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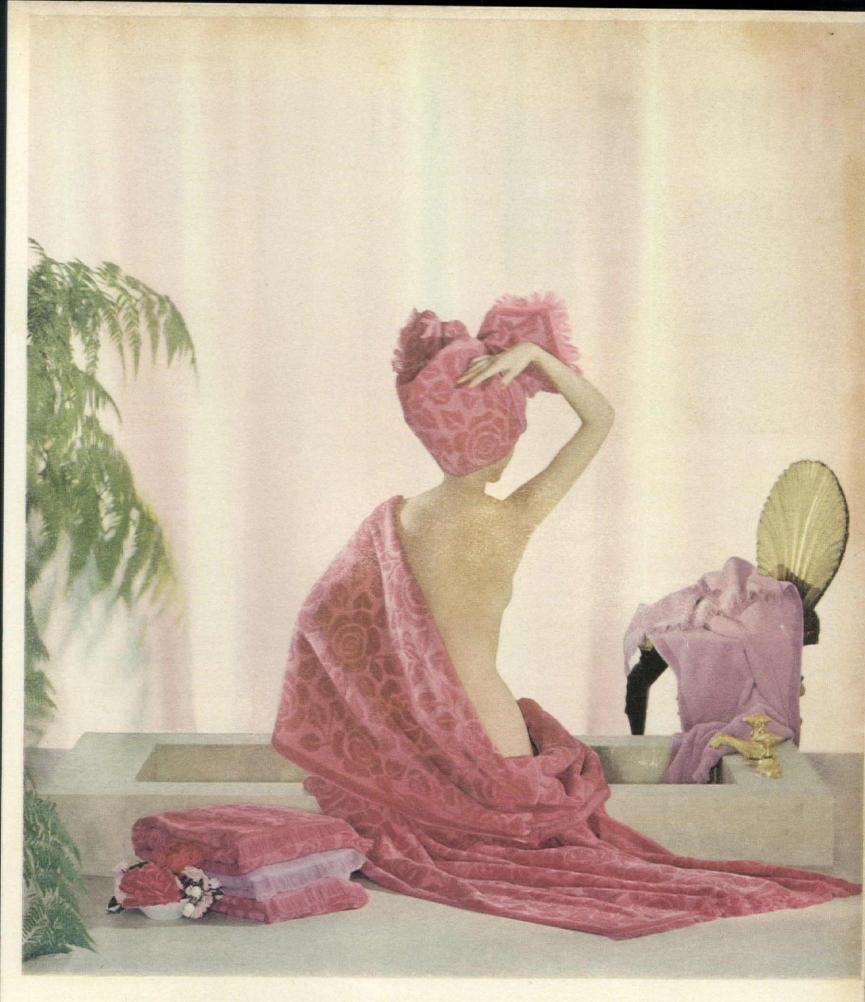
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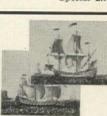
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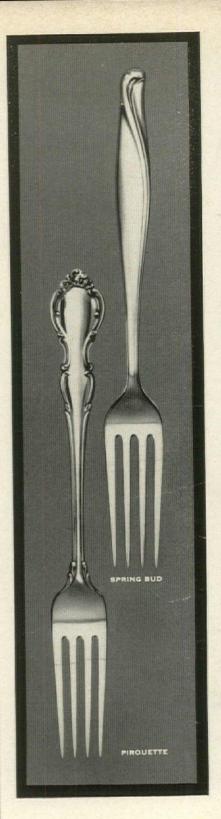
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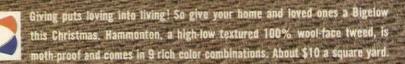
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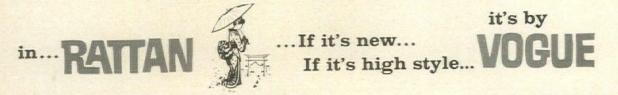
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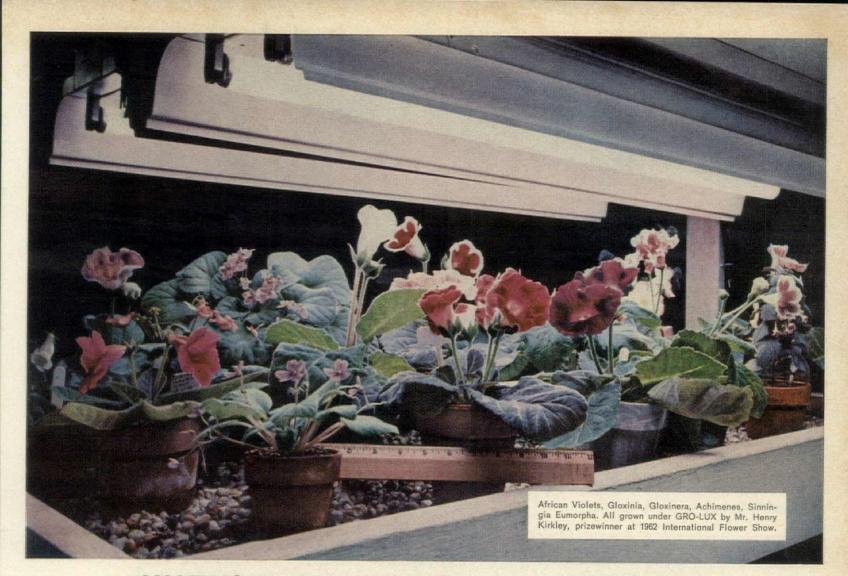
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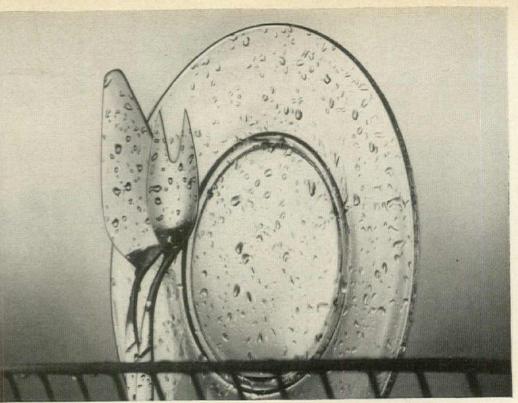
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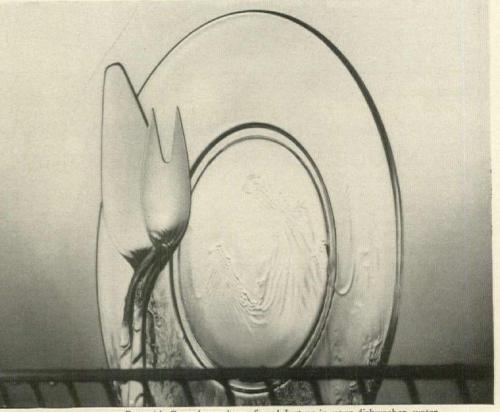


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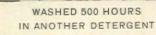


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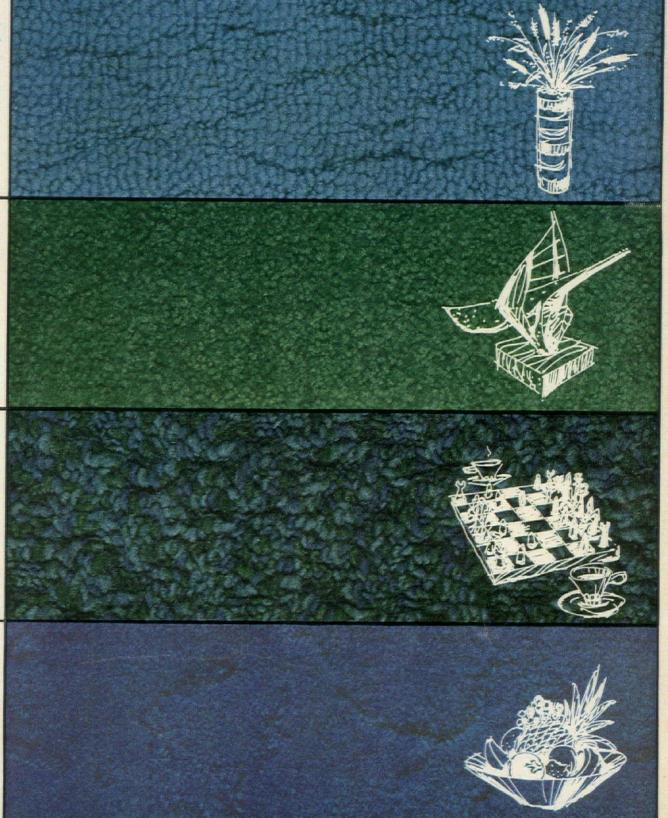
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I believe your china is what collectors call Vieux Paris. It was made between 1825 and 1860 by the small porcelain manufacturers of Paris, who often decorated with landscape vignettes.



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CYLINDER FRONT DESK

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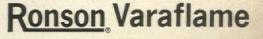
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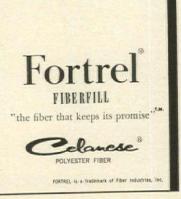
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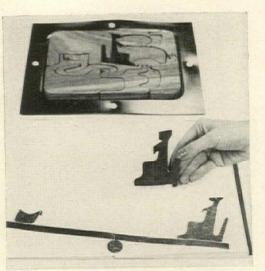
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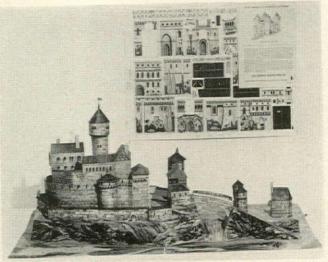


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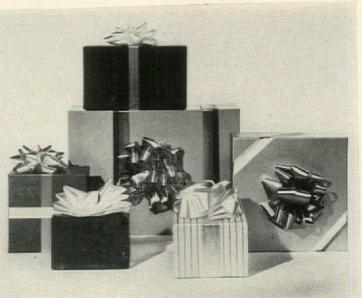


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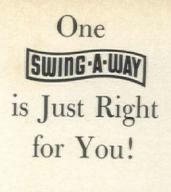


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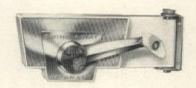
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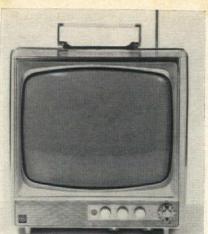


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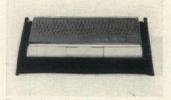
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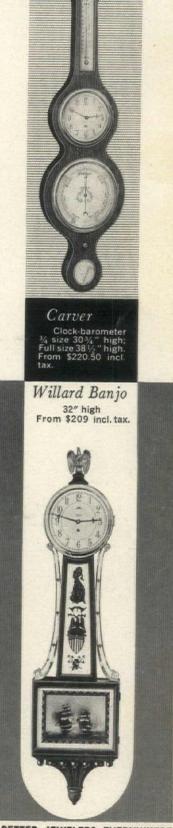


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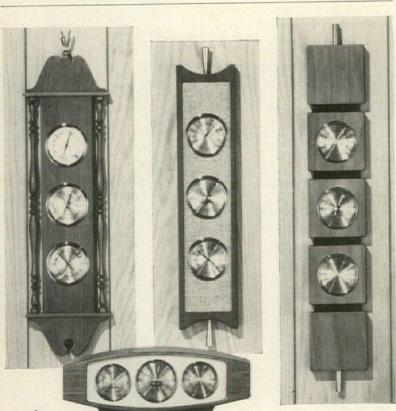
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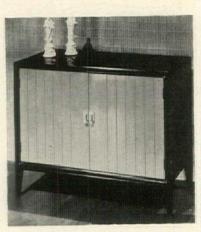
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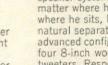


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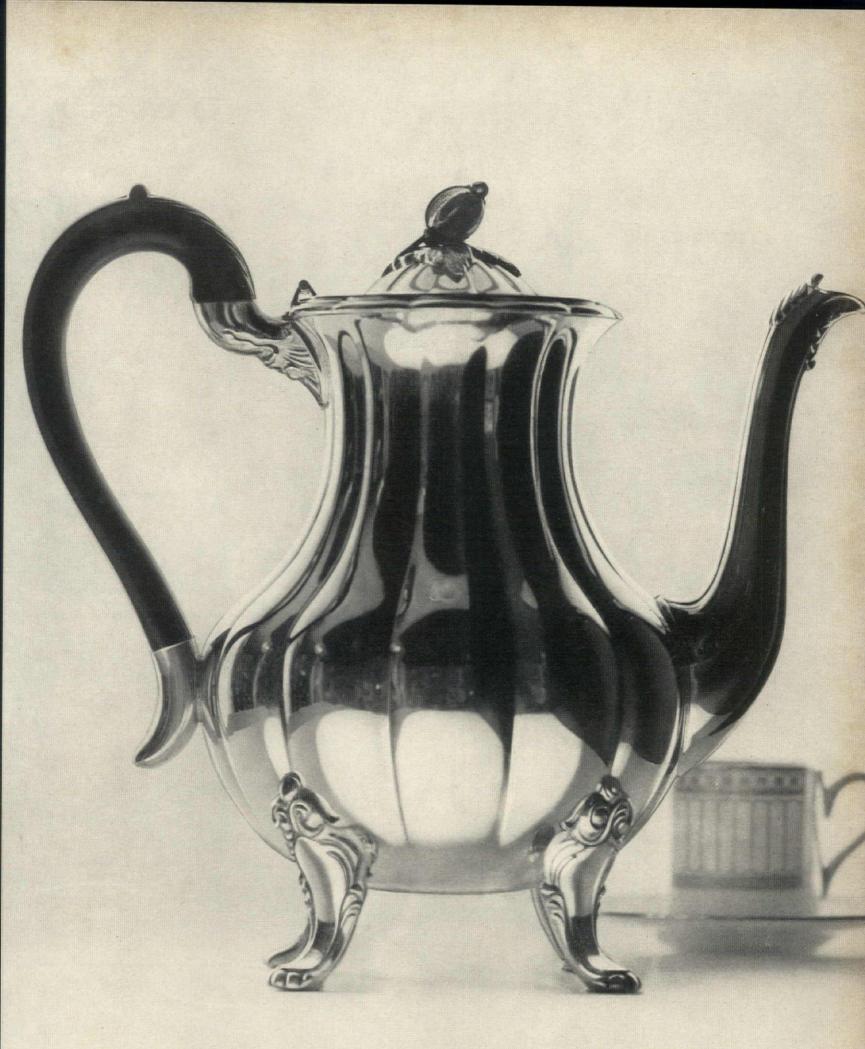


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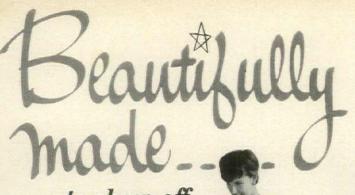


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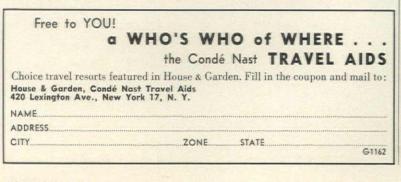
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Among your delightful memories of Aruba, Bonaire and Curaçao will be the wedding-cake houses and Indonesian cuisine

BY JAMES FANNING

EDITOR'S NOTE: Landscape architect James Fanning's work is well known to H&G readers—he has collaborated on many features including the Living Landscape series in 1959 and the Neighborly Landscape series in 1961. Mr. Fanning, a devotee of the Caribbean, first visited the ABC Islands in 1957 to landscape the Curaçao Intercontinental Hotel.

Stepping out of your jet at Plesman Airport in Curação, the first impression you get is of heat, particularly if you've come from wintery New York, only three and three-quarters hours away on a nonstop flight. The customs inspection and the drive into the city of Willemstad are quickly past, however, and once in the airconditioned seclusion of your room at the Curaçao Intercontinental or one of Willemstad's other hotels, you somehow can't wait to get out again into that warm, constantly blowing trade wind, laden with the sound and scent of Caribbean surf.

Curacao is the biggest and most important-although alphabetically last-of the ABC Islands, which lie just off the coast of South America at the extreme southern edge of the Caribbean Sea. Not nearly as well known as the bigger islands of the north Caribbean-Cuba, Puerto Rico, Haiti and Jamaica-Aruba, Bonaire and Curaçao have their own importance as centers of world trade and a meeting place where the northern and southern hemispheres exchange goods and ideas. Free and autonomous members of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, these islands owe allegiance to Queen Juliana but govern themselves, comprising, with the Windwards, the Netherlands Antilles. Their own flag, an



adaptation of the familiar red, white and blue of Holland, flies proudly beside that of the homeland on all public buildings and is featured in patriotic displays on the occasion of any special event in the lives of the Royal Family.

The heat that you notice on first arrival is natural enoughvou're only 12 degrees north of the equator, and the sun beats down from almost straight overhead throughout the year. Rain is infrequent, which means that the air is dry, and this, together with the trade wind blowing ceaselessly in from the broad reaches of the Caribbean and Atlantic, means that the high temperature is always bearable: you're not nearly as uncomfortable on a hot day in Curaçao as you would be in New York at the same temperature.

