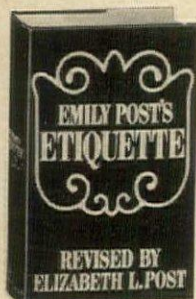
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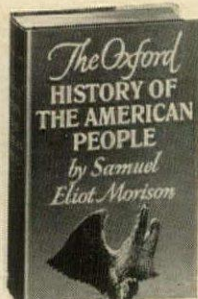
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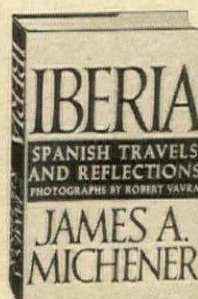
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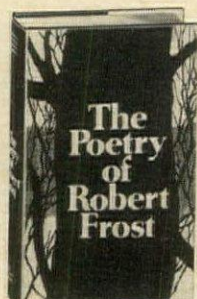
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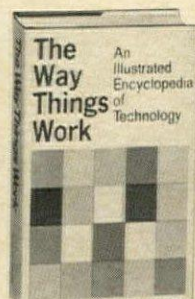
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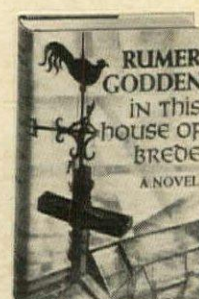
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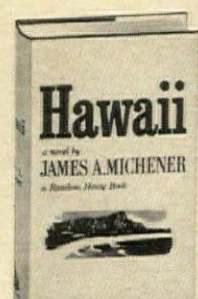
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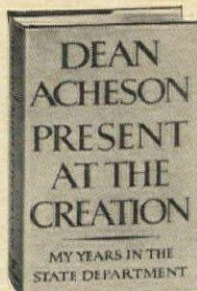
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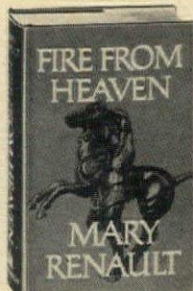
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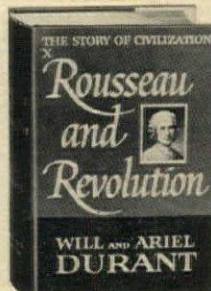
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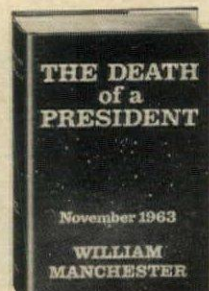
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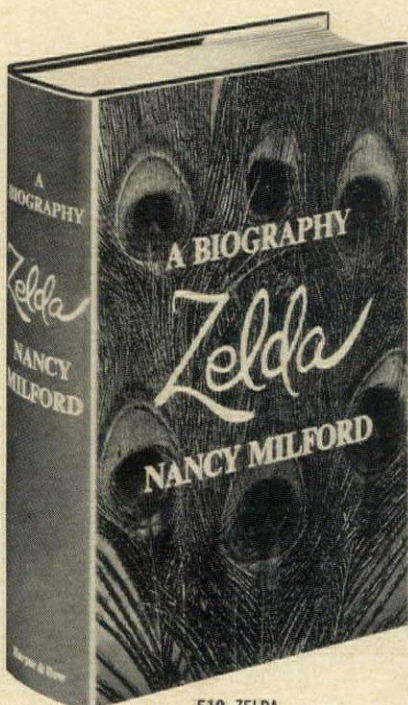
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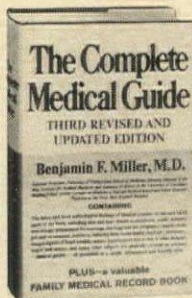
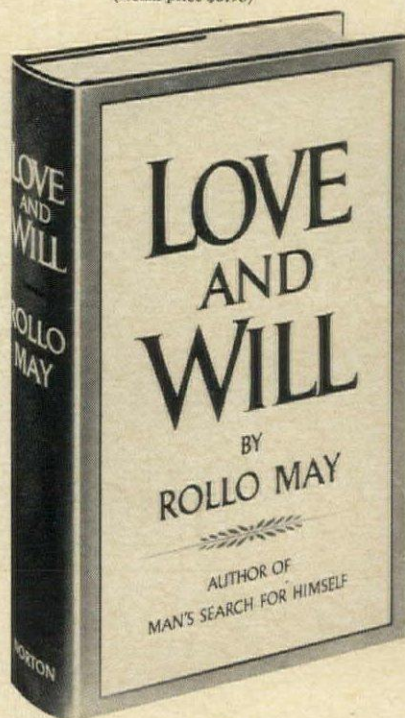


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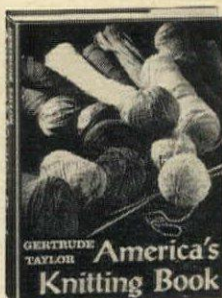


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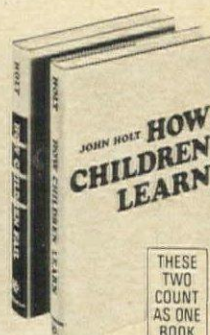
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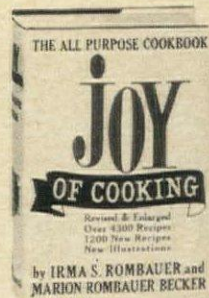
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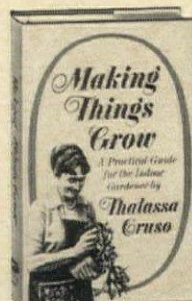
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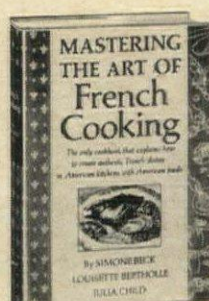
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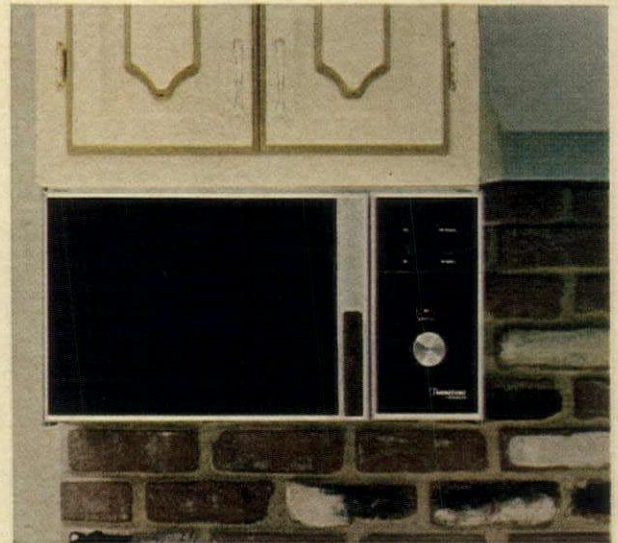
Conversations circle the twin problems of diet and exercise and who's lost weight now (everyone mentions Mrs. Mesta's new figure). Now one place that subscribes to all schools of exercise thought is the Watergate Health Spa, down near the river. Winding underground in the big Watergate Hotel this place is a cool, efficient, contemporary Baths of Caracalla. There's a magnificent large economy sized pool, sauna rooms, steam baths, a whirlpool massage bath, booths for body massage, rooms for supervised exercise, a sort of fun house room with every kind of mechanical exerciser dreamed of by the mad scientist, a sleep and rest and Yoga meditation area, an outdoor deck for sunning, and, leaving no exercise stone unturned, Yoga classes. There has been, particularly among students, a gradually increasing interest in this

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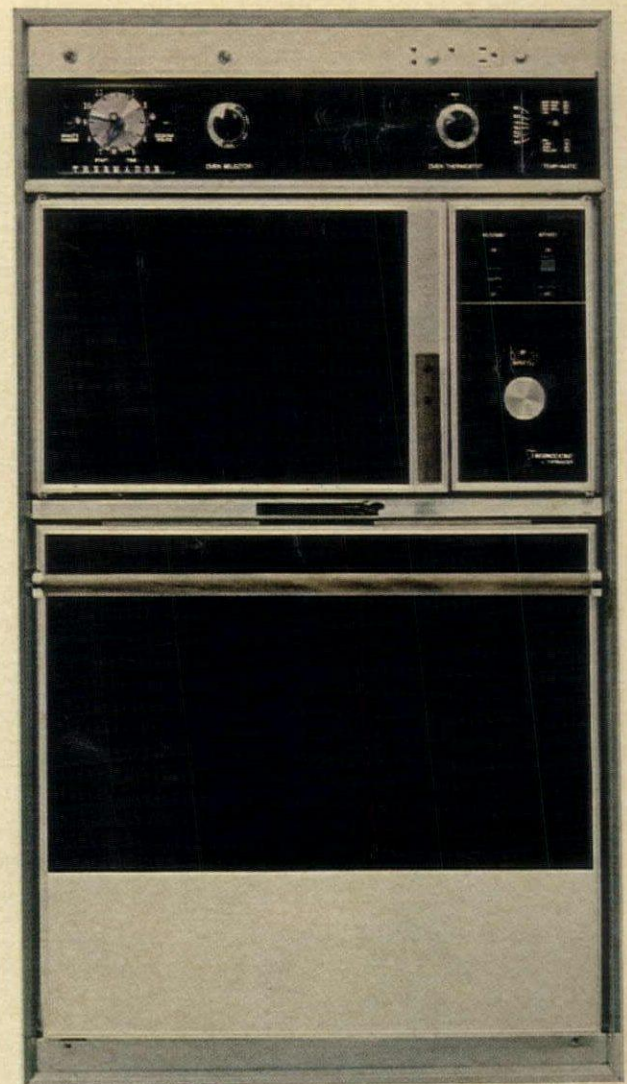


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Random thoughts on Moving to Washington from a Senator's wife

By Lorraine S. Cooper

EDITOR'S NOTE: *As the wife of the Senator from Kentucky, Mrs. John Sherman Cooper has lived in Washington, during the months when Congress has been in session, for over fifteen years. Before that, she was a diplomatic hostess in India while her husband was U.S. Ambassador there.*

Washington is unlike any other place in this country. It is not a state, it is not a county, it is simply a government town, and power in government is its concern. In other cities the president of a bank or a success story in any field is the yardstick of achievement. That achievement is often measured by money. Here the people who live on government salaries are comparatively poorer, and their success is measured by their political power in their states and in the capital.

In no other city do you meet such a mixture of people. I imagine the I.Q. here is higher than in any other place in the country. There are many knaves but few fools.

Washington is friendly because people in politics and government know the importance and rewards of good manners—but also very impersonal. As there is a huge turnover with every new administration, people are glad to see you come and often utterly unaware of your departure. Newcomers to Washington must make their own way. For anyone moving into this odd limbo, here are a few suggestions.

If possible, try to live in Washington itself. The big advantage of being in town is mobility. During your first year here, you may be invited to join a number of different groups. My advice is to join everything. Later you can decide what is most interesting to you.

Never underestimate the importance of protocol. All government people have a certain rank, and recognizing this helps you throughout every difficult social situation. You do not have to worry about how to seat a dinner. You simply call the Protocol Division of the State Department. No one can be annoyed by where

he is placed as that is where he belongs.

The Social List, known to all as the Green Book, by Carolyn Hagner Shaw, lists every government official and member of Congress and states the official precedence starting with the President and going down to the ordinary citizen. Everyone who has lived here knows this, and the only people who will tell you it is silly are those who do not have any rank at all. Believe them not.

An incorrectly placed government official will hopefully be polite enough not to mention your faux pas, but he won't forget it.

Administrations come and go, but the continuity in Washington is preserved by the Supreme Court, Senate, House of Representatives and governmental departments. Of course, the whole town is not made up of transients. The "cliff dwellers" have lived here since Washington was founded, and their lives are comparable to those in any other city of the United States. They too have had a native-son President—George Washington.

Political Washington has ironically been called a town made up of successful men and the women they married when they were young. Do not be deceived. The cement of Washington's political and social life is the wives of these successful men.

It isn't clothes that count here, it's power, brains, and ability. And a wife can use these talents at home just as her husband can at work. This is why you hear so much about Washington entertaining, which is usually a continuation of government concerns. For example, when a foreign minister arrives in Washington, his embassy will arrange a dinner with the U. S. officials who are his counterpart.

That is also why you hear so much about Washington food. The French Embassy is especially noted for its cuisine. Madame Lucet, wife of the Ambassador, sent me the menu for the dinner that the President and Madame Pompidou gave in honor of the President and Mrs. Nixon at the Embassy.

It was a formal state dinner with guests seated at an E-shaped table. The menu: Homards grillés Maître d'Hôtel, Baron de Pauillac Vert Pré, Foie gras des Landes, Fromages de France, Soufflé glacé à la framboise, Riesling "Les Murailles" 1967, Château Margaux 1959, Romanée Saint-Vivant 1959, Dom Pérignon 1962.

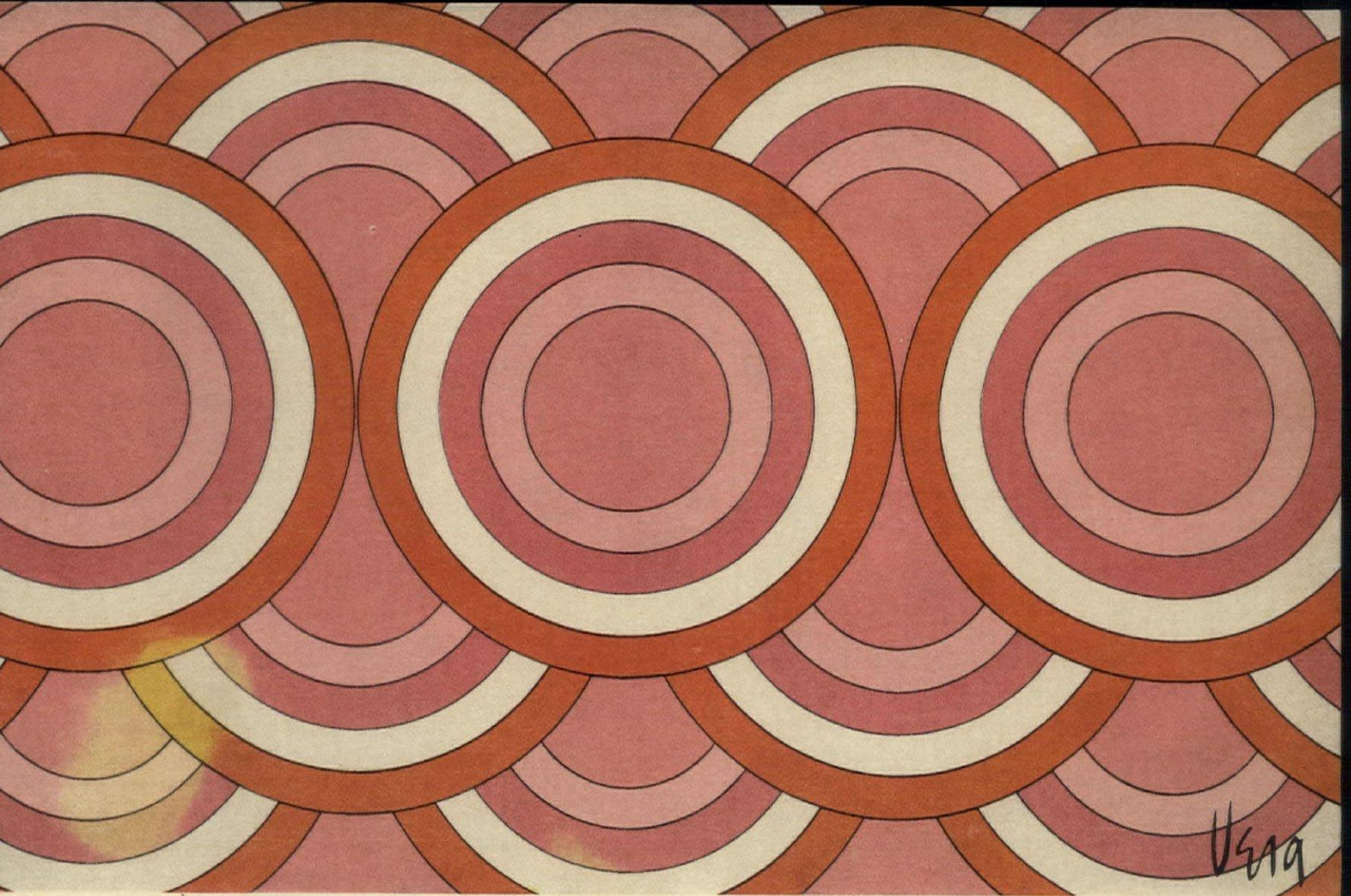
For American cuisine, I consider the dinners (for from four to twenty-four guests) given by Alice Roosevelt Longworth the best. Her menu rarely changes: Crab meat soup, Filet of beef or saddle of lamb, Vegetables, Tiny hot biscuits, Salad and cheese, Vanilla mousse served with Vermont maple syrup.

You read a great deal about entertaining for large numbers in Washington, but often the most valued invitations are to small dinners where policy is made when, alas, the ladies leave the room. These usually consist of from eight to twelve guests and vary from seated to buffet to a combination of the two, with help provided by waiters who come out for the night from the catering establishments. Every hostess arranges her dinner in the way easiest for her household.

The minute the first azalea comes into blossom, spring fever hits the town, and until the winter frost, many parties are held out of doors as there are so many large and small gardens in Washington. Our postage stamp of a garden becomes another living-dining room where we can serve breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

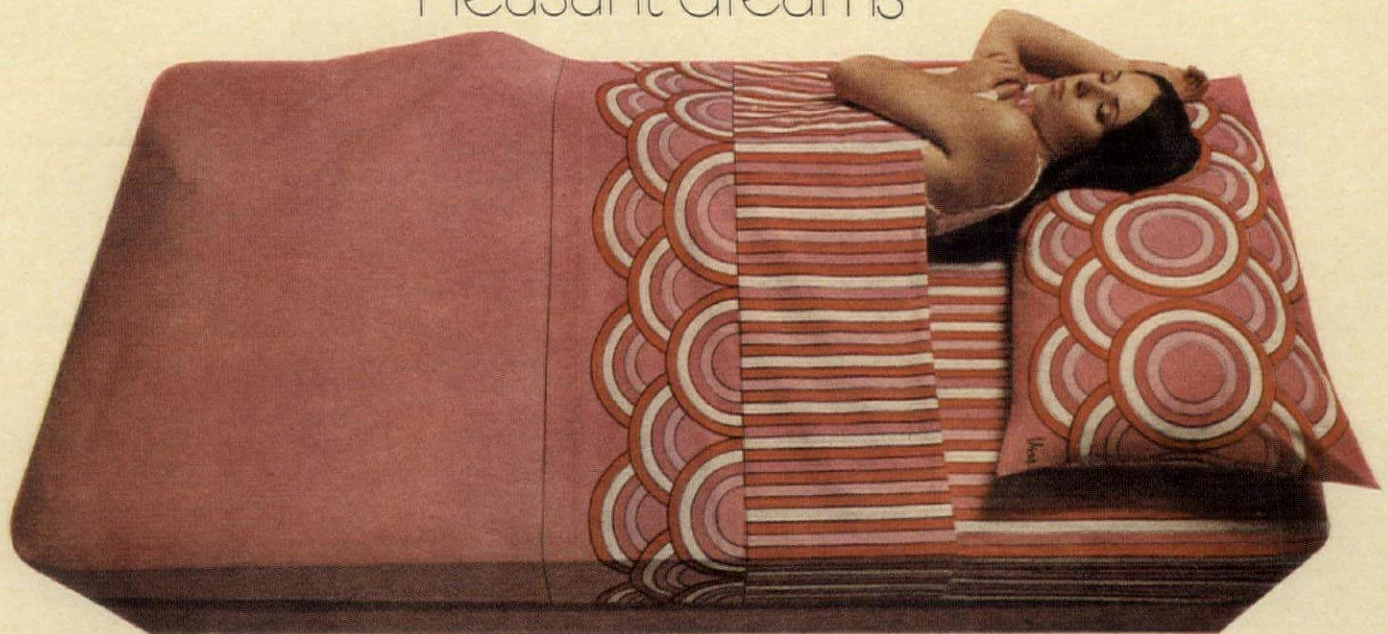
William Walton in his book *The Evidence of Washington* quoted me as saying something I believe is true:

"Washington is like those Chinese boxes that contain another box and then another and another. Each one you open is, you're sure, the last one, but then you find there's still something else, something more inside. You can feel it. I've lived here many years, and I still keep opening new boxes. I begin to wonder if I'll ever open the final one—or if there is one."



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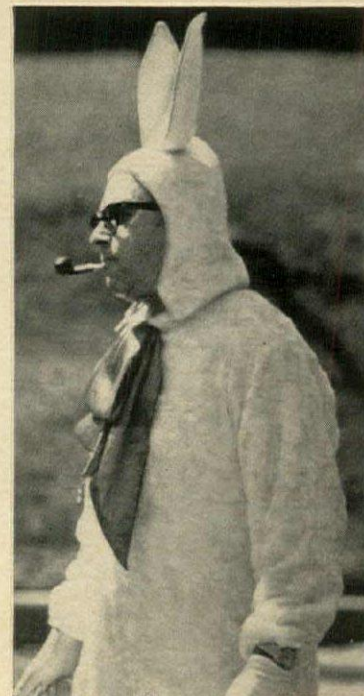
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A man of unlimited words, Art Buchwald always has a phrase for everybody—war watchers, revolutionaries, happy householders—most of which turn up in his world-wide syndicated newspaper columns. Having learned from inside sources that he also had an uncommonly efficient home-maintenance system, House & Garden interviewed him at his house in the Wesley Heights section of Washington, D. C.—a meticulously kept, French-inspired house surrounded by a manicured lawn and spotless swimming pool. Seated on a silk sofa in his comfortable living room, Mr. Buchwald divulged his carefully researched method.

What inspired you to work out your home-maintenance system? "I have this philosophy that there are millions of people who were born to do physical work and a few who were born not to. I consider myself one of the fortunate ones born not to. Shortly after my marriage, I discovered that my wife was born to labor, and I encouraged this. In fact, I began to train her to do things around the house—repairing, gardening, all the heavy work. I'm not cruel about this. I think it's made a better woman of her."

You mean domestic labor is character building? "That's it. I consider it character building and people are constantly congratulating me on what a fine character my wife has. They do not realize that it comes from my careful training. Incidentally, I was in the Marine Corps, and that's where I got this ability to train people."

Do many men ask you how you do it? "Yes, lots of men ask me. I'm very much admired by my friends. The thing that flabbergasts them the most is how I can get away without driving a car. Some men have been able to get their wives to do some type of hard work, but I'm the only one in the crowd who also doesn't drive. I blame most divorces on husbands doing too much work around the house and not letting their wives do it because if a wife doesn't have enough work to do around the house or in the garden or on the lawn, she starts thinking about her situation, and then she gets very upset with it. I have almost an acre of land here and that can keep any woman busy. I have a feeling that's why my wife has stuck along this long—she hasn't had time to think about her situation."

Do you give her much guidance? "I'm always here on a consultancy basis, and that's very helpful to her. I think she's grateful. I've also helped her get started in many new fields—cleaning the swimming pool, for example. I showed her what valve she had to turn on and off."

Have you helped her in any other outdoor projects? "I think that behind every woman cutting the grass, there should be a man urging her on. Now one thing we do in this family is to play touch football, and that's why I want her to keep the lawn manicured. She doesn't play in the games. She's just in charge of the grounds. She has to supply the beer and food and stuff. And she does it quite well. But I think it's sort of nice to say to your wife—instead of 'would you cut the lawn?'—'would you cut the playing field?'"

It sounds like more fun. "Right. The trick is never make your wife think that it's work. You can't be too obvious about what you're doing. You have to use great subtlety. You might call out from an upstairs window 'It looks beautiful, Mother' or 'My God, you got all the grass by the tree. I never thought you'd get it.'"

You urge her on with encouragement and praise? "That's what wives really want—encouragement and praise. The greatest mistake most men make is not taking a few minutes now and then to admire their wives' work. There's no reason why you can't stop during the commercial of a TV golf game and give her some encouragement. Many men act like plantation owners—the women think they're slaves, which becomes a problem."

What about the Women's Liberation movement? "If there is going to be a Women's Liberation movement, I think it should start in the garden. I can't think of any better way for women to work off this desire for freedom than with crab grass and lawn mowers. I'm very sympathetic with women who want their place in the sun—particularly when the sun is shining on my property. I think if the Women's Lib is going to work, the women are going to have to learn to do these things. I'm giving my wife very good training. She knows how to repair a lawn mower, how to drive, and how to replace

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the parts in a washing machine. What else is there to Women's Liberation? Oh, there are some spoilsports who say I'm exploiting my wife, but actually I'm training her to be brave. She has some time off and icebox privileges."

Does she ever complain? "Yes, there are occasions, I must admit, when my wife goes a little bit berserk and says 'All I'm doing around here is running a hotel!' But I can spot these moments about forty-eight hours before they come, and then I might recommend a trip to New York to buy some grass seed or a new power saw she has set her heart on. I have bought her a toolbox on occasion. That's the kind of thing I encourage in my wife—creativity."

What about little things around the house, like decorating? "About decorating I always have two words to say to her: 'How much?' But I find she and the decorator both lie to me. She knows I'm wise to the decorator, so she has sort of stopped asking my advice. See those fabric samples over there in the chair—they've been there for about six months. As a matter of fact that might be a clever decorating system—just to get samples and throw them on the chairs as if you're about to redecorate. A good tip for people who can't afford to redecorate."

What happens if you're going to entertain? Do you ever help with parties? "Yes. I'll give you a perfect example of how we operate. We have a very big Easter party for about 175 people. I'm the Easter bunny. We split the duties. My wife gets the food,

she gets the help, she gets the caterer, she sets up the tables, puts up the decorations, gets the eggs dyed, and I rent the bunny suit. So that's where we do the sharing. That's togetherness."

Does she come as an Easter bunny too? "No, she does the labor and I'm the bunny. But that's show business."

Do you have any advice for Mr. Nixon? "No, I don't. Until you brought it up I forgot that the Nixons live in Washington. Yes, they do live here. Well, you know there's a twenty minute attention span in this country on any subject. It used to be called beautification, now it's called ecology. I think Lady Bird did a good job of getting the ball rolling."

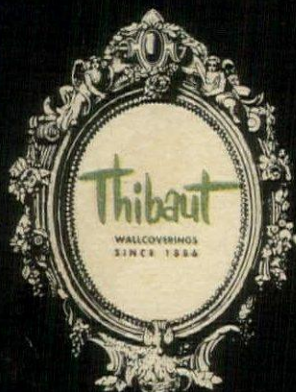
Would you send your wife out to work on something like that? "No, we have enough ecology to do right around here. Conservation starts at home, and if you can keep the grass growing and the trees blooming and the paint from cracking, you've done your job."

So on the whole, you feel your system is a success? "Look at this: We've been married eighteen years and this thing is working. Whatever I'm doing, I'm doing right. It gives me time to become better acquainted with things that are much more important. What it really boils down to is who's going to paint that fence. I think that's what it's all about. That's what marriage is all about. Who is going to paint that fence?"

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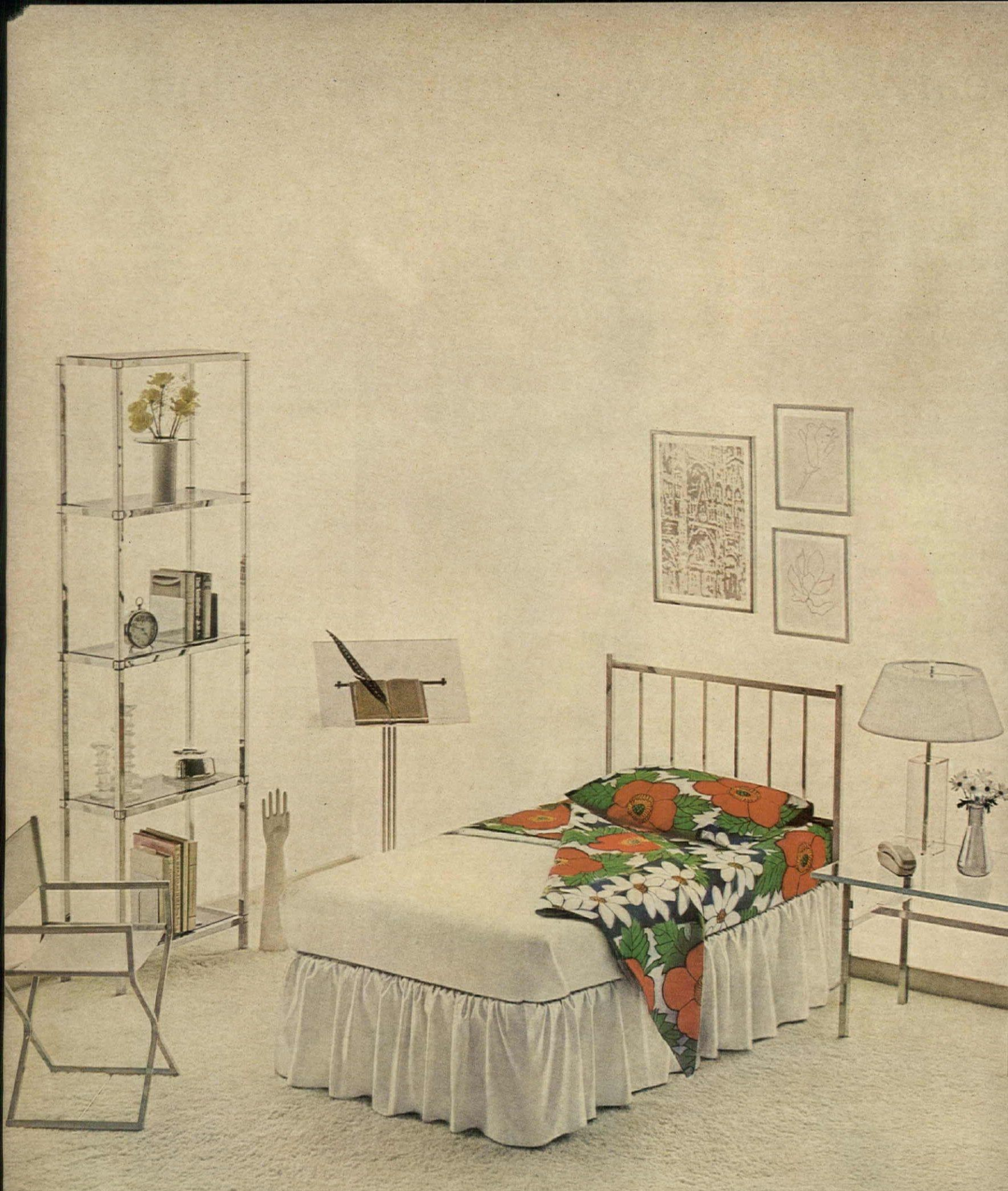
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to move away from Washington to Athens, Ga. (where the former Secretary of State will be University of Georgia's Samuel H. Sibley Professor of International Law), has been actively involved in planning a repeat of this year's new feature of the American Field Service's student program: bringing foreign high school students to live with families within the city and attend urban schools. ... One day a week, **Mrs. Edward P. Morgan** is making rounds of the maternity ward of D. C. General Hospital talking to new mothers about various methods of birth control, making arrangements for each to be given detailed advice when she returns for her six-week check-up. Working as a volunteer for Planned Parenthood-World Population, Mrs. Morgan, in the fall, goes on the national board. ... **Mrs. Henry Strong** is overseeing upwards of thirty helpers following up on the hundred calls a day that come into the City Hall Complaint Center, Washington's local branch of "Call for Action." "Now that the children are grown, we just take off a week here, a week there," says Mrs. Strong; "...makes for a fractured summer but a happy one." By pleasant coincidence, her co-chairman, **Mrs. Madison Jones** is planning to be in town—and ready to take over—during exactly the period when the Strongs will be away. ... **Mrs. Gilbert Hahn, Jr.,** and **Mrs. Robert H. Finch** are talking over plans for a reprise of the "Clothing for Children" project they organized last year. Having discovered that over 10,000 children who should be going to school were not because they had no clothes, the two government wives "mobilized the troops," lined up local police stations as deposit centers, collected children's clothes from all over town, distributed them to eighty-five of the city's elementary schools. They also raised \$15,000 in cash, which they spent on shoes, buying them virtually at wholesale. "It took three months of slugging," said Mrs. Hahn, "but we were helped enormously by Station WTOP, the CBS outlet here—they ran radio and TV spots for us every day for a month. This situation—ghetto children without clothes—must exist in every big city in the country. I wish more people would do more about it."

