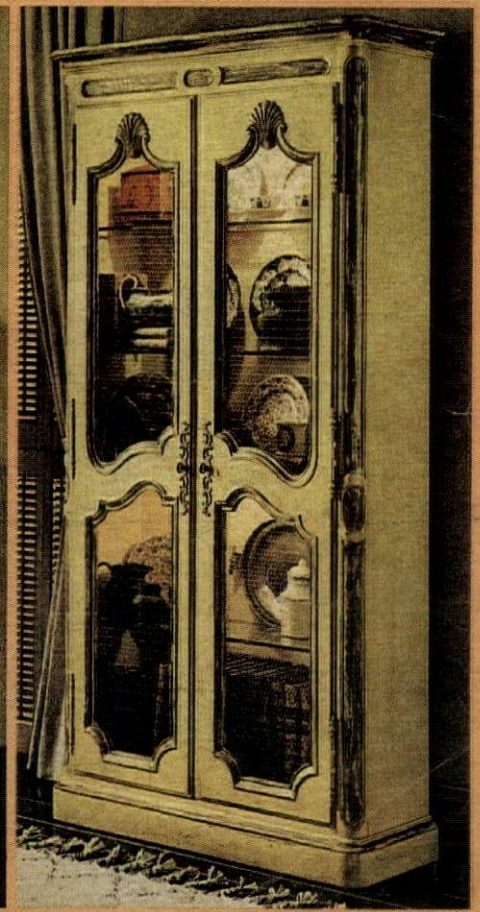


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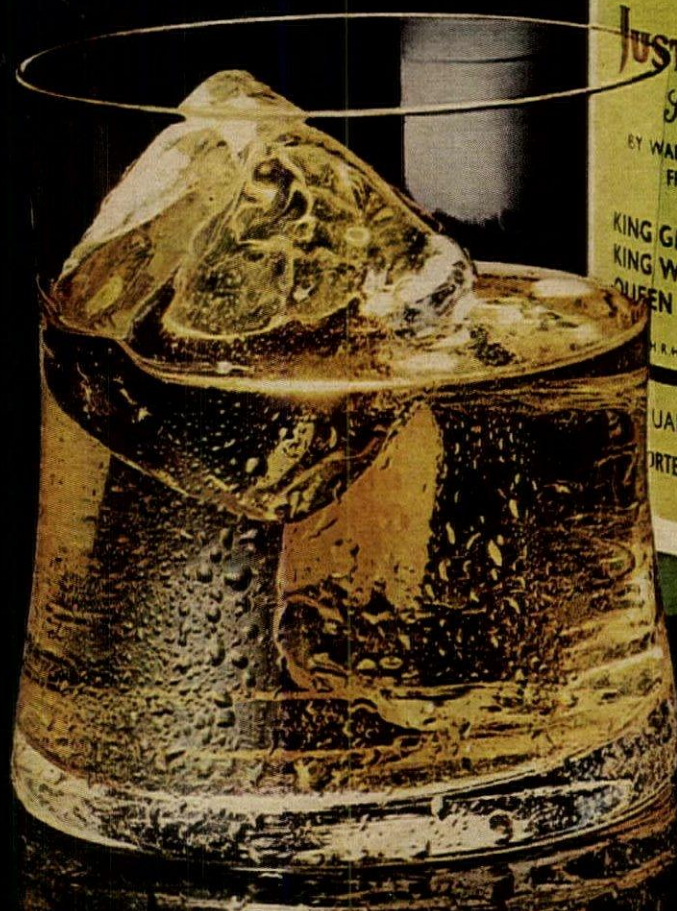
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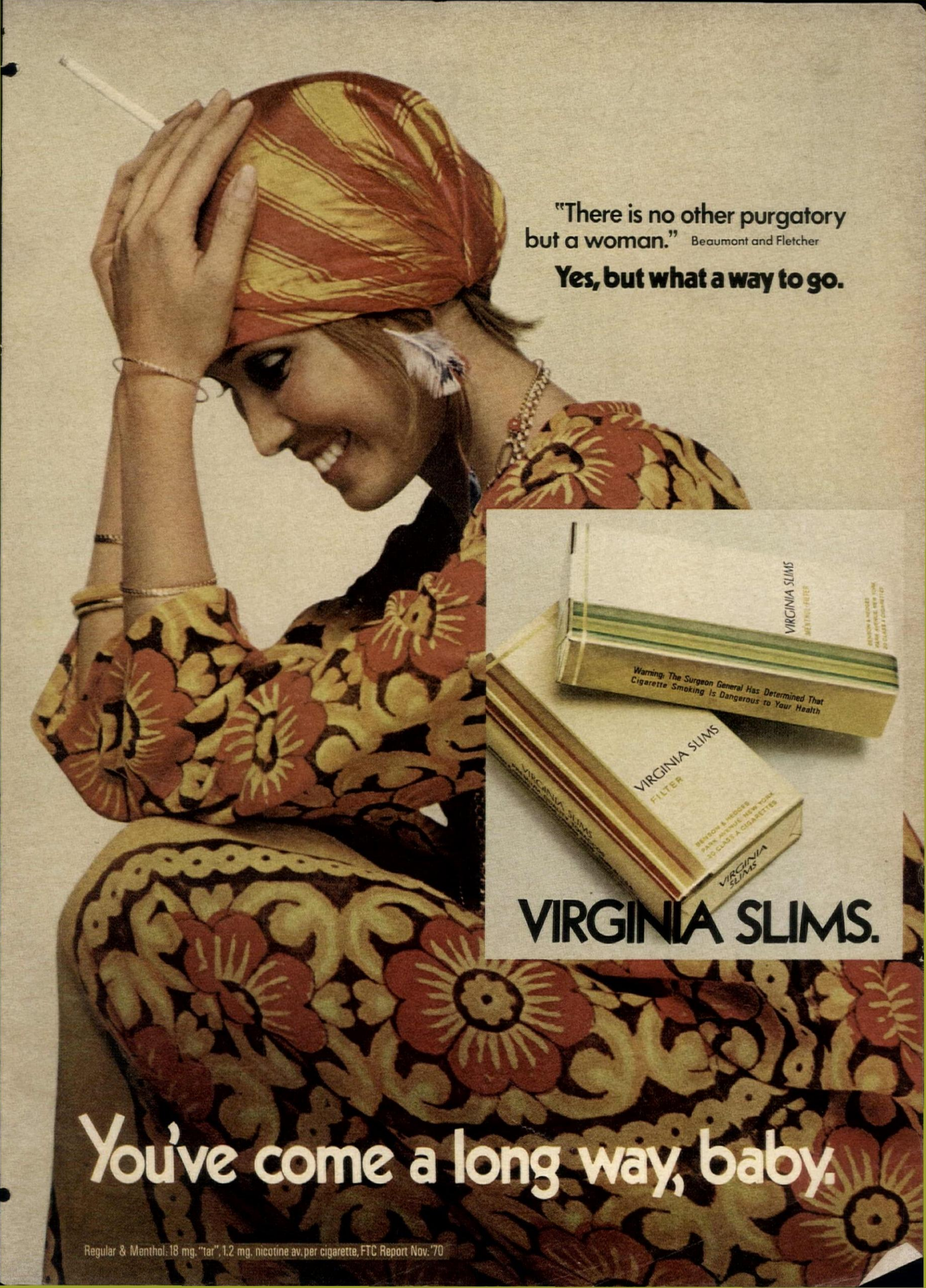
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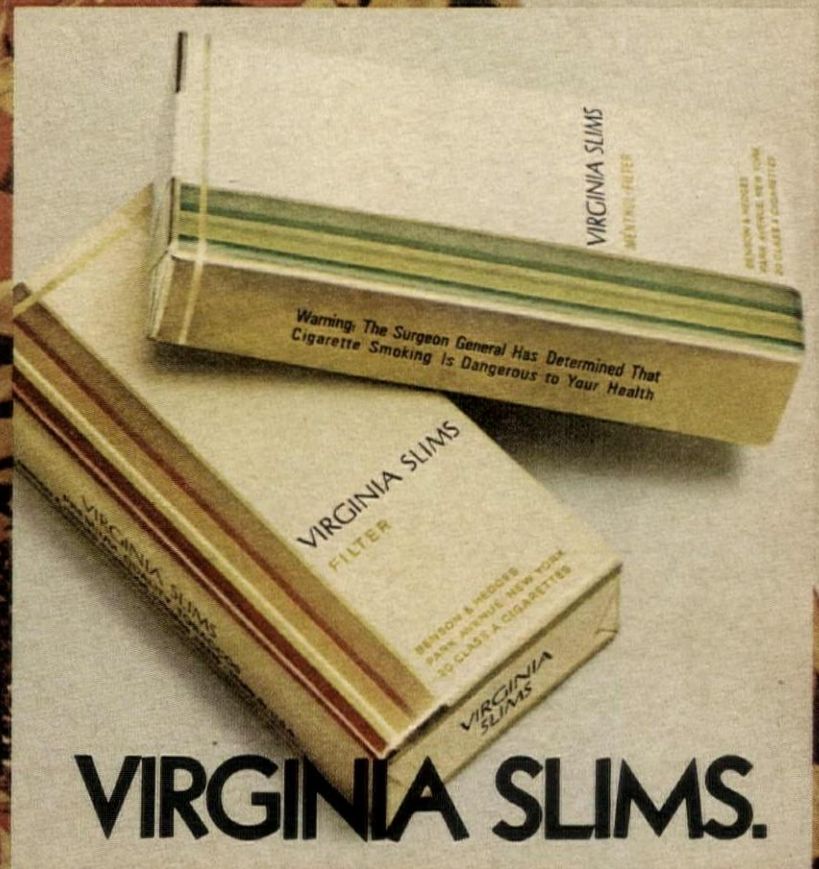
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How to be an expert with pattern

By William Baldwin

In Paris recently, I saw a freshly decorated room with a great collection of antique French chairs. To update them, their intricately patterned tapestry covers had been replaced with plain-colored satin ones. A friend of mine, a woman with marvelous taste, saw the finished room too. "It is obviously very expensive, but an utter bore," she said. "It is absolutely patternless. There is nothing for your eye to feed on."

Pattern-on-pattern is nature's way

In my own experience, I have learned that to omit pattern from a room is to leave it looking flavorless. "Lots of pattern makes a room too busy," protest novices, not sure of themselves. They forget pattern-on-pattern is nature's way.

In small rooms pattern has an intimate quality

In decorating, there are two ways I use pattern: a little or a lot. When you use a lot, you create the currently popular pattern-on-pattern room, where practically no surface is left untouched by pattern of one sort or another. Such clutters of pattern look best in small rooms, because small rooms and lots of pattern have the same kind of intimate quality about them.

When I decorated Kenneth's salon in New York, I didn't draw a blueprint calling for pattern-on-pattern, but that's the way it worked out. The allover patterns in reds and golds just happened to create the kind of atmosphere we were looking for: coziness, feet-up relaxation, a place where a woman would feel coddled the moment she stepped through the door. Pattern-on-pattern has a way of doing that.

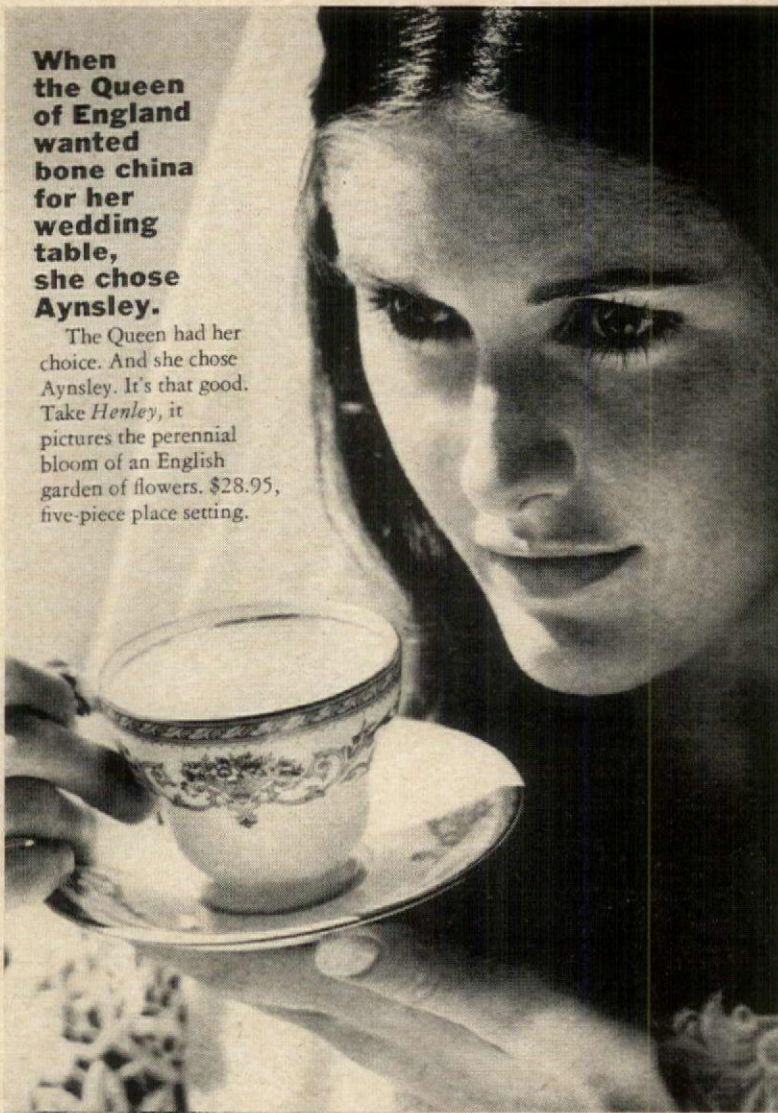
Large rooms need a little pattern for spice

In a larger room, so much pattern would be either dreary or so overpowering it would knock you down. In such rooms, I like clean, open spaces, expanses of fresh clear colors, and a little pattern for spice. In a blue and white room I did in France, the pattern is limited to rugs, ottomans, sofa cushions, and a collection of Chinese porcelains. If you were to eliminate any of the pattern, the room would look rather antiseptic. But any more pattern would be just too fussy.

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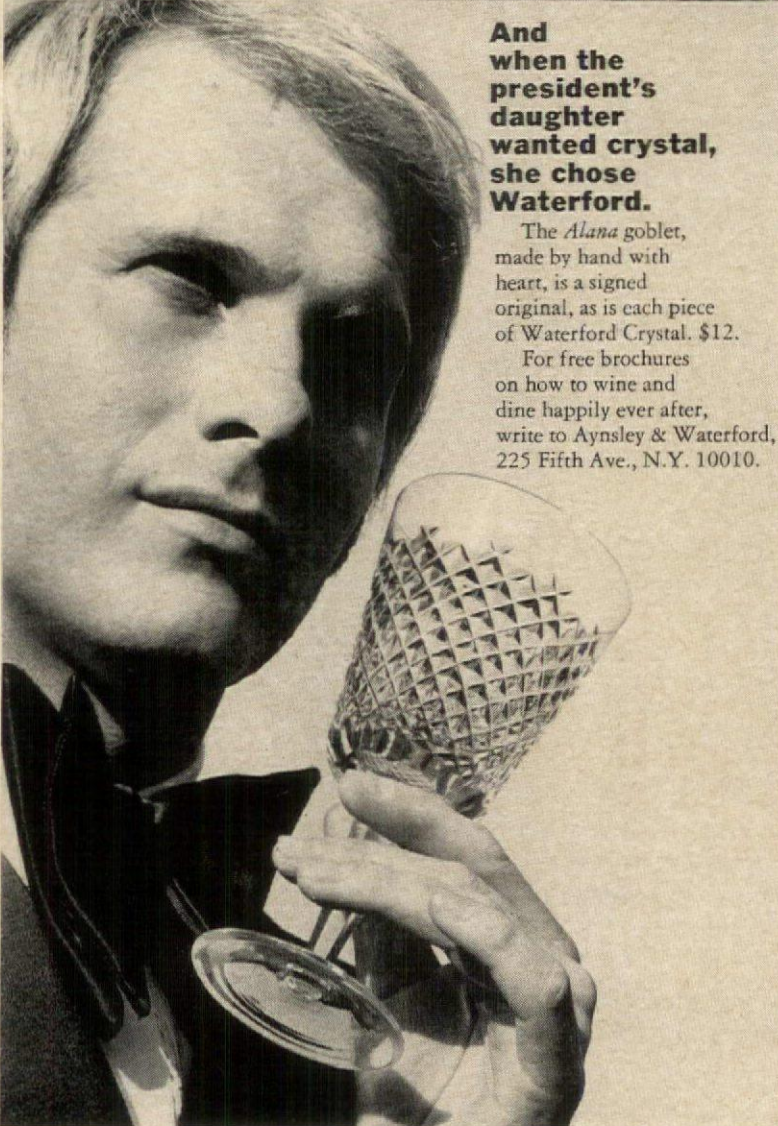
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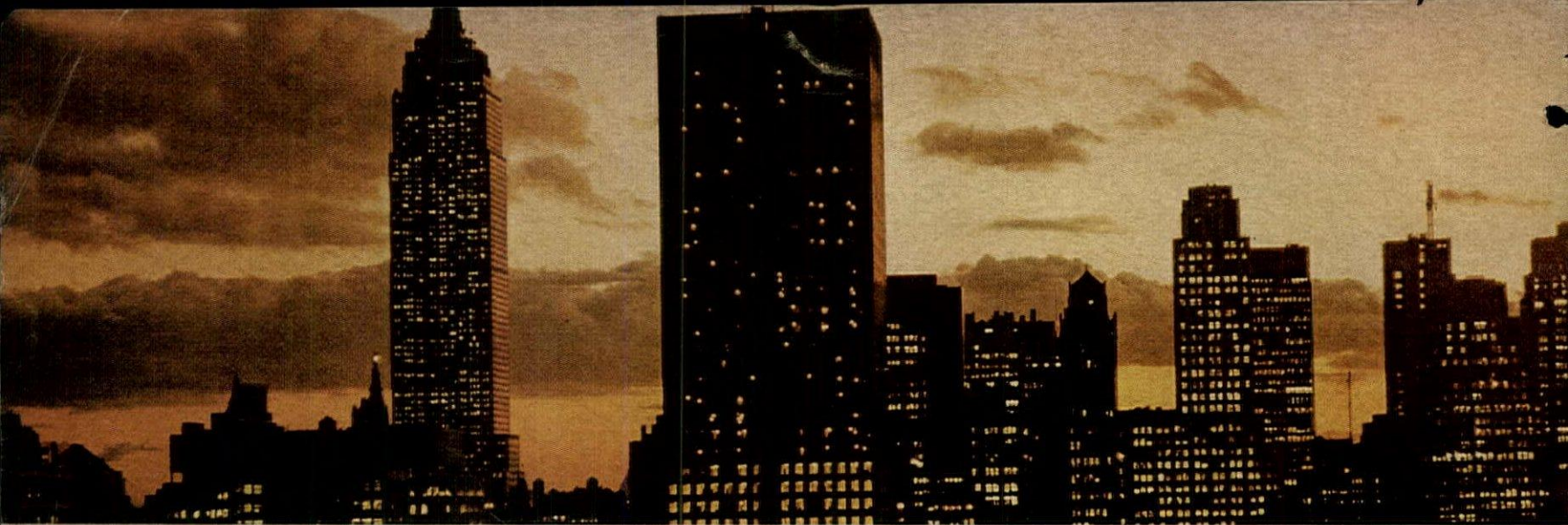


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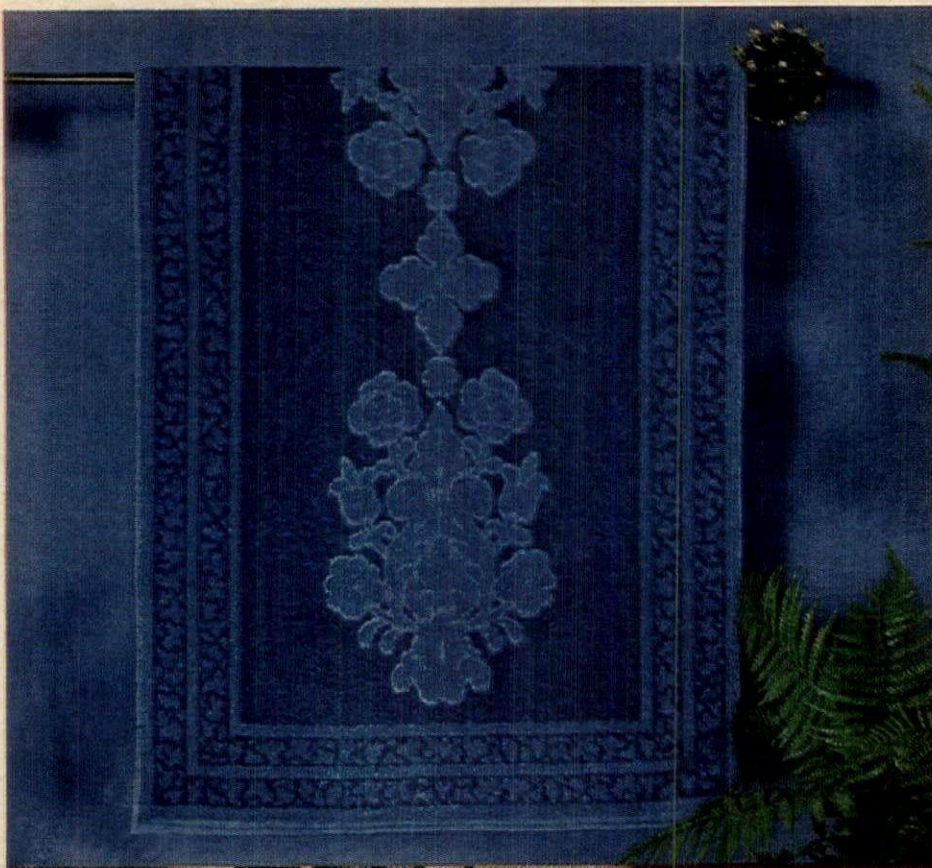
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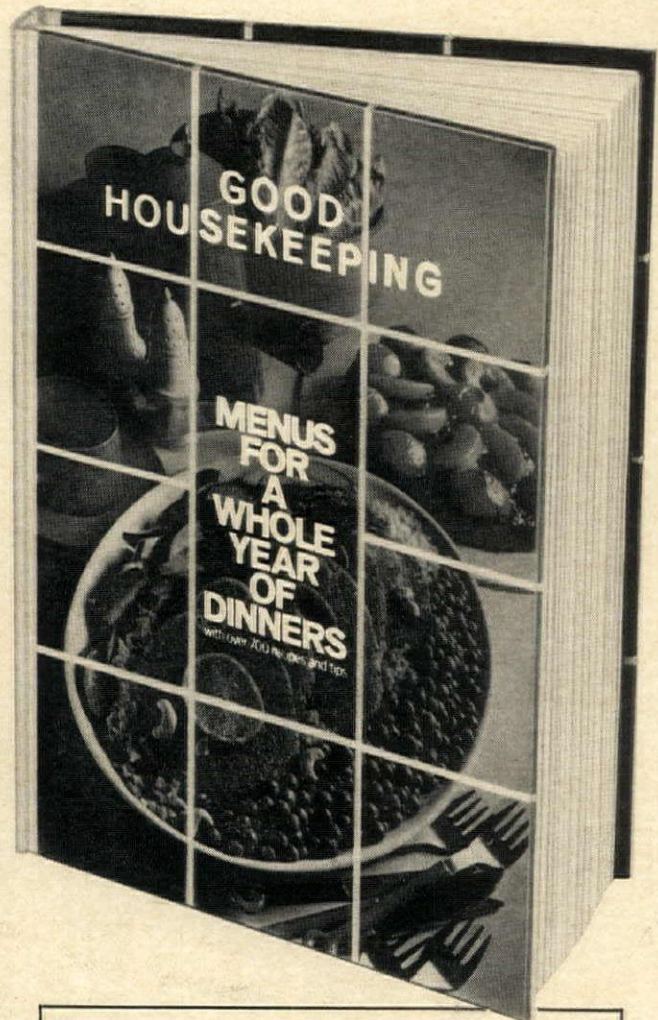
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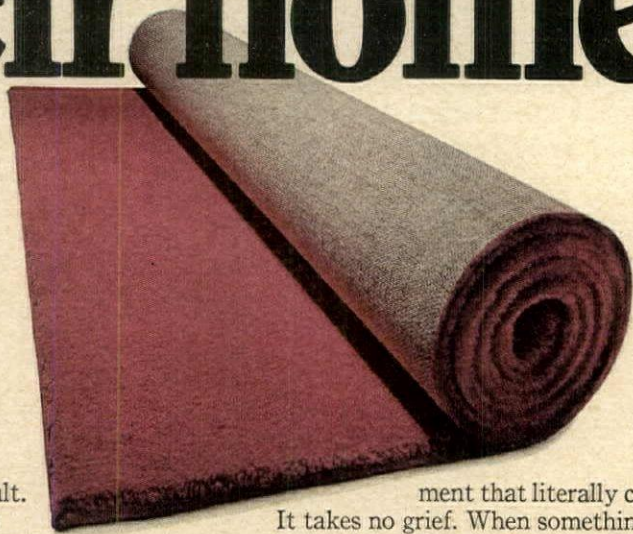
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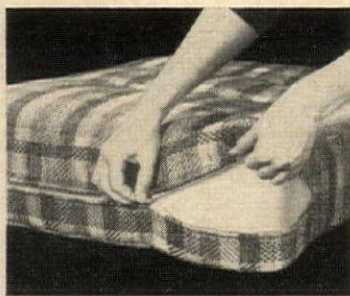
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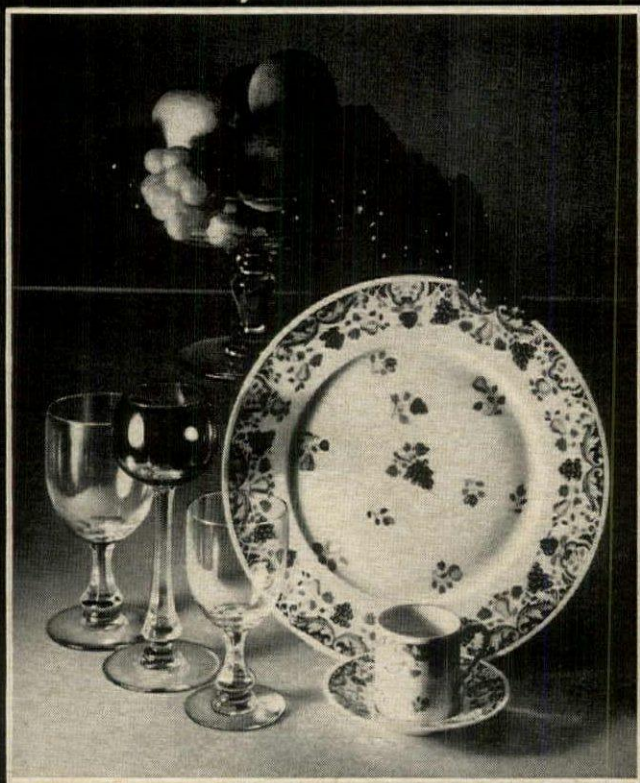
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Have the courage to go the limit with pattern

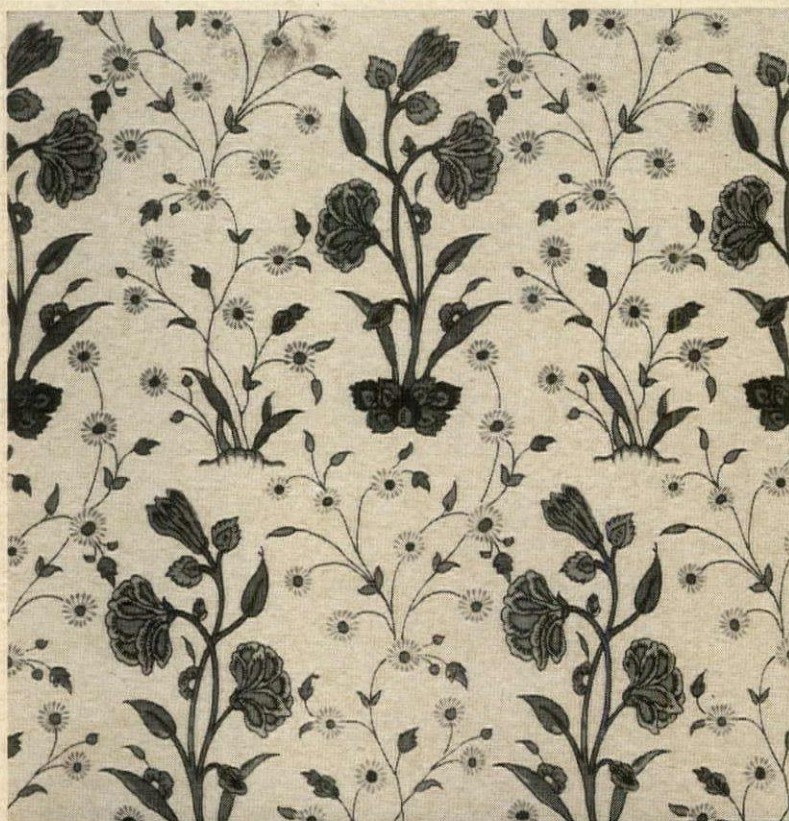
You must have the courage to go the limit with pattern. Have a figured carpet or a stenciled floor, or at least the regular, monotone pattern of waxed quarry tiles. And for good measure, heap that flowery sofa with cushions—dozens of them—in lots of tiny prints.

One day I was sitting with a friend in a room I had decorated. We were just relaxing and talking, when suddenly she exclaimed, "Do you realize there are eight different patterns in this room?" Well I didn't realize it. I had to start counting. It certainly was not a pattern-on-pattern room. The walls were white, the floor a dark brown tile. There were wooden shutters instead of curtains—no pattern there. And the biggest pieces of upholstered furniture were covered with cream-colored linen. But grouped around the fireplace was a cluster of little chairs, benches, and stools, and sure enough, each was covered with a different cotton print.

A good blend is what counts

When I was working on the room, the patterns seemed so natural that I didn't even realize I was using so many. Looking back, I can see that if the little chairs had been covered instead with plain fabric, the room would have looked somehow "unseasoned." There would have been a noticeable gap that only pattern could fill. To have covered them all exactly alike would have been a bore. Needless to say, these patterns were not overpowering or everyone would have noticed them instantly. They were all in the same tawny shades of brown, cream, and black. They were all tiny—either regular little flowers or sharp geometrics. Yet they were by no means pallid or nebulous. They were crisp and bold. It was just that they blended so well into the room as a whole that they did their job inconspicuously.

The only way you can really learn how to use pattern is by training your eye. Get yourself accustomed to looking at good pattern-on-pattern, and let your eye, rather than your mind, absorb the way patterns relate to each other. Take a look around. It will suddenly strike you that the whole world is pattern-on-pattern. Spend some time at a gallery or even with a few books on Oriental and Middle Eastern art or decorating or even fashion. The Japanese, Arabians, Indians, and their neighbors are experts with pattern, putting the most exciting prints together with artless perfection. *Continued on page 142*



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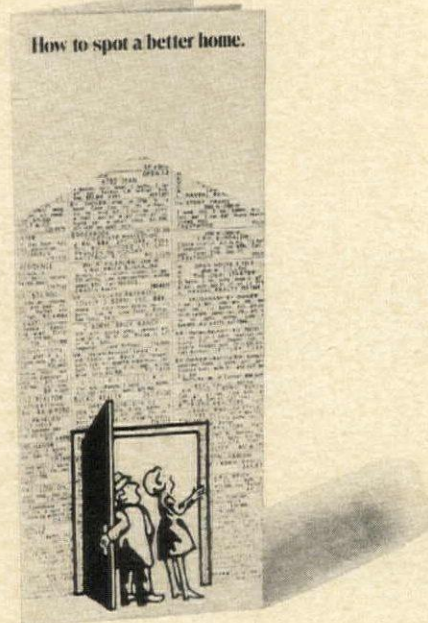
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BY MARY MOON HEMINGWAY

Two, four, six, eight . . . the parties I appreciate right now after a summer of expansive, fairly unstructured entertaining are the get-togethers with a few friends for an intimate meal. A splendid *dinner for two* is a great way to honor your spouse on his birthday or just for instance. I like to choose an attractive spot for a small table, some place more special than the dining room, then deck the table with nostalgia, i.e. wedding presents. The menu would include not only my husband's impossible-for-a-party favorites but a fancy surprise as well. Tokens of my appreciation might include oysters on the half shell with a superlative white wine, steak *au poivre*, soufflé potatoes, snow peas cooked at the last minute, an excellent burgundy, and for the unexpected, a Grand Marnier soufflé and more Grand Marnier.

For a foursome, I would not be such a slave to the culinary clock. Instead I'd plan an evening of bridge, Scrabble, any four-way game we can share with friends and follow this with tray suppers served right at the gaming board. Perhaps eggs baked with mushrooms or chicken livers; Caesar salad mixed at the table, popovers (they can be made ahead and reheated), and a Kirsch-laced fruit compote with gaufrettes on the side.

A party for a half dozen can be staged in the kitchen, the guests enjoying cocktails and conversation while the cook or cooks concoct. This allows for some interesting digression from the usual as host and hostess can be, theoretically, in two places at once. A perfect setup for Chinese cuisine, a kitchen party is also practical for a serve-immediately Austrian supper—Wiener schnitzel, fried parsley and spaetzle accompanied by Gumpoldskirchner, with a *kaiserschmarren* as the sweet. And an excellent solution for bouillabaisse or fondue. For an innovation try a *fondue de veau*, substituting cubes of veal, calves' liver, and kidneys for the beef. Or an Oriental fondue, for which you use cubed lamb in boiling meat stock instead of oil, and offer curry sauce, chutney, and any other Indian side dishes you like along with rice.

Dinner for eight seems to me to be just about the right number for good talk, good food—a number that can be handled with easy elegance even if you have no help. For such a dinner I enjoy doing everything with a flourish—the whole gamut from place plates to finger bowls, if I can get a waitress. If not, a gloriously photogenic buffet on the sideboard to be served by host and hostess. When on my own I might serve a mushroom broth—mushrooms cooked in chicken stock then whirred in the blender—from a handsome tureen in the living room. That would give me a chance to set up the rest of the dinner: possibly a cook-in-advance, enjoy-it-now menu of salmi of duck, a ring mold of mixed wild and white rice, zucchini filled with puréed peas, and babas au rhum as a finale. Carafes of vin rosé set in wine coasters at both ends of the buffet would be pretty and facilitate serving.

Granted good food is fundamental to a good party, there are parties with other points of interest. A friend of ours recently held *an evening auction party* at her house, each of the

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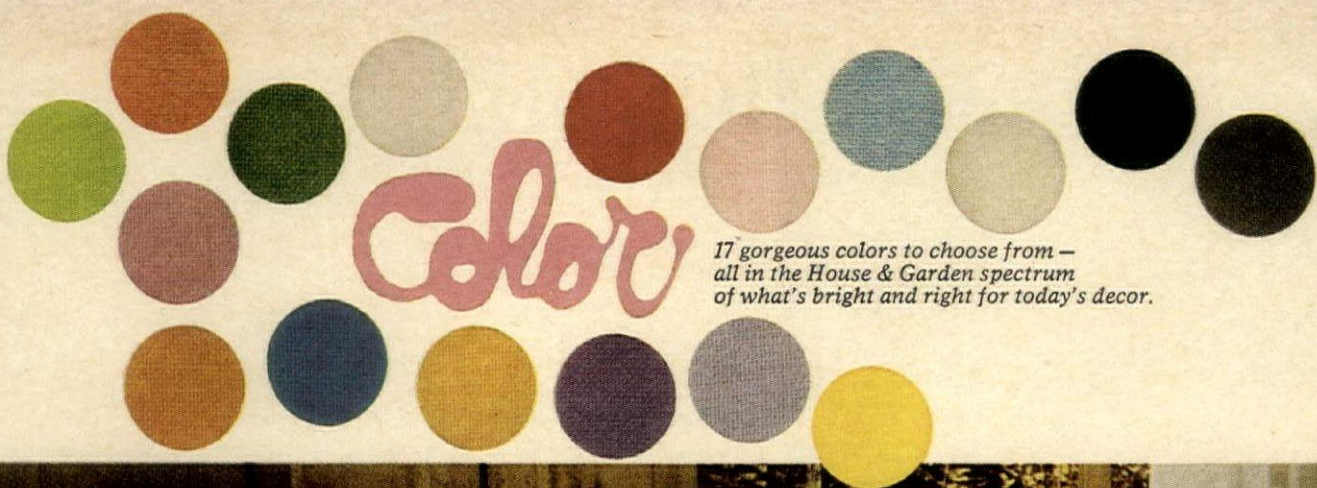
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guests having brought some treasure to be auctioned off, the proceeds going to a mutually admired cause. The auctioneers were friends endowed with the appropriate talents. Other guests came the day before to help receive donations and tag them descriptively. In lieu of dinner—the auction started at nine—finger sweets and dessert wines were served after the last bid was in.

Anyone who has been to an antique show lately knows that **pewter is it**. To set a whole table with old pewter would be prohibitively expensive but that's no reason to forgo the pleasure and gleam of pewter. International Silver Company is now producing good-looking stemware—goblets in three sizes and small cordials as well. If you're a real pewter buff you can match the stemware with plain pewter dinner plates from the Woodbury Pewterers. For the weekend house, such a table setting would be both impressive and unbreakable. Combined with china or glass, pewter makes a nice change, and stainless steel flatware has a happy affinity for it.

My old Chinese sectional sweetmeat dish has delighted me for years, serving cocktail tidbits as it does with beautiful self-containment. Today you can buy reproductions, but right now I am rejoicing in a less formal **variation of the sweetmeat dish**—a handcrafted mahogany lazy Susan, carrying six mahogany bowls, the center one with a cover. Extremely tidy for snacks, marvelous as well for fondue sauces, six-boy curry, breakfast garnishes, ice cream toppings. Carefully made in Puerto Rico, the set may also be had with an ebony or walnut finish.

Now that the days are getting shorter and more light needs to be shed on every subject, **a candle at each place setting** would not be amiss—a pretty symbol of sharing warmth and light. For the fun of it and for informal illumination, you can get a combination napkin ring and candle holder. Consists of a wrought-iron ring topped by a tulip-like holder for a gourd-shaped candle that comes in a riot of colors, pale to passionate.

Have you ever thought:

Of all the possibilities of pumpkin beyond jack-o-lanterns and pie? Soup, soufflé, mixed in a cake, baked like squash.

Of dressing and cooking a leg of lamb with pineapple? You can baste it with the juice from the can now that pineapple is packed in its natural juice.

Of making "melba toast" with fingers cut from English muffins? Crunchy, lovely with pâté.

Of supplying both linen and paper napkins when the food is to be picked up with the fingers? Linen for the lap, bright paper for the fingers. Good answer to boiled lobster or chicken in the basket.

Of updating the old punched-cardboard needlework motto? Design one yourself, sentiment and all, and work it in wild colors as a house present.

Of sending out invitations to a bon voyage party on big luggage tags?

Of keeping a hostess diary to record not only the guest list, menu, and decorations, but the highlights, quotes, and mood of the party?



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BY MARY ROCHE

EDITOR'S NOTE: Charles Cowles, who was born in California and grew up in New York, started to collect art while a student at Stanford University. In the beginning he bought many prints, and his first contemporary object—a steel assemblage by Robert Hudson—is still one of his favorites. You will see others on the walls of his new apartment, page 102. For the past six years he has been publisher of Artforum.

Art in one form or another seems to be more easily available to more people today than ever before—do you agree?

Definitely. Between prints and originals and the number of people who are creating art today, it really is available to everyone in every price range. If you can't afford to spend \$5,000 or more for a painting by a prominent contemporary artist, you can perhaps afford to pay \$1,000 for the work of a young unknown or \$100 for a contemporary print.

And the supply?

New galleries are springing up every day. Every time I drive through the side streets of New York I see galleries I've never heard of before. At the same time there are some 50,000 people living in New York who call themselves artists. Well, if you say there might be a hundred reputable established New York galleries, each handling twelve to twenty-four artists, that means there might be 2,400 artists who are recognized. What happens to the other 47,600? For every artist who becomes well known, famous, in vogue, there are probably ten others who are painting exactly the same way. Some may be copying but some are achieving the same styles and techniques on their own. Many artists who are quite competent paint all their lives and never receive recognition. It's a matter of the art world being overpopulated. So you can seek out and find a young artist that you feel confident is doing good art, and you can buy his work to support him, or for your own aesthetic pleasure.

Is it best to buy through a dealer or gallery or directly from the artist?

If the artist has a dealer, it becomes a matter of integrity to buy through him, or at least the artist is obligated to pay him a commission. There is also a better chance that the artist is going to become successful if he has a dealer. But if you feel that you have the eye—the ability to pick a good painting from an artist who has no dealer—go right ahead.

Once you get away from New York, how do you find artists and galleries?

If you're lucky enough to live in a community where there's a reasonably decent museum, watch its activities. See whose work is being shown on a local level. Try to become active in the museum and your activity will make available a certain amount of guidance from the staff. Just because you or I or someone else has never heard of an artist doesn't mean

anything. But you should be aware of the fact that for every semirespectable gallery there are ten that are not.

How do you explain the sudden mushrooming of "Soho," New York's downtown art neighborhood?

It's mainly a matter of space. Soho had been developed after the Civil War as an industrial area but most of the small firms who had been renting lofts there had either folded or moved outside the city. The area had become depressed. Artists were attracted to it because there they could get enough space to work in at a fairly reasonable cost. Meanwhile rents uptown where most of the galleries were located had in some cases doubled. And with artists painting larger and larger canvases, the galleries needed more space too. After all, if you want to look properly at a painting 10 feet square, you have to get back 20 or 30 feet from it. So now there are nineteen galleries in Soho. More going on of course brings more people down there—also you have such a wide price range because of the many new artists. I moved downtown myself because I had more paintings than I could possibly hang in my apartment uptown and I didn't think it was fair to myself or to the young artists whose works I owned to have them stuck away in storage. Now I can really live with them and enjoy them. I rotate them regularly—about once a month.

Would you recommend prints as a good starting point for first-time art buyers?

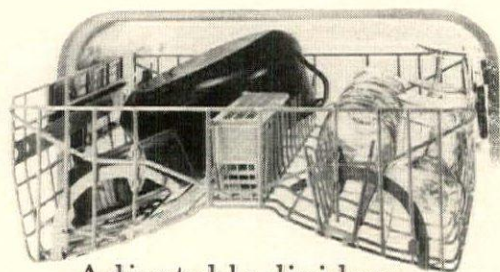
Certainly. Most of today's greatest artists are doing etchings or lithographs. Some specialize in them. Some do them only occasionally. But there is a tremendous difference in price between a print and a painting. Everybody recognizes Frank Stella as a major force in contemporary art and his paintings sell for around \$25,000 but you can buy one of his prints for \$250, although some go as high as \$1,500. And the prices of older prints are going up. In the early sixties you could buy a Jasper Johns lithograph for \$75; now they're as high as \$7,500. This is quite a different situation from the early years of the century when no one cared very much about prints. Picasso and Cézanne, for instance, both made graphics, but except for a handful of each edition, they disappeared. Now they are beginning to turn up again. I spent five years looking for one from Picasso's "Saltimbanque Suite," but couldn't find it at any major print dealer's in the world. One finally came up for auction and sold for a very high price, then suddenly, within six months, ten appeared on the market.

What about multiples?

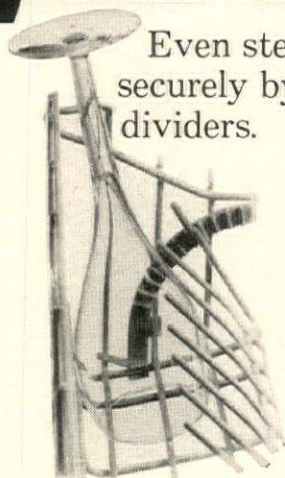
Multiples, whether they are made of plastic, enamel, metal, or whatever, are three-dimensional and often machine-made. Some are very inexpensive. I understand last spring's show of multiples at the Philadelphia Museum included examples

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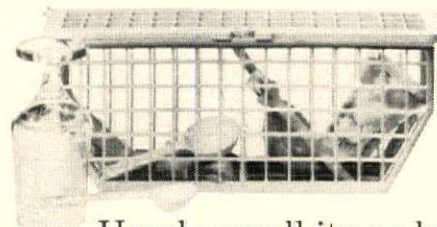
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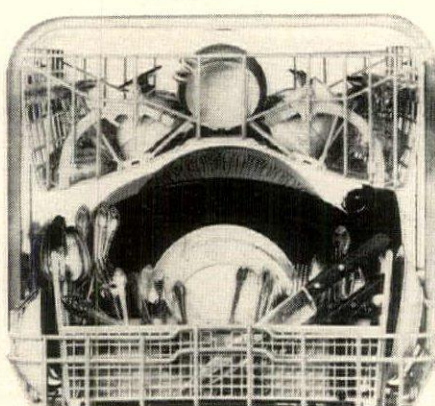
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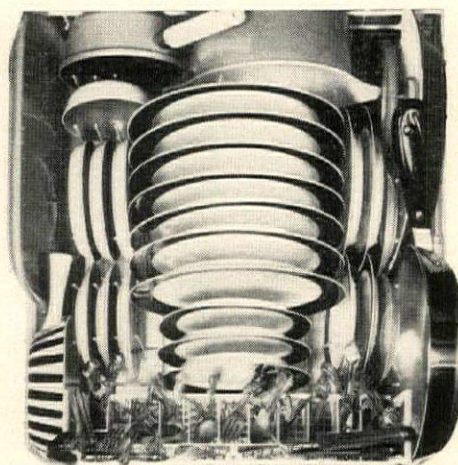
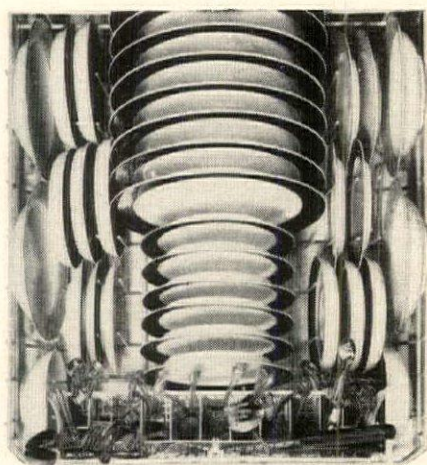
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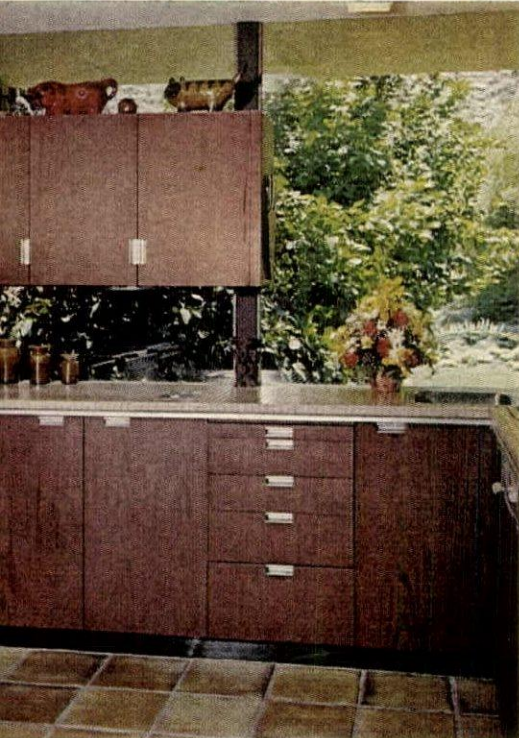
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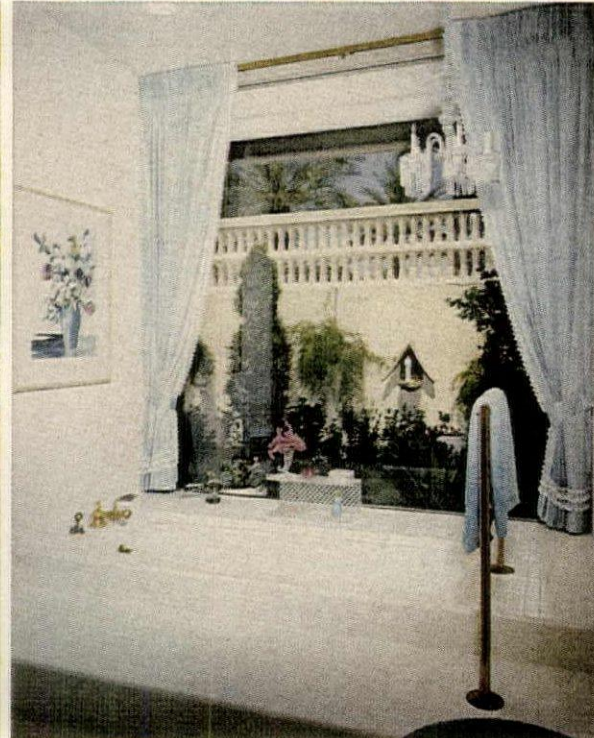
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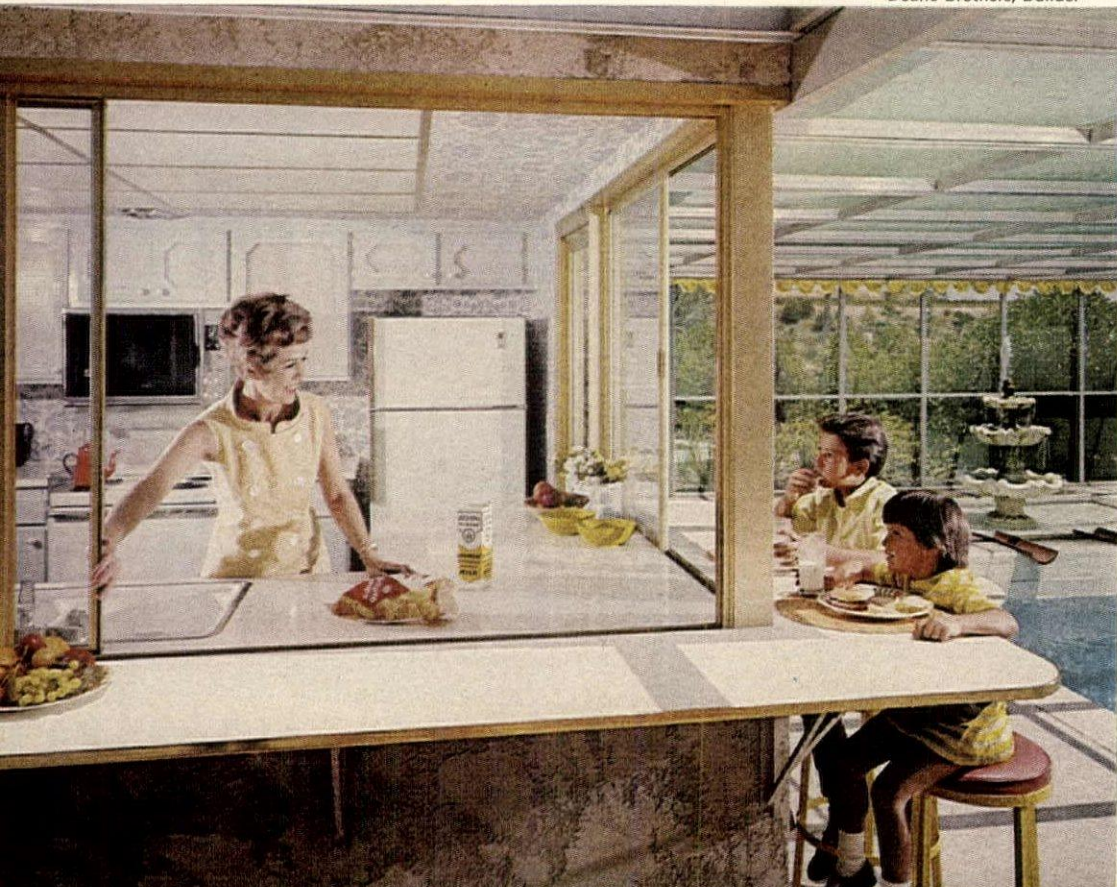
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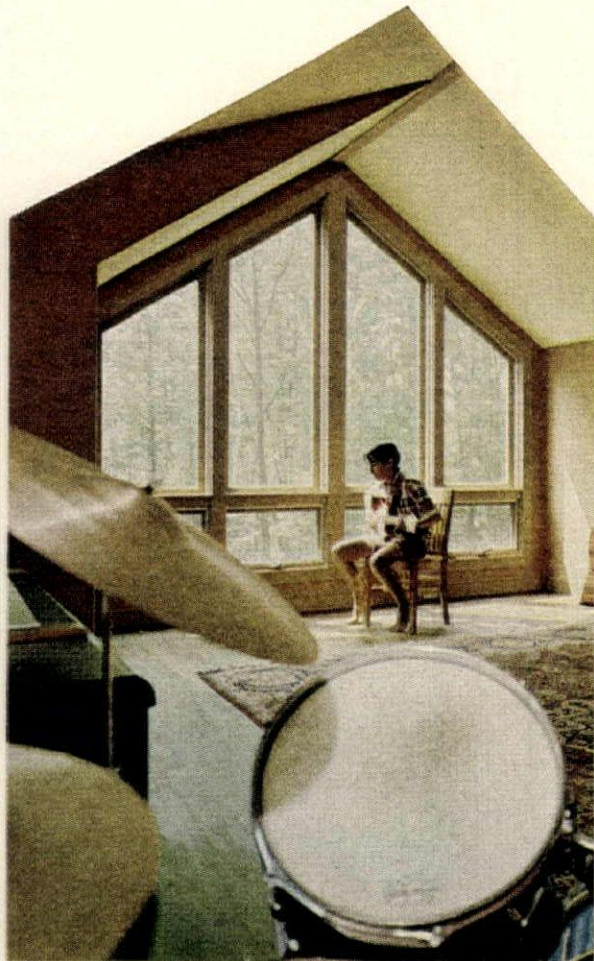
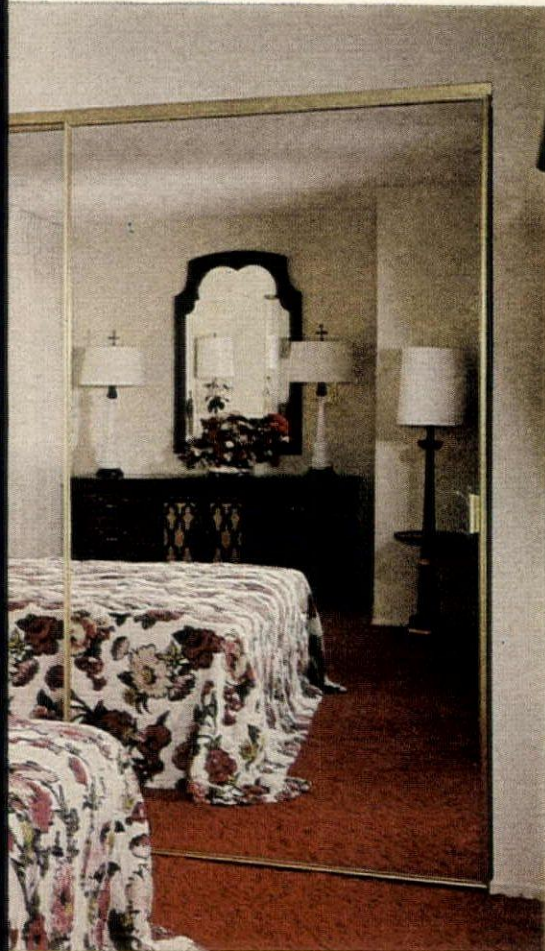


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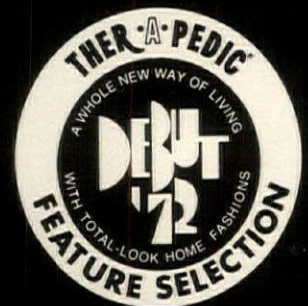
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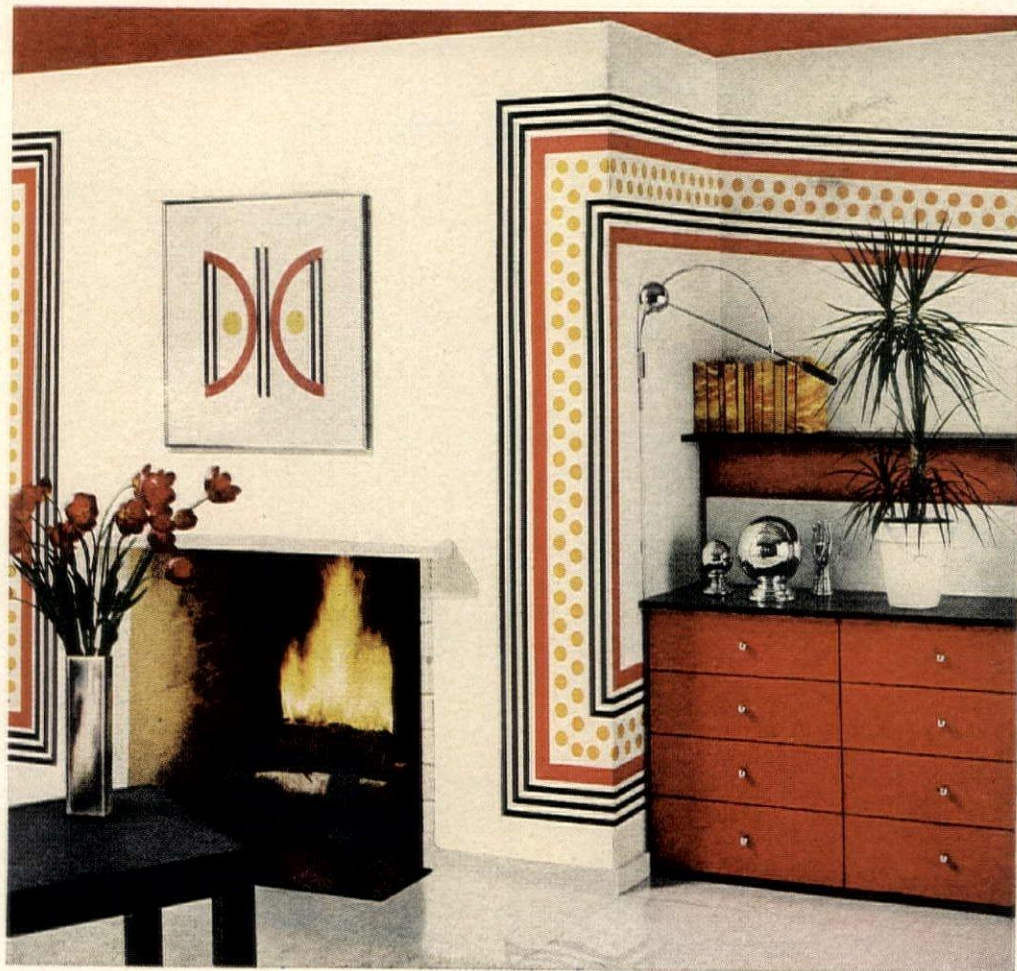
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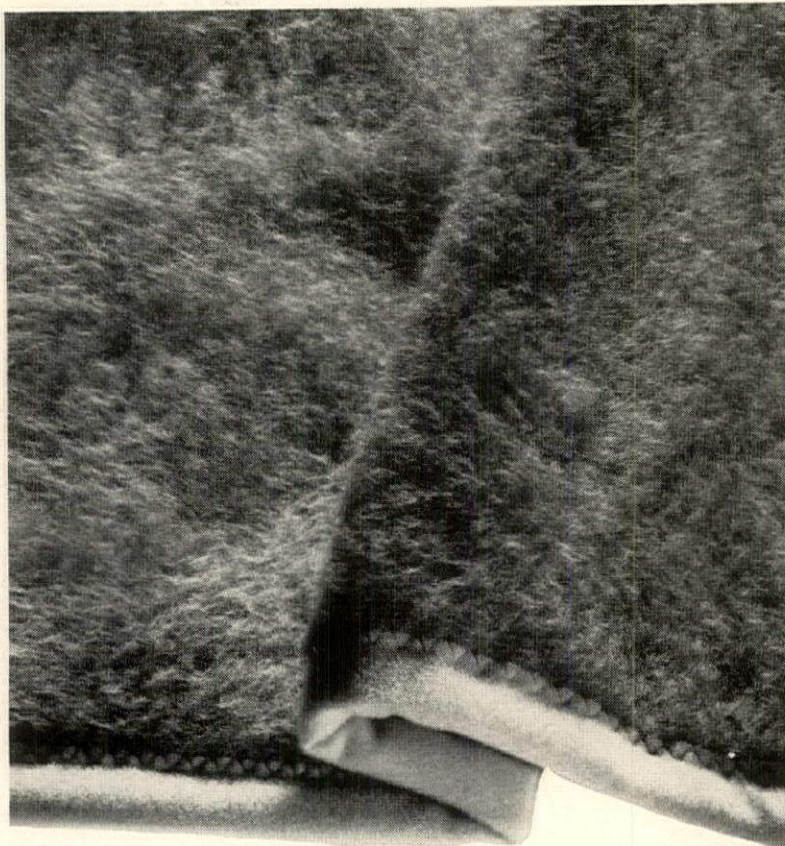
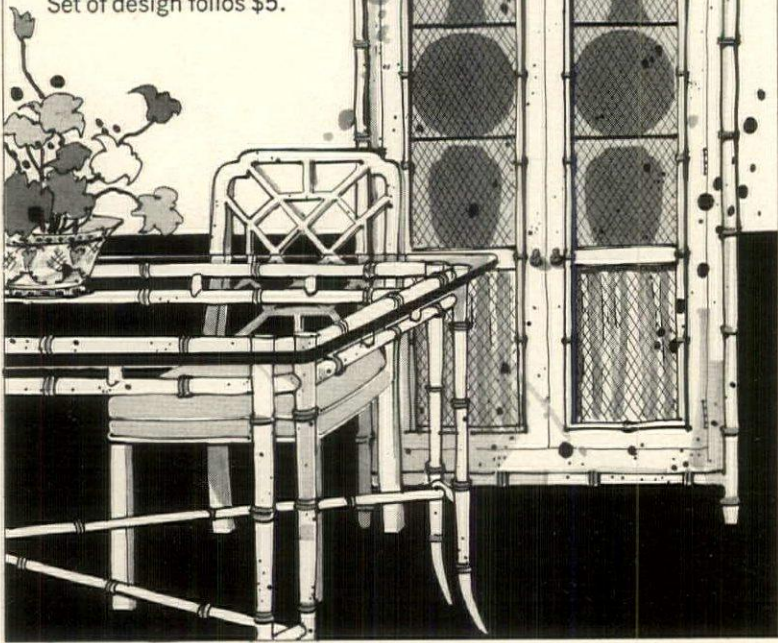
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BY CORNELIA CONGER

EDITOR'S NOTE: *We may be quite happy today sitting on the floor. We may be content to sleep, eat, and work in one place as long as it gives us a sense of freedom. We certainly value the independence to be whatever we are and not what someone tells us we ought to be. Yet it's rewarding now and then to look back at houses and rooms designed for an altogether different life style, and few people can take us back as far and as vividly as the much admired Chicago decorator, Cornelia Conger. Her professional career began in 1915 when she opened her own office, which she has run ever since except for three years in the twenties. During that time she managed the antique shop in Chicago owned by Syrie Maugham, the decorator who sparked the first great rage for white. A founding member and now a fellow of the American Institute of Interior Designers, Miss Conger has been first vice-president of the organization's national board and president of its Illinois chapter. But "the four loveliest rooms I have ever seen" she visited not as a professional designer but as a young guest. Although she has shared these reminiscences with audiences in several cities about the U. S., this is the first time she has described them in print.*

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Many years ago—in 1911 to be exact—my mother and I spent several months in Venice. She made friends easily and effortlessly with many of the attractive Venetians, among them the famous beauty of the nineties, Contessa Morosini, the daughter of a successful banker who had married into one of the great ducal families. But she had divorced her husband and, with her daughter, had gone to live in the Palazzo di Mula where twice a week she "received" in the evening, keeping open house. After nine, her friends drifted in and gathered in her salon on the *mezzanino*—a long low intimate room in marked contrast to the lofty and stately apartments on the *piano nobile*, where she held her renowned birthday ball and where most of the crowned heads, great artists, and distinguished people of the time had been entertained. This more informal room where we met so often was one of the most entrancing I have ever seen. The walls were what my mother called the "cookie-cutter" style of architecture—panels surrounded by fanciful arabesques cut out of the plaster and sunken only a fraction of an inch, the surface painted in a hard shiny ivory, the recessed stiles in a dull finish of the same tint. In these panels were set four large decorative paintings of the romantic Hubert Robert type of ruins and water. Between them hung lovely dim mirrors in narrow baroque gilt frames. Very full curtains of eighteenth-century Venetian damask, in that wonderful yellow no other city ever surpassed, hung at windows that ran across the

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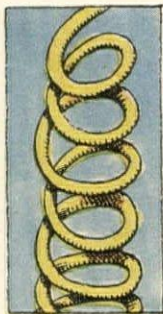
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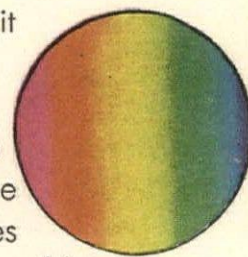
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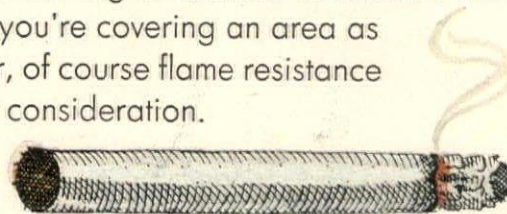


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entire front of the room from floor to ceiling. The folds were looped back to let in the gentle summer breeze and spilled voluptuously onto the dark polished terrazzo floor. Masses of flowering plants—all white—were banked high in the corners. Beneath each of the four pictures stood an old gilt sofa covered in faded brocade with fauteuils and bergères charmingly and invitingly grouped around it. Three or four bridge tables were always set up, perfectly equipped. Chandeliers of soft-toned Venetian glass hung like bouquets from the ceiling, which was cut into the same designs as the walls. Sitting around the room were women in pale chiffons, naval officers in crisp white. Usually one couple was leaning on the yellow brocade cushions that lay on the top of the stone balustrade at the window—leaning on them to look down on the canal and catch the songs from the music boats farther along toward the piazza.