Willemstad, capital of the Netherlands Antilles and the biggest city in the islands, is where most travelers, whether by sea or by air, are likely to arrive first, and is the place where, if you're wise, you'll plan to stay longest. This is the most truly international city in the western hemisphere. Here, for example, boxing promoters from New York and Miami meet their counterparts from Caracas and Rio to arrange matches. Here, in May of 1962, were held preliminary matches for the chess championship of the world, with entrants from every continent and both sides of the Iron Curtain. In the Kini-Kini Bar of the Hotel Curaçao, on any night of the week, Norwegian, Greek and Japanese ships' captains sit elbow-to-elbow with businessmen from Europe and tourists from both Americas, plus a goodly number of local burghers, to listen to orchestras and singers from Colombia or Venezuela. Incidentally, the Kini-Kini Bar Continued on page 52

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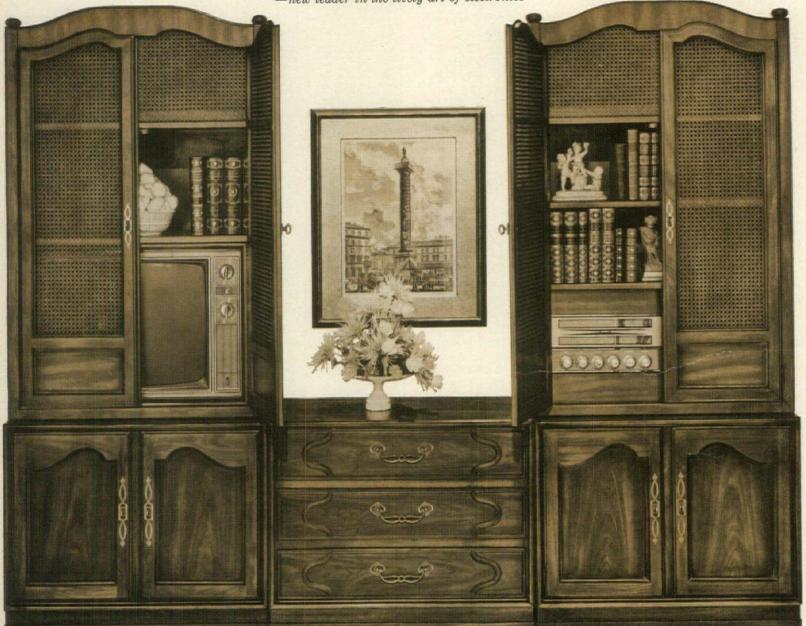
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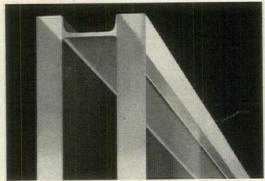
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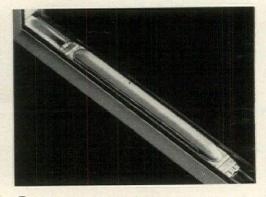
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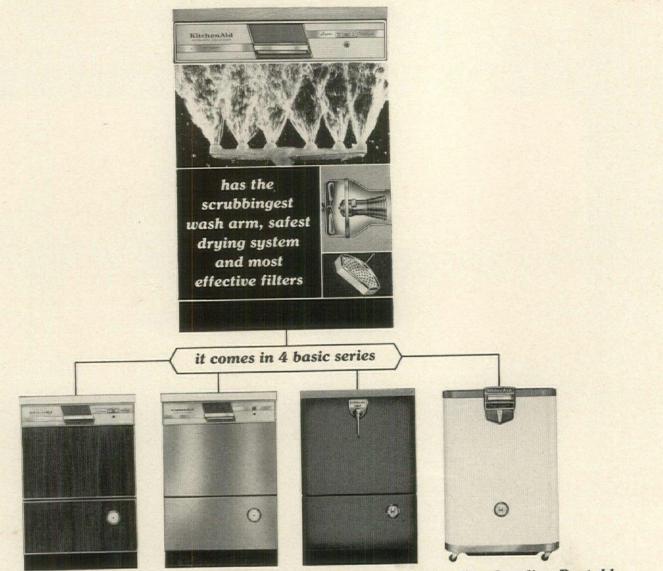
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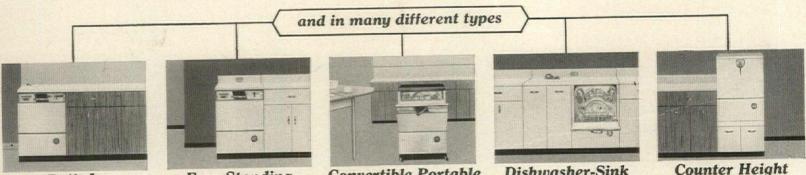


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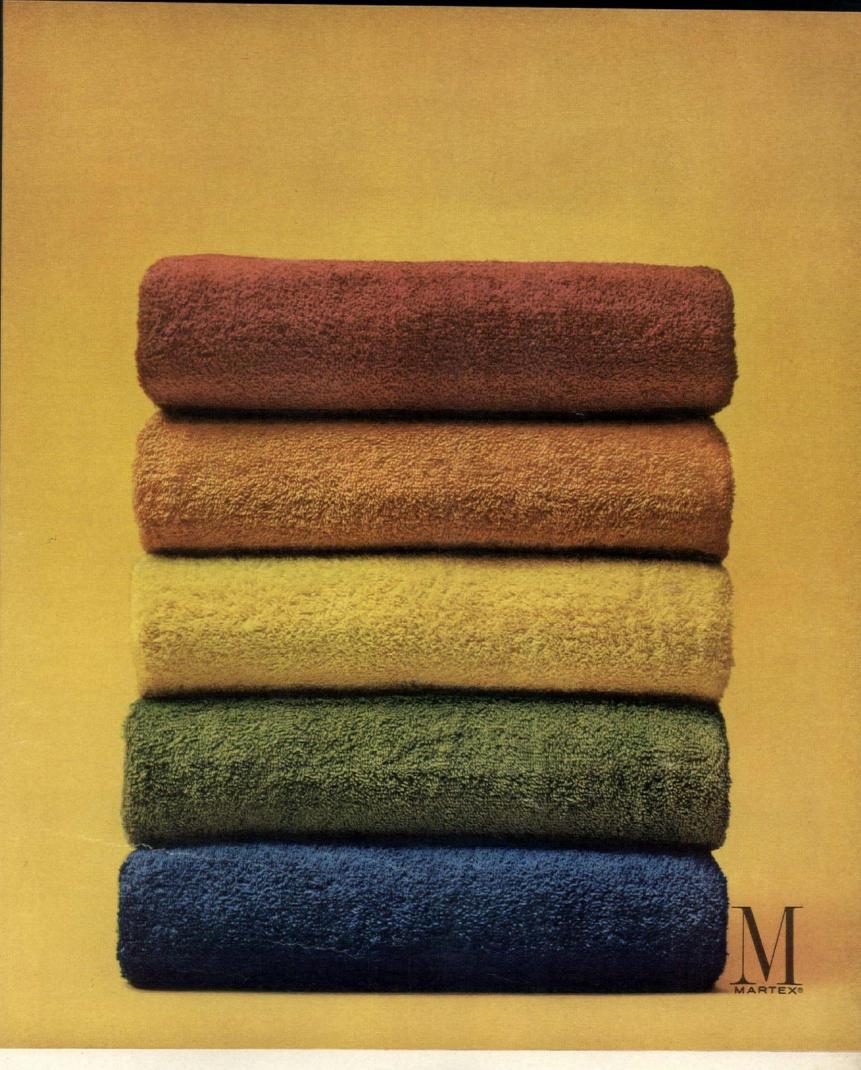
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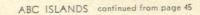
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Cosmopolitan Curação

"Sabor Curaçaoleño" is a phrase Curaçaoans have coined to describe their own distinctive atmosphere. It means "Curaçaoan flavor," and flavor is what Curaçao has plenty of. The flavor of language, for instance: Papiamento, the native tongue, is a blend of Portuguese, Spanish, Dutch and English, mixed with a seasoning of native ingenuity into a soft flow of poppety-pop sounds that intrigue your ear on every street corner. Dutch (call it Nederlands if you want to be strictly correct) is, of course, the official language, but English runs a close second in common usage, so the visiting American is never at a loss to make himself understood. All signs are in two languages of which English is invariably one; the other may be almost anything. The only exception to this rule is in the Casino of the Hotel Curaçao, where signs on the roulette tables read "Please do not lean on the railing" in five languages. (The management of the Casino, incidentally, hasn't been too happy lately-they say that tourists from the States have been "playing it smart" and quitting when they're ahead, which is fine for tourists, bad for the Casino.)

Whether you gamble or not, the Hotel Curaçao Intercontinental is one of the spots you *must* visit, even if you don't plan to stay there. Although it operates like a resort hotel almost anywhere, the

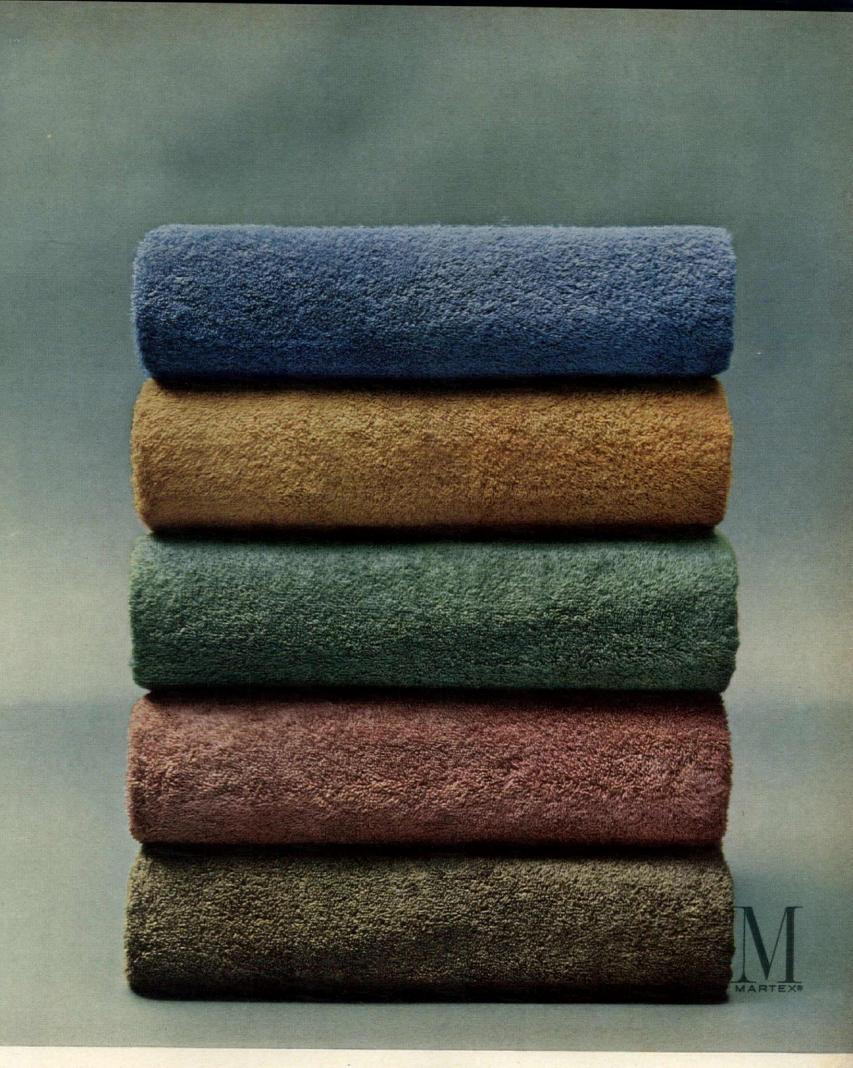
Curaçao, in design and location, is so unusual as to be, in itself, one of the island's outstanding attractions. Perched atop the ramparts of the old Waterfort that guarded the harbor entrance back in the days of piracy, the hotel's windows overlook the Caribbean almost within touching distance of the ships that come in and out of the busy port. The ancient fortress walls have been kept intact and you can stroll on top, where the lookouts once patrolled, or browse through the shops that now occupy the old arched casemates in the walls below. One of these shops, the Galerie de Boog. displays sculpture and painting by some of Europe's leading artists as well as a few up-and-coming unknowns who will be making themselves heard from presently. It also has lithographs by Appel, Clave, Hartung, Marini and Miro, all with price tags about half of what New York galleries would ask for the same pictures.

In another of the casemates of the Waterfort, the Curaçao Tourist Bureau is presided over by Philip Evertsz, who looks as though he had been painted by Franz Hals and has a temperament to match. Mijnheer Evertsz is always available for assistance and information about anything on the islands, and keeps his jovial finger in most of the pies that are constantly being cooked up for the entertainment of travelers and natives alike.

The Tourist Bureau, as might be expected, feels that the average tourist doesn't spend enough time in Curaçao, and a visitor from the States who *has* spent more than a few hours cannot help agreeing. Continued on page 55



Willemstad residence of sienna red stucco displays scrollwork in the old Dutch gingerbread tradition, even on its inexplicably Greek cornices and columns.



This is Twilight. From the new Martex 'Solar Colors' Collection. Inspiration series bath towels, \$3.00.



HOUSE & GARDEN

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Westpoint, the extreme western tip of the island, is less than an hour's drive from Willemstad, but the cruise tourist, waiting for the ship's whistle to warn him that it's time to leave, seldom dares to undertake the trip. But here you'll find, snuggled at the foot of a rocky cliff, one of the finest bathing beaches in the islands, with safe mooring for small boats-all maintained by the Public Works Department and available, free, for all comers. The nearby settlement of Westpoint is distinguished by the presence of Jan Christof's Restaurant, one of the few public eating places where the food is authentically native. While the fish (it isn't much use to try to find out what kind, but it's sure to be right out of the sea) and bananas are frying, Jan Christof himself-known to one and all as "Janchie"-will tell you about his 1919 schooner trip to New York.

The road between Willemstad and Westpoint runs past the entrance to the Grotto of Hato, a series of caves running deep into a hillside near the airport. The wonderfully carved domes, columns and arches of water-worn limestone are well lighted, so there's no danger of even the most amateur spelunker getting lost.

Driving back into Willemstad, you are likely to be held up for a while because, as the local saying has it, "the bridge is not good." The bridge in question is the "Queen Emma," a structure that floats on pontoons across the harbor entrance and is swung aside several times a day to let ships in or out of the harbor. The business center of the city is on the east side, and the average resident has occasion to cross the channel often enough so that keeping track of the times when the bridge is "good" or "not good" is a daily preoccupation for most Curaçaoans. Another, new bridge

will be completed in a year or two-no doubt very modern but much less picturesque.

The architecture of Willemstad

Punda, the eastern half of the city of Willemstad, has streets lined with buildings of all ages, dating from the early seventeen hundreds to the middle nineteen hundreds. The most outstanding building here is Congregation Mikve Israel, the "Old" Synagogue, which predates Touro Congregation in Newport, Rhode Island, by just enough to make it the oldest synagogue in the New World. The yellow and white stucco exterior, brilliant in the sunlight, contrasts strongly with the dark, beautifully carved wood and dim lighting of the interior.



Chandelier brought from Europe 200 years ago still hangs in Mikve Israel.

with its massive chandeliers and silver candlesticks, and, underfoot, a sanded floor in the oldest tradition of Judaism.

Built in 1732-33 to replace the earlier house of worship of a Portuguese-Dutch congregation, the synagogue was modeled after one in Amsterdam, but incorporates several purely local architec-Continued on page 57



Curaçao buildings combine Dutch gables-in-trio with stucco, tiles and arches of Spanish-Caribbean; newer buildings look severe beside curlicued old ones.

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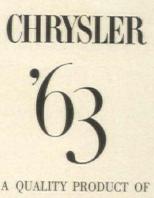


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tural features, such as the exterior pilasters and stairways leading to the women's gallery. The ark, made in Curaçao in 1709, was moved from the earlier building.

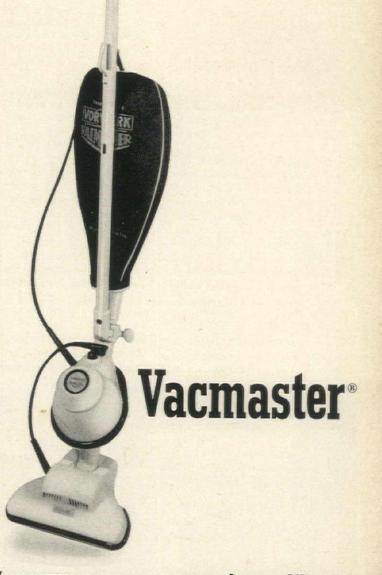
Several other eighteenth-century buildings in Willemstad are also noteworthy. The shop of Joseph Penha (pronounced penya) and Sons is a building originally erected in the early seventeen hundreds as a residence for the widow of an island Governor. Recently restored, the three-story building, elegantly pilastered and finished in yellow and white stucco, stands on the busy street corner by the pontoon bridge where traffic piles up waiting for the bridge to close, and liners pass almost within a few feet of the shop windows.

All of these early buildings have a baroque grace that can be traced directly to the Europe of the time they were built. For the architectural-minded, a handsome volume entitled "De Monumenten van Curaçao in Woord en Beeld" (The Monuments of Curaçao in Word and Picture) was published in 1959 and is available at Salas' bookshop in Willemstad. This describes and analyzes every building on the island important enough to be called a "monument," and while of course it is in Nederlands, each chapter has an English summary and the drawings and photographs alone make it a book worth having, even at the rather steep price of \$14.

Several of the buildings in "De Monumenten van Curaçao" are being restored by the government. One of the finest is Great Santa Martha, a plantation house dating from the early eighteenth century. A committee of experts from Colonial Williamsburg, visiting Curaçao in 1959, was so impressed by Santa Martha that they convinced the island government of the necessity for restoring and preserving the place as a public monument. The manor house itself, with high-ceilinged rooms and enclosed galleries front and rear, is a superb example of tropical Colonial architecture. The extensive grounds, with dikes and cisterns for holding rain-water, give a fine illustration of the problems of growing crops in a dry climate. To a visitor from the cattle-raising sections of the U.S.A., however, the cow barn will be the biggest surprise: The stalls seem hardly big enough for a fair-sized Newfoundland. This is understandable when you stop to consider that in this climate, with browsing as sparse as it always has been, big cows just wouldn't have been able to find enough to eat. When the restoration work is

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complete, sometime in 1963, Santa Martha will open as a hotel.