THAT'S HOW WASHINGTON IS....

A mini-mirror-image of the U.S. To begin with, the city is made up of people from all over the country (when you include the diplomatic community, from all over the world). It is neither a Northern city, nor a Southern city. Among the people responsible for its chief product—government—there is an impressive range in age all the way from senior statesmen to the bright young lawyers on Capitol Hill. And an impressive range in jobs from the highest federal officials to the most modest members of the working press, a can't-live-without-them sector of the capital's community. Even Washington's weather ranges representatively from Minneapolis cold (not, to be sure, for long) to New Orleans heat and humidity. Small wonder that you find in Washington all life styles, all kinds of homes, a cross section in fact of the way Americans live and entertain today. On the following pages you will see how people—official and unofficial—are living attractively in Washington in 1970.

Rooms they love to live in

Somewhere in almost every house there is a room so personal, or so beautiful, or both, that it is loved with almost the affection one would give to a human being. This is as true in Washington as it is anywhere else, and in the rooms here and on the following pages, you will find the stamp of three life styles, three ways of creating aliveness with inanimate objects. Since favorite rooms become so for an infinity of reasons, the first of our trio is almost autobiographical in that everything in it is a memento of travel, of living abroad, of a long slow accumulation of possessions that could no more be parted with than old friends. In the second, the owner indulges two passions: collecting porcelains and *objets d'art*, most of them Chinese, all very old, and arranging them side by side with modern paintings in a juxtaposition that is as harmonious as it is unexpected. The lady of the third house shuttles between *two* favorite rooms—one a garden-room annex of the other—as her mood impels her, exchanging soft luscious color, the sensuous silkiness of fabric, and the beautiful glow of paintings for hot color, simple furniture, and a little forest of greenery. To ask why these women love their rooms is to ask a mother why she loves her child. For each has created something all her own and no one else's.

THE DAVID K. E. BRUCES

‘We use our living room for everything. It’s filled with things we’ve collected from everywhere we’ve lived.’

“We added this room to the house—it’s 24 by 35 feet—before we left for London, but we didn’t do the decorating until we got back last year,” explains Mrs. Bruce, referring to the family’s eight years in Great Britain while her husband was U. S. Ambassador there. “To me it seems very different from our living room in London, but our friends say it has the same feeling—very personal and lived in. Of course, we have some of the same things here. The painting over this sofa [where she is sitting, right] is one of a set of four seventeenth-century Dutch panels that we got in Paris. Those white and gold chairs? I love them, too. They’re English Regency. We found them in a little country antique shop in England—already covered in that wonderful gold silk.”

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another of the Dutch panels, *opposite page*, hangs in the Bruces' living room over a settee of extraordinary shape, covered with seventeenth-century Dutch trompe l'oeil needlepoint. In another corner, *below*, a Chinese paper screen and a table covered with eighteenth-century Mid-Eastern fabric, perhaps Circassian.



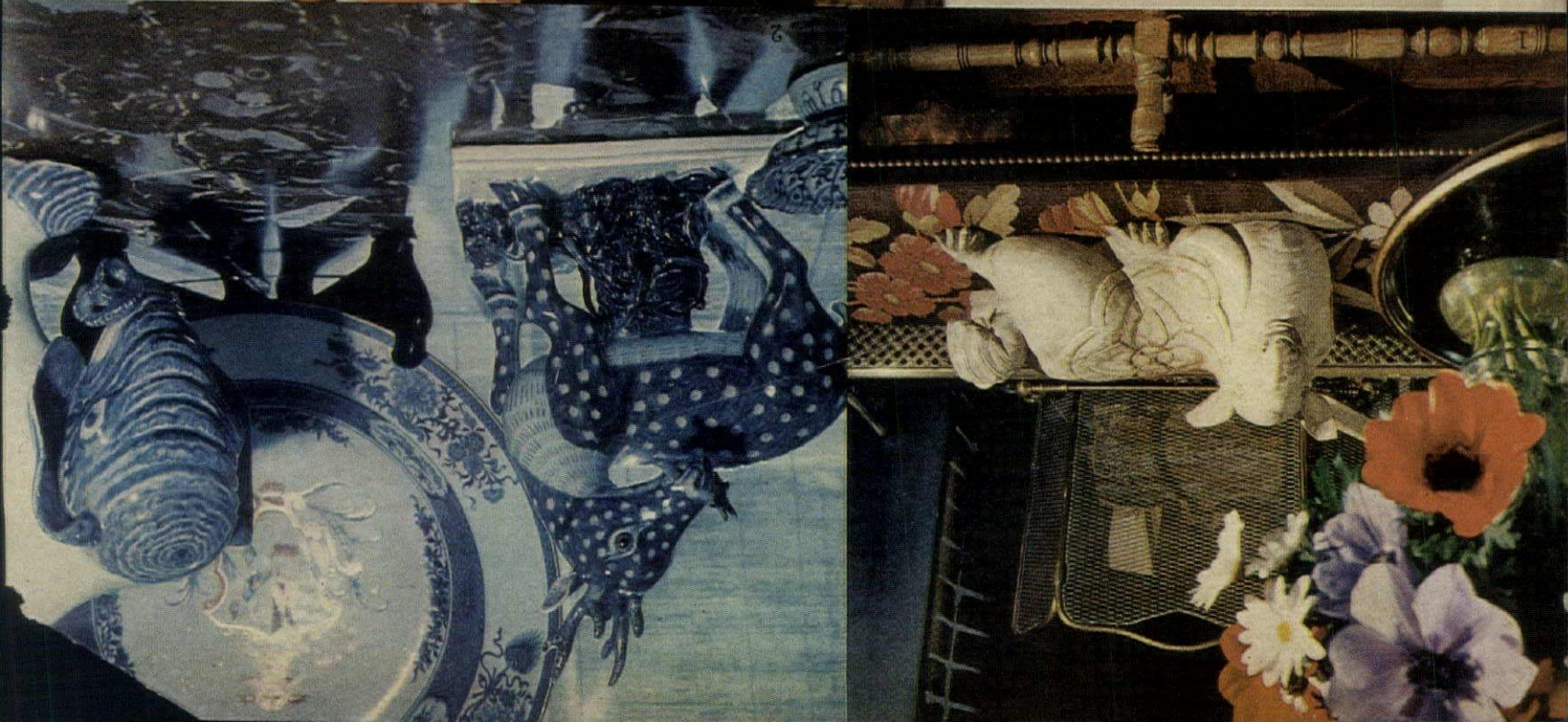
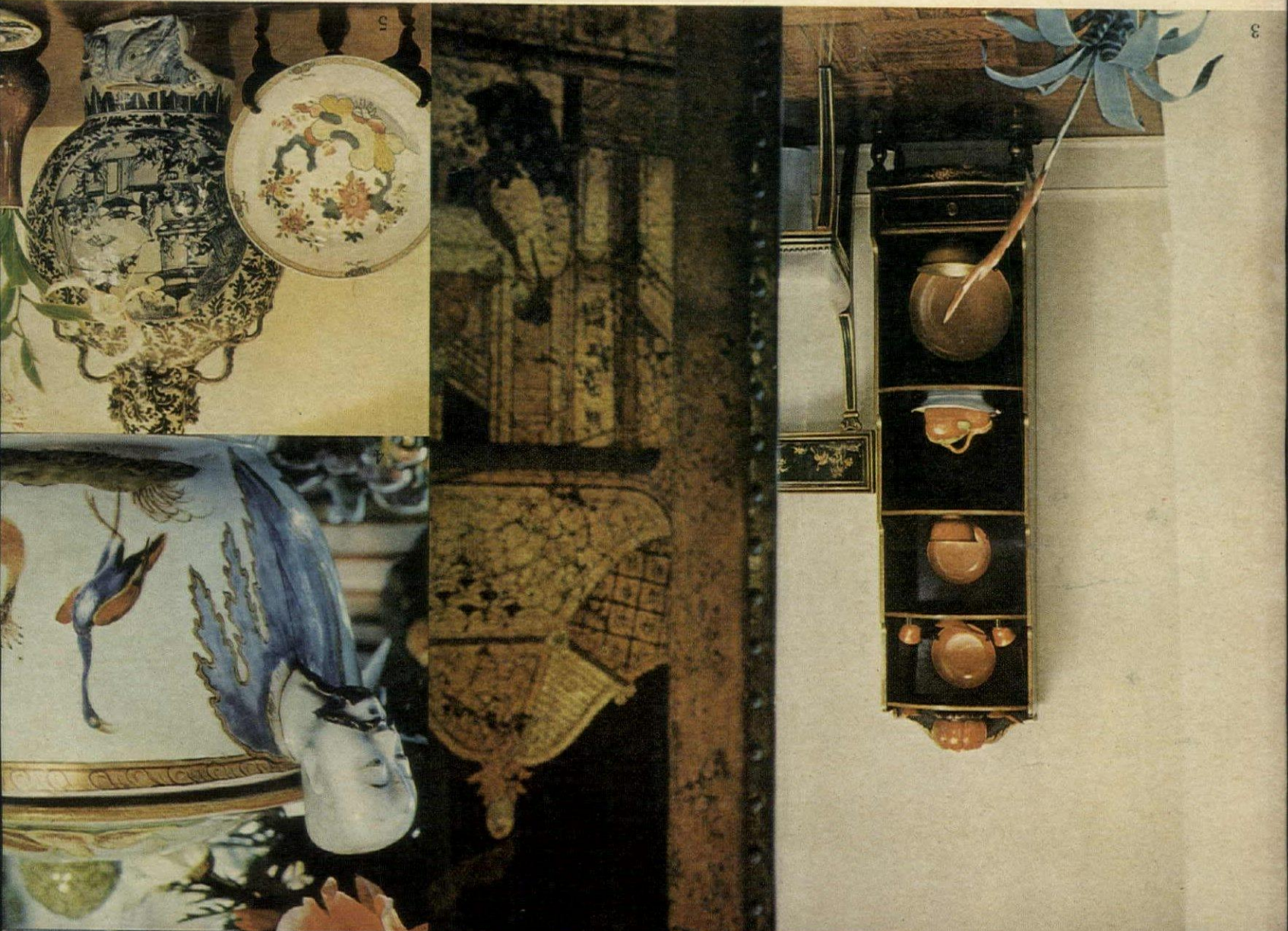
“It’s a big room, so we arranged it to break up into small pockets.”



Many of the objects in their Washington living room have moved around as much as the Bruces: He was U. S. Ambassador to France in the early fifties and to West Germany in the late fifties as well as to Great Britain in the sixties. “My favorite thing in the whole room,” says Mrs. Bruce, “is that painted wooden panel over the curved-back sofa [above]. We got that while we were in London. It’s Louis Quatorze—a French warship with ropes modeled in gesso—and the frame is of the same period. The sofa came from London, too. And the fringe on the curtains. Actually, they were made when the room was built—they’re part Thai silk, part taffeta. But the walls were white. When I came home last year, I tried every color I could think of with the lime curtains and finally decided on this watermelon. We found the mantel [opposite page] in Charleston, S. C.—it had come out of an old house there. The painting is Flemish. That long rug? It’s Bessarabian. Aren’t the designs naïve? They look even odder the closer you get to them.”







A singular blend of wit, erudition, and humanitarianism, Mrs. Mahoney studied to be a doctor, stopped only because "in my day, ladies were doctors. *That* theory has been disproved." She entertains a good deal, works constantly on health committees ("I was lobbying for birth control when the subject was almost taboo.") and occasionally jets off to Portugal to search for chiniserie. "It's the best place. They were the first traders with China and brought back the cream." Sometimes she goes to Bangkok, where she found the temple-step ram, 1, she tethers to a needlepoint bench. She is fond of arranging little still lifes with, say, a K'ang Hsi stag, an elephant, and a chop plate, 2. In the dining room, 3, *sang-de-bou* porcelain sits in an *étagère* next to a Regency chair from Brighton. Her most prized possession, 4, is a tureen made for the Marquis of Bute in 1750. Its handles are Chinese heads—benign, amused. A Tobacco Leaf pattern vase and plate, 5, make a little garden with a Strawberry pattern mug—all K'ang Hsi, and a Baltimore cabinet in the garden room, *opposite page*, holds a dazzling collection of K'ang Hsi—all blue and white.

a house designed two decades ago to look ten times its age outside, essentially young inside, Mrs. Stephenson Mahoney lives with a charming mixture of modern paintings and antique porcelains. In an upstairs sitting room, *opposite page* and *above*, hung over a boxwood garden (the Potomac a close neighbor), she shuffles her treasures with the skill of a stage designer—grouping colors, silhouetting shapes. "The Japanese god in the window is ninth century, and he's stepping on a devil, like St. George and the dragon. The hedgehog on the floor is Wedgwood, and you can grow things out. The flower holders in the window are K'ang Hsi porcelain, early eighteenth century. The low tea table is the kind of lacquer that looks neither red or black, but both." Across the room, *above*, is a huge James Witty oil. (Continued)

My favorite room is a mixture of modern paintings and antique porcelain.

MRS. STEPHENSON MAHONEY

ROOMS THEY LOVE TO LIVE IN





Clutter,
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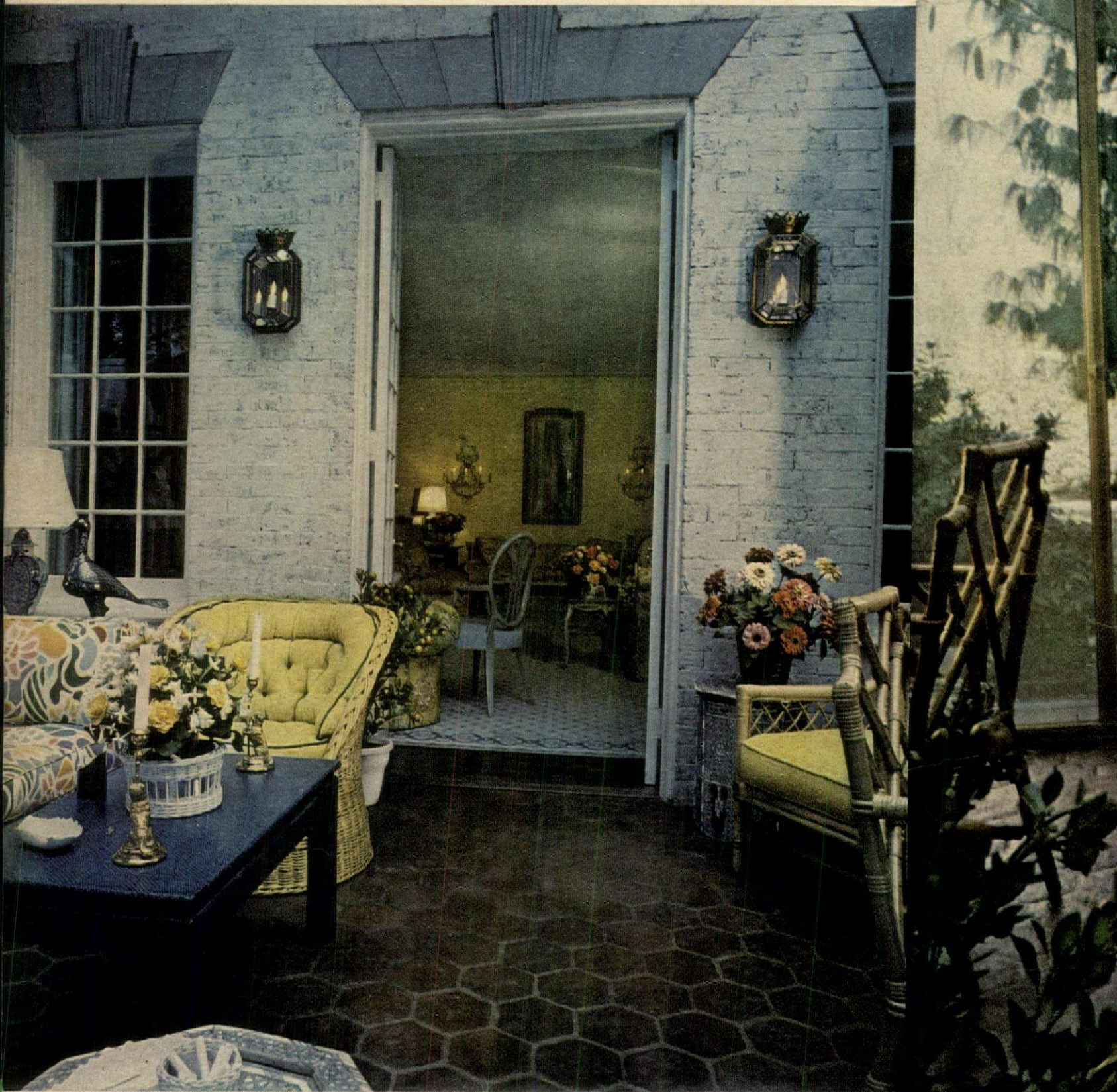
ROOMS THEY LOVE TO LIVE IN

MRS. MELLON BYERS

"You wouldn't believe it," says Mrs. Mellon Byers, "but this house is forty years old and, in the sense of lack of light, a shady customer. Somehow, sunshine had to come from somewhere, hence the yellow living room, which, thanks to Sister Parrish [Mrs. Henry Parrish II of Parrish-Hadley, Inc.] looks young and bright and makes me feel the same way. [Mrs. Byers is all of twenty-eight.] The yellow is really laid on—glazed yellow walls that they combed with a curry comb, I *think*, to get the striated finish; a yellow background for the furniture fabric, and yellow faille curtains. They're faced on the window side with powder blue, so pretty when you're out in the garden room and nice for the neighbors. The blue and white rug steps up the freshness—or will, until the dogs send it to the cleaners. There are four of them, three Pokes and a sort of Labrador, and they rule the roost. They also like the furniture, which is very comfortable—about all I ask of furniture. Paintings I love, and I ask a great deal of them. That's a Pissarro over the mantel, and there's a Bonnard at the other end of the room, a Redon in the library, and a Fantin-Latour in the dining room. In a way, they're my Chippendale and Hepplewhite." (Continued)

'my living room is full of flowers and a yellow so sunny it makes me feel the same way.'

‘The garden room is my ivory tower.’



A terrace that “was nothing much but hot” Mrs. Byers replaced with a glassed-in garden room (see it again on our cover) “where I practically live. It’s very cool, and the dogs love to stretch out on the floor. Or on me. This is Adam, who is very loving and very wise. The floor tiles came from Portugal, and I wish a Portuguese had come with them to lay them. Very difficult. And this is one of my favorite fabrics. I wanted something really wild and finally found it. Sister Parrish was a little startled, but she said as long as the colors were repeated in the living room in a *gentle* way, it would work. People are fond of this room, and we lunch out here a lot. I like formal dinners, but only for twelve. When you have exactly twelve dining chairs, that settles *that*. For more people, we do a buffet, and eat where we like. My idea of fun is a *really* relaxed Sunday lunch with a quiche or something grilled in the garden, salad, and strawberries that have spent the night in a bowl of wine. So easy, and somehow, so refreshing. I like candles and glitter and a lot of flowers, but on a hot, lazy weekend, almost nothing can touch a real hair-down, feet-up lunch out here.”

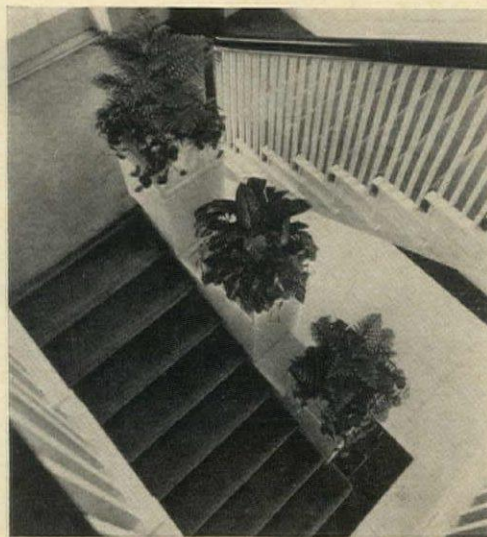




From Washington's
houses, gardens,
parties

Ideas you'd love to live with

towering garden room, built on the 14-foot-wide strip of land between the 1810 Georgetown house of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Evans, Jr., and the house next door, gives the syndicated columnist and his family a place to be "outdoors" the year round under glass. The 25-foot-high room is heated by hot-water pipes under its slate floor and by hot air above—and cooled in summer. Architect: Albert G. Mumma, Jr.; Landscape architect: Lester A. Collins.



Leafy sentinels growing in square planters guard the stairway at the James Biddles'. He is Director of the National Trust for Historic Preservation.



Black and white for dinner on the terrace overlooking the swimming pool at the Arthur Wendell Gardners': Mrs. Gardner serves cocktails at one end, sets a table at the other end with dashing polka-dot vinyl mats, zebra patterned plates, six-sided Mexican hurricanes.

From an oval dining table in an oval dining room, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klotz's guests look through a wide doorway into a light bright garden room brimming with potted plants and hanging baskets.



IDEAS YOU'D LOVE TO LIVE WITH
continued

African masks and artifacts brought back from numerous safaris are displayed in a room of their own in the house of The Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Stans.



Long-legged bamboo chairs around an oval bar in the Mandel Ourisman pool house provide perches from which guests can keep tabs on swimmers while listening to the record player housed in the armoire nearby.

Gothic arched bookcases lined with marbled paper circle the library in the Victorian house of the Honorable and Mrs. Robert H. Charles. They were designed by Grace Fakes of McMillen, Inc.



Antique Sèvres 1792 for Prince Louis de Rohan was Mrs. Merriweather Post's personal choice for a small luncheon on the octagonal table of her octagonal breakfast room. The Chandelier was made for the Palace of Pavlovsk near Leningrad. Potted orchids around bay window get extra light from mirrors on ceiling of bay and beside it. Last year Mrs. Post deeded her collection and its spectacular collections to the Smithsonian Institution.

Enclosing a porch at the back of Kentucky Senator and Mrs. John Sherman Cooper's house with translucent vinyl sheets turns it into a conservatory in winter, makes it possible to leave open the French doors of the adjoining library.





Bold black and white grid marks off the plank floor of the hunt room The Under Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Warner added to the house on their working farm in nearby Virginia. Floor pattern was first scored with an electric needle, then painted.



A screening room in the basement of the Jack J. Valenti's house is where the President of the Motion Picture Association of America and Mrs. Valenti show films before taking their guests upstairs for a buffet supper.



HORST



Sofa in a niche makes the most of the space in Mrs. Frank G. Wisner's library. She had bookshelves built against every available inch of one wall, leaving only enough free to accommodate sofa.

A family sitting room plus a greenhouse was the result of enclosing and air conditioning a porch at the William R. Merriams'. He is a vice-president of A.T.&T. Roof over greenhouse end consists of wood louvers topped by frosted glass.



Oval ceiling recess tops

an oval bay looking out on the swimming pool
from the slate-floored game room in the house of
Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs.
Charles A. Meyer. Architect, Dean Philpot;
interior designer, George Doan.



A terraced garden for dining at top level, cocktailing at mid level—both to the tinkle of fountains in lower-level pools—fills a slope outside the house of the Honorable and Mrs. Norman S. Paul. He was formerly Under Secretary of The Air Force.



IDEAS YOU'D LOVE
TO LIVE WITH
continued

A stairwell is a showcase for citations, photographs, and memorabilia in the duplex

apartment of Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan. He is a former District of Columbia Commissioner.

Smoked salmon is the first course in the salmon-walled dining room

of Mr. and Mrs. Clive Livingston DuVal II. He is a member of the Virginia House of Delegates. Dolly Madison took refuge in this house when a fire at the White House left her a homeless First Lady.

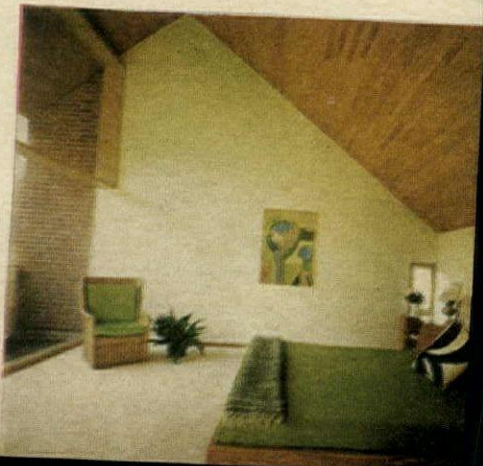


MASSEY



A collection of antique handbags

studs a stairwell in Frankie Welch of Virginia's dress shop and home—an historic house that was once George Washington's bank.





A walled garden used for outdoor dining is one of the cool delights of the Georgetown home of the Honorable and Mrs. William Chapman Foster. He was formerly Director of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Contemporary bedroom as the painting on one wall in Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ravenal's once traditional house. All prior space was completely redesigned, reorganized, updated.

Antique furniture, all of it wearing a beautiful patina, is contrasted with swats of vividly contemporary color in the Georgetown drawing room of Mrs. B. Lauriston Hardin, Jr.





IDEAS YOU'D LOVE TO LIVE WITH *continued*

Chintz on everything gives the living room of the Charles Leffingwell Bartletts —he's the syndicated columnist— an English country house air. Soft beige carpeting quiets the flood of pattern.



A tree house and an ancient trolley car are the highlights of a country playground on Mrs. Drew Pearson's farm. Probably much fun as Disneyland, they keep the Pearson grandchildren high—and



Scarlet walls, boiserie, and toile de Jouy fill Rhode Island Senator and Mrs. Claiborne Pell's library, a warm and enormously personal room enriched with a collection of art and artifacts.

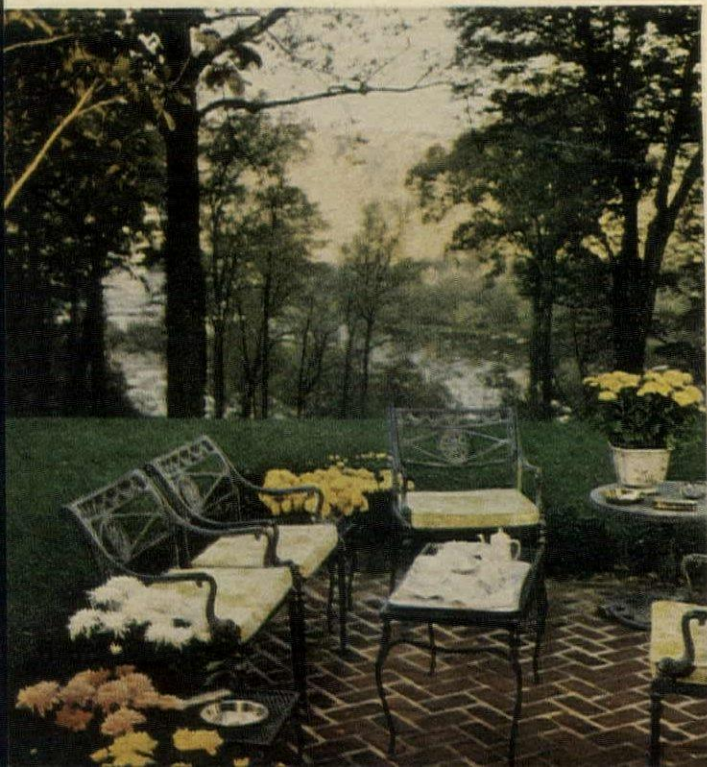
The surprise of steel and glass with Chippendale and gilt in the eclectic living room of the Honorable and Mrs. James H. Scheuer. The wife of the representative from New York is interior designer Emily Malino.



An artist puts his work to work in his own house. At the Sam Gilliams', Mr. Gilliam has used one of his paintings as a room divider and swagged one wall with a painted canvas construction.



GRIGSBY



A Corot-like view of the Potomac

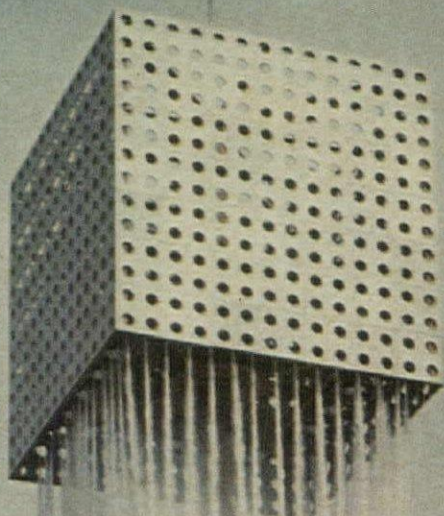
is the reward of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Dickerson, Jr.'s, eagle's-nest terrace. She is the well-known Washington correspondent for NBC's "Today" show.



Dining room fresh as a garden at the Oliver Mallory Walkers'. Windows are hung with treillage-patterned shades and framed with forest green lambrequins.