We usually played late and when we were ready to leave found our patient gondoliers curled up asleep in their boats near the water-doors—the boats tied to posts painted blue with the Morosini coat of arms atop each one.

Slipping silently along the canal on our way home, we could see the first hint of dawn coming up and feel the still night air freshened by the cool early morning breeze from the Adriatic. For me today, it all has a dream-like quality of a vanished world—charming, frivolous perhaps, but highly civilized and full of grace.

ROSE MARBLE AND THE OPÉRA COMIQUE

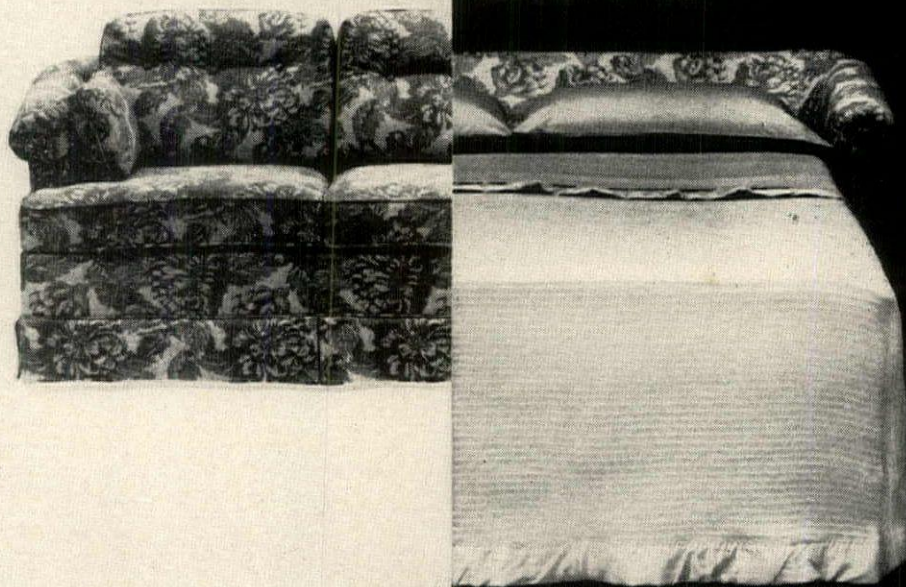
In those days one of the greatest connoisseurs of eighteenth-

century decoration was Count Boni de Castellane. His great ambition was to build the most beautiful house in Paris, to devote his life to the perfection of each detail. He had heard of a design for a great staircase that was to have been built at Versailles just before the French Revolution—and of a quarry of exquisite pale rose marble owned by the French government from which to execute this work. The legend was that the debonair Boni was willing to marry any woman who would enable him to make this dream come true and—rather unfortunately for her—he persuaded the gentle American, Anna Gould, later the Duchess of Talleyrand, to be his wife.

You probably recall the house, about halfway up the Avenue du Bois de Boulogne on the right—not very impressive as you pass since the ground is terraced up and only one story shows along the avenue, its façade in the style of the Grand Trianon. But around the corner is a great court and there two full stories are revealed. My mother and I dined there one night shortly before World War I. As we entered, the great marble staircase rose before us. We went up a few steps to a broad landing and through an archway leading to the library where the guests assembled. At the time of the Castellanes' divorce the house had not been finished—the banquet room was never built—so dinner was served beside the white marble swimming pool. The table was unforgettably lovely, covered with thousands of bits of delicate old lace sewn together. Down the center were many urns of white soft paste Sèvres full of pink rambling roses and interspersed with countless ormolu candelabra. At each place was an individual gilt soup tureen, Louis XV, its cover surmounted by a tiny rosebud.

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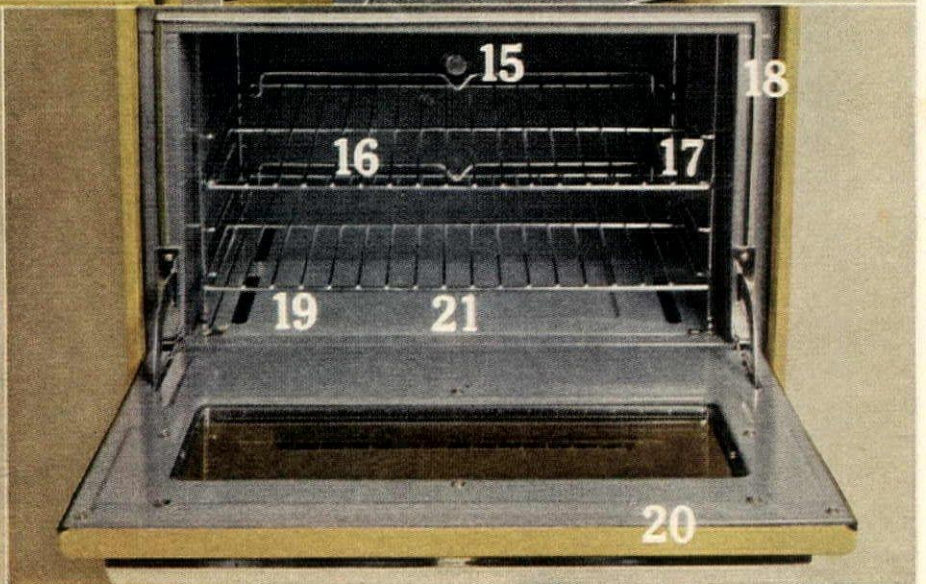
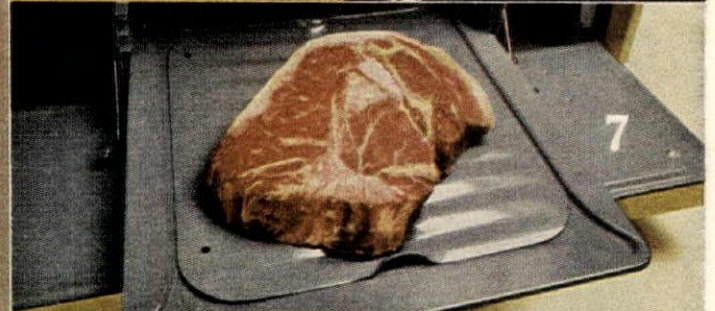
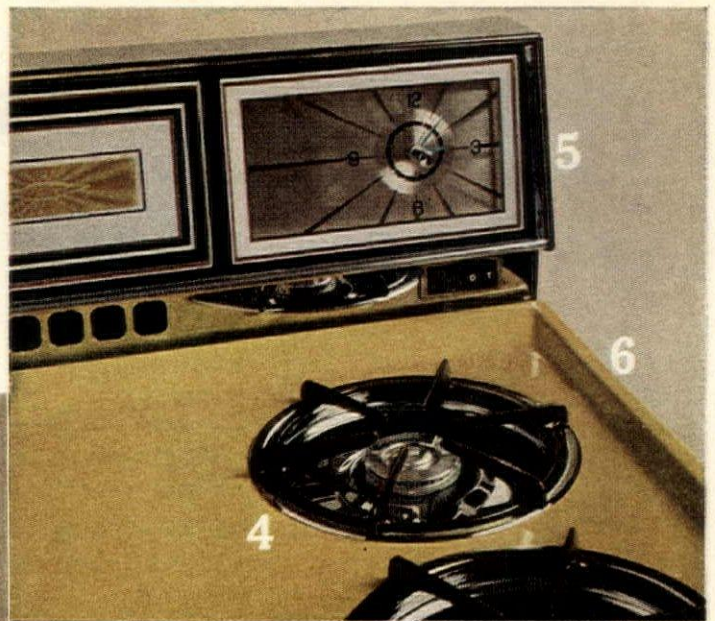
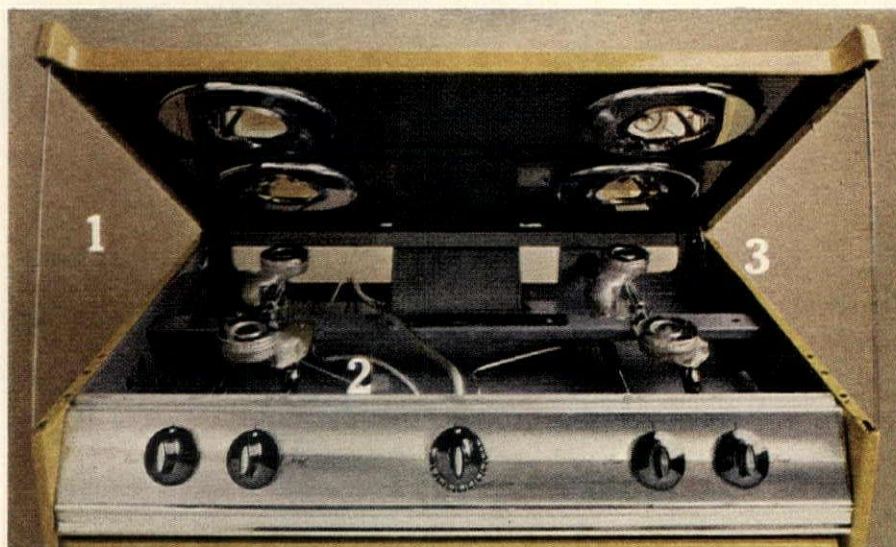
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SOME NOTES ON GOOD LOOKS & GOOD HEALTH

BY REBECCA WARFIELD

BOTULISM PUSHES THE PANIC BUTTON

Suddenly last summer one of the classic features of the great American Dream—the American Woman's daily exercise-stroll down the supermarket aisle—suffered a Loss of Innocence. American women—reaching out for a can of soup—felt that they had become Big Gamblers overnight. Was it or wasn't it safe? The fact that the odds are overwhelmingly on the side of safety is not quite the same as that old dead-certainty.

The circumstances. Botulism, a rare, peculiar, perverse, and deadly disease, had struck without warning. On the evening of June 29, a Westchester couple sat down to a supper of bowls of cold vichyssoise that had come from a can of soup, produced by a well-known small firm who—it later turned out—also put out many products under other, also posh labels. The next day this man, a prominent New York banker was dead and his wife gravely ill. The cause was attributed to botulism present in the vichyssoise and untold thousands started living with a private panic.

Most doctors who knew of botulism had never seen a case and most Americans had never heard of it. Those familiar with the word felt certain that everything was under control. For instance, this lulling paragraph appears in a journal currently in use in the medical department of a large New York firm—"In the United States most of the outbreaks [of botulism] now follow the eating of home-preserved vegetables or fruits served cold in a salad. Years ago, commercially canned foods were often at fault, but after intensive research, D. K. Meyer and his associates showed the packers how they could always be sure of destroying the highly heat-resistant spores that were causing all the trouble. Since then it has been the home-preserved foods that caused the outbreaks of botulism."

The cause of death. What went wrong this summer? Human nature, presumably. The situation is still unclear but it is understood that the proper procedures were in effect at the plant. What seems to have happened is that an operator, wanting to leave early, turned off the heat for a vat of soup a few minutes before it would have reached the effective conditions for destroying botulism. An instant alarm went out for the tainted batch and five cans were found to be contaminated. On the seventh of June, the Food and Drug Administration along with the Agriculture Department ordered a recall of all the soups, sauces, and other canned foods made by the company, as well as all food put out by them under other labels. That is reassuring. What is so unnerving is the very life style of the bacillus that seems to tear up and throw away the max-

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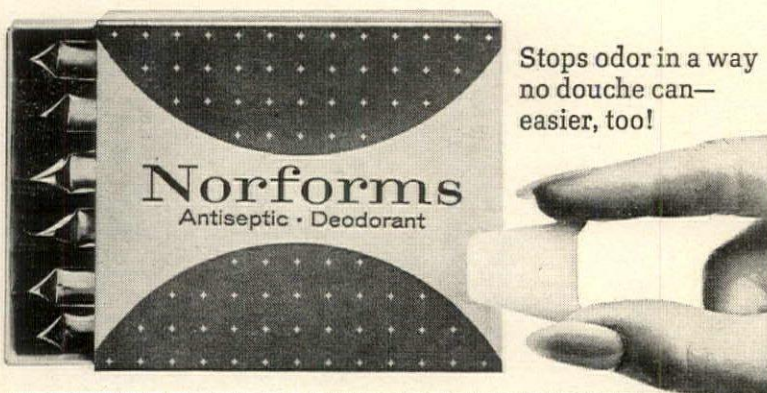
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ims that most Americans of this century were brought up to hang onto—"One, keep everything spotlessly clean; two, rush everything edible instantly into the refrigerator and no harm will befall you." Now we learn that sloppy housekeeping has nothing to do with the case, and that if we want to kill botulism we should never put it on ice. Instead we should rush it to the stove. What is this peculiar killer, anyway?

The character of botulism. If botulism were not such a virulent poison, it would be a wildly fascinating organism. *Clostridium botulinum* is primeval, far predating the Dinosaur and the Dodo Bird, it was alive and well when the earth was new and anaerobic, (from the Greek for "no air") theoretically. Gradually oxygen came into the atmosphere and the anaerobes settled deep in the earth everywhere on earth. Here they have the uncanny and unpleasant ability to turn into spores, which means that they form tiny walls around themselves becoming far more heat-resistant than ordinary cells. This way, when the food they're lodging in is not sufficiently heated, they are sealed alive inside it. Now danger really starts—the spores become active and produce a poison they never owned when they were on earth. This is that toxin so incredibly potent that one millionth of a gram—a speck invisible to the naked eye—can kill a man. Scientists speculate that two glassfuls, properly administered, would be enough to exterminate the whole human race.

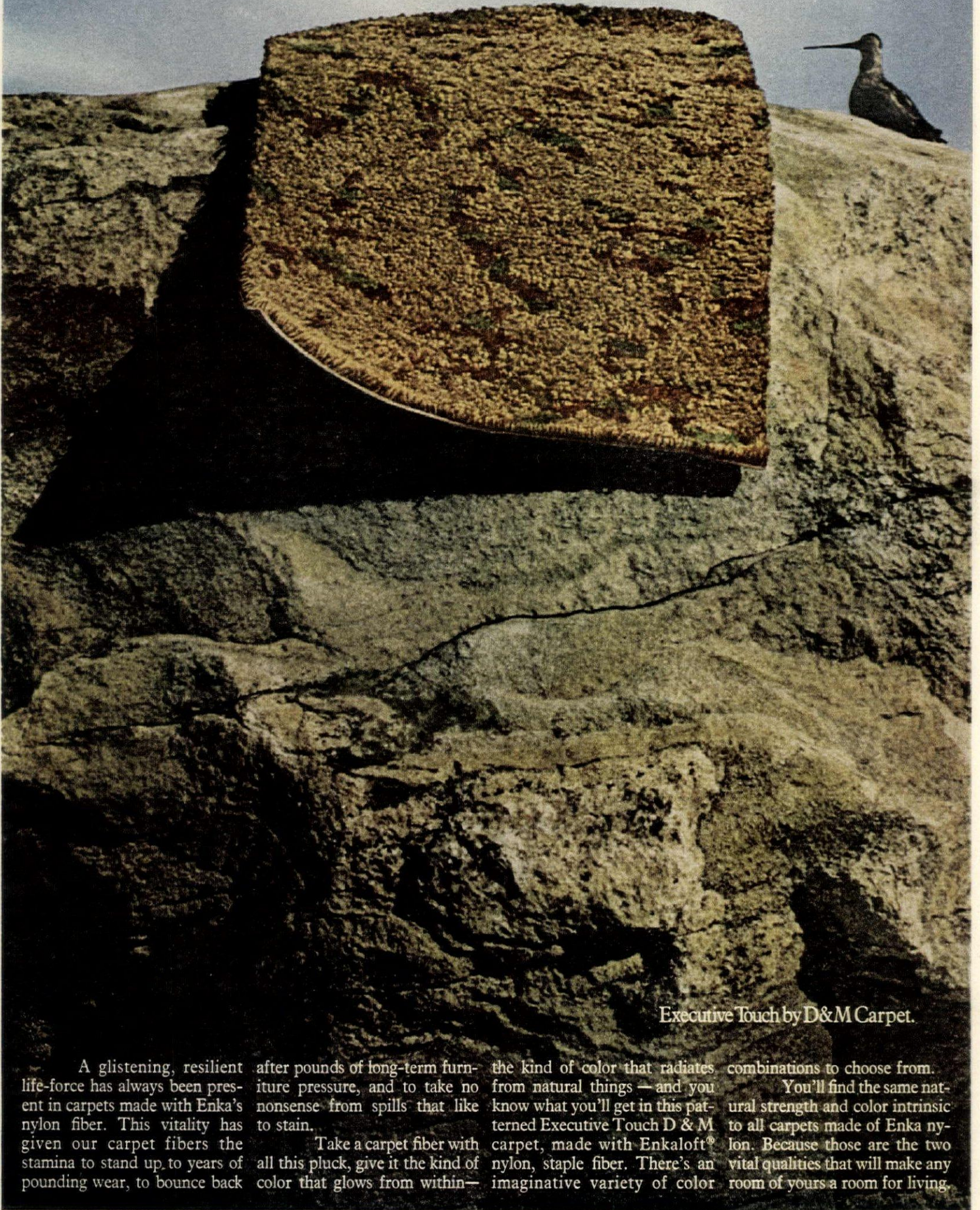
When botulism hits the human race. For all its hideous strength, when recognized and treated, it can and has been conquered. The symptoms of this uncommon bacillus, though sometimes confused with common food poisoning, are basically different, because botulism attacks the center nervous system. The patient first develops double vision and drooping eyelids, feels tired and sometimes dizzy, experiences difficulty in swallowing and speaking and—very idiosyncratic of botulism—a certain ropy quality in the saliva. Death usually comes from respiratory failure or from pneumonia. The prognosis that somehow takes some of the horror away from the awful potential is that if patients live past the ninth day they are likely to recover.

Hand off the button? The first reaction of the normal neurotics is to swear off canned foods forever. Next, to promise themselves that they will boil every can of food they ever come near. But the Movers and Shakers, the pioneers in the field of Public Health are unanimous that this is unnecessary so far. They still maintain their unbroken confidence in the absolute integrity and almost religious devotion to the correct procedures of all the big companies in the country.

Dr. Michael Foster, Director of the Food and Research Department of the University of Wisconsin, is very much into botulism and passionate on the subject of home-canning—still the danger zone. No one, he believes, should attempt this without a home cooker, must follow directions fanatically. But when eating commercially canned foods, he says—be wary, never touch a can that is swollen or one with leaky seams or food that smells bad. Sometimes there are no symptoms. There was the case, detailed in a famous piece by Berton Roueché

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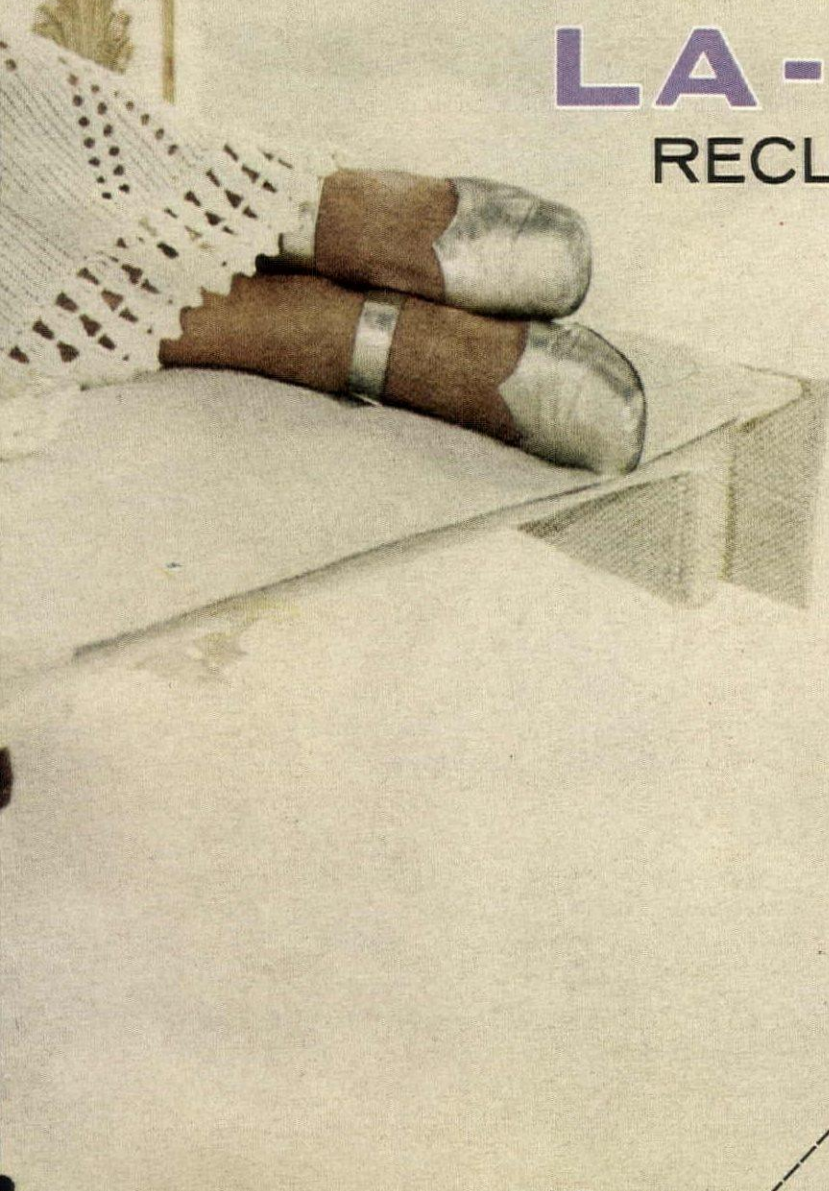
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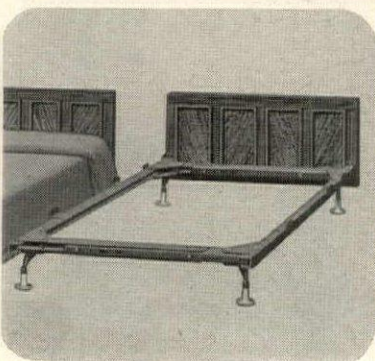
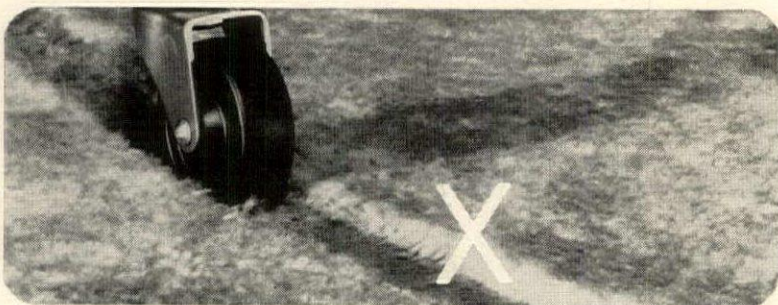
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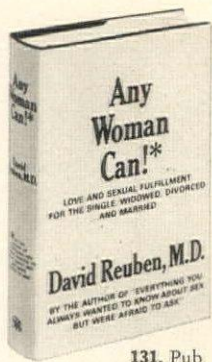
Now that I've found a fairly *easy way to put on patches*, I'll be able to rescue more of Tommy's worn but beloved jeans. I've always loathed the job because I'm all thumbs when it comes to holding the patch in place, keeping the edges tucked under, and sewing at the same time. So I decided to tackle each of these operations separately. I began by pressing a quarter-inch hem all around the patch with a hot iron. Then I anchored the patch in place with some bits of Scotch tape while I whipstitched the folded edges of the patch and finally the trimmed edge of the original hole. Wouldn't you know that both Tina and Tommy now want me to make colored patches on all their jeans.

Browsing in my favorite kitchen shop the other day I suddenly came upon a dazzling display of shiny, brilliantly colored plastic bowls, plates, cups, and cooking spoons—all looking tempting and practical at the same time. This *gay new plastic kitchenware* comes in orange, red, purple, avocado, and sunflower yellow, all designed to be mixed or matched. Many items are dual purpose: All the mixing bowls turn into salad or serving bowls and trays become platters or relish dishes. There is a good assortment of cooking tools such as slotted spoons and stirring spoons, also a full complement of dishes—plates, cups, mugs. All of it is inexpensive, heat resistant, dishwasher proof. I started our collection with mugs in all the colors, a salad bowl and servers, and an intriguing mixing spoon that looks like an oval loop on a handle and will be just great for whipping up muffin batter and the like. The name of this collection is Gourmet Accessories and it is made by Rainbow Wood Products.

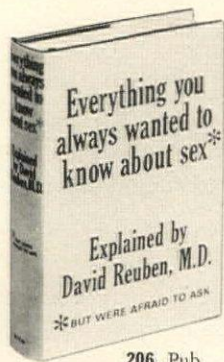
Chalk up a *safe and practical reuse for cleaners' bags*. Sally spent last weekend reorganizing her belongings, and she used the plastic bags to create dust-free storage on her closet shelves. Her retired collection of stuffed animals that she can't part with are now reposing on the top shelf under a see-through tent-like cover made by slitting one bag down the sides. Taped to the back wall and the under side of the shelf, the bag covers the animals completely. As she has more shelf space than drawer space, she arranged a series of open-ended bags along each shelf and put in them all her handbags, sweaters, bathing suits, and shorts. Some of the bags she cut down so that there is just enough of the plastic left at the top to tuck under the pile, making it easy to remove things as they are needed.

After doing heroic duty as a food server at informal parties, my Salton Hotable buffet cart made its debut as a *highly efficient bar*. Instead of setting up the bar on the table in the living room, where it always creates a traffic jam, Tom got the bright idea of temporarily removing the love seat

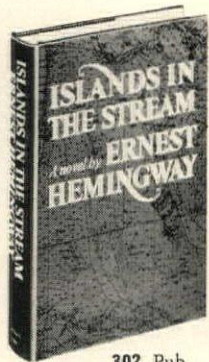
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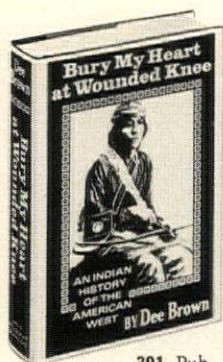
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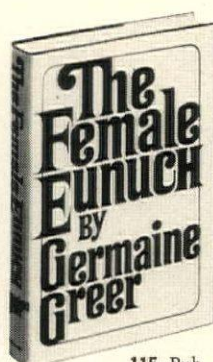
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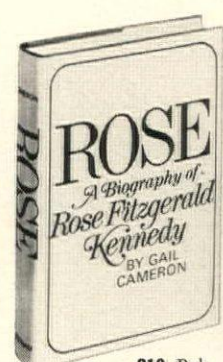
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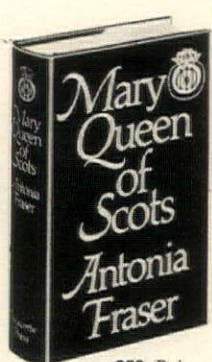
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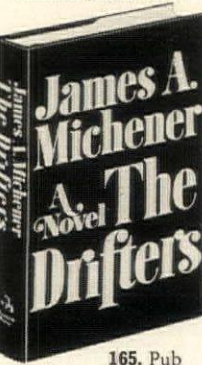
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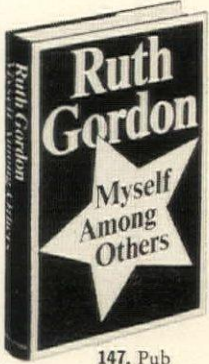
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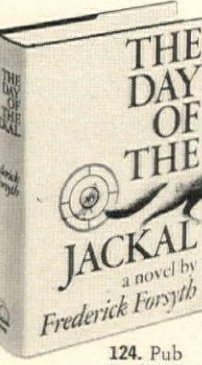


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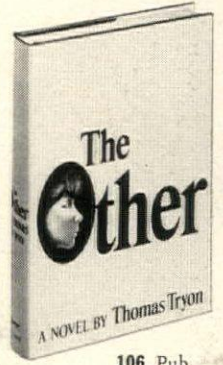
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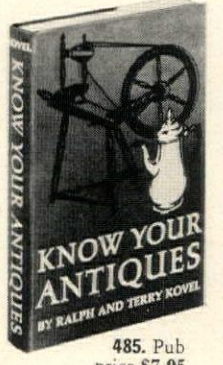
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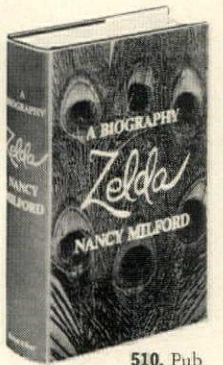
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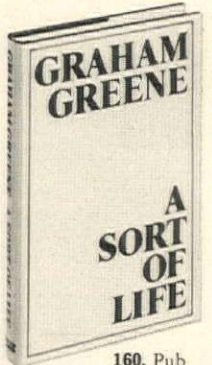
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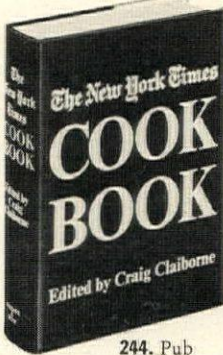
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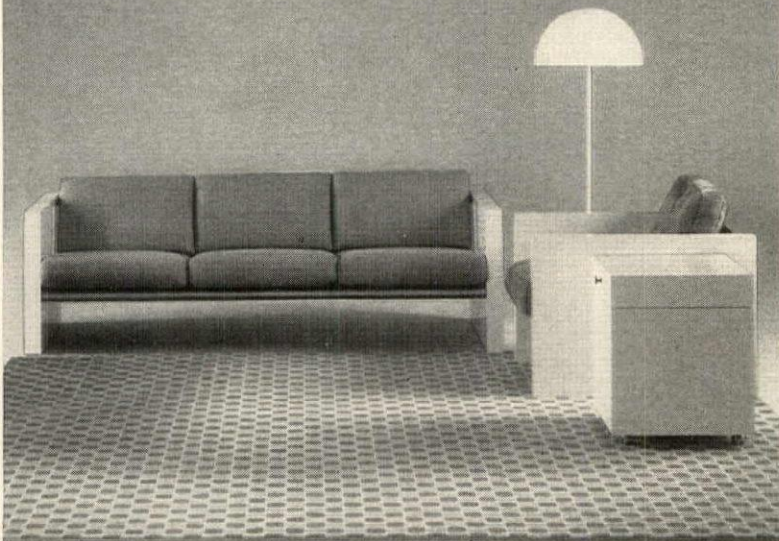
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Now that the abundance of summer is gone, we have to look for **longer-lasting arrangements of fruits and flowers** to dress up the house. I like to fill our oval blue and white bowl with shiny green peppers, satiny white onions, and limes. They can all be used after the first bloom of freshness is gone and in the meantime they brighten up the dinner table. Another of my favorites is the round white Japanese bowl filled with persimmons and black grapes. If you buy the persimmons when they're still almost green they'll probably outlast several batches of grapes, which have a way of falling into the hands of family nibblers. Chrysanthemums have a lengthy lovely season and can be made to last a long time if you cut the stems, trim the lower foliage, and add good old Floralife to the water. If the blooms are *very* fresh to start with, it's possible to enjoy them for two weeks, especially if they are put in china or glass containers. You can get Floralife at most florist shops.

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The road to perfect needlepoint is not always smooth. I have been a slow learner and it took me a long time to realize that ripping out every mistake is the only way to success. So when I suddenly discover that the stitches in my pretty red flower are all going the wrong way, I take up the seam ripper I found in a notion department and cut and rip them back to the beginning of the mistake. Then I use a fine crochet hook to rip out several more stitches until the yarn is long enough to weave into the back with the needle. But using the needle to pick out stitches, I've discovered, tends to split and fray the yarn.



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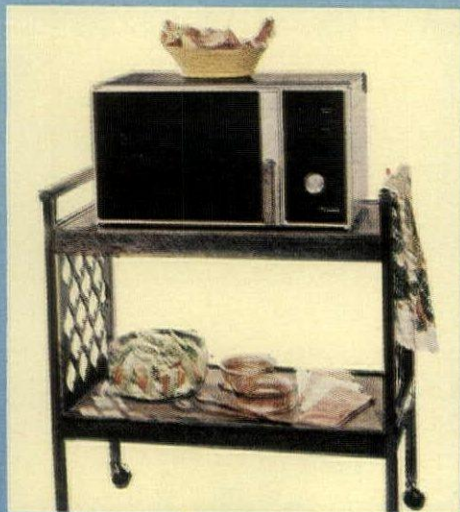
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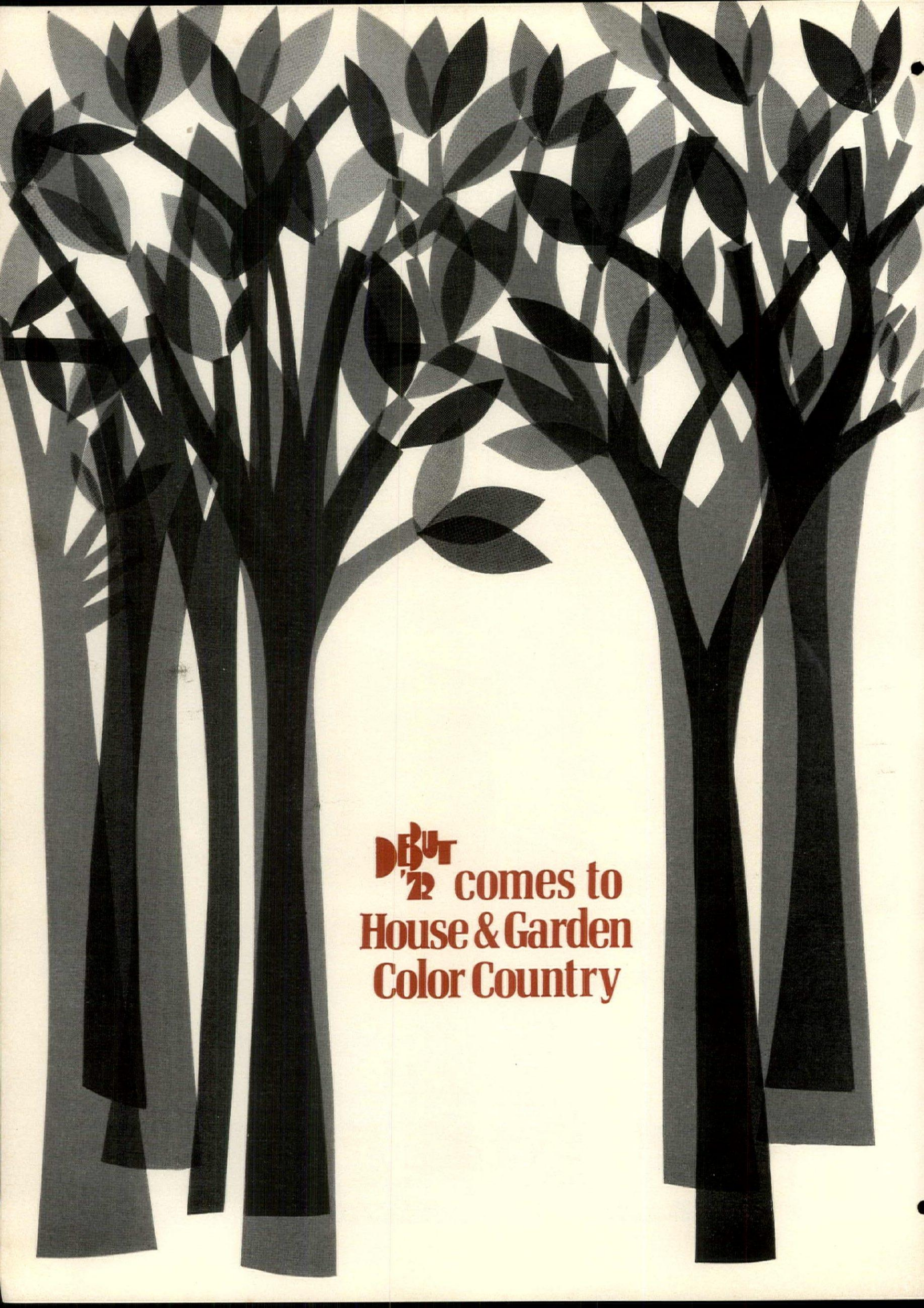
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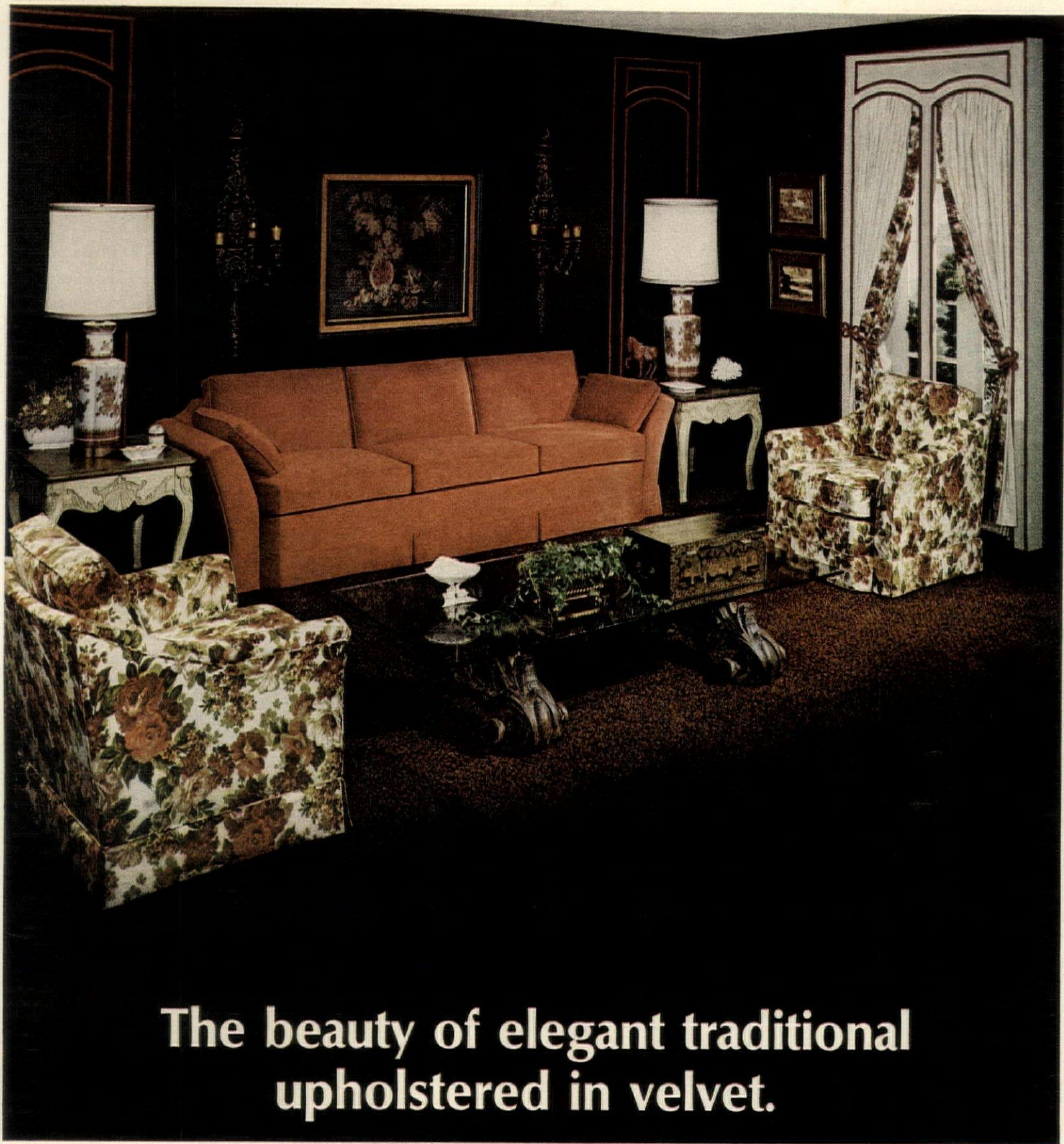
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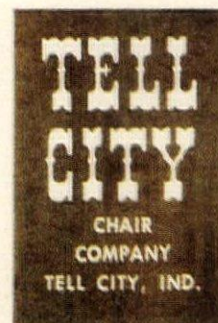


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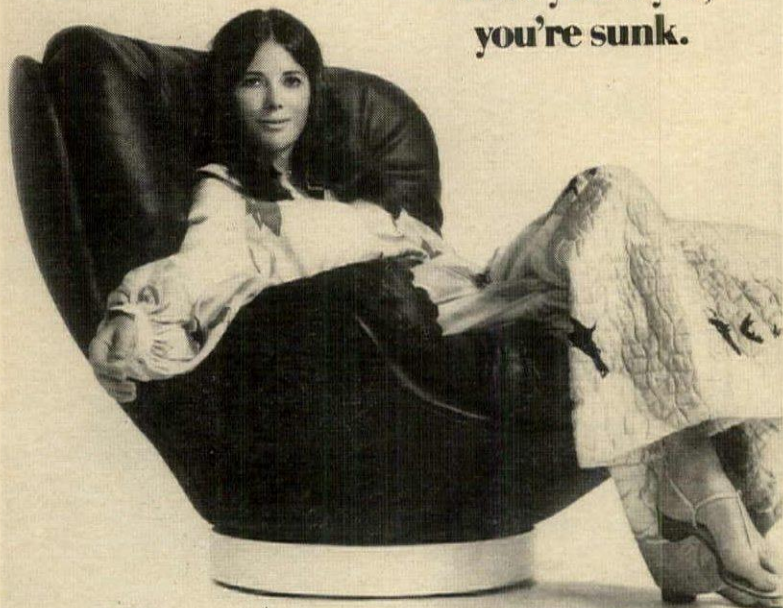
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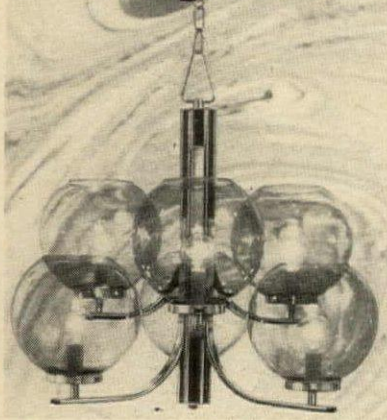
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You could save whatever bits of the flowered material are left over from making the curtains and then use this to appliqué your shades. You could make an all-over design of the flowers, but not as densely patterned as your curtains. Buy shades that are the background color in your print; then cut out as many flowers as you can from the left-over material and paste them on the shades. To keep the edges of the flowers from raveling, paint the cutting line, on the back, with colorless nail polish before cutting. (Or if your material has bunches of flowers, spray each bunch to be cut out with Krylon, a clear acrylic spray.) Use small, sharp scissors for cutting and arrange pieces as a complete design on the shades. Use an adhesive glue that will remain flexible when dry so that the whole shade can easily be rolled up. Bond Cement Number 6793 is excellent for this kind of appliquéing.

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A room has to be balanced in color and in weight. Since the grand piano is probably the heaviest piece of furniture in your room, it will have to be balanced with something that will hold down the opposite side of the room: a tall secretary or a seating arrangement of a substantial sofa and chairs surrounding a coffee table. To place the piano: Begin by measuring the room accurately, including the doorways and windows. Then, using a scale of 1/4 inch to the foot, which is one graph square, draw the outline of your room on paper. Measure your furniture. Then using the same scale of 1/4 inch to the foot, draw the shapes on paper and cut them out (it also helps to color the pieces). You can then work out the best furniture arrangement on your paper scale, moving the pieces around with your fingers. Place the piano first; it should be in a corner of the room with the straight side lined up to parallel the wall, the graceful curved side should face out, the keyboard should be away from the eye. Then arrange the rest of your furniture, remembering to balance weight and color and allowing for traffic patterns.

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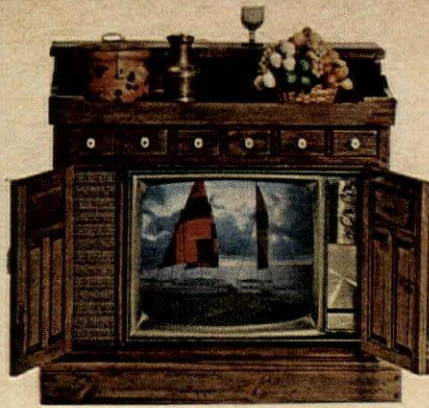
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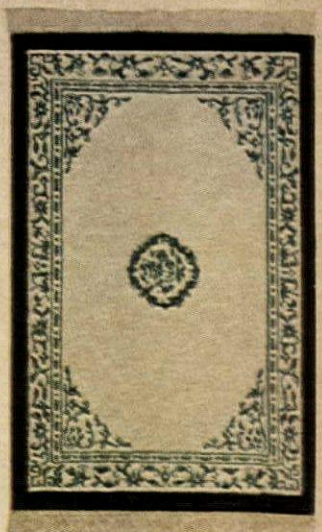
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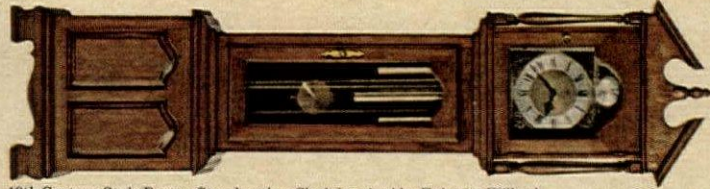
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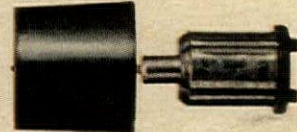
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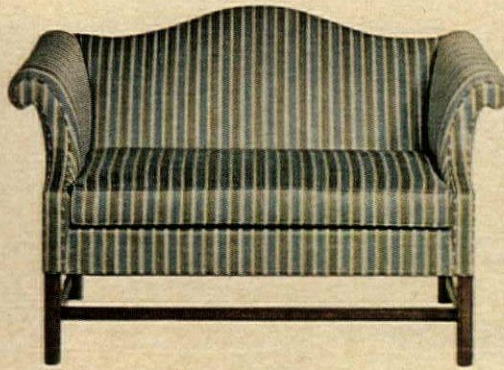
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QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

ANTIQUES

BY LOUISE ADE BOGER



This tureen with a tobacco leaf design will be on display at our antiques show. Can you give me its approximate date and tell me something about the pattern?

B.A.R.—Atlanta, Ga.

TOBACCO LEAF TUREEN

The Tobacco Leaf pattern is an overall design chiefly of tobacco leaves and flowers in combinations of shades in brown, blue, green, pink, rust, and gold. There are about eight or ten variations of this popular pattern in various shades. Quite often, as in your tureen, the design includes a pair of interlinked circles and a larger circle containing four flowers. Your Oriental Lowestoft piece probably dates about 1780. This type of ware is also called Chinese Export porcelain because it was made in China for export only and is a true porcelain.

EDITOR'S NOTE: *The High Museum Antiques Show in Atlanta, Ga. will be at the Merchandise Mart, Peachtree Center, October 6-9.*



CHARLES II TABLE

We inherited this table and were told it is a valuable antique. How old is it?

L.E.S.G.—South Orange, N.J.

Judging from the snapshot, your gate-leg table with baluster turned supports belongs to the Charles II era, and was made in England around 1660-1685.



NINETEENTH-CENTURY VASES

Our Rusk County Heritage Association was recently presented with these two blue vases, but we have no information about them and would be very grateful for whatever you can tell us about their place and date of origin.

E.H.L.—Henderson, Tex.

Your blue glass vases with white enameled decoration appear to be of mid-nineteenth-century Continental manufacture. The light and graceful, almost lace-like, decoration shows Grecian influence and is the work of a talented artisan.

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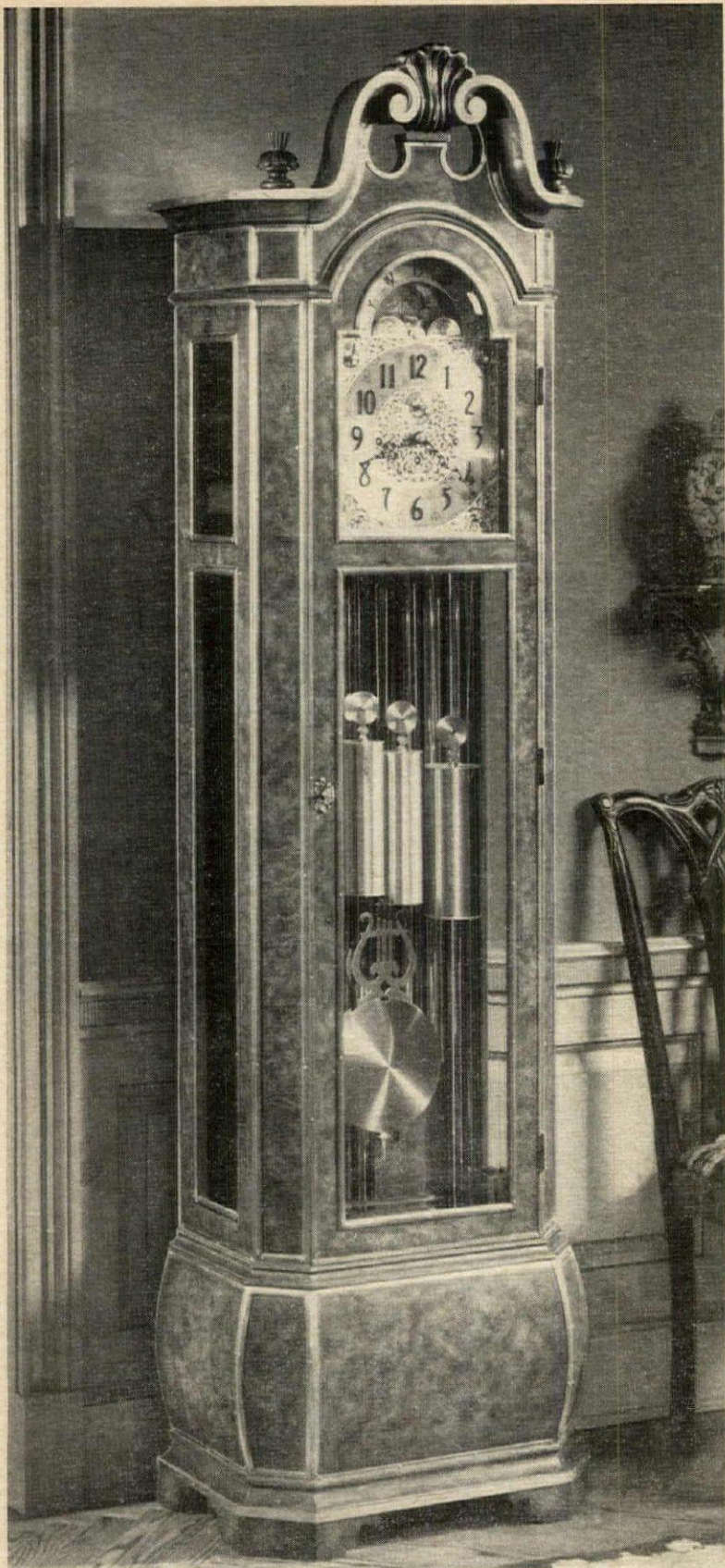
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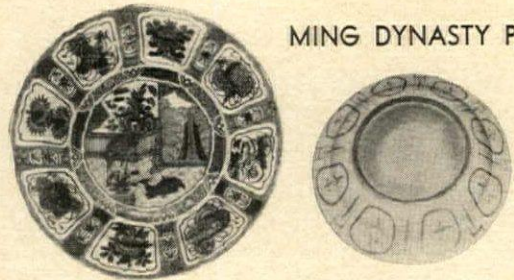
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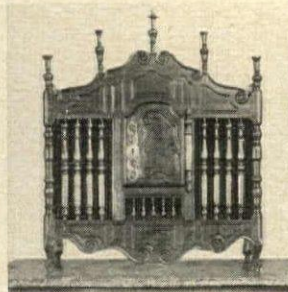
MING DYNASTY PLATE



My Chinese porcelain dish is supposed to be from the Ming dynasty. Could you tell me if this is correct? J.A.—Newark, N.J.

Judging by your snapshots, your porcelain dish, painted in underglaze blue, was made in China during the Chia Ching reign of the Ming Dynasty (1522-1566).

PANETIÈRE



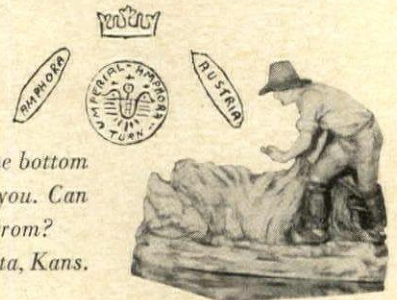
I bought this piece in an antique shop. They thought it was some kind of cupboard. Can you identify it? L.B.C.—Paoli, Pa.

You have a hanging cupboard, a charming piece of French Provincial furniture. It is a bread cupboard, called in French a *panetière*. It is in the Louis XV style, but since these cupboards have retained their popularity and are still being skillfully copied, it would be necessary to have your *panetière* examined to ascertain if it was made in the eighteenth century.

AUSTRIAN POTTERY

I traced the markings from the bottom of this piece of pottery for you. Can you tell me where it came from?

M.B.A.—Wichita, Kans.



Your pottery, depicting a young farm boy scything grain and a hen picking up seeds was made at the Amphora Porcelain Manufactory at Turn, near Teplitz, Austria. Riessner and Kessel started this firm in 1892 and porcelain figures were its chief concern.

DUTCH MINIATURE CHAIR



I have a sterling silver miniature chair, 2 inches high. The marks on its back are, from the top, S.B.I., F, crown, lion, and, I think, an L. On the bottom is a sailing boat, 930, and a sign of a bell. What does it all mean? How old is it and where was it made? E.L.—Atlantic City, N.J.

Your miniature silver chair is Dutch in origin. The marks under the seat are more or less meaningless. 930 is probably the standard of silver. The full set of Sheffield marks on the front of the back panel was put on at the time the chair entered England, its foreign origin being shown by the F. The date letter is not entirely legible. It may be C (1895-96) or R (1909-10). The mark centered in the crest rail is probably a Dutch control mark.