Another great plantation, which has already been restored and opened to the public, is Brievengat, in the open country north of Willemstad. And an old residence in the western or "Otrabanda" section of Willemstad is now the Curaçao Museum. It has on view a fine collection of antique furniture, historical memorabilia and natural history specimens.

Shopping in Willemstad

Willemstad, a free port, is the great shopping center of the islands and you can buy-at prices decidedly lower than at homethings from all over the world: Scotch woolens; Delft blue and English bone china; French perfume; Italian glass; Scandinavian silver, and, of course, every alcoholic beverage on earth, of which each United States citizen may take home, duty free, five fifths. But while the bargains are there all right, the visitor is likely to feel a certain disappointment, which comes from the fact that the goods are quite ordinary. That is, practically everything offered for sale can be found in most big cities in the States. It's fine if you're looking for a watch or camera or a nottoo-unusual piece of jewelry, but there is not much that could rate as "exotic" or even very unusual in material, design or craftsmanship. Many years ago some handsome jewelry, using fine wire of native gold in filigree patterns, was made in Curaçao, but none of this ever reaches the market nowadays.

Native art in the islands seems never to have reached any very high peak of development. The fine old-time wood carving and stucco molding on the buildings, just as the old houses themselves, are definitely European in concept. Probably Curaçao's strongest claim to artistic originality is in the field of music. The "Curaçao Waltz," using the basic waltz rhythm with a distinctive "barrelhouse" swing, has been popular over the years and so, oddly enough, has the mazurka, again with the definite Curacaon flavor. A dance that reflects Curaçao's international makeup is the timba-it has, along with a strong Latin rhythm, strains of the Irish, Italian and even the Jewish musical idiom.

A strange musical instrument, the wiri (pronounced weary), is truly native in origin and is part of the rhythm section of every native band. The wiri consists of a length of iron pipe in which notches have been cut. When a stick is rubbed across the notches, an odd sound between a buzz and a screech is produced. A few recordings of typically Curaçaoan music are to be found in the shops; one is called, appropriately enough, "Sabor Curaçaoleño." Again, though, much native music of the islands is being replaced by that of the continent, and even the twist is heard everywhere.

Music is not the only reflection of modern life in Curaçao. For instance, the island's main water supply is as new as tomorrow: It is distilled from sea water.



Living room door at Brievengat echoes typical early Curaçaoan roof arch.

This has been possible only because huge quantities of Venezuelan crude oil—burned to provide the heat for distillation—are shipped to the island anyway for the great Shell refinery. But the method of distillation is constantly being improved, and acts as a yardstick for other countries (Israel, for example) where fresh water is scarce.

It is safe to say that Curaçao would not be what it is without Venezuelan oil. A short haul from the Maracaibo fields brings tankers full of crude to the landlocked harbor of Willemstad, where they discharge directly into the refinery while other tankers load with finished petroleum products for the European market. The Curaçao refinery, incidentally, supplied a large part of the fuel used by Allied forces during World War II. It is no accident that, of all the foreign accents heard on the island, Texan is the most common. This means that, for one thing, food in the better hotels and restaurants has a distinctly American flavor, with steak-even though it may come from Australia or Argentina-usually dominating the menu. Of course, it's likely to be steak with a difference: probably nobody in Dallas would dream of serving a steak

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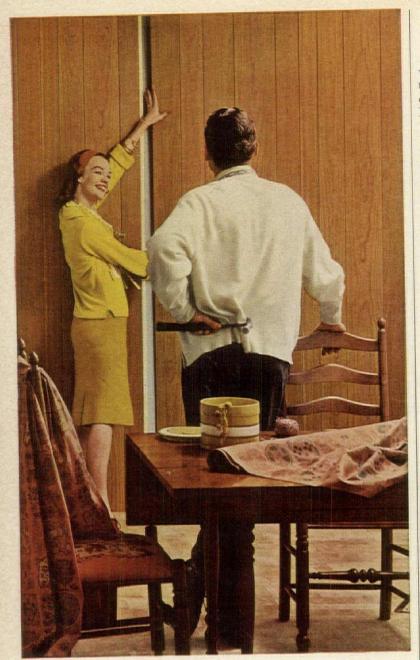


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with a fried egg on top of it, but this-the Dutch style-is often encountered, as well as steak in French style, with a sauce.

Speaking of French sauces: A notable steak béarnaise is to be had at the Fort Nassau, a completely modern restaurant inside the ancient walls of Fort Nassau. on top of a hill that overlooks the whole city of Willemstad, the inner and outer harbors and the oil refinery. At night the view from the restaurant's terrace, with the lights of the city sparkling on one side and those of the refinery blazing on the other, is nothing less than breathtaking. Dinner here, including a couple of cocktails, wine and service, will run to about \$10 a person, and this is a pretty good indication of what a visitor may expect in the way of prices throughout the islands. Not cheap, but not exorbitant, either-at least by New York standards.

In as cosmopolitan a place as this, you'd expect food from other parts of the world, too, and of course it is there. Very popularand very well prepared at the Piscadera Bay Club-is the Indonesian staple, nassi goreng, an indescribable blend of rice, bean sprouts, shredded pork and a dozen or so other things, always accompanied by kroepoek, that puffy bread wafer like an oversized potato chip, and, naturally, plenty of good Dutch beer.

Italian food is featured at the Hotel San Marco, whose general manager, Giuseppe, also presides over the dining room. Trained in the best European tradition, Giuseppe sees to it that the service is always impeccable and the food-from a menu as long as you're likely to find anywhereleaves nothing to be desired.

At the eastern end of town, the Avila Hotel features dishes with a South American flavor, served in a dining room at the edge of the sea and beside the palm-shaded pool. (A pool at the edge of the sea may sound strange, but the shore here is a bit too rocky for good bathing.)

Going on eastward, past the outskirts of Willemstad, you come to an inlet called Spanish Water. This is private property, but you can probably get permission to enter by asking at the desk of your hotel. The beach here is ideal and the water calm enough to make water skiing simple, even for beginners.

On the north coast, a scant 5 miles from placid Spanish Water, the surf thunders into the opening of Saint Joris Bay, an inlet of the same size and shape but quite different in character. Here the Continued on page 291

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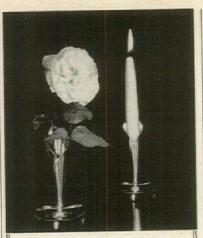
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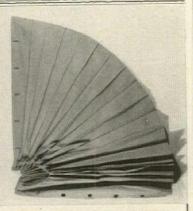
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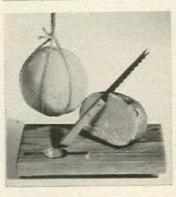
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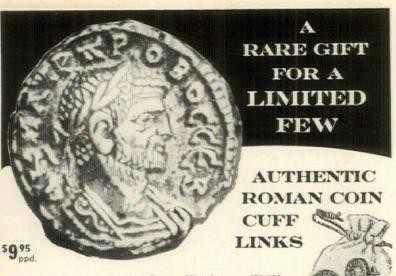
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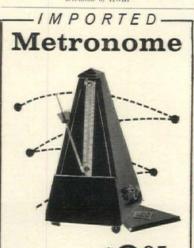
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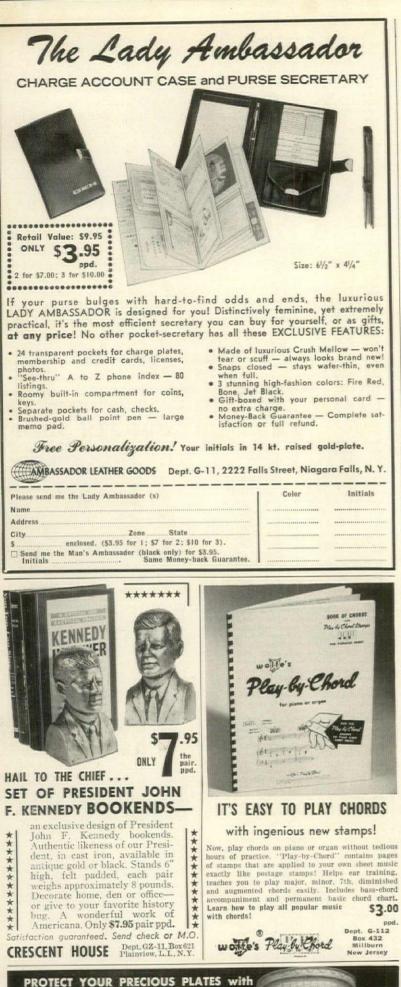
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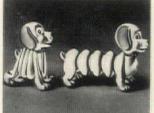
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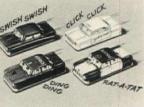


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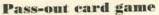












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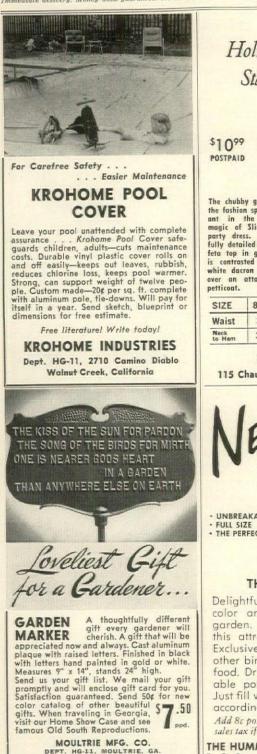
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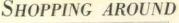
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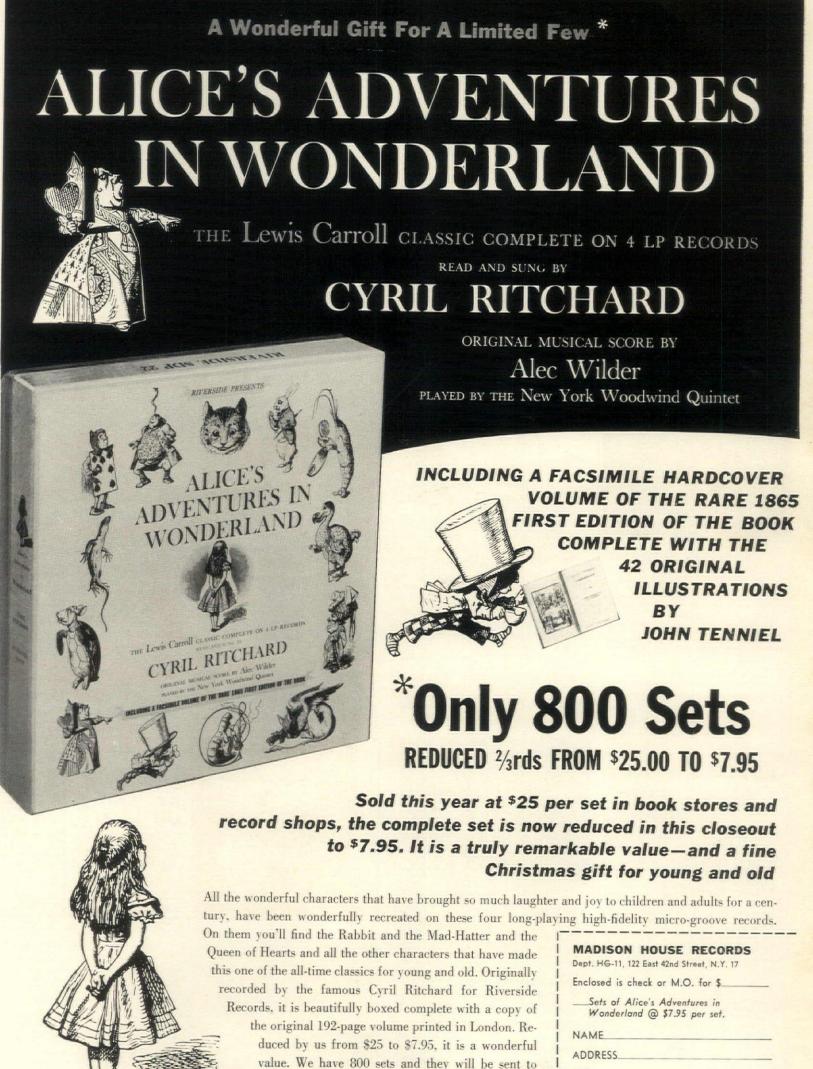
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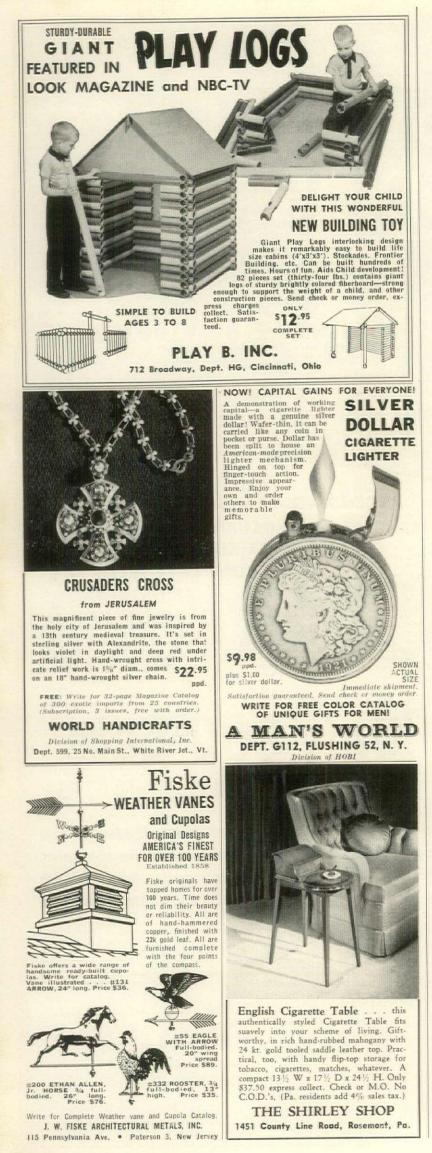
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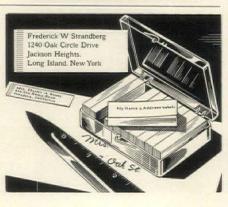














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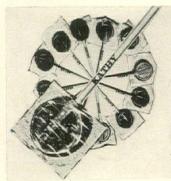
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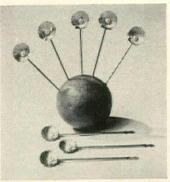
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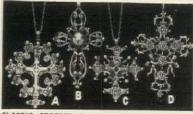
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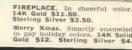
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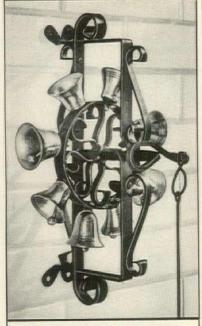


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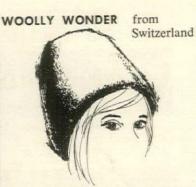
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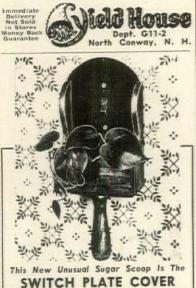
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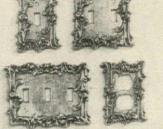
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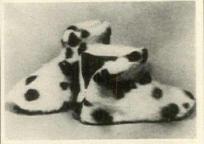
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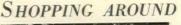
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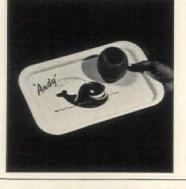
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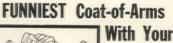
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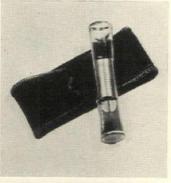
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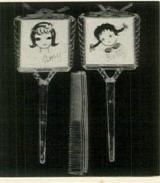
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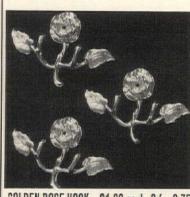


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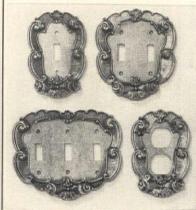


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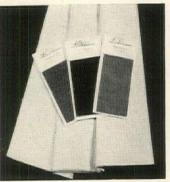
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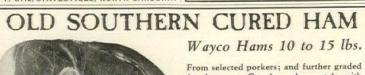
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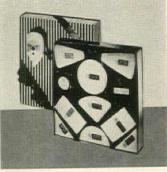
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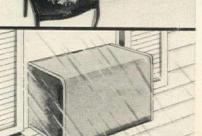
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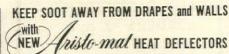
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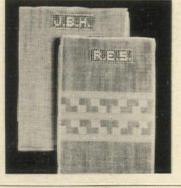
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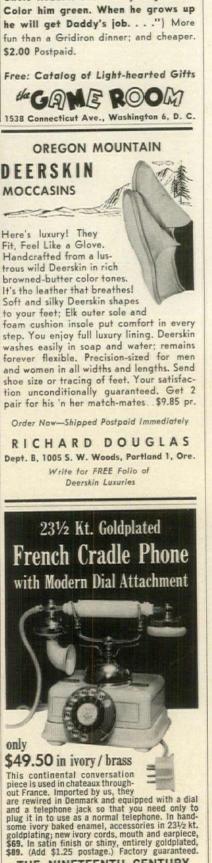
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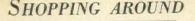
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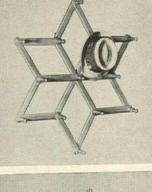
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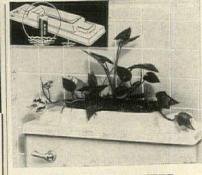
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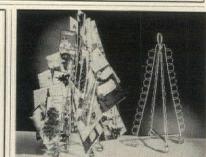
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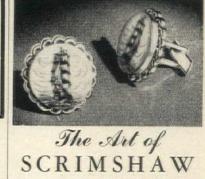
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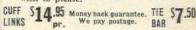