WATER GARDENS

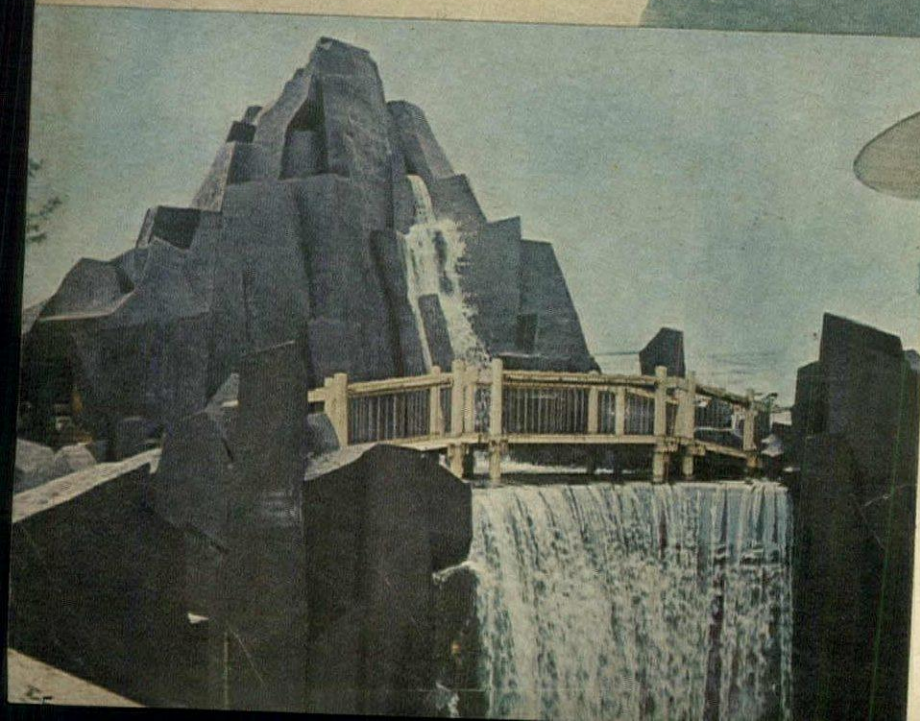
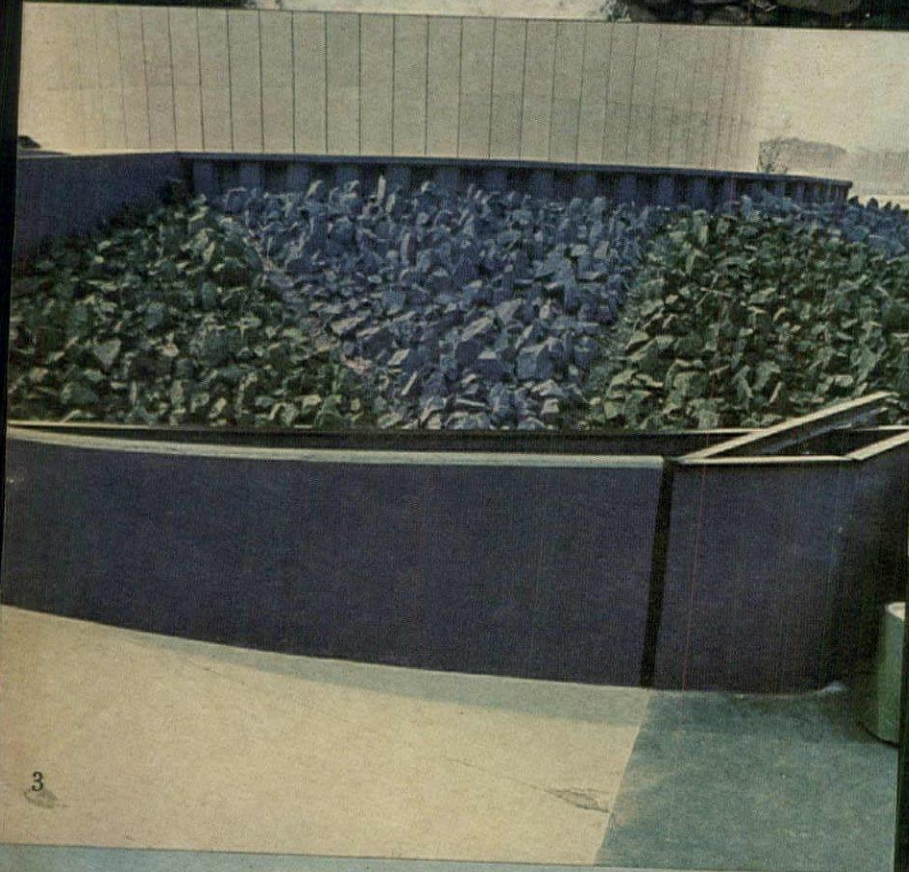
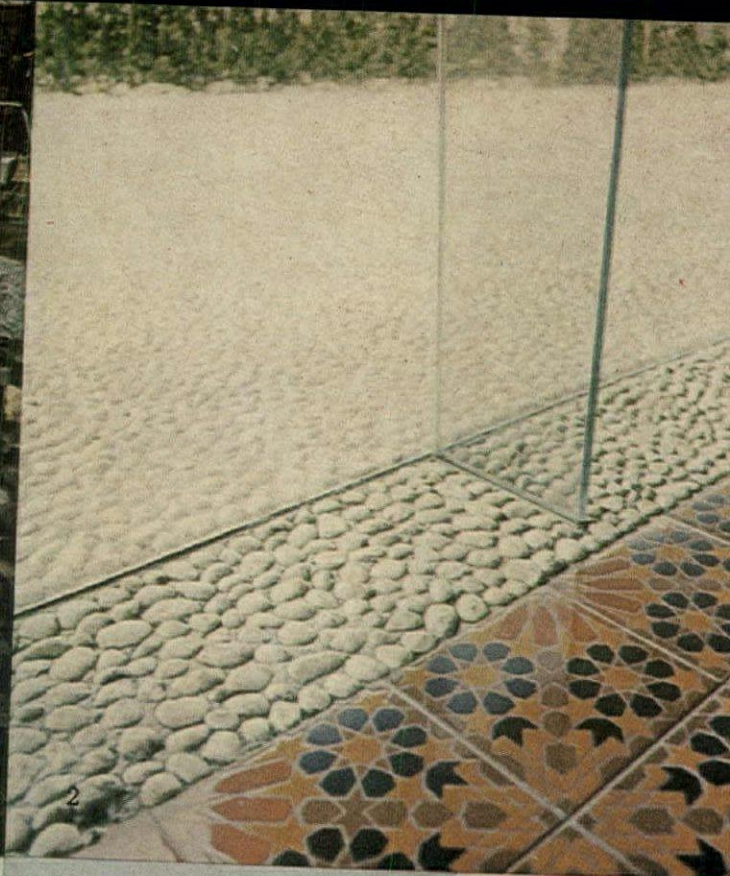
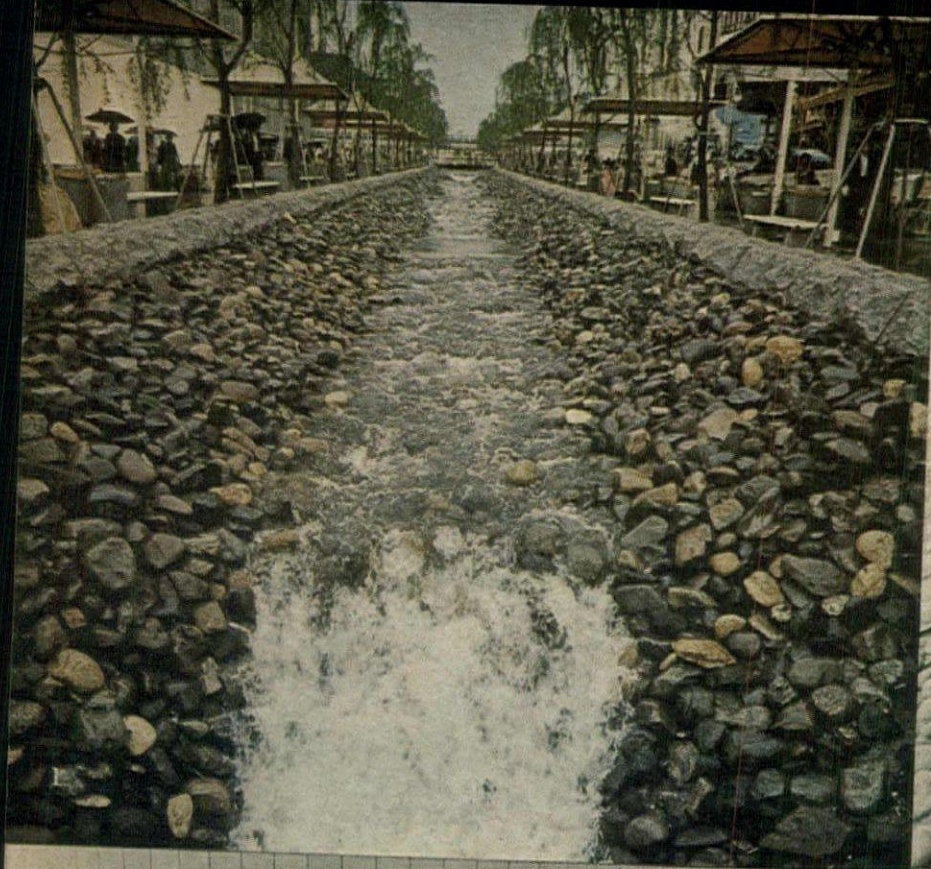
JAPAN EXPO '70



There is a fresh kind of beauty and many ideas to bring home from the water, flowers, trees, and rocks at Expo '70. Here, for example are four of the nine fountains designed by sculptor Isamu Noguchi for the Pond of Dreams. Two are elevated cubes of perforated metal that jet water down and outward. Two are called Golden Mushrooms: As one rises from the water, the other — in a kind of aquatic counterpoint — descends to wait its turn to rise again.

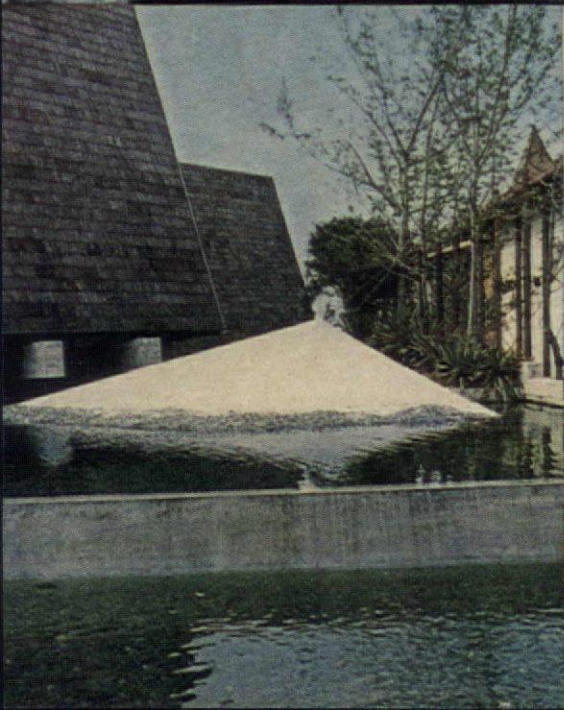
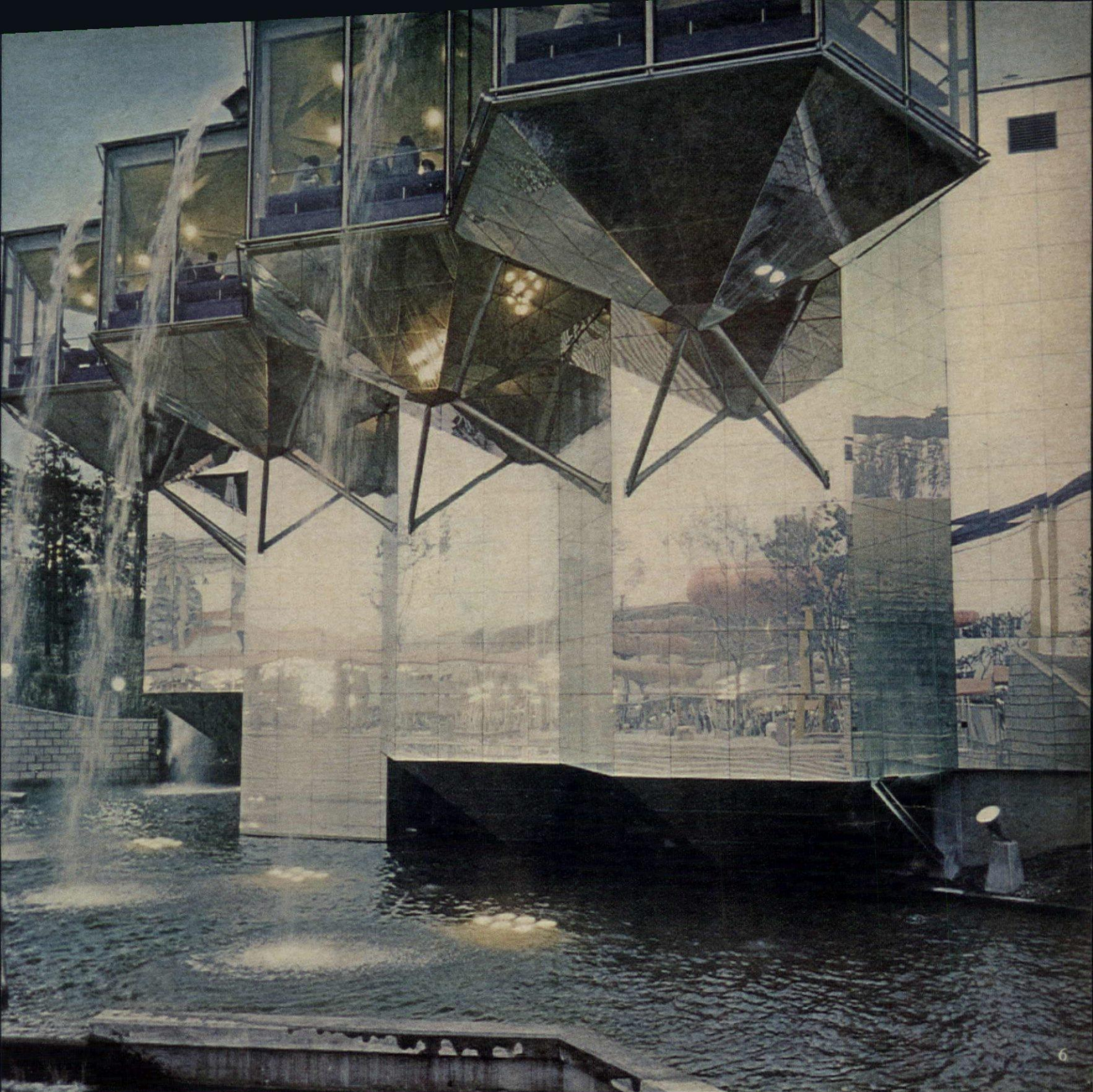
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WATER GARDEN

Water runs through Expo '70 like music. A rill called the South Brook rippling through a bed of polished stones to drop in a waterfall into Water Spider's Pond. Outdoor cobblestones at the Algerian Pavilion, 2, also laid indoors to meet a paving of glazed tile. A giant bin outside the Ricoh Pavilion, 3, filled with rocks decoratively colored blue and green. A sculpture garden, 4, of great pieces of wood set in a shallow pool at the Canadian Pavilion. A little man-made mountain, 5, part of the Japanese Pavilion, bathed with two waterfalls. The Glass Cage at the Swiss Pavilion, 6, a restaurant of glass cages hung on a mirrored wall in Expoland, give guests the feeling of dining under a waterfall. A garden of various levels of limpid water, 7, at the Indonesian Pavilion. Giant mushroom-shaped lights, 8, with beds of enormous yellow pansies in the garden of the French Pavilion. A stylized steel tree, 9, jeweled with reflecting spheres. This, the Swiss Pavilion, is called the Redemptor.





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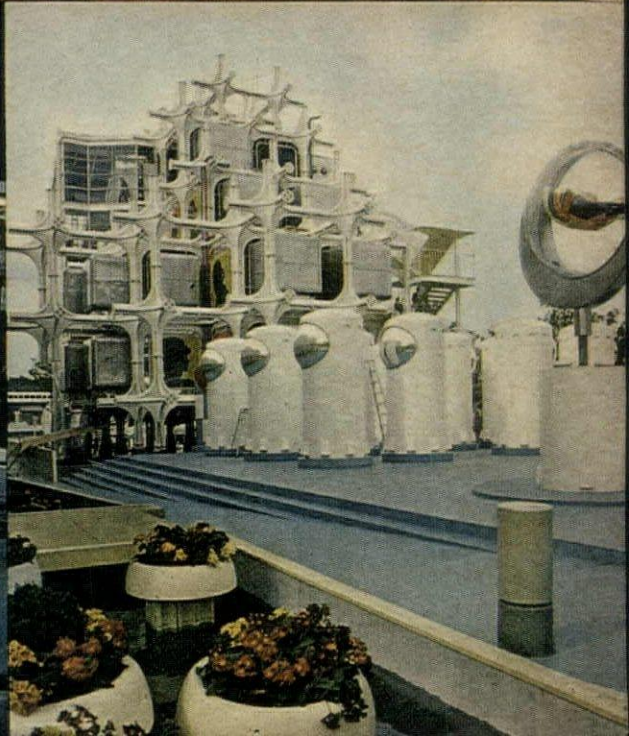
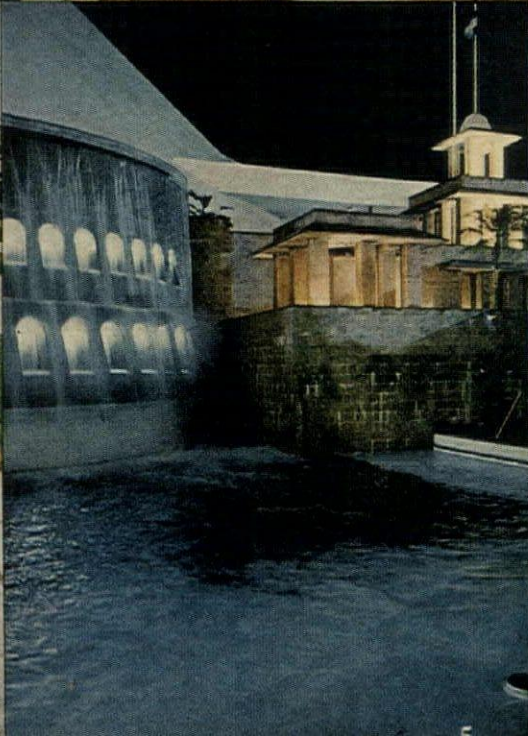


WATER GARDENS

Water flows in a rippling stream around the Sanyo Pavilion, 1, where it is fed by a waterfall gushing over a wall. A fluorescent sphere, 2, the German Pavilion is set in a garden of spring flowers planted in tiers. Pyramidal steps inside the Canadian Pavilion, 3, are planted on one side with flowers, descend to quiet pools in which tree-topped island gardens seem to float. In the terraced gardens of the German Pavilion, 4, a bed of calliocalarias framed in latticework baskets. Cool water rushes down a wall over lighted arches, 5, at the Indian Pavilion. Snow white planters of bright flowers, 6, set in a pool of water in front of the Takara Beautilion, which was designed by Noriaki Kurokawa. Built of steel units, the Beautilion has the fantasy of an intricate metal sculpture, heroically scaled.

DAVID MASSEY

HOUSE & GARDEN, AUGUST, 1970





VAN CUYLENBURG

The new zest of ideas and things—now in the stores

Some of the best ideas are ready-made. **1.** Sharp supergraphic 3-foot canvas squares, easy to hook up as screens, cubes, or angled wall hangings. By Joe Grimaldi for Supergraphic Originals. **2.** Ruffles updated . . . bed pillow shams of no-iron white cotton, edged with eyelet embroidery. By Howard Curtains. **3.** A splendid “Bean-bag” chair in House & Garden’s Sun Yellow. Packed with polystyrene pellets and ready to toss anywhere in a room. By Craft Associates. This flowered room, *right*, great for parties or privacy, began with yards and yards of pleated curtains stretched between horizontal Kirsch rods to create a shirred tent ceiling and to cover the walls. The banquettes are foam rubber mattresses with throw bedspreads tucked around them, resting on wicker table-benches. Curtains, moiré upholstered chairs, flowered table skirt, and bedspreads by Bloomcraft, through their complete-in-six-weeks decorating service. India silk and cotton scarves tied bandanna-style around pillows at hand introduce dozens of shimmering little prints. Finishing touches . . . an English chrome and glass coffee table, green leaf and fluted white dinner plates, gilded flatware and milk-white goblets—all available at Bloomingdale’s.

READY-TO-USE DECORATING

Giving any room a fresh, exuberant new look can be easier than you think these days. The strategy is to tap the super ready-made furnishings either in stock or simple to order in many stores across the country. Then put your choices together in strong new ways—for example, stretching flowers by the yard across a corner, concocting a couch that can swing from the ceiling, raising up room dividers to work as skylights. In short, let imagination lead the way to a freewheeling style of decorating that is very much your own.

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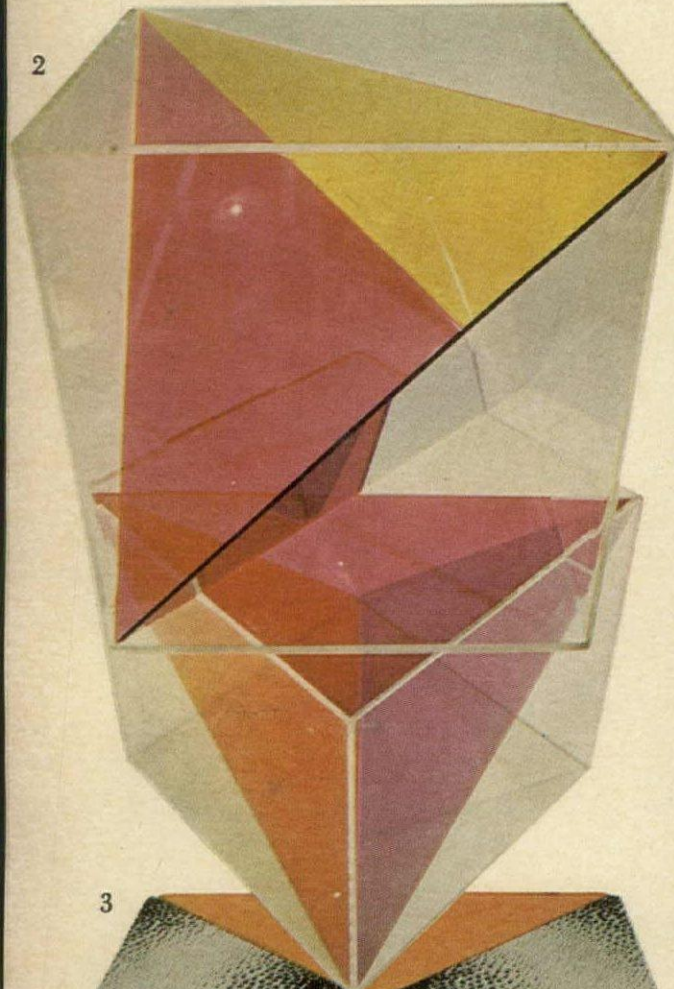


The new zest of bold patterns

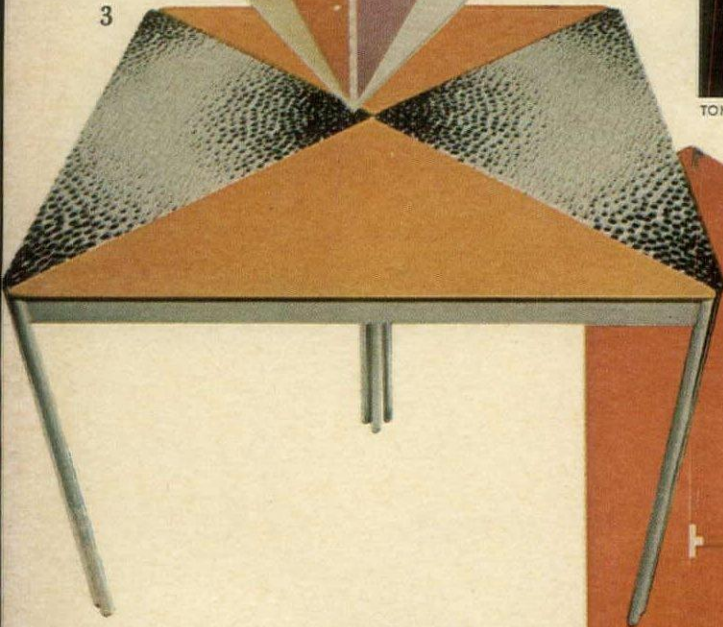


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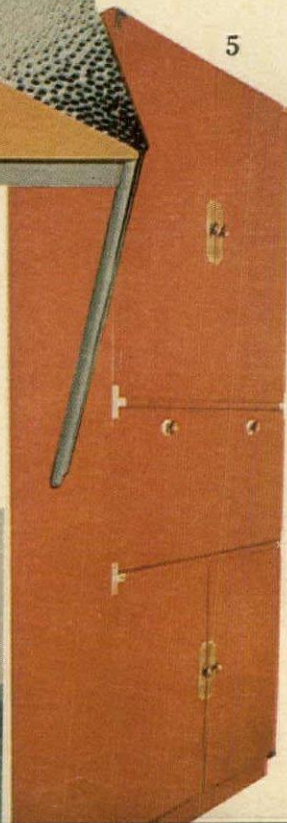
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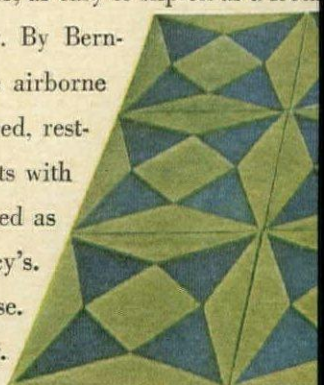
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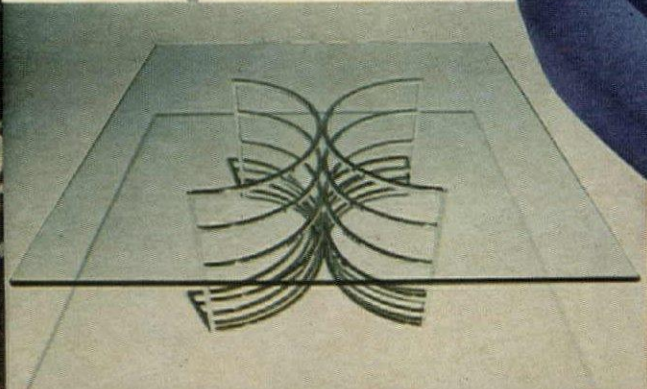
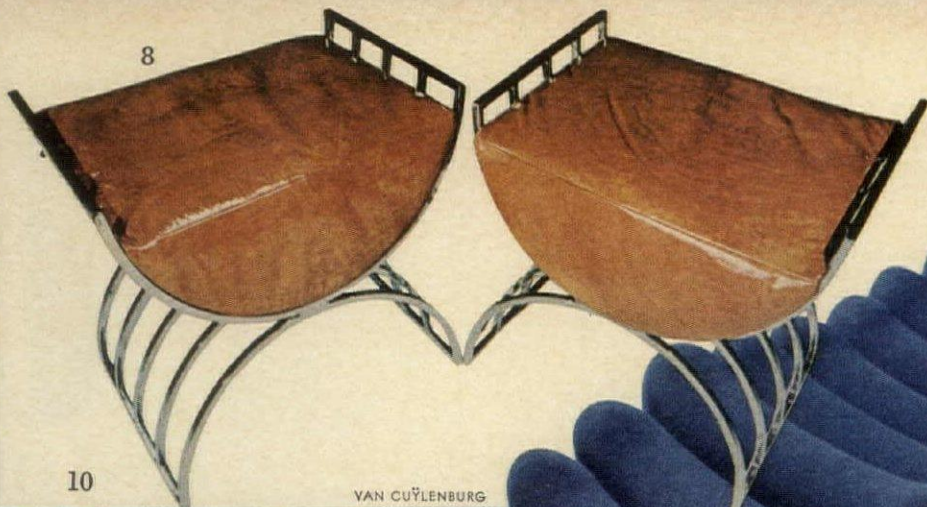
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TOM YEE

1. Peter Max sky on a cotton window shade. By Cameo Curtains. **2.** Cushion with sizzling colors inside. By Selig. **3.** Triangle-topped "Multiplication" tables. By Samsonite. **4.** Stretch couch cover, as easy to slip on as a leotard. By Sure Fit. **5.** Lacquered secretary/bar. By Bernhardt. **6.** In this flexible party room, the airborne "couch" is a foam rubber pad, sheet-covered, resting on a door. "Curtains" are striped sheets with poles through their hems. The tables stacked as sculpture, cubes, fold-up chairs—all at Macy's. Vera-designed sheets by Burlington House. **7.** Monsanto carpet tiles. By CBS Mfg. **8.** Benches shaped like Savonarola chairs.



9. A Joe Colombo chaise, made of foam rubber wedges you add or subtract to change its length. By Probber. **10.** Savonarola benches, glass-topped, make a table. By Globe. **11.** Vinyl prints, adhesive-backed. The Con-Contact patterns, left; two Cohere designs, right. **12.** This custom-look bed canopy, right, is actually shirred curtains and valances hung from a frame. Curtains, bedspread, headboard by Nettle Creek, via their decorative service offered through stores. Chest, lamps, tables—all at Lord & Taylor.

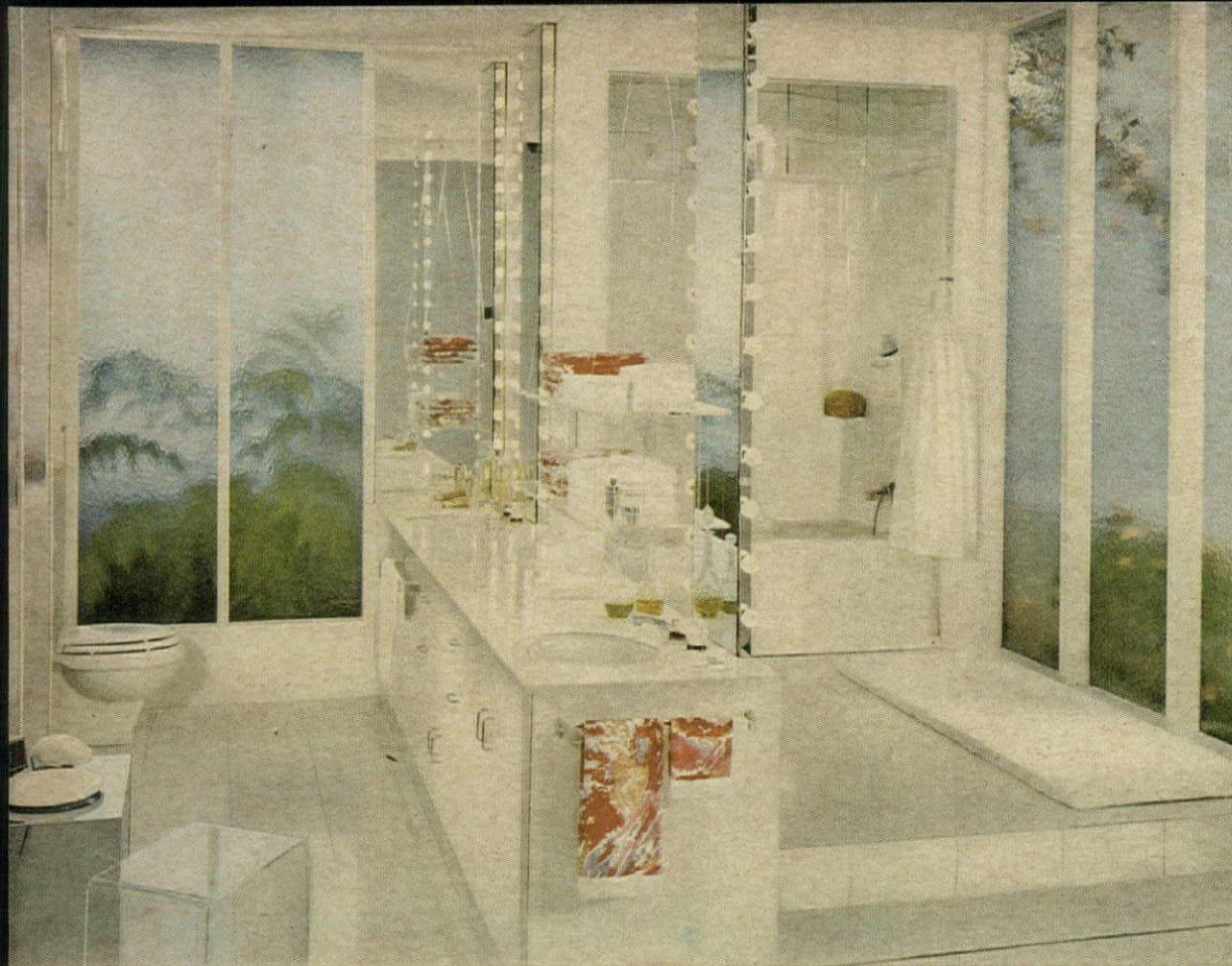


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HORST

The new zest of color in a white bathroom

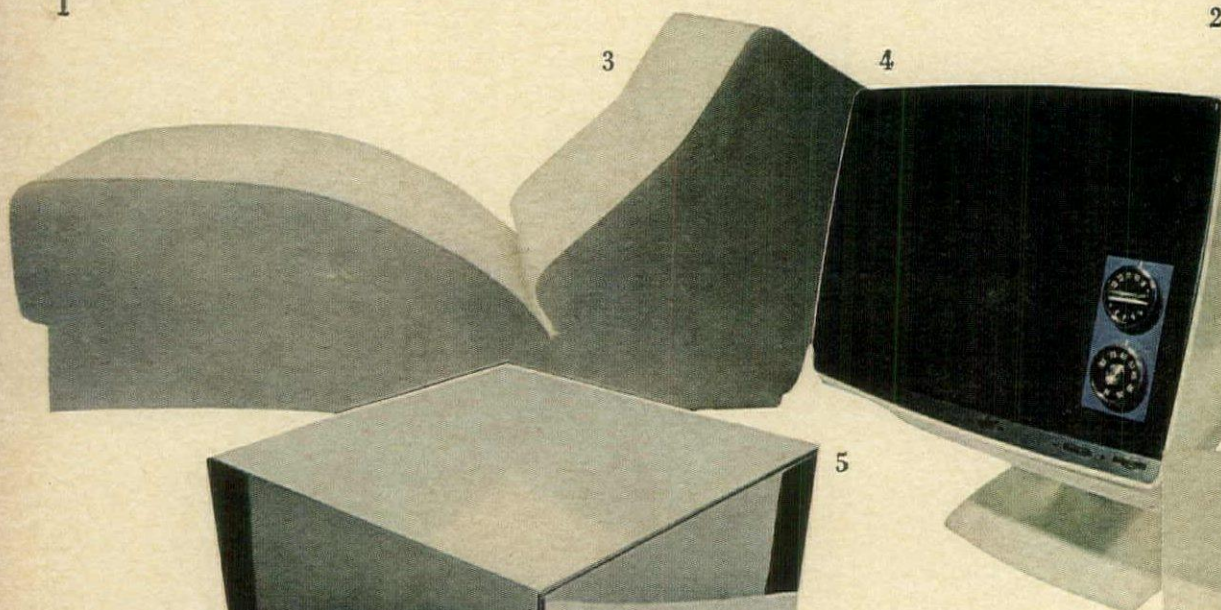


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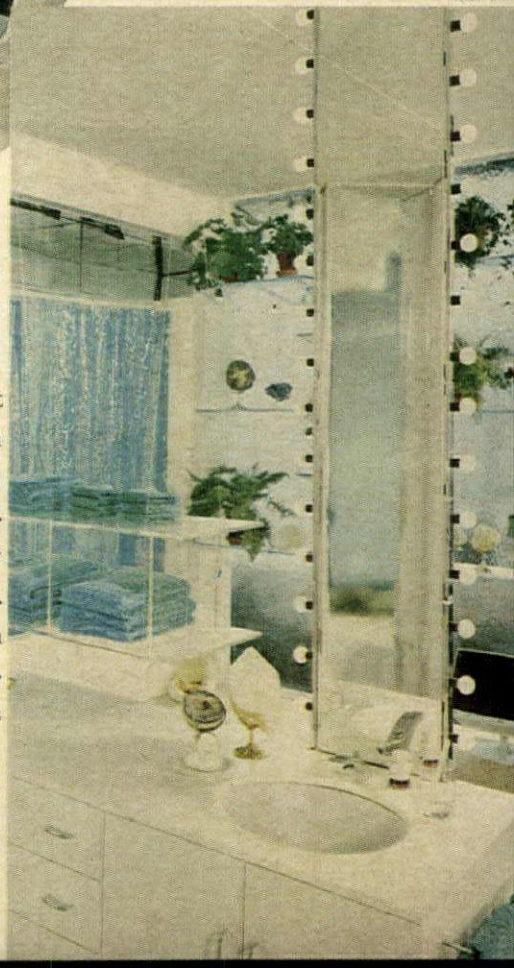
In white bath-rooms, sleek accessories and bright prints are "the deco- walls and mirrored tiles Plants glimpsed just beyond door/outdoor garden. Twin sinks, one-Eljer. "Atlantis" towels by Martex; window panels by American Cyanamid; towel racks by Jakson.

rooms, sleek accessories and bright ration." 1. Silver Mylar on accordion above the tub seem to expand the space: plastic window panels give the effect of an in-piece fiberglass tub-shower and "Triangle" toilet by Eljer.