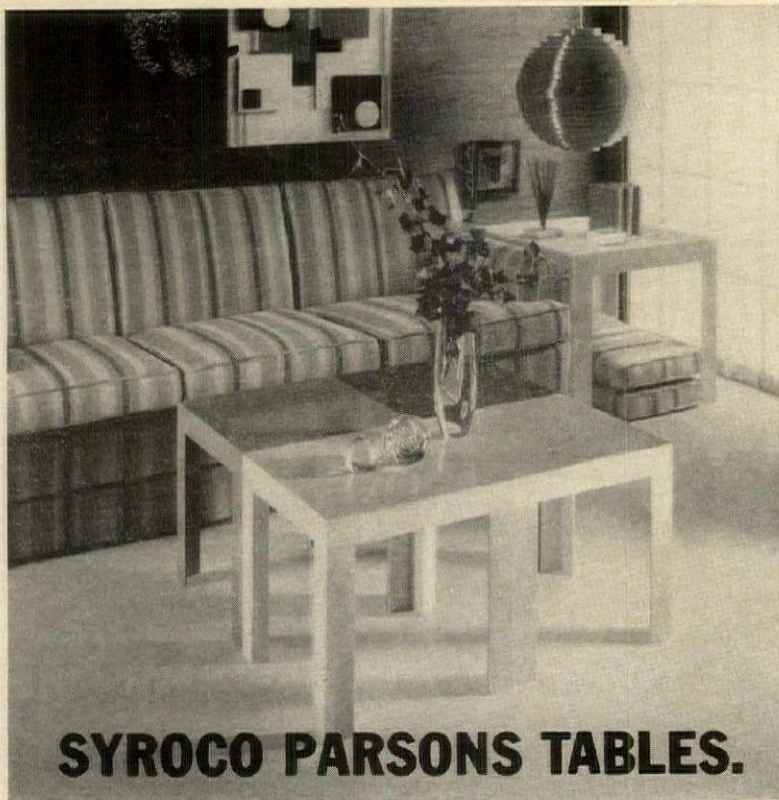
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A GARDENER SPEAKS HIS MIND

A walk with perennials

PART ONE

By William B. Harris

"There is nothing in this life pleasanter than to wander through woods, plains, garlanded and adorned with plants of various sorts, and most elegant to boot, and to gaze intently on them. But it increases that pleasure not a little more if there be added an acquaintance with the virtues and powers of these same plants." Those lines were written by Leonhart Fuchs in *De Historia Stirpium*, an herbal published in 1542, and were used recently by Peter Coats as an introduction to his excellent work, *Flowers in History*, which Viking published in 1970. We shall wander through no woods or plains, as pleasant as that might be in these crisp, fall days. Our walk will be restricted to the garden, but only that part of it devoted to perennial plants that do not get their start in life from bulbs. Most of those chosen are rugged, hardy things, suited to climates that drop to minus 20° Fahrenheit. I've noticed that gardeners who work with perennials tend to be conservative—in the sense that they concentrate on the genera they are most successful in growing. It seems to follow that any pleasure you get from this walk with perennials will come in terms of at least knowing a bit about many other plants, enough perhaps to help you decide to reach out for some of them. I have ticked off places of origin in most instances, added some phonetics to help pronounce those classical names that many gardeners find beastly (they can take heart from the fact that even Ruskin thought Linnaeus's nomenclature repulsive), noted common names, given color, and height range. And if culture requires something more than that delicious combination of sun, a good sharp garden loam, and water, I have added that too. In Zone 4 (the minus 20° regions) it is too late to plant most of these unless you have a ready source,

but in the warmer parts of Zone 5 (minus 10°) and farther south, planting this late seems safe. Of course, newly planted perennials, like nearly all other established perennials, need a protective covering to do well. Let's walk.

ACHILLEA (ack-ill-lee'a) **Yarrow.** These valuable garden plants from the North Temperate Zone are widely grown for the masses of flowers they bear throughout most of the summer. The foliage is attractive and fern-like. Plants grow well in dry, exposed places. They are not fussy about soil, but do best in a good garden loam. There are several excellent varieties whose colors range from shades of yellow or rosy-red to white, some 3 feet, others less than half that tall. Use in mid-border. The hybrid, *Coronation Gold*, produces one of the easiest flowers to dry—and one of the best. Plant in spring or fall.

ACONITUM (ack-ko-knee'tum) **Monkshood.** This genus of 100 species from the North Temperate Zone has many excellent fall-flowering varieties that help keep the perennial border in bloom before chrysanthemums come into flower. Blooms are far more interesting in shape than their common name suggests. Almost all varieties are extremely hardy and because they are tall make excellent back-of-border plants. Blue to purple is their predominant color, but some are yellow, others white. They thrive in good soils, and where shade is not too heavy they do as well as in a sunny location. They like moisture, but refuse to grow where the ground floods for periods or is too wet, and they strongly dislike being moved. The genus is not widely used undoubtedly because the plants are known to be very poisonous if eaten—they are not to the touch. Note: If you are thrown off by this remember to plant no delphinium, mountain

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This is the house that Herb rebuilt...

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Meet Herb and Eileen Hebert and the house they rebuilt in Meriden, Connecticut.

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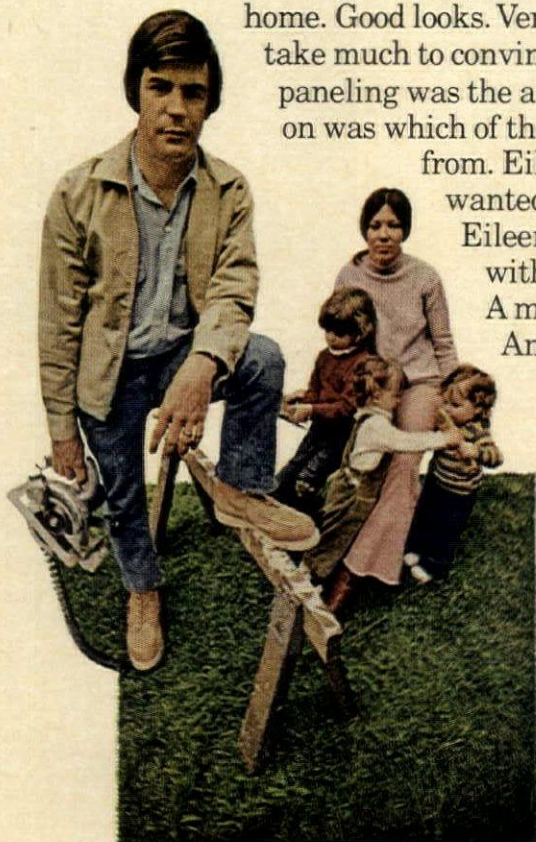


Photo shows Herb's house before these changes:

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- 2) New sundeck atop addition... with Grid Pattern Permaply® decking.
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rest Japanese. They are especially hardy, but few have garden value. *A. Tabernaemontana*, the best variety I know, does best in ordinary soil in part shade; it likes moisture and makes an excellent plant for the edge of woodland, in a wild garden, or for a similar spot in a shrub border. Dense clusters of soft blue flowers show in May-June. It can be propagated easily by division in very early spring, which is the only time to plant or move it.

ANCHUSA (an-choo'sa) **Alkanet.** There are about forty species of these charming early bloomers from the Old World that belong to the forget-me-not order and are grown widely for their showy flowers. Those in commerce are mostly blues: heights vary considerably. Anchusa like a deep, well-drained soil, not too heavy, and do best in full sun. Plant only in the spring.

ANEMONE (a-nem'owe-nee) **Windflower.** This most charming group of perennials is widely distributed over the temperate regions in many forms. The genus is a member of the buttercup family. The fibrous-rooted forms generally do well in an ordinary

garden soil, but rich sandy loam suits them well and woodland soil is even better. The principal one, which has had its name changed to *Pulsatilla vulgaris*, is very hardy and grows, with great charm, from 6 to 10 inches tall. It comes in red, white, and purple. Spring planting is best.

ANTHEMIS (an'them-is) **Golden Marguerite.** Few species in this large Eurasian genus have ornamental value, except *A. tinctoria*, and it is about as well-known and as widely grown as can be. It is not the least fussy about anything. It can be planted in spring or fall.

AQUILEGIA (ack-wi-lee'jee-a) **Columbine.** Lacy greens and dancing blooms characterize this lovely border plant of over forty species found in high mountains over a broad range of the earth. There are also several strains of hybrids. Those with long-spurs are my favorites. They make excellent cut flowers and bloom over a period of four to six weeks. Varieties grow 20 to 30 inches high and should be planted toward the middle of the perennial border and in the rock garden. Mark the fact that they seed pro-

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laurel, rhododendron, Christmas rose, foxglove, belladonna, and many other plants, shrubs, and bulbs, all of which are equally poisonous—and rip up jimsonweed, its parts are all deadly. Varieties can be planted in the spring or fall.

ADENOPHORA (a-den-off'ora) **Ladybell.** About twenty species of perennials from eastern Asia make up this genus, which, unless you are a botanist, is not easy to tell before bloom from campanula. The flowers, however, are drooping and in racemes. The varieties are hardy and generally do well in rich soils that are not too dry. The few in use (two, really) are grown for their pleasant blue flowers. Warm and sunny describes the best location. Adenophora is difficult to move, so plant where you want them to stay. Increase stock by cuttings; dividing the plant is nearly impossible. Plant in spring or fall.

AJUGA (a-joo'gah) **Bugle.** There are many splendid rockery plants in this European genus that show a wide range of color

on perky spikes 6 to 8 inches high. Ajuga is also one of the best ground covers for locations in sun or light shade. It spreads quickly and when established mats so heavily that weeds find it hard to grow. For quick covers place plants 6 inches apart. Ajuga is evergreen in mild climates and practically indestructible. May be planted spring or fall.

ALYSSUM (al-iss'sum) **Madwort.** Europe and Asia have given us the many useful shades-of-yellow species that make up this genus. Planted in ordinary, well-drained soil in full sun they are most rewarding. We suggest using them in groups in the perennial border, the rock garden, or as edging plants. *Saxatile* (called Basket-of-Gold) and *citrinum* are striking when planted in baskets or patio containers. Their flowers show in profusion in early spring on 12- to 15-inch stems. Plant them only in the spring.

AMSONIA (am-sown'ee-uh). There are only seven species in this genus—two American, the

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digiously and that the seedlings, although they can be used, seem more bother than they are worth. Crowns of old plants sometimes get too high and may winterkill—to fix, dig up and plant the crown at the surface, where it first started. Aquilegia can be planted spring or fall.

ARTEMISIA (are-ti-miz'ee-a) **The Wormwoods.** A large genus of plants that are not grown for flowers. Their attraction is the silvery white, silky covering of down on the shoots and leaves. They are very useful as foil plants in the border and rockery and excellent for contrast in flower arrangements. Culture is easy: Give them a well-drained soil in a sunny position and they will be happy. Plant only in the spring.

ASCLEPIAS (as-klee'pe-as) **Butterfly weed. Milkweed.** There are over 150 species in this large group from the Western Hemisphere and Africa. Few are of interest in the garden and many are not hardy. *A. tuberosa*, an American, which throws bright orange flowers from July to September, is the best bet. It can be planted spring or fall.

ASPERULA (as-per'u-la) **Madder.** A genus of about eighty species of herbs (sometimes small shrubs) that are native to Europe, Asia, and Australia, but few have garden value. Flowers appear in terminal clusters, and although individual blooms are small, the clusters produce an excellent show. Most widely grown is *A. odorata*, Sweet Woodruff, whose dried foliage is very fragrant. *Asperula* grow well in almost any garden soil, and may be planted spring or fall.

ASTER (as-ter) **Michaelmas Daisies.** Strange that American gardeners show so little interest in this lovely flower. Perhaps this is because the wild form is a weed in much of the country. The new hybrids, nearly all developed in England, are very popular in Europe. They grow in any soil and stand up under the toughest treatment. All they require is full sun and lots of water. There are scores of varieties. Some grow in dwarf clusters, others go to 4 feet. Colors? Very broad. Asters bloom in August and September, so for this reason alone they are important plants

in any herbaceous border. Culture is similar to that of chrysanthemums insofar as separation and replanting are concerned. Dig them in earliest spring, divide and replant the vigorous outside growth, discard the old center. Asters may be pinched back to keep them from growing too tall, otherwise many varieties will have to be staked. They should be planted in the spring.

ASTILBE (as-til'bee) **Spiraea.** The best of these hardworking, beautiful border plants come from China and Japan. They throw pleasant flowers in long panicles or spikes in June and July, then bush out with decorative foliage. Astilbe grows practically anywhere in full sun, but does far better in light shade, for the color doesn't burn out and the blooms last longer. It also likes a damp location but is not the least fussy about soils. Use astilbe in bold groups in the perennial border or mass in shady locations for ground cover. Propagate by division. Astilbe is tough and can be planted spring or fall.

BAPTISIA (bap-tease'ee-a) **False Indigo.** This very useful

North American perennial (there are about twenty-five species) adapts itself to most soil conditions, and, although it tolerates full sunlight, it appreciates a bit of shade during the day. Its root system is extremely tight and spreading. Fact is, once established, baptisia can hardly be pried out of the ground and their vigorous spreading habit makes them weedy. The pea-like blooms are on 10- to 12-inch racemes; seed pods are valuable to birds that stay around all winter. They are rugged plants that may be moved in spring or fall.

BELAMCANDA (bell-am-can'-da) **Blackberry Lily or Leopard Flower.** A genus with a single species, *chinensis*, native to China and Japan, which is grown practically everywhere. Flowers are apricot-orange with black spots on stems 2 to 4 feet high. It is easily propagated by division in the spring, the only time it should be planted.

BERGENIA (ber-gen'ee-uh). An Asiatic native having twelve perennial species but only two, *cordifolia* and *crassifolia*, are hardy. They are cultivated for


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their ornamental foliage, although the flowers are attractive. They need lime, gritty or sandy soils, and protection from the noonday sun. They grow in thick rosettes of fleshy leaves; the flower stems pop up from the base and provide panicles of bloom. Unlike many other Alpines they do not overrun other plants, another highly desirable characteristic. Plant in spring only.

CAMPANULA (kam-pan'you-la) **Bellflower.** A fine group of garden plants (over 250 species) native to eastern and southern Europe, the Alps, and Asia Minor. Varieties range from dwarf to 3 feet tall and look superb in the perennial border or rock garden. Colors are predominantly blue and white. Some bloom continuously from June to October. Culture is not difficult, as they need only a moderately rich, well drained soil. Be sure to give them protection each winter and divide half the stock every second or third year to keep it vigorous. Plant only in the springtime.

CHRYSANTHEMUM (kri-

san'thu-mum). There are over 150 species of this most valuable plant, which ranges the temperate and subtropical lands of the world. The Chinese and Japanese have cultivated them for over 3,000 years. The value of chrysanthemums in the garden is that they burst into color sensationally in the fall, the last of the flowering perennials. The choice of color and form is broad. Many gardeners buy mums in bloom in the fall, not knowing, we suppose, that fall-planted mums are not likely to winter well. It is easier to work with new stock in the spring. But this doesn't mean that you should resist good-looking mums at roadside in September. The pretty things will sparkle in an otherwise drab garden, bunches of flowers can be stripped from their sides for arrangements indoors, and, if you have a cold frame, you can probably winter them successfully. Note that chrysanthemums are tender when shipped and, although hardened-off in cold frames, cannot survive sharp frost in late spring. They need protection if planted early.

Culture: Unlike most perennials, which grow from a loose crown and which can be left in the ground for several years, chrysanthemums should be dug every year in early spring and divided. After digging, discard the center of the old root system and keep only the vigorous individual outside shoots. Each should have a good piece of root attached to it. These look like very small plants, and indeed they are, but they will grow beautifully during the season—just as well as the cuttings you buy in the spring. After division, there will undoubtedly be many more plants than needed, so give them away. Shoots or cuttings will need attention at various times during the growing season, for tops must be pinched back if one is to get a compact plant covered with bloom in the fall. Keep inspecting and pinching back new growth until July 4 or a bit later. Then let them grow. Experienced gardeners have learned that "hardy" mums are not as hardy as the ads imply and winter their spring-planted mums in frames. Particularly sensitive to the hours of daylight, mums are fooled by nurserymen who force

them to bloom by artificially shortening the day with black-cloth shade. Football-season mums, if unshaded, probably would not bloom until late December. Fortunately, garden chrysanthemum varieties have been developed so that they will rush into bloom in early September, others are bred to bloom in November. This makes it possible for gardeners all over the country to get bloom before the deep frosts. Light frosts do little damage to most varieties.

CIMICIFUGA (sim-me-siff-you'ga) **Bugbane, Snakeroot.** Tall white-flowering border plants that grow in ordinary soil in sun or light shade. They have large leaves and plume-like, branching flower spikes. I know of no tall perennial more effective in mid-July. Plant in spring or fall.

How many of the foregoing perennial genera do you know well, is now the question. If you have scored 90 percent and could pronounce all the names, you naturally should move to the head of the class. We shall do more wandering in an early issue.



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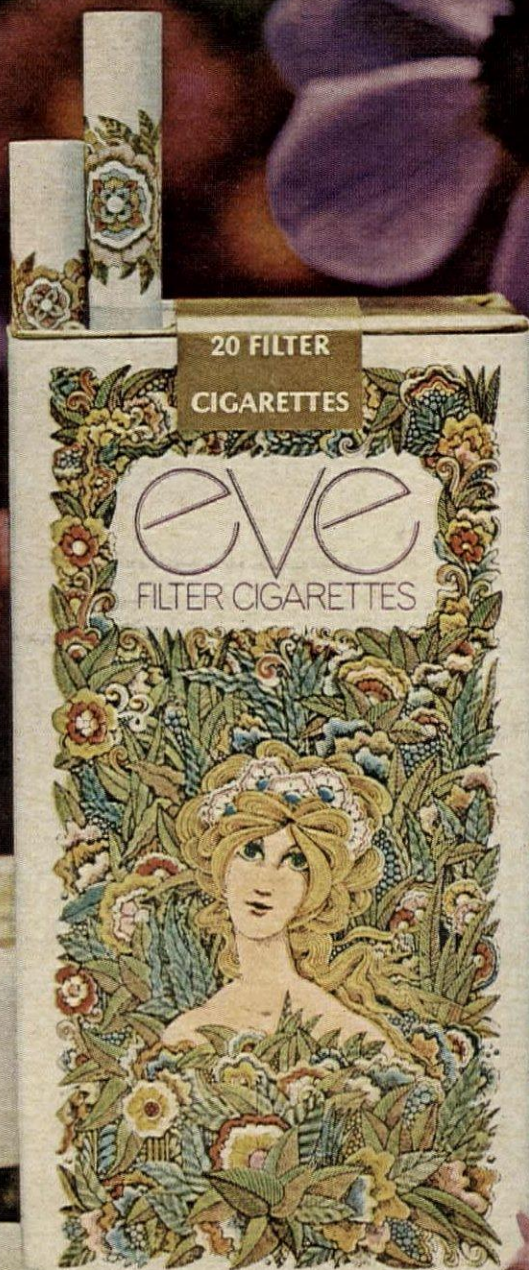
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ments are marvelous examples of a love of space—subtraction—worked out in a city apartment with medium-sized rooms and in a gigantic one-room floor-through. And in keeping with the idea of simplifying spaces, the terraced garden, page 112, looks like a vast Frank Stella driven into the earth.

Ideas for color schemes run from untraditional colors as the jolt for an otherwise traditional room, page 97; to a room, page 90, where the color idea is to have almost all texture and natural color—bleached woods and terra-cotta tile—as a background for handcrafts; to the living room, page 118, with blue and white plus warm peaches and apricots, a Persian rug and needlepoint chairs where the result is no scheme and lots of color. Room plans tuned to function and modern lives are the bed-living room, page 94; a two-table, two-sofa dining room filled with art, page 95; the

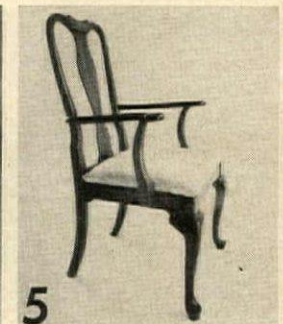
all-one-color, almost-no-furniture living room, page 104; or a more traditional bed-sitting room plan with a 6-panel screen behind the bed, an 8-foot sofa, and a big bedside table for eating on trays, watching a sleek TV, page 91. Window ideas run from the bareness of a painted molding framing three big windows in a garden room, page 92; to the Arabian tented look of the library-guest room, page 123; and the painted wood grillwork, page 108. There's an enormous roster of versatile furniture that can be used countless ways for very different effects, seen on pages 86-88—sort through the eleven rooms, from pages 89 to 99, to get an idea of how easy it is to use it all. There are two very good and opposite attitudes toward storage for everything—one closed, one open—on pages 104 and 108. Art for everybody means everything from a young collector's ideas on buying, page 31, his own apartment, page 102; to a dining room, page 95, where guests sit down and get a good look as opposed to passing something in the hallway.

We hope you'll put some of these ideas together for yourself. The only errors are a lack of enthusiasm and courage.

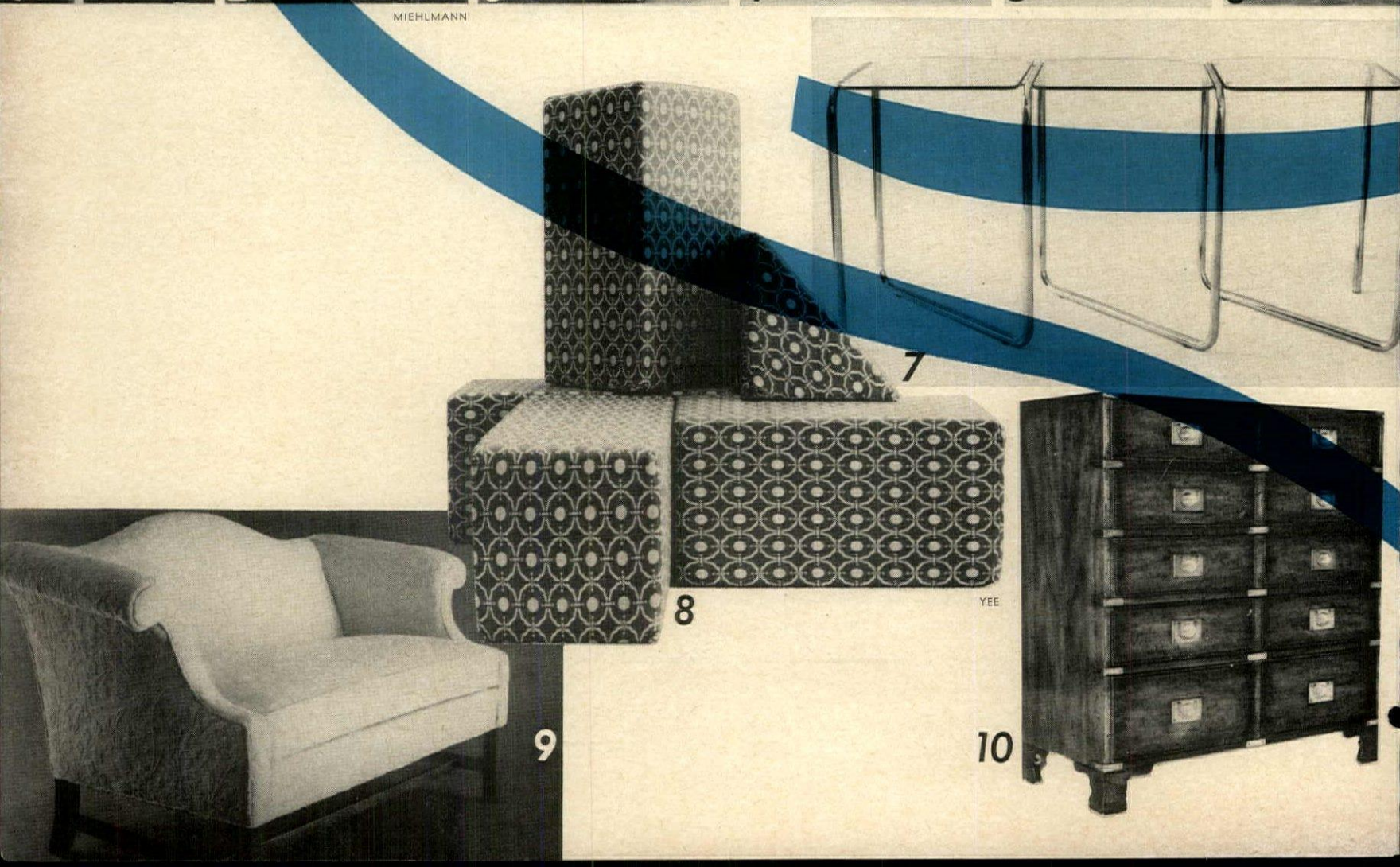
For living now

Fifty pieces of furniture and how you can decorate with them in marvelous new ways

We're taking you on a trip. We want to show you how you can walk through a furniture store in search of something new and refreshing for your house and *know* what will go with what, where, how, and why. We begin by isolating fifty pieces of furniture you can buy now, and then we show them again in rooms (you can identify each piece through its number) on the following twelve pages. Leading designers from stores across the country have decorated these rooms, and they can be seen in the stores we mention, from mid-September into October, at the time of Debut '72, the nation-wide event organized by the Home Furnishings Council to introduce 1972 designs. While each room is decorated very differently, we find a common denominator in them all. This is a clutterless, clean-cut quality, a pared-down look, a feeling of less rather than more. Why should we suddenly want to subtract rather than add? The answer is evidently this: To balance the complications of living today, we all feel a need to simplify at home.

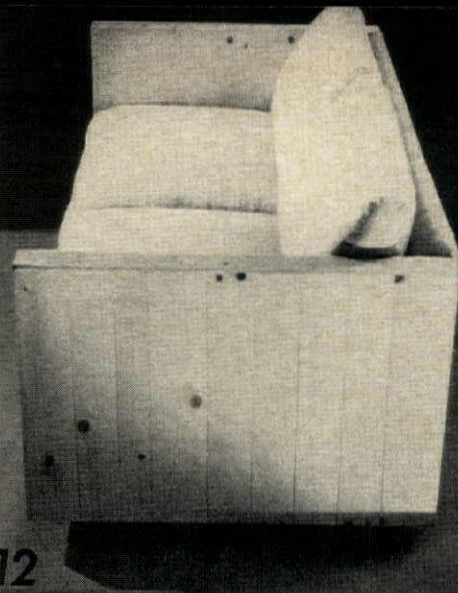


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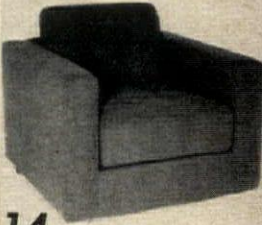
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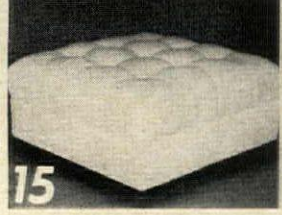
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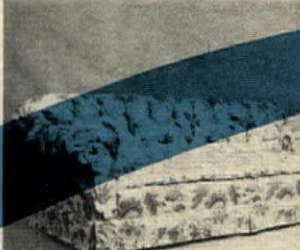
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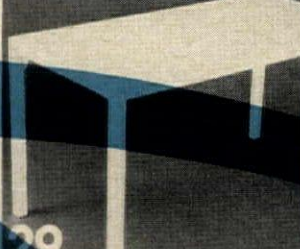
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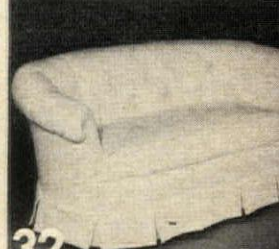
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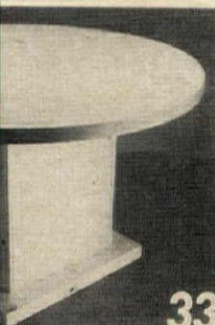
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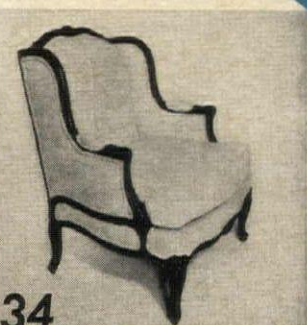
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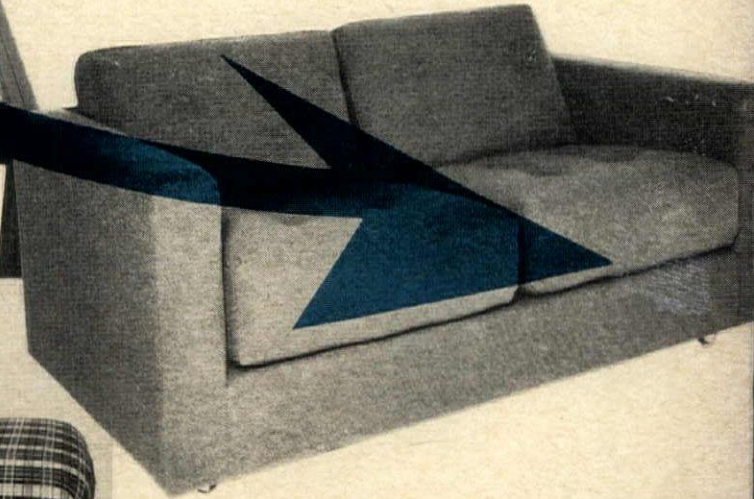
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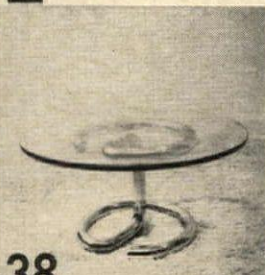
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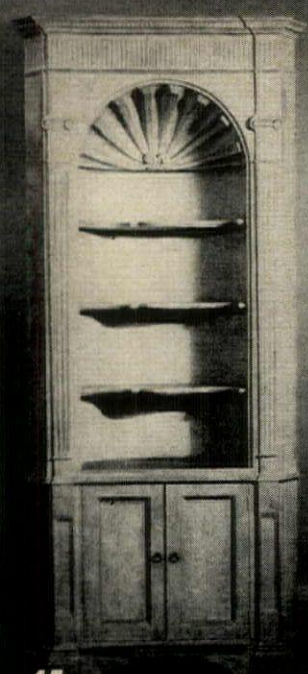


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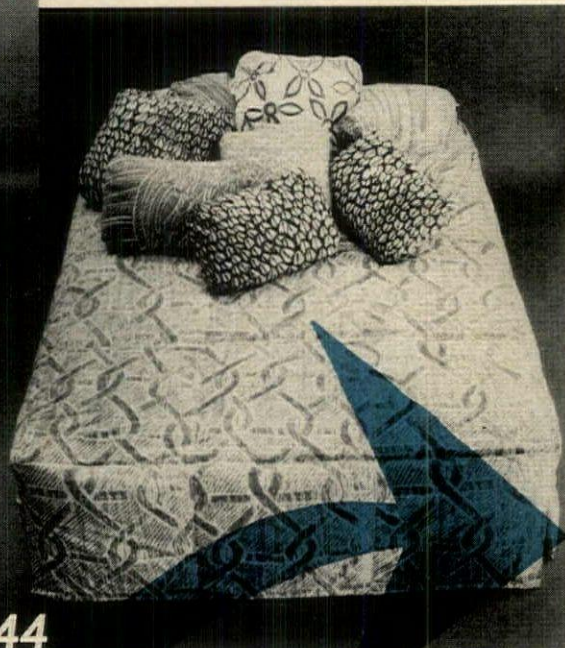
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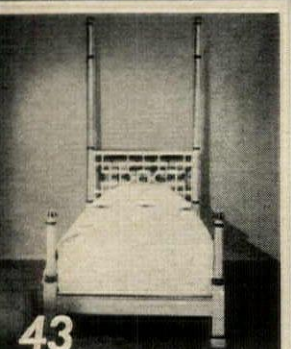
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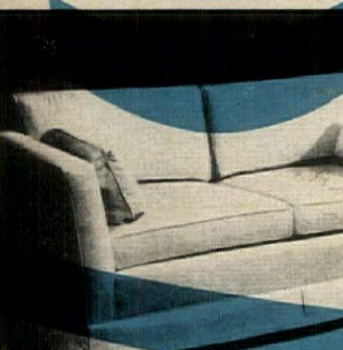


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Great living room of put-together move-around furniture

All the seating's out in the open in this living-entertaining room, walk-aroundable and very movable, too, made of lightweight foam shapes. "Here's a forward-thinking room for people who don't like to be limited," declares the designer James Wilds of Bon Marché, Seattle. "Very adaptable, very livable." For parties, the chrome and glass tables against the wall serve as buffets and everyone sits around informally. A room of pale textures, Belgian linen on the walls, bamboo blinds, beige wool carpet, because, adds Mr. Wilds, "people, conversation, music, and art provide all the color."

In the room plan: foam blocks (8) covered with polyester knitted stretch fabric. Molded foam chairs in stretch fabric (16) and white vinyl (26). Round tables with chrome bases (42). Glass and chrome buffet tables (7). All by Founders. Carpet by Bigelow-Sanford. William Sellers sculpture from the Max Hutchinson Gallery. Harvey Quaytman painting from the Paula Cooper Gallery. Room at Bon Marché, Seattle.



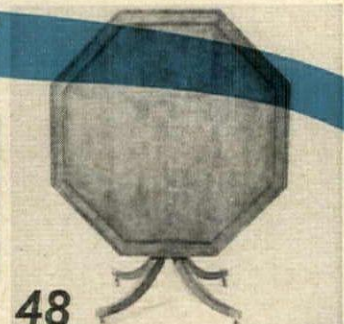
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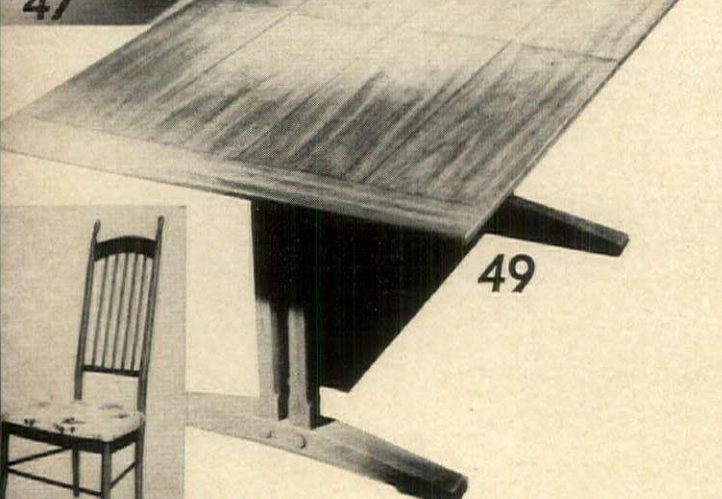
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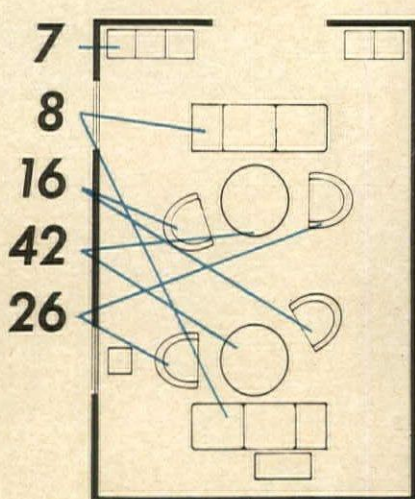
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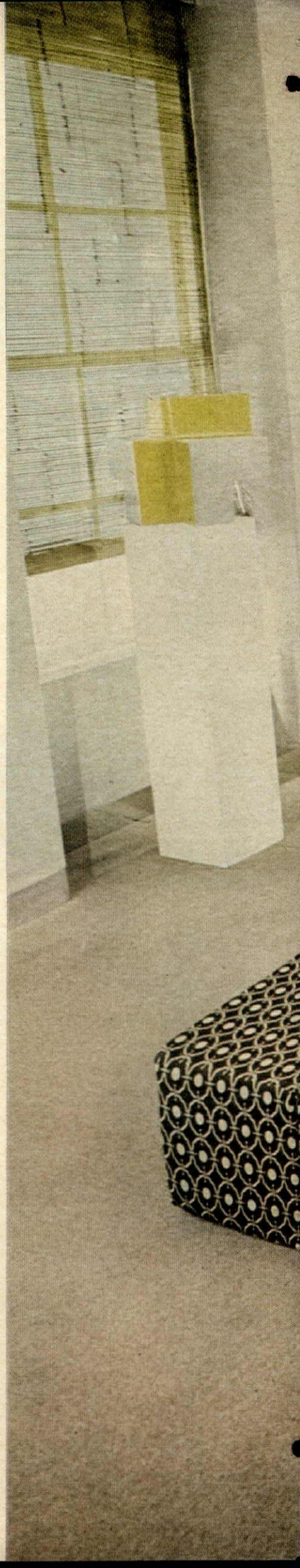


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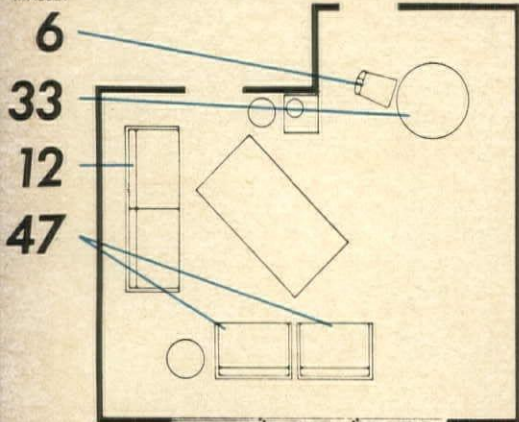
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Back to nature: pine, wicker, handcrafts

A marvelous room with "a feeling of living in a tree," says the designer Joseph Cuticchia of Kaufmann's, Pittsburgh, has plywood wall paneling and very new, natural, knotty-pine furniture. "It's a concept of life, a craftsman's room, earthy." Cushions on the love seat and chairs are covered in hand-spun Indian silk and more handworked things are all around—Navaho rugs, an Assiniboine Sioux quilt, beautiful baskets, and pottery jars. The floor is hand-molded rough terra-cotta tiling.

In the room plan: pine love seat (12) and armchairs (47) with Indian silk cushions. Round pine table (33) and double-doored storage cube both topped with beige Formica. Cane backed chair has white lacquered metal frame (6). All from Thayer

Coggin's Palomino Pine Collection designed by Milo Baughman. Terra-cotta floor tiles by Country Floors. Fir Planktex wall paneling by U.S. Plywood. Rugs and quilt from the American Indian Arts Center. Room at Kaufmann's, Pittsburgh.



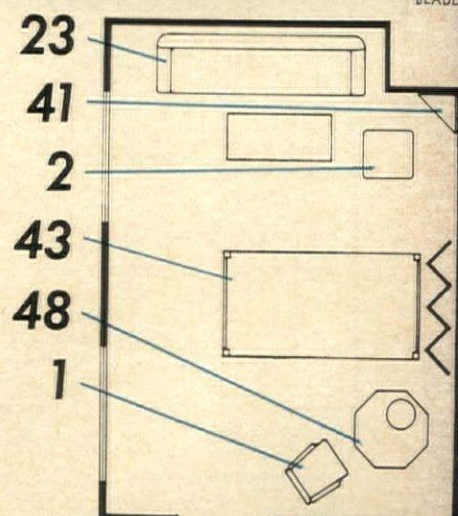
Bedroom to live in all day

The sitting bedroom, a beautiful place to relax and unwind, read, sew, look at television. "See it as a living space and furnish it in an individual way," says the designer John Greene of Hudson's, Detroit. "If a great big sofa is relative to your needs or a little dining table for quiet meals alone, fine." Pulled away from the wall, the fourposter bed is lacquered yellow, set against Creamy Apricot walls on a Pompeian Red carpet. "Colors to make anyone feel pleased and comfortable."

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In the room plan: single fourposter bed with yellow lacquered finish (43). Octagonal table copied from an original in the Woburn Abbey Collection (48). Pale pine-finished Chippendale armchair (1). Tufted sofa (23).

Corner cabinet of pine, with open shelves at top, doors below (41). Roll-around ottoman (2). All by Baker. Wool carpeting by Karastan. Bedcover in Moygashel Irish linen. Sheets by Wamsutta. Painting by Anthony Tortora. Room at Hudson's, Detroit.

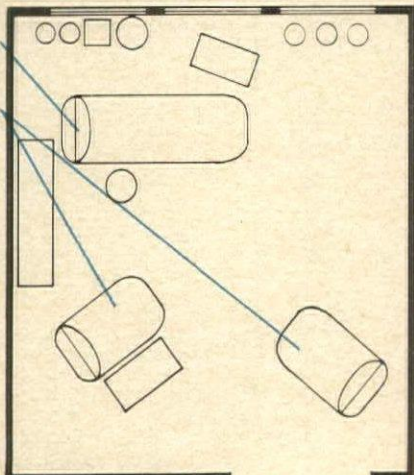




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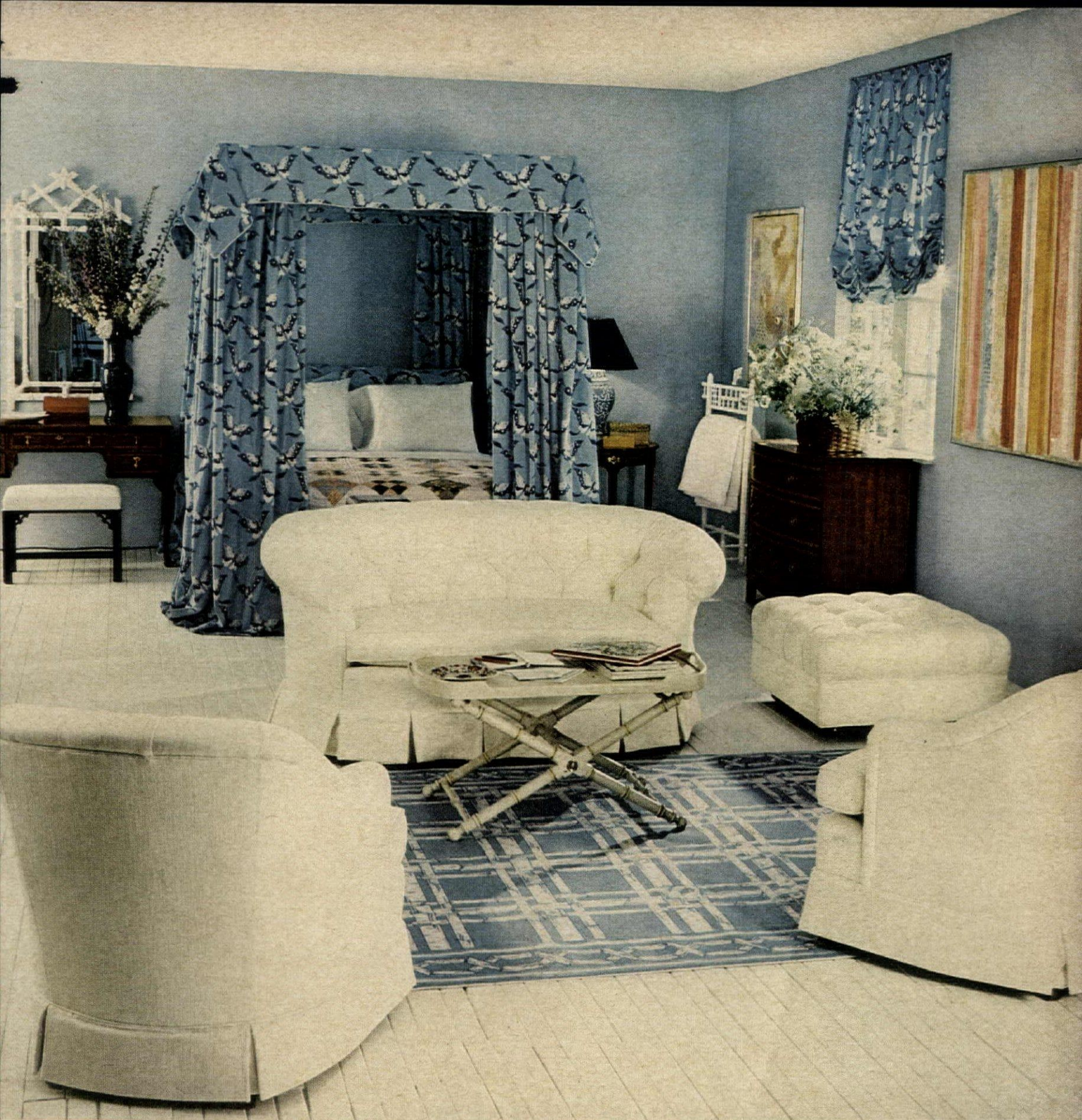
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Garden sitting room with sunshine color

Wonderfully casual and comfortable, a garden sitting room with low-down chairs like big, puffy pillows, plaided in Real Red and Chrome Yellow. "They're great for feet-up reading, entertaining, or enjoying afternoon tea, as we show here, with a little champagne on the side," says Angelo Donghia, of Burge-Donghia, who designed both the furniture and the room for Lord & Taylor, New York. Sisal carpet, the lacing of greenery at the windows, all help to give this room a fresh feeling.

In the room plan: chairs (39) and chaise (17) looking like separate cushions are one-piece units padded with foam and Dacron, designed by Angelo Donghia of & Vice Versa for Interior Crafts. Cotton and polyester plaid

fabric from & Vice Versa and also the "Straight as an Arrow" mauve, blue, and green wallpaper. Coffee table, stool, and serving bar-cart all made in Cicolac by Beylerian. Room at Lord & Taylor, New York.



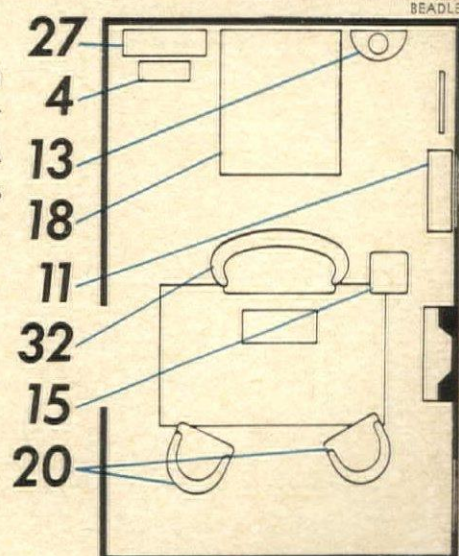
Heavenly bedroom all in blue and white

For a romantic bedroom sitting room, a shell of Blue Sky blanketed with white, in the soft down-seated chairs, love seat, and ottoman and with more white on the painted wood floor. "A calm, serene room for resting and relaxing, as well as sleep," suggests the designer Ann Bolitski of Jordan Marsh, Boston. A butterfly print billows around a Sheraton style fourposter bed and at the windows. All the other pieces of handsome furniture are faithful replicas of eighteenth-century designs in walnut and solid mahogany.

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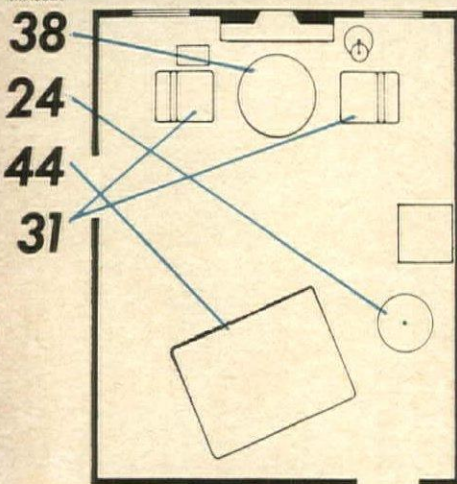
In the room plan: down-cushioned love seat (32). Matching armchairs (20) and ottoman (15). Queen Anne style writing desk (27). Flip-top table (13). Bow-fronted chest (11), Chippendale-style bench (4). Fourposter bed (18). All by Henredon. Blue butterfly cotton fabric "Cathay" designed by Julian

Tomchin for Connaissance. "Pavillion" wool rug designed by Julian Tomchin for Harmony. Pale blue sheets and white blanket by Martex. Paintings by Robert Natkin from the André Emmerich Gallery. Room at Jordan Marsh, Boston.





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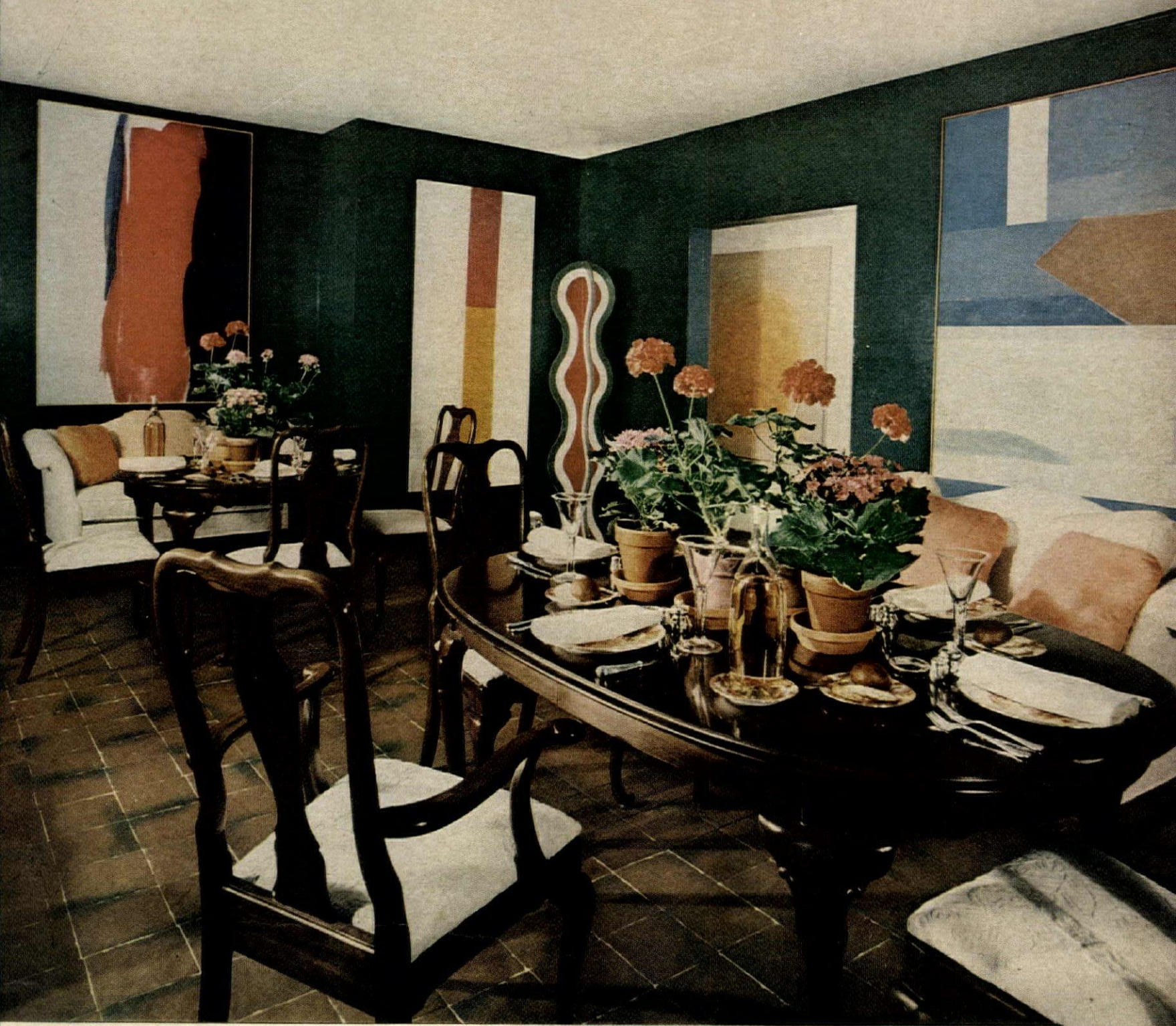
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The bed-living room, a way of living now

A room of soft naturalness and rounded contours where you can live and entertain easily. The great bed with its pile of pillows is covered with a hand-printed fabric, and there's a handwoven touch in the sisal carpet. Seating, leathery looking, has a soothing rounded quality. "This is a very today way of living. We want to simplify at home while the world around us gets more complex," says the designer Farrell Fullerton of May Company, California. Mantel is pine, and the shutters and doors.

In the room plan: foam-filled tan, vinyl-covered easy chairs (31), mushroom ottoman (24). Polished chrome glass-topped table (38). All by Selig. Double-size mattress and box spring (44) Beautyrest Supreme by Simmons. 12-inch squares of sisal carpeting by Continental

Importing. Shutters and doors of ponderosa pine. Cotton fabric on bed and pillows from The Design Works of Bedford-Stuyvesant for Connaissance. African sculpture from the Henri A. Kamer Galerie. Room at May Company, California.



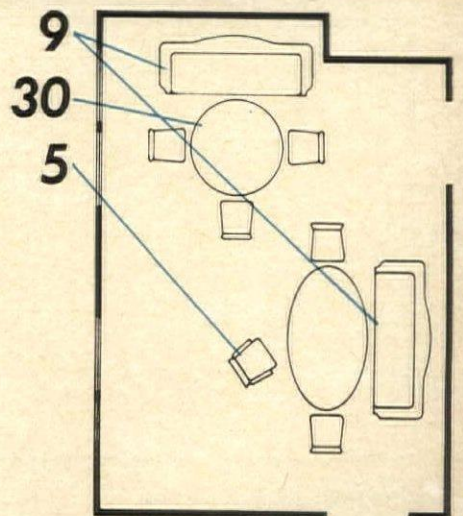
Two-tabled dining room art gallery

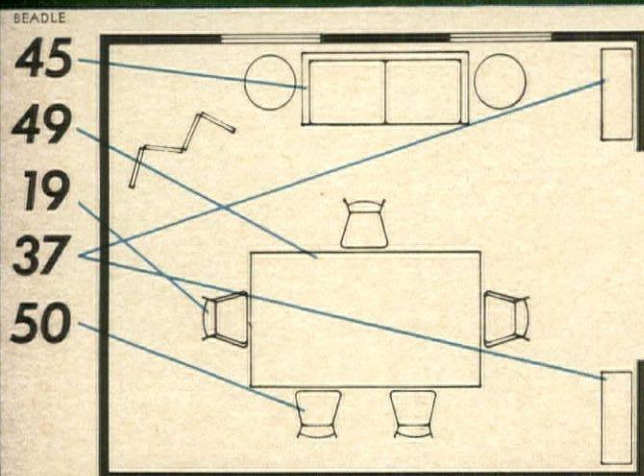
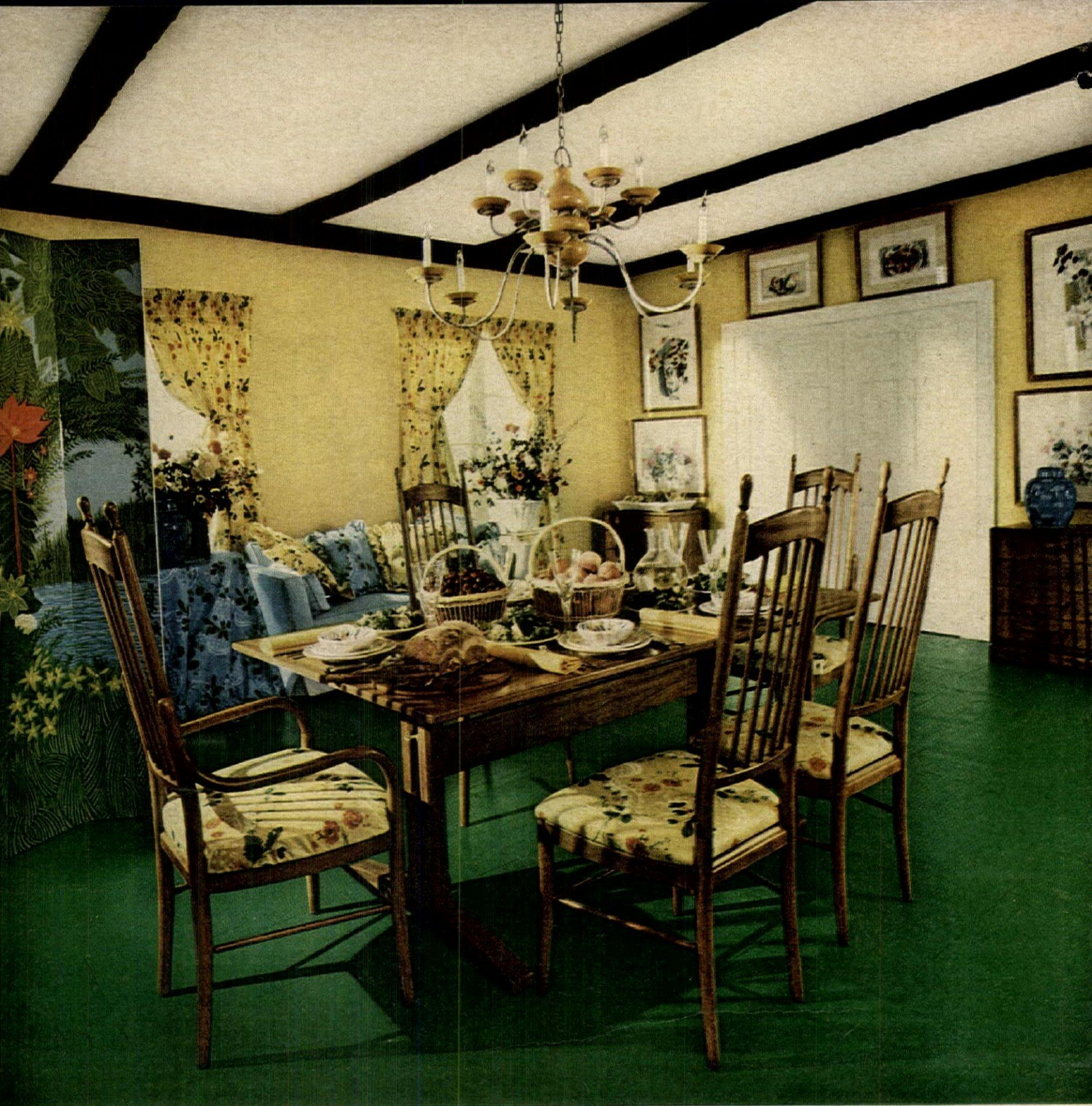
Perfectly organized, a dining room with two tables, one round, one oval "to suit the versatility of today's life," explains the designer Elaine Eisen of Altman's, New York. "Sometimes there are only four for dinner, sometimes it's full house. Whichever it is, you can sit in an intimate group." Lacquer Green walls are hung with modern paintings, making a fabulous background for Queen Anne style furniture. "The dining room is perfect for art, better than a hallway where you pass it by."

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In the room plan: oval table, round table (30), Queen Anne side chairs, matching armchair (5) all from Ethan Allen's Georgian Court Collection by Baumritter. Chairs and love seats (9) covered in white crewel "Calcutta" from Ethan Allen's imported fabric collection. "Red Aves" Royal

Crown Derby china. Ceramic tile floor by American Olean. Paintings, left to right, by Cleve Gray, Calvert Coggeshall, Thomas Stokes, and Kenzo Okada. Sculpture by Paul Feeley. All from the Betty Parsons Gallery. Room at Altman's, New York.





Dining sitting room like a garden

All the colors from a sunlit country garden flower in this dining room "bringing nature indoors—this is what everyone is thinking about today," reflects the designer W. Dare Snyder of Strawbridge & Clothier, Philadelphia. The floor is painted grassy green, golden Pineapple washes the walls, Blue Sky gentles a love seat. The Shaker-inspired furniture has chairs in the flowers-in-the-sunshine print that ties back at the windows.

In the room plan: slim spindle back armchair (19), matching side chairs (50), dining trestle table (49), and four-drawer chests (37) all from the Benchcraft Collection by Drexel. Love seat (45) covered with rayon and cotton also by Drexel. Yellow chintz on chairs and at windows, "French Rose"

permanently glazed cotton, Zepel protected, from the Designer's Choice Collection by Schumacher. Screen painted on canvas by R. Elliot at Isobel Worsley Gallery. Framed pastels by Philadelphia painter Hobson Pittman from the Babcock Galleries. Room at Strawbridge & Clothier, Philadelphia.