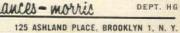


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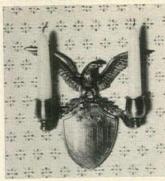
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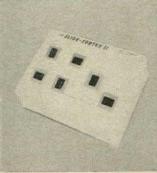
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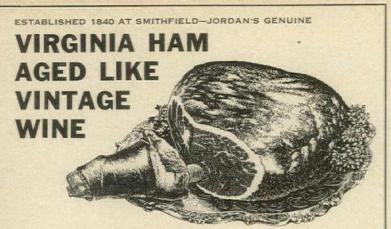


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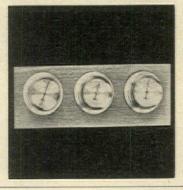














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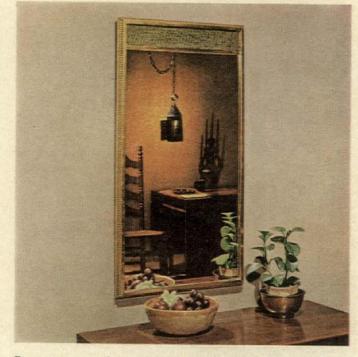
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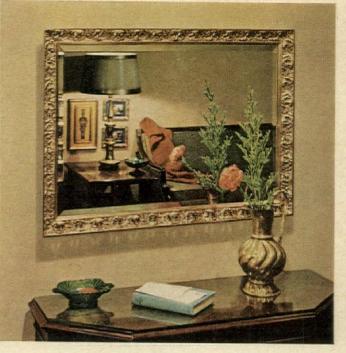
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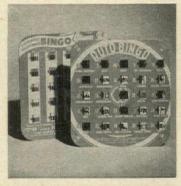
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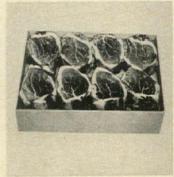
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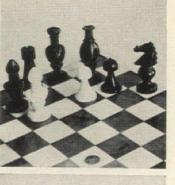
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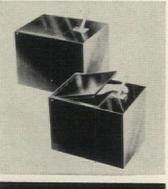
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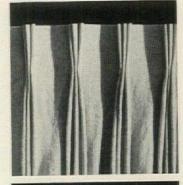
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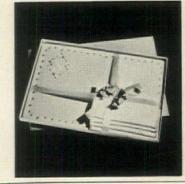














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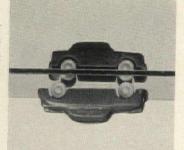
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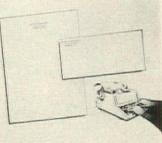
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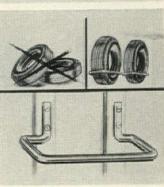
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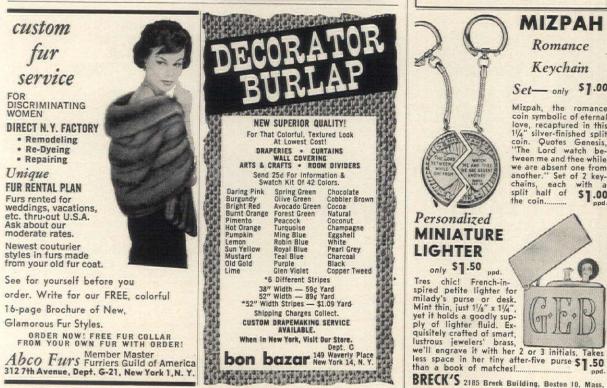
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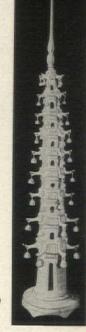
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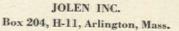
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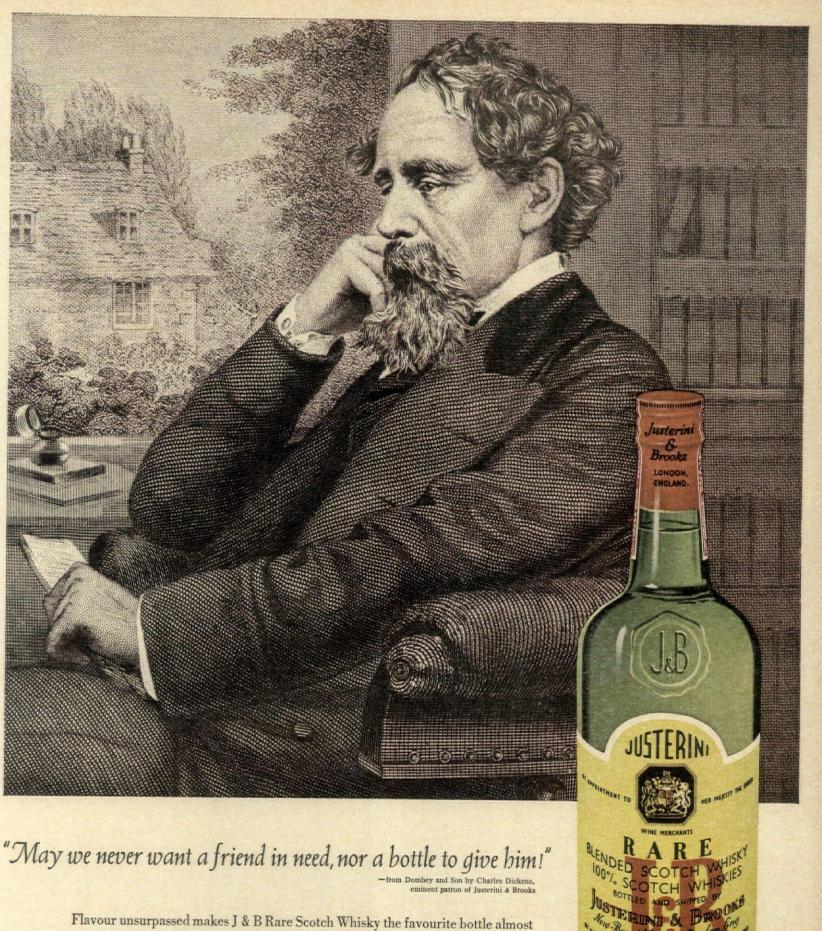
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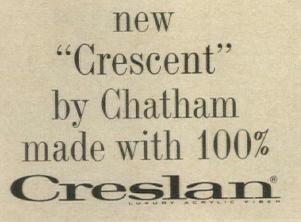
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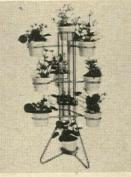
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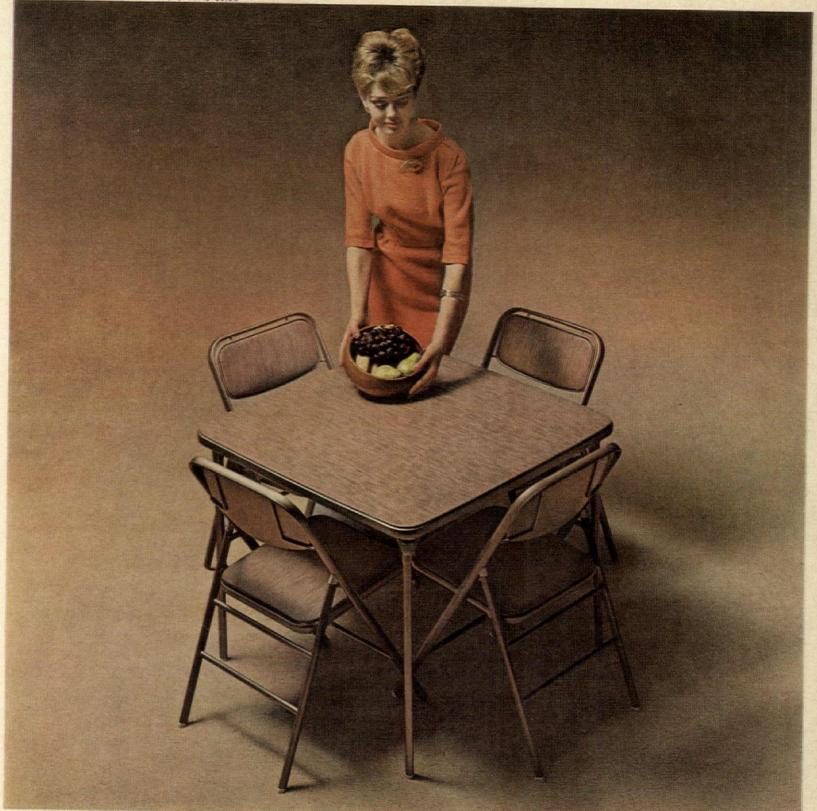
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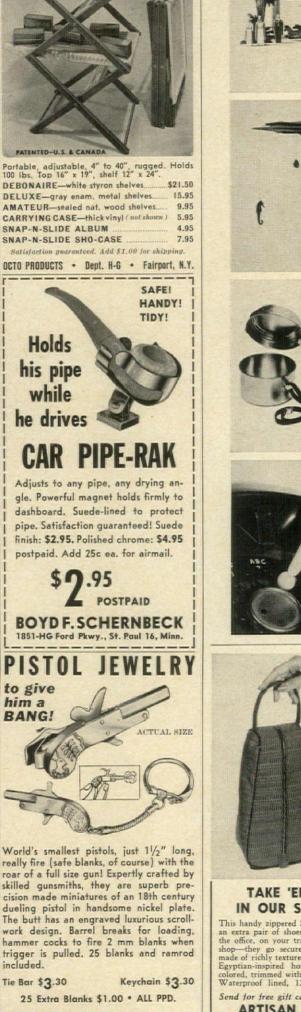
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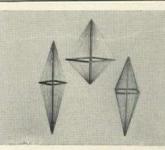












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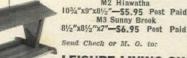
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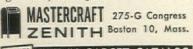
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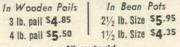


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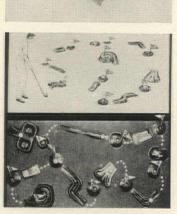
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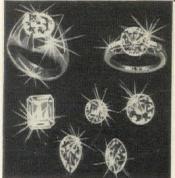
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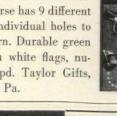


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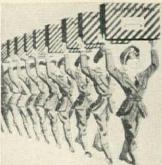
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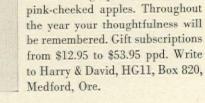












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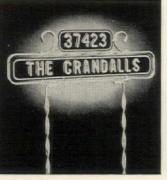
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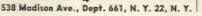


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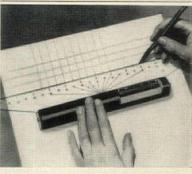
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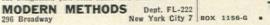
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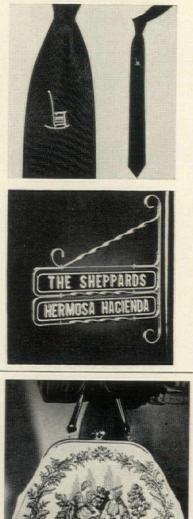
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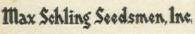
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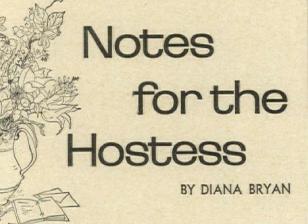
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There's something about a monteith that, to me, adds real style to a buffet. These large antique punch bowls are customarily of silver or porcelain. Now I've seen a beauty turned out in solid burnished brass, following the classic patterns of the silver ones but with almost more flair in this warmer metal. A decorator friend of mine said she would order it for me from The Fan Company in New York. Don says he wants to use it for chilling martini glasses, but, as it's a spectacularly handsome flower or fruit container, I'm afraid he won't have much chance.



Monteith, ample and impressive

Don says I get a fiendish pleasure out of dreaming up uses for things other than the purposes they were intended for. His observation was prompted by a centerpiece I made out of six Breton dessert molds I bought at La Cuisinière in New York City. Stacked up to make a pyramid and ringed round with votive lights in white glass cups, the tin molds catch the flickering candlelight and look rather like a Mexican Christmas tree.



Dessert molds, shiny and stackable

Another centerpiece I like, as a change from flower arrangements, is a mass of small house plants on a tray or platter. A family of African-violets on a silver salver, or peperomia and miniature ivies on a copper tray, have the virtue of looking nice and staying fresh.

Does anything give you a more helpless feeling than being trapped in a chair and feeling around fruitlessly for a place to set your coffee cup or drink? Yet sometimes a room arrangement may make it unworkable to place a table by every seat. To avoid putting my guests in the abovementioned predicament I have acquired three new little tables that can be picked up by a ring in their center and moved hither and yon, wherever and whenever they are needed. They are made of tôle and come in pale lilac, orange, gold, green or black. When not in use, they are small enough to hide in a closet. I got mine at B. Altman.



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How to measure your nostalgia

hat have you got in your home today that you knew or used as a child?

"Ask your readers that question, sometime," suggested a psychologist.H&G talked with a while ago.

We decided to try it out first on ourselves.

"Well," answered one H&G editor, "I've just had the bedroom set I was given on my twelfth birthday repainted for my daughter's room."

"My wife still rolls out pie crust on the marble-top that used to be in my mother's kitchen," reported another.

"I really don't have a thing," confessed a third, "except books - remnants of the 'library sets' that used to fill our living room." Pensively, she added, "In our house we always called the living room 'the library.'"

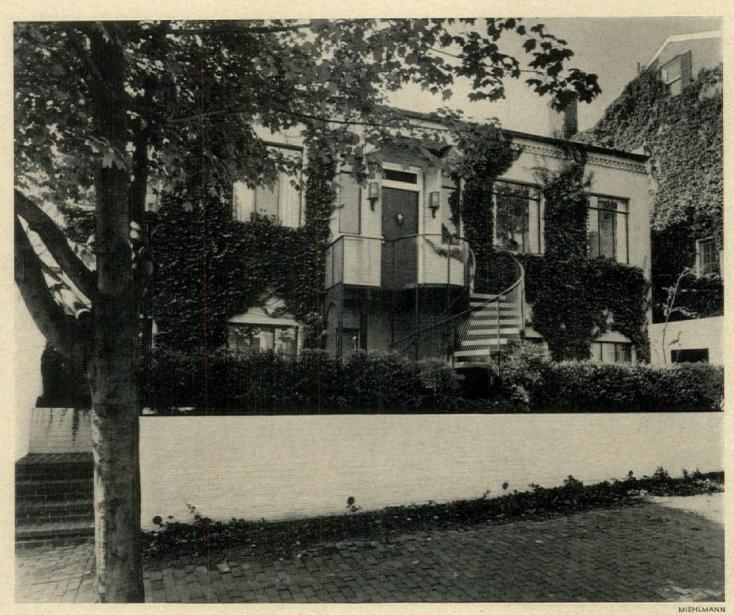
We thought of the question again as we were putting together this issue. In the living room of one house, we saw an anachronistic looking rocking chair (see page 215) and in the dining room of another, an old harp (see page 190)—family heirlooms, it turned out. And although both houses are undeniably contemporary, we discovered that both owe something of their design to houses the owners had known as children. Yet, these are people engaged in professions that deal close up with the most explosive events of today's world. They are people who live and entertain in characteristically modern fashion and whose personalities lack any trace of sentimentality. Why the relics of childhood?

Our psychologist's commentary came back to us. Anything we have used as children, he had pointed out, inevitably reminds us of the carefree time when our material security was someone else's business, when we had no decisions to make, no concern about what might be happening beyond the borders of our own backyards. Nostalgia for that beatific state is only human. True, no sensible person would seriously want it back in exchange for the rewards of adulthood. But to deny that nostalgia, he said—to bury it in the unconscious by discarding all tangible reminders—is an indication that our longing is greater than we can cope with comfortably.

On the other hand, to be able to feel consciously nostalgic as we look at the chair from which our mother read "The Wind in the Willows" is one sign of a healthy and mature personality. Whether it is a beautiful antique or a homely kitchen stool, our psychologist concluded, any tangible link with our childhood encourages a sense of continuity with our personal past that helps to stabilize and enrich our present living.

H&G suggests that before you throw out that old dresser, you give it another look.





Joseph Alsop, Washington columnist and trenchant commentator on contemporary international politics, designed the house above, in the Georgetown section of Washington, D.C., to suit himself. Whatever you may think of its esthetic merits, you are certain to find something to ponder in his personal philosophy expressed at H & G's request on the opposite page—and something to envy among his diverse collections of art and antiques which you will see on the pages that follow.

eccentricity

The whole story of the Joseph Alsop house

• What is an amateur architect to say if he is asked to write about the house he designed and built? "No thank you," would be the wise answer. But if he surrenders to vanity and garrulity, what then?

In mere honesty, I must begin by saying that the sole serious distinction my poor house has ever attained was the passage of a Federal statute forbidding anything like it ever to be built again. The unique Georgetown law, requiring all subsequent building in Georgetown to be Georgian in general style, was born of my neighbors' indignation when they first saw what I had done.

I hope against hope that my neighbors are less unhappy today, now that the planting that was an integral part of the original design has softened the severe practicality of the street front. But I am afraid that most of that first wave of indignation must be traced, not just to the street front, but to the simple fact that the whole house is undeniably eccentric.

It is eccentric because it is ruthlessly idiosyncratic, having been designed to give me exactly what I wanted, with small regard to what anyone else thought I ought to want. This essay is, in truth, a plea for this sort of eccentricity in house design. But it is also, in some measure, a defense, for a defense is still in order.

Consider the problem of my high front stoop, which was a major cause of that early indignation. I certainly did not hanker to build a long external staircase rising to a second-story front door. But what else was I to do?

My land rose steeply from the street to the garden in the rear. I had always hankered, above all else, for a house with living rooms and dining room opening into—indeed all but embracing—the garden. If the dining room was to be there, the kitchen and pantry had to be there, too; and there, remember, meant the second story from the street side. I also hankered for all the saving of space and trouble one gets from a main entrance on the same floor as the kitchen. It hardly mattered, I reasoned, whether guests reached the main floor and garden, where they had to go anyway, by an indoor or an outdoor staircase. So I put the front door, not where convention required but where logic suggested; and I built that controversial stoop because there was no other way to reach a second-story front door.