2. A slim, plexiglass, battery-run timepiece. "Accent," a sunny op print on cotton. 3. A curvy foam rubber chaise that looks great slipcovered or left in its natural state. By Quasar Khanh. 4. An elegant television, encased in white plastic. By RCA. 5. Chrome cube, 24 inches square. 6. Nature is indoors here with ferns and ivy flourishing on many levels. Swinging from the ceiling, a see-through shelf unit by John Harris frees counter space for subtly colored minerals mounted as sculpture. Paisley "Soroya" towels and matching vinyl shower curtain by Fieldcrest. 7. In this bathroom—part gallery, part exercise room—art is mounted in snap-in frames, towels slipcover pillows and a latex foam rubber mat, set out for Yoga. Smoothed on the walls—"Accent," a Con-Tact-backed print by Riverdale. "Trio" and "A Maze" towels by Stevens; shower curtain by Ames; louvered blinds by Thru-Vu.



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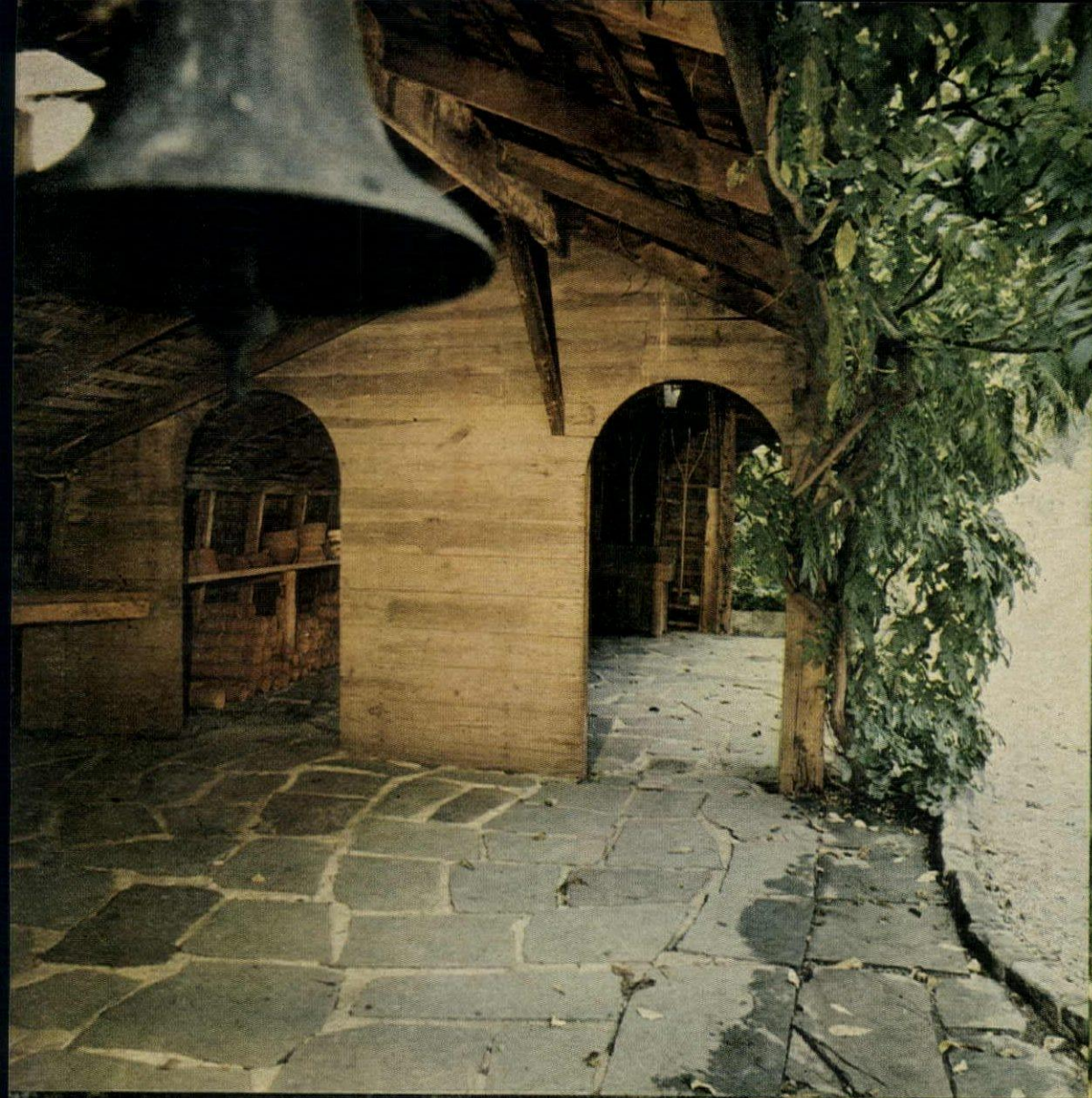


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GRIGSBY

1. More geometric supergraphics by Joe Grimaldi. In New York at W & J Sloane's. **2.** Handsome campaign chest with silk-screened surface designs. By Drexel. **3.** A new generation of Parsons tables, lightweight and seamless, made by injecting plastic into a mold. Available in House & Garden's Parrot Green, Sun Yellow, Flag Red. By Medallion. **4.** Freed from its flat, vacuum-packed box, the "Swell" chair expands to its final size in seconds. By Craft Associates. **5.** This glass-topped table comes as a kit. Its acrylic legs notch together. At Lucidity. **6.** A new, deep-dye processed Fiberglas curtain, striped almost every color in the rainbow. By Burlington House. **7.** An extra-flexible wall system—part bookcase, part desk, part cabinet. By Bernhardt. **8.** An honestly easy-to-put-together see-through table. In a kit from Plexicraft. **9.** In this blue and white bedroom, arranging beds along the walls creates flexible space for guests or entertaining. And imported and "everyday" furnishings are used in inventive ways. The skylight is really three room dividers made of Sheesham wood from India and painted white. Mattresses and box springs, angled around the Hardwick & Magee jacquard-patterned rug, are slipcovered with white quilted mattress pads, as are the rows of bed pillows. Crisp and compatible—white round tables that nest, a bamboo-edged white Parsons table, and cool tabletop collection of Imari ware—all at Altman's.

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The very personal garden of Dorothy Hirshon
**AN OLD-FASHIONED
COUNTRY GARDEN**

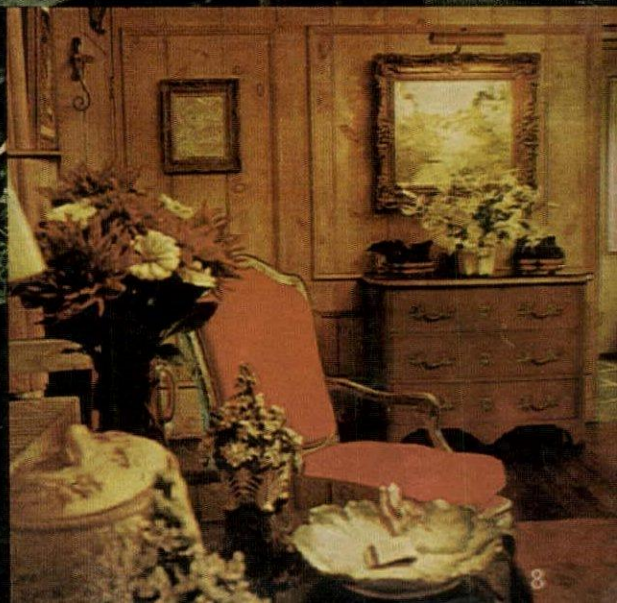
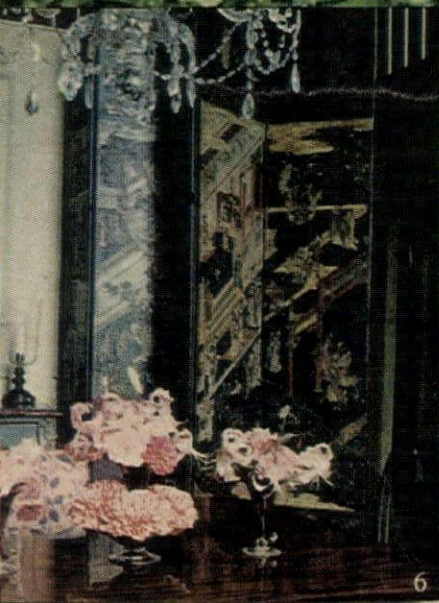
From spring to late summer, Mrs. Hirshon's garden yields "masses of flowers for the house"—daffodils planted to look like wild flowers down a grassy slope, lilies in pots from an airy shed, OPPOSITE PAGE, TOP, organically grown roses and dahlias. Hers is also a garden of rustic bridge, OPPOSITE PAGE, BOTTOM and dreaming ponds.



OLD-FASHIONED GARDEN *continued*

"I like to grow flowers with colors and shapes happiest for my house."

A lush place of long perspectives and charming nooks, Mrs. Hirshon's garden is surprisingly strict in its planning and cultivation. It is an organic garden. "I rely on ladybugs and natural sprays of pyrethrum and sulphur and have for years." Flower colors are limited to white, mauve, and purple. An interior designer, she thinks they are best for her house, "though I love all flowers, even the often despised gladiolus, which I find indispensable." Indoors and out, her flowers thrive. Even a perishable phlox lasts a week in bouquets, possibly because she always carries tall cans of water with her to the cutting garden. Lest cutting near the house leave a picked-over garden, she makes a point of using pot plants and ivy in the area adjoining the house. Impatiens in pots and tuberous begonias in a basket hang from a well head brighten the terrace, 1. A shed with fiberglass roof and bamboo awning, 2, has a tile sink for cutting and potting. Mrs. Hirshon often arranges dahlias, zinnias, and roses for her library, 3, or the terrace table, whose parasol is an apple tree, 4. The patio, 5, is cooled by English ivy and porcelain vine (turquoise-berried *Apelopsis heterophylla amurensis*), with a swizzle of elephant ears. Lilies are a summer favorite arranged in snuggly bouquets for the dining table, 6, in pots around a fountain, 7, or massed under a Childe Hassam painting,



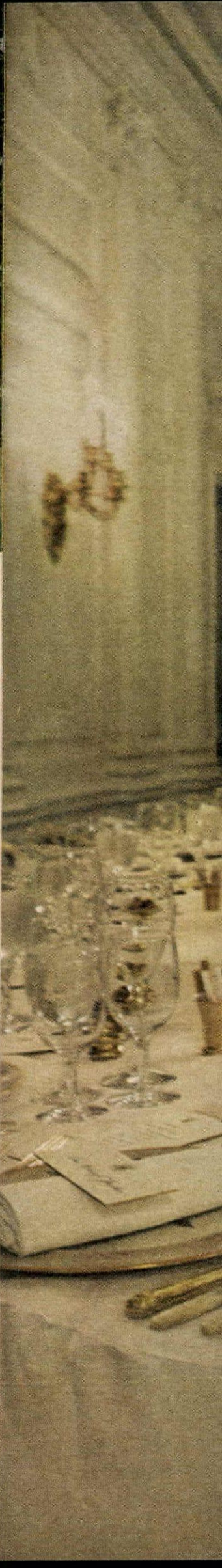


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Ideas for entertaining

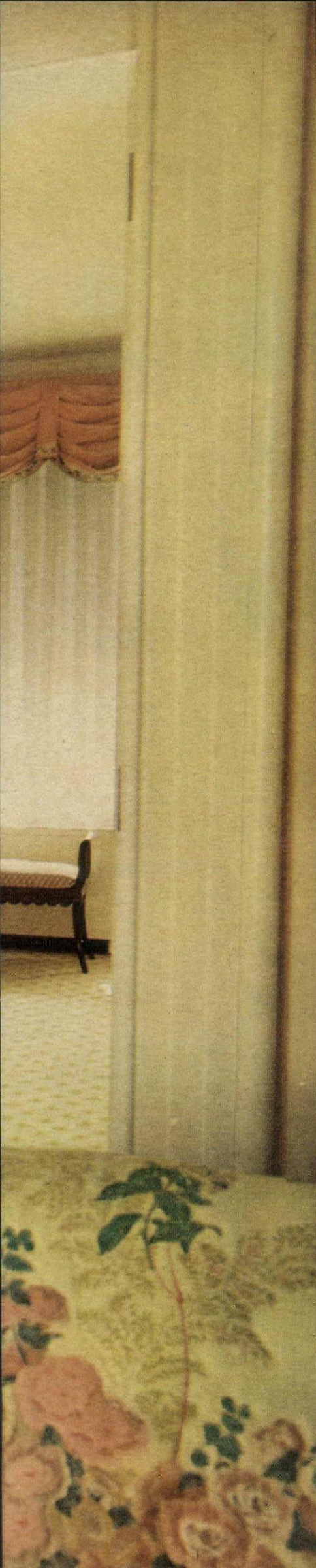


THE WHITE HOUSE, fringed by magnolias, *above*, is Washington's hub. A live-in museum, very much a home, it changes with the tenure of each president. During the past ten years, it has also reflected a rebirth of interest in Americana. The mansion's public rooms have become more historical, its private rooms more personal, more familial. A little library, *left*, has been restored in the style of the early nineteenth century with rich cream paint, Charles Bird King's famous Indian paintings, and superb Duncan Phyfe furniture. In the State Dining Room, *right*, Mrs. Nixon has revived the E-shaped table. For Prime Minister Wilson, she used the latest Castleton dinner service commissioned for the White House.









ENTERTAINING IDEAS *continued*

BLAIR HOUSE

The nation's official guesthouse is slowly reaching perfection. Each time a room is refurbished, its decoration, as a rule, is a gift—or an amalgam of gifts. The Margaret Truman suite, occupied by the President's daughter when the White House was remodeled twenty years ago, was recently redecorated—a gift from Mrs. Arthur Gardner. The two rooms, *left* and *above*, were given a coat of sunshine with pale yellow paint, a pretty background for flowered chintz spiced with apricot accents. In another bedroom for distinguished guests, *right*, is an extraordinary needlepoint rug. The work of a group of women from Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Michigan, the rug is an Audubon's dream of flora and fauna native to the woodlands of these states.





ENTERTAINING IDEAS *continued*

Each embassy in Washington brings to it a different bit of the world. Although the exteriors of the buildings are sometimes impersonal, the interiors are enormously individual. Antiques, paintings, and the crafts of the ambassadors' countries become transatlantic roots that create settings for endless parties. At the **BRITISH EMBASSY**, *above right*, afternoon tea is a daily rite for Mrs. Freeman, wife of the Ambassador, and daughter Lucy. But at night, the drawing room is used for large predinner gatherings. The silver and white room with its touches of scarlet, and an adjacent hall, *above left*, with its deep blue, statue-filled niches and shrimp pink chairs could easily exist in an English Stately Home. In the **VENEZUELAN EMBASSY**, *below left*, white wicker furniture and a forest of greenery and flowers bring an aura of the tropics to Massachusetts Avenue. In this window-wrapped room, the Ambassador and Señora Sosa-Rodríguez introduce their guests to rare orchids, exotic ferns, and South American coffee. At the **KUWAIT EMBASSY**, in the Omayyad Room, *below right*, the Ambassador and Mrs. Al-Ghoussein offer *their* brand of coffee—Arabian. Carved and painted walls and ceiling, Damascene silk, inlaid furniture, Kuwaiti chests, and rare opaline are woven together into a mysterious but beautiful lushness.

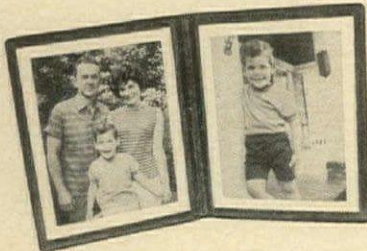




At the **ITALIAN EMBASSY**, *above left*, an elaborate dinner given by the Ambassador and Signora Ortona. Superb Venetian glass and gold-banded china fill the table, rainbowed by the multicolored Murano chandeliers in this white and gold dining room. Not far away, but a far cry from Italian dazzle, is **MAYOR WALTER WASHINGTON'S OFFICE**, *above right*, where pure Americana prevails. The eagle-finetailed Victorian side chairs and mahogany sofa were donated by the Smithsonian Institution, and the nineteenth-century mantelpiece more often than not displays gifts given to the Mayor by visiting dignitaries. At a party in the John Quincy Adams room at the **DEPARTMENT OF STATE**, *below left*, dignitaries were treated to more American antiques such as the President's armchair, a fine example of New York Chippendale. A drafting table designed by Thomas Jefferson is shown to the party's hosts, The Secretary of State and Mrs. Rogers, by the curator of the diplomatic rooms at the State Department and the White House, Clement Conger. The Ambassador of Israel and Mrs. Rabin do a certain amount of entertaining at the **ISRAELI EMBASSY**, surrounded by their fascinating collection of Israeli art. The main living room, *below right*, holds three groups of "functional American furniture," a painting by Jenny Kali, and a swirling metal sculpture symbolizing Israel's first air force.



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Notes for
the hostess

BY MARY MOON HEMINGWAY

Nothing so stimulates the appetite as *eating by the water*, on the water, near the water. On a boat, it's fun to spoof those Lucullan banquets so dear to the hearts of ocean-going chefs by bringing aboard a mini-feast that requires no further preparation. Fill one properly cooled freezer chest with cold stuffed crab trimmed with hard-cooked egg, dill, and capers. In a large plastic bag inside another chest, carry your salad—endive, artichoke hearts, hearts of palm, and fresh spinach—to be tossed in a bowl at mealtime. For openers, why not hearts of celery, stuffed with caviar, sour cream, and cream cheese, plus sliced raw mushrooms and thin rounds of zucchini to be dipped in seasoning salt. Cool the champagne (what else?) by trailing it behind in a net buffered with foam rubber. For the finale, miniature éclairs and a variety of melon balls (Spanish, honeydew, casaba, cantaloupe, watermelon) freshened with mint.

By the side of a stream, what more appropriate fare than trout? You can get good ones now in tins. They're easy to carry in a picnic basket and particularly delectable served with a mustard sauce. Along with the little fish, lots and lots of watercress salad, small buttered hard rolls, and Camembert. This time cool your white wine in the running brook. For a sweet, why not apple turnovers or fruit tarts?

On the beach aim for a happy medium between the clambake and the sand-seasoned hot dog. In the Northwest, we used to enjoy digging a small pit, laying it with hot coals on which to bake a salmon (any big moist fish will do), covering the fish with seaweed and foil, topping it with sand, bringing it forth at its succulent peak. With this, we liked boiled new potatoes and corn on the cob, cooked right on the spot. If you are not fish minded, try lamb steaks marinated with mint and garlic and grilled over the fire. Surprising accompaniment, surprisingly good: cold *petits pois* salad with Green Goddess dressing. If you don't want to boil potatoes, try baking them in the coals. *Vin rosé* cools beautifully buried at the water's edge. Small babas au rhum make a satisfactory conclusion.

A leisurely breakfast by the pool—sheer bliss. Fresh peach juice made in a blender, sweetened with honey, and iced. Then prosciutto with melon or fresh figs, if you can get them, oatmeal bread-and-butter sandwiches, pots and pots of coffee, lots and lots of sun.

OPPOSITE PAGE:
The ballroom of "Foxridge," interior designer Richard L. Ridge's ante-bellum house in Middleburg, Va., is arranged for a dinner for twenty-four guests who will serve themselves in the dining room, dine here, dance later. From party to party, Mr. Ridge switches the color and pattern of the tablecloths (he keeps four sets) but always sticks to Swedish crystal and Italian pottery plates. "If someone drops one, I haven't lost an heirloom."

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(1) M&R and Tonic.

Pour 2 ozs. M&R Sweet Vermouth over ice in an old-fashioned glass. Fill with tonic. Add twist of lemon peel.

(2) Vodka Martini.

Stir 3 parts vodka with 1 part M&R Extra Dry, over ice. Strain into chilled glass. Twist of lemon peel optional.

(3) Chicken Livers Reale.

1 pound chicken livers
2 tablespoons butter
½ teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
½ cup Martini & Rossi
Extra Dry Vermouth

Wash and dry chicken livers. Remove connective tissue. Brown livers in butter in chafing dish or skillet. Add salt, pepper, parsley, and M&R Extra Dry. Simmer 10 minutes. Serves 8 to 10 as an appetizer.

(4) Orange Cloud Soufflé.

1 can (6 oz.) frozen orange juice, defrosted
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
½ cup sugar
4 egg yolks, slightly beaten
½ cup Martini & Rossi
Sweet Vermouth
1 cup heavy cream, whipped
4 egg whites
Dash of salt

Fasten a wax paper collar, lightly rubbed with cooking oil, around top of 1-quart soufflé dish, extending 2 inches above top. Soak gelatin in concentrated orange juice 5 minutes. Add ¼ cup sugar and egg yolks; mix. Cook and stir until mixture thickens and simmers. Add M&R Sweet Vermouth, chill until thickened. Fold in whipped cream.

Beat egg whites, with salt and remaining ¼ cup sugar, until stiff. Fold into orange mixture. Pour into soufflé dish. Chill. Remove wax paper. Garnish with orange slices and additional whipped cream. Serves 6.

Recipe can be doubled and made in a 2-quart casserole.





(5) Rice Torino.

- 1/3 cup butter
- 1 1/2 cups long grain rice
- 1 cup chopped onions
- 1 clove garlic, mashed
- 1/2 pound sliced mushrooms
- 1 cup Martini & Rossi Extra Dry Vermouth
- 3 1/2 cups hot chicken broth

- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 cup cooked peas
- 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Lightly brown rice in 3 tablespoons butter. Add onions and garlic. Cook 2 minutes. Brown mushrooms in remaining butter; add to rice with M&R Extra Dry Vermouth, broth, salt and pepper. Cover, simmer 25 minutes until liquid is absorbed. Add peas. Serve topped with cheese. Serves 6 to 8.

(6) Lobster Tails Rossi.

- 6 lobster tails, 8 oz. each, defrosted with membrane on underside removed.
- 6 tablespoons Martini & Rossi Extra Dry Vermouth
- 2 tablespoons butter

Broil lobster tails, shell side up, 5 inches below heater unit or flame, 5 minutes. Turn, flesh side up, pour 1 tablespoon M&R Extra Dry Vermouth over each lobster tail, dot with butter, broil 7 minutes.* Serves 6.

**Broil smaller lobster tails 1 minute less, broil larger ones 2 minutes longer.*

(7) Ham Jubilee.

- 5 pound smoked, boned ham
- 1 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/8 teaspoon cloves
- Grated rind of 1 orange
- 1 pound can pitted Bing cherries, drained
- 3/4 cup Martini & Rossi Sweet Vermouth

Bake ham uncovered at 325° F. for 50 minutes. Combine cornstarch, sugar, cinnamon, cloves, orange rind, 3/4 cup Bing cherry juice, and M&R Sweet Vermouth. Heat until sauce simmers 2 minutes. Add cherries. Baste ham with part of the sauce, bake 20 minutes longer. Serve remaining sauce with ham. Serves 8.

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MENUS AND RECIPES FROM WASHINGTON PARTIES

Washington is a city of great party-going, party-giving. As the capital, it is a fusion of people from all over the world, hosts and hostesses who for the most part entertain at home.

Most of those we spoke to prefer dinners for ten or more and buffet parties for a great crowd. In summer, parties are more informal, with many hostesses doing the cooking themselves.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. NIXON DINNER IN HONOR OF THE PRESIDENT OF FRANCE AND MADAME POMPIDOU

At the state dinner given by The President and Mrs. Nixon in honor of The President of France and Mme. Pompidou during their visit to the U. S. in February, 110 guests sat at an E-shaped table in the State Dining Room.

*LE SAUMON LA FAYETTE
LE CONTRE FILET DE BOEUF AUX CÈPES
LES POMMES NOUVELLES
LES ASPERGES FRAÎCHES HOLLANDAISE
LA LAITUE DE KENTUCKY
LE FROMAGE DE CAMEMBERT
LE MELON GLACÉ À LA VICNERONNE
LES PETITS FOURS
WINES: PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 1966
CHÂTEAU AUSONE 1962
LOUIS ROEDERER CRISTAL 1962

Le Saumon La Fayette

2 cups water
1 tablespoon vinegar
Juice of 1 lemon
1 cup diced onion, carrots, and celery
2 teaspoons salt
8 6-ounce slices fresh salmon
½ cup dry white wine
Vegetable Salad (see recipe below)
2-pound lobster, cooked, with tail meat cut into 8 even slices and remaining meat diced
Cucumber Salad Cups (see recipe below)
12 cherry tomatoes
1 lemon, cut into 8 wedges
Parsley sprigs
Sauce Verte (see recipe below)

Combine the water, vinegar, lemon juice, diced vegetables, and salt in a heavy 12-inch

sauté pan. Bring to a boil, reduce the heat, and simmer for 5 minutes. Add the salmon slices and wine and cook for 3 or 4 minutes. Remove from heat and cool fish in the stock.

To assemble the platter, mix the Vegetable Salad with the chopped lobster and arrange on an oval 16-inch platter. Drain the salmon slices and arrange down the length of the platter. Place the slices of lobster meat on top of the salmon. Arrange the Cucumber Cups and cherry tomatoes alternately around the dish. Decorate the rim of the platter with lemon wedges and sprigs of parsley. Serve Sauce Verte separately. Serves 8.

Vegetable Salad

1 cup diced carrots
1 cup tiny green peas
1 cup diced celery
1 cup homemade mayonnaise

Cook the carrots and peas in boiling salted water until tender. Drain and cool. Mix with the celery and mayonnaise, and refrigerate.

Cucumber Salad Cups

6 medium cucumbers
½ teaspoon Tabasco sauce
½ tablespoon chopped chives
1 teaspoon salt
Pinch white pepper
1 cup sour cream

Peel, seed, and thinly slice 4 of the cucumbers. Mix with the Tabasco sauce, chives, salt, pepper, and sour cream. Peel the remaining 2 cucumbers and cut each into 4 slices about 1¼ inches thick. Scoop out center with a melon ball cutter to form small cups and fill with the cucumber-sour-cream mixture. Chill.

Sauce Verte

1 bunch watercress
1½ cups homemade mayonnaise
½ tablespoon Worcestershire sauce

Reduce the watercress to a purée in a blender and push through a sieve. Mix with the mayonnaise and Worcestershire sauce.

MRS. DAVID K. E. BRUCE LUNCHEON FOR SIX

The Honorable and Mrs. David K. E. Bruce are far-famed and greatly experienced hosts, due, in part, to Mr. Bruce's many years of service as the U. S. Ambassador to France, Germany, and Great Britain.

JELLIED SALMON TROUT GREEN SAUCE
CHICKEN STUFFED WITH CHIPOLATA
NEW POTATOES GREEN PEAS
*CHOCOLATE SOUFFLÉ
WINE: BERNKASTEL RIESLING 1966

Chocolate Soufflé

Butter
Cake flour
2 ounces bitter chocolate, cut in pieces
1¼ cups hot milk
3 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons flour
½ cup superfine sugar
4 eggs, separated
Salt
2 to 3 tablespoons dark rum or cognac

Butter well an 8-inch soufflé dish and roll with cake flour to coat sides and bottom. Shake out excess.

Melt chocolate in milk in top of double boiler, stirring until smooth and hot. Melt butter and blend with flour and sugar. Add chocolate mixture and stir over low heat until mixture starts to boil. Remove from heat.

Beat egg yolks and stir 3 tablespoons of hot chocolate mixture into them. Then pour egg yolks into chocolate, and add salt to taste and rum or cognac. Cook over low heat for a minute until mixture thickens slightly. Remove from heat and allow to cool. Beat the egg whites until stiff and gently fold into chocolate mixture. Pour into soufflé dish and set in pan of hot water. Bake in a 325° to 350° oven for 45 minutes or until firm. Serve immediately with whipped cream. Serves 6.

MADAME AHOUA

LUNCHEON FOR TWELVE

Mme. Ahoua, the wife of the Ambassador of the Ivory Coast, especially enjoys entertaining at small ladies' luncheons for twelve. For their diplomatic receptions, the Ambassador and Mme. Ahoua serve buffet dinners combining African and European dishes.

- MIXED MELON BALLS WITH KIRSCH
*CHICKEN À LA N'GATIETRO
RICE GREEN SALAD
MOUSSE DE CITRON
IVORY COAST COFFEE
WINE: ROSÉ

Chicken à la N'Gatietro

- 3-pound frying chicken, cut up
1 tablespoon cooking oil
1 medium onion, diced
2-3 green onions, sliced
1 large tomato, diced
1 tablespoon tomato paste
3 1/2 cups weak chicken broth
1/2 cup smooth peanut butter
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cayenne pepper
1 bay leaf

Wipe chicken pieces dry with paper towels. Heat cooking oil in skillet, put in chicken pieces, cover, and brown 5 to 10 minutes, turning 2 or 3 times. Add onion, green onions, tomato, and tomato paste, and cook mixture 1 minute. Stir in chicken broth, and bring to a boil. Let boil, covered, about 8 minutes, then reduce heat to very low. Put peanut butter in a bowl and stir in enough warm (not boiling) liquid to make it light and creamy. Add to chicken, and mix in salt, pepper, and bay leaf. Simmer 30 minutes. Serves 6.

MRS. DONALD BURROS
BUFFET DINNER
FOR TWENTY

Marian Burros, food editor of Washington's Evening Star, naturally loves to cook and finds that her guests expect it of her. But as she also likes to be with her guests, she relies on advance preparation. "Dinner is almost always buffet if there are more than eight."

- NOVA SCOTIA MOUSSE
*SPINACH CHEESE ROLLS
MUSHROOM TOASTIES
VEAL AND WATER CHESTNUTS
ARMENIAN VEGETABLE SALAD
PINE NUT BULGUR
SAVORY BUTTERFLAKE LOAF
PARAGON QUEEN'S HEART
DEMITASSE
WINE: SCHLOSS VOLLRADS

Spinach Cheese Rolls

- 1 medium onion, finely chopped
1/4 cup olive oil
10-ounce package frozen chopped spinach, defrosted and well drained
1/2 pound feta cheese
6 ounces pot cheese
3 eggs, well beaten
1/4 cup bread crumbs
10 sheets ready made phyllo or strudel pastry
1/2 cup melted butter

Sauté the onion in olive oil for 5 minutes. Add the spinach and simmer until most of the moisture has evaporated. Crumble the feta cheese and combine with the pot cheese. Add the eggs and mix well. Toss bread crumbs with spinach mixture, then mix in the cheese.