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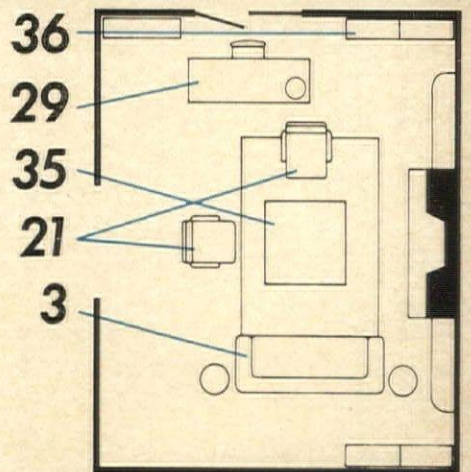


Library living room in brilliant color

This library sitting room is furnished in an elegant traditional way "but strong *untraditional* colors and good plain cottons give it an updated, casual look," says the designer Paul Kettering of Woodward & Lothrop, Washington, D.C. Bittersweet is on the walls, glosses the étagères, and wraps an open-arm Chippendale chair. Sun Yellow blazes on a pretty tufted love seat and Kumquat on a second armchair. Little white banquettes built in beside the fireplace are bright with many pillows. *Shopping information, page 144*

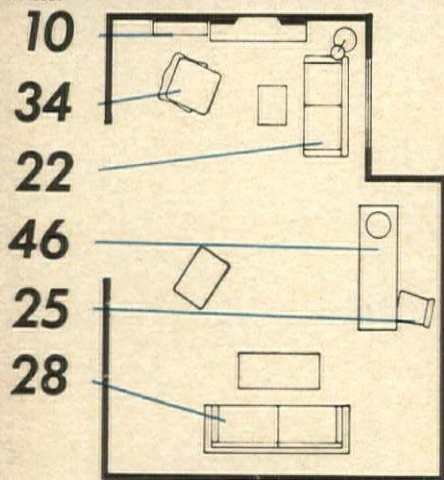
In the room plan: Parsons desk table with white lacquer finish (29). Hardwood étagères (36) lacquered Bittersweet. These and the coffee table with cane top (35) by Lane. English tufted love seat (3) in Sun Yellow Scotchgard-treated cotton from the Barclay

Collection by Hickory Chair; and from their James River Collection, open-arm Chippendale chairs (21). Beveled oak planks on the floor by Bruce Flooring. Curtain rods and fittings by Kirsch. Graphics from Marlborough Graphics. Room at Woodward & Lothrop, Washington, D.C.





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That handcraft feeling in a live-in library

A calm, library living room, with lots of comfortable places to sit, designed by Dan Carithers of Rich's, Atlanta, to be changed "like you change your clothes. You make it blue with cornflowers, pink with petunias, white with daisies. Add or subtract colorful paintings when you wish." The trestle table serves for dining, playing games, reading, working. Boards on the walls are shelved for books and the floor paved with tiles. Great hangups: bedspreads lined with sheets for curtains.

In the room plan: Tuxedo sofa (28) upholstered in natural linen. Love seat in leather (22). Both by Heritage, and from their Tour de France Collection, linen-covered bergère (34). From their Norman Court Collection, desk table (46), side chair (25). From their Kingsbridge Collection, chest (10).

Fabric on floor pillow by Agnona for Jack Lenor Larsen. Floor tiles from Structural Stoneware. Southern pine paneling from Union Camp. Curtain rods and fittings by Kirsch. Martial Raysse poster, silkscreen by Kenneth Noland from Poster Originals. Room at Rich's, Atlanta.

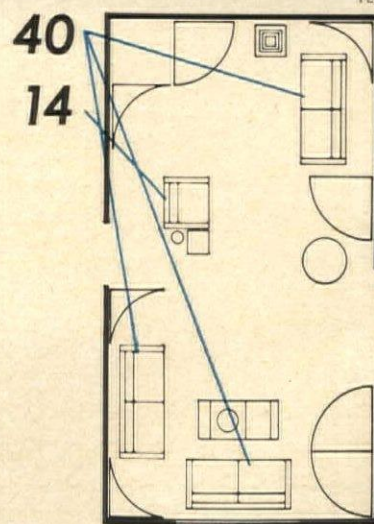


Move-around curves in a living room

With white-painted sculptural plywood forms you can alter the architecture of an ordinary boxy space. Shapes here create curves around soft Ultramarine Blue sofas and chairs. "They're hollow inside, quite portable, so the room can be arranged and rearranged in many different ways," says the designer Douglas Brinkman of Joske's, Houston. "At night spotlights play up the curves, adding to the excitement." Pattern in this entertaining room is kept underfoot in a geometric carpet. *Shopping information, page 144*

In the room plan: love seats upholstered in textured Du Pont nylon protected with Zepel (40). These and matching armchair (14) from the Contemporama group by Flexsteel. Stainless steel cube table and glass-topped lamp table by John Vesey. "Chevron" geometric carpeting

of wool and nylon from the New Vista Collection by Couristan. Stacking cubes in opaque white plastic by Albrizzi. Eight curving forms when put together make a circle or a square, designed by Gary Dobosen. For additional variations see page 152. Room at Joske's, Houston.



ALL PLANS BY BROTMAN

“It’s whether one’s happy in an environment that counts”

Jack Lenor Larsen and Robert L. Schwartz take part in a rap on living.

EDITOR’S NOTE: Jack Lenor Larsen, weaver, designer, explorer of fabric technology, is a dominant force in environmental design. And through his long associations as a trustee of the American Crafts Council and the Haystack Mountain School he has given leadership and help to young designers in many areas. His great retrospective exhibition of textile designs at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts this year was followed by another important accolade: the 1971 Elsie de Wolfe Award from the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Interior Designers. A scholar and traveler, he has fabrics in permanent collections of museums all over the world.

Robert L. Schwartz is a writer and business man whose wide-ranging interests all have a common thread—innovation. He was a member of the Columbia University Seminar on Technology and Social Change, created the Motel on the Mountain in New York, is one of the owners of *New York* magazine, and president of the Tarrytown Conference Center, the largest conference center in the United States. He is also on the board of directors of Esalen, the group therapy organization. A man with strong feelings about good design, as a guest speaker with Mr. Larsen at the Elsie de Wolfe award luncheon, he stressed a theme that the purpose of life is the quality of life. He begins the conversation . . .

This is one of the most exciting times we’ve ever gone through. So many things are going on—in architecture, uses of space, uses of institutions, the church, the school, the family, social relationships, none of which have really performed their proper function for some years. Everything is due for recycling.

LARSEN: I agree this is a good moment to be

living. Any time when a new world is being formed and all hell breaks loose is very creative. The quiet that we dream about, the static situation where we know where things are at, is really very *uncreative*.

SCHWARTZ: We should feel optimistic, because optimism is one of the lubricants of society. The general trend is so affirmative, so strongly upward, away from brutishness, taking advantage of each other, without exploitation. It really has been dog eat dog part of the time—for survival. But now we’re beyond survival and we have a sense of the higher order of human need. We are finding some meaning beyond survival. Experimenting with new ways.

LARSEN: This is reflected in what people want today. What they are searching for is not just a material sense of wholeness, having all the things they want, or of having arrived, but a sense of total design in their lives—in terms of the space they use both emotionally and physically. The feeling is what’s the point in buying a new car if it pollutes the air around you.

SCHWARTZ: We hear that young people are anti-things. But they’re not. They buy records, phonographs, tape recorders, domes, they find life styles, Volkswagen buses that express what they need. It seems to me that the expression of the new thinking will not be in the total disregard for products, but a disregard for some products that now exist.

***The really new living pattern
will involve places to hang
your hat for a change of scenery.
The second house, the vacation
house, the place that needs
no upkeep, that’s almost
stamped out of plastic.***

LARSEN: Some things are really obsolete and need to be rejected—our school system for example has to be remade from the bottom

up. If it is not our whole culture will collapse. If Rome had had more little revolutions, it might have been able to sustain itself. It’s when you become brittle and so crisp that you have no resilience and can’t cope with the minor shifts, that everything falls. I regard the new patterns in shopping as one of these minor shifts in the system. Our idea of luxury is changing, for example, space and sun and time are luxuries, so is homemade bread and country cheese and all things not stamped out of the mass mold.

SCHWARTZ: Rejection is good, it precedes growth. Look at nature, the butterfly from the caterpillar and the snake throwing off the old skin. It’s quite sensible in the biological sense that we reject any old skin we’re supposed to put on. As I look around at almost every single shell that we’re supposed to fit in as part of our life, or my children should fit in as part of their lives, I find it is not valid for what it is allegedly doing. Not the family for love and security, not the school for education and growth, not the church for comfort and tradition. They’re all essentially limiting and not growth-making. I admire the new forms of social relationships, which have more candor.

***We are looking for something
much closer to a natural kind of
way to live. It’s a question of
getting closer to real natural
tastes and inclinations.***

Look at the success of the Club Méditerranée back-to-nature resorts, where they don’t want you to use your second name, no one cares about your income, and you use beads instead of money! It seems to me that societies grow and ideas survive in society, in the same way that they do in the biological Darwinian sense, through mutants. Mutants somehow get along a little bit better, find a new way to do it and survive. All of the ideas

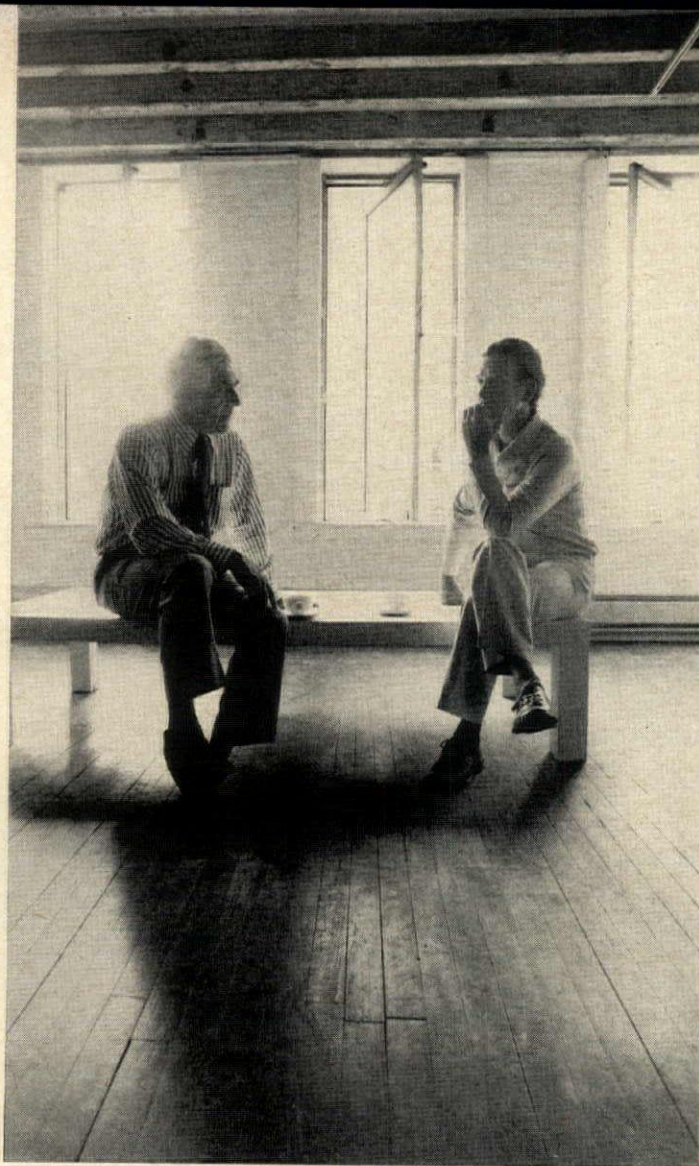
I'm talking about today are mutants that might have a chance, might show us a better way.

LARSEN: The common denominator in a lot of the thinking today is a new trust of feeling or at least a wish to trust feelings as opposed to systems or ideals, products, or whatever. Systems and rules don't seem to have much relevance as far as environmental design is concerned. Such as the idea that you shouldn't have this or that kind of taste, that you shouldn't be ostentatious, that you shouldn't strike out on your own. All these inhibitions that grew up in the middle nineteenth century under the idea of tasteful living for a bourgeoisie are really suspect now. The young simply think of them as hangups. They belong to mother's generation. Our generation rebelled slightly by saying we liked this kind of object instead of that, but in a sense that was not so revolutionary. What's the difference between the Mies chair and a Louis XV chair? They are both expensive, desirable status objects. What young people are saying today is, if you don't bother me I'm perfectly happy sitting on the floor—and I want somebody to sit with. I feel this is the revolutionary thing. It doesn't matter what the space is or where it is or what's in it, it's the people in it and whether one's happy in that environment or unhappy, whether one feels related or alien that counts. Of course there's still going to be room for beautiful things that are just nice to have or sit on or wear or whatever.

There's probably going to be a boom in handcrafts and special kinds of luxury goods.

I think the feeling is that they'll be accepted not for their status but for the feeling that derives from them. You'll go for a chunk of pretty velvet if it turns you on—not because your mother-in-law might think better of you if you have it.

SCHWARTZ: The revolution peculiar to our time is the revolution that has to do with the quality of relationships between individuals. This should become the first priority in all institutions—the family, marriage, the corporation, the school—not better work norms, not better products, not higher outputs, not better consumers, but people relating to each other better. And it seems to me that the revolutionary theme behind all this comes from a Hebrew philosopher named Martin Buber, who said that we are going from “I and it” to “I and thou”—from our relationship



Rapping on living: Robert L. Schwartz, left, and designer, Jack Lenor Larsen. “What people want today is a sense of total design in their lives.”

to things, acquisitions, buildings, houses, essentially inanimate objects, to a relationship that has another person in it. “I and thou” is bound to be more fulfilling in its total sense than any relationship with an inanimate object. And you see this expressed in women's lib where wives have everything they want; they have more than their husbands do, statistically, but they are in revolt because the quality of their lives, having acquired all these things, has no meaning. They want a better relationship viability, a better relationship with themselves. Women's lib is not frivolous, I think it's the heart of what we're all saying today. What is the meaning of me, now that I've got everything? What do you do with life now that it's possible to have it? What do you do with I and thou? Our generation said to its parents: “If you're so smart, why aren't you rich?” And this generation says: “If you're so rich, why ain't you happy?” It's a better question.

LARSEN: A lot of your creative people still want to come to the city after school but they leave by the time they're thirty, which is entirely new. I think the city's existence depends on whether the cities can remain alive. It might be that we've outgrown the need for cities, but I tend to think that's not

the case, that the megalopolis trend will continue. But how does one make the city bearable?

SCHWARTZ: The city will come into its own much more strongly without the big office buildings, as the major corporations move out of the city centers. I see the city as a new university, as a place where people get together as part of the biggest show in town. As we grow more sophisticated, and have more special needs, we find people who share those needs are always in cities, they're not in small towns. If ideas, and rubbing against that kind of thing, are important to you, then the city will always exist. I'm sorry that the young creative people, they're bellwether types, are turning their backs on the cities. That really scares me.

We must start to make the city a garden in which people grow, not other things grow, not money grows, not finance, not transportation, but people.

Once we see this insight, that the purpose of all organizations, from the family to the school to the city, is to be a garden in which people can flourish in the fullest sense and design

a better life style, then the city will come alive. We are just beginning to explore social architecture, the design of how people should live together in urban places, now that we're past what I call brutishness or simple, fundamental survival living.

LARSEN: In the past, happiness wasn't much of a consideration in decorating one's house. I think there's been very little joy in it. It was a question of passing the test when somebody on the other side of the salt might wander in. It was a scary thing, full of inhibitions and taboos and questions of taste and timidity. If you did get your house fixed properly, then it was outlawed to children, dogs, and so on.

We should adjust to the glorification and pleasure in everyday things. The big thing is the difference between one's own spaces and the others next-door. Your house must say that “I'm me” and this place is “mine.”

and it might say it just through things one collects, the activities and the objects that make it personal. People feel today that artists' studios and lofts are nice places to be. They're the places where something is going on. You have this sense of identity. What is most important is (Continued on page 230)

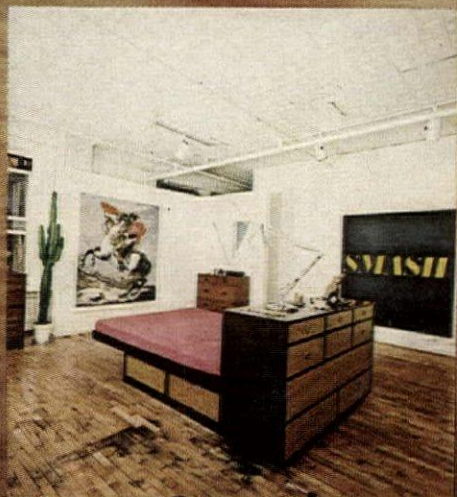
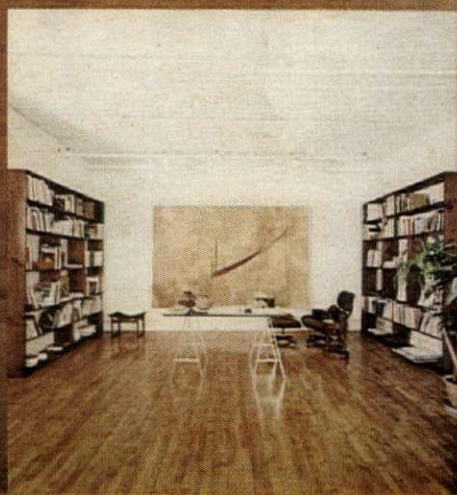
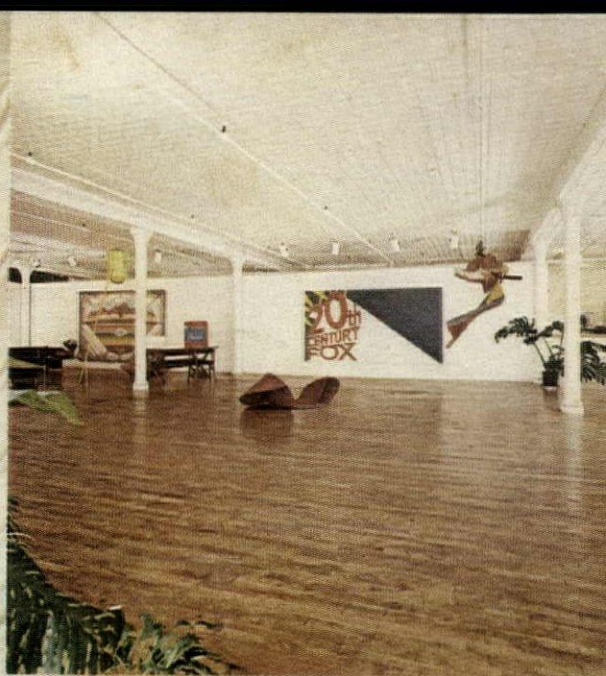
CLEAN-SWEEP SPACE FOR LIVING NOW

Though originally tempted to break up the 75-by-100-foot, floor-through-of-an-1890s warehouse into twenty small rooms, *Artforum* publisher Charles Cowles realized he wanted the experience of living in one enormous room where big unobstructed spaces offer an almost Oriental serenity rarely available in city apartments, plus vast hanging space for a growing collection of works by young artists. Cowles went to Mark Hampton of McMillen, Inc. for advice on how to treat the space without using lots of furniture. Since the warehouse dated from the time when even factories were well built—this one has a cast-iron façade—Cowles made only minor structural changes. Once having resolved where to put a free-standing L-shaped wall that would x out the functional parts of the space—bedroom, library, storage—he painted everything white, sanded an undulating but sound wood floor, coated it in polyurethane, hooked up gallery fashion a system of track lighting, replaced gerrymandered window panes, then landscape gardened the big white columned room with a jungle of plants. The furniture moves as often as the paintings and the plants. The view of the living room, *opposite page above*, is at right angles to the big view of the living room, *both pages*. *Opposite page below, left to right*: The library; the bedroom with Dunbar bed; a kitchen that's mostly an expanse of butcher block, standard white kitchen equipment, food art on the counter. *This page below*: Along a gallery of windows in living room, a part of Mr. Cowles' collection of works by young artists: John Clem Clarke, Llyn Foulkes, Nigel Hall, Robert Hudson, Tom Holland, Gary Kuehn, Ronnie Landfield, Jeffrey Lew, Peter Reginato, Ed Ruscha, Keith Sonnier, John Tweddle, William T. Williams.

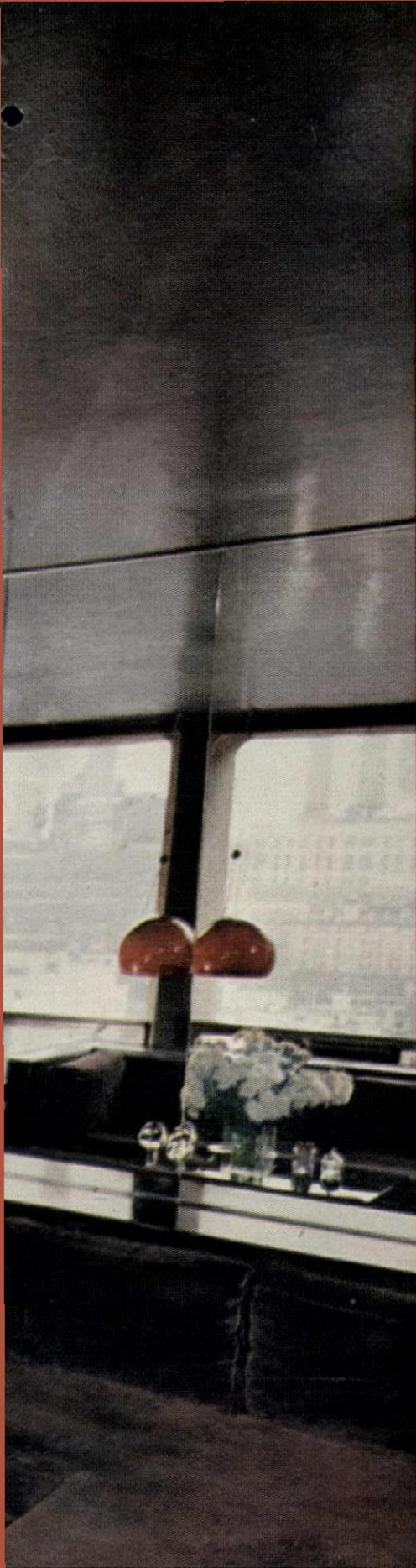
TOM YEE



EVERYTHING
- IN ONE
ENORMOUS
ROOM







CLEAN-SWEEP SPACE FOR LIVING NOW

BIG LOOK IN NOT-VERY-BIG ROOMS

"My apartment's an environment for people, not objects. I used to be an incurable collector, and I still can't bear to part with things. But I don't want to look at them all the time. I work with objects and color all day and I want a restful place to come home to, to entertain friends in—so I put everything behind closed doors and reduced all the furniture to one big piece per room." In graphic designer Gilbert Lesser's living room, *left*, one whole wall has shelves for books, records, stereos, television, all invisible behind touch-latch doors, *insert*, until wanted. Furniture is at a luxurious minimum—a low, comfort-

able, 12-foot-square sofa-island centered on a steel and glass coffee table, and even that works for storage: Doors on one side of the sofa pull off so boxes can be stacked, pictures pushed under the hollow seat. To further increase the illusion of spaciousness in a not-very-big room, Mr. Lesser mirrored the wall opposite the windows, doubling a lovely view, covered the sofa in Charcoal linen velvet, and painted out every paintable surface—ceiling, walls, window frames—in shiny Charcoal. The closet-lined, spot-lit Tangerine hallway, *above*, the only bright splash in the apartment, can be glimpsed from every other room.



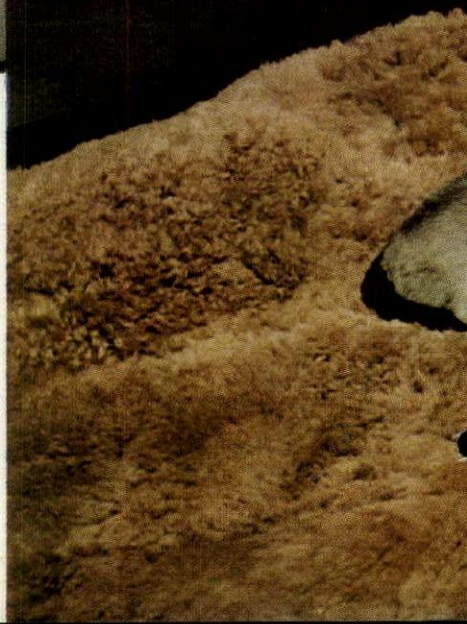
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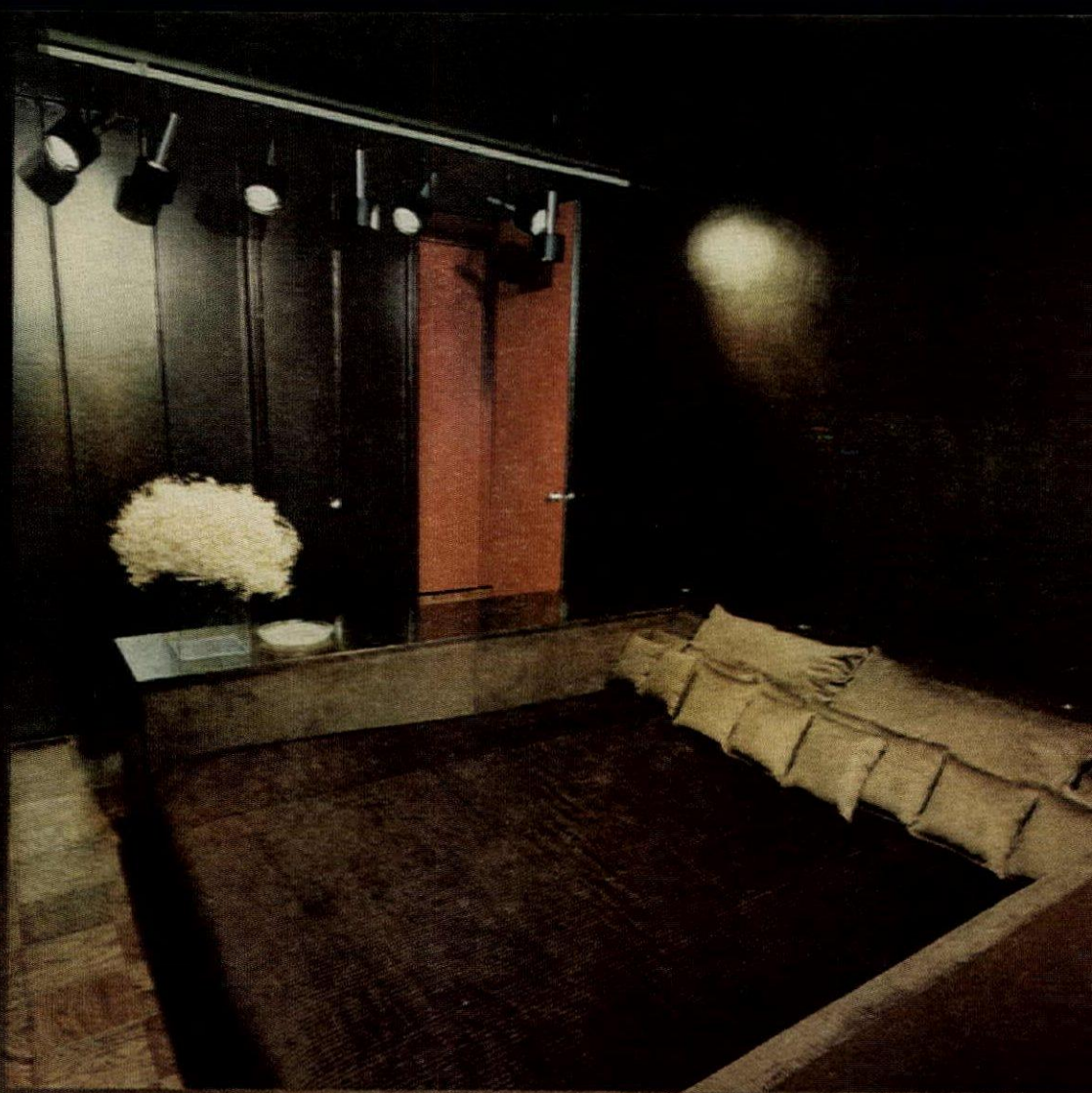
VAN CUYLENBURG

Each room in Gilbert Lesser's apartment is a one-color environment glossed in shiny paint—"the best way I know to bring dark colors to life." The dining room *above*—which he created by building a 2-foot-deep storage wall from floor to ceiling across one end of the living room because "I really prefer a separate dining room even if it's tiny"—is a Beach Plum cube just big enough for a table and four chairs. The bedroom, *right*, is a blend of warm naturals—shiny Brown Velvet walls, paler corduroy upholstery, a Camel-y llama blanket—with storage hidden behind every shiny surface. One wall, *opposite page top*, holds closets and the door to the hall. Doors on another wall, not shown, conceal floor to ceiling bookshelves; and the wide, solid-seeming

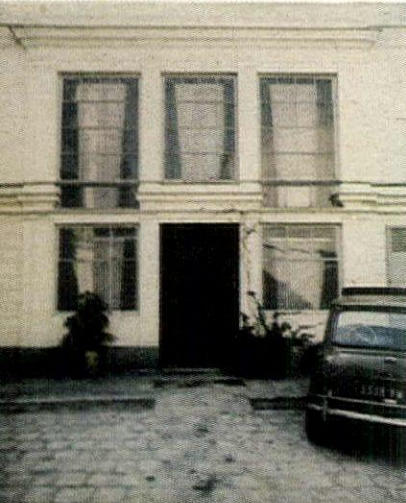
painted frame around the room-size bed is all storage. Sliding doors on both sides conceal shelves, trapdoors in the top of each side flip back to reveal telephone, reading lamps, bedside paraphernalia. At the back, the top comes up in two sections to make a headboard, with ample space for blankets and pillows underneath.

OUT-OF-SIGHT STORAGE AND A ROOM-SIZE BED





"We had lots of space but most of it was vertical, so we borrowed from the ceiling to make the bedroom." Designer François Catroux had only 400 square feet of floor space—one big double-story room, formerly an artist's studio, and a tiny adjoining apartment—to turn into a workable apartment for a young French business woman. He built a balcony along two sides of the living room, *far right*, for the owner, and instead of dividing it into three conventional rooms—bedroom, bath, dressing room—he left it all one. To suggest enclosure without stopping the eye and to give some privacy and protection, he encircled the balcony with a "see-through wall" of thin chrome poles and bookshelves. Leading upstairs from the center of the room is a marvelous spiral stairway by Roger Tallon that looks like a gleaming chrome sculpture. All the furniture was designed purposely low and simple to emphasize the height and openness of the room and to keep costs down. Catroux built platforms, covered each with the same sisal as on the floor, then topped them with large, brown cotton cushions pushed together to form a sofa or used alone. He used the same muted colors—brown and white touched with Tangerine—everywhere to give the apartment continuity, make it appear larger. To give the illusion of greater depth, he covered the walls, ceiling underneath the balcony with brown cotton, then painted the other walls and the open ceiling white. To the right of the stairway is a poster by Joseph Albers, over the fireplace a painting by Cruz Diez. *Above:* In the bathroom, sink and tub are exposed, toilet closed off at one end of the room. Pierced wood panels painted white replace curtains on all the windows, let in light, prevent outsiders from looking in. *Right:* Vertical poles emphasize height of the living room. *Bottom:* The house, at the back of a courtyard in Montparnasse—its traditional front hides a sweeping modern interior.



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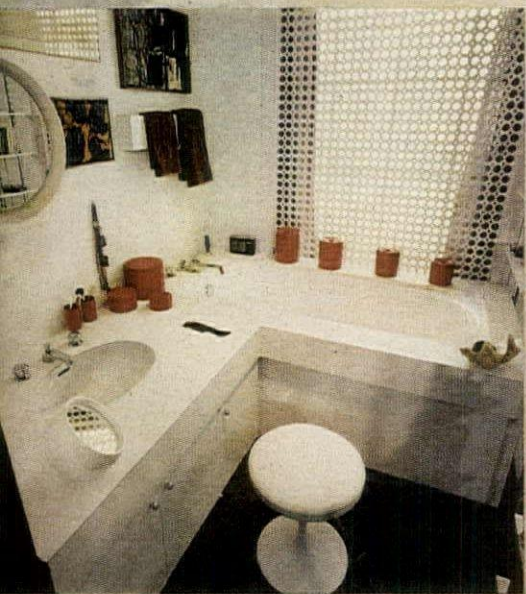
MASSEY





At the end of the balcony, *above*, is the bed, a mattress on a platform covered by a fur blanket and pillows by Revillon, over it a gouache by Gabrielle Terbotz. Brown walls and carpeting continue along the balcony to the bathroom, *left*, at the other end with its white walls and counter, built-in sink, and recessed tub. *Right*: Space from the small adjoining apartment was turned into a kitchen-dining room. Catroux confined the working part of the room to one compact area—everything is within arm's reach of the white Formica dining bar—left the rest of the space free for entertaining. This way, the owner can cook, be with her guests at the same time. All the storage shelves are open to emphasize the space beyond, show off pretty jars of marmalade, spices. *Inset*: The brown Knoll chairs form a conversation area around a stainless steel and white lacquered table. The walls are lacquered brown and on the floor is sisal carpeting.

MASSEY



NONSTOP ROOMS *continued*
 BED-BATH
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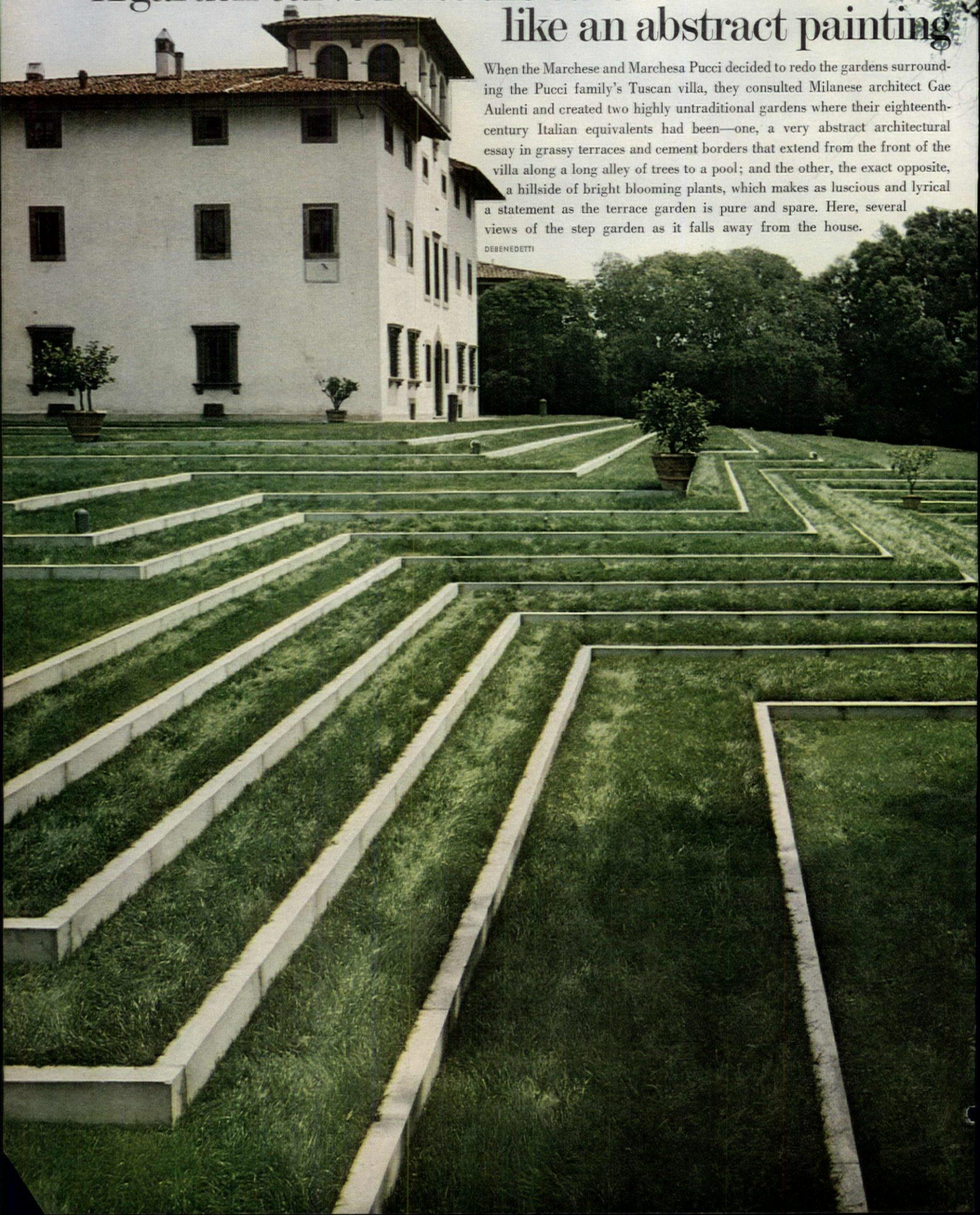
The very personal garden of the Emilio Puccis

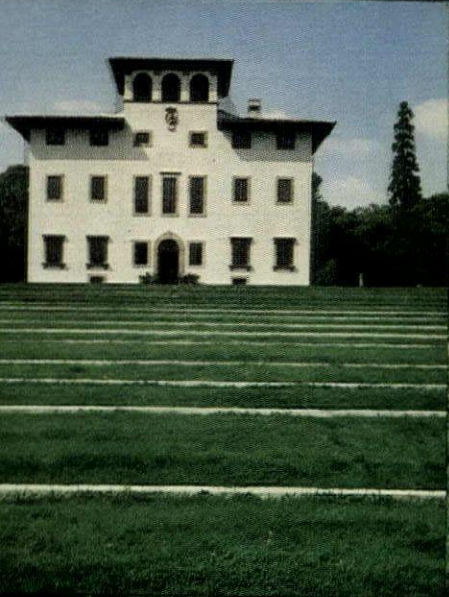
A garden carved into the earth

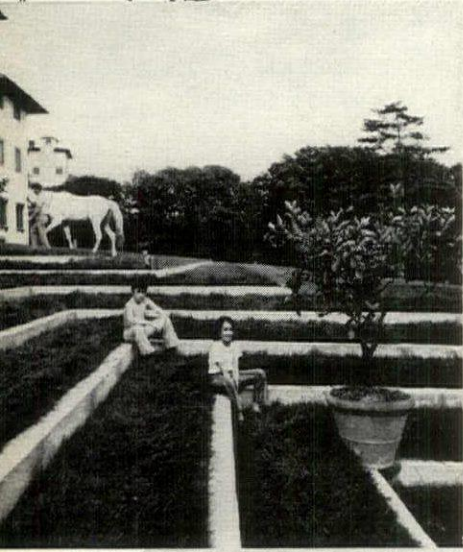
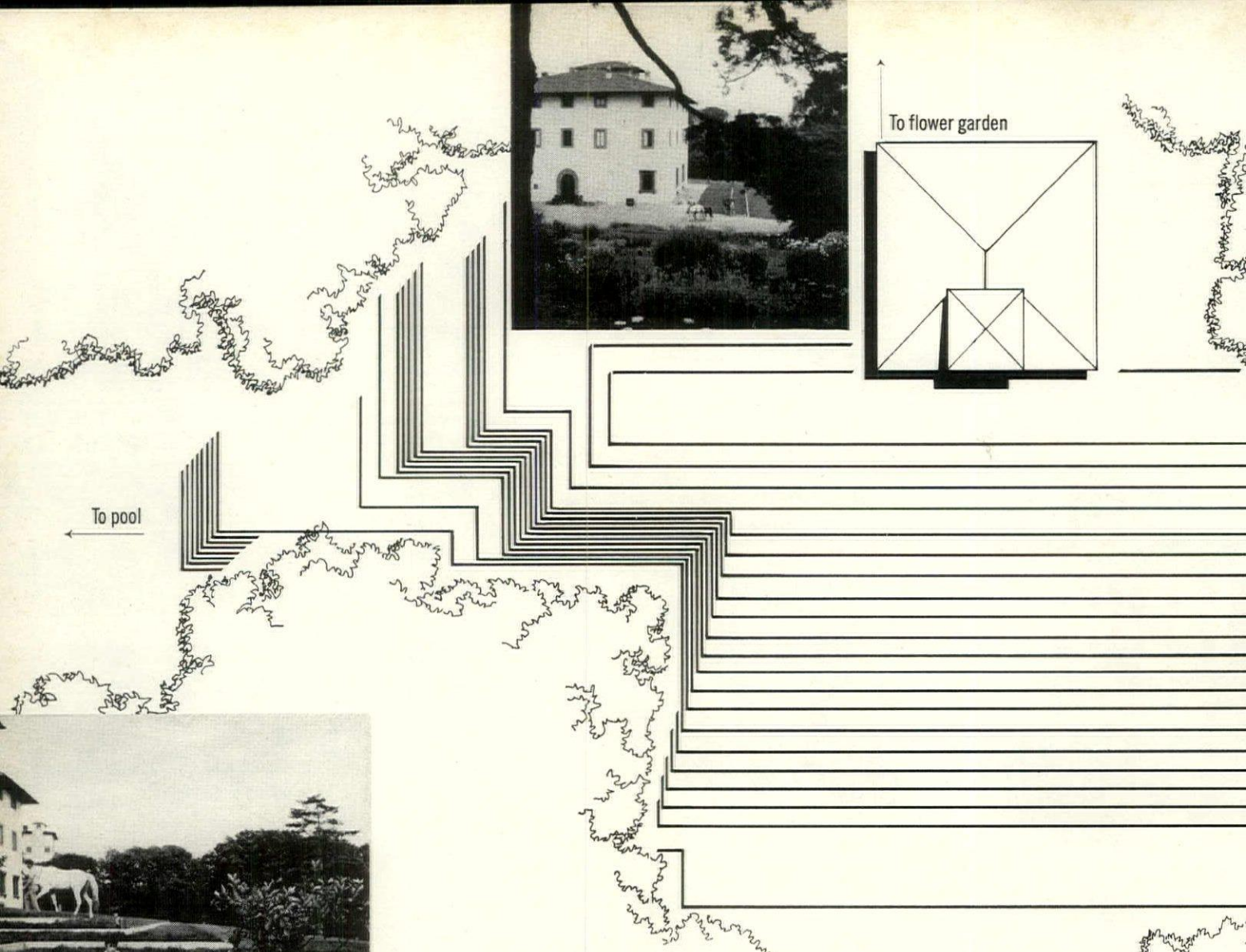
like an abstract painting

When the Marchese and Marchesa Pucci decided to redo the gardens surrounding the Pucci family's Tuscan villa, they consulted Milanese architect Gae Aulenti and created two highly untraditional gardens where their eighteenth-century Italian equivalents had been—one, a very abstract architectural essay in grassy terraces and cement borders that extend from the front of the villa along a long alley of trees to a pool; and the other, the exact opposite, a hillside of bright blooming plants, which makes as luscious and lyrical a statement as the terrace garden is pure and spare. Here, several views of the step garden as it falls away from the house.

DEBENEDETTI







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Architect Gae Aulenti wanted to do a very spare, sculptural design for her first garden. “I wanted an English garden, no flowers, just green. The principle I used was Land Art, an art that is written into the earth, signing the earth with a certain expression.” What she had to work with was a house that was “very clean and precise, very Tuscan with the stucco, tile roof and closed windows.” Surrounded by a bushy eighteenth-century garden with fountains and a park filled with trees brought from all over the world, the fourteenth-century house sits on top of a gradient rising 20 feet from a river running through the park below the house. To come down this rise of land from a jumble of geometrically planted bushes to a carefully planned step garden dramatized the starkness of the house—giving it the kind of sentinel quality of the barns jutting up out of a New England landscape. The first step in modifying the garden was to bulldoze terraces conforming to the contours of the land, then to lay out countless lengths of prefabricated cement borders, and finally to plant grass—three different varieties and a lot of seed to give the lawn strength. “It is constantly being watered since Tuscany is not the best land for lawns,” says the Marchesa, “and once it’s finished being mowed from top to bottom it’s long again on top. The process is continuous.”

The drama of the garden, since steps have always been part of gardening tradition, is in the scale of the terraces and steps. In contrast to this pure expanse of green and white, the Marchesa wanted flowers behind the house. Miss Aulenti designed a tiny valley of flowers behind the house, into a stand of dark trees on the site of what had been a formal cutting garden. The result is a rustic, almost wild looking garden was to have flowers blooming from April to October.

LAND ART

A sweep of flowers like an Impressionist painting

OPPOSITE PAGE: Bright splashes of color punctuate the hillside to the back of the house. THE PHOTOGRAPH ON THIS PAGE, LEFT, the dramatic perspective of the garden’s concrete borders as they fan out from a point. The lemon trees punctuate the intersection of the terraces. FAR LEFT: The Pucci children, Laudomiro and Alessandra, the horse and groom, give a sense of scale. TOP: Looking from the top of the hill down the rise behind the house down through the existing garden to the back of the house, and the beginning of the step garden to the side. THE ARCHITECTURAL PLAN OF THE GARDEN, ABOVE, shows the terraces stretching below the house like contours





One woman's adventures with her three decorators
"OF COURSE
THIS APARTMENT IS
OURS,
not
mine"
By Susanna Rattazzi

Susanna Rattazzi, shown in her New York living room, *above*, an Italian writer, traveler, mother-of-six intrigued by the richness and diversity of the U.S. today, determined to live here part of the year. This is her account of the friendship, wit, decorating skill, sheer stamina, and imagination involved in creating a background for her inexhaustible love of life.

Everyone said I was crazy to have more than one decorator do my apartment. "You'll go mad," they said. But I didn't and I have an apartment and three friends. Bob is tall and has curly hair; Mark is tall and wears a long coat; Vincent is French.

I went shopping with them across New York; we began at Fifty-seventh Street and ended in the warehouses. I tried to explain to them that I hate anything that is pompous and binding; that if you like to be free your house should give no idea of constraint. I think the three of them imagined I had a taste for little Louis XV tables and dark green velvet.

But to understand one another you have to know each other; and it takes a little time. Mark talked to me about his daughter and Bob about his mother and Vincent about Proust. I know they were all horrified at my lack of knowledge about furniture and anyway at my incredible taste. Vincent said, "C'est joli, gaaa?" Bob said, "Well, don't you adore it?"



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And Mark said, "I hope you will like it." While they waited for my answer I could see their eyes staring despairingly into the probabilities of my crazy judgment. I had tea with Mark and coffee with Vincent and vegetable juice with Bob. I tried out on them what I wanted to write in my articles and closely studied their reactions. Bob generally laughed madly, Mark pretended he was not shocked, and Vincent was faintly and politely amused. We lived for practically two months, the workmen, the upholsterers, the contractor, Bob, Mark, Vincent, and I, in this unfinished flat. We bought too many flowerpots for the cachepots and then too many cachepots for the flowerpots and always, anyway, too many flowers for Francisca to water. The flowers died. So Bob came in the morning and watered them, then Vincent came in the afternoon and had them watered, and Mark came later and watered them again. And the flowers died because they had too much water.

Vincent and Bob and Mark don't under-

stand Francisca; Francisca doesn't understand them. Francisca is very thrifty and thinks she ought to prevent me from spending money. Especially on flowers, which I adore, and she considers a bad investment. "These boys will kill me," I said one day when six more cachepots arrived from God knows where and there were no flowers to put into them. "I don't know," Francisca said "si la van a matar, but one thing is sure la van a fundir." (They are going to ruin you.) With Vincent, I go to the theatre; with Mark, I go to the galleries; with Bob, I go to the health food shop. When I walk down the street with them, Mark covers me with his umbrella, Bob carries my parcels, Vincent holds my arm. With Bob I have a schoolboy friendship and we giggle about every foolishness until people on the streets turn around and look at us slightly shocked. Mark is my counselor, he has such a sweet steady way of seeing things. With Vincent, who is French, we have this saying "vous" to each other which makes it a more social re-

lationship. Vincent likes to read, Mark likes to paint, Bob likes to cook. I like to read, paint, and cook.

We have changed everything around five times; from the dining room to the living room; from the library to somewhere else. We have hung pictures on different walls and covered the walls with different materials. We have made mistakes and have grudgingly admitted it. We have tried to make the apartment look as if it were here from ever, growing on its own.

Of course this apartment is ours, not mine; it is Mark's and Vincent's and Bob's and myself's. We like the people who come here to feel that the sofas are there to sit on, the drinks are there to be poured, the fire to be lit, and that whoever is there standing or sitting or lying down is at home.

Sometimes it is difficult; sometimes I wish to talk to a friend and be alone with him and the bell rings and in walks somebody whom I am delighted to (Continued on page 226)

So much pattern and softness invite you to come right in

"I wanted an apartment that looked American, where everybody could drop in on me, where I would never give a formal dinner party. To achieve what I wanted, I was willing to change things as soon as I found out that I liked something else better," says the Countess Rattazzi of her New York apartment, which has the throwaway quality of a pair of jeans specially tailored for her by a Paris couturier. What "American" meant to her was really a version of English and American country houses where everything is very comfortable, very colorful, with no damasks or silks, no formal rooms in the grand European tradition. Though it is in fact tempting to sit on the floor, the apartment is in no way a slapdash hangout for friends. It is a lavish, no-holds-barred background for an intense, magnetic personality. With architect Page Cross, Countess Rattazzi remodeled the apartment, then with a team of designers—Denning and Fourcade and Mark Hampton, of McMillen Inc.—chose fabrics and changed them—compare sofa fabric on previous pages with that here—tried things one way and then the next in a determined attempt to get it right. Beautifully anchored on a rare antique Persian rug with a blue ground, the living room shown here is upholstered in a padded blue basket print cotton. The rest of the room is a series of warm yellows and peaches in different patterns in needlepoint, cotton, porcelain, and Oriental lacquer. *Below:* Fireplace with a Max Ernst above. *Right:* Looking toward the hallway, life-preserver-shaped pillows stacked on the sofa against the wall, a beautiful Turner above.

HORST







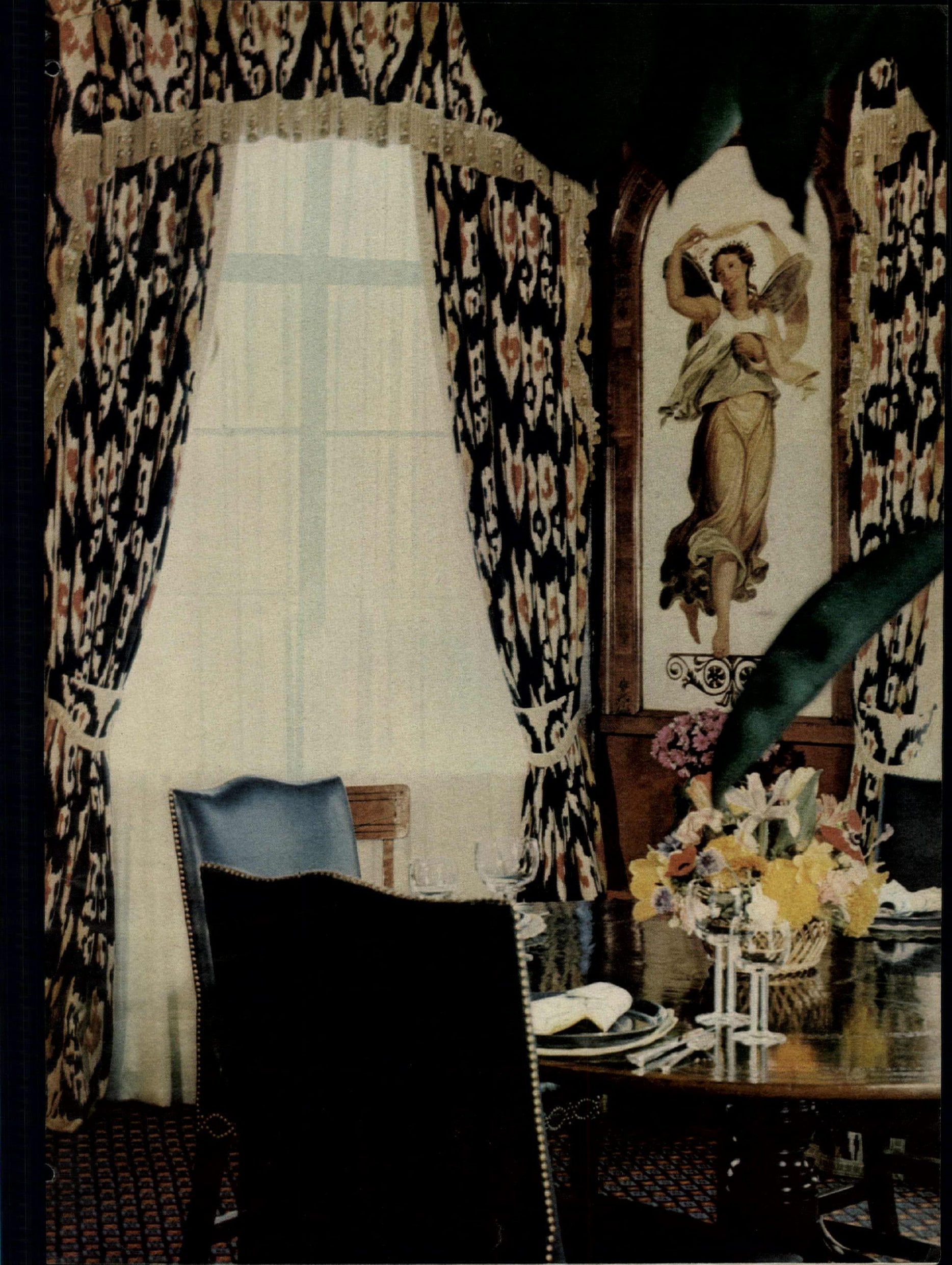
AT SUSANNA RATTAZZI'S *continued*

HORST

Like almost every room in the apartment, the dining room also works as a sitting room. Because Countess Rattazzi thought red was a good eating color, she and Mark Hampton worked out a Venetian red for the walls, had them painted seven times, then lacquered four more. The arches of the doorway are repeated in four old Italian paintings of the Elements. The white ceiling lightens the whole. An Edwardian armoire gets along with suede ottomans, the little television on a green lacquer table. Anything but grand in mood, the dining room adapts easily to buffet suppers.

Left: A view to the back of the room; *top*, to red lacquer sideboard and living room beyond; *above*, looking into the dining room. *Opposite:* The round poker table set for lunch.

Rich color and shine set up for dinner talk







AT SUSANNA RATTAZZI'S *continued*

Like a little pavilion with a fabric-covered dome, Countess Rattazzi's take-off on a grand bedroom has one stunner of a piece of furniture—a massive mahogany and gilt bed made in the nineteenth century, found for her by Denning and Fourcade, placed majestically at an angle in what is basically a tiny room. An intricate African print covers the walls of the hall, and stairway, *above*, still doesn't look murky because of all the white details. Looking into the small library, *below*, one of the arched doorways repeated throughout the apartment. The library that doubles as a guest room, *right*, is built around the blue and brown of the horseman chintz plus book bindings. Its rich padded feeling comes from curtained doorways and shirred walls. The major piece of furniture is an early eighteenth-century red lacquer secretary. Beige, brown, black carpet adds more color, a different pattern; a lacquer coffee table picks up the red, adds shine to a room done in cottons. More white lightens all the blue and brown.

Arched doorways
and a dome turn small
rooms into pavilions



CREATIVE CRAFTS

Over the years since she opened the O'Neil Studio-Workshop in New York, Isabel O'Neil, the internationally known authority on fantasy furniture finishes, has shared with *House & Garden* the secrets of her fabulous techniques of creating with paint the look of bamboo, wood, tortoise, marble, and semiprecious stones. Now, as a bonus for those who have tried her fantasy finishes and as an enticement for those who have not, Mrs. O'Neil has gathered together complete histories and illustrated instructions for every technique she has perfected in her years of study, research, and teaching and put them in one treasure of a book: *The Art of the Painted Finish for Furniture & Decoration*. (A *House & Garden* Book, published in October by William Morrow—\$17.95 until January 1, 1972, then \$19.95. To order, see page 140.)

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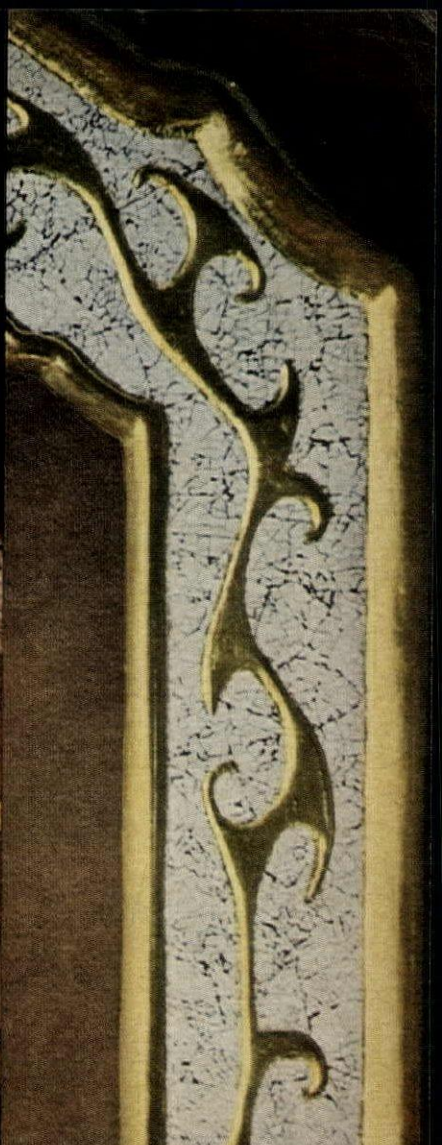
AN ISABEL O'NEIL FANTASY FINISH THE ART OF BURNISHED GILDING

Above: At the O'Neil Studio-Workshop, Mrs. O'Neil oversees a group of students during a two-week, eight-hour-a-day intensive course on basic furniture finishes. Students are transferring designs to boxes and mirror frames. Behind Mrs. O'Neil, a wall full of molding samples, each painted a different fantasy finish. *Opposite page:* A sampling of the products of Mrs. O'Neil's graduate gilders. *Clockwise from top:* Butterfly Parsons table with splendid burnished gold and tarnished silver leaf butterflies soaring on a background of silver and tarnished silver leaf. By Mrs. Willis Mills. Mirror frame finished in eggshell inlay, embellished and molded in raised burnished gold. By Mrs. Ramsey Wilson. Tiny burnished silver trunk just 9 inches long, with straps and buckles carved in raised gesso, then covered with burnished gold. By Mrs. Clifford Nellissen. Art Nouveau box with a design in three levels of gesso, plated variously with matte gold, burnished silver, burnished lemon gold, and brilliant burnished gold—12 inches long. By Mrs. Ramsey Wilson. Louis XV coffee table sheathed entirely in matte silver, with a fretwork of 22-carat burnished gold and burnished lemon-gold leaves. By Mrs. Daniel Kampel. "Jewel" studded picture frame of matte gold with gesso gems, borders of burnished gold. By Mrs. Henry Cook.