Or consider the other shocking fact, that this rather large, close-to-being-luxurious house was almost wholly built of materials normally used for the least luxurious sort of commercialindustrial construction. Here the explanation is even simpler.

My budget was limited, as most budgets are, alas. I wanted a lot of house for a little money. I have always believed that any material could be made to seem pleasing by right use. I am convinced, in any case, that the real source of delight in building is the way space is arranged and enclosed and light is made to enter the spaces thus marked off. So I boldly built my house with care for space and light, but with ordinary cinder block for the masonry and with steel windows straight off the production line. And I think the French eighteenth-century furniture my wife and I have collected looks thoroughly at home in its unaccustomed surroundings.

The right arrangement of space and light, plus privacy, plus convenience, that blessed lubricant of daily life—these, it seems to me, are all a good house needs. A house with these four virtues, which has also been planned with due consideration for the owner's special wants, will be a good house even if built of sun-dried mud. This may be dangerous doctrine; but my house has at least been good for my purposes, even if they did pass a law against it. — JOSEPH ALSOP

Inside Georgetown's most eccentric house



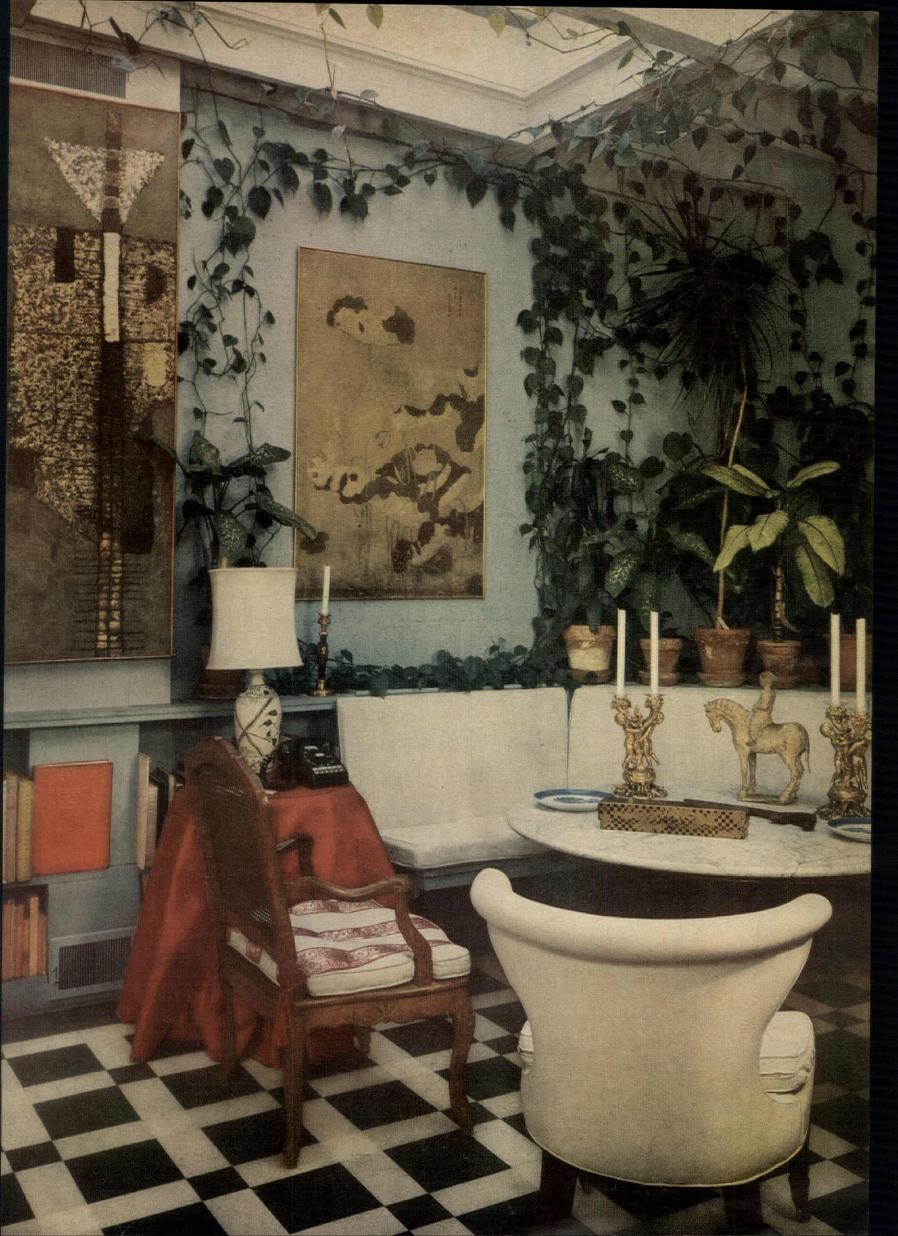
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In one corner of the garden room, ABOVE, early Chinese sculptures and porcelains acquired by the columnist during his war years in China (he was aide to the Flying Tigers' General Chennault), are displayed on a variety of solid wood brackets. Candelabra on dining table, OPPOSITE PAGE, are from collection of French bronzes. hen you have climbed the controversial front staircase of the Joseph Alsops' house in Georgetown, you enter an ambiance far removed in mood from the no-nonsense exterior. For within Mr. Alsop's "arrangement of space and light" is a wealth of art and craftsmanship that spans over four millennia.

"I am a magpie," the columnist announces. But there is good evidence that he is a knowledgeable, adventurous magpie who enjoys acquiring his prizes fortuitously and preferably at a bargain. ("One day when Adenauer kept me waiting, I wandered into a Bonn antique shop. . . ." begins his story of a pair of chairs signed by the famous craftsman Jacob which he picked up for \$25 each.) Having assembled a multifaceted treasure of Chinese sculpture, jade and porcelain, French gilded bronzes, Japanese lacquer, early-to-contemporary American paintings and eighteenth-century French furniture, Mr. Alsop, his slim, dark, vivacious wife and their two children live with it as comfortably as if it had all been created expressly for their convenience and enjoyment. Few of their collections are formally displayed as such-they are freely used, like any other furniture or decorative objects, throughout the house.

In this matter-of-fact approach there is no hint of nostalgia. Yet, Mr. Alsop frankly confesses nostalgia for a house he often visited as a child—the Alsop house in Middletown, Conn., now the Davis Art Center of Wesleyan University. Built in 1838 by Richard Alsop IV, the house is famous for the elegance of its Greek Revival lines and the frescoes that decorate its interior. "It was a very romantic house," says the columnist, remembering it when his uncle lived there; "it had a great influence on me."

For instance: In one of the prettiest of the frescoed rooms in Middletown the walls are painted with vine-covered trellises dotted with brilliant birds and butterflies—and beyond them, in distant perspective, a bright blue sky. This romantic conceit is clearly echoed in the Alsops' garden room in Georgetown, *left* and *opposite page*. But here the vines are real: philodendron from planters on the wainscot (*Continued on page 189*)





THE ALSOP HOUSE continued

Wall opposite fireplace is lined with books from one end of room to the other.

shelf climbs up the exposed cinder-block wall and across the raftered ceiling. Natural light from the real sky pours in through two skylights, and the air is lively with the chirping of real birds-parakeets and a parrot.

The Alsops use the garden room for breakfast since it adjoins the dining room and kitchen-also as a sitting room, since the room beyond is where Mr. Alsop works. The breakfast table, a typical piece of Alsop ingenuity, consists of an old marble top on a new adjustable iron base that rises from coffee-table to dining height. Another of his innovations is the raised recessed fireplace. "At that level it gives more heat," he claims, "and takes up less space in this small room." The Alsops' living room, with its abun-

dance of books, comfortable chairs and sofas, white linen slipcovers and wide windows opening to the garden, has a relaxed, countryhouse air. Yet, it is full of antique treasures many a museum would be proud to own. Flanking the fireplace are a pair of Japanese screens that fit the room as if they were made for it (the reverse is true: the room was designed to accommodate the screens). And casually distributed among the other furniture are three of Mr. Alsop's most prodigious finds: two gilt-framed armchairs and a tiny loveseat (behind sofa, left), all matching, all signed by the Louis XVI cabinetmaker, LeLarge. "I bought them separately, at different times, different places," he explains; "if they had been sold as a set, they would

Since small French tables are hard to have cost a fortune." come by, expensive, and rarely of useful di-

mensions, Mr. Alsop decided not to bother with them. Instead, (Continued on next page)

In front of living room fireplace is a rug I st string of French silk needlepoint-

Among living room treasures: ve desk inlaid with tortoise shell and made by cabinetmaker Jacob for

Door from living room opens to shaded by wisteria on overhead





In the dining room is displayed Mrs. Alsop's collection of Kang Hsi blue-and-white porcelain. Covered urns in niches, ABOVE, match vases on shelf of sideboard, RIGHT.



French Directoire chandelier for real candles may be raised and lowered by a chain that runs above ceiling to pantry.

he had two simple coffee tables made in Paris with checkerboard tops of light and dark koa wood. He is especially proud of his invention for a chairside table—a Ming porcelain urn fitted with a flat hardwood cover.

The sunny, comfortable atmosphere of the living room flows on into the adjoining dining room where Mrs. Alsop, who loves to entertain guests of widely divergent accomplishments, can give seated dinner parties for as many as eighteen. For larger parties she sets up extra tables in the garden room, and in fine weather, she serves even greater numbers on the terrace overlooking the green garden behind the house.

Almost everything in the dining room is from Middletown—the heavy American Empire table once used in the "office" of the old house; the old harp that the French wife of an early owner brought with her from France; the 6-foot-long marble-topped sideboard attributed to the cabinetmaker Lannuier. The dining chairs are copies of six by Duncan Phyfe that once belonged to Mr. Alsop's grandmother, now belong to his brother. On the wall hangs a portrait of the lady for whom the 1838 house was built.

Mrs. Alsop's bedroom, which resembles a chintz-lined bandbox, is the only room in the house where the background is not exactly what it appears to be. Part of it is covered with blue-and-white wallpaper, part is hung with matching fabric, but the two are combined so smoothly that is is not always easy to tell which is which. The curtains that flank the fireplace conceal, not windows, but wardrobe storage, and at each end of the bed is a cabinet completely covered, except for one large drawer at the base, with wallpaper. Here, again, are relics of Middletown: the nineteenth-century pictures over the bed and the romantic grape-leaf chandelier. And here, as in every other room in the Georgetown house, are examples from the Alsops' collections including, high above the fireplace, one of the numerous singeries (pictures of costumed monkeys mimicking man) that are Mrs. Alsop's personal discoveries.

Above the raised recessed fireplace in Mrs. Alsop's bedroom hangs a trio of drawings of her daughter, by Drian, in three Alice-in-Wonderland-like poses.



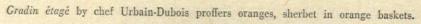
PARTY GAMESMANSHIP



Fabulous food can suggest an equally spectacular table treatment. Caviar (with champagne, superb for a Christmas open house) is the rationale for a buffet seascape that starts with an immense block of ice on a brass tray (big ice blocks have a high melting point. stay almost intact for hours). Silhouetted above and around the baby berg are a giant clam shell heaped with caviar, abalone shells of accompaniments (sour cream, lemon, pumpernickel, chopped onion and egg white, sieved yolk), knives jutting from spiny coral.

OUn exposé of the culinary arts, tools and techniques that turn a table into a feast for the eyes

Every trade has its tricks, and food, as famous chefs have been proving for centuries, depends in no small part for its effective presentation on cunning culinary sleight of hand. But given the tools and some professional know-how anyone can produce a party meal that will be the talk of the table. A common mistake is to arrange a table with no thought for the food-it's far better to build the setting around it. Food is unique in that it can set a theme, carry out a color scheme, be table decoration and centerpiece as well. And it need not be expensive or esoteric. A crown roast or an ice cream dessert, dramatized by small eye-catching embellishments, is just as ravishing as filet de boeuf or gateau St. Honoré. The secret lies in the container or shape you give the food, the garnishings and pipings that lend it form and finish. You can find inspiration everywhere-in paintings and photographs, in classic dictionaries of cuisine like "Larousse Gastronomique" and Flammarion, in the works of Carême and Urbain-Dubois, the masters of cuisine from whom we freely borrowed and adapted some of the ideas shown on these pages and on our cover. Humdrum materials can be used in hundreds of ways. Take a hard-cooked egg: the white, cut into petals and given a truffle center, a chive stem and tarragon leaves, becomes a flower on a salmon in aspic or a chaudfroid of chicken. The yolk, finely sieved, drifts a delicate mimosa garnish over green salads. Here and on the next five pages are some of the tools and tricks of party gamesmanship-knives and cutters, molds and containers, decorations and garnishesplus two table settings (pages 195 and 197) that show the end results. For shopping information, turn to page 271.







• Decorating knife for vegetables is just one of innumerable aids to garnishing. This flutes cucumbers, waffle-cuts potatoes. Others form carrot curls, citrus peel spirals.

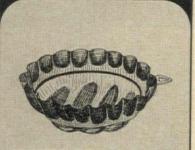


♥ Egg slicer does a quick, faultless job. Similar gadgets make radish roses, core and section apples, slice cheese, bread paper-thin for canapés.





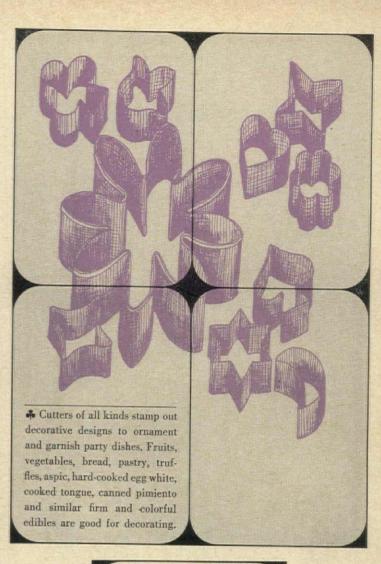
◆ Ice cream molds freeze or press soft, settable foods (sherbet, liver pâté, cream cheese) into pretty shape. Pâté-en-croûte molds with removable sides are practical for larger amounts.

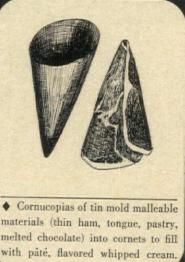


♥ Molds in manifold shapes and sizes offer an effortless means of making food look special. In addition to shaping aspics, mousses and cakes, molds model rice, vegetable salads. Use tiny timbale molds for garnish, individual servings of pilaff, moussaka.

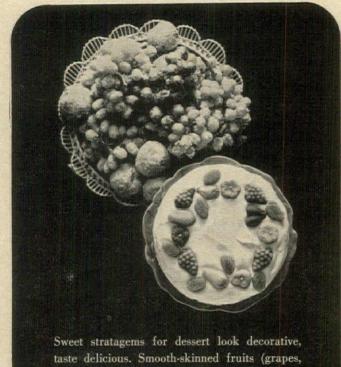


Succulent shells serve formless foods attractively, easily. Use hollowed-out hard rolls, brioches, bread, pastry cases, cream puffs, oranges, lemons, melons, pomegranates, tomatoes, artichokes, mushrooms, onions.

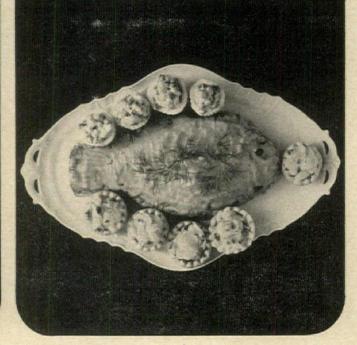




PARTY GAMESMANSHIP continued



taste delicious. Smooth-skinned fruits (grapes, cherries, small plums), artfully frosted with a bath of egg white, a coat of superfine sugar, can be garnish or kickshaw. Candidly candied fruits of marzipan or mint (or mock orange and lemon slices arranged in overlapping circles) dress up the plain white frosting of a cake, the whipped cream topping of an ice-box pie or a dessert. Miniature baskets of salad or vegetables gracefully round out a platter, eliminate extra table-crowding serving dishes. Fluted lemon and cucumber cups filled with cucumber and Russian salad complement a shimmering salmon mousse in aspic. For roasts, use colorful hollowed-out vegetables (peppers, beets).





♠ Leaves of rose geranium, basil, tarragon, dill and chives flavorful garnishes in themselves —also serve as leaves and stalks for edible flower decorations on chaudfroids, similar cold dishes.



Figing is an easy way to make plain food pretty. With a pastry bag and round, ribbon and star tubes in graduated sizes you can mound vegetable purées, stuff eggs, decorate cakes, mousses, turn out cream puffs.

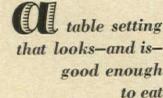
> Fruit-decorating knife, an imported gadget, cuts toughskinned citrus fruits and melons into evenly notched halves for fruit baskets. For instance: lemon cups circling the mousse, top of page.



♥ Diminutive vegetables (cherry tomatoes, baby onions and carrots), stuffed grape leaves, tiny dumplings and gnocchi are fine fill-in decoration for large dishes, easy to serve and eat.



Fish in aspic, garnished à la Carême.