Cut each phyllo sheet in quarters. Lay one piece on a damp towel, and cover the others with a damp cloth. Work quickly so dough will not dry out. Brush each sheet with melted butter. Place 1 tablespoon of filling along narrow end 1 inch from edge. Fold the inch margin over the filling, and fold long sides in. Brush again with butter and roll completely. Place rolls on cookie sheets, brush tops with butter, and bake in a 425° oven for 20 minutes or until lightly browned. Serve warm. Makes 40 pieces.

MRS. GILBERT HAHN, JR.
SUNDAY NIGHT SUPPER
FOR SIX

Mrs. Hahn, whose husband is chairman of the City Council of the District of Columbia, loves suppers in the kitchen. This recipe for Spinach Gateau comes from a friend, Mrs. Sander Vanocur, wife of the TV newsman.

- BROILED BABY LAMB CHOPS
*SPINACH GATEAU EDITH VANOCUR
BRIE AND FRENCH BREAD
ENDIVE AND WATERCRESS SALAD
LEMON SHERBET IN HOLLOWED LEMONS
WINE: BEAUNE

Spinach Gateau Edith Vanocur

- 1 1/2 cups Bisquick baking mix
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 egg
1 1/4 cups milk
2/3 stick sweet butter
4 10-ounce packages frozen chopped spinach
4 tablespoons sweet butter
4 tablespoons all-purpose flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
Freshly ground black pepper
1 cup milk
2 ounces thinly sliced Swiss cheese

Place the Bisquick, salt, egg, and milk in a large bowl and mix lightly with a fork. The mixture should be slightly lumpy. Melt the

butter in a small saucepan and stir into the pancake mixture. Grease an 8-inch skillet or griddle and pour in 1/6 of the mixture, about 1/3 cup. Cook over medium heat until bubbles appear, turn, and continue cooking for 1 or 2 minutes until underside is lightly browned. Make 6 pancakes; they will be quite thick. Heap on platter and keep warm.

Cook the spinach according to the package directions and keep warm.

Heat the butter in a small saucepan, stir in the flour, salt, and a few grinds of pepper, and cook, stirring, for 1 minute. Heat the milk and add all at once. Stir until sauce is smooth and thick. Stir into spinach.

Spread the spinach between the pancakes, stacking them. Top with the cheese and heat in a 350° oven for about 15 minutes. If made in advance, refrigerate and heat for about 30 minutes. Serves 6 to 8.

MRS. TIMOTHY W. STANLEY
WEEKEND SUPPER
FOR SIX

Mrs. Timothy W. Stanley likes to entertain at dinner for twelve in formal European style. Her luncheon parties are less formal—for six to eight guests—and she loves to cook for those, herself.

- *SORCI VERDI
VEAL SCALOPPINE WITH MUSHROOMS
TINY GARDEN PEAS, ITALIAN STYLE
WATERCRESS AND BELGIAN ENDIVE SALAD
STRAWBERRY AND ORANGE SALAD
WINE: BEAUJOLAIS-VILLAGES

Sorci Verdi

- 2 packages frozen chopped spinach
1 pound ricotta cheese
1 egg
2 egg yolks
Pinch of nutmeg
Salt, freshly ground black pepper
1/2 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese
4 tablespoons melted butter

Cook spinach according to package directions, but do not overcook. Drain and cool. Squeeze out all moisture by hand. Drain the ricotta and place in a mixing bowl with the spinach, egg and yolks, nutmeg, and salt and pepper to taste. Mix well and chill in refrigerator. Half an hour before serving, bring a large kettle of salted water to a boil. Dust your hands with flour and form the spinach mixture into small balls the size and shape of a walnut or just a bit larger. Drop the dumplings into the boiling water a few at a time. When they rise to the surface (after about 3 or 4 minutes) remove them with a skimmer and place on a heated serving platter. When all are cooked, sprinkle with grated Parmesan, pour the melted butter over them, and serve immediately. Serves 6.

MRS. FRANK G. WISNER
DINNER FOR EIGHT

Mrs. Frank G. Wisner, who entertains at dinners for twelve to sixteen, seats her guests at one large table plus one or two smaller ones. Together with her cook, she considers this one of her nicest menus.

MELON AU PORTO
*TRUITES FARCIES POMMES VAPEUR
FOIE GRAS EN ASPIC
SALADE BIBB
SOUFFLÉ GLACÉ GRAND MARNIER
WINES: TRAMINER 1966
CHÂTEAU MOUTON-ROTHSCHILD
1959
DOM PÉRIGNON 1962

Trites Farcies

8 1/2-pound brook trout
Salt, freshly ground black pepper
2 cups fish stock or clam juice
2 cups dry white wine
FOR THE STUFFING:
8 tablespoons sweet butter
1 tablespoon chopped shallots
1/4 pound mushrooms, chopped
1 cup freshly made white bread crumbs
2 tablespoons finely chopped parsley
FOR THE SAUCE:
1 tablespoon flour
8 tablespoons sweet butter
FOR THE GARNISH:
2 dozen button mushroom caps
1 tablespoon sweet butter
Chopped parsley

Arrange the trout in a pan about 2 1/2 inches deep, season to taste with salt and pepper, cover with fish stock and white wine, and bake in a 400° oven for 15 minutes. Remove to a platter and bone by carefully lifting out the backbone. Keep trout warm. Strain and reduce the stock by half, and set aside.

Meanwhile, make the stuffing. Heat 1 tablespoon of the butter in a heavy frying pan and sauté the shallots until tender. Add the mushrooms and cook until almost dry, about 5 minutes. Add the bread crumbs and chopped parsley, season with salt and pepper, and cook slowly for about 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Add remaining butter, cool, and use to stuff trout.

To make the sauce, mix the flour and 1 tablespoon of butter together and stir into the reserved fish stock, cooking over low heat until thickened. Adjust seasoning and stir in the remaining butter. Keep warm.

Heat butter in heavy skillet and sauté the mushroom caps until lightly browned.

Pour the sauce over the trout and garnish with the mushroom caps and chopped parsley. Serves 8.

MRS. ARCHIBALD B. ROOSEVELT, JR.
DINNER FOR TWELVE

Mrs. Archibald B. Roosevelt, Jr., whose husband is a grandson of President Theodore Roosevelt, thinks "your entertaining is dictated by your house. You adapt a party to set off the house—they set off each other. I have never liked the intimate dinner for eight to ten. I prefer dinners for sixteen to twenty—conversation is better."

CHICKEN AND CLAM CONSOMMÉ
ROAST LOIN OF PORK
*PURÉE OF CHESTNUTS
SMALL PEAS AND SAUTÉED MUSHROOMS
WATERCRESS SALAD
RASPBERRY SOUFFLÉ
WINE: CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

Purée of Chestnuts

2 pounds fresh chestnuts, or 1 pound whole
canned-chestnuts
2 stalks celery
2 cups chicken stock
Salt, freshly ground black pepper
1/8 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon *glace de viande* (meat glaze)
3 tablespoons sweet butter

Cut a 1/2-inch gash on the flat side of each chestnut, place in a hot oven or under the broiler for about 5 minutes, and peel off the shells and inner skins with a sharp knife.

Place in a saucepan with the celery stalks and chicken stock, bring to a boil, cover, reduce the heat, and simmer gently for about 20 minutes, or until they are tender. Drain, reserving stock but discarding celery. Put through a ricer or sieve, and season with salt and pepper to taste, cinnamon, nutmeg, and *glace de viande* melted in a little hot water. Beat in the butter. If the purée is too thick, thin with a little of the reserved stock. If using canned, cooked chestnuts, heat in stock and then follow recipe. Serves 6.

MRS. EDWARD P. MORGAN
SUMMER DINNER FOR SIX

Mrs. Edward P. Morgan, wife of the ABC TV correspondent, likes the more informal relaxed atmosphere of summer parties, preferring to entertain on the terrace if it is not hot.

COLD BORSCHT
HOT BUTTERED NORWEGIAN FLATBREAD
*CRISP CHINESE-STYLE DUCK
FINE EGG NOODLES
MIXED GREEN SALAD
BLACKBERRY MOUSSE
MOLASSES COOKIES
WINE: ST. ÉMILION
MÖET ET CHANDON CHAMPAGNE

Crisp Chinese-Style Duck

2 4-5 pound ducklings
1/2 cup soy sauce
2 tablespoons ground ginger
1/2 cup honey
1/2 cup dry sherry
1 clove garlic, coarsely chopped
FOR THE SAUCE:
1/2 cup red currant jelly
1/2 cup strained orange juice
1/4 cup red wine
1 teaspoon arrowroot or cornstarch

Pull out and discard any loose fat from around the neck and cavity of the birds. Wash and pat dry inside and out. Prick skin all over to release fat. Mix 3 tablespoons of the soy sauce with 1 tablespoon of the ginger and brush over ducklings, inside and out. Leave at room temperature for 30 minutes for flavors to penetrate.

Preheat oven to 325°. Place the ducklings on roasting pan rack, cook 1 hour.

Meanwhile combine the remaining soy sauce and ginger with the honey, sherry, and garlic, mix well, and simmer, stirring occasionally, for 10 minutes. Prick surface of ducks all over a second time to ensure a crisp skin. Remove and discard garlic from soy sauce mixture, then brush all over the ducklings. Continue cooking, brushing the skin with this mixture every 15 minutes until the ducklings are glazed and the juices run clear when the flesh is pierced, about 1 more hour. For well done, cook 15 minutes more.

Heat the currant jelly, orange juice, and wine in a saucepan, add the arrowroot or cornstarch mixed with 1 tablespoon of cold water, and cook until the sauce is slightly thickened. Serve warm. Serves 6 to 8.

MRS. RAYMOND E. COX
**INFORMAL DINNER
FOR SIX**

Mrs. Raymond E. Cox claims "the whole art of cooking is in the seasoning" and is proud of her marvelous cook who seasons beautifully. "You can follow a recipe exactly from a gourmet cook book, and it won't taste the way you like because you cannot measure seasoning," she maintains.

*CONSOMMÉ BELLE VUE
POULET RÔTI À L'ESTRAGON
LEEKS À LA NORMANDE
SOUFFLÉ AU CHOCOLAT
WINE: MONTRACHET

Consommé Belle Vue

Combine equal amounts of chicken broth and clam juice. Bring to a boil and season with a pinch of cayenne pepper. Simmer for 5 minutes. Serve hot in cups with 1 teaspoon of whipped cream on top.

SIGNORA ORTONA
LUNCHEON FOR EIGHT

Signora Ortona, wife of the Ambassador of Italy, enjoys informal entertaining as well as diplomatic receptions (see page 81). For informal parties, such as this luncheon, she seats her guests at five or six round tables in the Embassy dining room.

*TIMBALLO DI TAGLIOLINI ALLA CREMA
SELLA DI VITELLO CON CUORI DI CARCIOFO
INSALATA PRIMAVERA
SEMIFREDDO DI ALBIOCOCHE
FRUTTA
WINES: VILLA ANTINORI 1966
BARBERA D'ASTI 1964
MARSALA FLORIO RISERVA 1860

Timballo di Tagliolini alla Crema

THE TAGLIOLINI:

4 cups all-purpose flour

4 large eggs

6 tablespoons cold water, approximately

THE SAUCE:

8 tablespoons butter

8 tablespoons flour

4 cups milk

1 teaspoon salt

Freshly ground black pepper

2 ounces freshly grated Parmesan cheese

THE FILLING:

1 pound chicken livers

2 tablespoons sweet butter

Salt, freshly ground black pepper

1 package frozen peas

To make the tagliolini, sift the flour into a large bowl. Make a well in the center and add the eggs, one at a time, mixing lightly. Gradually add the cold water until the dough is quite stiff. Turn out onto a lightly floured surface and knead until the dough is elastic. Divide the dough in half and roll out each half until almost thin enough to see through. Leave for 30 minutes, then cut into thin strips, less than 1/4-inch wide. Have ready a very large pot of boiling salted water and cook the tagliolini at a brisk boil until they rise to the top, about 7 minutes. Test for doneness—they should be *al dente*.

For the sauce, melt the butter in a heavy saucepan, add the flour, and cook, stirring constantly, for 1 minute. Heat the milk and add all at once, stirring until the sauce is smooth. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Stir in the cheese.

Make the filling: Cut the chicken livers in halves or quarters. Heat the butter in a heavy frying pan and sauté the chicken livers until done. Cook the peas according to the package instructions, drain, and mix with the livers. Fold the mixture into half of the sauce.

Butter a deep bowl or serving dish and fill with half the tagliolini. Add the chicken

livers and peas, cover with remaining tagliolini. Allow to stand, keeping warm, for 20 minutes. Turn onto serving platter and pour remaining sauce over. Serves 6 to 8.

MRS. FRANCIS SHOR
LUNCHEON FOR SIX

Mrs. Francis Shor, whose husband is an Associate Editor of the National Geographic Society, likes to gather a large group of friends at cocktail buffets or give small carefully put together dinners. "For a dinner party, it's important for a hostess to choose guests for compatibility—politically and internationally," she says.

SALADE PROVENÇALE
PISSALADIERA
*HOT FISH MOUSSE WITH LEMON
CREAM SAUCE
BROILED DILLED TOMATO HALVES
PINEAPPLE ICE WITH FRESH MINT
SABLÉS DE CAEN
WINE: MEURSAULT

Hot Fish Mousse

Butter

Very fine, dry bread crumbs

2 pounds fresh haddock or pike

2 teaspoons salt

1 cup light cream

4 egg whites

2 tablespoons cornstarch

1 teaspoon lemon juice

Dash nutmeg

1/4 teaspoon freshly ground white pepper

1 cup heavy cream, whipped

Lemon Cream Sauce (see recipe below)

Preheat oven to 350°. Butter a 1 1/2-quart mold well, and coat with bread crumbs. Cut fish into small pieces, pick over carefully to remove all bones. Put in bowl, sprinkle with salt, and pour in cream. Turn blender control to highest speed. Drop only a small amount of fish and cream at a time directly in over the blender blades. Switch control on and off, using scraper to push down mixture, until blended. Pour out as soon as it is smooth, and continue until all is done. Add 2 egg whites to blender, and half the puréed mixture, and blend again. Pour into a large mixing bowl; add 2 more egg whites to blender jar and blend with second half of fish purée, and add to mixing bowl when it is smoothly blended. Sprinkle cornstarch, lemon juice, nutmeg, and pepper over fish; beat 200 strokes with a whisk or slotted spoon. Fold whipped cream gently into the fish purée. Pour into mold, cover with heavy aluminum foil, set in a larger pan, and add hot water 3/4 of way up sides of mold. Bake for 1 hour. Test by inserting a silver knife blade; when it comes out clean, mousse is cooked. Remove from water, and keep in warm place until ready to serve. Unmold on

a heated platter, draining off extra liquid. Mask the mousse with Lemon Cream Sauce, garnish with parsley, and pass additional sauce. Serves 6.

Lemon Cream Sauce

3 egg yolks

4 tablespoons lemon juice

3 cups hot thick Sauce Béchamel, made from

1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup flour,

3 cups milk

1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind

1/4 cup heavy cream

Cayenne pepper, salt

Mix egg yolks and lemon juice, and stir in 1/2 cup hot Béchamel. Pour mixture into remaining Béchamel in a saucepan, and let cook very gently for 3 or 4 minutes to thicken. Mix in grated rind and heavy cream, and season to taste with cayenne pepper and salt.

MRS. JOHN ROBSON
DINNER FOR SIX

Mrs. John Robson, whose husband was the Under Secretary in the Department of Transportation during the Johnson administration, loves to cook and "wouldn't think of having a caterer." Mrs. Robson usually invites eighteen for dinner and seats them at round tables.

CHILLED WATERCRESS SOUP
*LAMB CHOPS ELEANORE
CARROT SOUFFLÉ RING WITH FRESH
GREEN PEAS CUCUMBER SALAD
MINIATURE LEMON MUFFINS
VANILLA POTS DE CRÈME WITH WILD
RASPBERRY SAUCE
WINES: ANJOU 1967
CHÂTEAU LA LAGUNE 1966
CHÂTEAU LA TOUR BLANCHE 1964

Lamb Chops Eleanore

6 chicken livers

1/2 pound mushrooms

5 tablespoons butter

Salt, freshly ground black pepper

1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley

6 double-rib lamb chops

Chopped parsley

Trim and finely chop the chicken livers and mushrooms. Sauté them over low heat in 2 tablespoons of the butter, stirring frequently, without letting them brown. Season with salt and pepper to taste and add the parsley. Trim fat from the lamb chops and slit them to make a pocket. Stuff them with the chicken liver mixture. Heat remaining butter in a heavy casserole, add the chops, and sear them over high heat on both sides. Cover the casserole and bake the chops in a 350° oven for 25 minutes or until tender. Or skewer the chops to close the pockets and broil them on both sides until they are brown and crisp. Arrange the chops on a heated platter, pour the juices over, and sprinkle with parsley. Serves 6.

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WASHINGTON PARTIES COOK BOOK *continued*

MRS. IRVING BERGER DINNER FOR TWELVE

Mrs. Berger entertains formally but very imaginatively. She offers a wide variety of cocktails before dinner including *mimosas*— $\frac{1}{4}$ orange juice to $\frac{3}{4}$ champagne (Blanc de Blancs). Later in the evening, after the brandy, she refreshes guests with a cool pitcher of fresh pink grapefruit juice. As an hors d'oeuvre she might serve *tiny pullet eggs*. (Hard cook eggs and scoop out almost all yolk. Fill with fresh caviar.)

FONDUE DE CRUSTACÉS
FILET DE BOEUF À LA GIRONDINE
BOUQUET OF VEGETABLES
BIBB LETTUCE, ENDIVE, AND CHIVE SALAD
WHEEL OF BRIE, TOPPED WITH TOASTED
SLIVERED ALMONDS (SERVED WARM)
GÂTEAU FAVORITE CANDIED FRUIT
ESPRESSO CAFÉ HAGUE
WINES: MONTRACHET JACQUES PRIEUR 1961
CHÂTEAU LAFON ROCHET 1959
DELBECK CHAMPAGNE

MRS. CHISHOLM LINDSEY BLACK-TIE DINNER FOR SIX

Mrs. Lindsey likes to entertain at small cocktail buffets with "rib-sticking" food served on one plate ("in Washington this means eighteen to twenty-four people") and seated dinners for six to ten.

*BEEF ROULADES HOMEMADE MELBA TOAST
BAKED RED SNAPPER WITH CORN
BREAD STUFFING HOT SHRIMP SAUCE
FRESH ASPARAGUS
FLAN GARNISHED WITH ORANGES AND STRAWBERRIES
WINES: CRIOTS-BÂTARD-MONTRACHET 1962
CHÂTEAU CLIMENS 1966

Beef Roulades

Roll paper-thin slices of cold, rare roast beef around homemade *pâté maison* (chicken liver, perhaps). Set on a lettuce leaf and garnish with 2 quarters of roasted marinated green peppers, with an anchovy on each quarter, and thinly sliced tomatoes.

MRS. PRESTON BROWN BUFFET DINNER FOR TWELVE

Mrs. Brown, wife of a young Washington lawyer, entertains a great deal, usually for small groups in an informal atmosphere.

THINLY SLICED CORNED BEEF
RÉMOULADE SAUCE AND WATERCRESS
ZUCCHINI FRITTATA
SALAD OF CHINESE PEA PODS AND SHALLOTS
*POTATO CRISPS
FRESH CHERRIES AND MUESTER CHEESE
WINE: POUILLY-FUMÉ 1969

Potato Crisps

Soak peels of new red potatoes in salted water in refrigerator for 1 hour. Drain and place on a rack on baking sheet and sprinkle generously with olive oil, lemon juice, Tabasco sauce, coarse salt, and freshly ground black pepper. Roast in a 400° oven until slightly puffed and very brown and crispy. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve immediately.

MRS. JOHN SHERMAN COOPER SUMMER LUNCHEON FOR SIX

Mrs. John Sherman Cooper, wife of the senior senator from Kentucky, is one of Washington's most celebrated hostesses. This menu is typical of the luncheons Mrs. Cooper gives in summer.

COLD EGGS IN ASPIC
ESCALOPE DE VEAU À LA MARSALA
ENDIVE AND WATERCRESS SALAD
*APPLE AND ORANGE TART
WINES: DRY WHITE LIGHT RED

Apple and Orange Tart

Butter	2-3 tablespoons sugar
2 pounds cooking apples, peeled, cored, and sliced	½ cup apricot glaze
2 oranges	9-inch precooked pastry shell (baked in a flan ring)

Butter a large casserole, add the apples, cover, and cook, stirring occasionally, without adding any liquid, until the apples are tender. Put through a sieve, return to the casserole with the grated rind of the oranges, and 2 or 3 tablespoons sugar, depending on the tartness of the apples. Cook until thick and well blended. Cool. Pour into the pastry shell.

Cut all the white pith away from the oranges and slice into thin rounds. Arrange in an overlapping pattern on top of the apple purée. Brush warm apricot glaze over the orange slices. Serves 6.

MISS ELIZABETH BURTON DINNER FOR TWELVE

Miss Burton, who loves to give formal parties for which she herself is the cook, finds a formal dinner for eighteen or twenty-four as easy to prepare as one for only ten.

FLOUNDER NIÇOISE
CROWN ROAST OF LAMB GLAZED SMALL ONIONS
CASSEROLE OF FRENCH GREEN BEANS
GREEN SALAD CHEESE PLATTER
*ORANGE ICE WITH GINGER TOPPING
WINES: PAVILLON BLANC DU CHÂTEAU MARCAUX 1964
LADOIX, CÔTE DE BEAUNE 1962
KRUG BRUT 1961

Ginger Topping

Scatter over the top of ice, which has been chilled in a melon mold, a mixture of ½ crumbled ginger snaps and ½ candied ginger, finely chopped.

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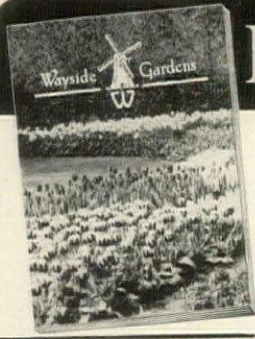
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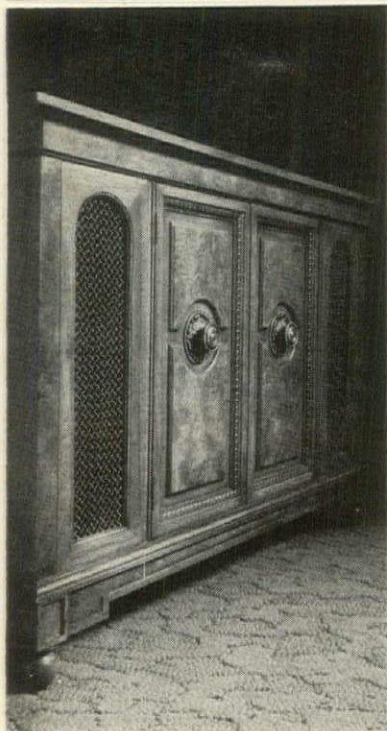


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SUMMER PARTY IDEAS

FROM A COUNTRY RESTAURANT

Definitely no rural innocent when it comes to good food, The Farmer's Daughter in Orland Park, Ill., outside Chicago, is a restaurant where each dish is presented with charming pastoral style. Seen here are some of the original serving ideas created by the owner, Kandy Henely, and perfectly adaptable for summer parties on the patio or at the poolside. From her forthcoming cook book, Mrs. Henely suggests a delicious dessert, Irish Whiskey Pie, given below, for a supper buffet.

Whimsical turtle breads might be adapted for children's parties. They're easier to make than you might imagine. Form the body first. Head, legs, and tail are shaped separately, moistened with water, then attached to the main loaf.



HELMES



Amber-colored Rhine wine goblets cosset an ambrosial dessert, zabayon con fresones, a specialty of the chef, Dietrich Schroeder. Ice cream is served imaginatively in flower-pots (Why not plant a real flower for each guest?).

Irish Whiskey Pie

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|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 tablespoon and 1/2 teaspoon gelatin | 1/2 cup sugar |
| 1/2 cup water | 2 egg whites |
| Salt | 1 1/4 cups heavy cream |
| 1/4 cup milk | 1/4 cup sliced almonds |
| 2 squares unsweetened chocolate | 2 tablespoons Irish whiskey |
| 4 egg yolks | 9-inch baked pie shell |
- Toasted sliced almonds*

Dissolve gelatin in cold water. Melt over double boiler until hot and clear. Mix a pinch of salt, milk, chocolate, egg yolks, and 1/4 cup and 2 tablespoons sugar. Cook until chocolate and sugar are dissolved. Put in bowl. Add gelatin mixture. Chill over crushed ice until syrupy. Beat egg whites until stiff, adding 2 tablespoons sugar gradually. Fold in chocolate mixture, then 3/4 cup cream whipped. Add nuts and whiskey. Fold until smooth. Pour into 9-inch baked pie shell. Top with remaining cream whipped and toasted sliced almonds. Serves 8.



Another unusual dessert idea for a picturesque party finale—the grape tree. Sculptured from nothing more than a piece of driftwood and festooned with clusters of fruit. Scissors and finger bowls are on hand.



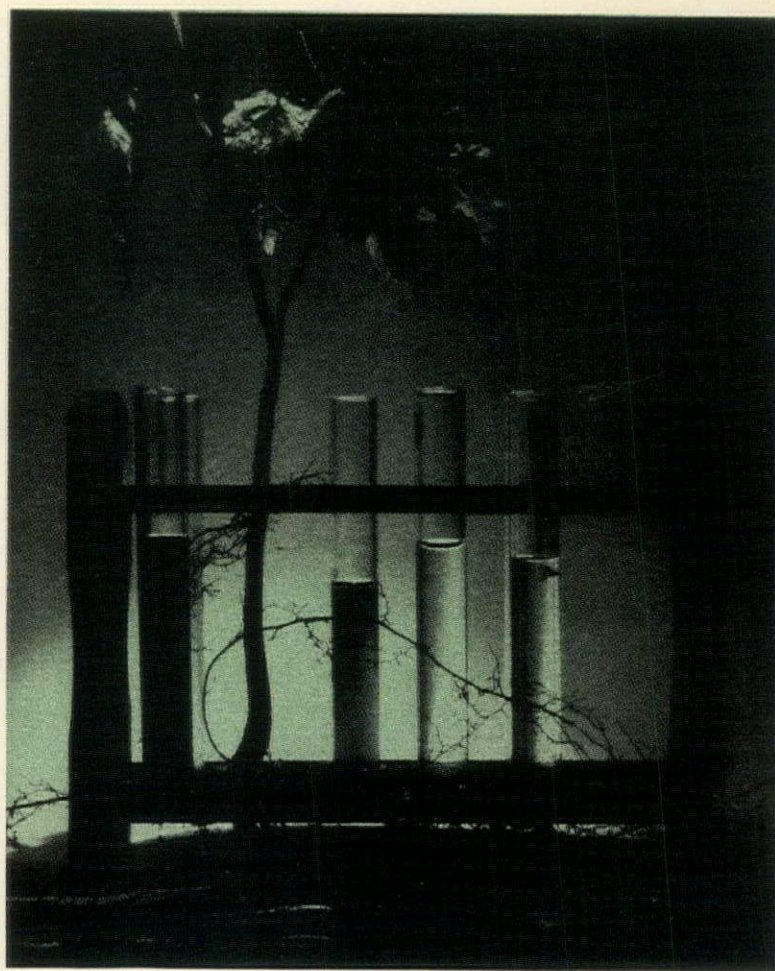
A milk can makes a great outdoor wine-cooler. If you haven't an old one, Saks Fifth Avenue has a copper edition.

You might build a whole party around two ideas from The Farmer's daughter—the sausage tree cart, *Arbol de Chorizos*, and the mobile cheese board. Both roll around conveniently indoors or outdoors for guests to serve themselves. Sausage, served with crusty bread, sliced onto wooden paddles. The cheese, aboard a wheel-about butcher's block, goes with halos of crisp, Swedish Kings-Bread.



Spicy sausage tree hors d'oeuvre trolley, LEFT. Two-tier plank top serving cart with hardwood surface, black metal frame at Hammacher Schlemmer. Similar charcuterie stand and individual paddles of Burma teak by MilNor at Carson, Pirie Scott. The mobile cheese board, ABOVE, is a butcher's block on casters. Block at The May Co.

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What you ought to know about traveling on a 747



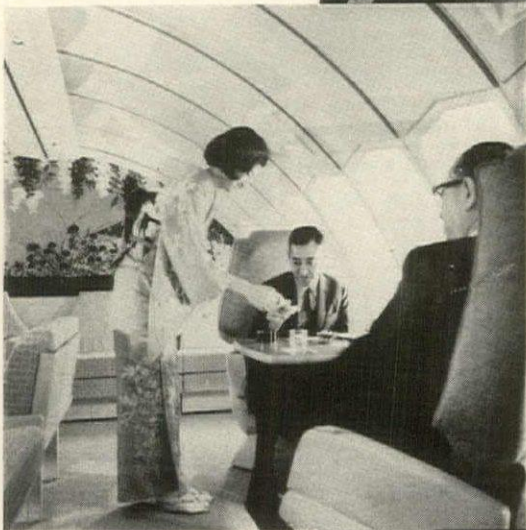
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First airline off the ground with a 747 was Pan Am. Now nine others are flying. Each fleet has the flavor of its home country, plus its own special comforts, gadgets, services since Boeing designed the interiors to each airline's specifications. BOAC has a "baby bar" with two banks of bottle warmers. TWA reserves a special area for smokers. Alitalia offers a super executive chair designed by Sergio Lenci: the whole tips back for reclining, has fingertip controls for lights, music, movies. Air France has a library of detective novels in French, English, and Spanish.

The interiors of Japan Air Lines's 747s, just put into service in time for the weeks of Japan's Expo '70, were inspired by **traditional Japanese garden**. Designed by Isamu Kenmochi, each of the four passenger sections has its own garden atmosphere, its own predominant color and motif—wisteria, wild orange, pine, or maple. The mural decorations, the stewardesses' kimonos, the china, the menus, even the airline's boarding passes, all carry out the garden's color and motif. When you come aboard you can relax in slippers and a happi coat designed by Japan's famous fashion designer Hanae Mori, and practice using the tiny Japanese fan you'll find in your seat pocket along with a cache of information on shopping and sightseeing in Japan. Or from the first-class section, you can wander upstairs to the lounge designed as a **"Teahouse in the Sky"** and sip green tea or a cocktail.

For your dinner, you can order a classic Japanese appetizer—*sushi* (rice with raw fish or vegetables and seaweed), or *sashimi* (marinated raw fish), or *niku* (broiled with ginger and soy sauce, then go on to beef teriyaki, or grilled fish, or *niku* (braised vegetables). Warm sake will come in a little carafe set on its own lacquered coaster. After dinner you can watch a movie, or a filmed lesson in basic Japanese. Or listen to a special Japanese hit parade—*Ryuko*. Or just pour over the maps of the world capitals you'll find in your seat pocket.

Until mid-September the airline's "Garden Jets" will whirl crowds to take in Expo '70 (see the Expo Water Gardens, page 58)—after that to enjoy such excitement in **Japan's spectacular autumn** with its brilliant foliage: The Autumn Festival with its ancient Shinto ceremonies is held in October at the ancient Toshogu Shrine in Nikko. In November, in the Shinjuku Gyoen (Garden) in Tokyo, there is a spectacular Chrysanthemum Show where the blooms from several-hundred-year-old bushes are 4 inches in diameter. Japan Air Lines's Garden Jets fly daily from Honolulu to Tokyo and four times a week from Los Angeles, stopping in Honolulu.