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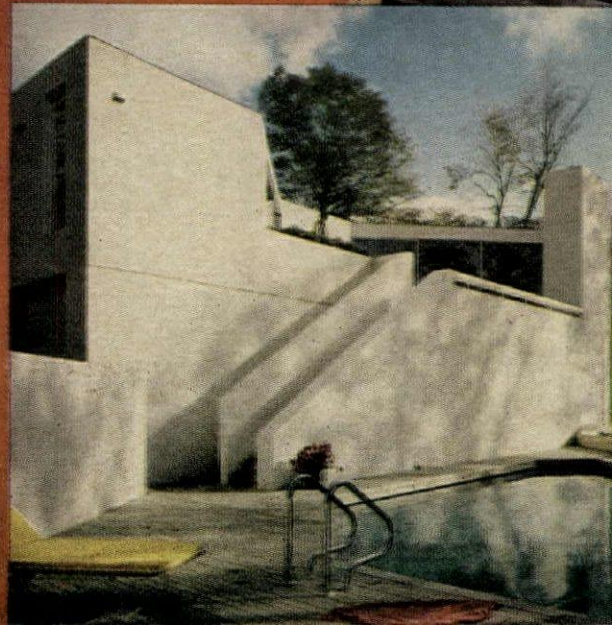
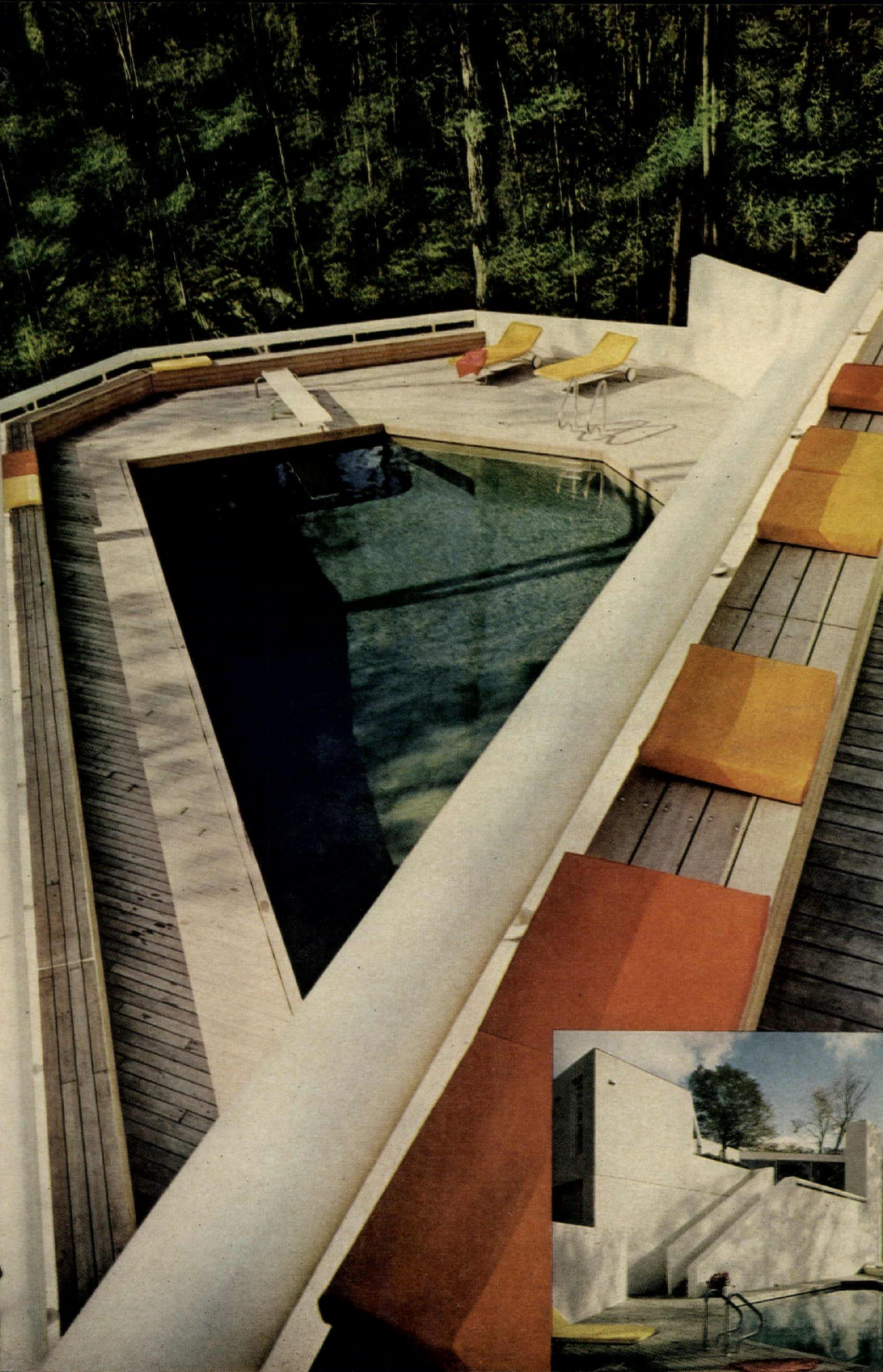






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Wines and spirits are the liquid assets that make a party pay dividends in fun and pleasure. A palate-provoking apéritif or bone-dry sherry before lunch, a full-bodied red or delicate white wine with dinner can turn a simple meal into an occasion. There's nothing like a well-mixed martini or margarita to stimulate the flow of conversation at the cocktail hour, while to round off an evening with a glow of well being and contentment a fine old Madeira or cognac, a fruit-flavored liqueur or white fruit brandy can't be bettered.

The cardinal rule of successful entertaining is "be innovative." Don't always stick with the same old highballs, the stereotyped cocktail party. Instead, why not give a one-drink party and serve nothing but a selection of champagnes, or dry and medium sherries, or imported beers from all over the world? In summer, a range of white wines with a buffet of cold seafood couched on ice, or pitchers of sangria and dishes of various kinds of olives, salted almonds, and cubes of sharp cheese and Virginia ham make a refreshing change from the usual mixed-drink pattern. In winter you might have an after-dinner gathering for coffee and cognacs, or, if your guests are Scotch fanciers, a tasting of the different blends of light and heavy Scotches and the straight malts, the unblended

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OPPOSITE PAGE:

Festive food to make for parties and presents

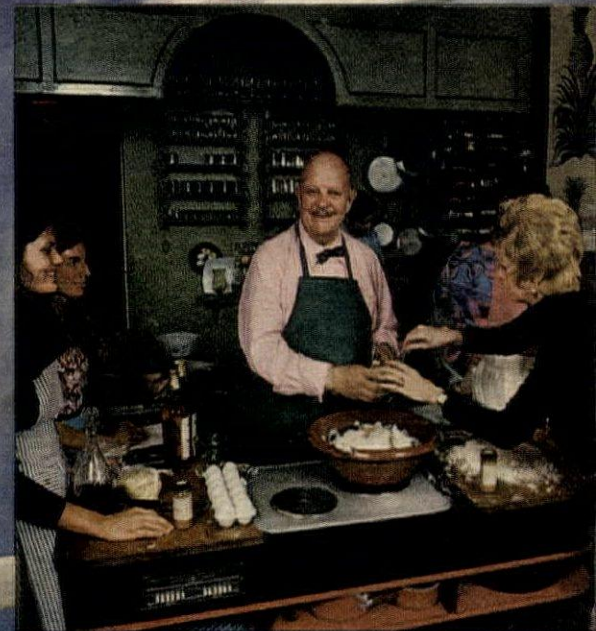
James Beard (see inset) helps students prepare a huge bowl of fruits and suet for traditional Plum Puddings, teaches more holiday dishes (see recipes on following pages) that make super party fare, very special presents. For the giving: Steam Plum Puddings in clear oven-proof soufflé dishes (sized for two), show off Fruit Cake in Pyrex soufflé dish, Brandy Snaps in an Italian Mason jar. Shopping information, page 144.

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Many of the great classics of holiday food must be made at least a month, preferably more, in advance in order to assume their full, rich, Christmas flavors. The time to make them is *now*, and why not make them in large enough amounts so that some can be kept for parties, the rest given as presents? "Keep Plum Puddings anointed with booze," advises Mr. Beard, "and they'll keep perfectly up to six months." Store them wrapped tightly in foil, in or out of the refrigerator. Give them with Cognac Sauce or Brandy Butter, and instructions for reheating. Holiday Fruit Cakes should be made at least a month ahead of time and wrapped in towels soaked in whiskey and then tightly in foil. Mincedmeat also needs aging. Mr. Beard learned this recipe from his mother who often made it a year in advance, aging it in huge crocks—with occasional treats of more brandy—for four months before putting it in jars. Brandy Snaps, unfilled and kept in a closed tin or jar, will keep for a month; once they have been piped with cream, they should be given within a day or two.

PLUM PUDDINGS, FRUIT CAKE, MINCEMEAT, AND BRANDY SNAPS TO MAKE FOR PARTIES AND PRESENTS

Holiday Fruit Cake

Butter

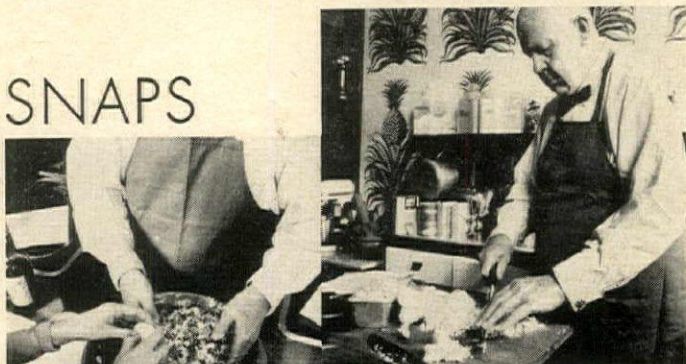
- 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup white raisins
- 2 cups finely cut mixed candied fruits
- 1/4 pound candied cherries
- 1/4 pound candied pineapple, cut in small pieces
- 1 cup chopped pecans
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 3 eggs
- 10 tablespoons Irish whisky

Making plum puddings and fruit cakes calls for a great deal of chopping: fruits, nuts, suet, etc. Right: A student chops pecans for Holiday Fruit Cakes using a heavy sharp knife; teacher James Beard looks on. Below: Student sifts together flour, baking powder, and salt before adding to the bowl of candied fruits and raisins for the cake.

Butter well 2 9-by-4-inch loaf pans and line with waxed paper. Butter paper. Sift together the flour, baking powder, and salt. Mix in the raisins, candied fruits, and pecans. Cream the butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in the eggs, one at a time. Combine with the fruit and flour mixture. Stir in 2 tablespoons Irish whisky. Pour into the pans and bake in a 300° oven for 1 1/2 to 2 hours, or until cake tests done. Cool and anoint with remaining whisky. Wrap in foil to store.



Pans for baking fruit cakes must be buttered and lined with buttered paper. To give as presents, use disposable foil pans or oven-proof clear glass soufflé dishes. Below, a student fills pans to within 3/4 inch of the top of container.



Making Christmas puddings is robust entertainment. The largest bowl possible is used to mix ingredients, and everyone in the family—this time, the class—stirs the mixture for luck, above. James Beard, above right, chops beef kidney fat (suet) finely. Pudding can be steamed in anything from a coffee can to a copper kugelhopf pan, right.

Christmas Puddings

- 2 pounds seedless raisins
- 2 pounds currants
- 2 pounds sultana raisins
- 4 tart apples, peeled and finely chopped
- 3/4 pound mixed candied peel, finely cut
- 2 pounds beef suet, finely chopped
- 3 cups flour
- 1/2 pound blanched almonds, chopped
- 3-4 cups fresh fine bread crumbs
- 1 teaspoon each cinnamon, nutmeg, and mace
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- 2 teaspoons salt
- Juice and grated zest of 3 lemons
- Cognac
- Rum or Grand Marnier
- 12 eggs, well beaten
- Beer (optional)



Combine raisins, currants, sultana raisins, apples, and mixed peel in a large bowl. Toss suet with some flour, stir into fruit mixture with remaining flour, almonds, bread crumbs, spices, salt. Mix well with hands. Add lemon zest, juice, 1 cup cognac, 1 cup rum or Grand Marnier, and eggs.

Mix well. If there is not enough liquid, add more cognac, or beer. Mixture should be well bound together. Cover mixture with foil, let stand 24 hours. Sample and correct to your own taste. Fill pudding basins with mixture, leaving room for expansion. Cover with foil and tie scalded, floured cloths around them. Or use pudding molds with tight-fitting covers.

Place basins or molds on a rack in a deep saucepan or ket-

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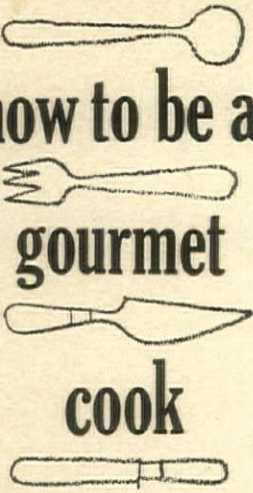
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tle and add water to come half-way up the mold. Cover and boil puddings 6 to 8 hours, according to size, replenishing water if it boils away. Remove and cool. When cool, uncover, pour a glassful of cognac or rum over each, cover again, and leave in a cool place for a few weeks or months, the longer the better. You may wish to add more cognac or other spirit while they are ripening.

Before serving, the puddings will need reheating in boiling water in their molds, for 2 to 3 hours. Unmold on a hot dish and flame with $\frac{1}{2}$ cup heated cognac. Serve with Cognac Sauce or Hard Sauce or both. Makes about 5 1-quart puddings.

Cognac Sauce or Brandy Butter

Whip $\frac{3}{4}$ cup unsalted butter to a cream, gradually beat in $\frac{1}{4}$ cup confectioners sugar, and continue beating while adding $\frac{1}{4}$ cup cognac. Beat until very light. Serve cold.

Hard Sauce

Cream $\frac{1}{2}$ cup unsalted butter with 1 cup sugar. Beat until light and perfectly mixed, then add kirsch to taste and a small amount of salt.

Mincemeat

A family recipe James Beard learned from his mother.

- 3 pounds lean brisket or rump of beef
- 1 fresh tongue, about 3 pounds
- 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds beef suet, finely chopped
- 2 pounds seeded raisins
- 2 pounds sultana raisins
- 2 pounds currants
- $\frac{1}{2}$ pound citron, shredded and diced
- $\frac{1}{4}$ pound orange peel, shredded and diced
- $\frac{1}{4}$ pound lemon peel, shredded and diced
- Dried figs or dates, optional

- 2 cups sugar
- 1 pint strawberry preserves
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 2 teaspoons nutmeg
- 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoons cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon allspice
- 1 teaspoon mace
- Ground cloves
- 1 bottle ($\frac{1}{5}$ quart) good sherry Cognac

Boil the brisket or rump and tongue in water until tender. Cool the meat in the broth, skim off the fat, remove all fat from the meat, and grind it coarsely or chop it by hand. Combine with the suet, raisins, sultanas, currants, citron, orange peel, lemon peel, and some chopped dried figs or dates, if you wish. Put this in a deep crock and add the sugar, strawberry preserves, salt, nutmeg, cinnamon, allspice, mace, and a little ground cloves. Add the sherry and enough cognac to make a rather loose mixture of the fruits and meats—it will take about 2 bottles. Mix thoroughly, cover the crock, and let the mincemeat stand for at least a month before using it. Check each week to see if the absorption makes it necessary to add more sherry or cognac or both.

Ways to use mincemeat

Mincemeat, of course, can always be used for the traditional pie, but Mr. Beard also suggests these imaginative uses for it:

Make a **deep-dish tart** of layers of sliced apples and mincemeat, topped with either a crisp, flaky pastry or a streusel topping.

Use mincemeat in a **frozen mousse**, folding the mincemeat into the basic mousse combination of sugar syrup, egg yolks, beaten egg whites, and whipped cream.

Mincemeat is a **delicious filling** for little double-header cookies, or tiny little turnovers served hot for tea.

Heat mincemeat, flame it, and **pour over ice cream.**

Add more cognac, heat it, and serve mincemeat as an **accompaniment to pork, goose, or duck.**

To make mincemeat pie, mix 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups mincemeat with 1 cup finely chopped apple. Put into a 9-inch pie plate lined with rich pastry dough. Top with pastry.

Brandy Snaps

- 8 tablespoons butter
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup confectioners sugar
- 5 teaspoons light corn syrup
- 1 teaspoon molasses
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup flour
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon ground ginger
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup brandy
- Butter
- 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups heavy cream, whipped and flavored with $\frac{1}{4}$ cup confectioners sugar and 2 tablespoons brandy

Bring the butter, sugar, corn syrup, and molasses to a boil in a heavy skillet over medium heat, stirring until butter melts and sugar dissolves. Remove from heat. Gradually beat in the flour, ground ginger, and brandy. Beat over low heat until smooth. If mixture is thick, thin with a little brandy. Drop batter by teaspoons onto a buttered cookie sheet, about 4 inches apart, and flatten slightly with a spatula. Bake in the middle of a 350° oven for 8-10 minutes, or until cookies have spread out and turned golden brown. Turn off heat and leave sheet in oven. Working quickly, remove one cookie at a time with a metal spatula and quickly roll it while still warm around the buttered handle of a wooden spoon. When all are rolled, pipe the flavored whipped cream into each end. Makes about 15 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 inch brandy snaps.

whiskeys now on the market that are so different in flavor and character. Then, of course, there is the wine-tasting party, which has grown in popularity over the last ten years, especially with young marrieds who find this an entertaining, economical, and rewarding way of spending the evening with a group of friends while increasing their knowledge of the different types of wines.

You don't need an extensive or expensive bar or wine cellar in order to give good parties, just a willingness to experiment a little.

STAGING A WINE TASTING

While it would take a lifetime to make the acquaintance of all the wines of the world, you can get to know more of them, and more about them, by staging a series of wine-tasting parties with a group of friends. In this way, you can sample as many as eight different wines in a single evening without over-indulging or over-spending, for naturally you will all share in the cost of the wine tasting.

Don't try to taste a whole bunch of different wines, stick to those from one country or one area of a country that produces a great many wines. Wine tasting is for purposes of comparison, to judge the product of one chateau against another, or the white wines of the Rhine and Moselle against those of Alsace. So have an all-Bordeaux or all-Burgundy tasting, a group of representative whites and reds from Italy or Switzerland, eight wines from different wineries in Cal-

ifornia or New York State. Furnish your guests with pads and pencils so they can jot down their reactions and, after the tasting, offer coffee and cognac, to be sipped while everyone comments and compares notes.

To set up your wine tasting, space out the bottles in the order of tasting on a large table covered with a white cloth. Put the whites first, starting with the light and brisk and going on to the richer and fuller. Follow with the reds, beginning with the lightest and least important and progressing to the greater. If you want to include champagnes, have them first or last. Then group the glasses in front of the bottles. The best glass for wine tasting is the large-bowled, all-purpose wine glass, which allows the taster to swirl the wine around and get the full fragrance of the bouquet. This glass will also serve for sparkling wines, but the long slim flutes that hold the bubbles are pleasanter to sip from. You do not have to provide a separate glass for each wine, although it is nice to have two glasses per person if you are tasting both whites and reds. Instead, place several rinse bowls of water on the table so that the tasters can rinse their glasses after each wine. If this idea does not appeal to you, you can always borrow extra glasses from your wine-drinking friends, or even rent them for the evening. Provide something to clear the palate between wines—cubes of a mild cheese like Gruyère or Cheddar, and pieces of French bread, breadsticks, or plain unsalted crackers are best. Cheese does not help the flavor of white wines, but is excellent for reds.

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PARTY DRINKS *continued from preceding page*

Temperature is important if you are to get the most from a wine. Bring the reds to the room where they will be served several hours ahead of time and remove the corks an hour before the tasting. When you uncork the bottles, place the corks beside them. True connoisseurs like to sniff the cork to get an idea of the condition and bouquet of the wine. White and sparkling wines should be chilled but not too icy or they will lose their flavor and taste flat. Push the bottles into wine coolers or buckets filled with ice and chill about fifteen minutes, turning occasionally to cool evenly. Or chill them in the refrigerator for two hours.

There are three things to note about a wine: color, bouquet, and taste. Pour 1½ to 2 ounces of wine into the glass (you don't have to measure, just estimate by the eye) and hold it up to the light. Is the color clear and brilliant or dull? Then roll the wine around in the glass, put your nose in the glass and sniff deeply. Does the wine have a delicate bouquet, a rich fragrance, or none at all? If the wine was made from one of the great grape varieties such as Pinot Chardonnay or Cabernet Sauvignon from which white Burgundies and red Bordeaux are made, can you detect the characteristic fragrance of the grape? Now take a sip and roll it around your mouth and over your tongue where it will come into contact with your taste buds. If you can, suck air through your lips and let it swirl through the wine, a professional's trick that points up the flavor. Finally, swallow slowly, carefully noting the body, the smoothness of the wine and the aftertaste, if any. Did the wine have a light rippling feeling in your mouth and throat, or was it round and full-bodied? Was it thin and watery? Did it have a smooth quality or was it harsh? How was the flavor—subtle or direct, delicate or rich? If the wine had an aftertaste, was it pleasing or unpleasing? When tasting white wines, consider whether the wine was flowery and a little sweet or dry, even flinty dry. Was it light, round, or full? Remember, you are tasting for yourself, in order to find a wine you might like to drink regularly. So do not be influenced by the opinions of the other tasters. The best wine for you is the one you like best.

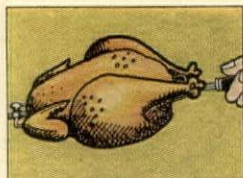
DRINKS FOR CHAMPAGNE PARTIES

If you are feeling liberal, there's really nothing better than a champagne party, and provided you serve a good American champagne or a nonvintage French champagne, it really runs you little more than the cost of a cocktail party—and you don't have all the bother of providing lots of bottles and mixing drinks all evening. Or you may prefer to serve champagne as an apéritif before a very fine dinner, as the real wine connoisseurs do, or with just one course of the meal. A bottle of champagne goes further and fares better if it is served with a first course of caviar, smoked salmon, oysters and other shellfish, or pâté: or as an accompaniment to a main course of roast pork or ham, cold pheasant or quail, all of which welcome its fine, dry acidity. Even little hot sausages and *choucroute garni*, definitely bourgeois dishes, are quite at home with this aristocratic wine, so perfect with any kind of pork. And like most aristocrats, it goes on a picnic with perfect aplomb—

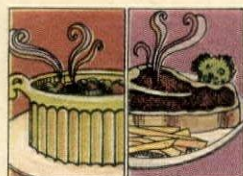
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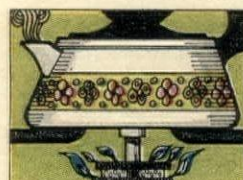
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Rotisserie. In upper oven.



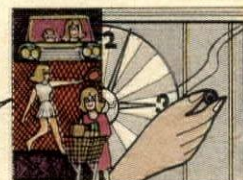
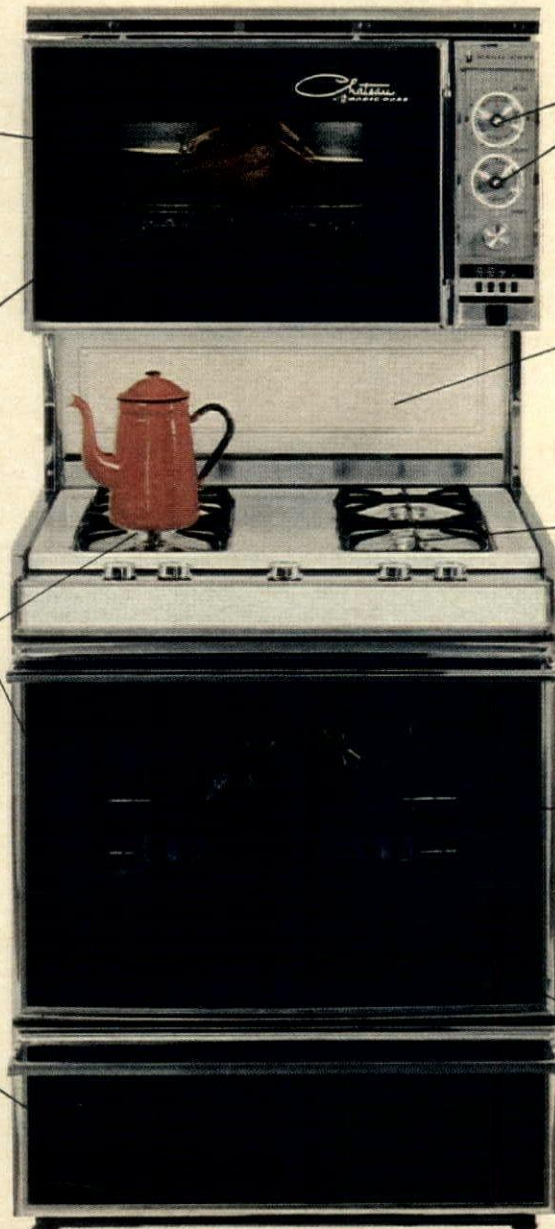
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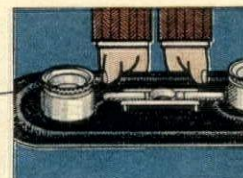
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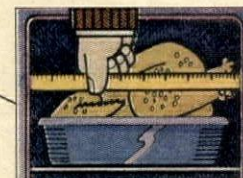
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the Edwardian fashion of feasting on a cold bird and a bottle of bubbly has yet to be bettered for eating outdoors.

If you would rather serve a champagne punch, which has the merit of stretching the supply when you have a huge guest list, there are various types from which you can choose, some rather more alcoholic than others. Here are three excellent ones.

Champagne-Sherbet Punch. Combine 3 bottles well-chilled dry champagne and 1 quart lemon, raspberry, strawberry, or cassis sherbet in a well-chilled silver or crystal punch bowl. Garnish with fruit: with lemon sherbet, lemon and orange slices; for raspberry, a few strawberries; for strawberry or cassis, strawberries and orange slices. The sherbet should be icy cold, but not frozen into a hard block or it will not blend. Serve in punch cups. This makes about 30-35 servings.

Champagne-Orange Punch. Combine 2 quarts orange sherbet or 3 to 4 undiluted cans frozen orange juice concentrate, 3 bottles well-chilled champagne, and 1 cup chilled Grand Marnier in an ice-cold punch bowl. Garnish with orange slices. Makes about 40 servings. If you use the frozen orange juice concentrate, you may need an extra bottle of champagne. For a brisker drink, you can add lemon or lime juice concentrate to taste, and for a more alcoholic one, add more Grand Marnier and a cup of cognac.

Champagne-Cognac Punch. Cut the peel from 2 lemons and 1 orange in long thin spirals with a sharp paring knife or the gadget called a stripper. Place in a chilled punch bowl with a large block of ice. Add 1/2 cup sugar, 1 bottle cognac, 2 cups water, and a good dash of Angostura bitters. Blend well and, just before serving, add 4 bottles chilled champagne, either extra dry or brut. Makes about 35-40 servings.

DRINKS FOR BIG PARTIES

For parties on a grand scale where you may want to serve a stronger drink, choose a punch with a spirit base—cognac, rum, whiskey. Some of the best, such as Fish House punch and Artillery punch, contain tea and, to guard against the weakening of the punch by melting ice, freeze the tea, which is nonalcoholic, into a block and use this as the chiller. (Don't try freezing anything containing wines and spirits though, or you'll end up with nothing but a liquid mess.) Select your punch and make a complete analysis of the ingredients some days before the party. Make up a batch of the essential liquors and flavorings and then try out some of this batch, adding the perishable and dilutive ingredients (tea, fruit juices, fruit) to see if they blend properly. If all seems well, mix several large pitchers of the basic spine of the punch and other pitchers containing the other ingredients and keep them all cold,

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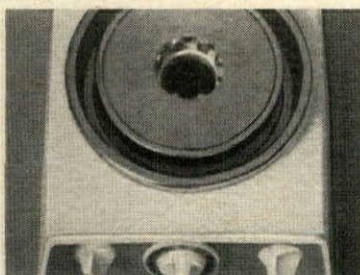
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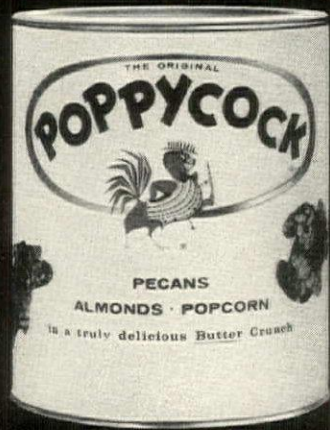


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THE LOVELIEST ROOMS *continued from page 44*

After dinner we returned to the staircase landing where the stairs divided and swept up on each side to two galleries, edged in fine balustrades and surmounted by high open arches, all of the pale rose marble. As we seated ourselves in one of the galleries for coffee and liqueurs joined by other guests invited for after dinner, there appeared in the gallery opposite us the company from the Opéra Comique in splendid eighteenth-century costumes. Even now, after so many years, I can close my eyes and see that picture lit by hundreds of candles and hear Muratore singing arias from *Manon*.

SKILLFUL ENVIRONMENTALIST

A wise woman knows that a becoming background is as important for her as a proper setting for a fine jewel. And no one knew how to set her stage more effectively than Lady Lavery, the former Hazel Martyn of Chicago and wife of the well-known portrait painter Sir John Lavery. She had a delightful house in London and was one of the brilliant and sophisticated hostesses of the pre-World-War-I period.

Houses have atmospheres—all houses—but some are more easily felt than others. Houses can be malicious, too, and Hazel's really was just that, whether or not by her conscious connivance, who can say? Yet it was a work of art, skillfully carried out to make her appear at her very glamorous best. If by so doing, it happened to make her average English guests look washed out and insignificant, that probably did not greatly upset her.

We went there for tea on a hot summer afternoon. When we entered the drawing room she had stepped out for a moment. The room was stunning and exotic. It was the year the Russian ballet had created a great vogue for Russian décor, and the walls were covered with that superb gold lamé of theirs that never tarnished. Hazel had had it dampened and wrung lengthwise into thousands of long wrinkles. When applied to the walls it was not stretched tight but left loose enough so that those lines gave a coruscated texture and a lovely dancing gleam. One great bank of windows was hung in flame shot taffeta, unlined, falling out onto the floor in lavish folds. The furniture was pale green Venetian lacquer. Across the sofa corners hung long limp cushions in every tone of lamé, gold, and silver shot with green, flame, mauve.

Now in those far off days it was the fashion to wear organdies and embroidered muslins and chiffons in faint pinks, sky blue, or white and wide, flower-laden hats. I had just arrived from Paris and my gown was a miracle of hand tucks and Valenciennes ruchings of shell pink with a wide Nattier blue sash. Roses and blue streamers adorned my great leghorn hat. The other women in the room were in similar costumes, dainty and feminine and summery. And what that cruel room did to us.

When Hazel returned with her pointed white face, her large dark eyes, and her delicate slim figure, she was wearing an intriguing frock of black tulle over pale pink. It was difficult to say where the gown left off and Hazel began. She sank onto a sofa—her red curls framed in an immense halo of black tulle against the crinkled golden wall. A ravishing and arresting picture. But after more than fifty years, I have not quite forgiven her for spoiling my best Paris costume.

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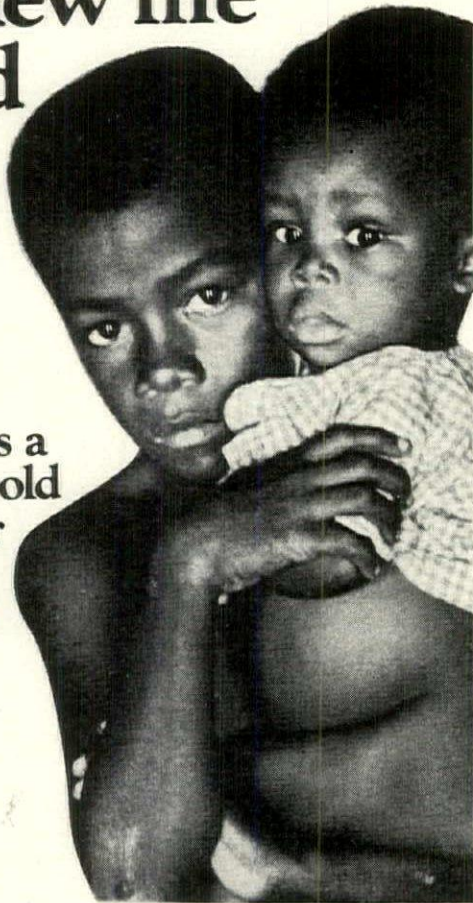
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BACKDROP FOR CAMILLE

In Lake Forest, Ill., in a house designed by architect David Adler and decorated by his sister, Frances Adler Elkins, is one of the most exquisite bedrooms I know. Luckily it is a guest room, for no average woman could live up to it every night of her life. She could not go to bed with her hair in rollers or cold cream on her face, and even our very best "visiting" nighties would hardly be adequate in surroundings of such delicate subtlety and frail beauty.

The walls are of tarnished silver leaf and most of the furniture, too. Beside the fireplace with its marble mantel are a pair of wing chairs covered in plain white needlepoint. On the dark floor lie three rugs of finest silk petit point from a palace in Czarist St. Petersburg—soft pastel designs on straw yellow. But it is the beds that are so unusual and of such incredible distinction. Mrs. Elkins found four ivory bedposts banded in silver that had been made in India for one of the high British officials. These she used as foot-posts for the two beds. The rest of the beds—headboards, canopies, spreads—are ivory linen covered with ivory Queen Anne needlework of museum quality and value. In the corner between the windows is a chaise longue covered in off-white dull silk. Across the foot an ermine coverlet is folded, and pillows of old lace are heaped at the head. Lights shine softly through great chunks of rock crystal lying on the tables and commodes. Lilies and stock in bowls of the same crystal perfume the tranquil air.

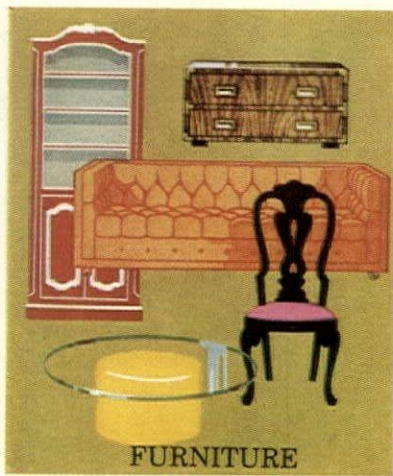
To me this is the setting for the last scene of a Camille-like romance. I see a lovely woman, no longer in her first youth, but imperishably alluring, reclining in that chaise longue in a tea gown of ivory velvet banded in sable. Beside her kneels her lover, holding her frail hands in a last desperate clasp. She dies, beautifully but inevitably, as the curtain slowly descends.

EXPERT WITH PATTERN *continued from page 16*

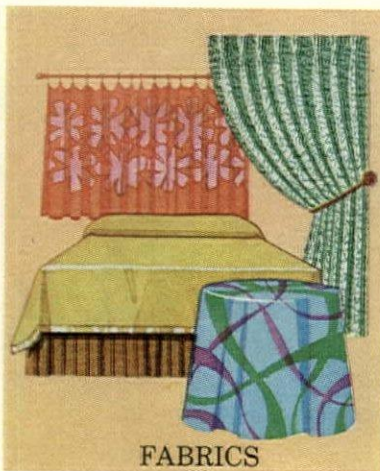
Your eye will tell you what will work

Then study the paintings of Vuillard, with their innumerable patterns in simple, often somber, colors. Or the work of Matisse, the master of brilliantly colored pattern. Let your eyes evaluate, and learn to distinguish good pattern combinations from bad. You will begin to get the idea. An Indian necklace will suddenly seem tacky on a solid colored dress, and wildly beautiful on a patterned one—the way it was intended to be worn. You will discover a painting takes on new vitality when hung on a wallpapered wall.

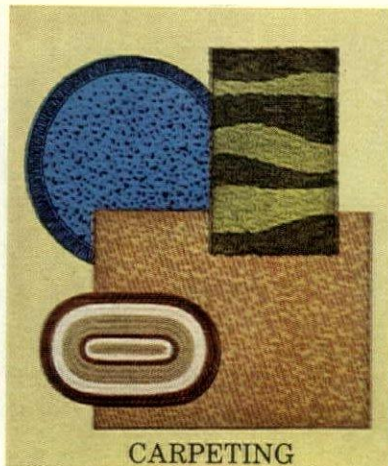
When you walk into a room and one of the patterns strikes your eyes before the others, you will realize instinctively that it doesn't belong there. But you will set a vase of flowers on a table covered with a flowered cloth against a flowered wall, and the three elements, almost insignificant by themselves, will become a unified whole with incredible beauty. Great blends of pattern, like great dishes, must be often and carefully tasted. And constant tasting is what teaches a cook how to taste.



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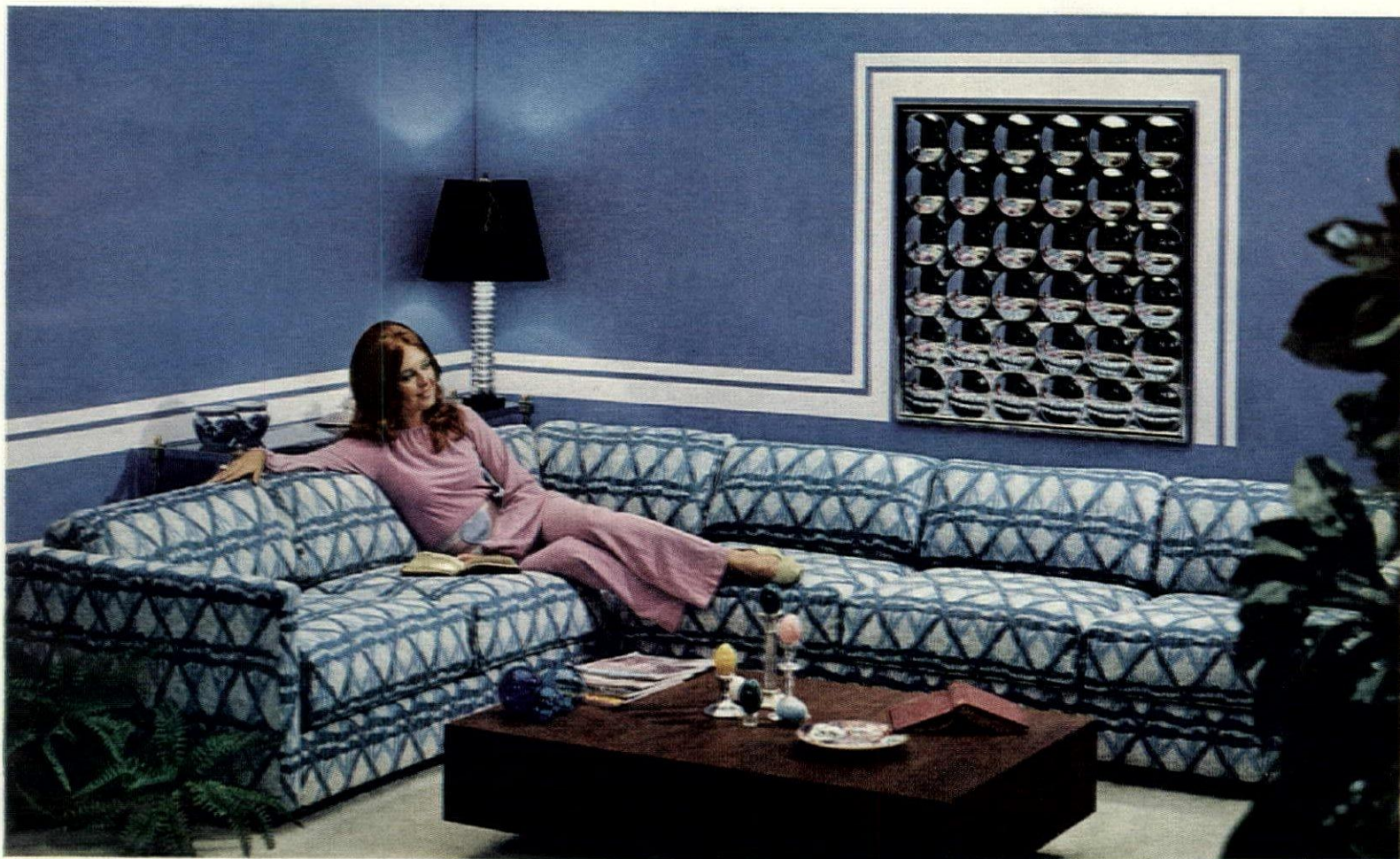
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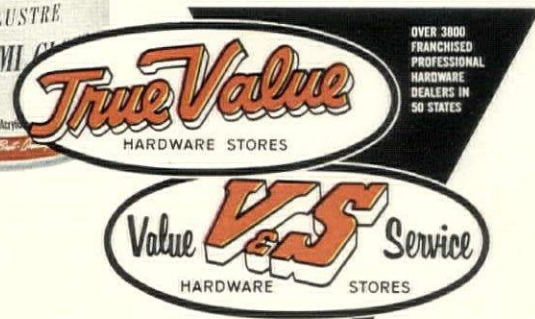
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"Gropoint" wool carpeting by Bigelow-Sanford, 9' widths, \$15 square yard. Bamboo blinds from Al Burkhardt Custom Shade Co.* Hand silk-screened wooden chest (foreground), 31" x 15½" x 12" high, \$100. Hand silk-screened box (on rear cocktail table), 12" square x 6" high, \$35. Both at Bell Designs.* Sharkskin boxes with ivory trim (on front cocktail table), \$225 each. Cowrie shell boxes with silver bases, \$135 to \$225. All at Chodoff. Dark brown box lined with red felt, 10" square x 3" high, \$120. Dark red porcelain vase, 12" high, \$195. One-of-a-kind plate (on rear cocktail table), 14" diameter, \$120. Orange porcelain vase (on right buffet), 16" high, \$225. All at Paul M. Jones. Red lacquer box, 10" x 8" x 5", \$45 from Tyndale. Baskets (on left buffet), from a collection of one-of-a-kind new and antique baskets at The Gazebo. Spheroid 8-track stereo tape player with AM/FM stereo radio, suction cup base, 12" diam., in white or yellow, \$160 by Weltron. Chrome door handles from William Hunrath.

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Love seat (12), 59" x 33" x 27" high, \$483. Matching armchairs (47), 32½" x 33" x 27" high, \$312 each. Dining table (33), 54" diam. x 29" high, extends to 94" with leaves, \$340. Commode, 24" square x 19" high, \$120. Armchair with vinyl seat

(6), 21" x 26" x 43" high, \$90. All by Thayer Coggin at Kaufmann's, Pittsburgh.

Navaho wallhanging, \$110. Navaho rug, \$175. Assiniboine Sioux quilt, \$80. All at American Indian Arts Center. Pillow covers made from bedspreads, \$12 each spread at Sona. Baskets (foreground and on the wall) from The Gazebo. Pottery jars (on commode), \$10 each at The Greenhouse. Basket (left of commode), made in Taiwan, 21" high, \$45 at John Rosselli. "Archimedes Wheel" floor tiles, \$4.75 square foot at Country Floors. Antique natural pine doors, \$80 each at The Village Stripper. Polystyrene ceiling beams, 4" x 6", \$1.85 foot at Butler Lumber.

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Poster bed (43), 39" wide x 82" long x 92" high, \$590. Octagonal table (48), 42" diam. x 29" high, \$740. Sofa (23), 96" x 36" x 31½" high, \$1260 C.O.M. Ottoman (2), 30½" x 22½" x 16" high, \$300 C.O.M. Armchair (1) with upholstered seat, 24" x 23½" x 39" high, \$370 C.O.M. Corner cabinet (41), 40" x 84" high, \$1150. All by Baker. Sofa, ottoman, and chair seat upholstered in "Tilla" cotton print fabric, 48" wide, 75" repeat, \$24 yard by Clarence House.* Cube coffee table, 42" square x 15" high, \$150 by Founders. "Beauté" carpeting by Karastan, 12' widths, \$17 square yard. Bed cover of Moygashel Irish linen in Clare quality, 45" wide, \$6 yard. "Paysage" Fortrel/cotton no-iron percale sheets, twin flat or fitted \$6.75, pillowcase \$2.40. 'Creations Primrose Bordier' for Wamsutta. Portable TV with 8" diagonal screen, earphone jack, 10¾" x 9¼" x 10½" high, \$115 by Magnavox. Everything at Hudson's, Detroit.

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Chairs (39), 37" x 39" x 29" high, \$370 each. Matching chaise (17), 77" x 38" x 14½" high, \$595. By Interior Crafts. Red plastic cocktail table, 27" x 17½" x 11½" high, \$45. White plastic serving cart, 27" x 17½" x 24¼" high, \$115. Red plastic stool, 17¾" high, \$32 with cushion (not shown). All by Beylerian. Console table by Tyndale, 19" x 60" x 28" high, \$300. "Straight As An Arrow" wallpaper, \$18 roll by & Vice Versa.* Everything at Lord & Taylor.

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Love seat (32), 65½" x 34" x 30½" high, \$687. Matching armchairs (20), 31" x 33" x 30" high, \$378 each. Matching ottoman (15), 30" square x 15½" high, \$177. Single dresser (16), 39" x 20" x 32" high, \$329. Flip-top table (13), 28" x 14" x 26" high, opens to 28" diam. x 25¼" high, \$175. Writing desk (27), 49" x 26" x 30" high, \$395. Bench with upholstered seat (4), 24" x 16" x 17¼" high, \$112. Fourposter bed (18), 80½" high, \$299. All by Henredon. Mattress and box spring by Simmons. Hi-Lo table/server with removable tray, base adjustable to horizontal (shown) or vertical position, 36" wide x 20" deep x 17½" high, converts to 17½" wide x 20" deep x 30½" high, \$230 by Knob Creek of Morganton. Curtains, canopy and bed pillows made from "Cathay" cotton fabric, 48" wide, 12" repeat, \$16.50 yard (20 yard minimum order) by Connaissance.* "Pavillion" rug, 6' x 9', \$699 by Harmony.* Martex Dacron/cotton no-iron percale sheets, full flat or fitted \$6, pillowcases \$4 pair, by WestPoint Pepperell. Mirror with painted wood frame, 26" x 52" high, \$282. Bedside lamp, 30" high, \$86. Both by Tyndale. Blue vase (on desk), \$85. Stationery from the Gloria Vanderbilt Collection by Hallmark. Everything at Jordan Marsh, Boston. Martex white Ultra/VELLUX blanket, full size \$21 by WestPoint Pepperell at R. H. Stearns, Boston. Antique bamboo blanket rack, 20" x 12" x 44" high, \$240 at William L. Designs.* Wicker basket (on dresser), 18" square x 12" high, \$35. Small natural wicker basket (near lamp), 6" x 10" x 5", \$12.50. Antique patchwork quilt (on bed), \$95. All one-of-a-kind from The Gazebo. Antique Chinese porcelain plates (on desk and coffee table), \$60 each at Chodoff.

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Orsola chairs imported from Italy (31), 34" x 39" x 26" high, \$310 each. Ottomans (24), 30" diam. x 16" high, \$120 each. Cocktail table (38), 40" diam. x 16" high, \$300. All by Selig. Beautyrest Supreme double mattress and box spring (44), \$200 by Simmons. Sofa table (in hallway), \$110 by Tropi-Cal. Antique carved coconut hull on carved Indian tripod stand, \$225. Bed and pillows covered in cotton

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Wooden cube covered with pieces of horn, 21" square, \$450 at Lutens, Clarey, Stern.* Mirror with hand-made shell frame, 31" x 37" high, \$480 at J. Garvin Mecking. Antique American pine mantel, 71½" long x 55½" high, \$1400. Antique wrought iron andirons with brass finials, 22½" high, \$180 pair. Antique fire tongs, \$30. Antique polished steel shovel, \$50. Log cradles, \$42 set. All at Edwin Jackson. Sisal carpeting, 12" squares, \$1.60 square foot from Continental Importing Co.* Ponderosa pine shutters and doors available through building material suppliers.

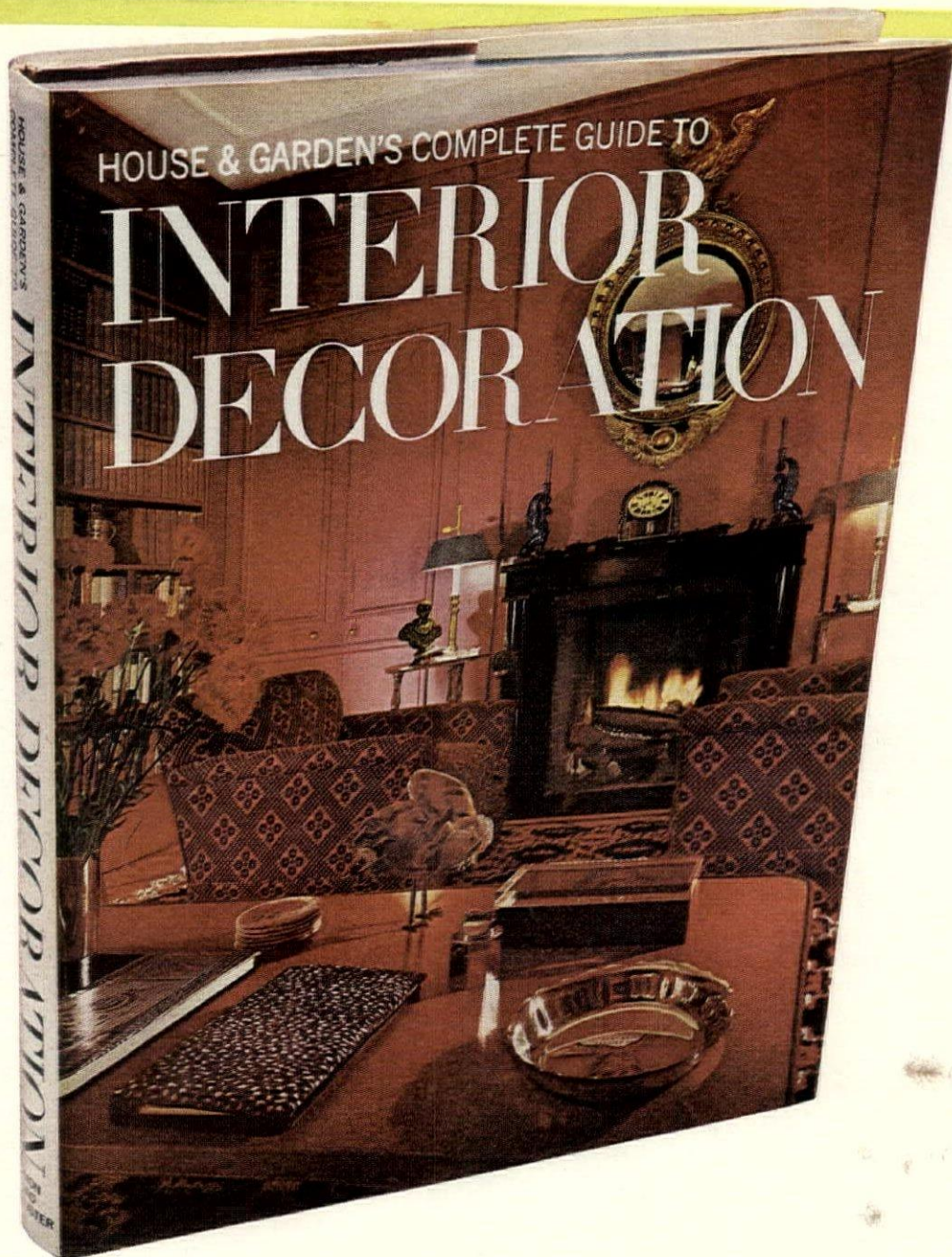
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Oval extension dining table, 44" x 66" x 29" high, extends to 102" long, \$380. Round extension dining table (30), 44" diam. x 29" high, extends to 80" long, \$310. Side chairs, 20" x 23½" x 40" high, \$107 each. Matching armchairs (5), 20" x 23½" x 40" high, \$127 each. Love seats (9), 57" x 33" x 34" high, \$466 each. All by Ethan Allen. "Red Aves" china dinner plates, \$13.50 each by Royal Crown Derby. "Rattail" silver-plated flatware by Sheffield. Silver peppermills and salt shakers by Windsor. Silver ashtrays by Kirk. Wine liters, \$6 each. Everything at Altman's, New York. "Hearth" ceramic tile floor by American Olean Tile at your local flooring dealer.

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Dining table (49), 70" x 44" x 29" high, extends to 110" long, \$375. Side chairs (50), 20¼" x 22¾" x 47½" high, \$95 each. Matching armchairs (19), 22¾" x 23½" x 47½" high, \$110 each. Chests (37), 30" x 10" x 30" high, \$155 each. Love seat (45) upholstered in Scotchgard-protected rayon/cotton fabric, 68" x 34" x 30" high, \$480. All by Drexel. "French Rose" cotton fabric in Sun Yellow (curtains, on chair seats, pillows) and Blue Sky (pillows), 54" wide, 20¾" repeat, \$10 yard by Schumacher.* Everything at Strawbridge & Clothier, Philadelphia. Antique Chinese porcelain ginger jar (on chest), 12" high, \$900 pair. Round wicker basket painted white (right of love seat), \$60. Both at David Barrett. "Fado" pottery dinnerware made in Portugal, dinner plate \$3, luncheon plate \$2.50, salad plate \$2.25, soup bowl \$3.50, coffee pot \$11, creamer \$3, sugar \$3.50, cup and saucer \$4. "Sharon" wine goblets from England, \$7.50 each. "Notsjo" wine decanter from Finland, \$13.50.

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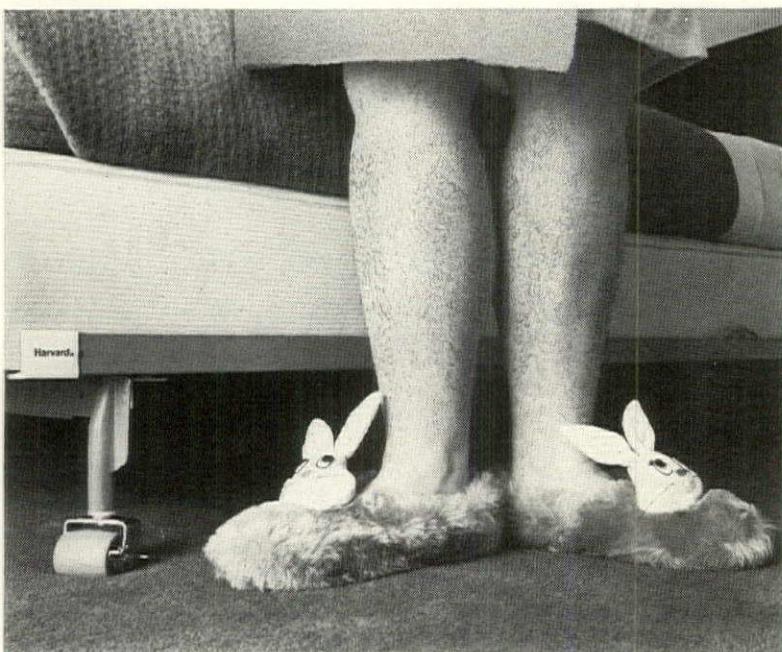
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Sofa (28), 84" x 34" x 30" high, \$930. Love seat (22), 66" x 36" x 29" high, \$1052. Chair (34), 30" square x 37" high, \$500. Trestle table (46), 76" x 18" x 29" high, extends to 39" x 76", \$400. Side chair (25), 21" x 19" x 42" high, \$240. African mahogany chest (10) with brass fittings, 36" x 16" x 36" high, \$395. All by Heritage. Floor pillow

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COOK BOOK COVER

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Italian 1½-qt. Mason jar, \$1.50 at The Pottery Barn. Boda Nova soufflé dishes \$8.75 each at Bloomingdale's. Pyrex 1-qt. soufflé dish, \$5 at Bonniers. Glass table from Longacre Furniture.*

DO-IT-YOURSELF SLIPCOVER

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Belgian linen/cotton print fabric, 54" wide, 26½" repeat, \$11 yard at Schumacher.* Sofa, 54" long, from Thomas de Angelis.*

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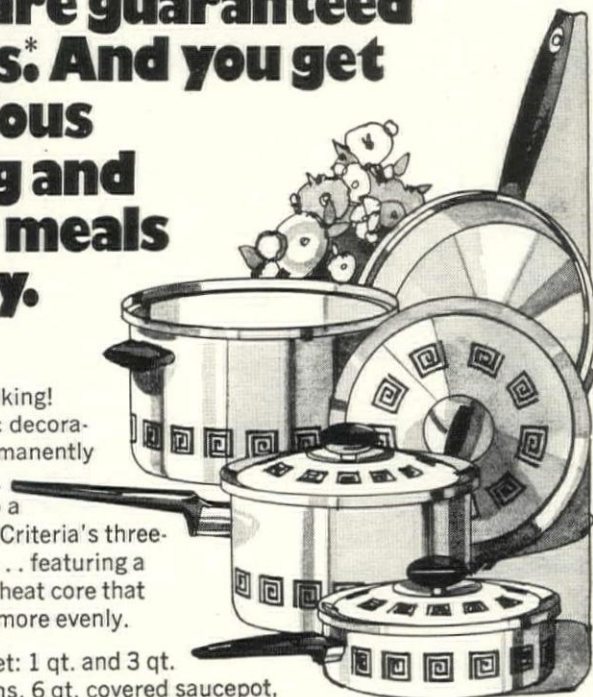
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ARCHITECTS: Kroeger-Perfido
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SIZE OF HOUSE: 4,500 square feet
SIZE OF LOT: 20 acres

STRUCTURE

Foundation: Concrete block anchored to existing rock.

Framing: Standard wood frame construction of walls, floors, and roof.

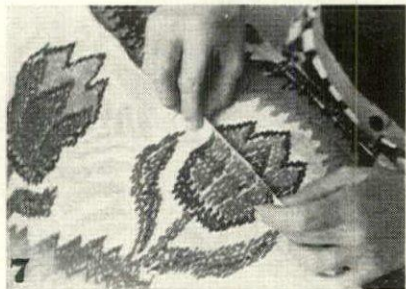
EXTERIOR OF HOUSE

Exterior walls: White stucco over wood sheathing by Tuckstone Stucco Co.

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HOW TO MAKE A SLIPCOVER LIKE AN EXPERT

Anyone who sews can make a snug slipcover; the trick is in the precise fitting of each piece of fabric on the furniture. The choice of fabric is yours. A tightly woven fabric is the easiest to work with. Most armchairs require 8 yards; a two-cushioned love seat 4½ feet long requires 15 to 16 yards; a three-cushioned sofa, 6¾ feet long, takes 18 to 19 yards of 50-inch fabric. And according to expert Thomas de Angelis, who showed us how to do the job with a linen and cotton print by Schumacher, the current vogue for no-welt-ing simplifies the sewing task enormously.



1 Lay fabric on the inside back of the sofa, placing the print to best advantage. Prepare to pin, chalk, and cut the first piece. All the pieces of one half of the slipcover are cut and pinned together before the opposite side is begun.

2 Pin fabric to sofa along top seam of the inside back, using the seam underneath as the guideline, making sure that the pattern is absolutely straight and smooth as you go, leaving only about 2 inches between pins. Stop pinning at top corner.

3 Hold fold of fabric taut with fingers and place another guide pin at corner of arm curve. Pin between guide pins. Tuck the fabric around arm and at bottom, leaving 4 inches. To mark for cutting, chalk straight line 1 inch wide outside pins.

4 Prepare to cut along chalk lines, beginning at the top of the inside back. Before cutting be sure material is smoothly and tautly pinned to the underseams of the sofa. This will help insure an exact fit to the finished slipcover.

5 To cut side of inside back, hold the fold of fabric out with fingers between two corner guide pins and follow chalked line exactly. Next, cut around the curve of the arm, then the bottom tuck-in of the inside back and up the center seam.

6 The inside back piece, after cutting, is ready to be joined to the next piece you cut: the top border. In order to have a continuous pattern of matched fabric pieces, each one has to be carefully fitted to the area cut just before it.

7 To pin the top border to the inside back, you match the pattern exactly as possible, place the cut edges together so that the fabric is smooth, then pin along, following again the underseams. Cut away excess, leaving a ¾-inch seam.

8 To cut the platform of the sofa, which is the part under the cushion, fit fabric to match the continuous flow of pattern to the floor, allowing a 4-inch tuck-in at the bottom of the inside back and the arm. Pin, chalk, and cut as before.

9 The inside sofa arm is fitted just as the other pieces. Notice that the pattern is going at right angles to that on the rest of the sofa. Cut outside sofa arm next, with the pattern going in the same direction as the inside arm piece.

10 Arm-top panel is cut next. Put zipper or snap tape (the kind with tiny snaps) on the outside back running up the right-hand side and on the back of seat cushions, allowing 2 inches of excess fabric for zipper or tape. Before unpinning, notch fabric every 4 inches. Turn slipcover wrong side out, match notches, repin, and sew. *For shopping information, see page 144.*



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GOOD LOOKS AND GOOD HEALTH

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in *The New Yorker*, where marinated mushrooms at a Thanksgiving dinner felled three people, killing one. Mr. Roueché quotes the doctor in the case "... there was nothing unusual about the mushrooms, I saw them myself. They looked good and they smelled good. Delicious, in fact. It gave me a kind of a chill."

The idea is chilling although the botulism's rarity is what's most impressive to the canning industry where a spokesman has produced figures, immensely impressive to them—775,000,000 cans of commercially prepared food were consumed since 1925 with only three small outbreaks and four deaths from botulism.

This perspective is also shared by the renowned Dr. Meyer mentioned earlier, the authority on botulism who, as he says, has lived with it for more than fifty years, and is the co-author of *Sixty-five Years of Human Botulism in the United States and Canada*. "I've always felt that there should be a standing rule—unbreakable—no home-canned foods ever eaten or even tasted before they have been boiled." He feels that the big commercial canning industries, using their scientists and laboratories, have developed a food technology that is perfectly safe. What about human error which had such tragic results this summer. Dr. Meyer answers "That could never happen in California and 40 percent of the country's stuff is canned here." It was due to Dr. Meyer's efforts that enforcement of the costly and tedious safety methods were passed into law. "If one little squiggle on the record goes below par that whole big batch is taken out and destroyed. What we need is a Nader to make this happen in every state." Ralph Nader, are you listening?