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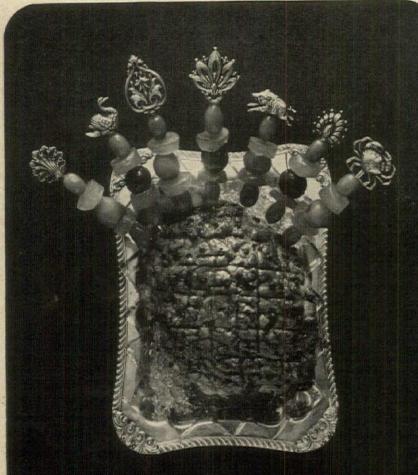
This holiday buffet table might be called a shining invitation to conspicuous consumption; once the meal is eaten, the setting vanishes! Decoration and dinner combined, the main dish, the aspic salad and the dessert, each as colorful and carefully composed as an ornament, form a subtle pattern of circular shapes, varied in form and height. Secondary elements are the serving platter, plates, napkins and glasses, chosen to carry out the colors of the main dish. As a switch on the usual peas-in-the-center garnish, baby glazed carrots fill the crown roast, ringed with a bed and mounds of pea purée, piped with a rose tube. Cherry tomatoes, tiny pickles, pickled onions and tarragon leaves are mounded in aspic like della Robbia wreaths. Dessert at far right -sugared and glazed fruits fastened with toothpicks to a brioche pyramid, croquembouche-stylewill move front-center once the entrée is removed. Instead of a centerpiece, a Christmas basket of artificial Black Forest mushrooms, pine and parsley is hung from the ceiling, low enough to focus attention on the table. The enduring elements: Stangl "Bittersweet" dinnerware; "Vivant" Heirloom sterling; Boda crystal. Basket decoration by Elise Platt.



PARTY GAMESMANSHIP continued

Urbain-Dubois pastry conceit shows a croquembouche coyly pretending to be a pineapple.





A crown of *attelets*—ornamental silver skewers—is a traditional chef's trick for finishing an entrée with a flourish. You might take this a step further and spear individual servings of relishes (spiced kumquats, crab apples, watermelon rind) to accompany glazed ham. For roasts, spear vegetables. For portable cocktail food, skewer ham, cheese, olives, salami, pickles, arrange on aspic bed.



Bases carved from bread or brioche loaves are firm supports for mounds of toothpick-speared vegetables, fruits. More ambitious: bread sculptures such as a caramel-glazed barque with bread-slice sails on skewers.



a cabbage, to be artfully replaced by coleslaw or a mound of steak tartare or bowl of soup.

Matur imitate art in part guessing gam

Some of the dishes on this table as entirely edible, others are valuable e. amples of the potter's art. To spe which is real, which unreal, is the or ject of H&G's new party game. Lik such past masters of cuisine as Carêm and Urbain-Dubois, who in a cook riposte to the artist's trompe l'oe used to construct lifelike fooleries of pastry and spun-sugar, we also en ployed the hand to fool the eye. Bu believing that natural beauty is ofte overlooked until it turns up in anothe form such as painting or ceramics, w turned to nature for effects so perfec that, paradoxically, they seem unrea With the precise beauty of antiqu Chelsea and Meissen, we combined rea food arranged in the same style, eve. down to a similar glaze (achieved with a last-minute fine spray of water) Guess which is which and turn the pag upside down for the answers. (A thir teen/thirteen score rates you as un foolable. For your own party game, w do not suggest you duplicate this tabl down to the last detail. Instead, slip in a few fakes at your next buffet party such as a plate of ceramic stuffed eggs

Subobing intervel (and H&G) imitates drawer: Nature (and H&G) imitates art with a real cabbage, a pyramid of Brussels sprouts, bowl of figs, dish of scieks, asparagus and pimiento, radsticks, asparagus and pimiento, radsticks, asparagus and breaden is the Chelsea Toalsh-shaped pot of thives. The grouse is a modern desciet. Meissen and Chelsea vegetubles revet. Meissen and Chelsea vegetubles revet. Meissen and Chelsea vegetubles tom the Antique Porcelain Company.

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Christmas gifts

to spark juvenile euphoria pamper lotus-eaters delight the acquisitive surprise the have-alls and gratify the need-alls

Opposite page:

Magical miscellany of new sugarplums, starting in rear, left to right: Portable transitor TV with an 81/2-inch screen, that operates on its own battery. Complete with earphone and carrying case. By Sony. \$249.95. Just off the stagecoach, a Western Heroine doll (Destry Rides Again epoch) by Madame Alexander, F.A.O. Schwarz, \$8. Mexican candelabra with crêche figures worked into a Tree of Life design. Hot, brilliant colors. Phoenix Pan American Imports. \$12. Cecil, the Seasick Sea Serpent, a vision in emerald green plush. Pull a cord and he talks. "Give me a hug!" is one of his quips. 18 inches tall. Jordan Marsh. \$14. A barn full of animals including a purple cow. Each creature fits into a geometric stall. From Donaldson's Golden Rule. \$6.95. Atop the barn, a felt mouse dressed like a Tyrolean hausfrau. One of a collection of nine "United Nations" mice. Elder Craftsmen. \$2.75. Front, left to right: Scarlet currants-fake, but luscious-bedded down in a moss-filled berry box to live the year-round as a centerpiece. Stark-Valla Emporium. \$22. Paperweight, blue as a star sapphire, from a one-of-a-kind collection. Leigh Hammond. \$55. Calico-covered recipe box with file partitions and note paper. Stark-Valla Emporium. \$2.50. Red linen napkin with bouquet of everlasting flowers tied to a napkin ring. Part of a set of four napkins, \$6.95. Bow-tied basket centerpiece of the same flowers, \$3.95. Lord & Taylor. Magnificently mustachioed and brilliantly uniformed wood nutcracker made in Germany. Brooklyn Museum. \$15.75. Gold and silver Harlequin wallpaper from Charles Gracie. Available through decorators. Prices approximate, include Federal tax. Store directory, page 288.

Like a figurative glove, the perfect Christmas gift is always—psychologically—exactly the right size. Tailored with a yardstick called perception, costing as little or as much as you like, the token delights because it is a charming recognition that the donee is quite different from anyone else. Determining the difference, and thence the gift, is, of course, up to you, but it may help to know that, with the exception of unreformed Scrooges, most humans fall into five gift-list categories: Children who want everything

Which includes every child who believes in Santa Claus. We'd settle, ourselves, for a wonderful talking sea serpent (stuffed) as green as Loch Ness, and a red fire house with a brace of engines and a rooftop siren that's a ripsnorter.

People who collect everything or try anything

These are the acquisitive ones. For the first group, a carved fetish doll from Africa or a superb owl sculptured in brass could be the right treasure for the right collector. For the second group, why not an electric toothbrush? People who don't do anything

These are the quiet lotus eaters who like to put their feet up and switch the TV by remote control. For them, a camera that winds its own film, a no-exertion, hypodermic-needle corkpuller, or just a footstool would sustain their accustomed calm.

People who need everything

This roster includes practically everybody. The gift range is infinite, but, to be specific, everyone we know always needs a gay new casserole or a new welcome mat, and any kitchen—need-all or have-all—would be the better for a basic set of paperback cook books. People who have everything

These are sometimes simply gilded darlings, sometimes people so uncovetous of possessions they *think* they have everything. But among either group, there must be someone who has never put foot to a luxurious little rug of civet fur, and, ten to one, doesn't own a set of three properly labeled glass jars to hold the daily provender for, respectively, the cat, the dog and the canary.

For people of every category, you will find on the next ten pages a score or more of other gifts that promise a joy sure to last—if not forever—at least until December 25th, 1963.





Fire house with a real siren atop its tower, a fire-eater's lounge, engine space below. F.A.O. Schwarz. \$24.75.



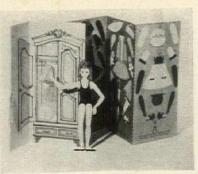
Teak high chair from Denmark, timeless enough in design to seat several generations in style. Be Seated. \$26.



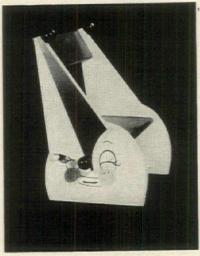
Artie and Smartie: twin, 12-inch dolls who travel de luxe with clothes, sport gear, brushes. F.A.O. Schwarz. \$29.95.



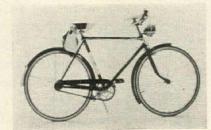
For a small Nostradamus: a telescope with camera to scan the sky and film the Milky Way. B. Altman & Co. \$29.95. 200



Lisa, a living doll (albeit a paper one), with a to-be-cut-out wardrobe in a Victorian armoire. Stark-Valla Emporium. \$5.95.



Clown stepstool: hats and back-rest stretcher swivel to form a second step. 131/2 by 9 by 15 inches. Macy's. \$2.99.



A beaut of a bike from England with hand brakes, tote pouch, spotlight for evening spins. Chain Bike Corporation. \$44.95.



A winter's reading of fairy tales (48 little booklets) stored in a stout cardboard file. Art Needlework Treasure Trove. \$7.50.



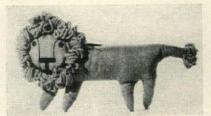
Tape recorder for youthful memorabilia: two tykes can use mike in tandem. Toy Guidance Council Approval, Lionel, \$39.95.



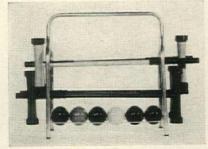
Blaze, the wonder horse, who gallops, says (when you pull a ring): "How about some haaay?" Jordan Marsh. \$29.88.



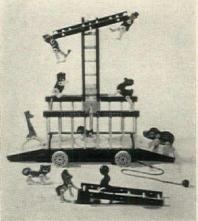
Blue telephone toy with concealed recording that answers when child lifts receiver. Educator Approved. Bamberger's. \$5.95.



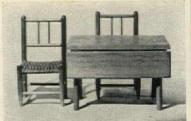
Stuffed green lion with a tawny mane--0 toy by day, a pillowing comfort come bed-time and Sandman. Stuart Becker. \$7.95.



Croquet, a foxy old game best learned early, via sleek aluminum, rubber-peened mallets. Hammacher Schlemmer. \$35.95.



Assemble-it-yourself plastic circus that runs tanbark gamut from tiger to suave, tail-coated ringmaster. Gimbel's. \$9.88.



Furniture scaled for 12- to 18-inch dolls, handmade, with an attractive Shaker look. Elder Craftsmen. The set: \$12.



A very gentle lion (except for his bristling black mane), made of teak, to brush a child's clothes. Seabon. \$5.45.



Alice and a Wonderland quintet inspired by the Tenniel drawings. Handpainted.ElderCraftsmen.Theset:\$15.75.



Santa Claus and pal, a Gingerbread Man-actually felt bean bags, 131/4 inches tall. Stark-Valla. \$3.50 each.



For pease porridge, hot or cold, a pottery set with yellow ducks afloat on a turquoise pond. By Stangl. \$4.95. HOUSE & GARDEN, NOVEMBER, 1962





From the Andes, the epitome of downy toys —a real llama-fur llama. 15 silky inches long, 18 inches high. Stuff & Nonsense: \$12.



An agile red, yellow and blue Polly (or Paul, maybe) with claws that flatten or flex, stand or grip. By Steiff. F.A.O. Schwarz. \$9.50.



Young student's typewriter in turquoise blue that goes to school in its own carrying case, weighs in at 111/4 pounds. Singer. \$49.95.



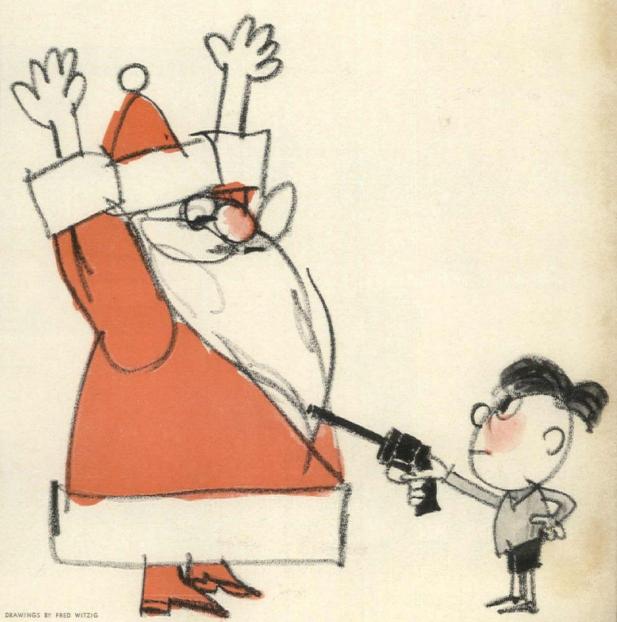
Bentwood rocker—a wonderful curlicue with cane seat and back. It comes from Italy to make grown folk envious. Be Seated. \$35.



For moon travel, red and white metal jump shoes mounted on springs, that tie on like skates. Various sizes. B. Altman & Co. \$6. DRAWING HOUSE & GARDEN, NOVEMBER, 1962

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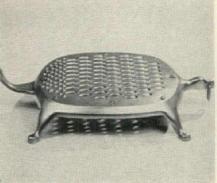


Copy of an old inn sign of painted wood with the Jack of Clubs rampant in red, blue, white, black. 25 by 19 inches. Leigh Hammond. \$85.



Black pottery bank from Mexico masquerading as a basket of fruit. Slot will take a silver dollar. 61/2 by 5 by 6 inches. Chequer. \$3.50.





Brass turtle from India—a handsome creature and a grater, to boot, that grates coarsely or finely. 11 inches. The Clothes Line. \$12.50.



Fantastic iron and brass owl sculpted by Judith Brown. A once-in-a-lifetime gift. 13 inches. Albert Landry Gallery. \$350.



Spanish repoussé tin candlesticks of curiously intricate workmanship. 20 inches tall. By Chapman Lamps. The pair: \$80.



Danish telephone in the *fin-de-siècle* manner: very literally, a conversation piece. Black enamel. B. Altman. \$79.50.

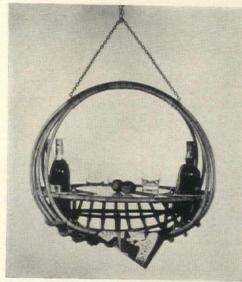


Centerpiece with gleam: perennial bouquet of gold-toned tin flowers in a silvery tin boat-dish. Fred Leighton. \$7.50. HOUSE & GARDEN, NOVEMBER, 1962





Sun plaque from Spain, golden, baroque, quite durable enough (by nature of composition) for a shady garden wall. 13 by 13 inches. B. Altman. \$10.



For garden summers and playroom winters, a hanging rattan bar with mixing area, teeterless storage 26 by 20 by 26 inches. Lord & Taylor. \$32.50.



Shaker set: one for sugar, the others for salt and pepper, table-size, tray-size. Orange roosters on white Ginori china. Geary's, Beverly Hills. \$34.50.



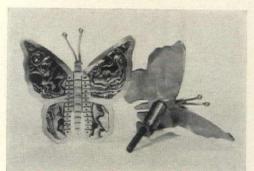
For an Afrophile: a carved Ibeji ebony figure bedecked with a stomacher, bracelets and a blue headdress. 11 inches tall. Brooklyn Museum. \$66.25.



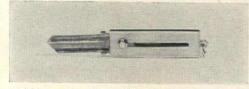
A garland of spice blends from six far-flung culinary outposts. Each calico-over-plastic bag has its own little spoon. Spice Mill Kitchen Arts. Set: \$6.



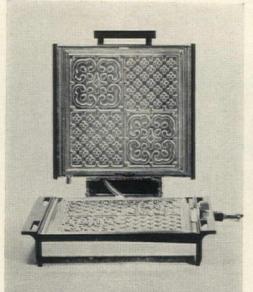
Tactile tranquilizers: touchstones that relieve tension when rubbed (or so Orientals aver). International Gem Co. Jade: \$10. Agate, rose quartz: \$5.



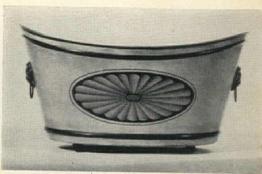
Mother-of-pearl butterflies that are, of all things, drawer pulls—opalescent, amazingly strong and mounted in brass. Stuff and Nonsense. Pair: \$14.95.



Gold key case with a slide-slot so key can be extended or retracted, a link to attach to key chain or ring. 13/4 inches long. International Gem Co. \$35. HOUSE & GARDEN, NOVEMBER, 1962



The waffle iron glorified: a Florentine grid that turns out the old breakfast favorite, as toothsome as ever, in Cellini arabesques. By Dominion. \$34.95.



Yellow and black tole planter with the patina of antiquity (hand-applied in 1962) as a mask for brand new tin. 161/4 by 61/4 by 51/2 inches. Bergdorf-Goodman. \$60.



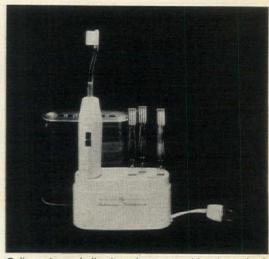
Desk aide-de-camp: ebony letter opener from Africa, its grip a carved frog, polished to the nines, as pert as though perched on a lily pad. Brooklyn Museum. \$3.



From Italy: tiny ceramic angels with clapperless bells for skirts in heavenly (what else?) combinations of blue, pink, green, yellow. Brooklyn Museum. \$2, \$2.25.



A duck of a tureen, and a superb one, in beige and brown earthenware, big enough for ragout for two. Detailing of plumage is very fine. Piazza 65th St. \$25.



Collector's end-all: the electric toothbrush. Individual brushes (four to a kit) snap into a power handle with rechargeable battery. General Electric. \$19.95.



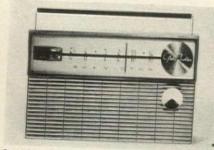
Silver-plated bucket and carafe designed to ice martinis to a T (but not dilute them). Bucket, 5% inches tall. Newport Silver. \$20.



Lovely way to put one's feet up: teak footstool covered in a handwoven, emerald tweed. 121/2 by 10 by 6 inches. America House. \$25.



Handsome hurricane lamp inspired by an old egg candler. Black wood base. 17½ inches tall. By Chapman Lamps. Bloomingdale's. \$75.