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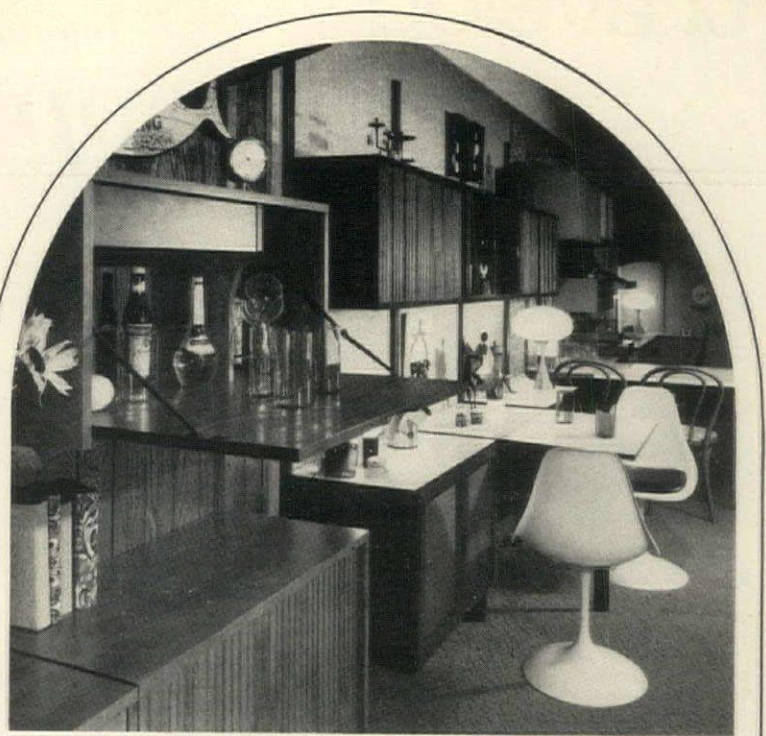
since there is nothing like the power of an idea whose time is about to come. Giselle Fitch, a young American who was born in Hong Kong and studied Yoga in India, is a persuasive teacher, easily able to convince anyone yearning to be fascinated by some form of nonboring exercise. The Watergate has a club membership program and weekly and daily arrangements. The telephone number is (202) 327-7055.

THE BOAT THAT'S A PLACETO EAT Nearby, a restaurant floats at the end of a pier, the Gang Plank, the most irresistibly alluring place possible. One deck—all glassed in—at water level lets you eat with the river lapping at your elbow and all the busy little boat life going on around. There aren't any particular items that watch weight because the whole menu—chiefly steaks and fish—does that anyway (including the lobster, which they say is flown down from Maine on the Gang Plank plane). The Gang Plank stays open until midnight, is handy for supper after, and very close to, the Arena Theatre. The telephone number is (202) 554-5000.

THE BIG LITTLE HAIR PLACE Today when people think of the Top, the In, they almost invariably think b-i-i-i-i-g. But the most swinging, the most successful hair place in Washington is in a tiny little Victorian house on Wisconsin Avenue, Georgetown's main drag. It is called Jean Paul et Norbert and a small swinging sign says "Art et Coiffures." You come into a big chaotic square room hung with a string of little paintings: Jean Paul, himself an artist, says "I didn't paint them but I chose them." Everyone seems to be democratically sitting out in the open under the dryers, and in certain Washington circles there was some debate "Jackie used to sit out here in the Room with everybody." "No she didn't, she was always tucked some place upstairs or downstairs." In any case, there isn't any downstairs anymore but a charmingly furnished blue and white toile ghost room. Jean Paul says "I had this done for myself, but I had to abandon it because I couldn't control things from down here." And that's perhaps the secret of the whole successful operation. Jean Paul, who is a Frenchman ("I only have French working here"), is a perfectionist and keeps his artist's eye on absolutely everything that goes on. Everything has gone so swimmingly that he owns a superior French restaurant, La Provencale nearby at 1616 Wisconsin Avenue and a Men's Boutique almost next door. Shampoo and set here is \$9.50. The telephone number is (202) 965-1646.

THE SENSEFUL PLACE TO DINE One of the newer and certainly one of the most astonishing places to eat is not far away in Georgetown—La Niçoise. This rather conventional-seeming restaurant offers French food served à point and has a clientele with a great deal of éclat. But for some arcane reason, at dinner, the waiters swoop up to your table on roller skates. (No one knows whether they train the waiters to skate or skaters to wait.) Will two skating waiters collide? Will your order reach its destination safely? And if not, at what point between the kitchen and

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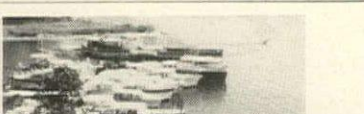


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INSTANT DECORATING

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1. "Direction" 6-part silk screen on 3' x 3' canvases by Joe Grimaldi for Supergraphic Originals, limited edition of 150, \$500 the set exclusively at W & J Sloane, 414 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y., 10018.
2. "Heidi" pattern bed pillow shams, 20" x 26", Kodel polyester and combed cotton, durable press finish, \$7.50 each (matching bedspread available) by Howard Curtain Co.
3. Bean Bag Chair in wet-look vinyl (available in small, medium, and large sizes in all fabrics), medium size shown \$102 by Craft Associates.

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"Cascade III" hand-molded hexagon tiles, 8" x 3/4" thick, by Structural Stoneware.

All multicolored and printed pillows covered with scarves of Indian cotton tie dyes, printed silk, and silk tie dyes. Ottoman covered in one-of-a-kind sari material. By Far Eastern Fabrics.

Three wicker table/benches with black Formica tops form base of banquette, 6 1/2' x 28" x 12 1/2" high, designed by Danny Ho Fong for Tropi-Cal, \$250. "Golden Cane" gilded flatware, 8 place settings \$100. "Primavera" green leaf dessert plates made in Italy, \$3.25 each. "Elegance" white dinner plates, \$2.25 each. "Latham" water goblets, \$4.50 each. Swiss linen napkins available in assorted colors, \$1 each. White ceramic ashtray, 9 1/2" diam., \$10.50. Coffee table, 3/4" glass top on chrome base, 30" wide x 48" long x 12 1/4" high, \$500. Mirrored pillow with velvet back, 16" square, \$22.50. Solid color pillows of linen, silk, and cotton. Chairs upholstered in "Royal Moire" cotton/rayon fabric, in brass and pink carrara with contrast welting, about \$200 each. Twin size throw style bedspreads on banquette in "Tulipa" outline-quilted cotton/rayon fabric, Scotchgard finish, Kodel polyester fiber fill, \$160 each. "Tulipa" table skirt, 90" round, \$45. "Tulipa" fabric on shirred ceiling, 54" wide, 23 1/2" repeat, \$9 yard. Walls covered in "Tulipa" made-to-measure unlined curtains for shirred look. By Bloomcraft. "Gold Seal" drapery hardware by Kirsch. All at Bloomingdale's, Lexington Ave. at 59th St., New York, N. Y., 10022.

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1. "Celestial" cotton window shade by Peter Max, 45" x 70" (available

in other sizes, by the yard, or in draperies, bedspreads, pillows, and valances), \$16.50 as shown by Cameo Curtains.

2. Plexiglas Color Cube with 3 triangles in the primary colors arranged inside, colors change when seen through each other as cube is turned, 16", \$150 by Selig.

3. Multiplication Tables in many colors, stackable for storage with removable legs, legs in chrome or gold, \$12.50 each table, or in white, \$11.50, by Samsonite.

4. "Gemini" slipcover in acrylic, cotton, and nylon stretch fabric, Fabricard finish, fits 2-cushion sofa with arms 5" to 11" wide and backs 64" to 84" long, by Sure Fit.

5. Campaign style secretary/bar from the Independents Group, drop-front desk top in center with mirror and light inside, bottom doors hide pull-out tray/drawer, in ebony, white, red, yellow, Bittersweet, and walnut, 30" wide x 15" deep x 78" high, \$220 by Bernhardt Furniture.

6. Cork wall tiles by Decro Wall, 12" square, adhesive back, \$3.39 package of 9. White fiberglass stools (shown stacked as sculpture), \$8.49 each. White fiberglass table, \$12.49. "Whatchamacallits" vinyl-finished 15" cube (stacked beside windows for shelves), \$15 each. White matchstick blinds, 6' x 3', \$5 each. Cotton tie-backs for curtains, \$1.70 each. Hardman walnut baby grand piano, \$1995. Wood and canvas folding chairs, \$50 each. Denon stereo with speakers, \$180. Floor lamp with chrome base and white plastic globe, \$80. "Shadows" print, \$60. "Rainbow Stripe" No-Iron cotton/Kodel percale sheets designed by Vera for Burlington House, from \$7.25 for twin flat to \$15 for king fitted. All at Macy's, Herald Square, New York, N. Y., 10001. White vinyl floor tiles, 12" square, by Goodyear.

7. Seagreen "Starburst" carpet tiles from the Geometric Series. Cumuloft nylon flocked onto solution-dyed Acrilan, self-adhesive backing, 12" squares (also available in 18" squares and 8 different colors), \$1.12 per 12" square, by CBS Mfg.

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8. Chrome bench from the Dimensions Collection designed by Ralph Logan, base is mirror-chrome finish on steel with butterscotch leather cushion, 20" wide x 15" deep x 20" high, \$235.

9. Interlocking latex foam cushions on aluminum track form Italian chaise, each cushion separately upholstered

in stretch fabric available in 7 colors, 66" long x 30" wide, \$1100 at Prober,* 979 Third Ave., New York, N. Y., 10022.

(10. Cocktail table formed by bench on its side and 5/8" plate glass top, 40" square x 15 1/4" high, \$250.) By Globe Furniture.

11. Self-adhesive covering: "Americana" Con-Tact, 18" wide, 49c yard. "Ascot" polished patent Con-Tact, 18" wide, 98c yard. Both by Comark Plastics. "Chevron" Cohere, 49c yard. "Basket Weave" Cohere, 18" wide, 49c yard. Both by Clopay.

12. Curtains at corners of bed and valance are made-to-measure panels shirred on rods, in pink "Lilly" pattern chintz. Inside valance and curtains at corners and back of bed are made-to-measure panels in lime "Ginghamette" chintz. Upholstered headboard and tailored "Sophisticated" double bedspread in block-quilted lime "Ginghamette" chintz. Round table cover, 90" diam., in pink "Lilly" chintz. All by Nettle Creek through their complete-in-six-weeks decorating service. "Gold Seal" curtain rods by Kirsch. Natural rattan screen from Hong Kong, 20" x 72" panels, \$70. Tilt-top pedestal table of pine, Swedish antique c. 1750, \$675. Tyndale lamps with ceramic base, 27" high, \$60 each. Straw floor matting (available in any size and many colors), \$1.65 square foot. Antique Portuguese camphorwood chest with brass fittings, c. 1850, \$495. Bed frame by Harvard Bed Co., \$18. Lord & Taylor's double bed mattress and springs, \$90 each. All at Lord & Taylor, 424 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y., 10018.

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1. "Granada" one-piece seamless fiberglass tub and shower wall, 14" tub height. "Barrow" vitreous china lavatory. "Triangle" toilet. "Temperfix" controls on tub and lavatory, react to fluctuations in water pressure and temperature to maintain desired setting. All by Eljer.

Silver Mylar on accordion walls, 54" wide, \$9 yard at Allumé, Inc.,* 979 Third Ave., New York, N. Y., 10022. Amtico "Kaleidoscope" vinyl tiles, 12" square x 1/8" thick. "Mirror-Lite Strips" with 4 bulbs, brass or chrome, self-adhesive, 19 1/2" long, \$15 pair at Hammacher Schlemmer, 147 E. 57th St., New York, N. Y., 10022.

Decocraft mirror tiles over bathtub, 12" square, \$10 box of 12.

Sony Digital clock-radio, \$50. Clear plastic towel bar, 18", and towel ring, 6" diam., both with chrome fittings, \$14 each by Jakson. Crystal decanters, \$18 to \$40 at Baccarat Inc., 55 E. 57th St., New York, N. Y., 10022.

Hanging Plexiglas shelf, 43" wide x 16" deep x 13" high, \$375 at Bloomingdale's, Lexington Ave. & 59th St., New York, N. Y., 10022.

Nest of 3 plastic tables (largest shown as stool), 12" x 16" x 16 1/2" high to 12" x 14" x 14 1/2" high, \$135 for nest of 3 at The Shop of John Simmons,

416 Grove Park Rd., Memphis, Tenn., 38117.

White telephone jack by Marco Zanuso, \$50 at Scarabaeus Ltd., 223 E. 60th St., New York, N. Y., 10022.

Chrome cube, 24", \$95 at Bonniers, 605 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y., 10022 and Altman's, Fifth Ave. at 34th St., New York, N. Y., 10016.

"Atlantis" towels: bath \$3.50; hand \$2; washcloth 80c. Luxor quality white towels: bath \$4.50; hand \$2.25; washcloth 79c. Both by Martex, a product of WestPoint Pepperell.

Latex foam rubber mat on platform covered with white towels.

Cosmetics by Kenneth.

2. "Stix" plastic pedestal clock, battery-run, 12" high x 4" square, \$40 from Vincent Lippe's Bath & Boudoir. "Accent" pattern cotton fabric with Con-Tact backing, Scotchgard finish, 23" wide, \$5 yard by Riverdale Fabrics.

3. White urethane foam chaise covered with layer of vinyl, available in 25 colors, 60" long, \$340 by Quasar International.

4. "Exquisite" pedestal TV of white molded plastic, 15" x 15" x 16" high, \$115 by R.C.A.

5. Chrome cube, 24", \$95 at Bonniers and Altman's.

6. "Soroya" towels: bath \$4; hand \$2.30; fingertip 95c; washcloth 85c. "Soroya" shower curtain, double-polished clear vinyl, \$10. Both by Fieldcrest.

"Durhair" ribbed weave floor-covering of goat's hair, 6½" width, by Durkan Carpet Co.

Plastic towel bar and ring with chrome fittings, \$14 each by Jakson.

"Exquisite" pedestal TV (see #4 above). "Goblet" pedestal clock-radio (AM) of white molded plastic, battery-operated, 6¾" high x 4¾" wide x 4¼", \$30. Both by R.C.A.

All minerals on stands by Arthur Court, \$35 to \$200 at Lutten, Clarey, Stern,* 1059 Third Ave., New York, N. Y., 10021.

All plants from Terrestria, 409 East 60th Street, New York, N. Y., 10022.

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"A Maze" towels: bath \$4.50; hand \$2.25. "Trio" towels: bath \$5.50; hand \$2.75. "Grand Velour" solid color towels: bath \$4.50; hand \$2.25; fingertip \$1. All by Stevens-Utica. Pillows covered in "A Maze" and "Trio" patterns. Latex foam rubber mat covered in "Grand Velour" towels.

"Accent" pattern shower curtain, machine-washable, Scotchgard finish, 6' x 6', \$17 by Ames.

Walls covered in "Accent" cotton fabric with Con-Tact backing, Scotchgard finish, 23" wide, \$5 yard by Riverdale Fabrics.

Sea grass covered basket, \$14 at Paper Moon, 1192 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y., 10028.

Lucite picture frames, \$5 to \$15. Orange earthenware mug, \$3.50, and covered dish, \$5. Yellow plastic soap dish, \$2. Assorted combs, 75c each. All at Bonniers.

White vertical window blinds with louvers of Triglas fabric made to or-

der by Thru-Vu Vertical Blind Corp., 615 Fenimore Rd., Mamaroneck, N. Y., 10543.

White vinyl bathtub tray with 3 brushes, \$7 by Jakson. "Stix" plastic pedestal clock (see #2 above).

Tortue cosmetics by Polly Bergen.

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1. "Action" 2-panel silk screen on 4' x 6' canvases by Joe Grimaldi for Supergraphic Originals, limited edition of 150, \$600 the pair exclusively at W & J Sloane.

2. Campaign chest designed by Don Wright in pecan veneers from the Oxford Square Collection, silk-screened surface, brass hardware, stain and spill resistant Drexelguard finish, 32" x 19" x 21" high, \$143 by Drexel.

3. Parsons tables of seamless molded plastic: House & Garden Parrot Green dining table, 48" long x 24" wide x 28" high, \$45; Tangerine game table, 34" square x 28" high, \$50; Sun Yellow cocktail table, 34" square x 16" high, \$40. By Polyform Corp. of America.

4. Swell Chair of molded polyurethane covered in Antron nylon stretch fabric, self-inflates in seconds to 95% of its size, 1 hour to completely inflate and set, available in black, copper, fuchsia, red yellow, and Ultramarine Blue, 35" diam. x 35½" high, \$150 by Craft Associates.

5. Assemble-it-yourself table by Kip Coburn, 16" legs and 30" glass top, \$135 at Lucidity, 959 Second Ave., New York, N. Y., 10022.

6. Pacificolor "San Mateo" draperies, woven deep-dyed Fiberglas yarn available in many colors and ready-made sizes, 90" width \$17. By Burlington House.

7. Tri-section wall system from the Gemini Collection finished in white lacquer with polished chrome hardware: bookcase with 5 shelves, \$165; cabinet with 3 open top shelves and bottom shelves behind doors, \$209; cabinet with 2 open top shelves, drop-shelf desk, and 3 bottom drawers, \$242. Each section 32" wide x 15" deep x 79" high, also available in walnut finish. By Bernhardt Furniture.

8. Sofa table in a kit, includes cut sheets of Plexiglas, polishing materials and adhesive, 4' square x ½" thick top and 1¼" base, \$175 (\$185 with color base) by mail from Plexicraft Products, Inc., 33 Cranston Road, Kendall Park, N. J., 08824.

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9. "Treillage" rug from the Boutique Collection, 9' x 12', \$400. (Available in other sizes from 4½' x 6' to 12' x 18'. Matching solid color carpeting in 12' widths available at \$28 square yard.) By Hardwick & Magee.

White plastic bar/serving cart (foreground) with steel ball casters and bottom shelf, made in Italy by Kartell, 22½" square x 24" high, \$105. Imari ware covered dish made in Japan, \$95. Imari ware ashtray, 7¾" x 4½", \$15. White plastic radio made in Italy by Brionnega, \$135. "Balta Bedding" beds forming banquette, box spring and mattress combination, 33"

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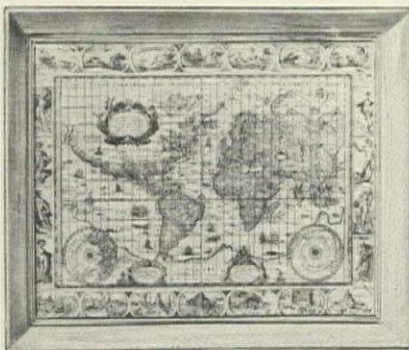
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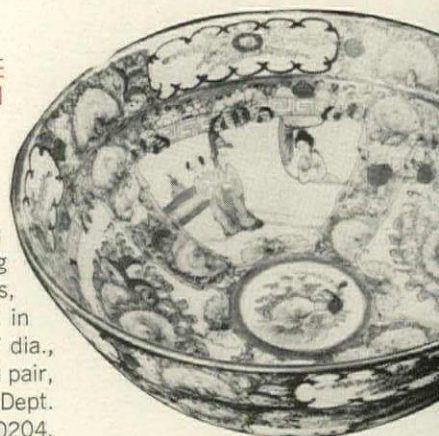
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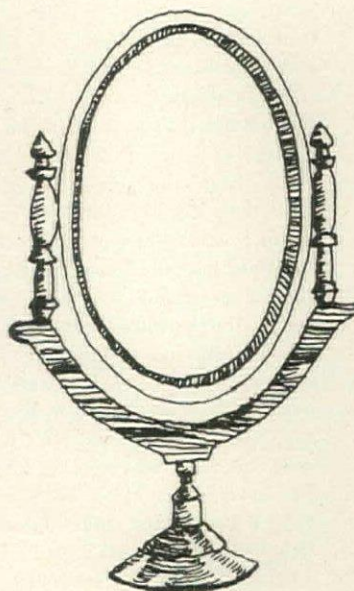
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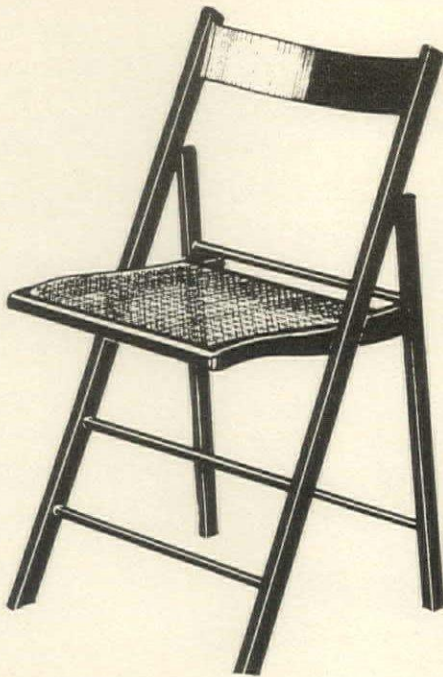
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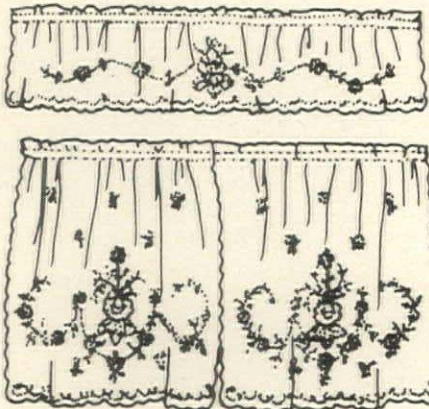


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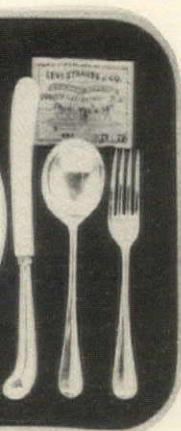
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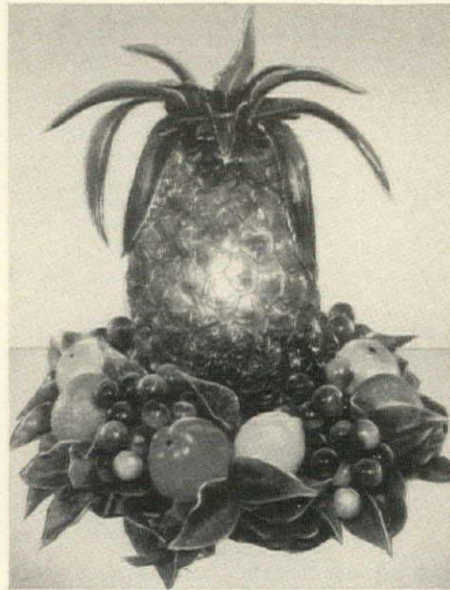


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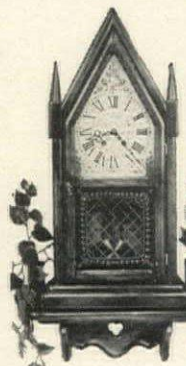
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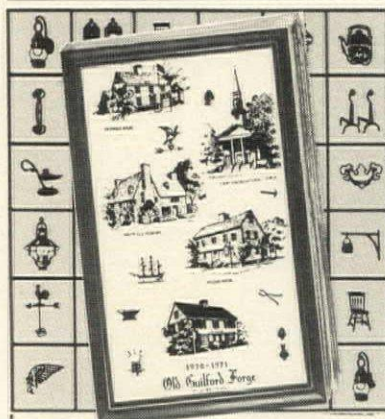


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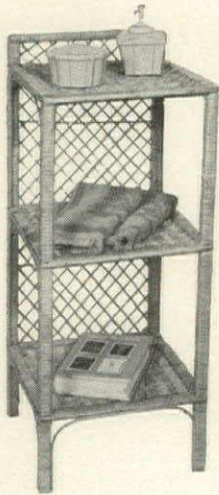


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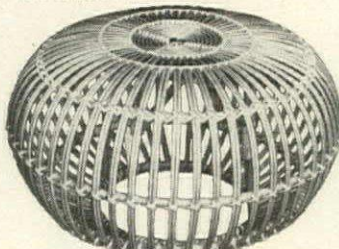
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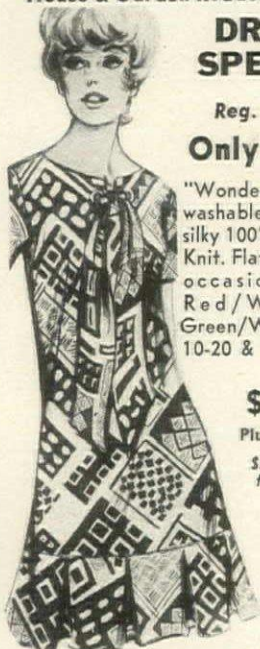


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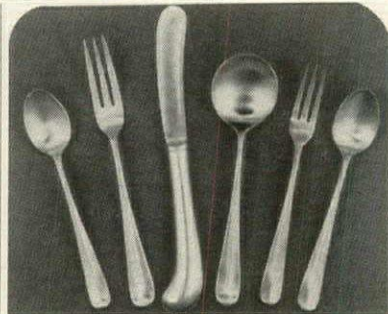
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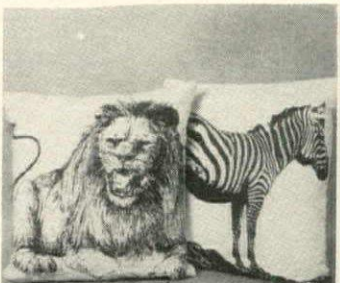
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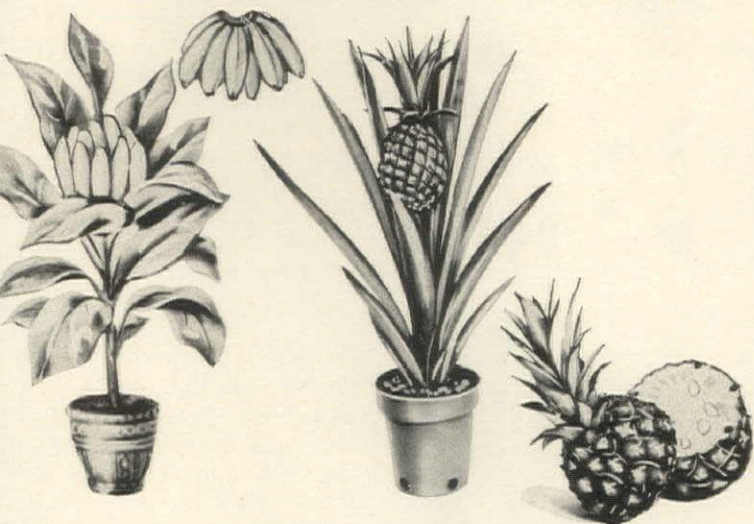
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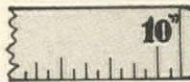
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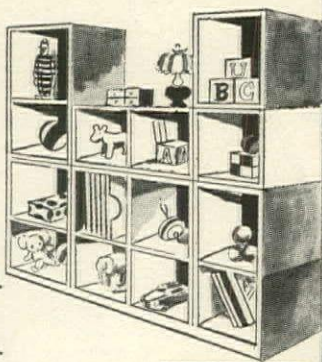


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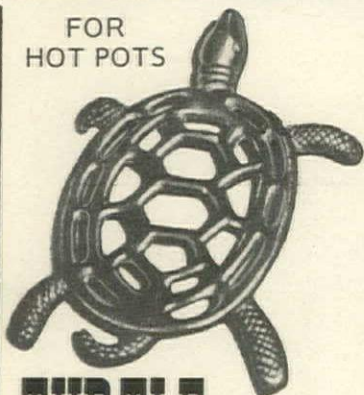


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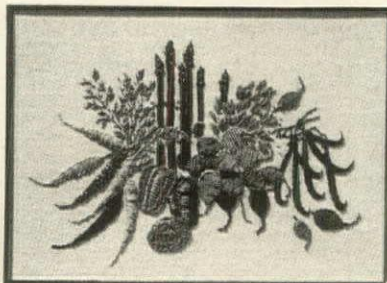
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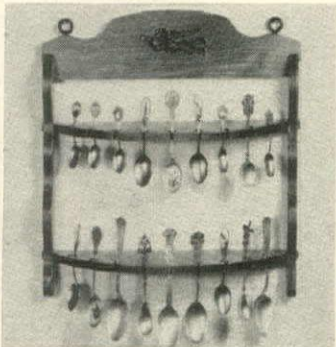
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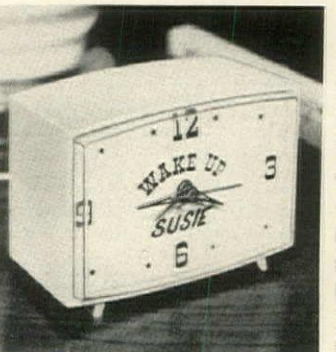
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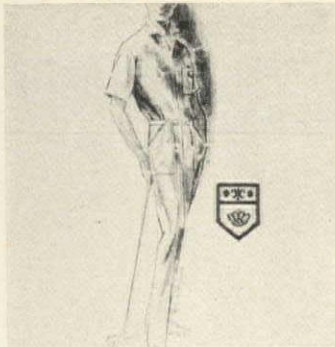
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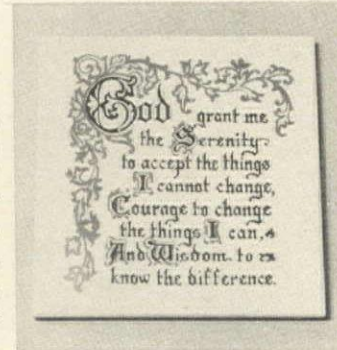
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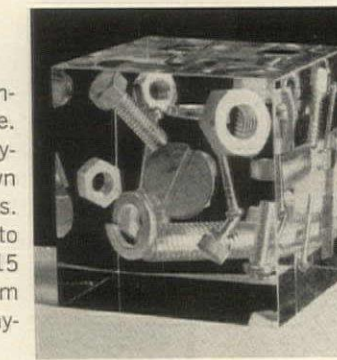
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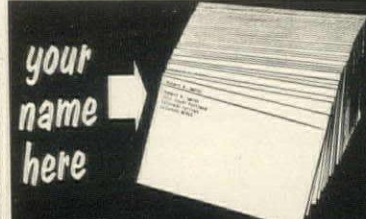
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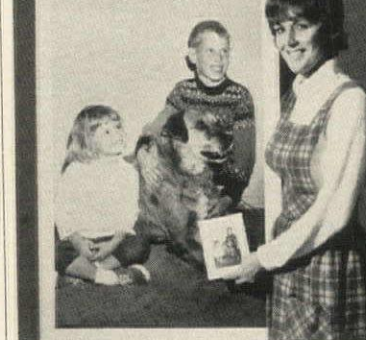
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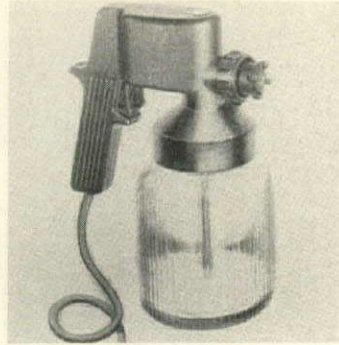
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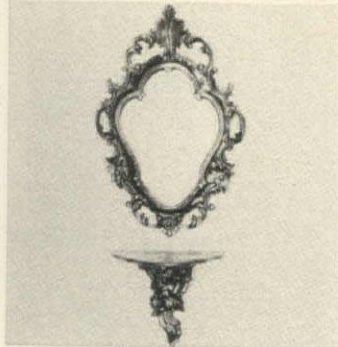
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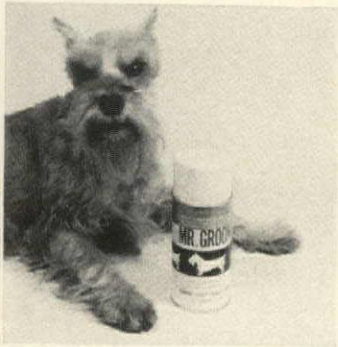
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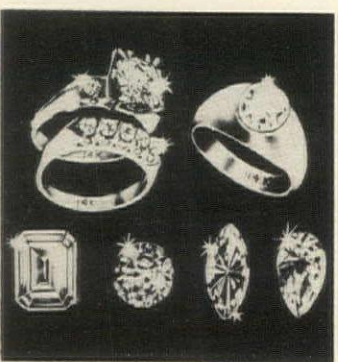
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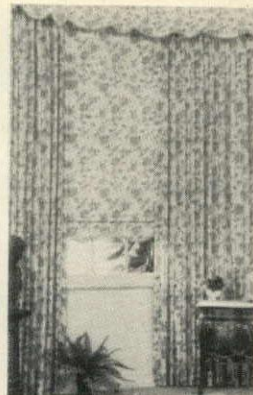