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ready for last-minute blending at party time. For measuring quantities, estimate 3 to 4 glasses of punch per guest. Tea, fruit juices, and ginger ale can be put in waxed cardboard containers and frozen.

Martinis can be made ahead of time and dispensed like punch—perhaps from a huge glass bowl set in an ice-packed bowl. First mix the gin and vermouth in the desired proportions, pour into half-gallon bottles, and chill until icy.

Another good wholesale dispensable is the Bloody Mary. Prepare several jugs of a 4- or 5-to-1 mixture of tomato juice and vodka seasoned with Tabasco, lemon juice, salt, and Worcestershire sauce. Freeze more tomato juice in chunks or cubes, chill the Bloody Mary mixture and serve in a punch bowl with a tomato-ice block or in pitchers with tomato cubes. Keep a bottle of vodka, frozen in a block of ice, at hand for pepping up. For Bull Shots, use frozen beef bouillon in place of the tomato juice and serve in the same manner.

Mass-produced Daiquiris can also be good, provided they are not merely weak rum punches. Use fresh lime juice and sugar syrup or Falernum to sweeten and chill thoroughly. Serve from a bowl or jug packed in ice and pour into chilled glasses or punch cups. Or try an old Tahitian rum drink. A day ahead of the party, insert one vanilla bean in each bottle of light or medium rum and chill. At party time, transfer bottles to ice buckets, pour the cold, delicately vanilla-flavored rum into glasses over crushed ice and add a slice of lime.

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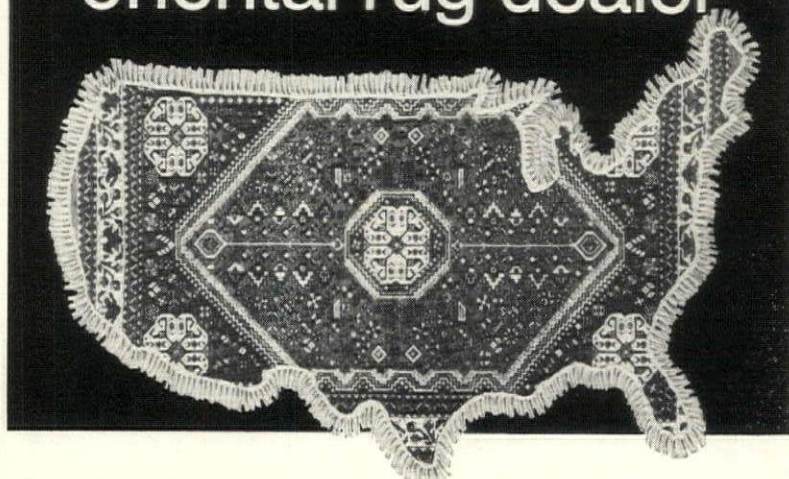
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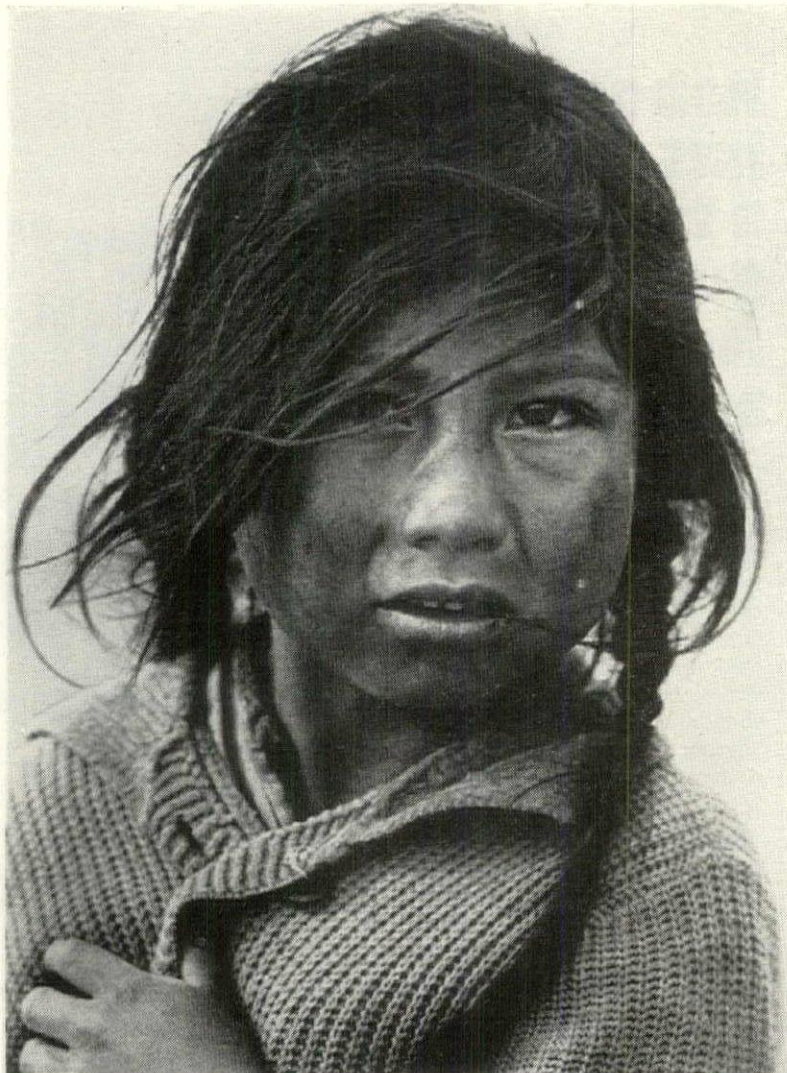
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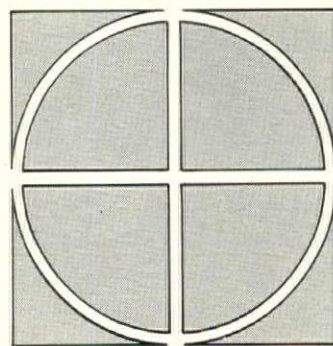
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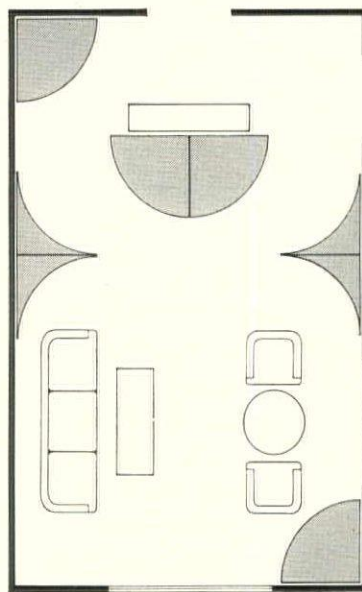
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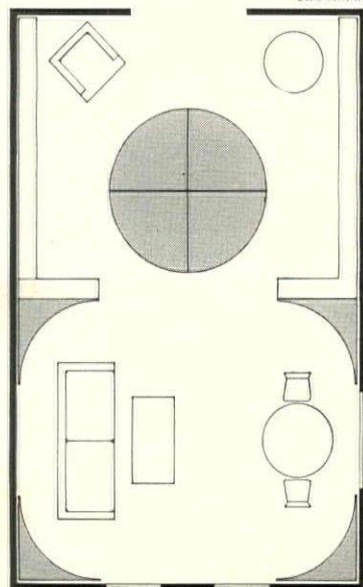
Ingenious ways to turn one room into two

The simple rectangular room—the kind so many apartment dwellers long to "do something about"—can very easily be made environmentally interesting with the sculptured plywood forms designed by Gary Dobosen (see page 99). Clustered, they create a circle within a square, *above*, 8 feet high, 6 feet wide. Taken apart, they become eight architectural elements almost anyone can lift and arrange in an infinite number of space defining ways. Here are five definitive answers to five problems.

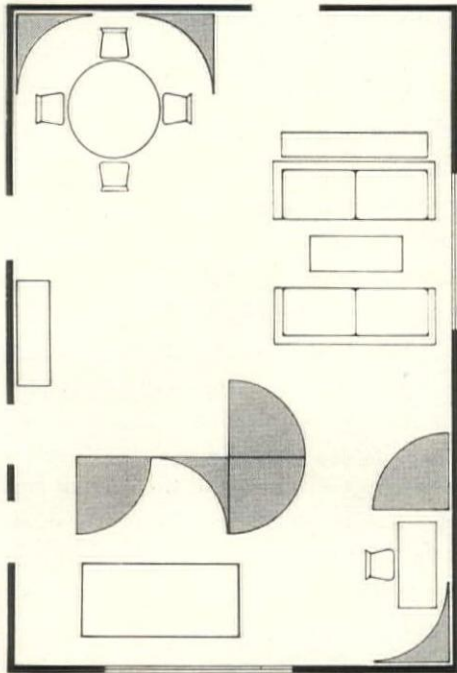


Lacking any sort of entrance area, an apartment can have a pleasant introduction by borrowing enough space from the living room for a foyer. Joined in pairs, the four concave forms suggest a dividing arch; two of the pie shapes form a baffle-like half-column between the two areas; the other two sit in corners as impressively as Nuremberg stoves—one in the foyer, one in the living room.

Bookish people who like all their first editions (and paperbacks) in one spot can have a library simply by cutting their living room in two. In one half, the concave forms—one in each corner—turn the sitting area into a pretty oval; in the other, four banks of bookshelves stretch from floor to ceiling, and the quartet of pie shapes are united in a central shaft as classic as a Greek column.

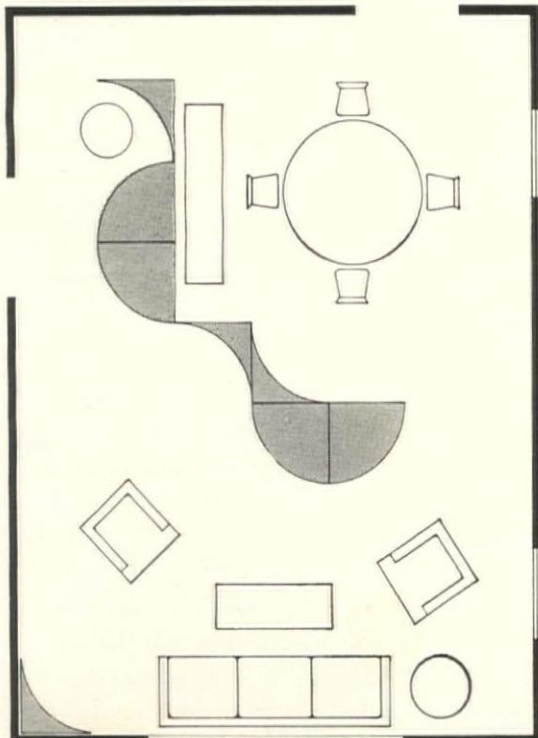
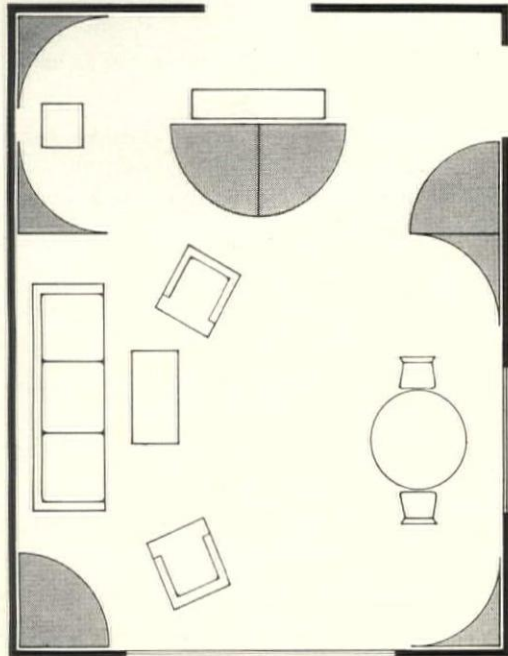


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Solution to the problem of making a one-room apartment *not look* like a one-room apartment: In one corner, two of the concave forms are folded around the dining table rather like wings, giving it a nice sense of "apartness" from the sitting area. At the other end of the room, an arrangement of concave and pie shapes not only conceals the bed, but also makes a neat little niche for a desk and its chair.

Another example of slicing off a segment of a living room to create a foyer. In this instance, the entrance area is long and fairly narrow, with two concave forms at one end to turn a sharp right angle into a soft oval. Two of the pie shapes are butted in a half-column baffle, and the rest of the forms are arranged variously as a semi-partition and as enhancers for corners.



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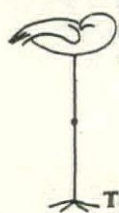
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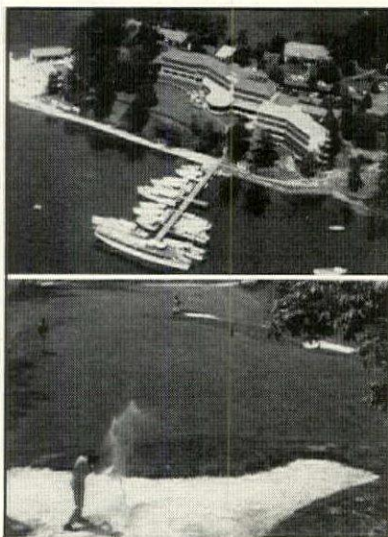
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And posters—are they in the same class?

No. Posters are basically for decorative and educational purposes. The original purpose is usually to announce a show. They are perfectly valid for anyone learning about art, but they have no intrinsic value except in the rare case of a limited signed edition of perhaps the first 100 of a printing.

Would you advise beginners to buy sculpture?

Yes, it's easier to live with because it tends to be less fragile. But it might take more space, since you have to look at sculpture in the round. Sculpture now is made in editions by methods such as casting, so prices are apt to be somewhat lower.

How do you feel about renting paintings?

A good idea. Especially for people who are just becoming involved with art. It gives them a wider variety than they might normally be exposed to. Renting a painting gives you a chance to live with it, to understand more about it, and grow to appreciate it. Many museums around the country have special departments that offer rental services.

How about buying art as an investment?

A poor idea. I would venture to say that 90 percent of the so-called investors in art make serious mistakes. There are very few people who really know enough about what they're doing to do it properly. If you're buying a painting, you consider first whether you like it and understand it and really want it. You can buy art to decorate your home. You can buy art to satisfy your aesthetic needs. You can buy art you believe will have lasting value as art. But never as an investment. Really art should only be bought for personal pleasure.

What is the difference between a collector and someone who merely buys art?

If you stop buying art when you run out of wall space, you're not a collector. A collector is continually trying to upgrade his collection. Putting together a collection takes a lot of time and effort—years and years and years of constant trading and rethinking and reevaluating.

But suppose you're not yet a collector—what should you have in order to buy art intelligently?

I think you have to use a certain amount of judgment on your own. You have to have a certain awareness of what's going on in the art world. You should seek the best advice available whether it's from a dealer you trust or a museum curator or a fellow collector. And you should accept this advice, to a limited extent but not blindly—you have to have a certain basic intuition and knowledge yourself.

What do you mean by awareness?

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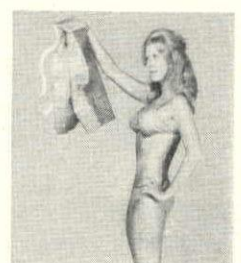
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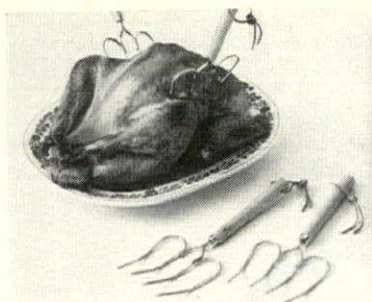
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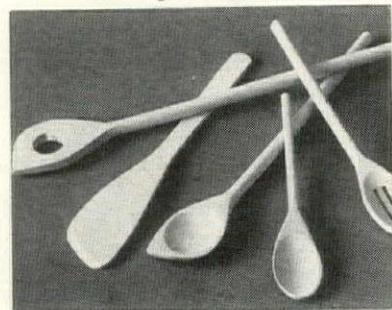
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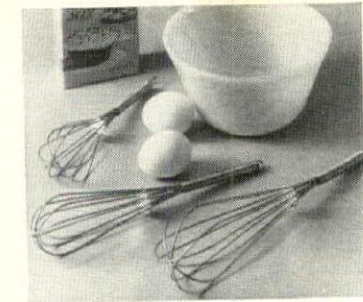
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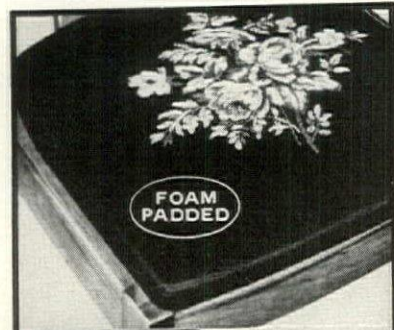
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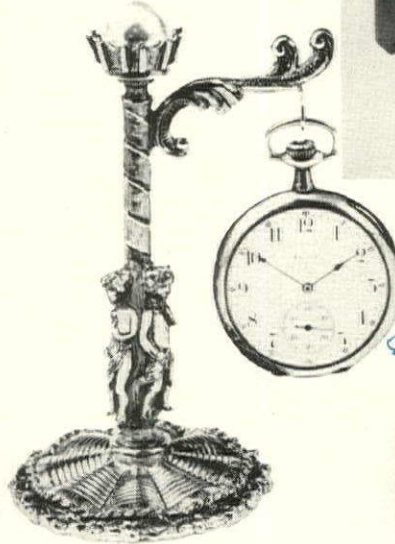


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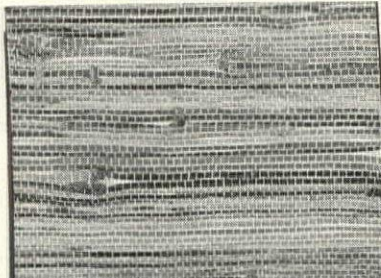
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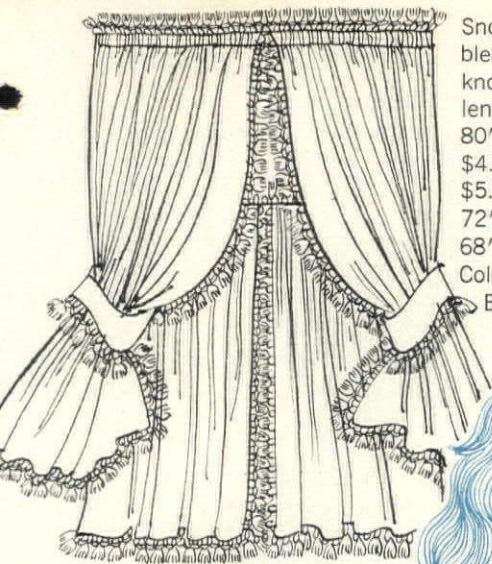
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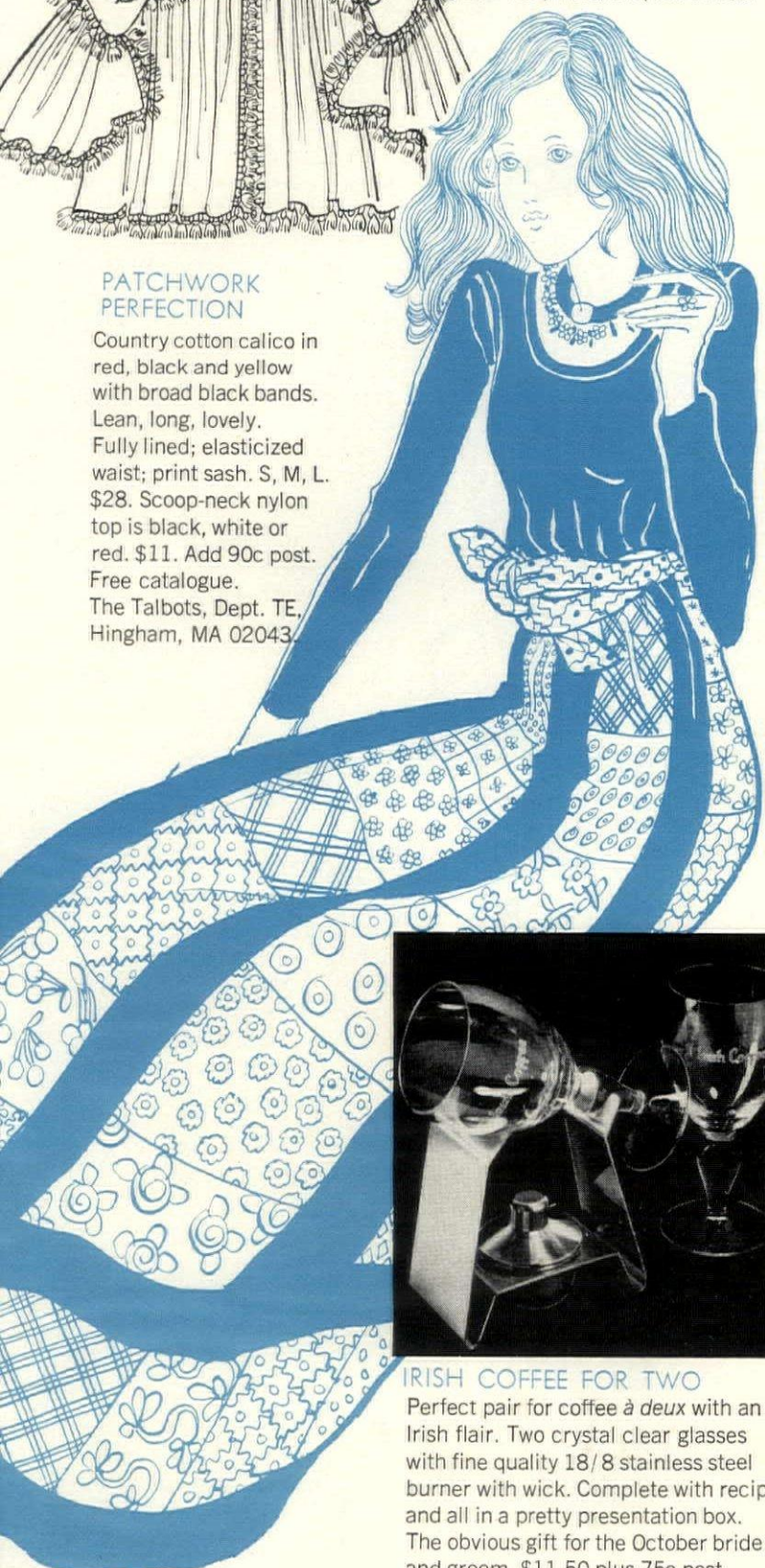
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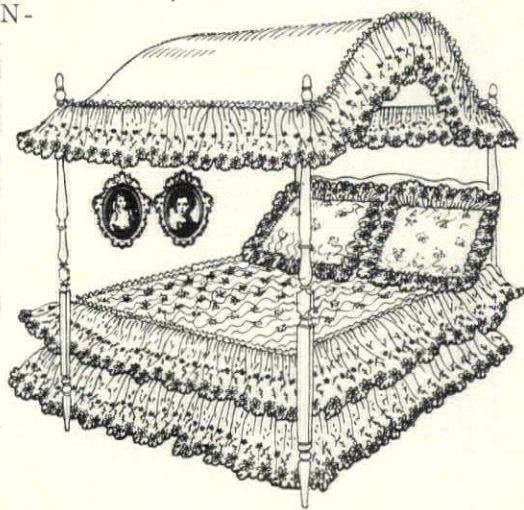
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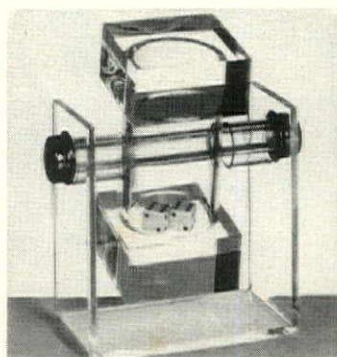
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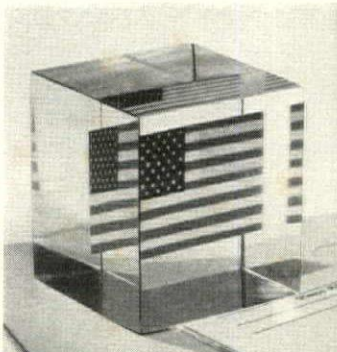
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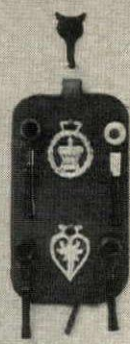
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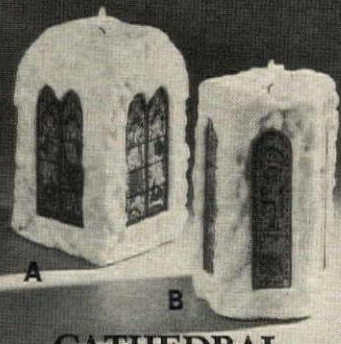
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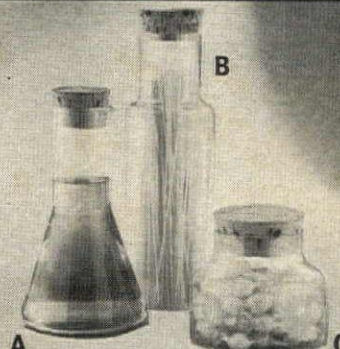
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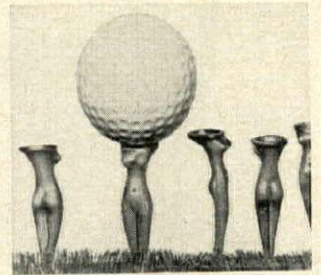
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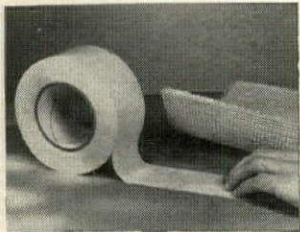
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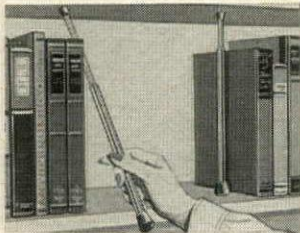
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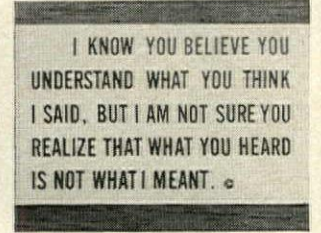
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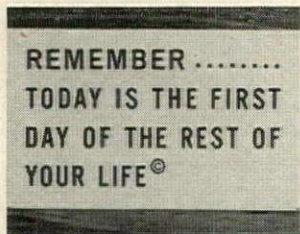
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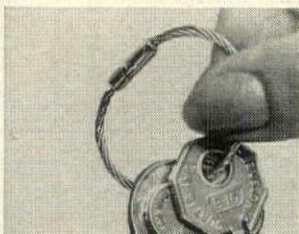


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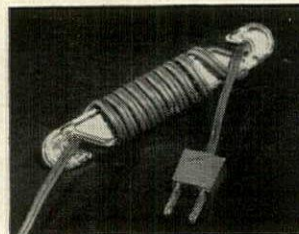
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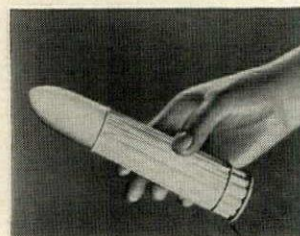
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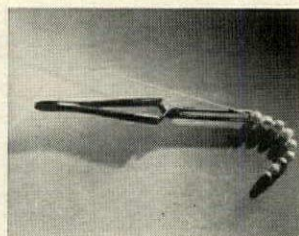
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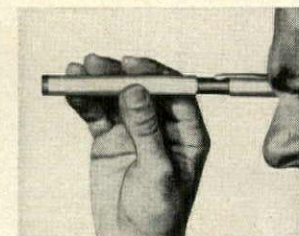
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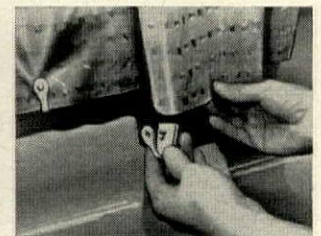
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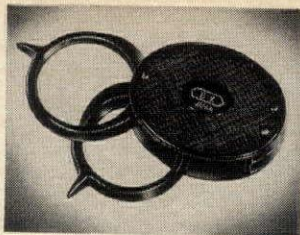
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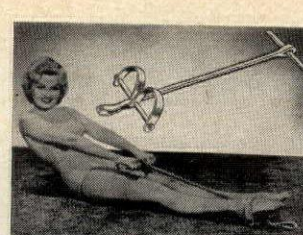
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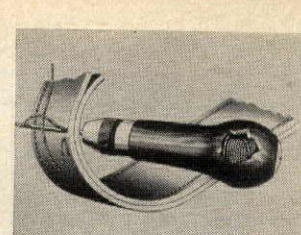
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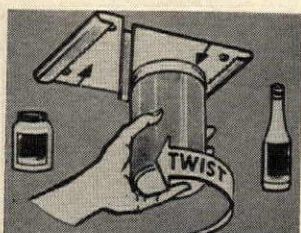
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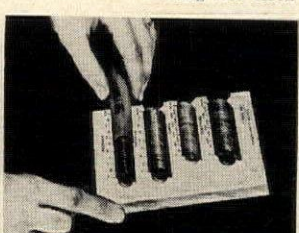
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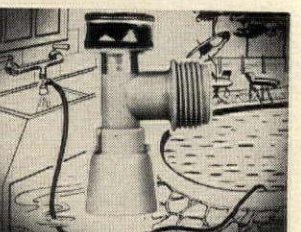
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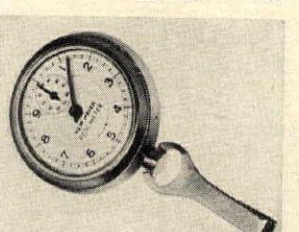
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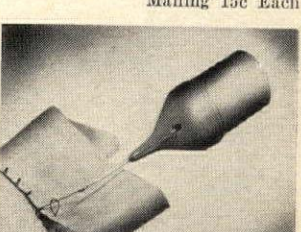
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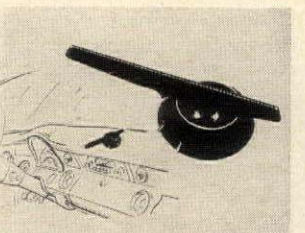
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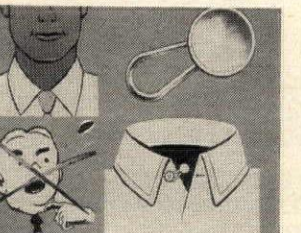
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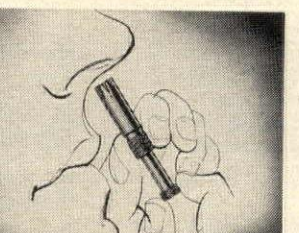
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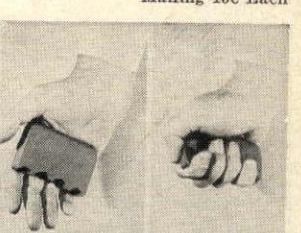
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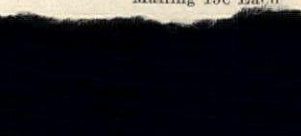
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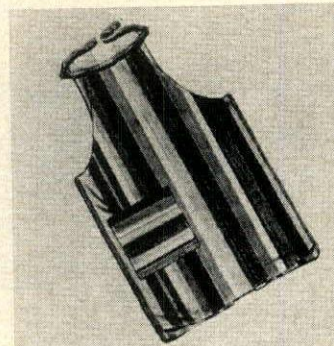
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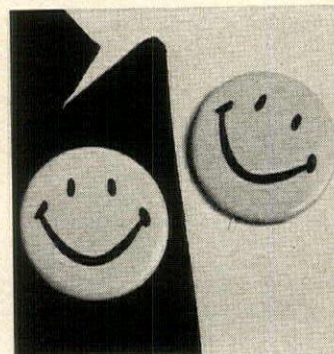
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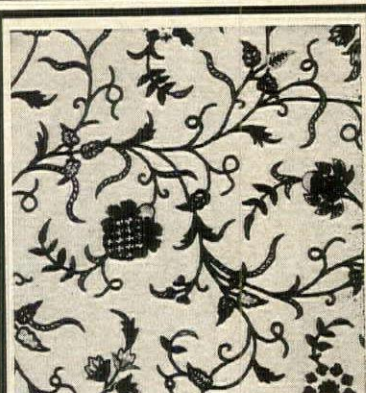
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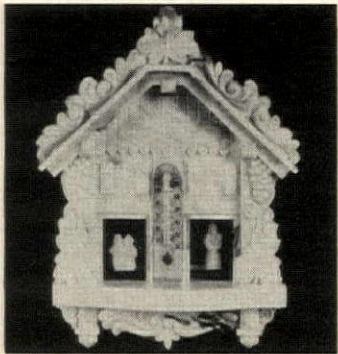
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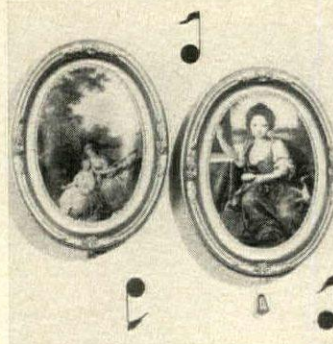
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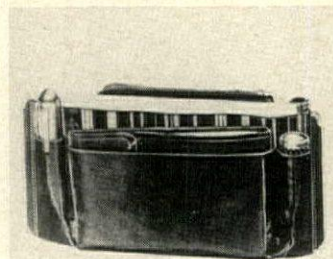
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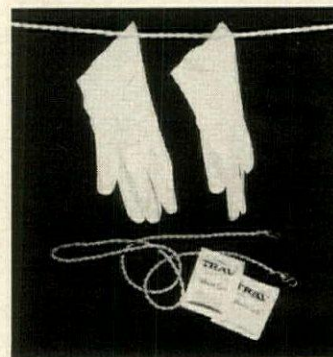
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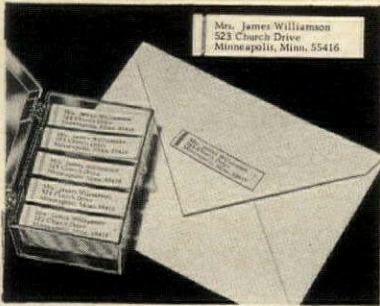
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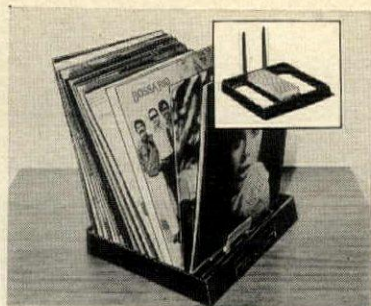
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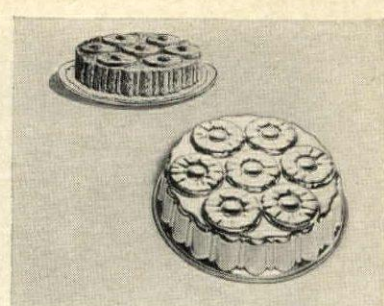
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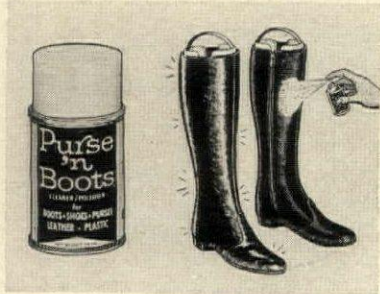
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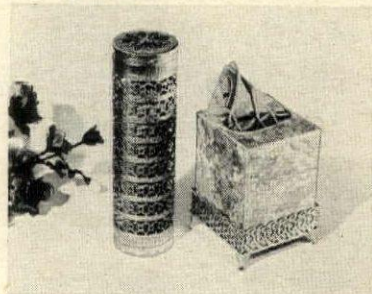
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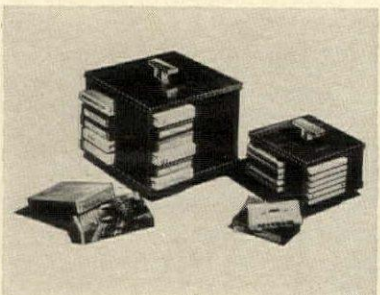
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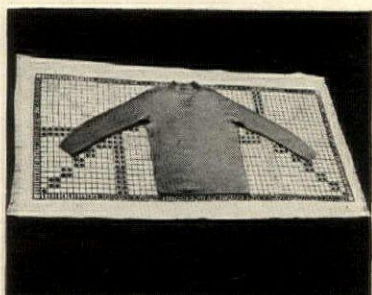
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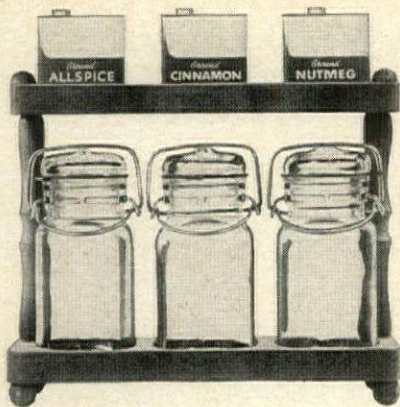
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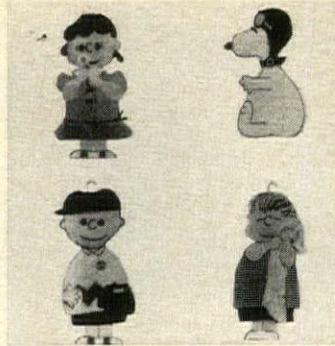


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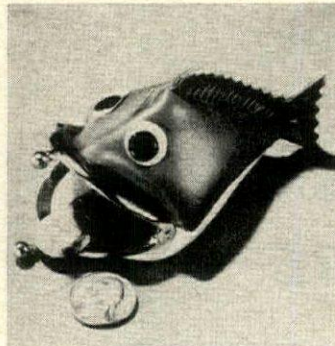
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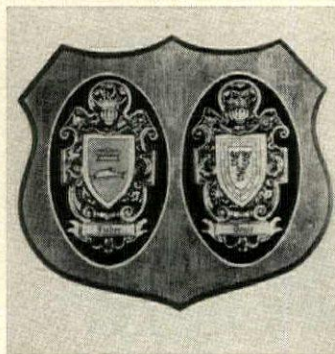
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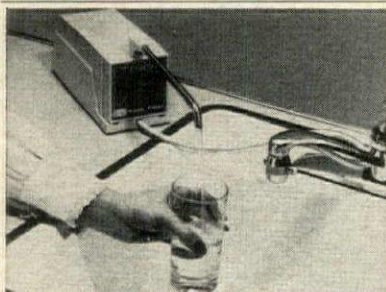
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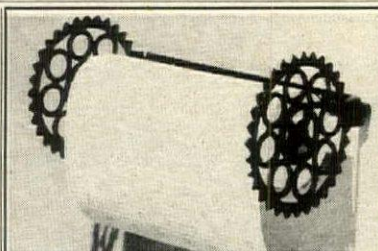
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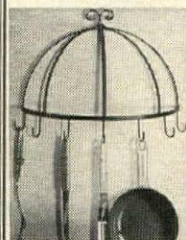
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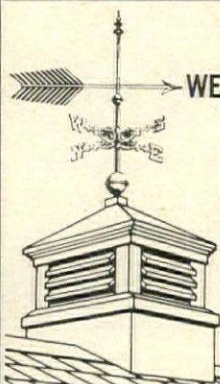


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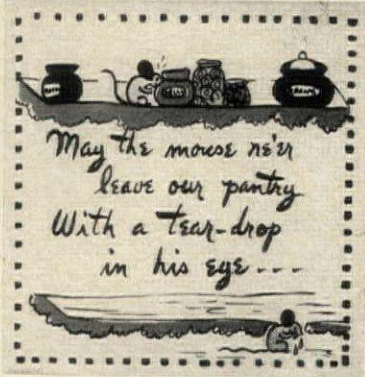
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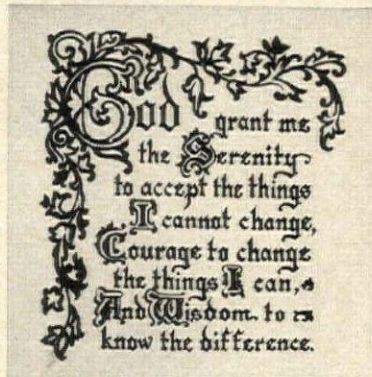
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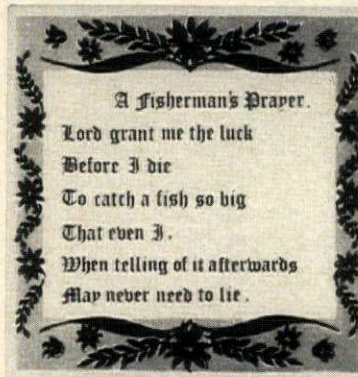
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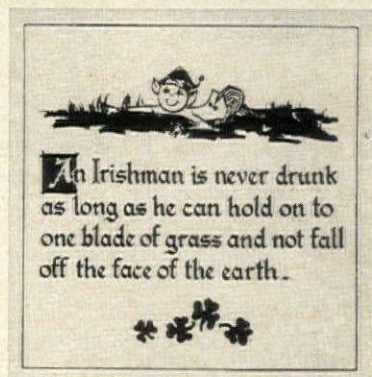
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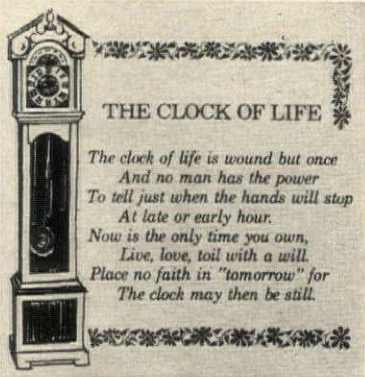
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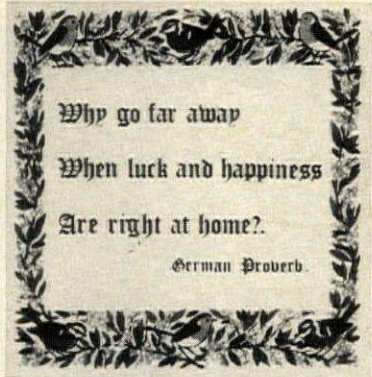
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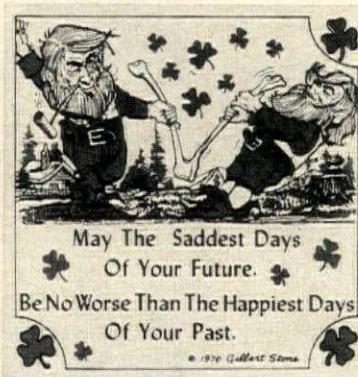
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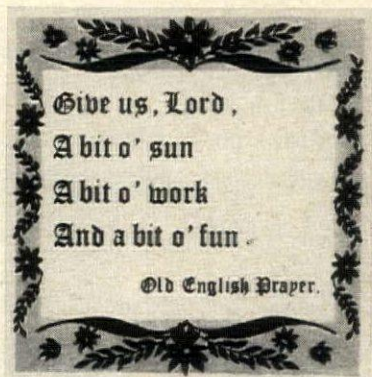
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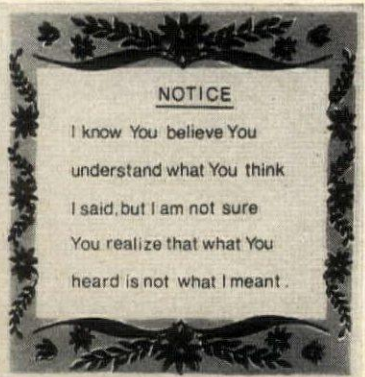
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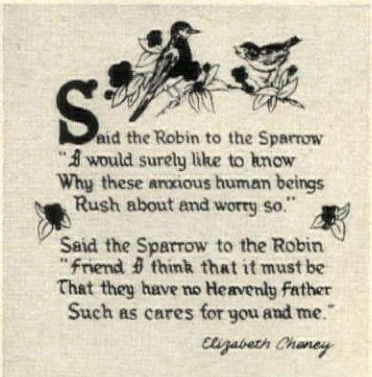
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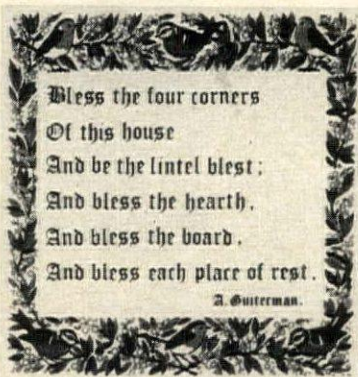
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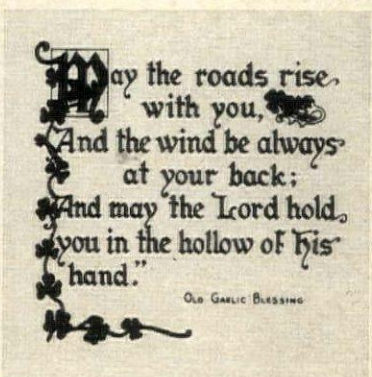
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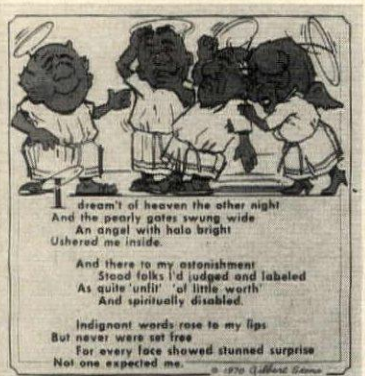
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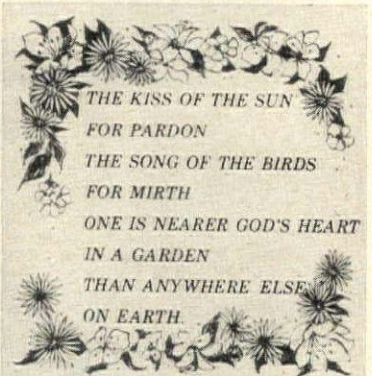
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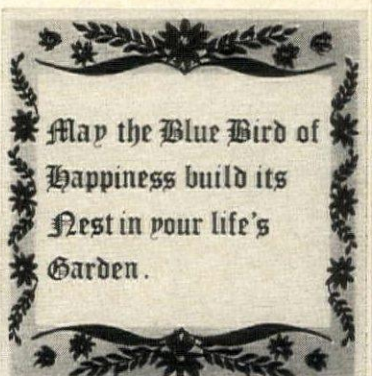
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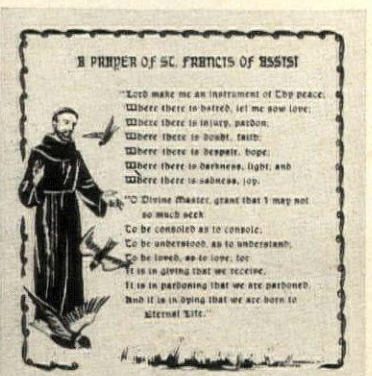
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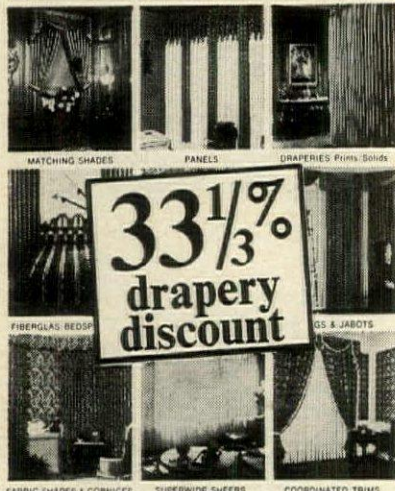
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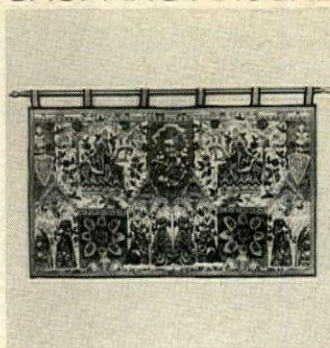
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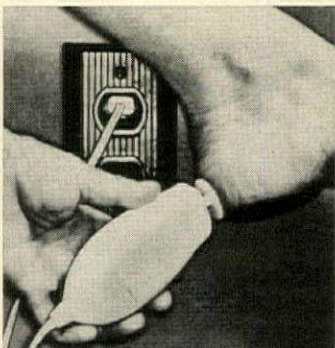
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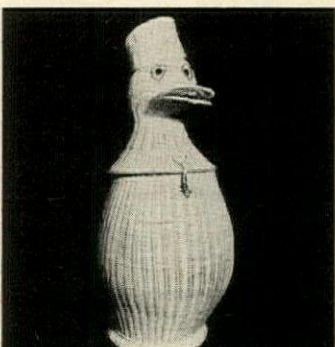
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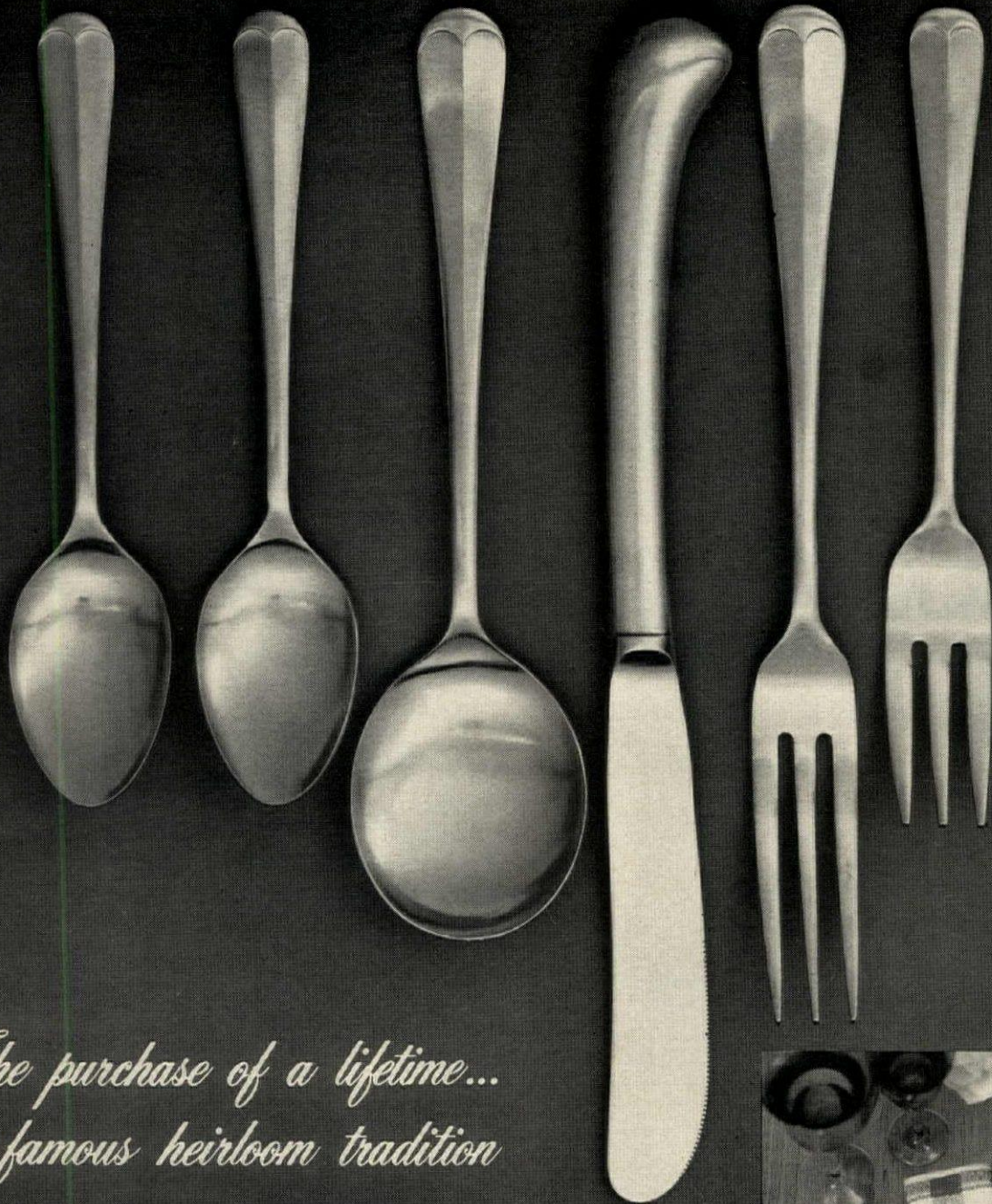
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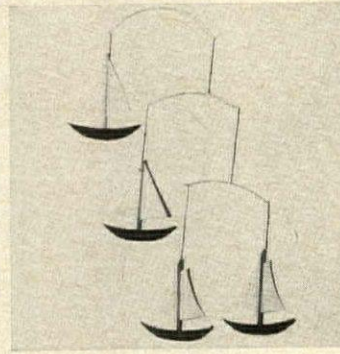
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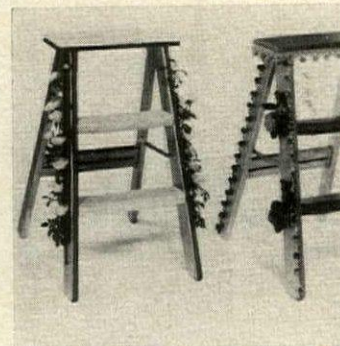
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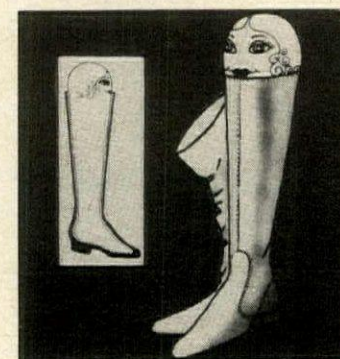
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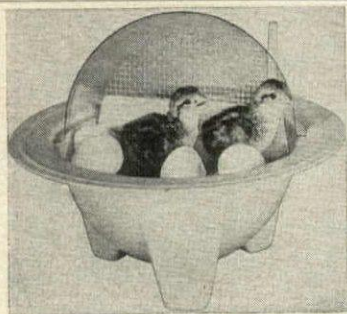
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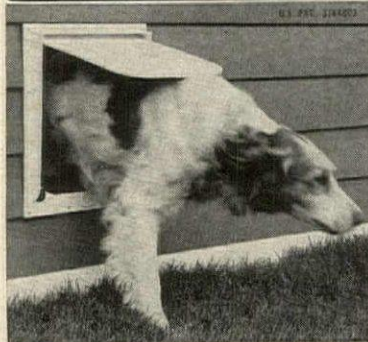


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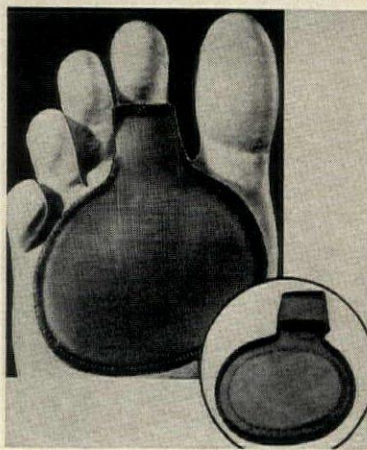
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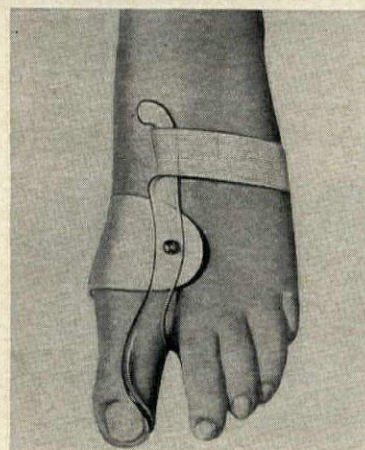
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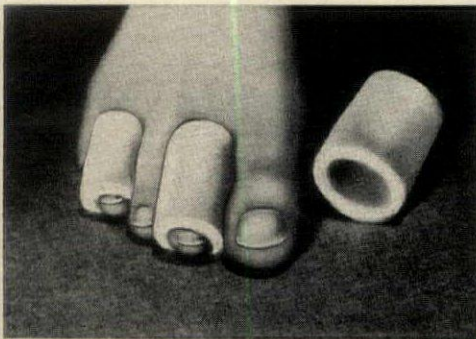
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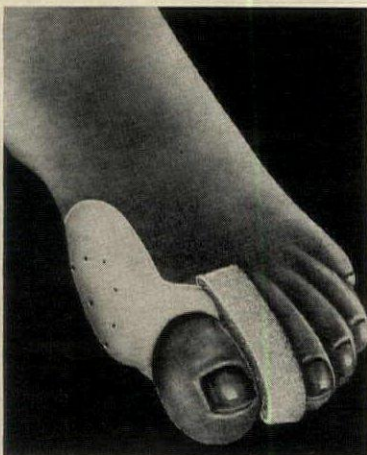
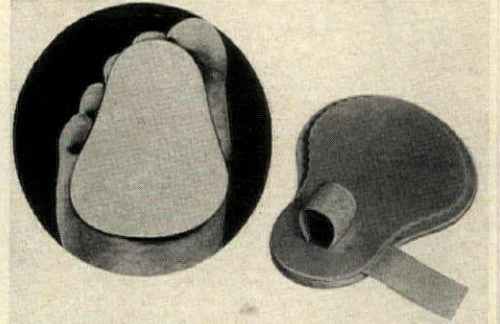
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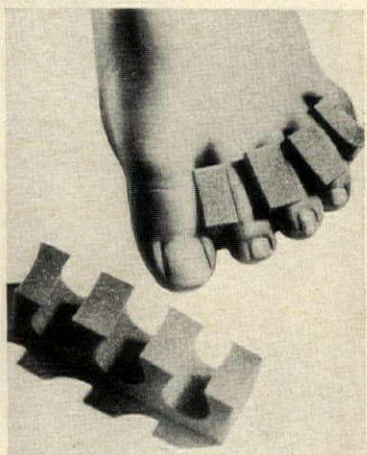
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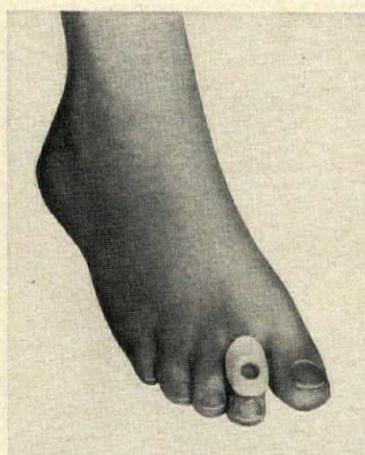
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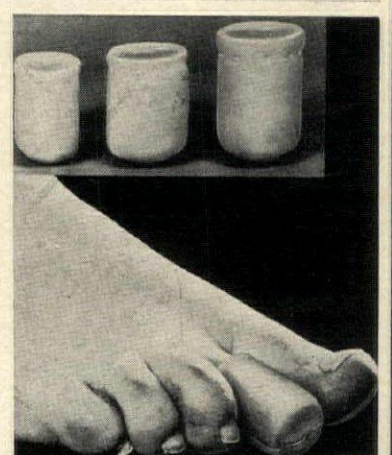
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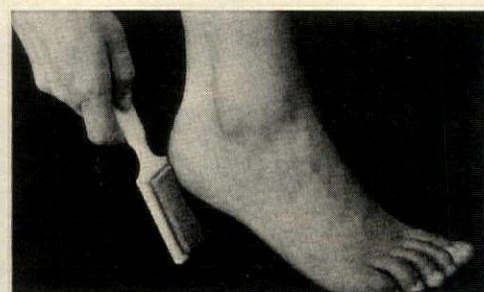
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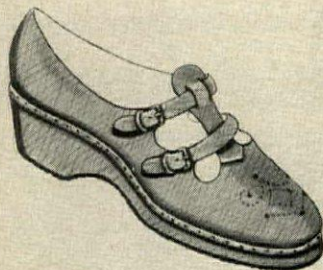