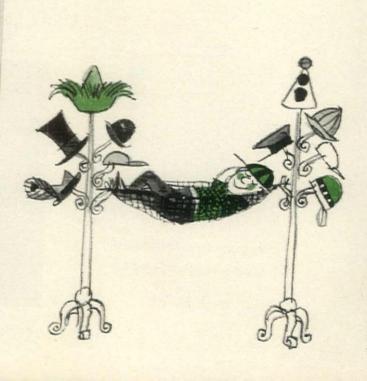
Portable transistor radio called, aptly, the Globe Trotter, with eight tubes instead of six (consequently, more power). RCA. \$49.95.



From Murano, the Italian glassblower's finishing school, a multicolored, multipatterned, bellissima paperweight. Stuart Becker. \$6.50. 204

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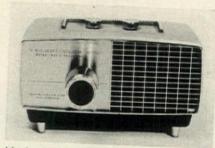




Road Runner, an ambulatory Mexican bird with a wildly gay look in his eye, in beige and gray pottery. Fred Leighton. \$8.50.



Bronze hand of Buddha in the classic, eloquent gesture of peace-fragment of an ancient statue. Far Eastern Fabrics. \$75.



Movie projector, 8mm, so simple a child can operate it. "Magi-Cartridge" eliminates bother of re-winding film. Technicolor. \$99.



Crewelwork pillow (prize for can't or won't embroiderers) inspired by an antique Swedish plate. Four East Fifty-third. \$13.20.



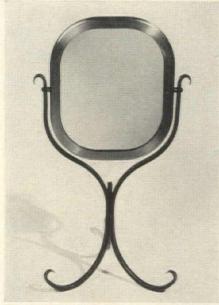
Motormatic 35F camera with pop-up flash, built-in light meter, takes 10 shots in seconds without rewinding. Eastman Kodak. \$119.50.



The ultimate in corkscrews: not a corkscrew at all, but a hypodermic cork-lifter. A simple push does the trick neatly. Lord & Taylor. \$6.



Book-laden, ceramic Cardinal with bright scarlet robe, resting on, perhaps, one of the Spanish Steps. Piazza 65th St. \$46.50.



Graceful tripod mirror of pewter and iron designed for a dressing table, but stylish enough anywhere. $12\frac{1}{2}$ inches high. Wilburt. \$12.50.



Appian Way paperweight: brown alabaster pine cone from Italy, heavy enough to hold down a month's bills. Piazza 65th St. \$9.50. HOUSE & GARDEN, NOVEMBER, 1962



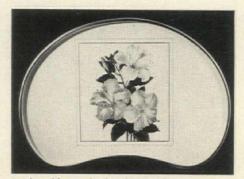
Golden cockatoo's head that doffs its crest to reveal a sizable (and sumptuous) cigarette hideaway. 61/2 inches long. Bonwit Teller. \$60.



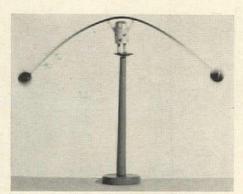
From Japan, where fruits and vegetables are as inspiring as flowers, a tomato red lacquer box. 8 by 5 inches. East Norwich House. \$20.75.



Footstool with a homespun air, sturdy enough to hold its own for a long time. Basket-weave sisal seat. Four East Fifty-Third. \$31.95.



For breakfast in bed, a kidney-shaped painted tray designed with a curve to fit cozily around you. Yellow and pink. Lord & Taylor. \$15.



Conversation piece: a little man from Japan who balances weights on a platform, moves about but never topples. Brooklyn Museum, \$3.



Almost too pretty to set alight, an artichoke candle in green wax makes a charming centerpiece, burns practically forever. 7 inches. Stark-Valla Emporium. \$3.75.



For Napoleonic enthusiasts, the Little Corporal's hat in black tôle decorated in red, white and blue. Handsome memento, useful planter. 161/2 inches long. Macy's. \$54.95.



Stereo FM radio with two speakers that is about as compact as a stereo radio can be. Walnut cabinet, 161/2 by 83/4 by 91/4 inches. General Electric. \$139.95.



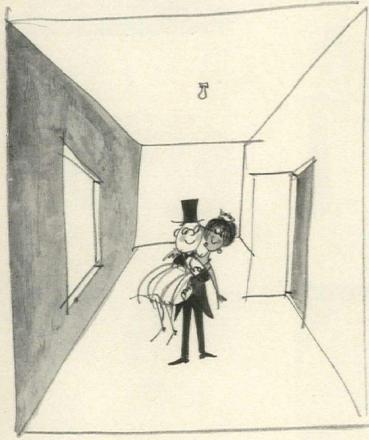
Two raffish little trolls from Scandinavia with no claim to beauty but a wonderful, chuckly appeal. Seabon. Boy doll, 10 inches tall, \$6.95. Girl, 6 inches tall, \$4.95.



Box of beautifully burled old wood, handmade, and made to order for everything from cigarettes or potpourri to a gentleman's jewelry. 7 inches long. Von Miklos. \$10.

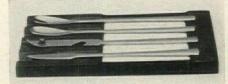
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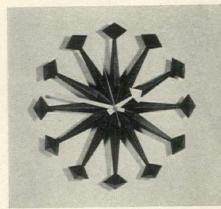
Alabaster apothecary jar, brown and glossy as a chestnut, for cigarettes, candy, or just to look at. 6 inches tall. Stuart Becker. \$9.50.



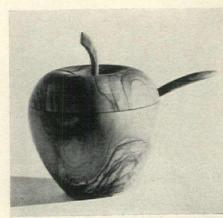
Stainless steel bar set: knife, beer-punch-andbottle-opener, spoon and fork—all magnetically held on cutting board. Lord & Taylor. \$6.



Glamour for kitchen staples: Italian pottery canisters shaped like ginger jars. Green, violet, blue and orange. Lord & Taylor. Set: \$11.



Carved pinwheel wall clock that tells time with an orange minute hand, a white hour hand. By Howard Miller. J. L. Hudson, \$40.



For honey or condiments, a beige and brown olivewood apple, satiny, beautifully grained, faintly aromatic. 4 by 4 inches. Halls. \$5.



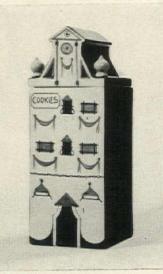
Italian hearth brush of bound grasses the rugged type—with bamboo handle, brass nailheads. Piazza 65th St. \$5.75.



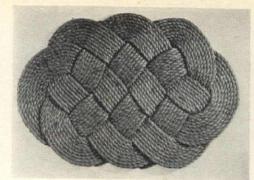
Bouquet of wooden spoons (and a whisk to boot) for the rites of mixing and scooping. Seabon. Set: \$5.50.



Three-legged Norwegian bowl in shades of blue for salad, fruit or stew. Jon's Scandinavian Shop. \$9.45.



Ceramic jar for urbane cookies: a Classic Revival town house. Roof is lid, 14 inches tall. Lord & Taylor. \$10.



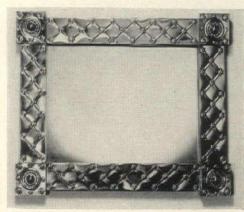
Door mat of knotted brown sisal, tough as the shoe leather it must welcome. Design is called (and is) an endless knot. Lord & Taylor. \$10.



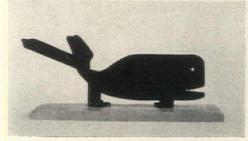
Enameled casserole from Mexico in bright turquoise spattered with red, black, white—very festive. 9 by 31/4 inches. Lane Galleries. \$4.



Finnish salad bowl in blue enamel, deep enough for no-splash tossing. Pincers-server weds fork to spoon. Seabon. Bowl: \$5.50, Server: \$6.50.



Mexican mirror of brass (the design looks like quilting) with a copper boss in each corner, 16 by 20 inches. Phoenix Pan American. \$29.



Foot scraper: a coal-black iron version of Moby Dick mounted on a wood plank for bolting. 163/4 by 6 by 61/2 inches. The Unicorn. \$16.50.



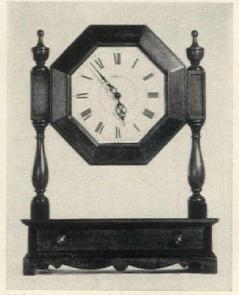
Roomy, stylish tote bag of green and red Paisley cotton completely lined with Pellon, 20 inches long, 8 inches square. Nancy's Fancy. \$5.25.



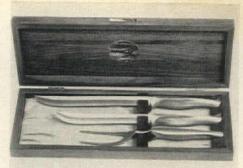
White porcelain bowl inspired by a Regency bamboo tub which probably held wine. This pretty trick is for fruit. Stuart Becker. \$9.50.



Apothecary's-scale centerpiece of pewter and pine holds fruit or flowers, converts to a single candlestick. By International Silver. \$24.95.



Mahogany octagonal clock with its own stand and drawer in the manner of a Victorian shaving mirror. Haverty Furniture Company. \$26.50.



Stainless steel carving set designed to serve up a lifetime of turkeys. Handles are contoured to ensure steady grasp. By Carvel Hall, \$39.95.



Hand-wrought silver demitasse spoons with a coral cabochon set like a flower into the tip of each handle. Thunderbird Shop. \$3.85 each.



Italian duck decoy that looks like old wood but is actually faux bois pottery. Filled with sand, a good doorstop. Stark-Valla Emporium. \$6.95.



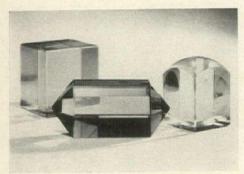
Black and white spice jars from Scandinavia, generously proportioned with mouths wide enough for a spoon. Stark-Valla Emporium. \$2.75 each.



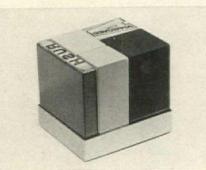
Garden book for more or less green thumbs compiled to "ease the chores, increase the pleasures of your garden." Pub. by Random House. \$5.95.



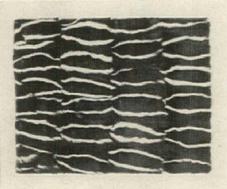
GIFTS FOR PEOPLE WHO



Antique crystal paperweights, Sybaritic as jewels. From an impressive collection: all colors, shapes and sizes. Leigh Hammond. \$45 to \$75.



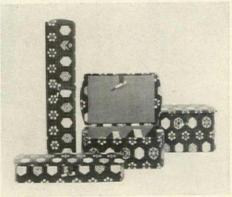
For explicit desks: five rubber stamps (RUSH, AIR MAIL, APPROVED, PERSONAL and FILE) set on colored blocks. Stark-Valla. \$10.95.



A lush little rug of civet, that stylish animal usually more appreciated in the pelt than on all fours. 48 by 36 inches. Leigh Hammond. \$145.



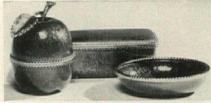
Demitasse set for two—and only two—admirers of elegant Italian porcelain. Bandings are emerald green and gold on white. Ginori. \$95. 208



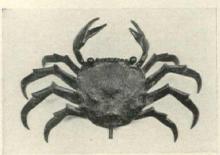
Four that earn their keep: pretty, paper-linedand-covered boxes for cigarettes, cards, index file, pencils and such. Neiman-Marcus. \$14.95.



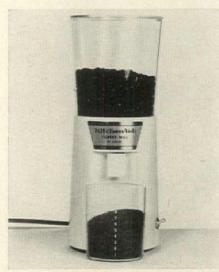
For Puss, Towser and Birdie—three flossy candy jars of between-meal snacks: catnip, dog yummies, de luxe seed. Elder Craftsmen. \$2.50 each.



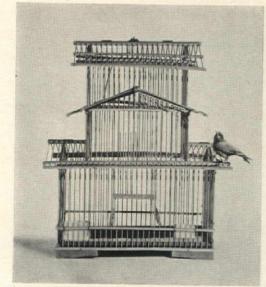
Smoking set in bronze green enamel edged with vermeil. Robinsons. Apple (it's a lighter): \$16.50. Box: \$10. Tray: \$4.50.



Bronze fountain-crab, piped to become a working water creature when attached to a spray. Any pool will do. Warfield Shop. \$26.



For coffee connoisseurs: an electric mill that grinds fourteen fragrant variations. Base is white or sandalwood. By Hobart. \$27.95.



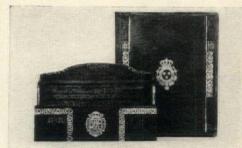
Pleasure dome for a bird with an eye for color: tiered bamboo cage in sharp yellow, red, turquoise, purple or deep pink. 16 by 131/2 by 20 inches. Azuma. \$11.



The king of beasts, a bit drowsy, but noble —a brown-and-white ceramic plaque hardy enough for outdoors. America House, \$87,



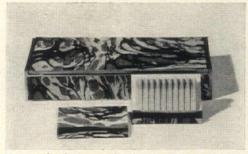
Six-pack cigarette box of rosewood, its top of exotically colored woods joined with the expertise of fine marquetry. To order. Von Miklos, \$25.



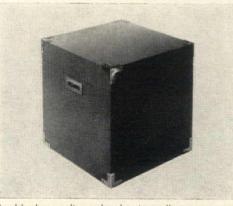
Desk accessories made in France from old book bindings, end papers and ormolu. Bloomingdale's. The letter holder: \$27.50. Portfolio: \$17.50.



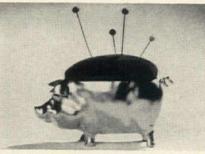
Red velveteen cushion—a plushy bed for a highliving canine who's just a bit less than 21 by 15 inches, couchant. Bloomingdale's. \$6.95.



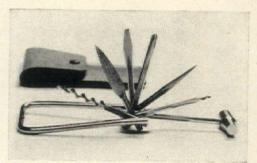
Honey of a hostess gift: elegant box, covered in tortoise-shell paper, that holds 24 extra-wide match packs, similarly paper-covered. Leigh Hammond. \$6.



For blankets or liquor bottles (equally apt storage for either), a red or emerald green lacquer chest, brass-fitted. 17 by 17 by 17 inches. Founders. \$77. HOUSE & GARDEN, NOVEMBER, 1962



Vermeil piggy with a red plush back. Not a bank—for a change—but a pincushion. 3 by 2 glittering inches. Bonwit Teller. \$7.50.



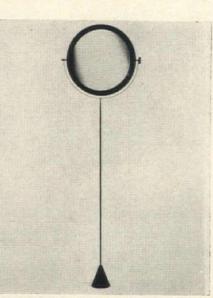
Bonanza pocket tool-kit: corkscrew, file, borer, awl, two screwdrivers and a tack hammer-all in a 41/4-by-3-inch case. Elinor Beard, \$6,50,



Chess at its most opulent: both the chessmen and board are fashioned of gleaming brown and white alabaster. Bloomingdale's. The set: \$59.50.



Titian-haired and green-eyed, a painted lady who cherishes seven lipsticks (or eye pencils) in her wooden bosom. Marion Wieder. \$29.50.



Austrian shaving mirror tall enough to reflect a 6-footer and elegantly contemporary in walnut, polished steel. Abraham & Straus. \$79.50.



Three little brass and wood bowls from India, charming in detail, big enough for cigarettes, matches. Brooklyn Museum. Set: \$31.25.

HOUSES BUILT OF

BY ALAN PRYCE-JONES

• On the whole, writes Elizabeth Bowen, places more often than faces have sparked off stories. She is thinking chiefly about herself; but I believe a good many writers have felt as she does. They begin by imagining a place—an attic room, it may be, or the turn of a stair, or simply a dusty yard; and little by little characters steal on to people the empty stage.

That is why certain stories live for us so intensely. Even in our own lives we remember best not just people but people-in-asetting. The feel of a door-handle, the clang of an elevator gate may be more evocative than any portrait, just as Proust found that a whole childhood could be brought back by the taste of a cake.

I can imagine, therefore, a dream village of the imaginary houses built by novelists-a kind of disembodied Williamsburg. And the manor-house would be Henry James' Poynton. For "The Spoils of Poynton" is perhaps the only novel in the world in which things throughout are more important than people. From the very beginning, two houses confront one another. There is Waterbaththe terrible house in which Mrs. Gereth is "kept awake for hours by the wallpaper in her room"-Waterbath, which could have been all right if only its owners had let it alone instead of filling it with "gimeracks that might have been keepsakes for maidservants and nondescript conveniences that might have been prizes for the blind." And then there is Mrs. Gereth's own Poynton, the wonderful house which was the record of a collector's lifetime "written in great syllables of color and form." It is not the respective owners, the Gereths and the Brigstocks, who face each other: it is the houses and their contents. And when in the end, Povnton goes up in flames, it is like the death of a person. Waterbath has committed a murder.

James was a romantic, and romantics seek complications where classical writers prefer to set everything in order. The classical novelists of the eighteenth century described houses, certainly, but without paying much attention to them; they were simply a necessary piece of background to living. But James was one of the first to see that a house is as personal as a dress or a tone of voice. Probing into character, he inevitably probed into the settings which evoke character. And so we shudder at the house in "The Turn of the Screw," since it is just the kind of house on which the unquiet spirit of a Quint would feed; and we smile at the stuffy rooms of "Washington Square," with just a touch of horror behind the smile. It is the houses themselves, not the people in them, which engender these complicated feelings in the first place.

One can see how sure is James' touch when one applies the same test to Edith Wharton. This admirable novelist—his old friend began her career by writing about interior decoration. If anyone, she ought to have been able to invent precisely the setting for her novels of social conflict. Not at all. Her houses are no more than suitable back-drops. We get to know Lily Bart with no help from the rooms through which she moves. They have no more relevance to her than any other rooms handed over to a competent decorator by an uncaring inmate.