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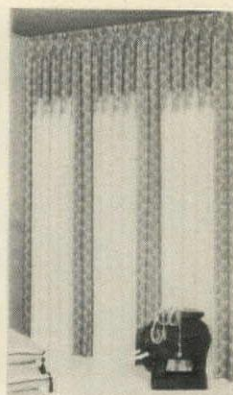
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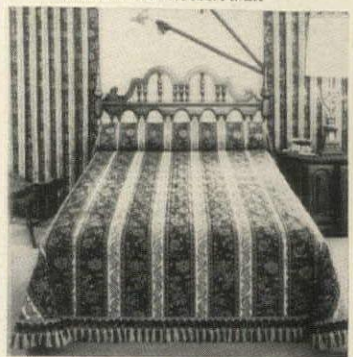
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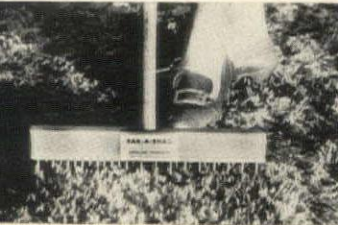
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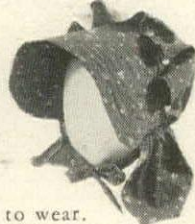
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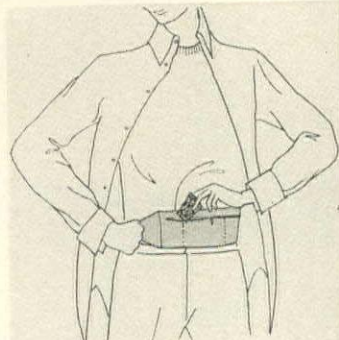
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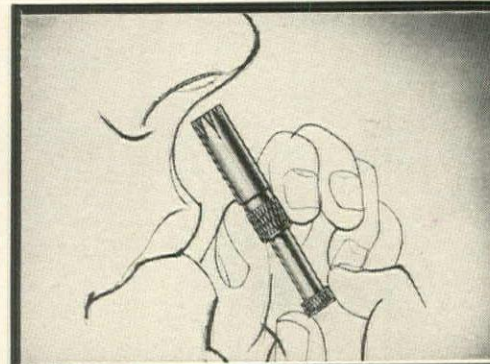
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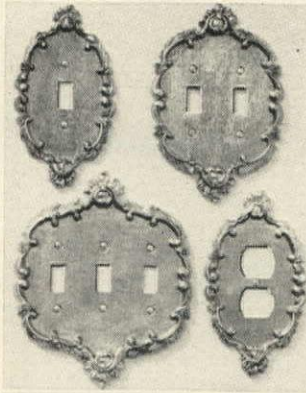
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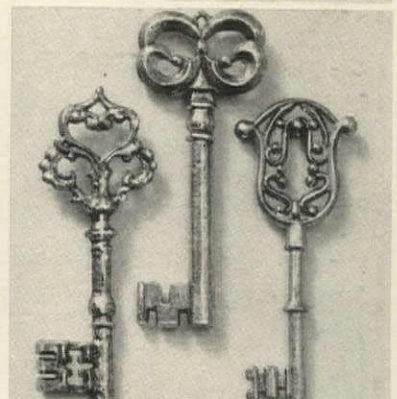
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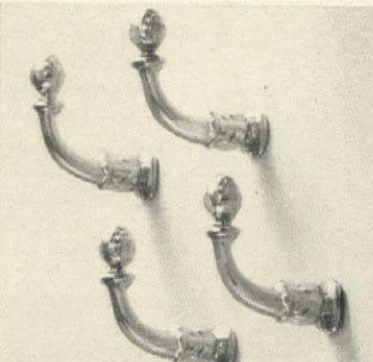
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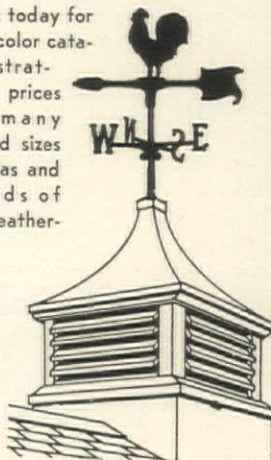


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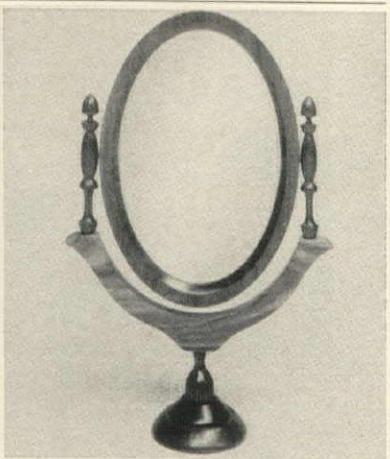
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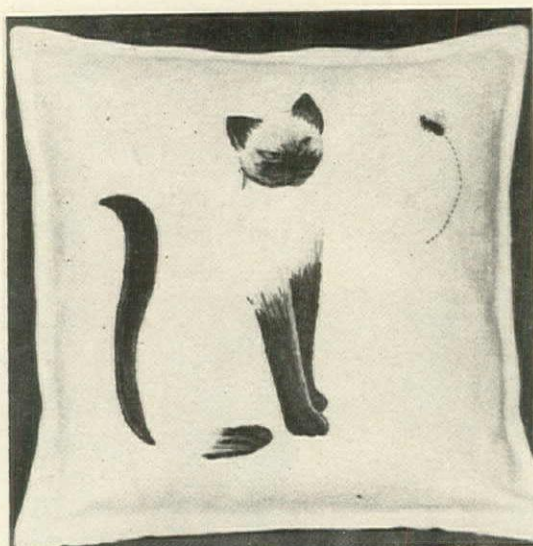
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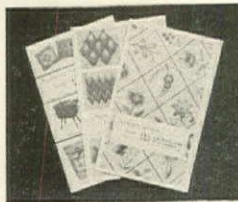
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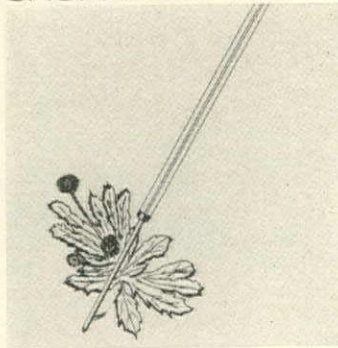
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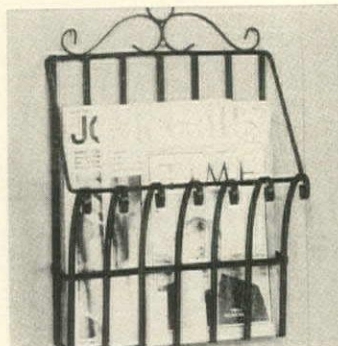


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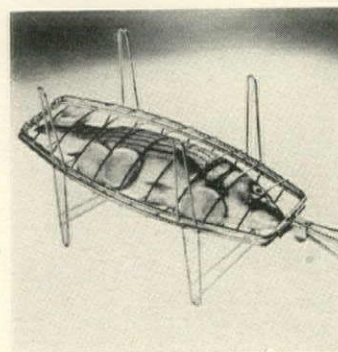
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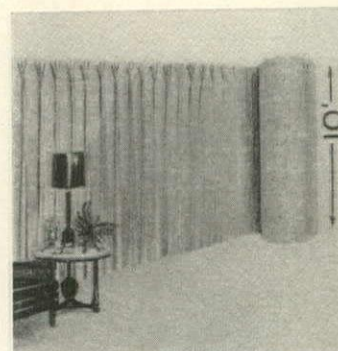
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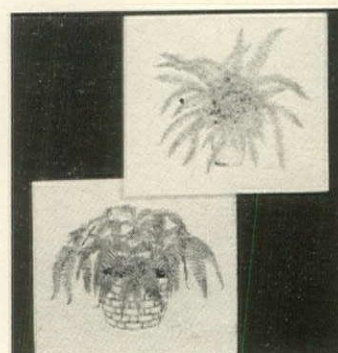
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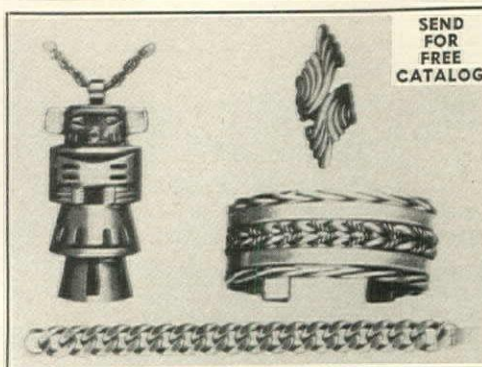
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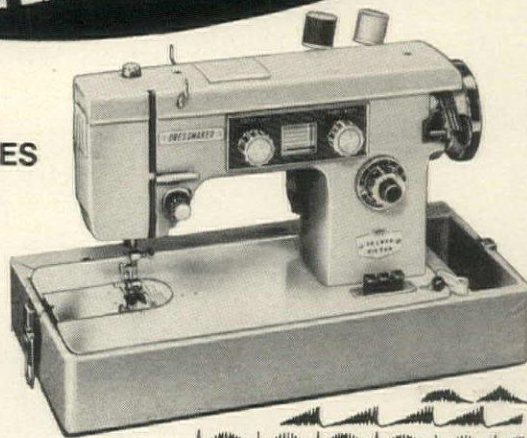


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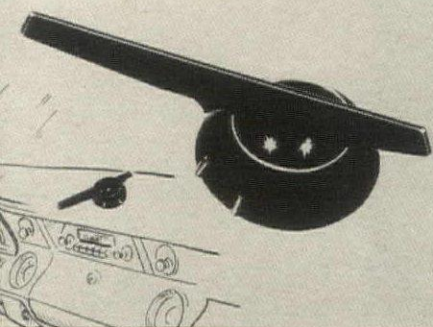
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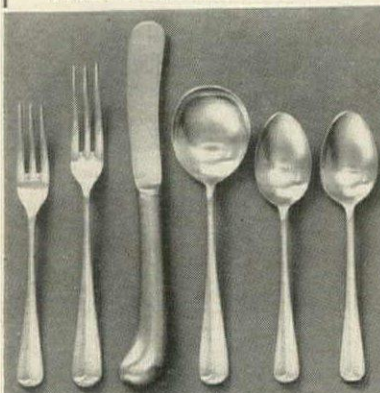
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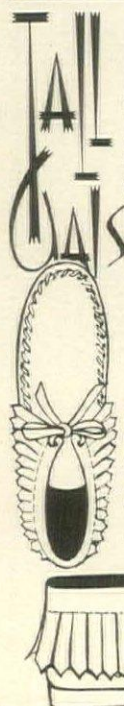
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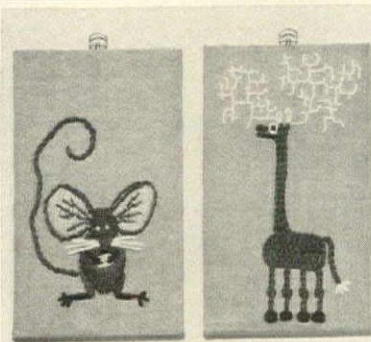
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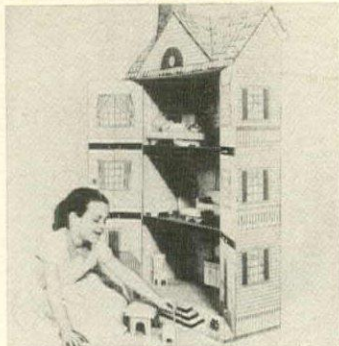
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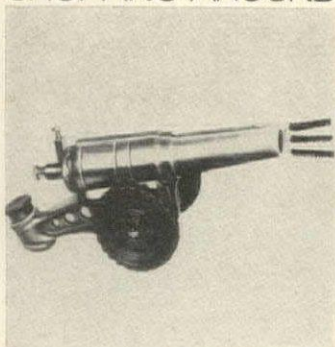
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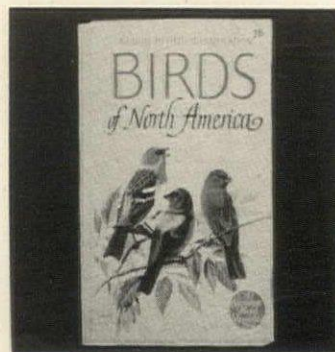
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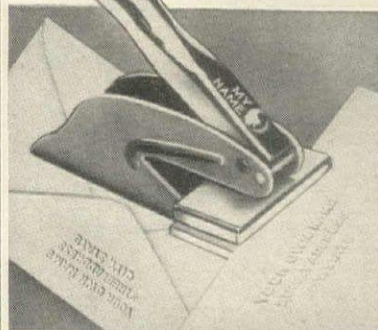


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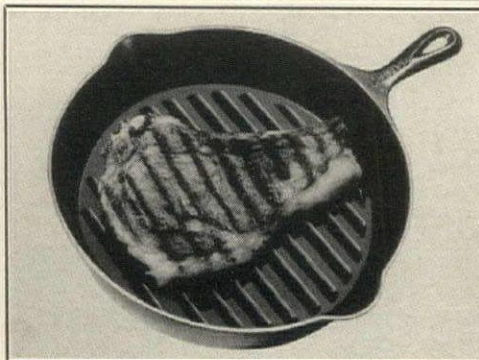
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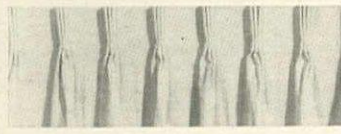
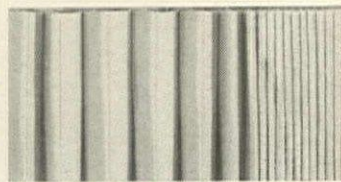
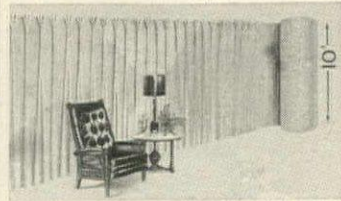
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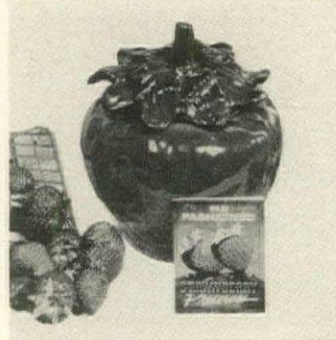
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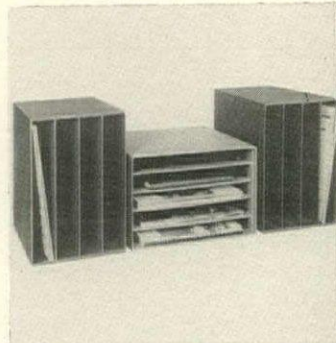
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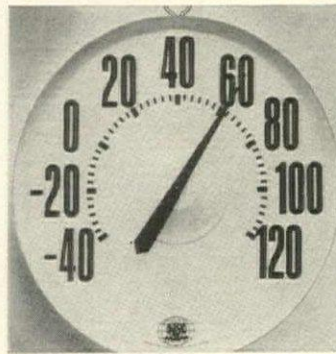
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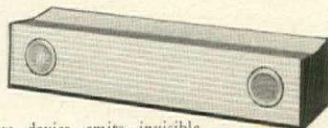
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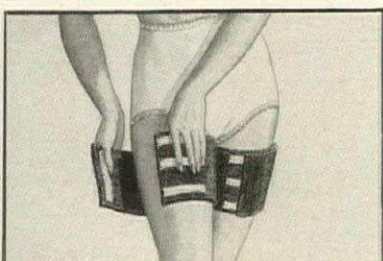


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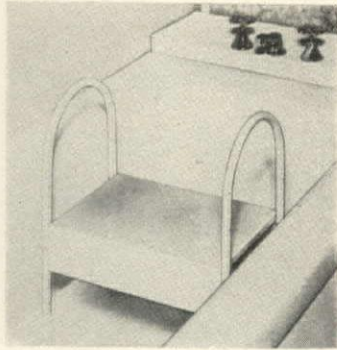
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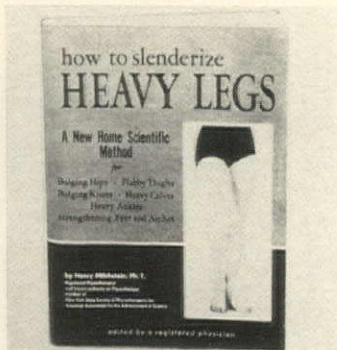
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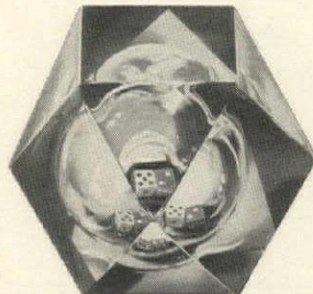
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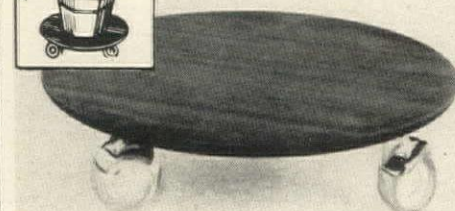


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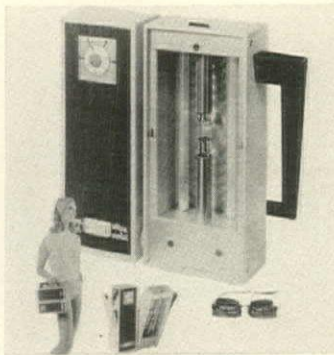
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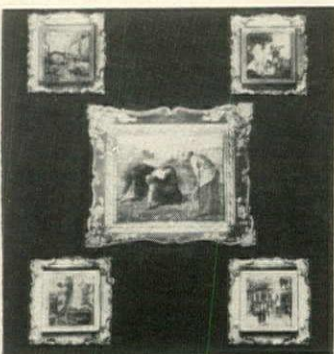
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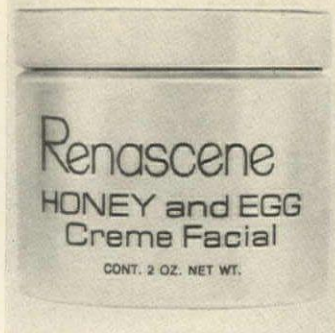
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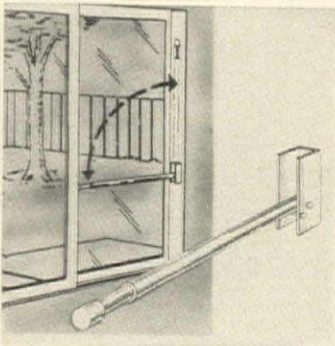
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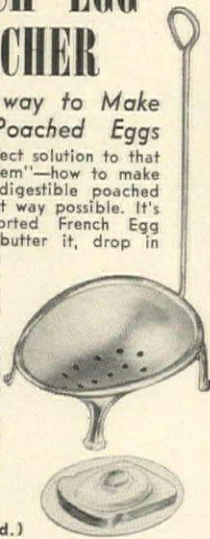
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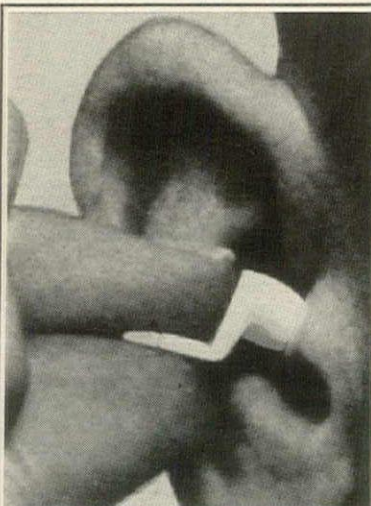
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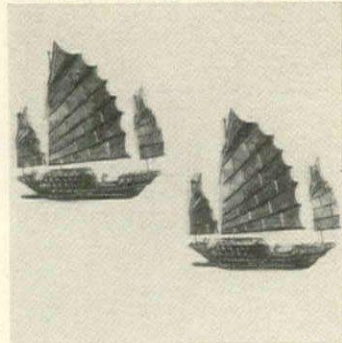
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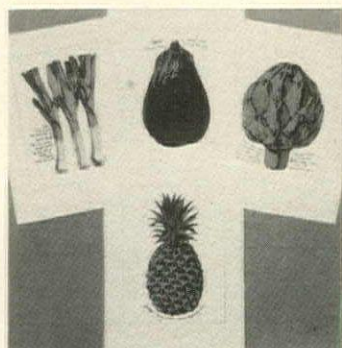
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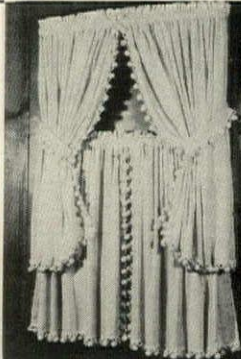


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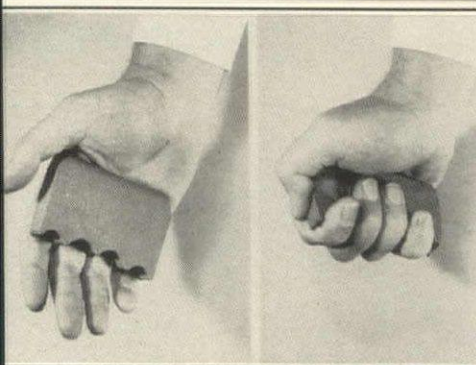
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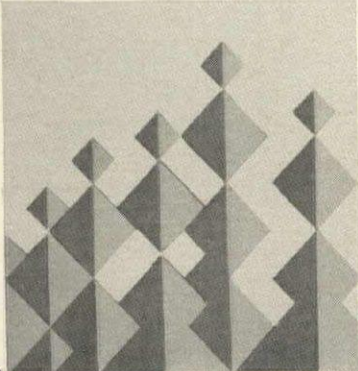
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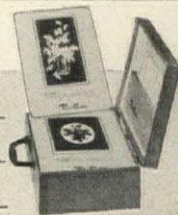
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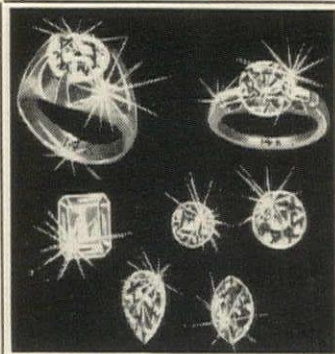
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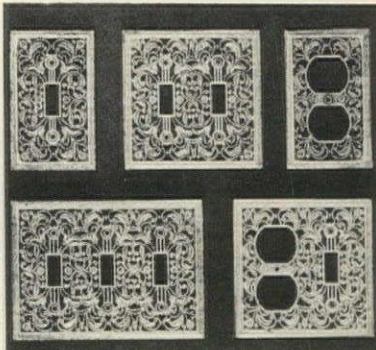
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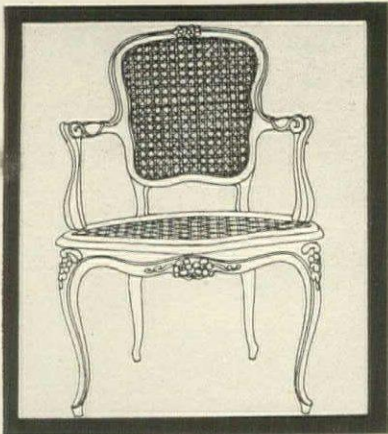
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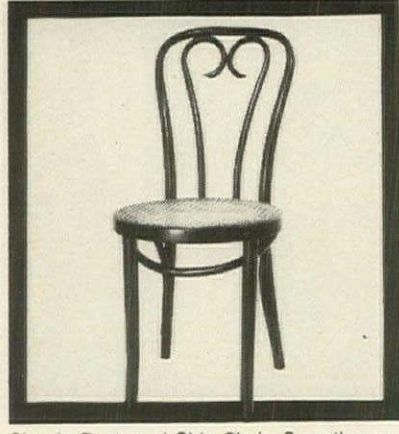
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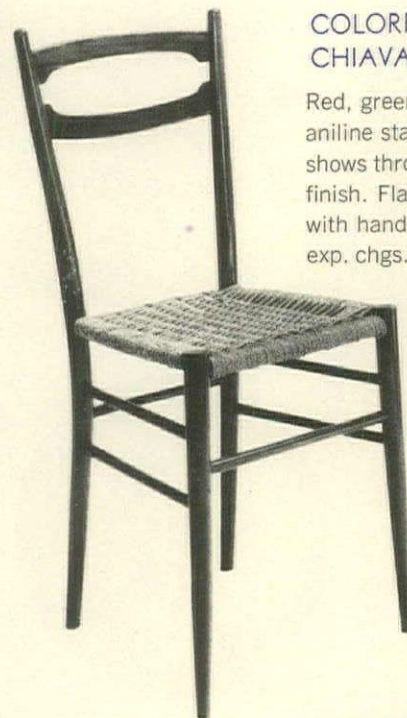


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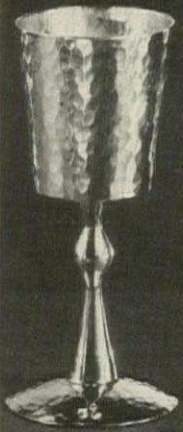
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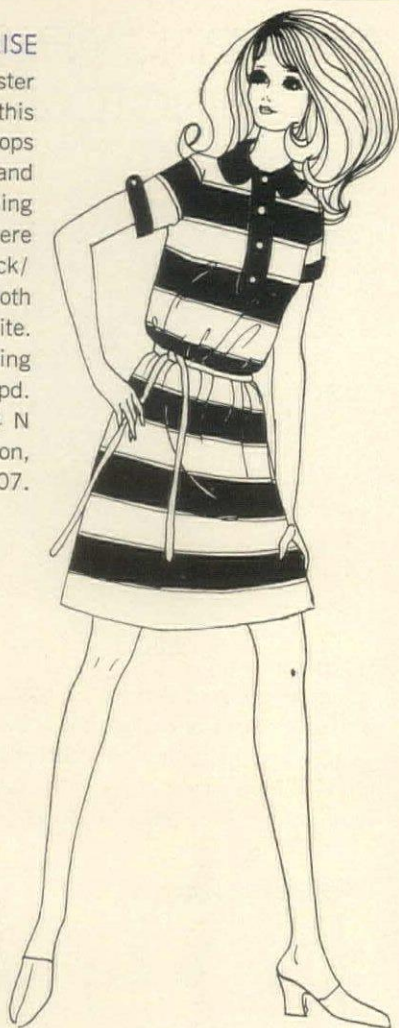
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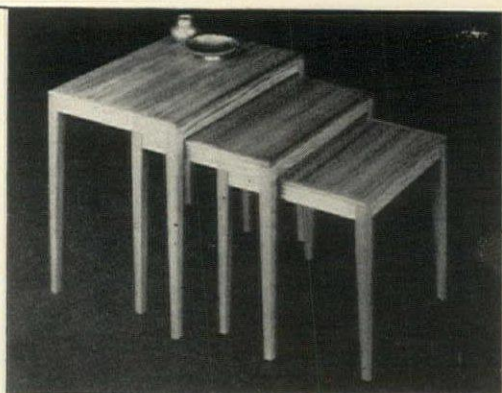
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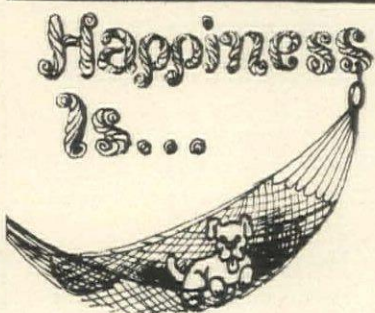


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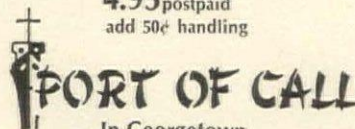
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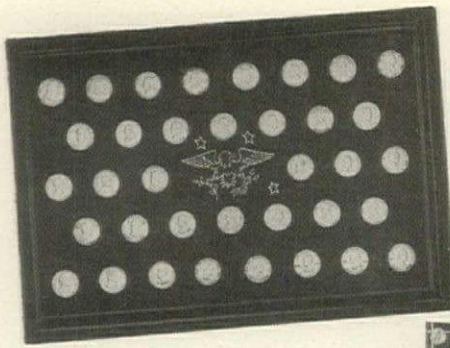


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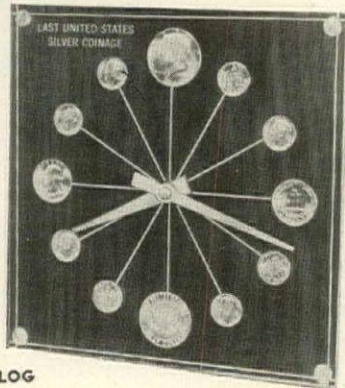
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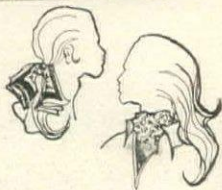
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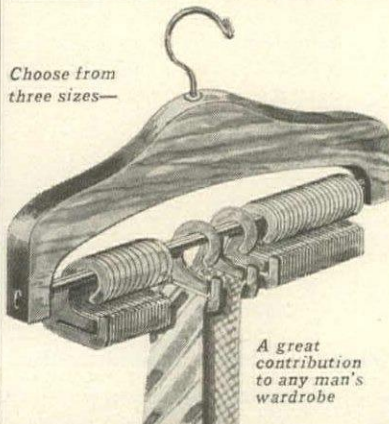
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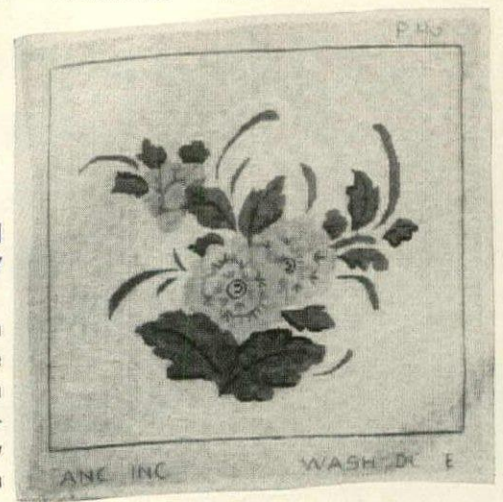
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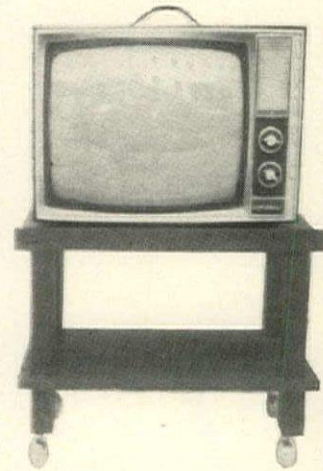
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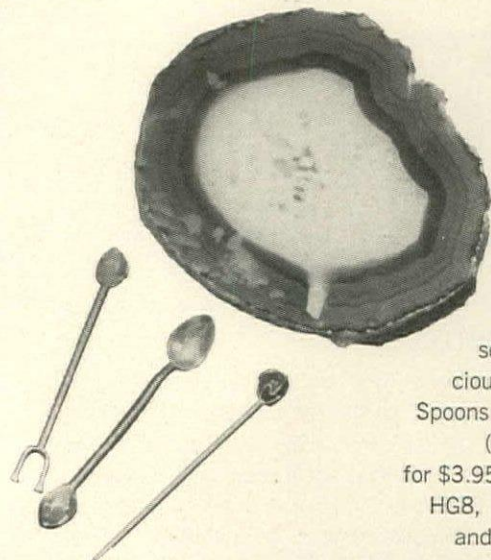
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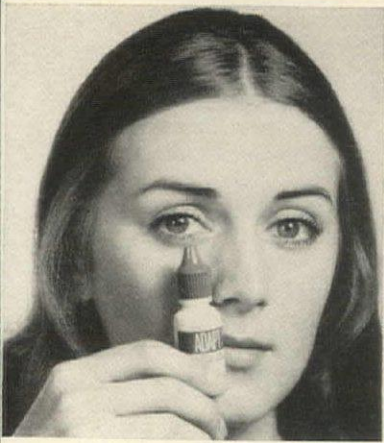