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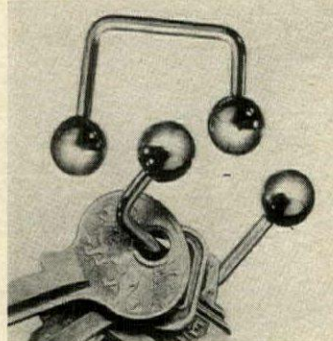
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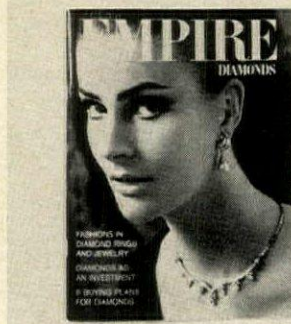
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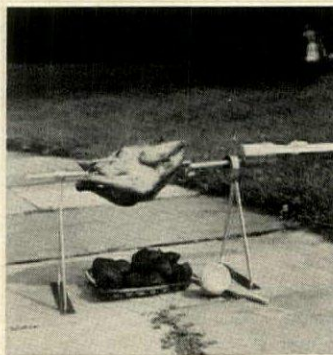
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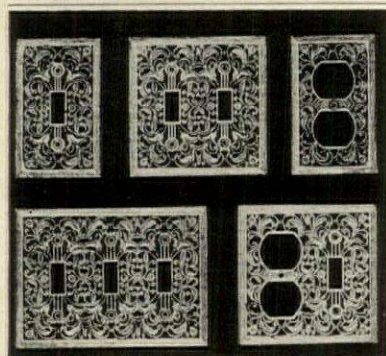
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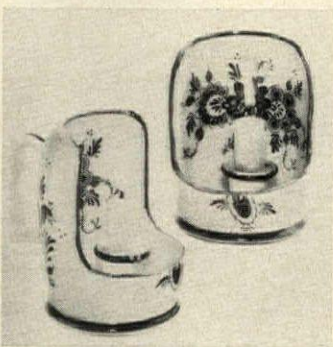
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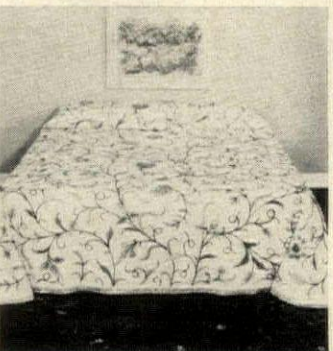
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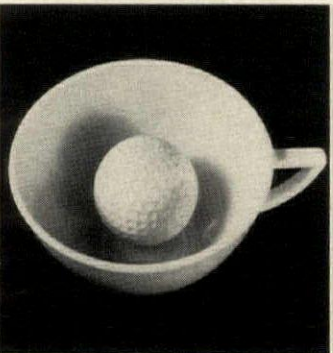
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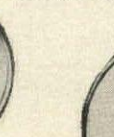
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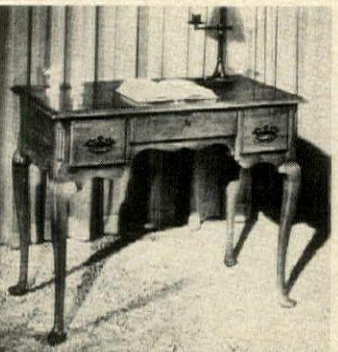
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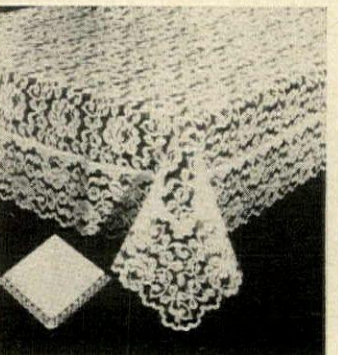
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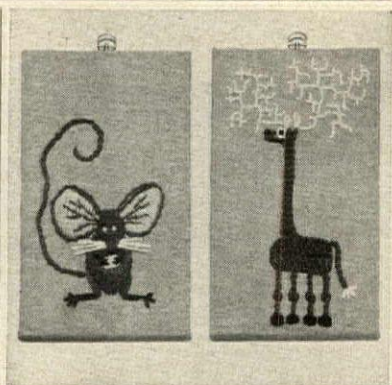
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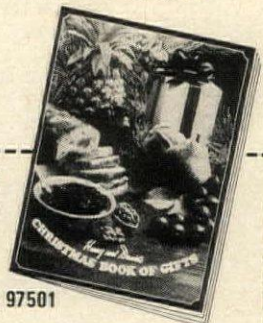
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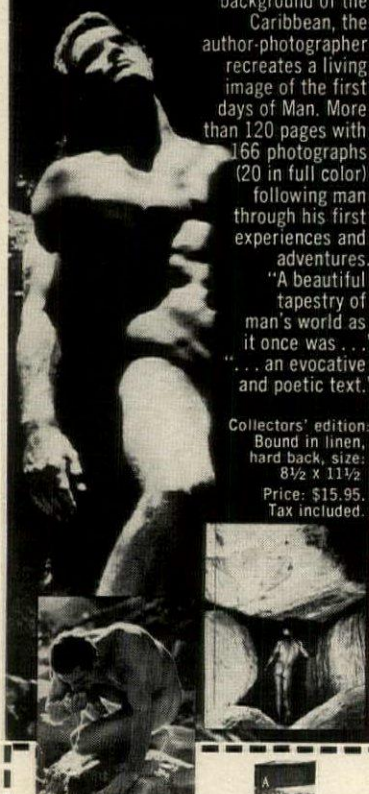
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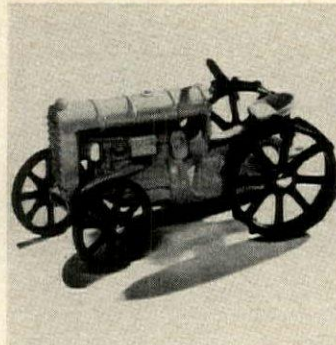


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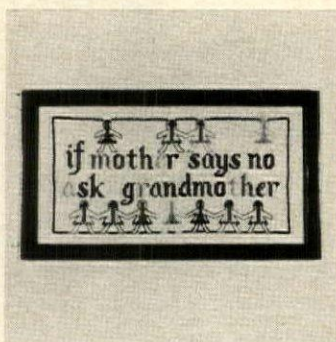
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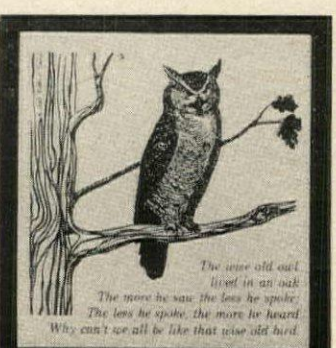
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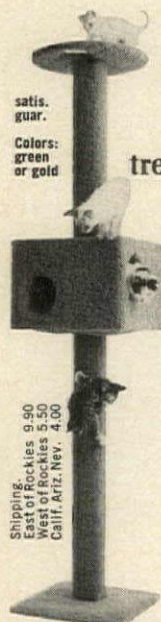
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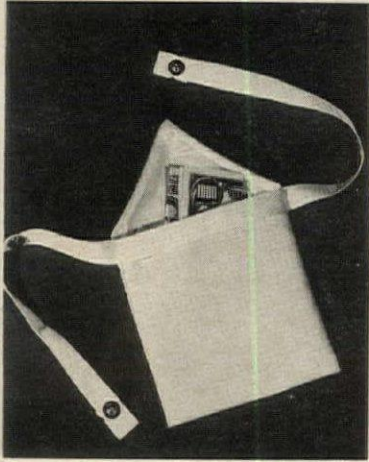


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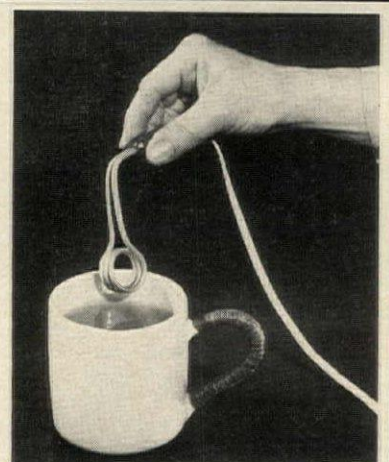
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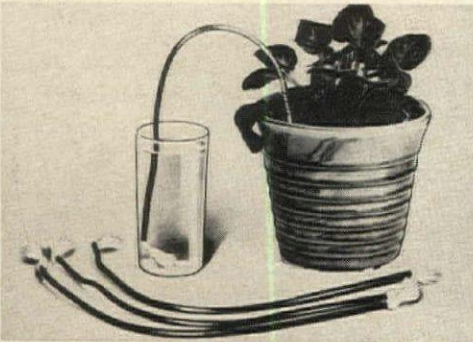
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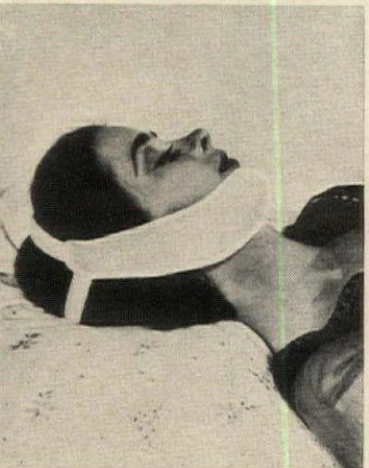
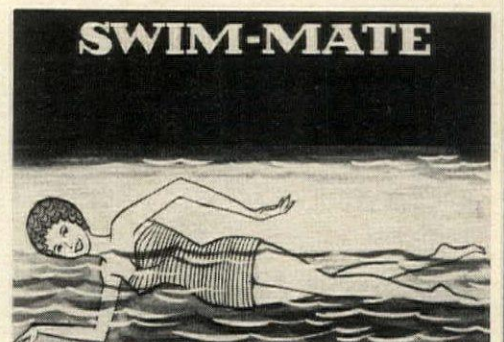
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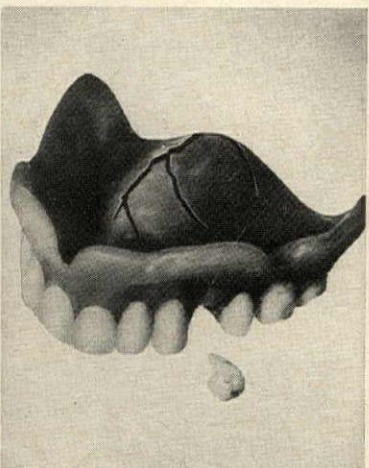
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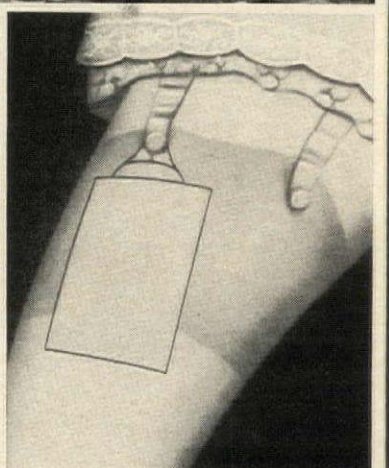
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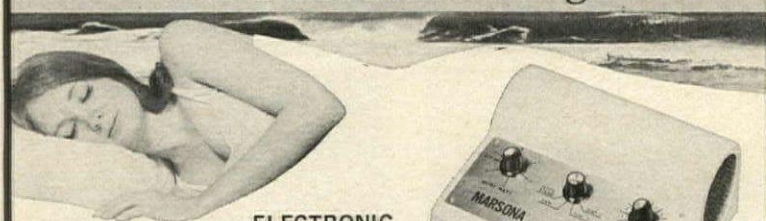
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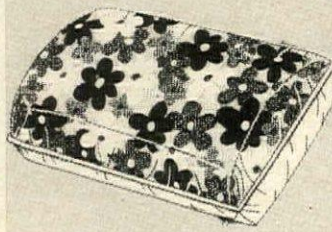
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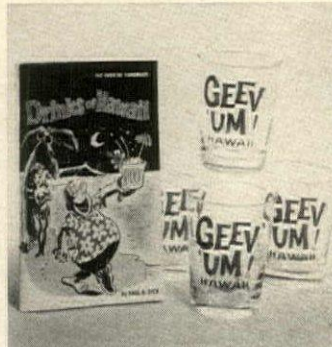
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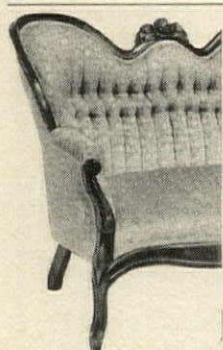
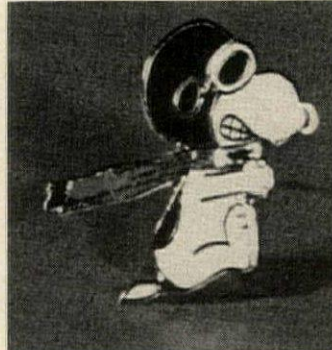
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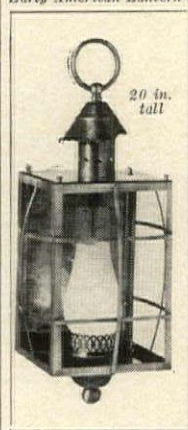
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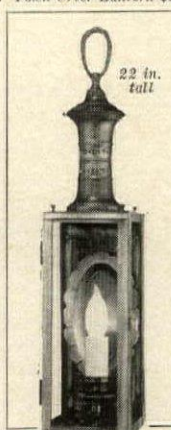
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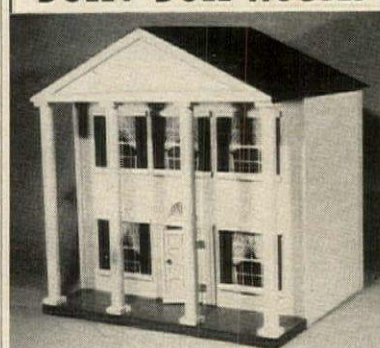
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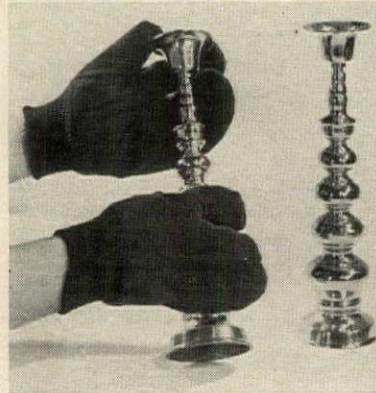


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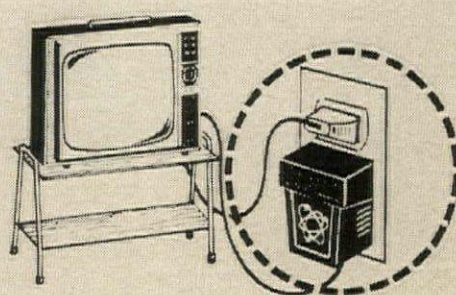
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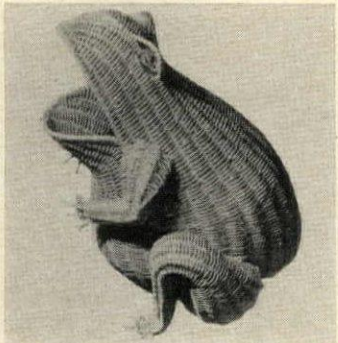
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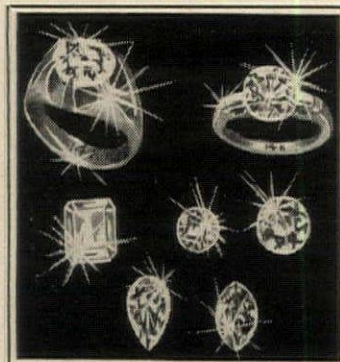
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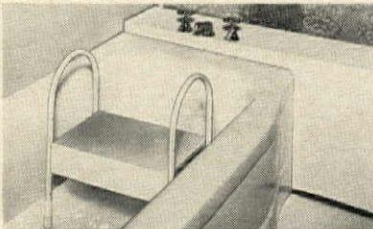


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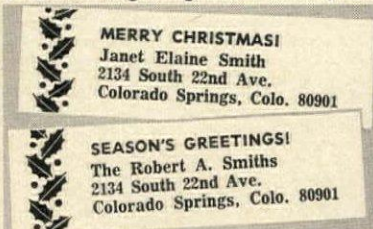
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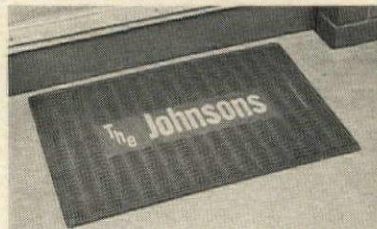
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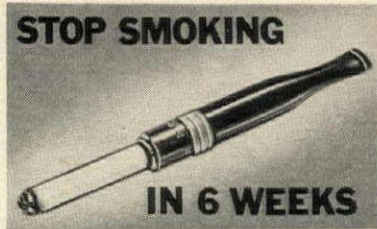
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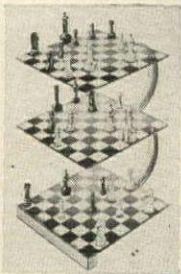
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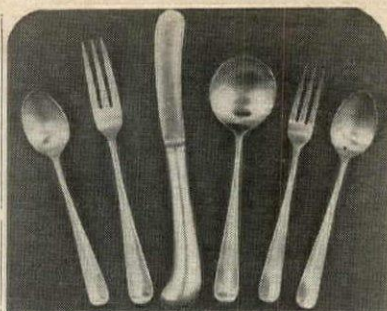


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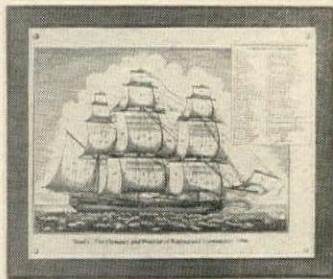
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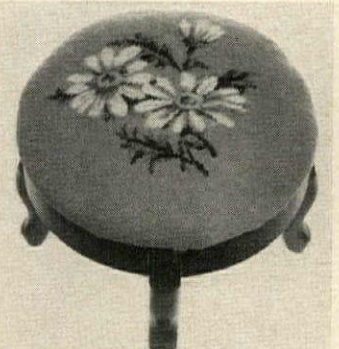
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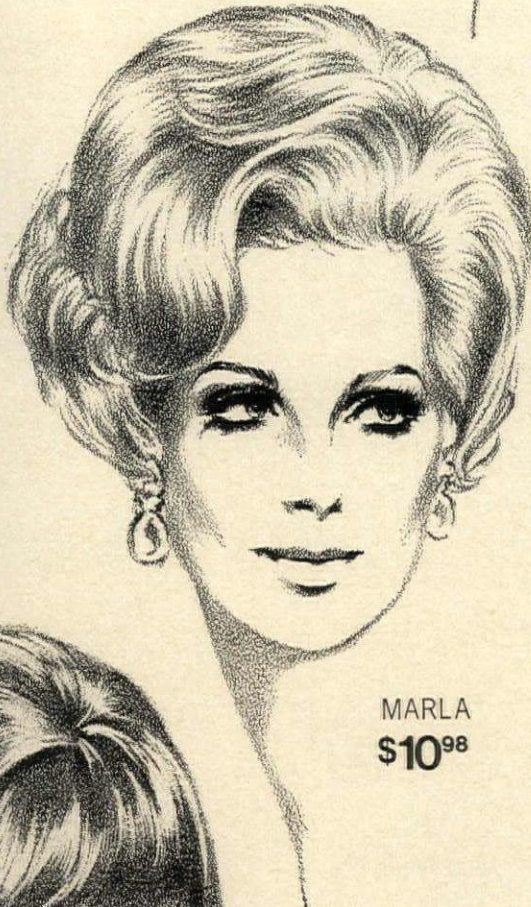


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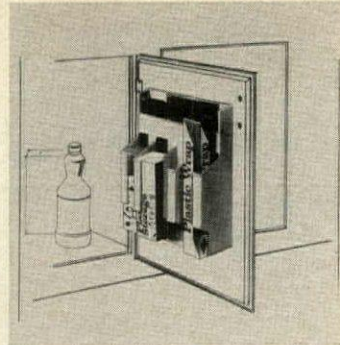
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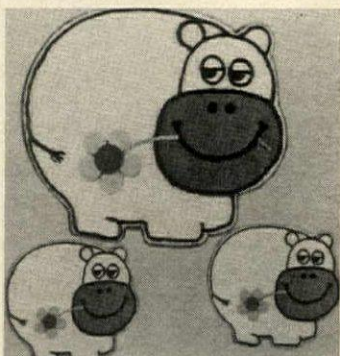
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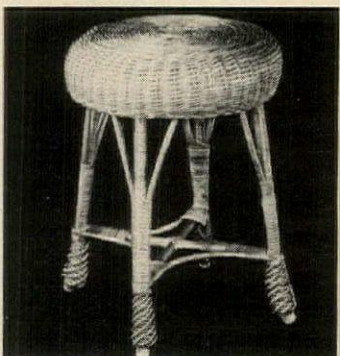
DELFT 1971

The Delft annual Christmas plate is always a beauty and collectors the world over cherish the plate of the year. 1971 plate shows St. Laurens Church in Rotterdam, dating from the Middle Ages and rebuilt after the bombing of World War II, 6 3/4" dia. \$12.95 ppd. Postmatic Co., HG1071, Lafayette Hill, PA 19444.



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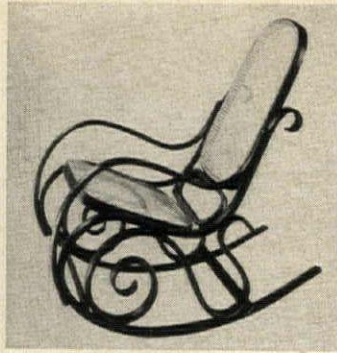
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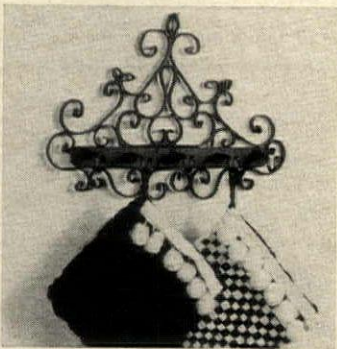
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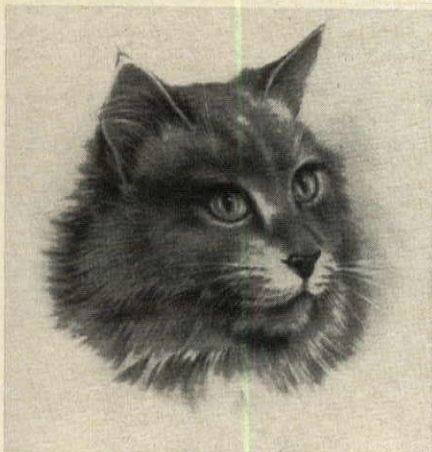


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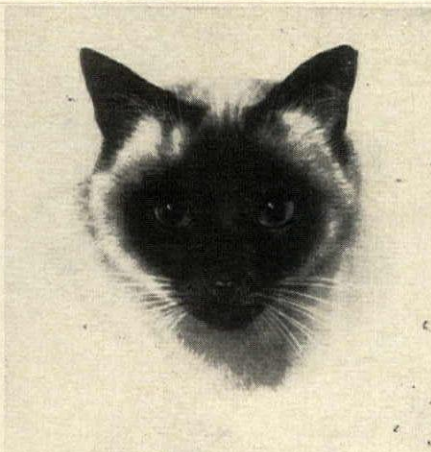
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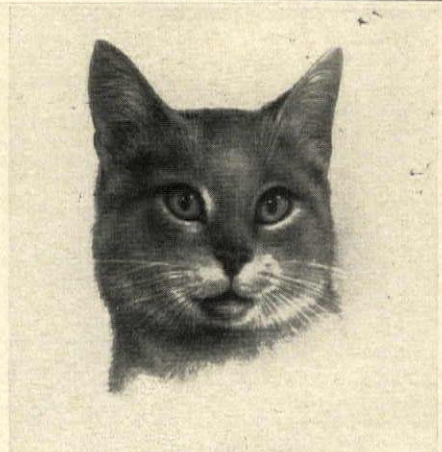
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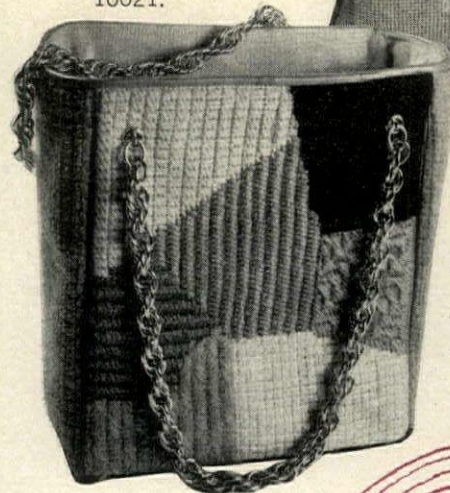
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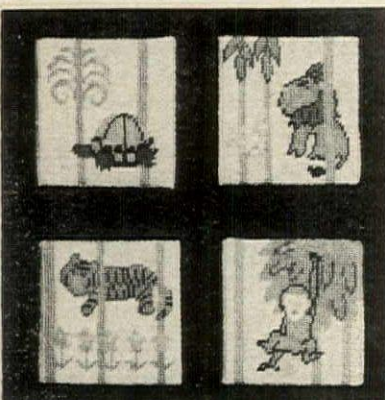
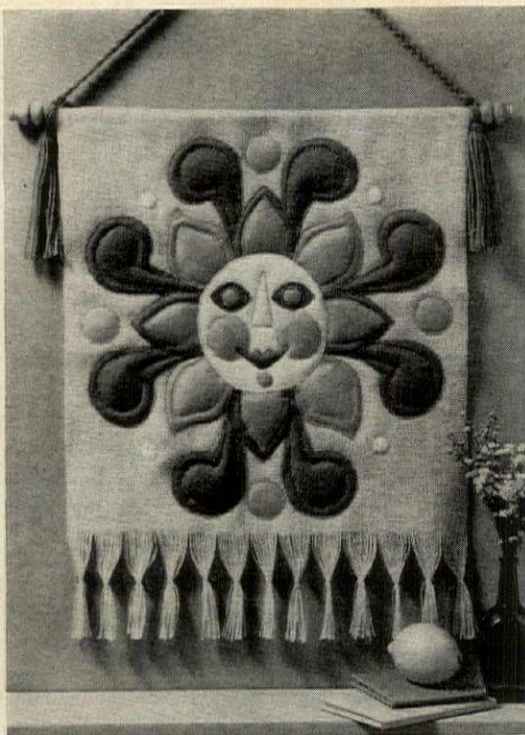
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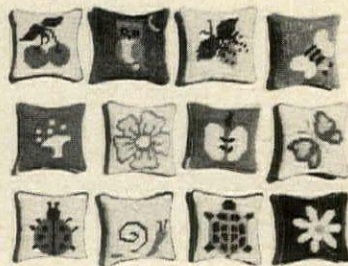


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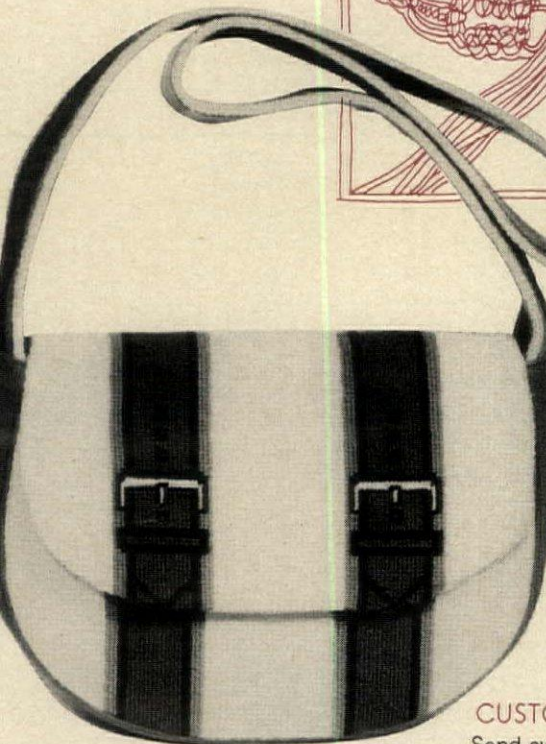
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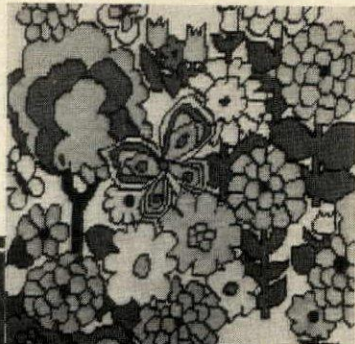


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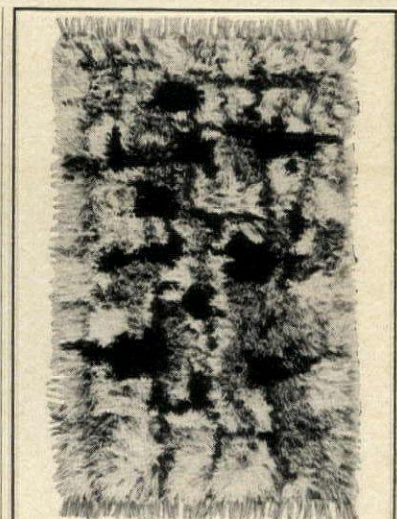
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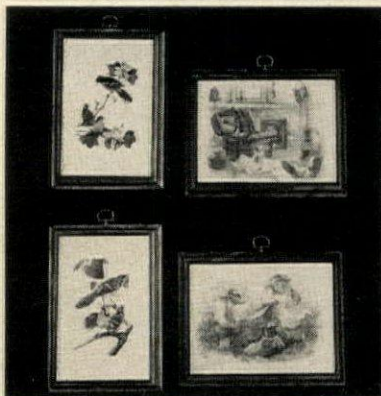


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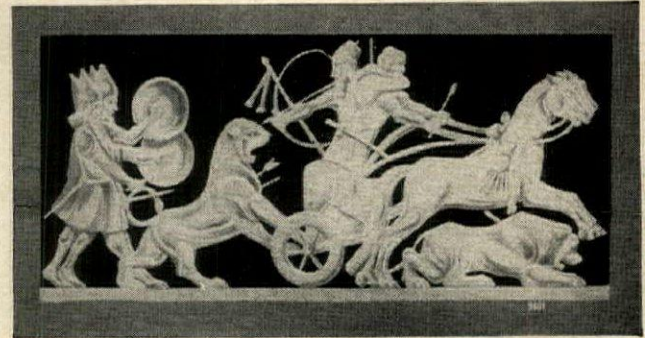
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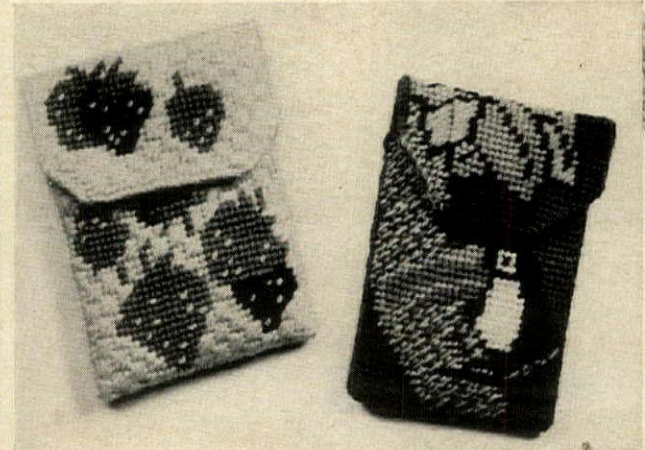
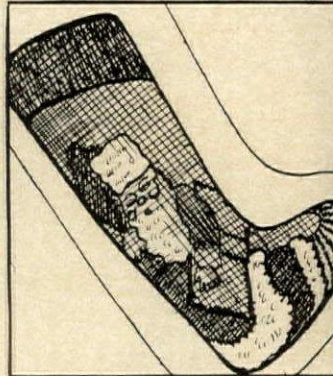


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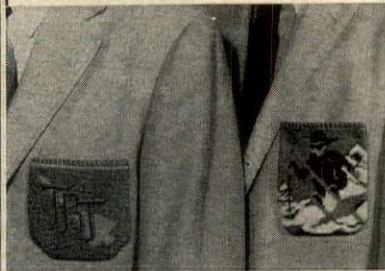
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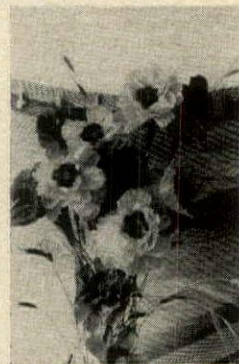
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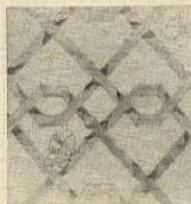
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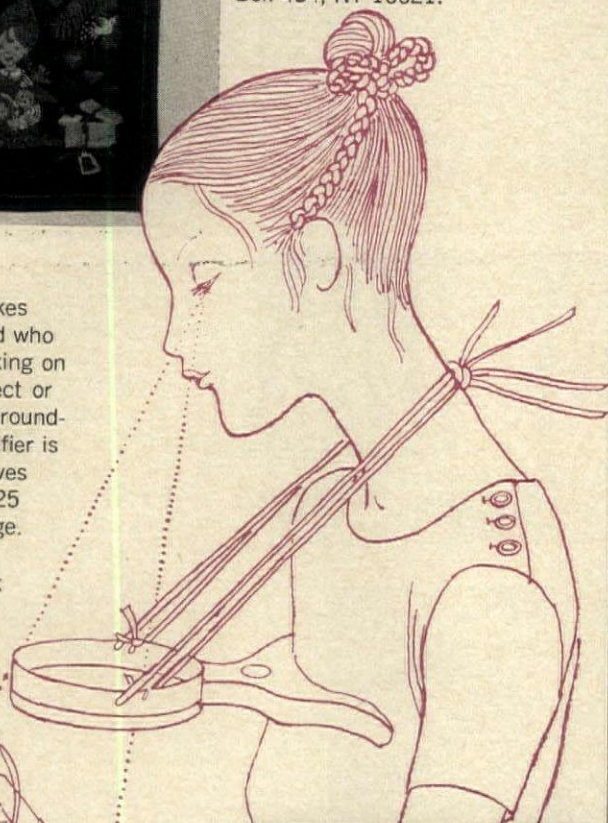
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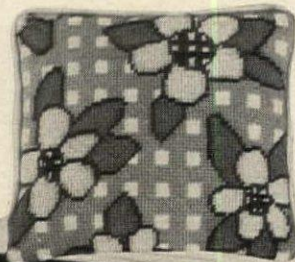
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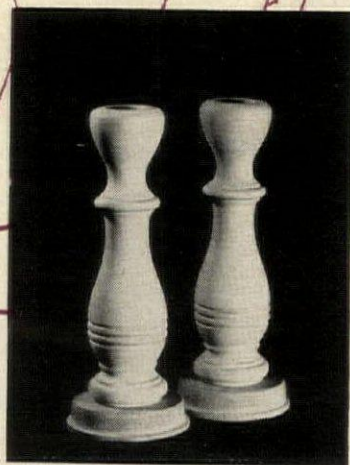
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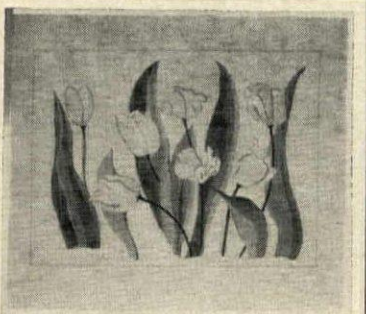
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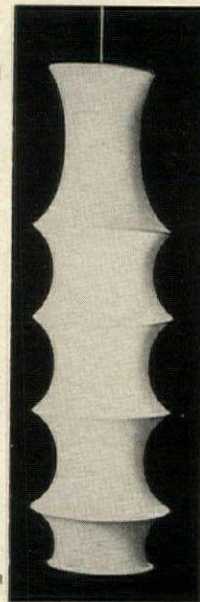
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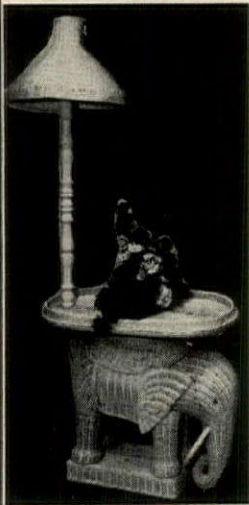


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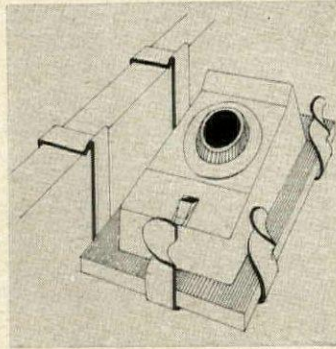
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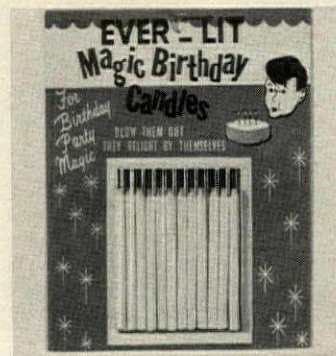
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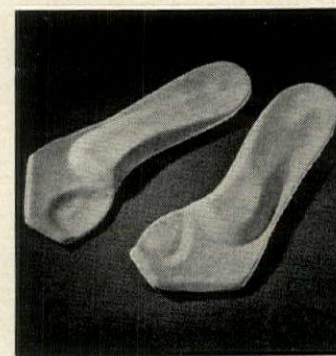
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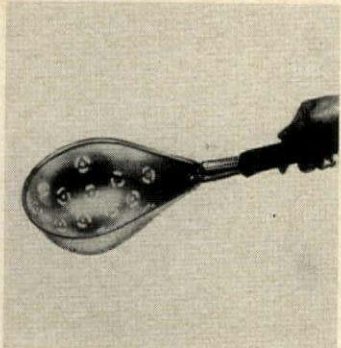
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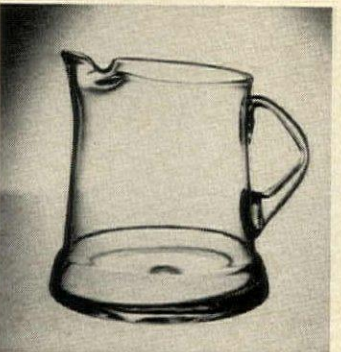
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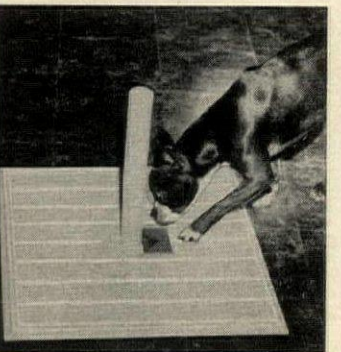
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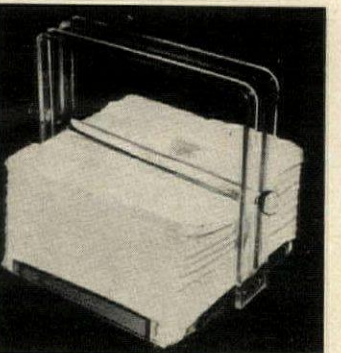
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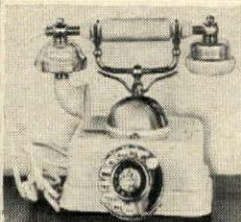
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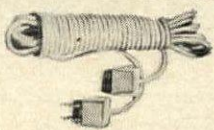
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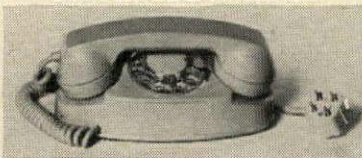
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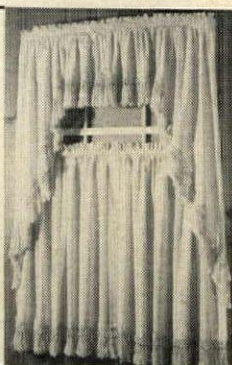
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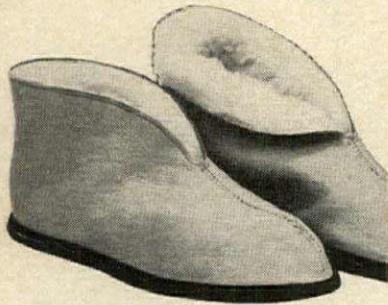




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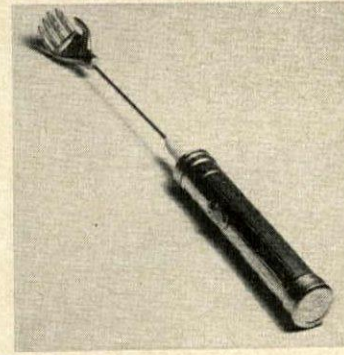
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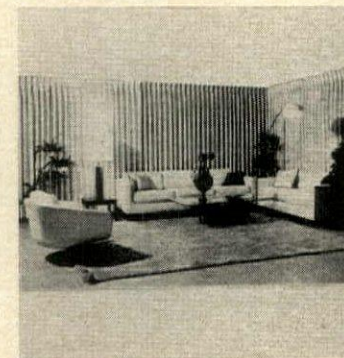
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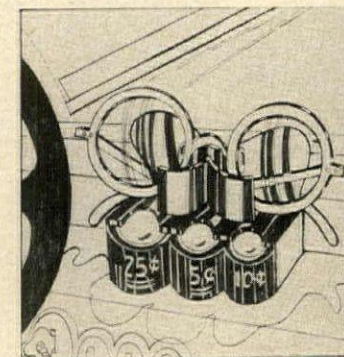
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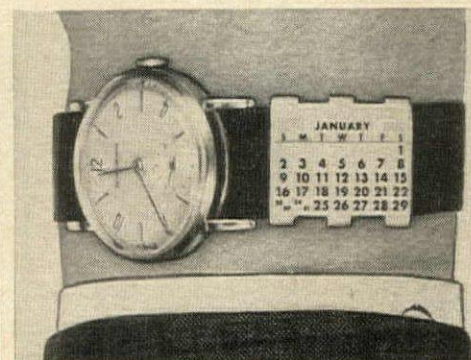
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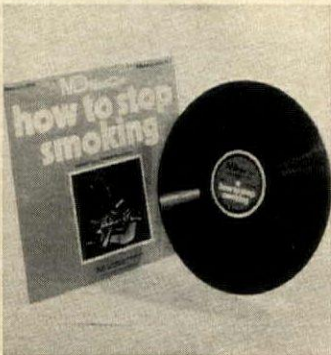
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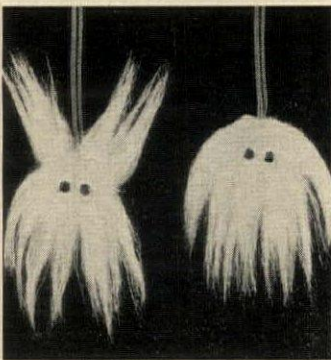
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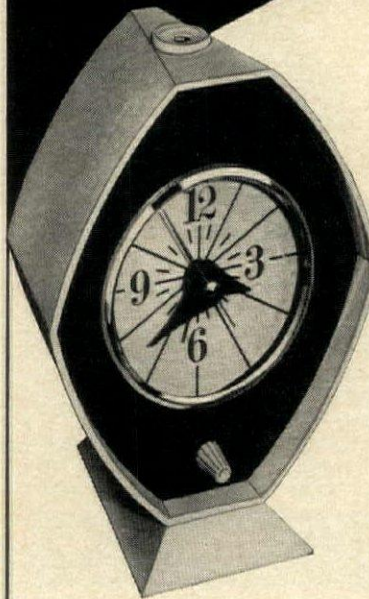
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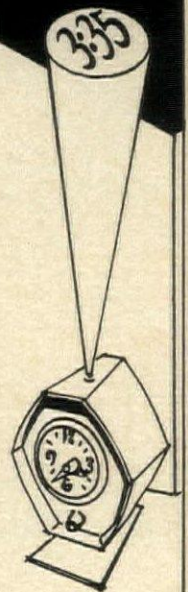
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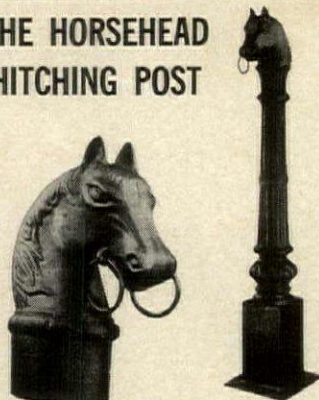
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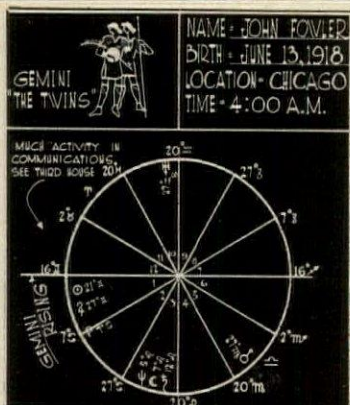
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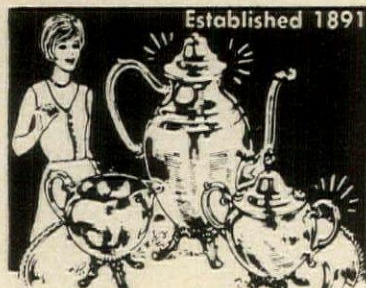


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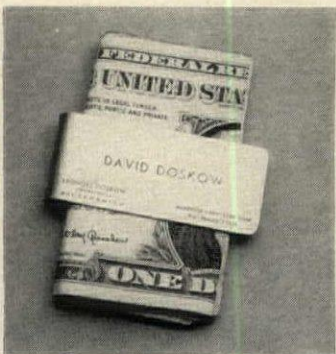


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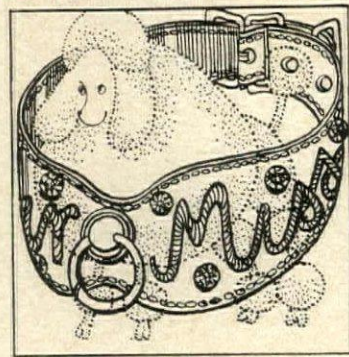
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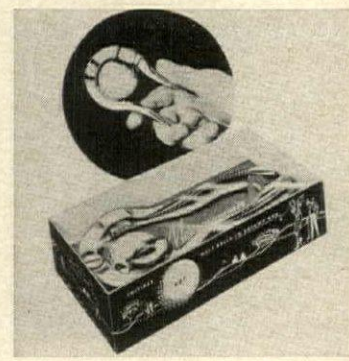
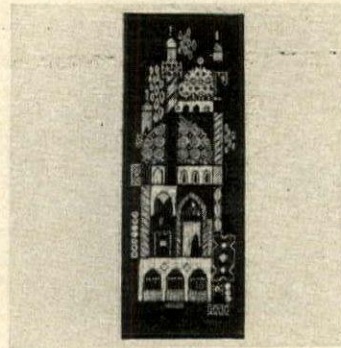


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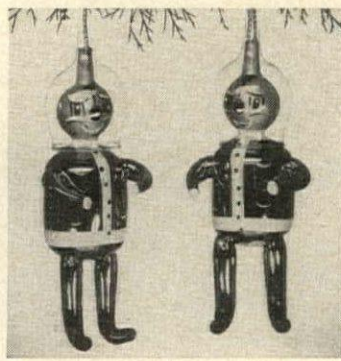
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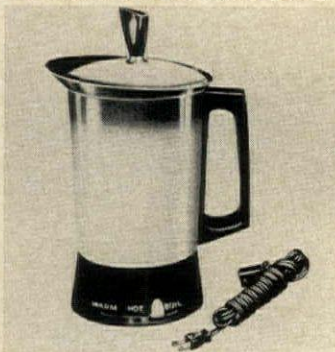
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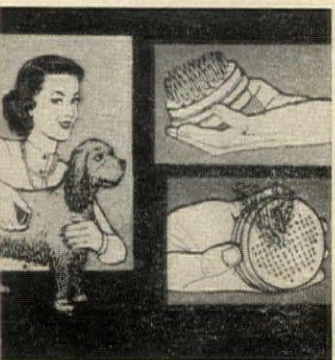
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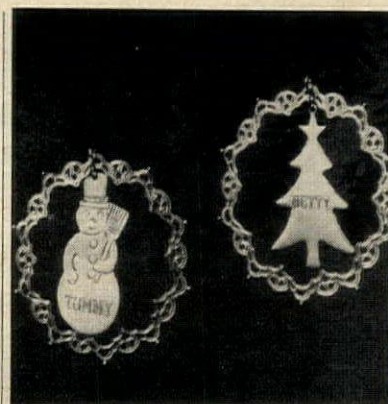
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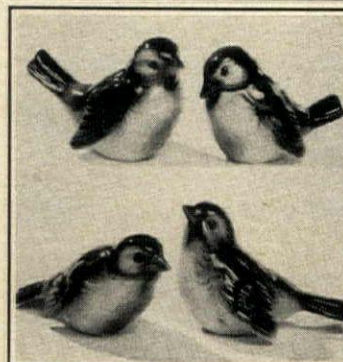
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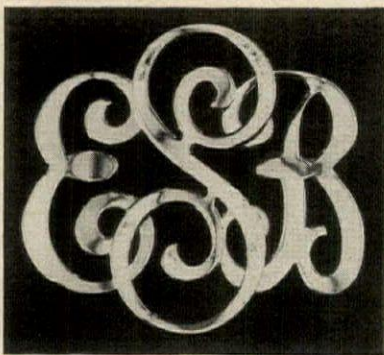
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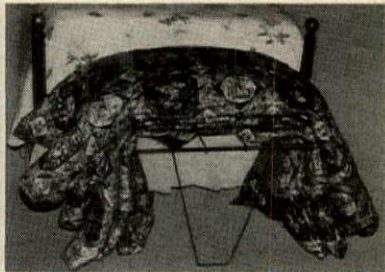
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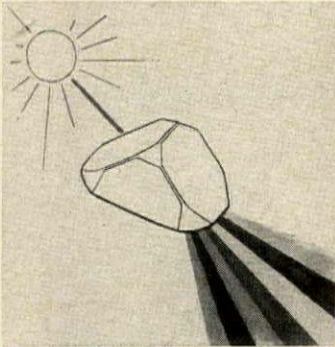
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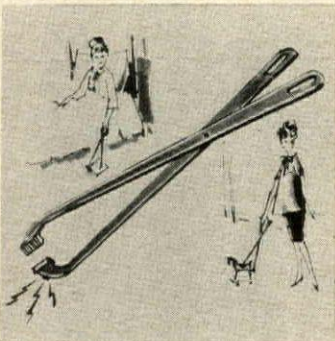
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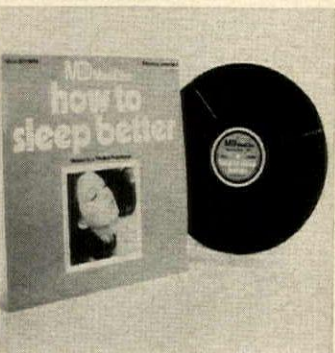
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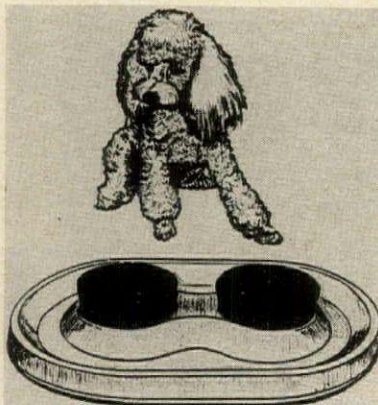
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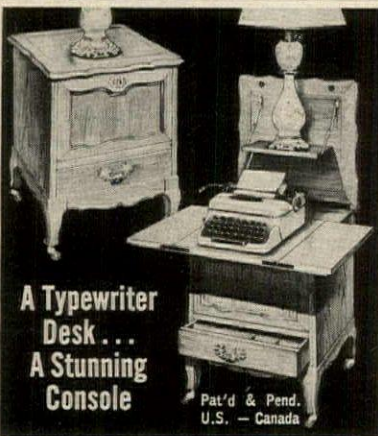
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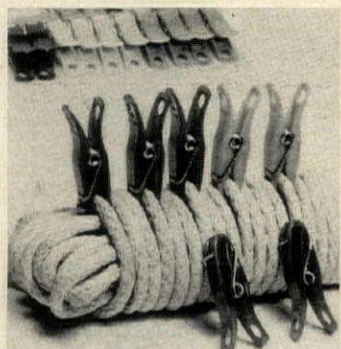
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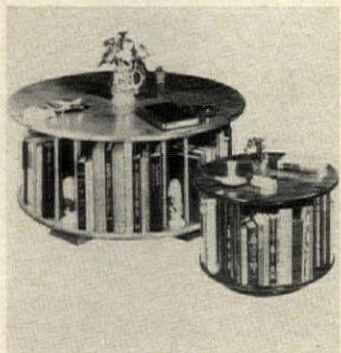
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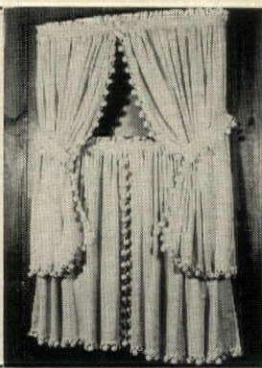
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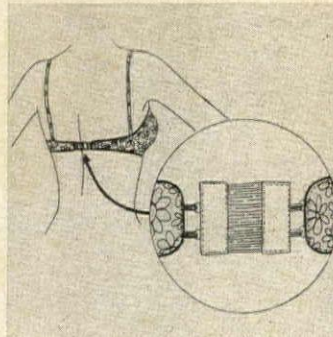


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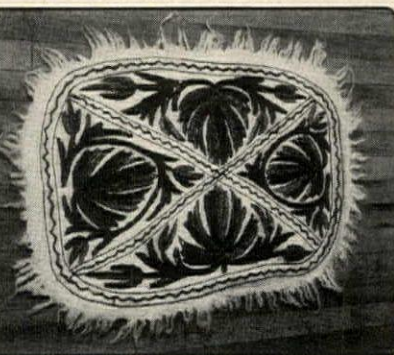
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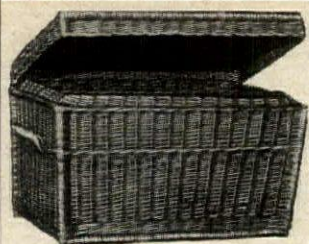


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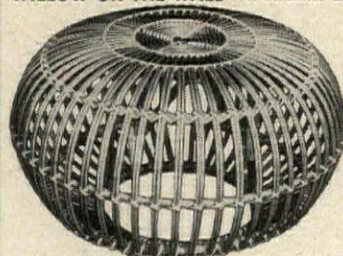
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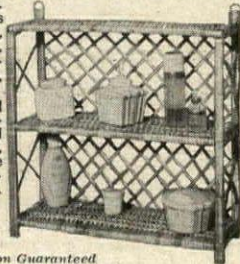
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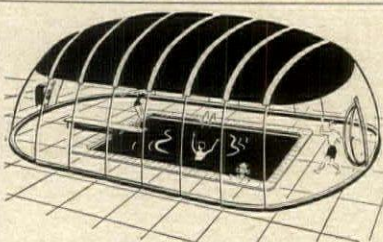
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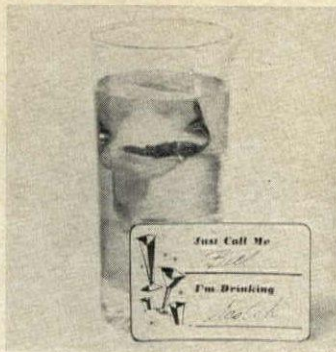
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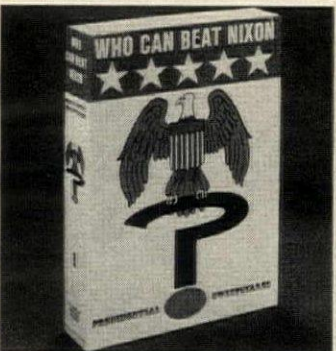
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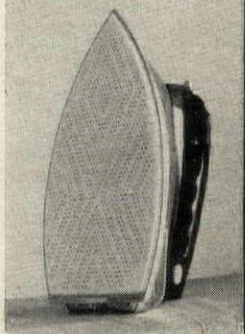
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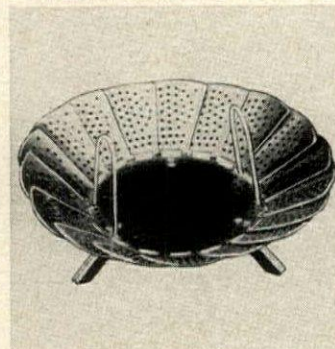
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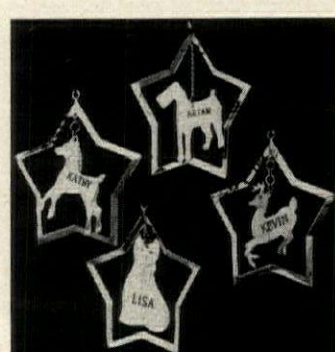
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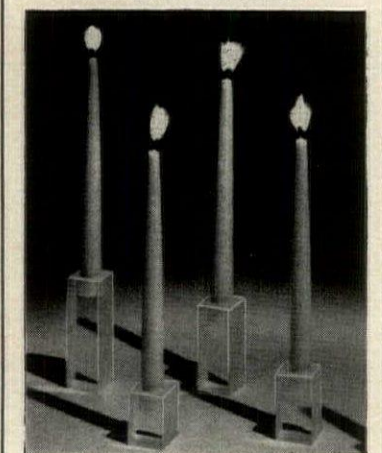


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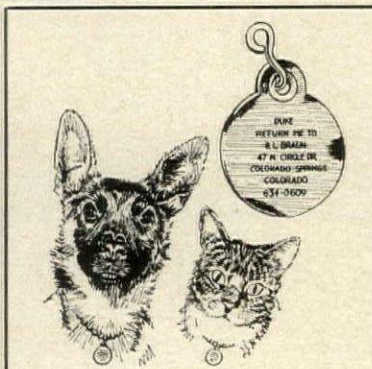
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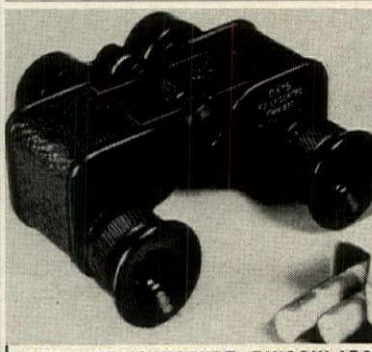
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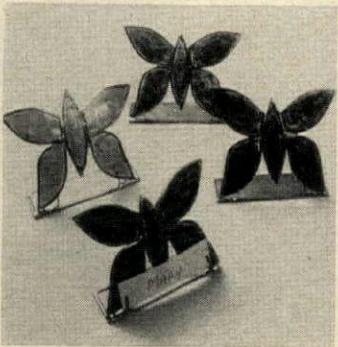
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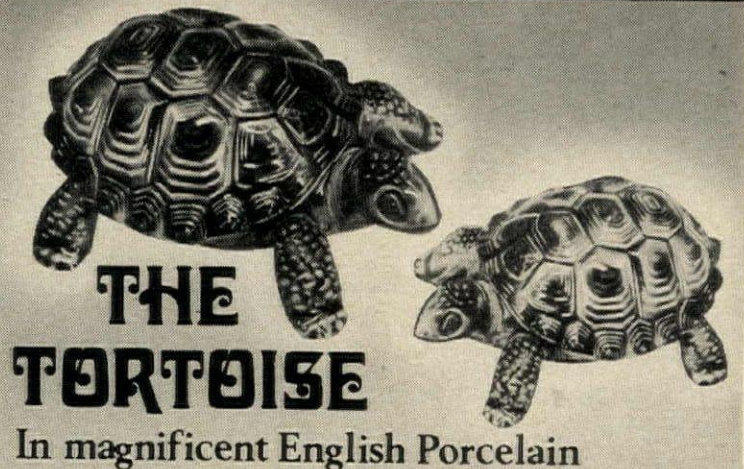
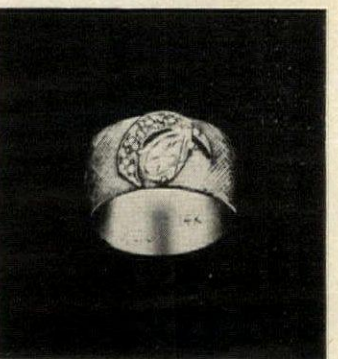
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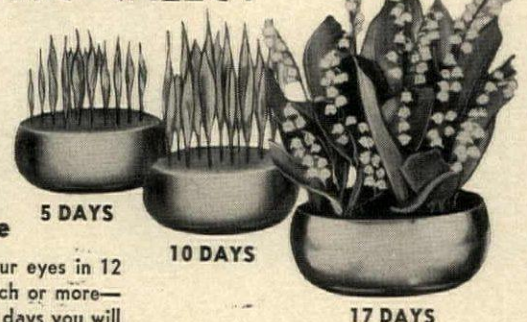
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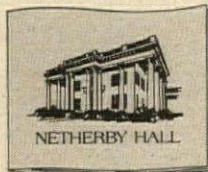
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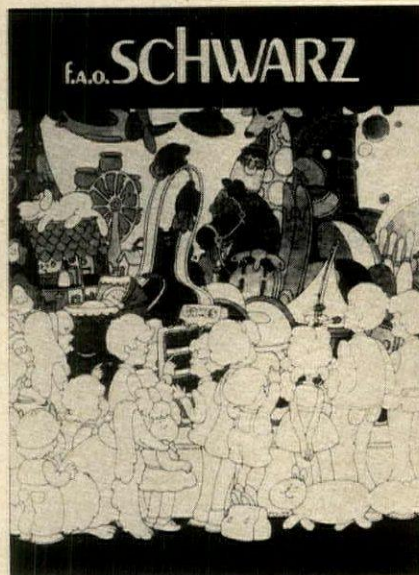
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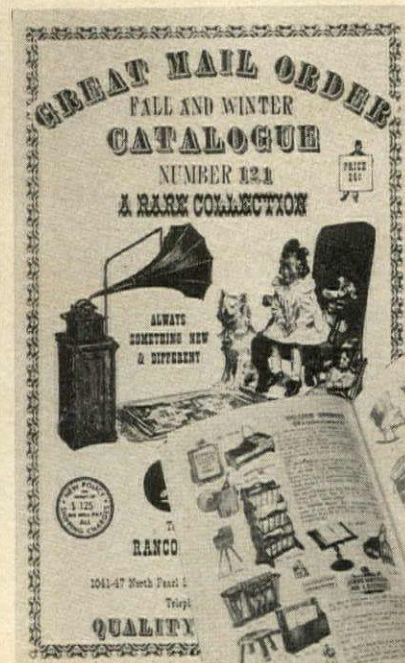


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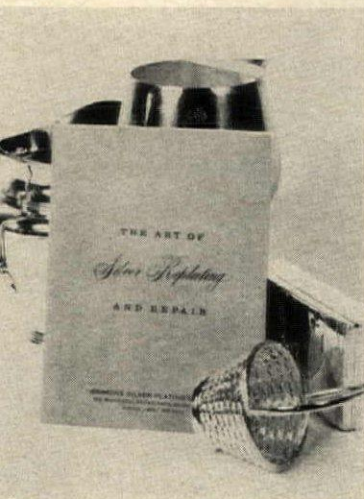
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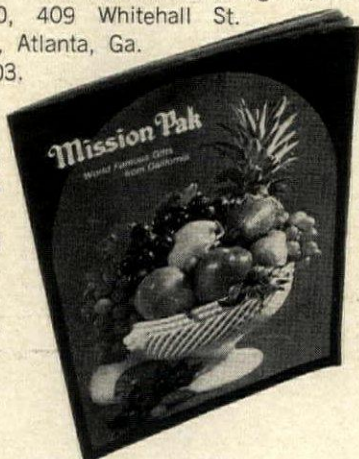
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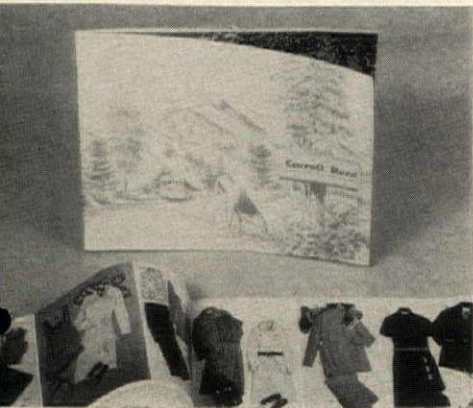
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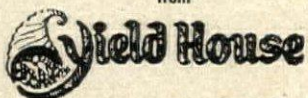
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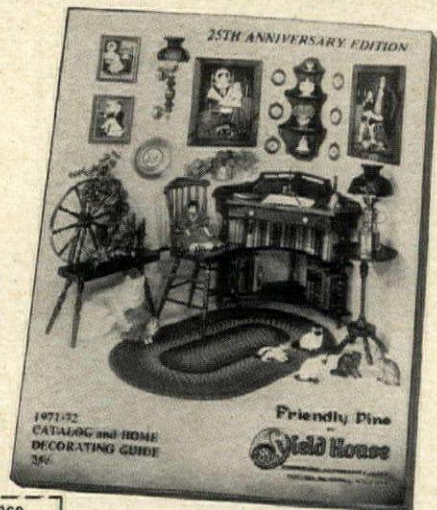
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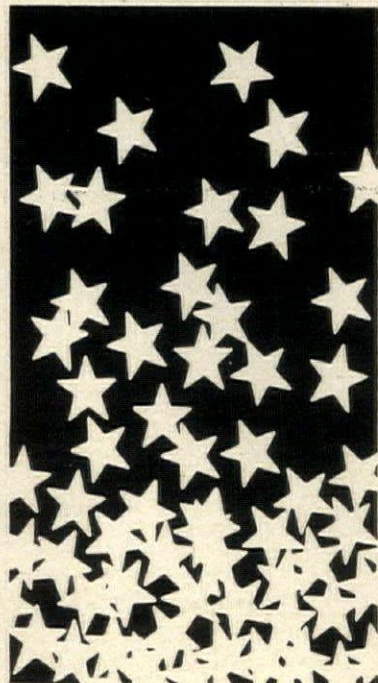


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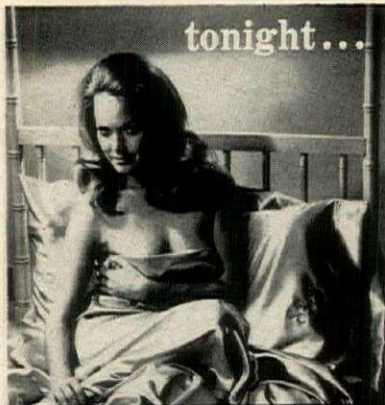
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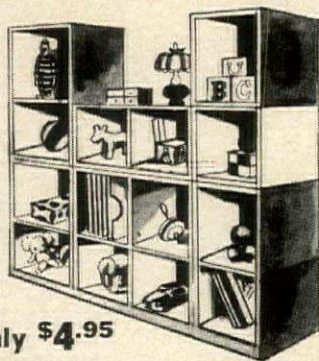
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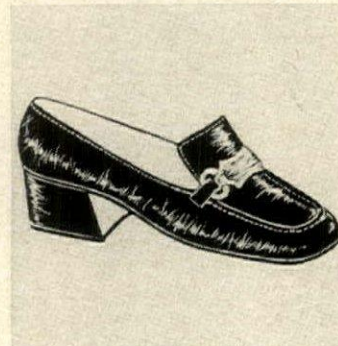
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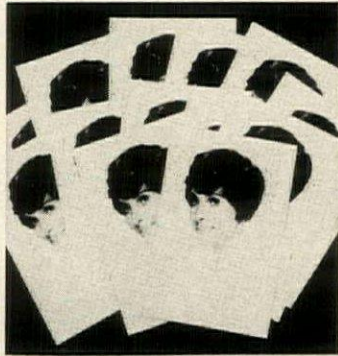


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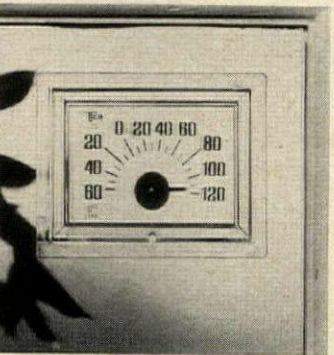
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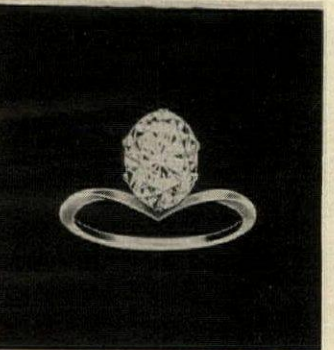
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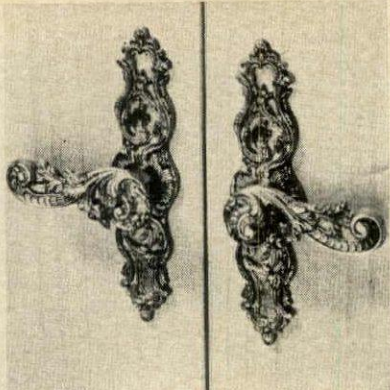
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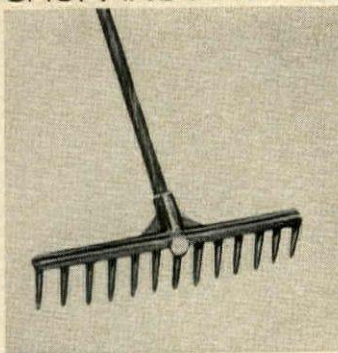
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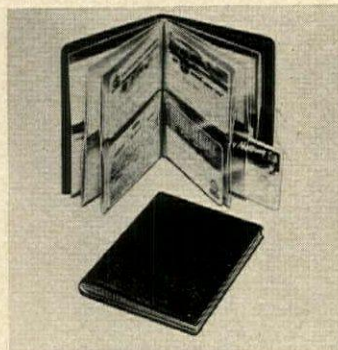
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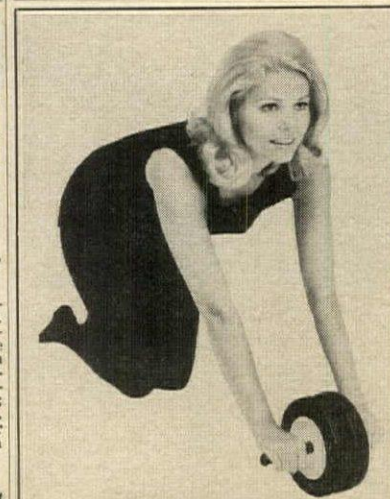
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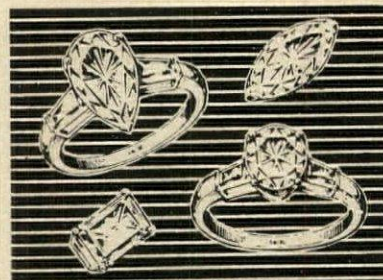
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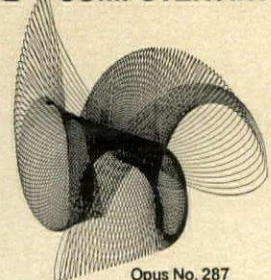
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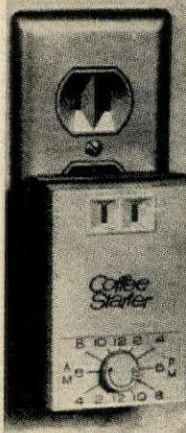
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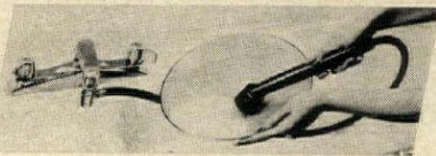
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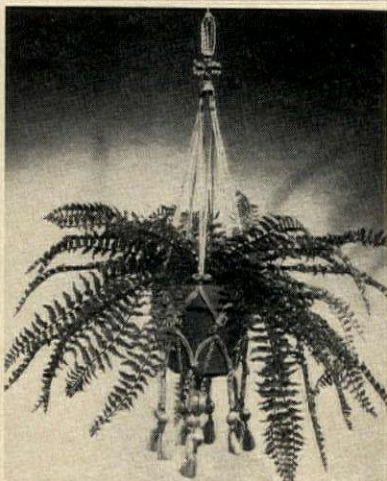
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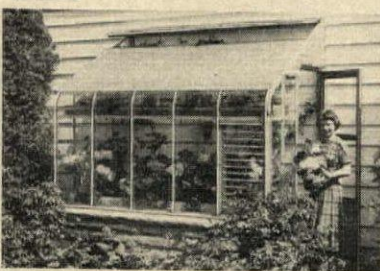
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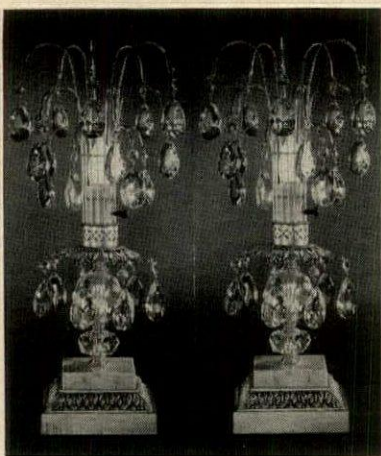
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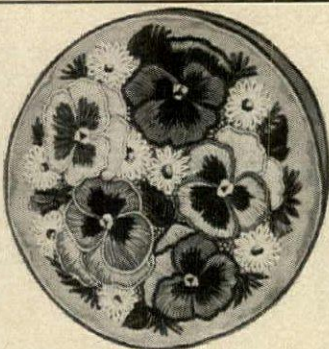


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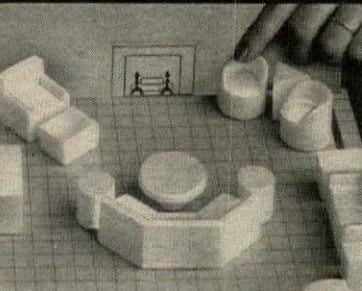


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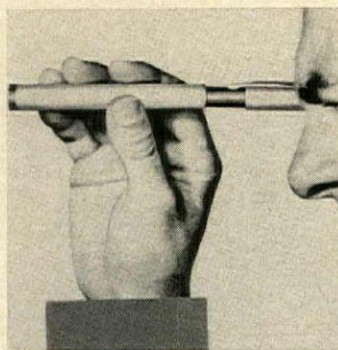
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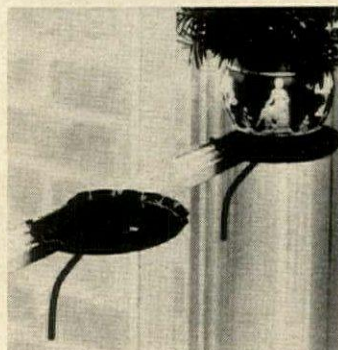
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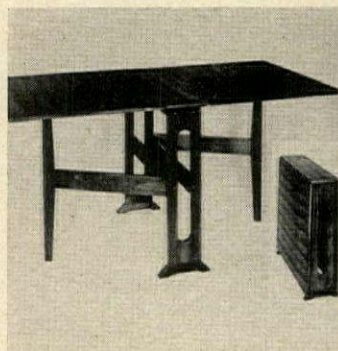
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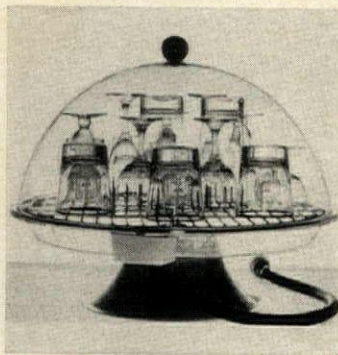
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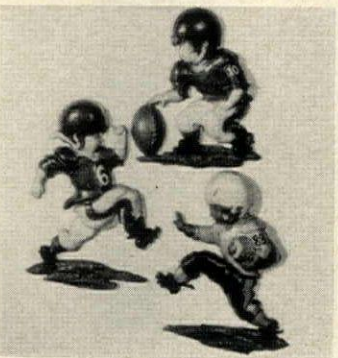
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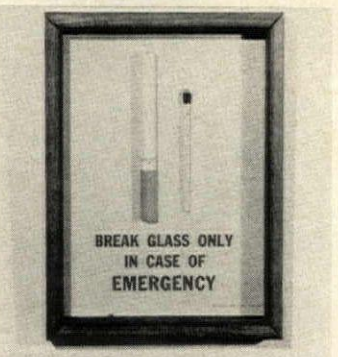
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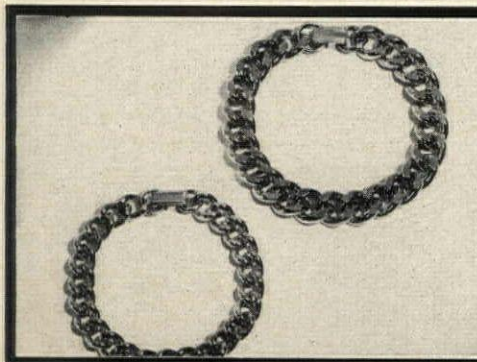
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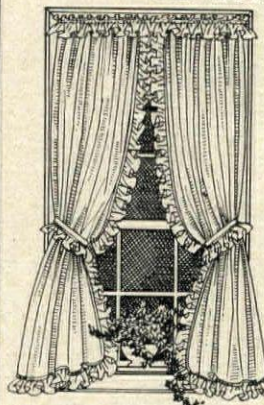
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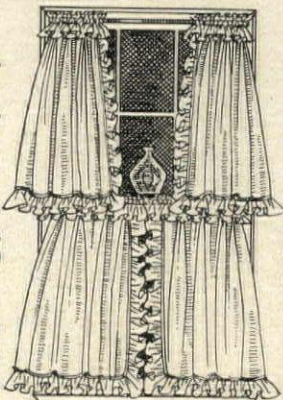
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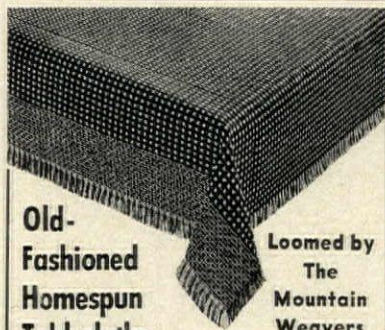
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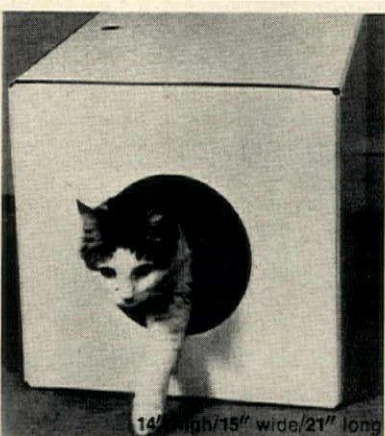
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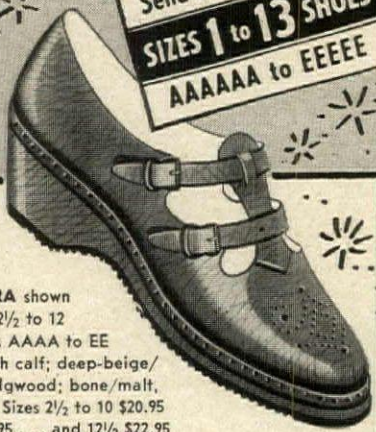
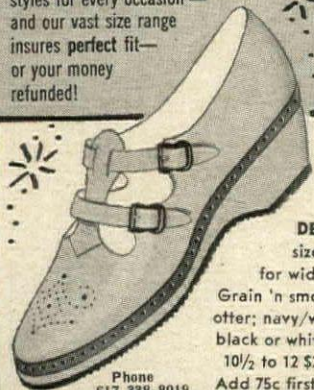
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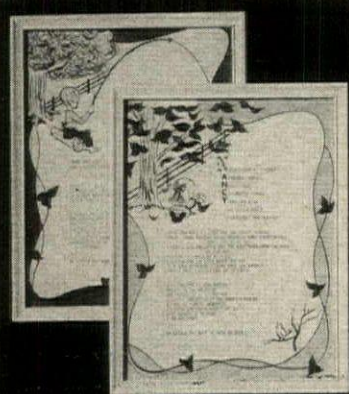
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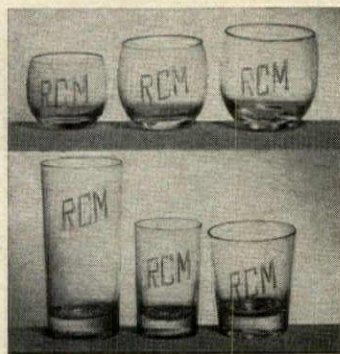
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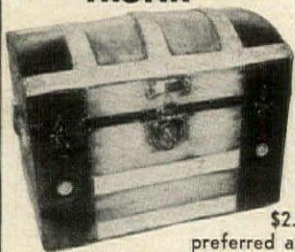
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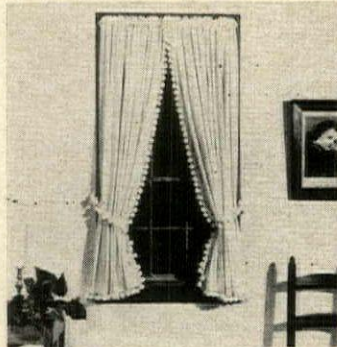
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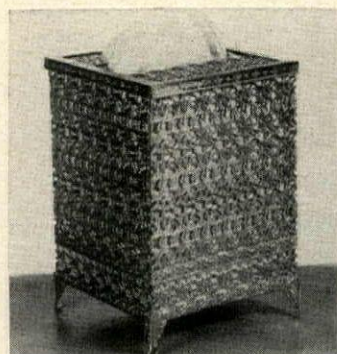
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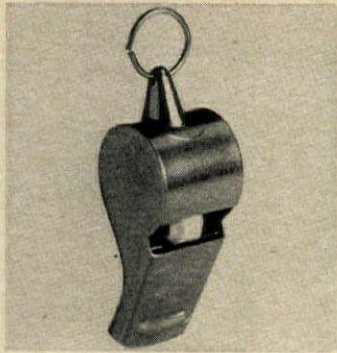
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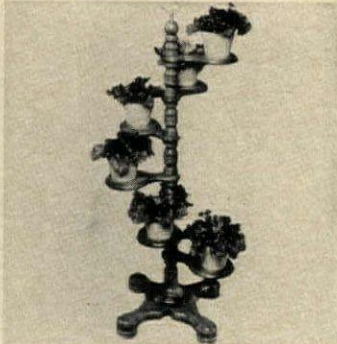
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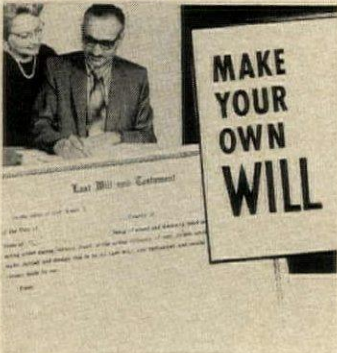
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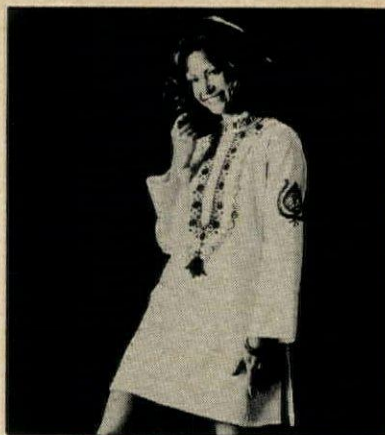
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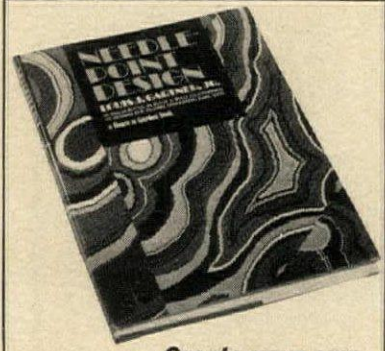


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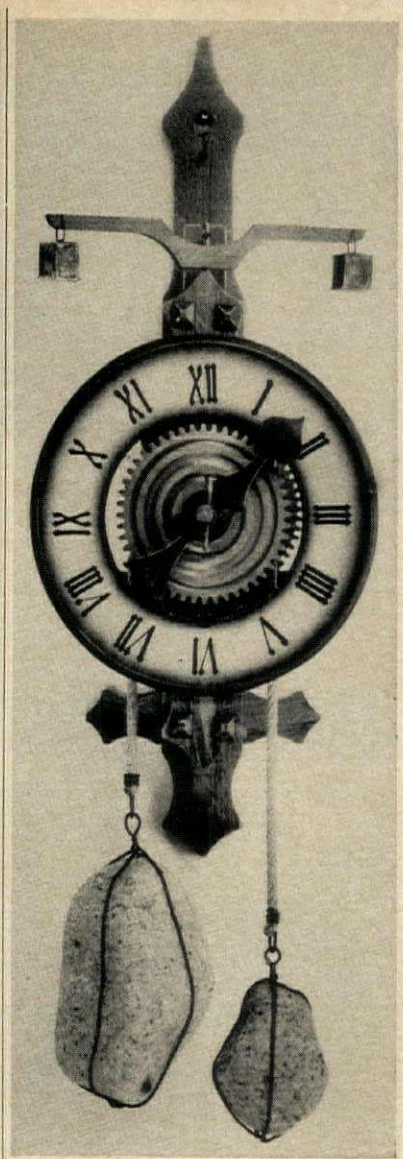
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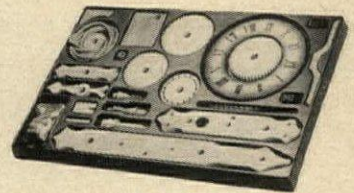


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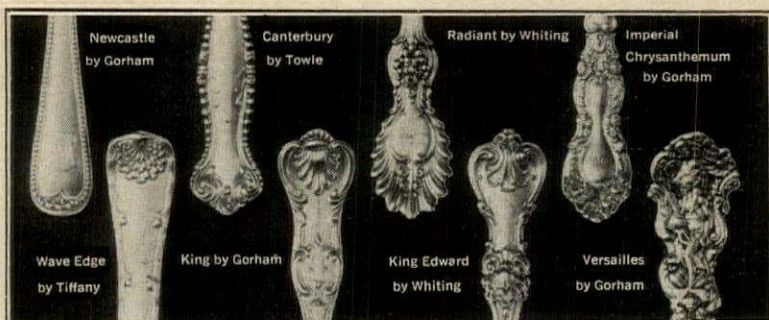
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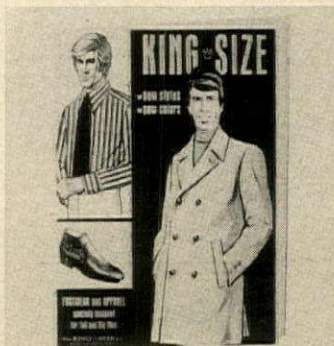
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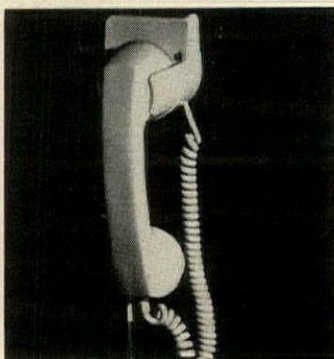
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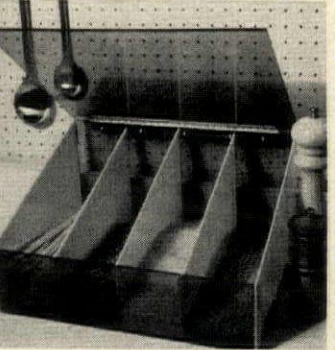
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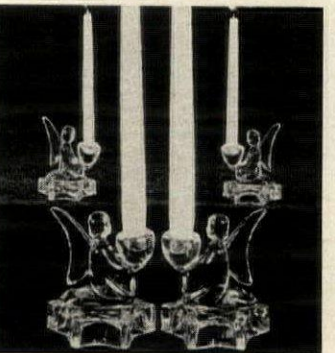
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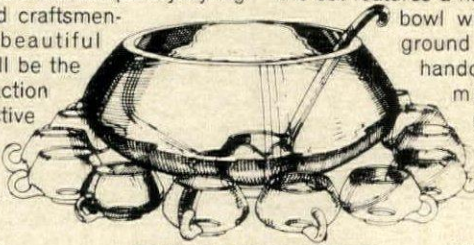
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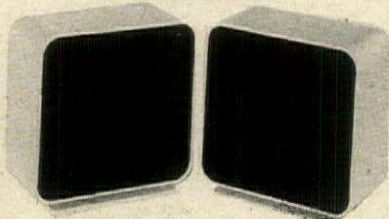
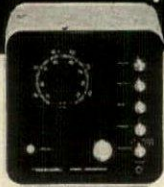
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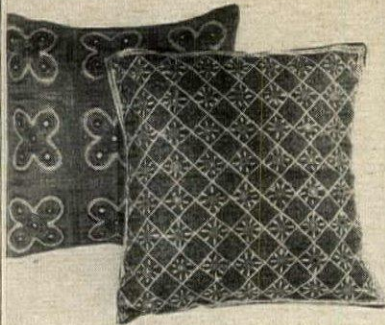
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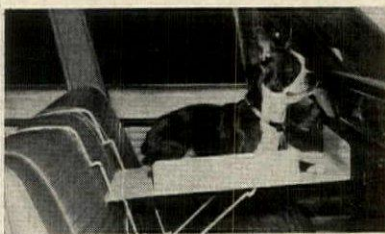
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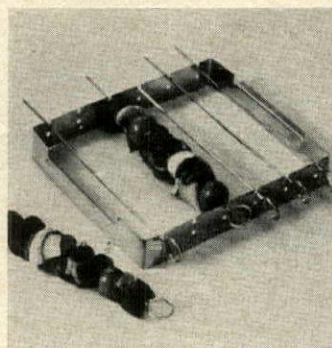
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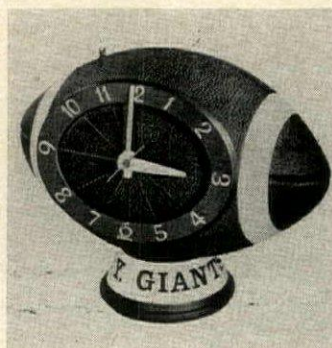
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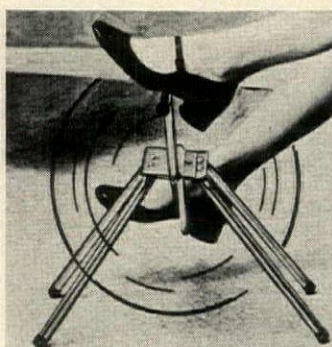
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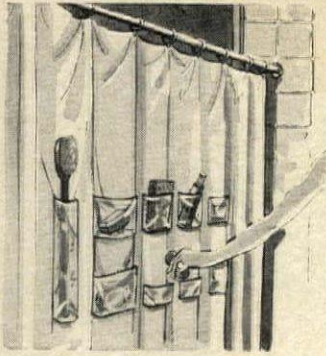
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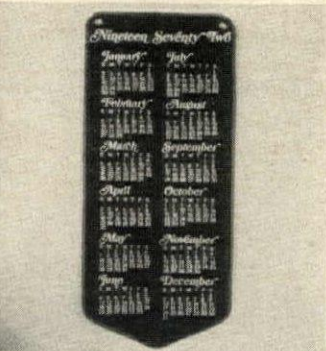
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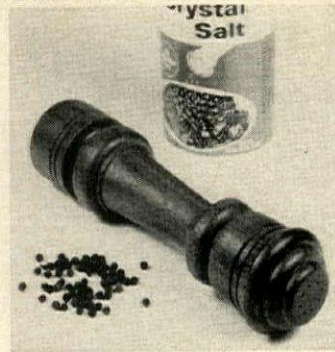
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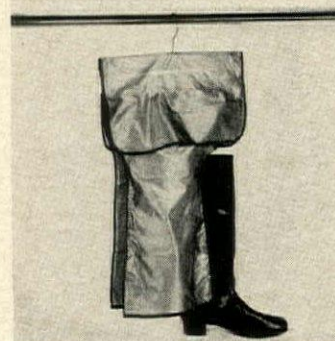
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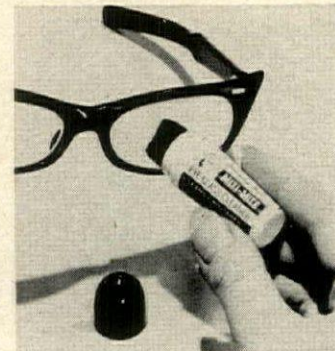
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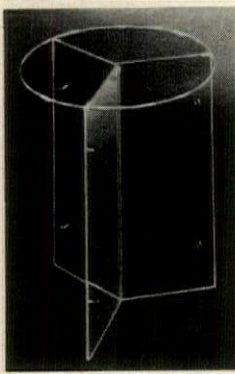
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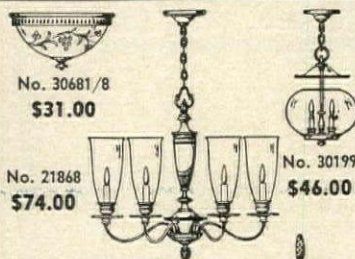
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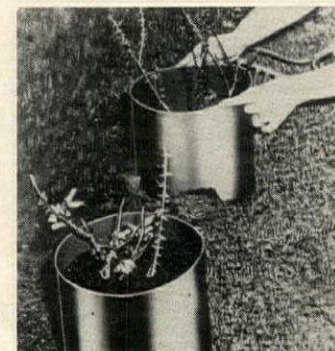
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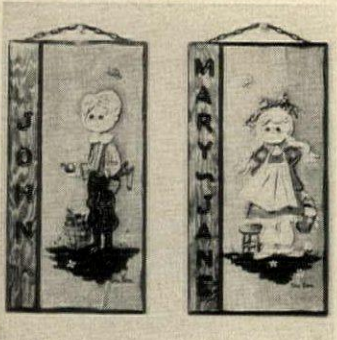
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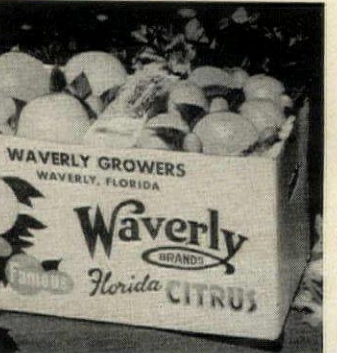
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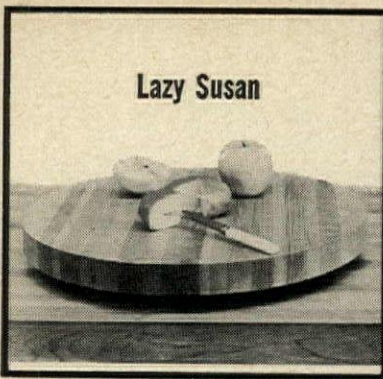


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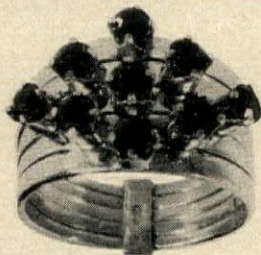
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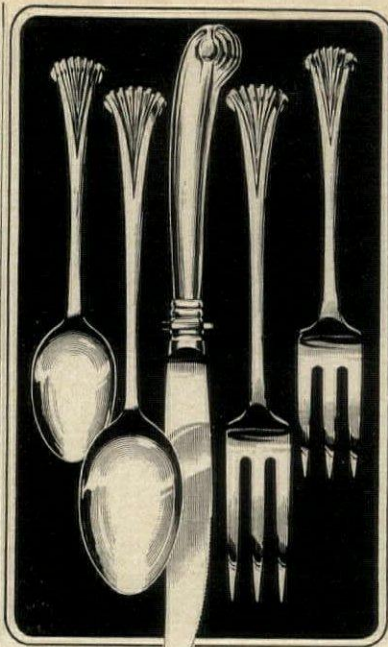
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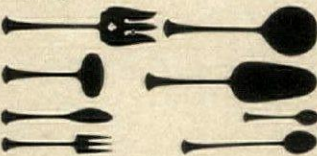
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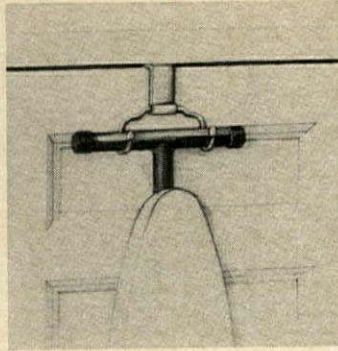
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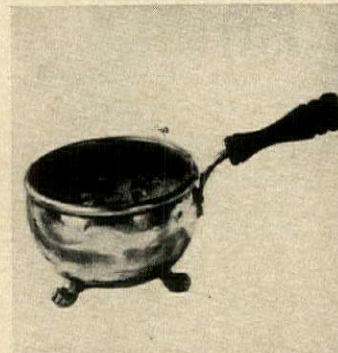
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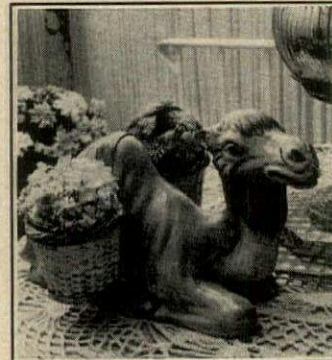
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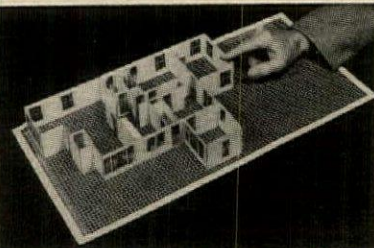
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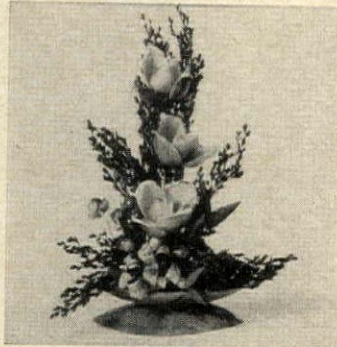
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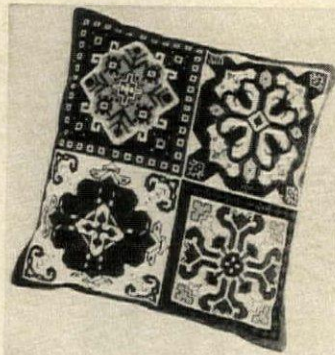
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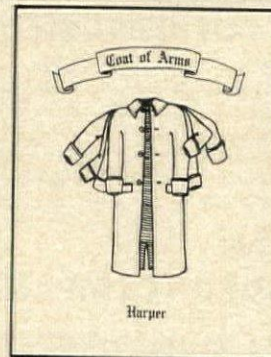
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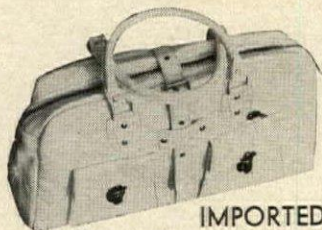
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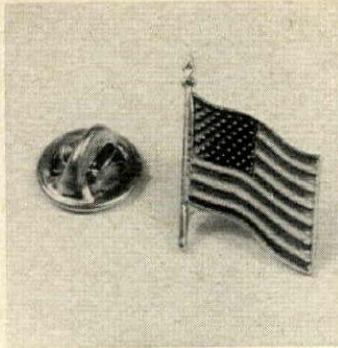
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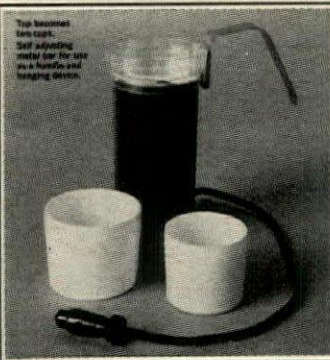
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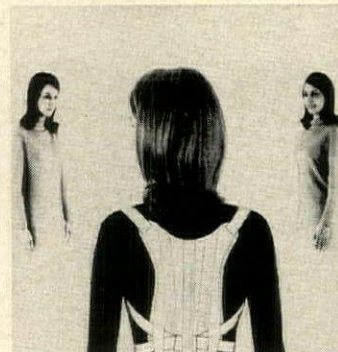
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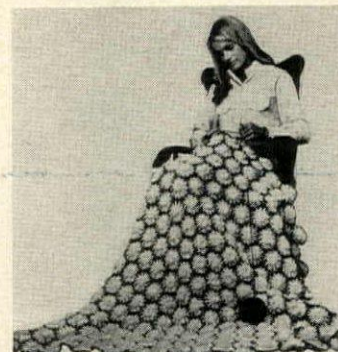
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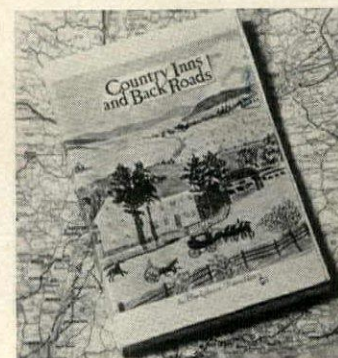
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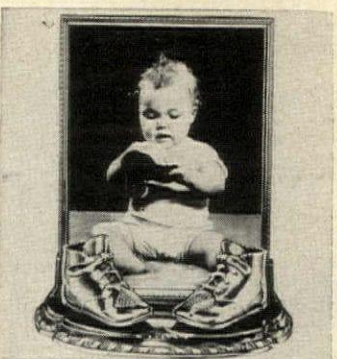
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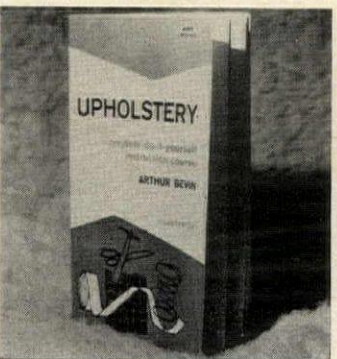
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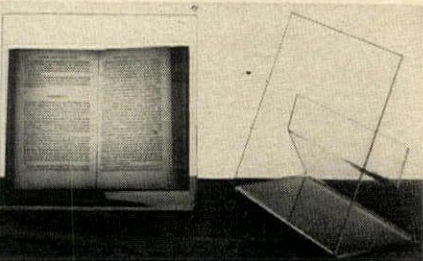
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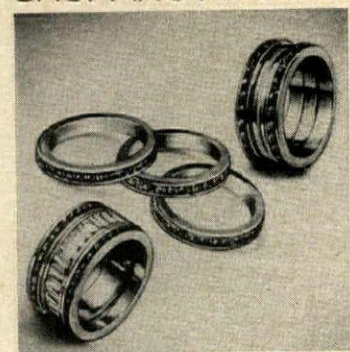
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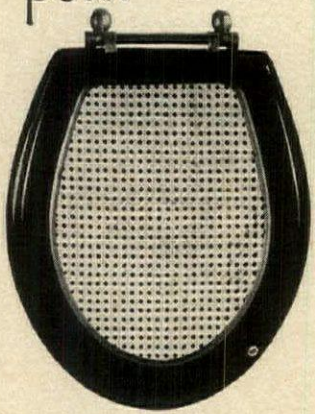


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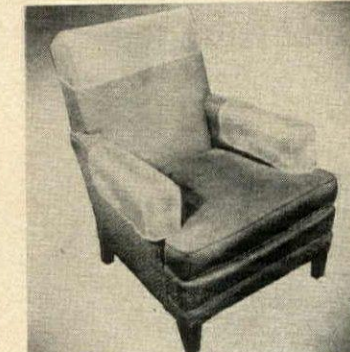
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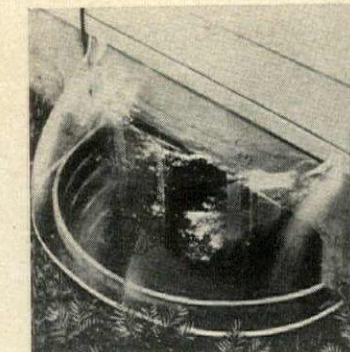


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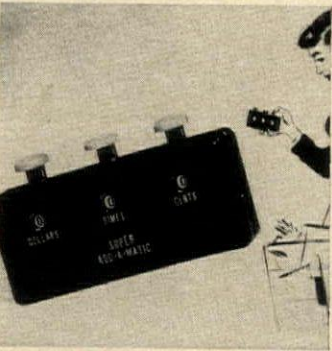
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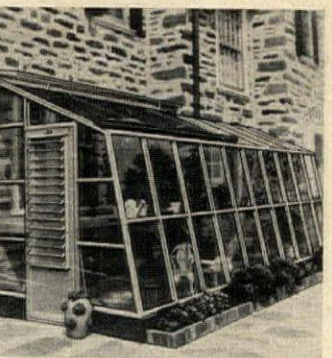
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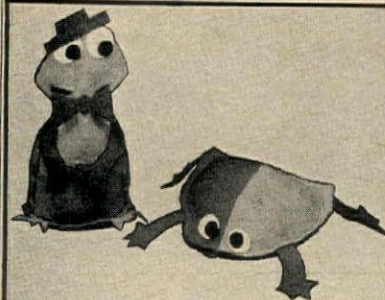
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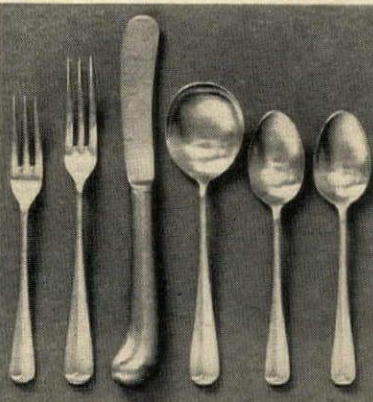
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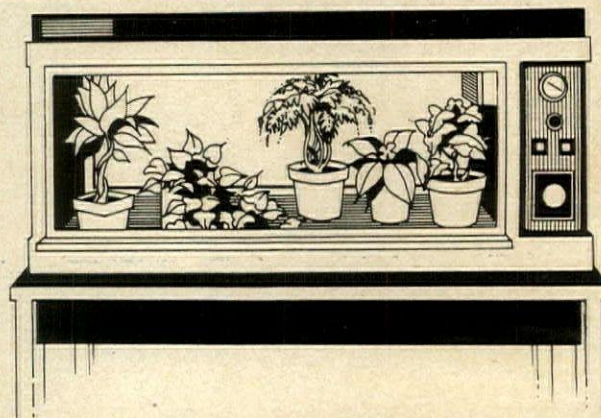
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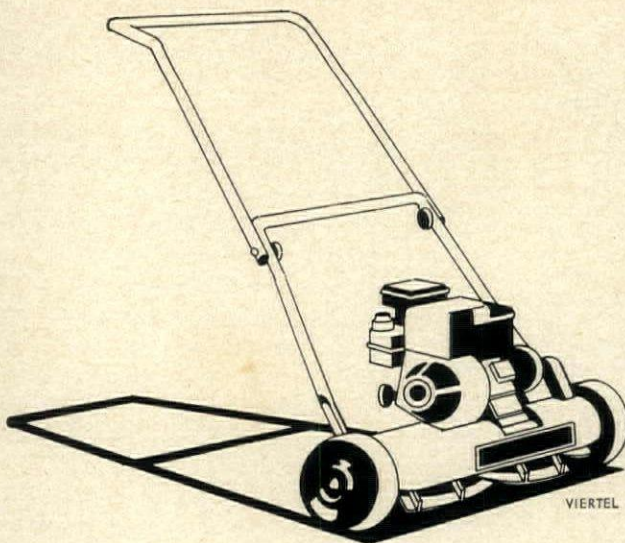
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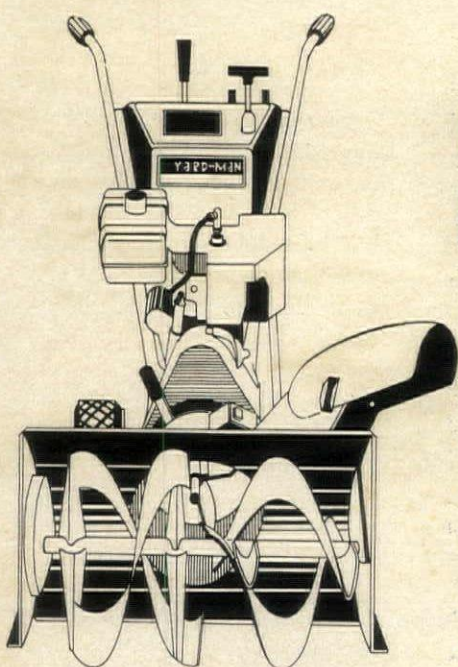
This may be because gardeners of recent years have forgotten it is one vegetable that should *not* be used when it is young and, presumably, tender. Young parsnips tend to be bitter and somewhat stringy. The old practice, and still the wise one, was to leave them where they grew, let them freeze in the snowbound soil, and wait to use them until early the following spring. Hacked out of the thawing ground, scrubbed, split lengthwise, and baked with butter and a sprinkle of brown sugar, parsnips are delectable.

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AT SUSANNA RATTAZZI'S *continued from page 117*

see, and sits and has tea or coffee or a drink, and the friend I wanted to talk to and be alone with gets nervous and leaves and rings up to say, "Do you think, Suni, it will ever be possible to sit with you and *not* have three people join us?" and I feel guilty and say "Of course, you are right, I am sorry, next time I promise it won't be that way. I will be alone." And of course I am not. I go out one evening and come home and there is my daughter half naked in the hall. "Mama," she cries, "it never stopped raining in Antigua, so we came to stay with you." Her husband walks out of the shower and we talk all night.

Or I walk in one afternoon with a very serious lawyer whom we must discuss very boring business with and the hall is covered in suitcases and clothes thrown all over the place. My son appears in a cherry-colored towel (yes, my children tend to be undressed). "What are you doing here?" "My girl friend in Argentina refuses to go to bed with me so I couldn't stand it any longer and I decided to come here." "Why won't she go to bed with you?" "Because she is Argentine and she is a virgin." "Oh, I see, are you in love with her?" "You know I am never in love. I like her. I take her out dancing. I like talking to her. But I can't stop thinking about going to bed with her and it makes me mad. Come with me, I want to go and buy her a present." So we go out and the serious lawyer thinks I am not serious at all. And the next day my other son arrives. "I forgot to get a visa," he says "that's why I am late." He wants to go to college in the States and spends whole days filling in thousands of sheets of applications. "Where did you go to school?" he yells from some part of the carpet on which he is lying. "How much income do you have? How much do you expect to spend for my college training? How many years did 'Papa' study for? Do you think I intend to get married during the next four years?" The telephone rings incessantly; we all answer from different rooms; we all start talking in Italian and finally who was calling gives up and we go on talking from one room to another on the telephone until it rings

again and we all put the receiver down and nobody answers.

And then the suitcases are there again in the hall, and the clothes plus blue jeans and leather jackets are piled up in heaps. "What's happened now?" "I am going back to Argentina; I don't care if she doesn't go to bed with me. I want to see her." "I thought you weren't in love with her?" "But what am I going to do with the presents I bought her if I don't go back?" Panties and brasieres and T-shirts and necklaces are all over the place. "I see what you mean," I say, and kiss his long fair hair, which the New York climate has standing straight up like a sugar swirl.

And the other son goes back to school. And I am alone again. And the telephone never rings and the door is shut and all my friends have gone away for the weekend and I listen to music with an empty hunger.

One day I wake up and feel depressed. My cheek under my left eye is twitching; suddenly it tightens like an eyelid in sunshine and there is nothing I can do about it except hope it will stop, suddenly, as it began. I ask Francisca to put on some music downstairs and she is sure to choose that song that makes me want to cry, that concerto that stirs inside me the longing for something that used to be happiness. The sky is yellowish, the color of saffron rice in a Swiss "buffet de la gare," the color of dust on a road in Teheran, the color of dead jellyfish lying on a beach. Why was one logical in life? Why did one try to be fair to others, to oneself? Why did one think that anything really mattered? Why did one hope that somewhere, something would change? I stare, I cannot write, I cannot read. I cannot put my coat on and go out.

Or the sun is out. The sky all sky-colored with just a fringe of very airy, very powdery white clouds. But still I am depressed. I go for a walk arm in arm with Mathias and say "Mathias, I am depressed. Don't be silly; if I knew *why* I am depressed it would be different. I wouldn't be depressed anymore." And the sun is so sparkling on the show windows and the flowers inside and Mathias buys me one artichoke that I bring home and eat,




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alone, listening to the *Magnificat* of Brahms, which Francisca has, no doubt, chosen to cheer me up.

Francisca has a mother who is my age, so she stands at the bottom of my bed or at the side of the table and talks about life with a very sound philosophy learned in Tucuman; poverty and heat and sugar plantations. Her heart is so simple and good, her way of looking at things so primitive and so convincing that finally I smile and say "Sure, Francisca, you are right. Asi es. That is the way the world should be."

Sometimes I wake up when the sun is so bright it shines its way through all the curtains in little arrows of light being shot against the ceiling and the flowers and the patterned flowers of the wall. New York is shining, the wind whistling and moaning, rushing in through the open window, trying to fill my room with blue. I look across the roofs, the terraces, the people in the houses,

on the streets; across the forever of life. I induce Francisca into putting on a beautiful record full of romantic Italian songs; I drink my tea, I dream, I write inside my head what I will write at my table in the next half day. I look out of the window at a row of pink clouds visiting Manhattan; I fall in love with the sky; I fall in love with a man I have never met; I fall in love with a man I know too well. The world is dancing like the flames in the fireplace, like the light beyond the windows, like the fire in my heart.

The telephone rings, it is a lady, "You wanted a penthouse last year, would you like to buy it now?" "No, thank you, no!" Not another penthouse.

This is where I would like to die one afternoon, looking at the sky just before the sun begins to set, listening to a violin concerto, expecting a telephone call, not knowing how I am going to spend the evening.

BUILDING FACTS *continued from page 149*

Roof: Barrett built-up roofing system—layers of bituminous-coated building paper by Celotex Corp. topped with gravel.

Insulation: In walls, 3½-inch-thick glass fiber batts; on roof, 2-inch-thick rigid insulating board by Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp.

Windows: Fixed glass panels; "Arcadia" anodized aluminum frame sliding glass windows by Northrop Architectural Systems with insulating glass.

Skylight: "Wasco" by American Cyanamid Co.

Doors: 1¾-inch-thick, solid core by U. S. Plywood-Champion Papers, Inc.

Garage doors: "Ro-Way" doors by Rowe Mfg. Co.

INTERIOR OF HOUSE

Walls and ceilings: Gypsum wall-board "dry wall" by U.S. Gypsum. **Interior finish:** Walls painted "seed pearl" white by Pratt & Lambert, Inc. Ceilings (2-inch Douglas fir tongue and groove decking, supported by exposed 3-by-12-inch fir rafters) all in natural stain by Samuel Cabot, Inc.

Floors: In entrance gallery, kitchen, and bathrooms, slate by Domestic Marble Corp.; carpet in all other rooms.

Lighting fixtures: Cylindrical ceiling downlights by Lightolier, Inc. with "Luxtrol" controls by Superior Electric Co.

Fireplace: Stucco on concrete block. Damper by Donley Brothers Co.

Hardware: Stainless steel from Elmer T. Hebert Corp.

Kitchen cabinets: St. Charles Mfg. Co.

Cabinet countertops: Formica by American Cyanamid Co. and stainless steel.

Plumbing fixtures: In kitchen, double stainless sink by Elkay Mfg. Co. In bathrooms, fixtures by American-Standard.

MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT AND APPLIANCES

Appliances: Ovens and range by Thermador Div. of Norris Industries; refrigerator and freezer by Revco, Inc.; "KitchenAid" dishwasher by The Hobart Mfg. Co.; "Trade Wind" by Norris Industries. Laundry washer and dryer by General Electric Co.

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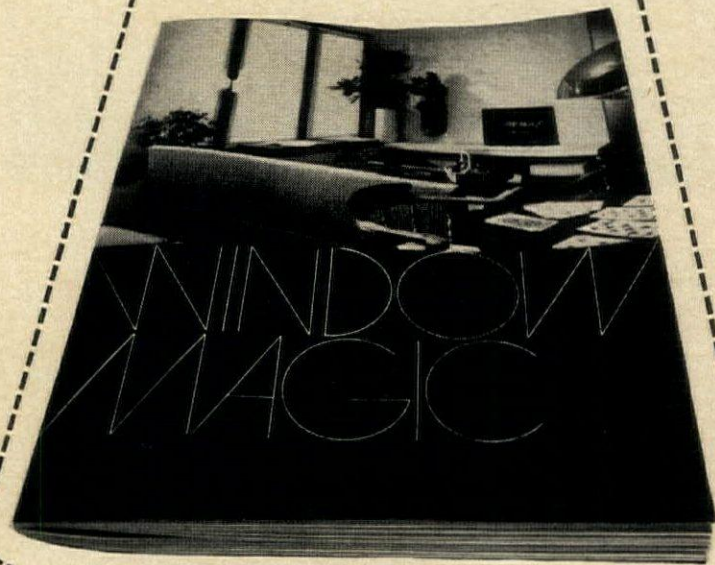
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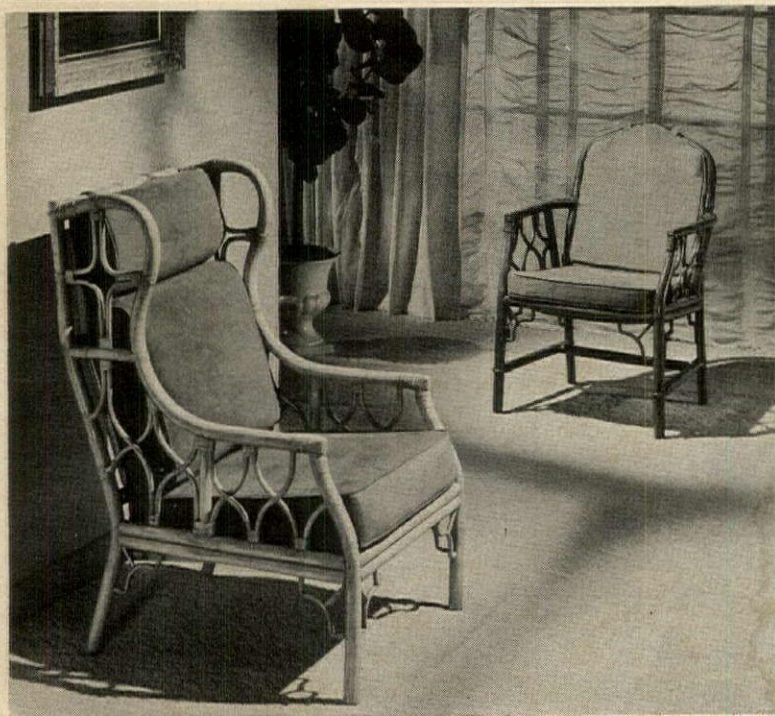
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somehow achieving some individuality and some roots. People are giving up lots of rooms, they'll sleep, eat, live, and work in one space, rather than have cubicles that are too constricting. They want a sense of freedom within doors. Because most of our modern housing is bland, innocuous and plain beyond belief, with no interest in it or excitement of spaces, the things that go in it are going to be what make it have any character at all. Textures are important. They hardly exist in architecture now that we have smooth plaster and smooth glass and smooth floors. The texture has to be brought in through furnishings, wall and floor coverings.

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SCHWARTZ: It seems to me that time is one of those things we've used badly because we don't understand what it is. We try to use all our time to get something or somewhere. People are revolting against the Monday to Friday job from nine until five. Because the truth of the matter is—and Orientals know and mystics know—that quite often to use time effectively, you get more by just sitting still. And this is what so many people are starting to realize—that time is one

of the rituals that guides what we do. And this is why young people are getting into nature, plants, growing their own food. They appreciate the fact there is a unity in all things and a better way to receive information than through the conventional sense. The most effective use of time might be just to ignore it, and to say to yourself I will not oppress myself, I will not get depressed by the fact that I'm not doing anything at the moment. All intense creativity has to do with intense involvement and intense withdrawal.

If we see withdrawal as a way of not getting caught up in time and its demands on us, then we might start to get hold of new levels of creativity.

And that would be terribly exciting. One of the most incredible by-products of going to the moon is that picture of earth floating all alone in space. I think this changed everybody's view. We suddenly saw that there was this sphere, and we are all hanging on to the side of it, and now we have to mother it. I think this marked the beginning of the ecological revolution. We're all on spaceship earth, searching for new meaning and new ritual. We must attempt to find I-thou relationships, not let ourselves be structured in a competitive situation for goods or for work or labor, but share the pleasures of being each other to the fullest.

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