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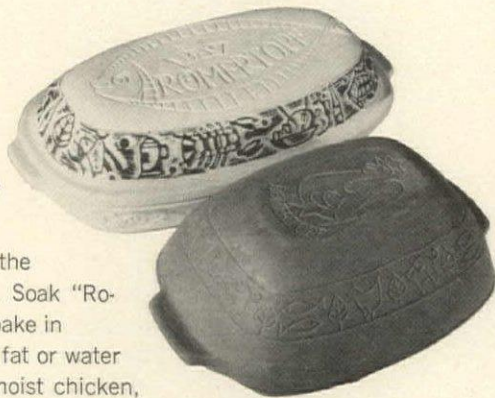
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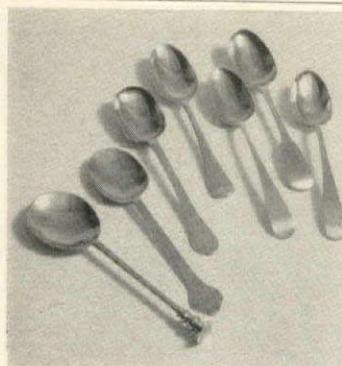
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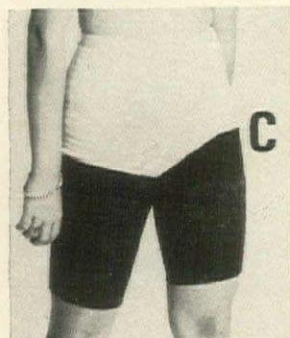
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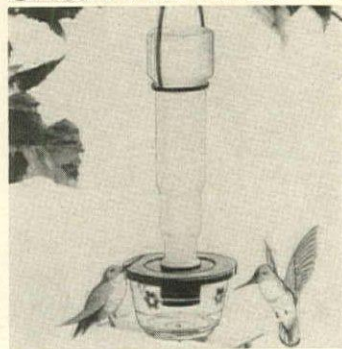
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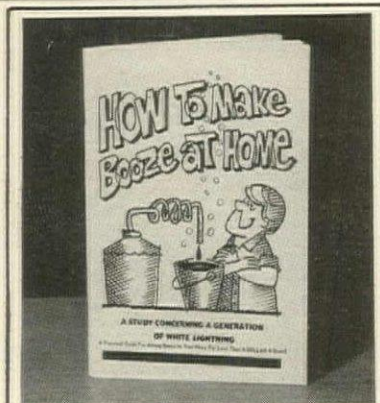
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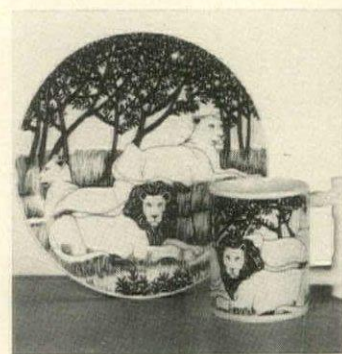
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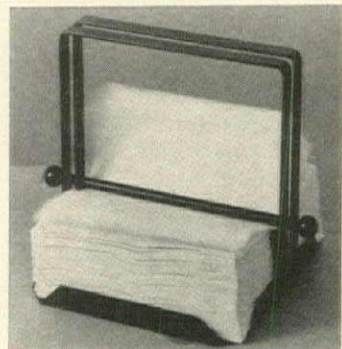
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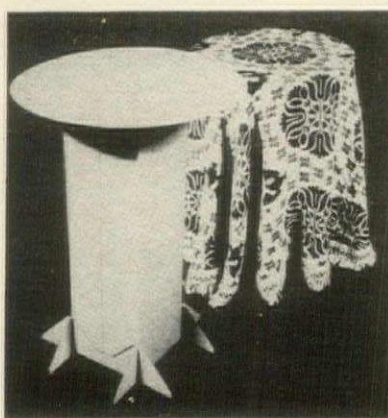


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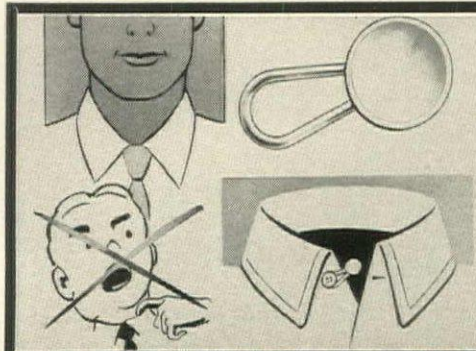
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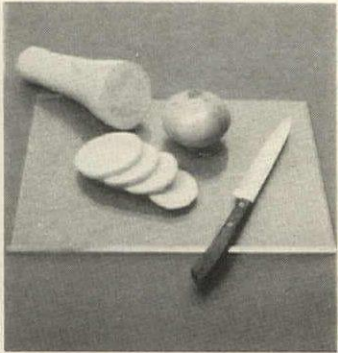
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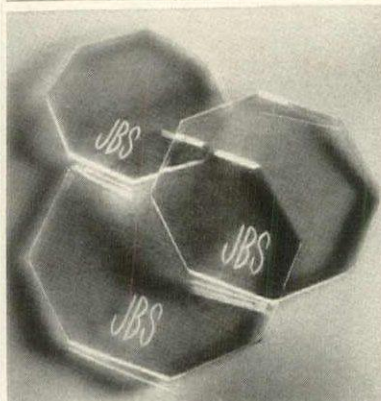
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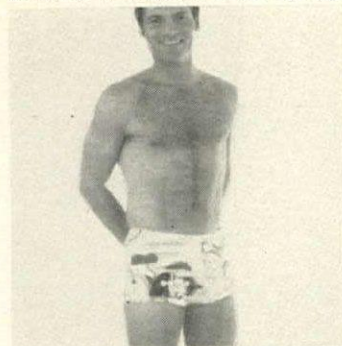
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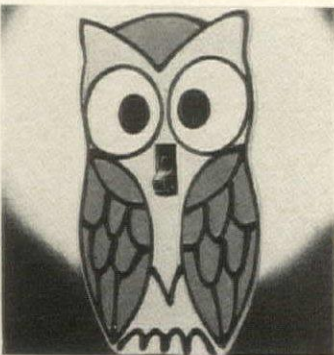
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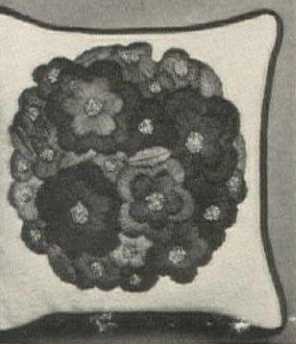
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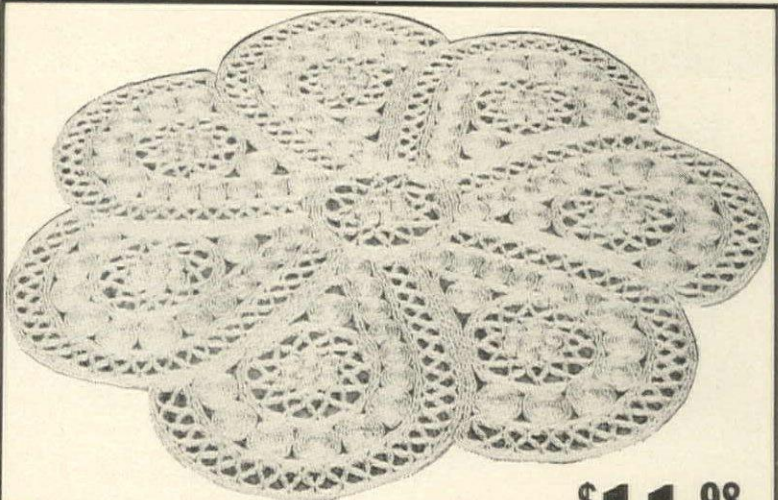


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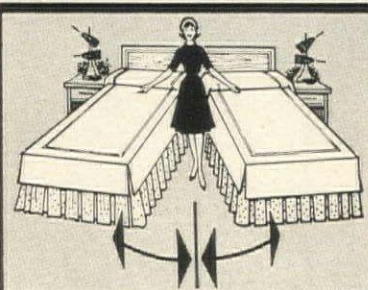
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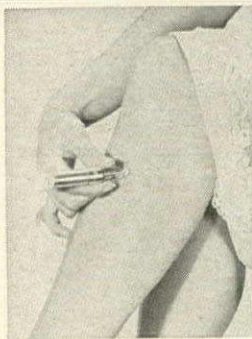
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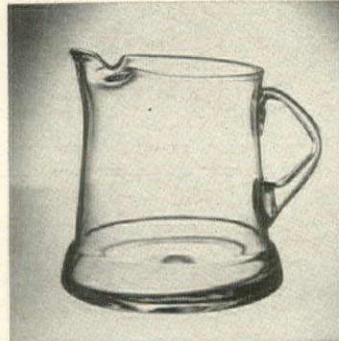


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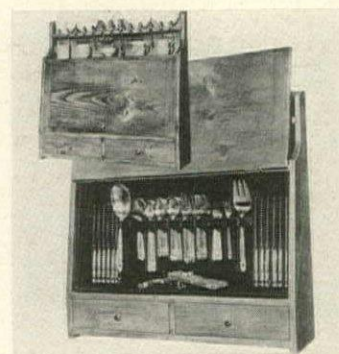
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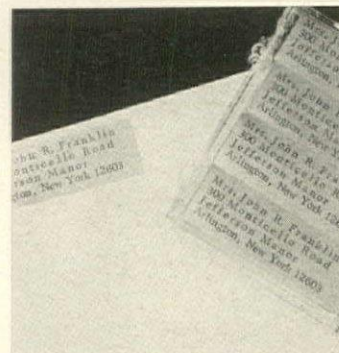
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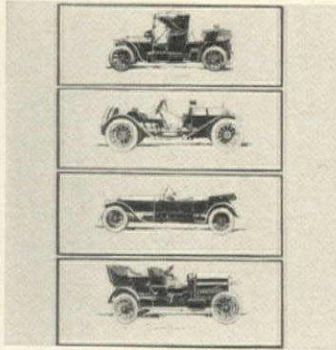
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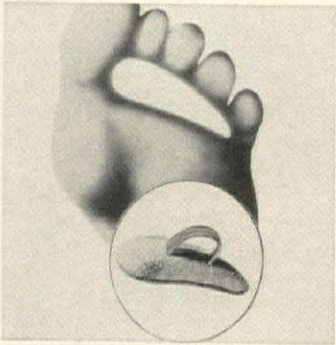
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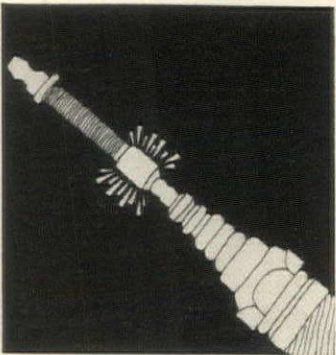
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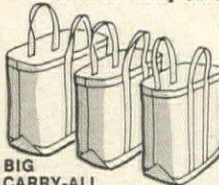
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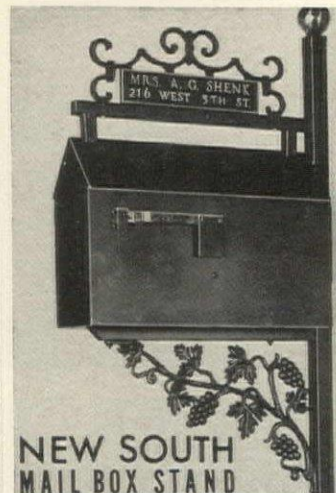
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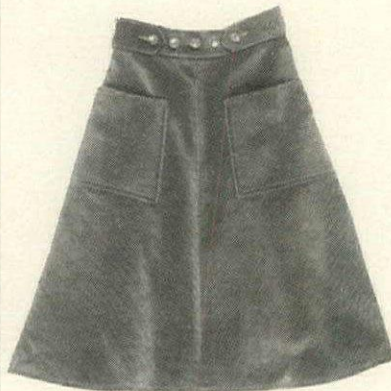
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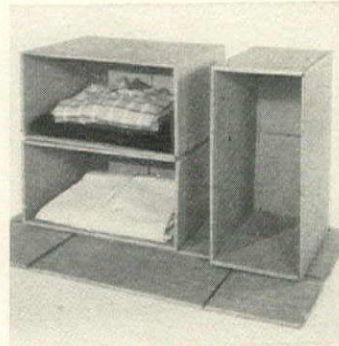
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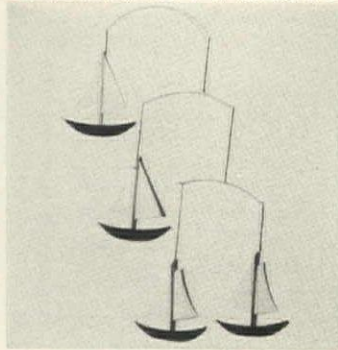
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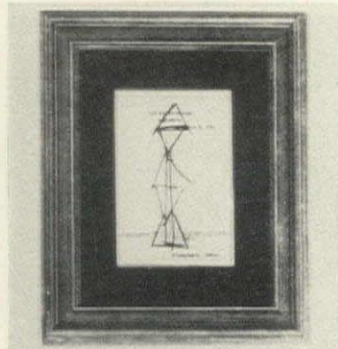
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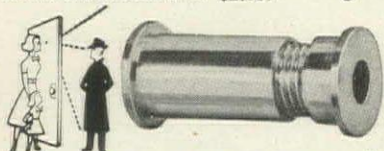
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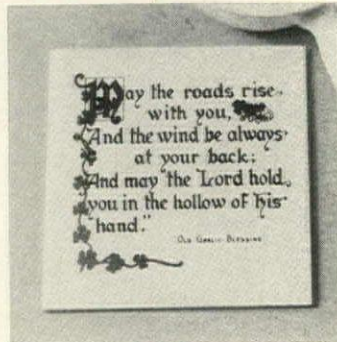
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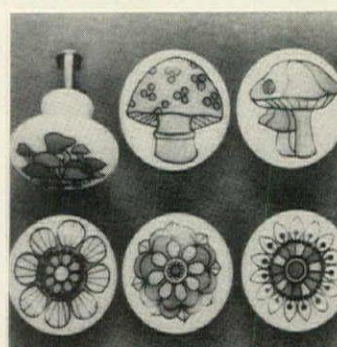
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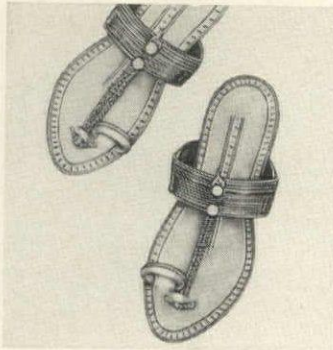
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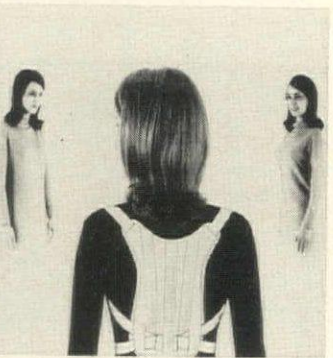
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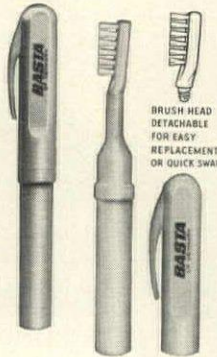
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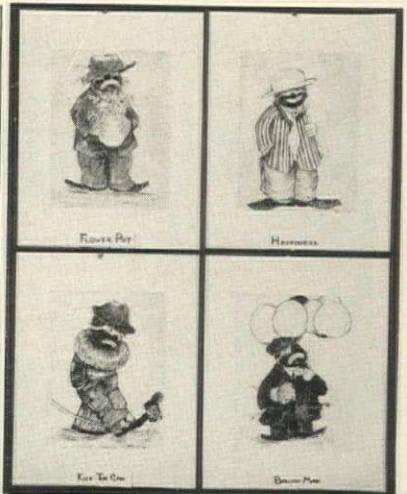
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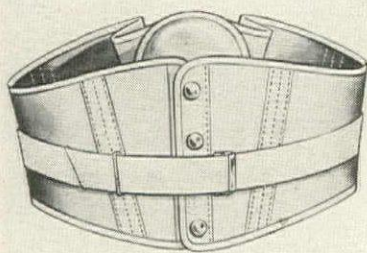
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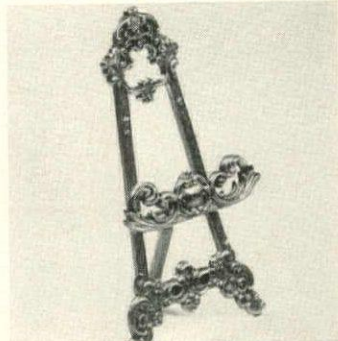
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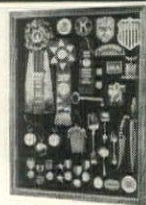
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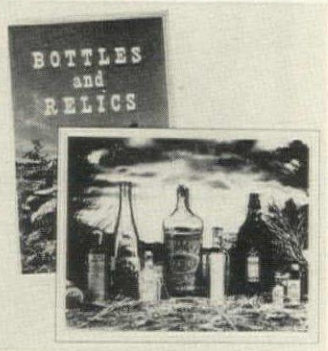
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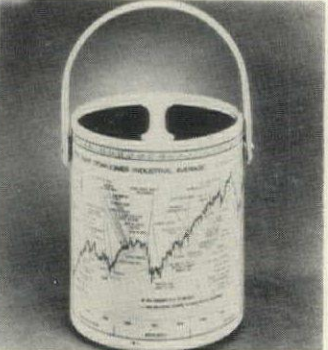
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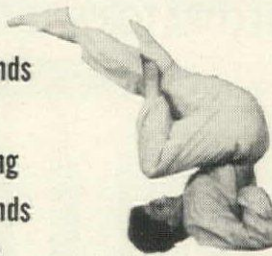
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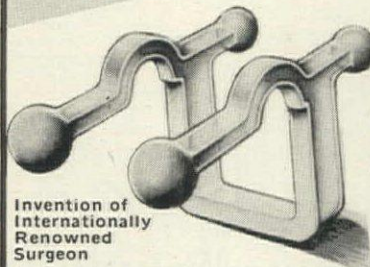
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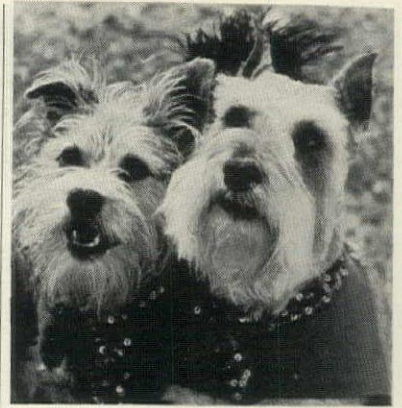


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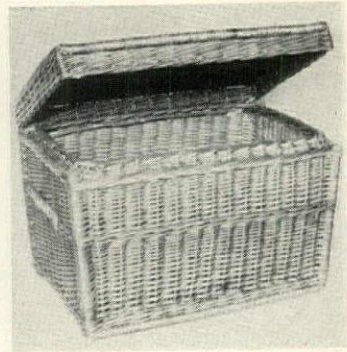
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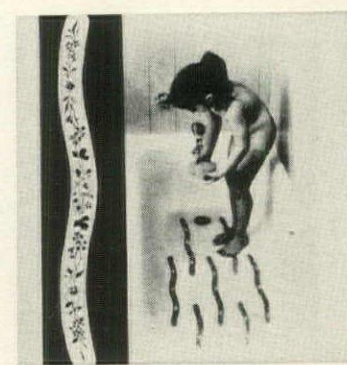
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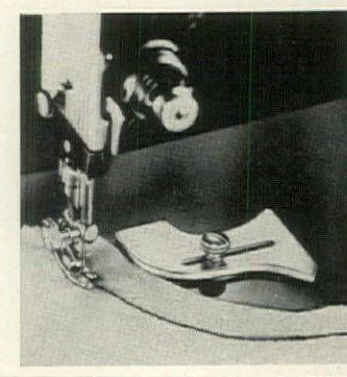
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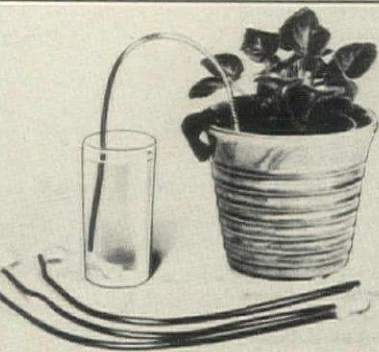
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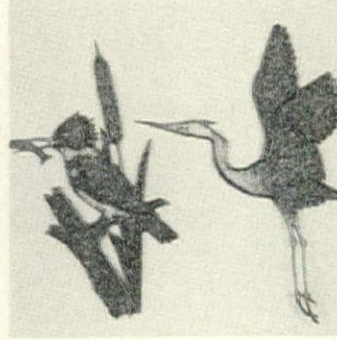


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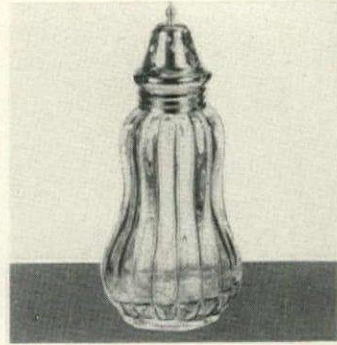
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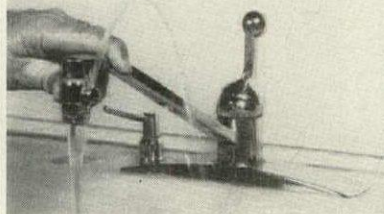
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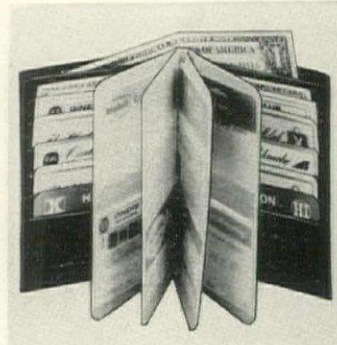
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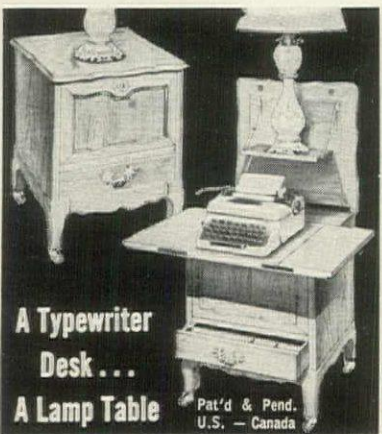
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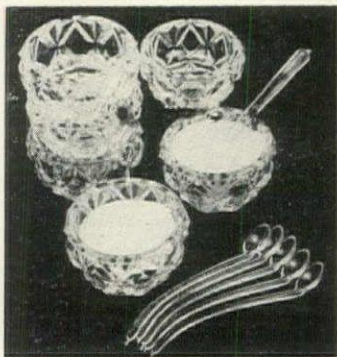
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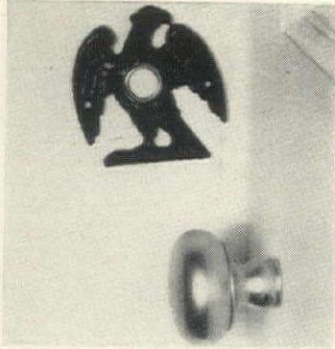
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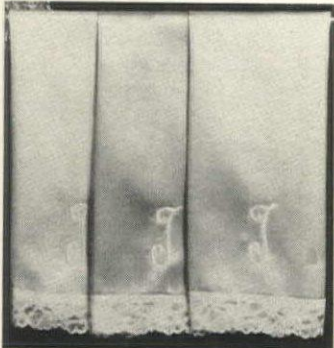
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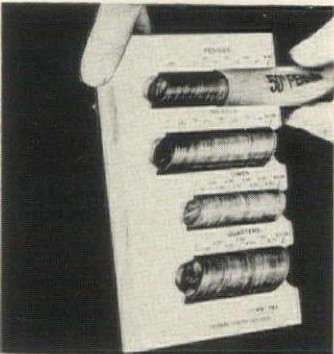
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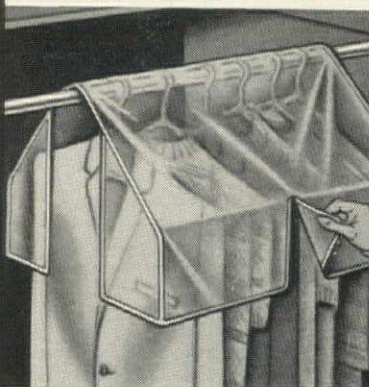
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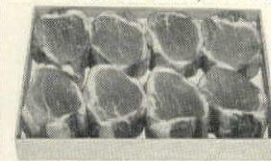
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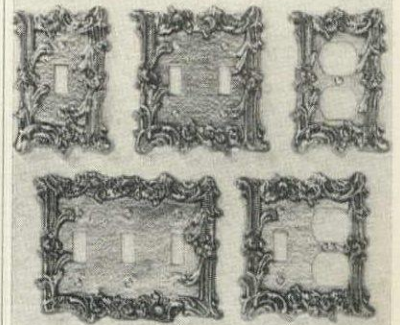
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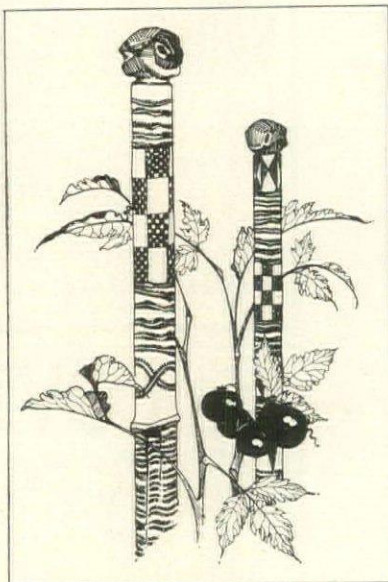
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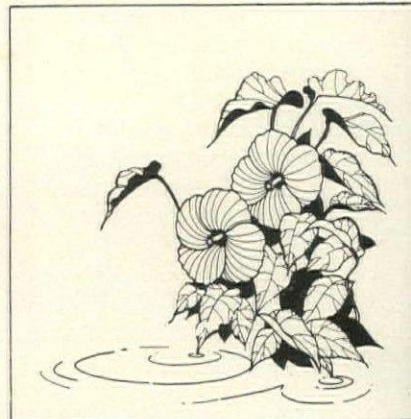
"AS THE POET'S HEART LEAPED UP when he beheld a host of golden daffodils, so mine throbs when I behold a row of meticulously cultivated cauliflower flowers." Angelo M. Pellegrini, in *The Food Lover's Garden* (Knopf, \$6.95) is not kidding. His delight in gardening is gustatory as well as visual. He also enjoys actually digging the soil, cultivating the plants and harvesting their produce. Mr. Pellegrini is a teacher of English, but his writing is as lively as the climate and cookery of Italy where he was born. In addition to the complete roster of plants grown for food in his Oregon garden, his book includes a real estate agent (villain) and two eager ladies who vie for the author's favor by cooking lip-smacking dishes that use the produce of his garden patch. Not just a how-to-do-it book, this also tells how to use it and most of all, how to enjoy it.

AUGUST IS THE GOURMET'S MONTH

for sweet corn. When the water boils it's time to pick the corn, so goes the old saying. And that is only a slight exaggeration. Plain fact of the matter is that corn begins to toughen and lose flavor the instant it leaves the parent stalk, so the shorter the time between garden and table the better. One way to shorten the time is to hurry the shucking process by chopping off tops and bottoms of the ears with a sharp knife or kitchen shears, after which a simple twist of the thumb peels off the remaining husks. To shorten the cooking, boil enough salted water to cover completely the number of ears you have picked, dump in the ears, cover tightly and leave the heat on high. When the water boils again, turn off the heat immediately, let the kettle sit for five minutes, and serve.

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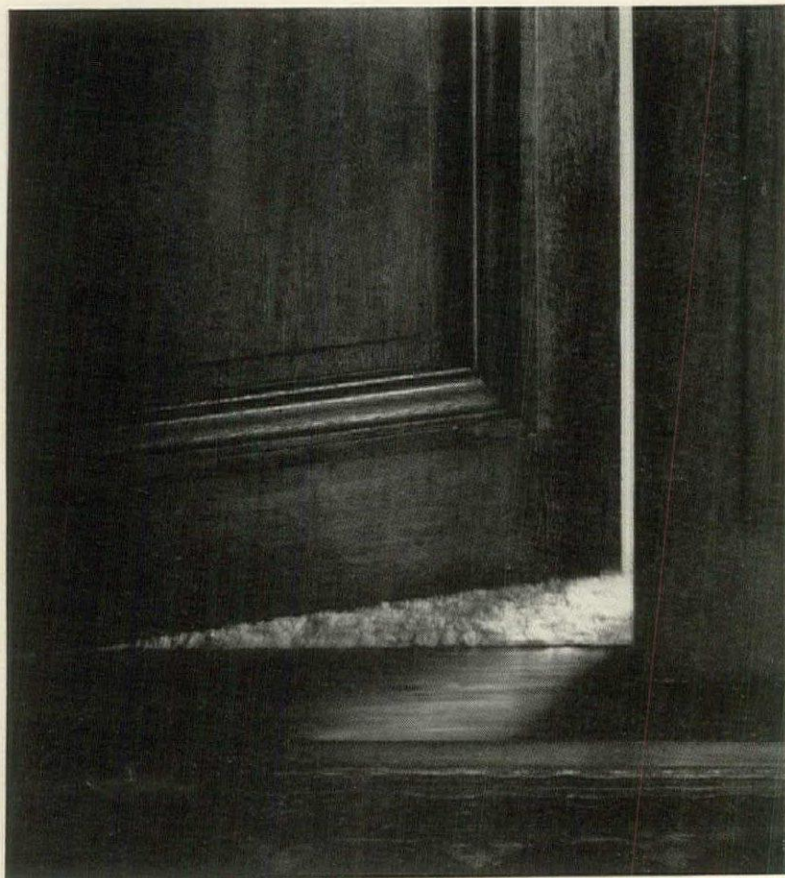
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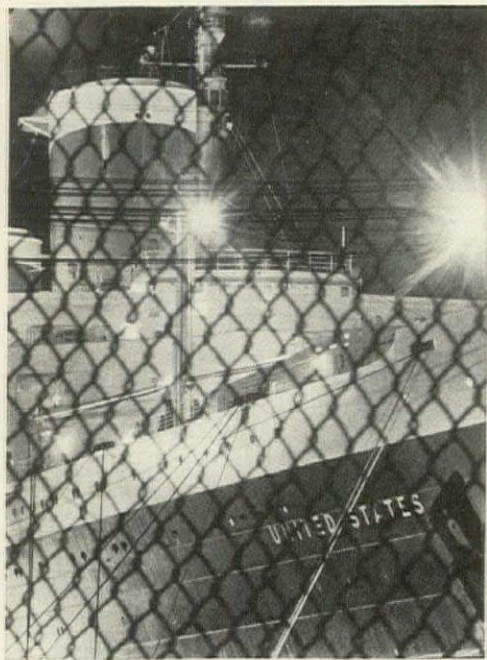


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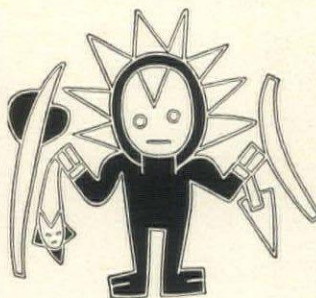
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wanted to reassure the Leos who see rather unpropitious signs for the present . . . everything's coming up roses with the first of the year. About that time, she feels that a glorious seven year cycle will start for Leos (July 23 through August 22) that will mean good things romantically, in a business way, and most particularly travel. (Mrs. Shoemaker who is always strong on cycles sees business caught in one now and says, "I've been getting my clients out of the market for a year and a half.") The Leo heroes and heroines behave in a lordly way, love dash and splendor, adulation, and luxury. And Mrs. Shoemaker sees a Leo woman having several perfumes of different moods with only an underlying emotional thread to tie them together. She thinks that Joy with all those roses and that drowning deepness would be a Leo scent (roses, especially red roses, are strongly connected with the sign), also Caron's Fleur de Rocaille where there are roses, too. When Mrs. Shoemaker sniffed Stradivarius, she said, "Ah, this would go right to the back of the head where the Leos live and speak to them." She also thinks that Nuit de Noel—because it is what she calls a "personality perfume"—would do a lot for Leo women. All of these would make nice presents. Leo needs presents and often deserves them because as Mrs. Shoemaker says, "Leo is very loyal," and then she laughed and added, "that's not to be confused with always faithful."

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