It is arguable that the very greatest novelists take places for granted since they have no time for any consideration which may detract from their characters. I think I know Eugénie Grandet's house in Saumur, but otherwise the houses in Balzac occupy a back street in my dream village. The great Russians seem only to have three houses between the lot of them—excluding prisons. There is the city palace, the hovel and the country estate with its birch trees, its kerosene lamps and white embroidered curtains behind the veranda.

Dickens, it is true, had a vivid sense of place. But he tended to rag his places as he ragged his people, exaggerating here, squeezing an extra laugh or a sob there out of the unlikeliest situations. The only Dickens house I can think of with a true Jamesian ring to it is the Chesney Wold of "Bleak House." This vast, draughty, moonlit house exactly reflects the plight of Lady Dedlock in chapter after chapter. Indeed, it may be that the special excellence of "Bleak House" in Dickens' work comes from the fact that he sets a tone from the opening pages: a tone closely linked with an acute sense of place. The fog is creeping up the Thames, through the city of London. We are already in the estuary not of a great river only, but of a great novel.

Novelists in general tend to be either knowing or blood-curdling about their houses. There is no easier way of gaining admittance to a really grand house than by reading about it, and because novelists know it well they are full of hospitality. They invite us into one palace after another with an air of the blandest oneupmanship. There are always enough servants in novels, unless they are of the sternest proletarian realism, and there is always enough space. If not, an extra drawing room can be run up in half a paragraph. Why, then, bother with rumpus rooms and dining recesses? Take a whole wing.

I suppose the most famous house in modern fiction is Daphne du Maurier's Manderley. It has everything. Smooth lawns, terraces sloping to gardens and gardens to the sea. True, the butler controls only one footman; but there is Mrs. Danvers the housekeeper,

ALAN PRYCE-JONES, a sleek, dark, voluble, former Londoner who now lives in New York, was a constant visitor at the houses of fiction during his many years as editor of "The Times Literary Supplement." Of recent months he has been absorbed in a novel for quite different purposes: Opening this month in London is a new musical of which he is the author and Julian Slade the composer. Its title and plot source: "Vanity Fair."

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Novelists invite you into house after house that you build yourself, in your imagination

dressed in deep black, with hollow eyes in a skull's face, standing under the Lelys and the Vandykes in a great stone hall, and proffering a hand "limp and heavy, deathly cold" to an innocent young American bride at her first homecoming. There will be tea beyond the minstrels' gallery, with silver tray and snowy cloth, and Jasper the spaniel lying in front of the fire. The bride will feel insufficient in her stockinette dress. And Daphne du Maurier will make us all feel that at last we know the grand life as it is really lived.

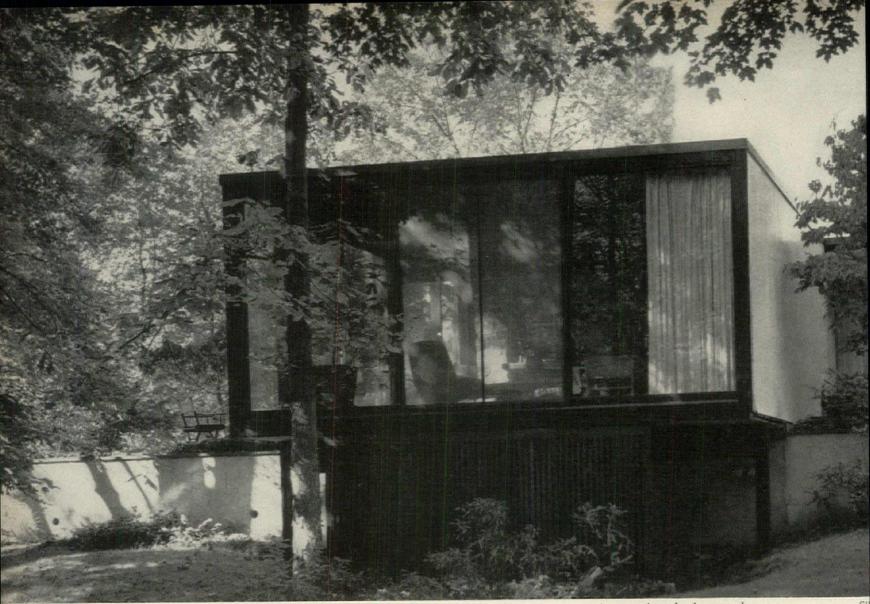
The blood-curdlers always put their houses to a sinister purpose. Indeed, I can think of very few houses in fiction the function of which is to raise our spirits unless it be P. G. Wodehouse's Blandings Castle. Much more usual is a castle like that described by a remarkable man who was also a very minor novelist: Horace Walpole. "The Castle of Otranto" is a Gothic novel, set in the Middle Ages, and if it were not for the haunted atmosphere of the place itself, nobody would remember what happened in it. Does Manfred murder Matilda beside Alfonso's tomb? Was Theodore really the rightful prince and not a peasant at all? Nobody cares. But forty years after first reading it I can still remember the staircase with a spectral mailed fist appearing through the darkness, and the enormous ghost who fulfilled a prophecy by becoming larger and larger until the house bursts asunder-a fate curiously irrelevant to Walpole's own delightful Gothic villa which can still be seen on the banks of the Thames at Strawberry Hill: a house so pretty and pin-neat that even Walpole himself could not find the heart to trouble it with a nostalgic visit from the next world.

So direct a method of chilling the spine would nowadays seem corny indeed. But houses are still used to sum up the human atmosphere which they enclose. Is not that exactly the function of Evelyn Waugh's Brideshead? The particular kind of last-ditch country grandeur which he describes is inseparable from the house in which it is displayed, with carpets a trifle threadbare, the Lelys and Vandykes badly in need of a clean, and the real center of power moved from the drawing room to the nursery where nanny holds the family together. Or there are the two novels centered on the great house of Knole, in Kent: Victoria Sackville-West's "The Edwardians" and Virginia Woolf's "Orlando." It is amusing to compare the two. For Knole-the Chevron of "The Edwardians"-was in fact Miss Sackville-West's home, and what caught her imagination was the autumnal quality of its splendor sixty years ago. Whereas Virginia Woolf made it the setting for a kind of poem, spanning the centuries through the fantastic character of Orlando, sometimes man and sometimes woman according to the period in which he moves, and based on Victoria Sackville-West herself. But it is the house that matters-the seven courtyards, the fifty-two staircases, the (inevitably) three hundred and sixty-five rooms, with its banqueting hall—as Virginia Woolf points out—five acres away from the farther side of the farthest court.

Subtler still, Henry Green has caught the atmosphere of an Irish country house in "Loving," a small masterpiece of the 1940's. He enlarges one aspect of "The Edwardians," the most famous chapters of which deal with back-stairs life and the stately hierarchy of the housekeeper's room in 1910. "Loving"-incidentally based loosely on the setting of Birr Castle, childhood home of Tony Armstrong-Jones-is an astonishing creation. During a single short visit to Birr, Henry Green intuitively grasped the atmosphere of a big house as seen by the servants. He hardly ever describes the house directly, but, through the servants' eyes, sketches it in with care. The head footman comes into his mistress' room. "He carried a large tray on which he had arranged three stacks of fresh blotting paper coloured pink, white and yellow, two saucers of Worcester china in which were knobs of bronze and gold plated, two bottles of red and blue ink with clean syringes to fill the inkwells, and piles of new stationery which matched those three shades of blotting paper." At once a whole manner of life looms up behind the words. It is wartime, and most of the house is closed. But the maids have to open the windows of dustsheeted rooms once or twice a week to let the air in; and all of a sudden there they are, having lifted one blind in the darkened ballroom, dancing below the five crystal chandeliers to an elderly phonograph, and caught in the act. Small beer? Certainly. But all arising out of intuitions about a single romantic house, which gradually shapes itself on our own imagination.

The procedure was carried still farther by E. M. Forster in "Howard's End." This is a novel about two conflicting manners of life, shown in the relationship of two families, the liberal Schlegels and the materialist Willcoxes. The link between them is a country house, Howard's End—a recollection of Forster's boyhood home. The house represents tradition: one critic has called it "an ideal, a standard, by which each of the novel's characters must be judged." The house permeates the book with its atmosphere of chequered sunlight. Whatever the Schlegels and the Willcoxes think or do is brought back to the house as a pattern for civilized living.

It was easier for the novelists of spacious days to attach such harmonies to bricks and mortar. A world of Levittowns, even a world of French Provincial or "palazzo," is much harder to make significant. But the material for the novelist is still waiting to be dug, even from a pre-fabricated world. Let Elizabeth Bowen have the last, as well as the first, word. Stories, she says, "pre-exist, only wait to be come upon. I know I do not invent them; I discover them." Most novelists act from instinct rather than by reason. But they would agree on this act of discovery. Weehawken and Westwood need only wait for their poet to come along.

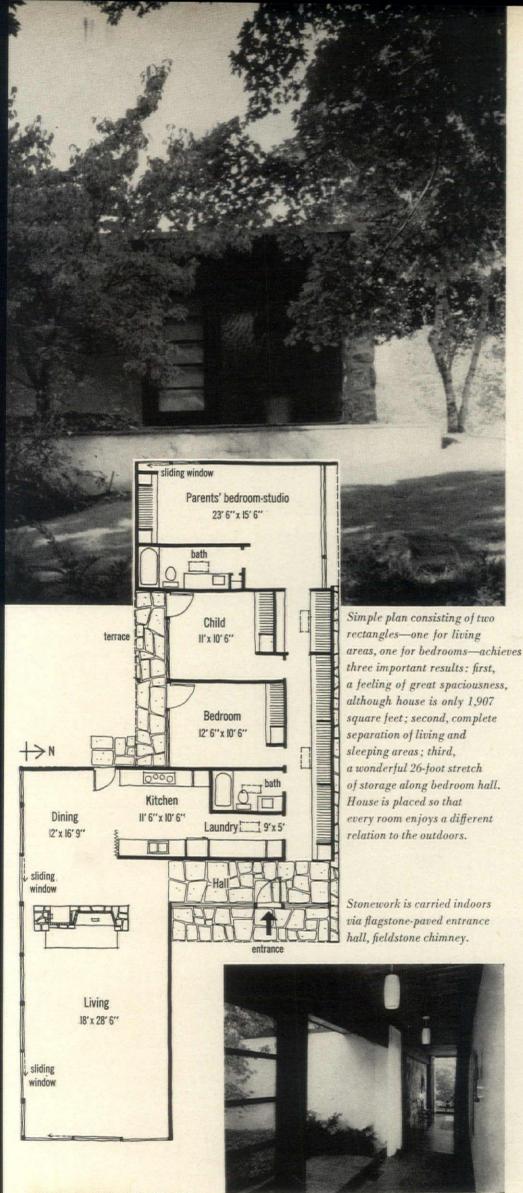


Built on a raised platform of land, the house is placed so that one end of the living room projects out into the deep woods.



As you walk up flagged path to glassed entrance hall, you see one wall of white-painted wood, another of typically Connecticut masonry. 212 HOUSE & GAR

OWNERS: Mr. and Mrs. Allen F. Hurlburt ARCHITECT: Roy Binkley LOCATION: New Canaan, Conn. SIZE: Approximately 1,907 square feet



Connecticut farmhouse, A.D. 1962

Fieldstone and wood carry old New England building traditions into a house designed for today's living

Near the hearth in the glass-walled living room of the Allen Hurlburts' house in New Canaan, Conn., stands a painted rocking chair that has refreshed and solaced four generations of Hurlburts. Happily at home in its contemporary setting, yet highly expressive of continuity with the past, this chair symbolizes the atmosphere of the whole house and the feelings that brought it into being. Unmistakably contemporary, and designed for commuters rather than farmers, the house is nevertheless a true descendant of the old Connecticut farme. houses. It reflects the Hurlburts' abiding attachment to regional traditions and, at the same time, their wholehearted commitment to today's way of living.

Mr. Hurlburt's family had always lived in this part of Connecticut, and he and his wife had lived in the neighborhood for some time, in a Colonial house. They loved its aura of warmth and the intimacy of its scale. But anticipating the arrival of daughter Susan, they were beginning to feel pressed for space and increasingly confined by the small rooms and tiny windows. Professional training in the arts (he is art director of a leading magazine) had given them respect and understanding for contemporary design, so a contemporary house was their natural and inevitable choice.

Mr. Hurlburt roughed out sketches of what they had in mind, and called in architect Roy Binkley (designer of an adventurous house shown in October H&G). During a weekend visit with them he was able to discover just what they loved about their old house, as well as the special assets of their new site and the regional character of other houses nearby. (*Continued on next page*)



The moment you enter the Hurlburts' new house you sense its kinship with the past, for even as you pause to admire the big abstract painting in the entrance hall, you glimpse beyond it the rustic stonework of the chimney and the low beamed ceiling that evoke the old-farmhouse mood.

Rough stones and warm woods, of course, are as contemporary as glass walls but here they have been handled with traditional New England craftsmanship. The stones of the chimney and outer wall (taken straight from the land) were chosen, cut and placed by the knowing hand of a local mason practicing an inherited craft. And Mr. Hurlburt takes special pride in such details as the slender strips that define the boundaries where plaster walls meet the wood ceilings.

In furnishing the house, the Hurlburts unhesitatingly mixed modern Scandinavian things with older American designs like a venerable weathervane, the dining room's country ladderbacks, the delightful oldfashioned clock in the kitchen. With their sure eye for design and their love of the frank and unpretentious, they created an atmosphere of warmth, spontaneity and almost Shaker-like simplicity.

The house, in turn, has had its influence on the Hurlburts. They discovered, for instance, that the glass-walled corner of the living room is like a hothouse in winter, so they decided to grow miniature orange trees there. "And before I knew it," says city-bred Mrs. Hurlburt, "I found myself putting up old-fashioned country marmalade!"





CONNECTICUT FARMHOUSE continued

The inviting intimate mood of an old farmhouse is recreated in the living room, OPPOSITE PAGE, ABOVE AND BELOW, with its rugged stone chimney wall and deliberately low ceiling braced by massive dark beams. Yet, these elements are also as contemporary as the two walls of glass which turn one end of the room into a delightful tree house that seems to nestle among the branches of the oaks and maples outside. In this setting, the old family rocker, the modern Scandinavian furniture (and the coffee table which Mr. Hurlburt made from a flush door) all create a happy ambiance that invites relaxationand endows even big parties with an easy, sit-on-the-floor informality.

The massive stone chimney also contributes its strong decorative character to the dining room, LEFT. Built into the chimney, like the bake ovens of early New England, is a waist-high barbecue that is one of Mrs. Hurlburt's favorite conveniences: "I do all our broiling here," she says. "Everything tastes so much better. And it saves having to clean the kitchen oven." Since the walnutfinished kitchen is in effect an extension of the dining room, she can make fast, easy work of serving, whether it's dinner for eight or supper for 3-year-old Susan, splendidly ensconced at the dining table in her Danish high chair. (Afterward, Susan can make a fast exit to her play yard through the Dutch door.) A curtain of gaily printed fabric draws across opening between kitchen and dining room to conceal after-dinner clutter.

The Hurlburts' bedroom, LEFT, is big enough to include a drafting table where Mr. Hurlburt does office homework. Next to it, a wall of rippling translucent glass provides good north light and privacy from nearby road. Sliding glass wall at other end of room, near bamboo-curtained closet wall, opens to rolling side lawn.

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How young collectors live with art

1. Accent on abstractions

"When I started collecting, I was lucky rather than wise," says Donald Blinken, a New York City investment banker still in his thirties. But one look around the Blinkens' radiant, art-filled apartment immediately negates the statement. For the paintings, drawings and sculpture-even the books-indicate a knowledgeability, sureness and consistency of taste that is carried right through the decoration.

The luck to which Mr. Blinken refers had to do with the time when he began collecting, some thirteen years ago. Then, many important abstract artists like Mark Rothko and Philip Guston were still comparatively unknown and their work reasonably priced. He began, as he suggests others might, simply by gallery going. "But once you've nibbled," he warns,

"you're hooked." Mr. Blinken and his wife, now as addicted to art as he, are typical of the new kind of collector. They buy art to live with, not for decoration, not for status, not for investment. Art, the Blinkens say, is "life enhancing." Reading about art and artists is one source of guidance for these two collectors, listening to the experts, another. But their purchases are made on a purely personal basis-when both Blinkens feel "an emotional and intellectual involvement." They try to meet today's artists in their own studios,

have found a sincere interest provides an open sesame. Decisions are shared. "Sometimes we visit a studio, see several things we like, have trouble deciding which to take. So we buy the one that stays with us longest after we return home. It's a lovely problem to face." Rather than sampling an artist's work, they like to buy it in depth. For, acquiring a single example is not as interesting, they feel, as tracing an artist's development, in drawings as well as larger works. Thus, a Jack Tworkov oil in the bedroom is grouped with five of his drawings.

For a suitable background in which to install their collection, the Blinkens called upon designer John Bedenkapp whose taste in art echoes their own. The living room, right, sets the mood. Here, a tall figure by the British sculptor William Turnbull, "Idol Number 1," stands guard near the window. Two large oils by Mark Rothko, illuminated from above, hang nearby. White walls, plain light carpeting and a minimum of furnishings, all contemporary, conspire to make the art the center of attention. This room illustrates the school of thought that works of art should be displayed one by one, so that your attention is undistracted by competing claims and your pleasure is, to an extent, prescribed.

This subdued scheme is reiterated in other rooms. The paintings, several of them large canvases in strong color, are unframed or simply framed with bands of wood and hung, for the most part, to leave slightly more wall space at the top than at the bottom. Among artists represented in the collection are Esteban Vicente, Willem de Kooning, Robert Motherwell, Franz Kline, James Rosati and Hans Hofmann.





2. Spotlight on Americana

An emphasis on traditional, representational American art characterizes the collection of another young couple: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fleischman of Detroit. Concerning his preference for realism, Mr. Fleischman comments: "We are simple people who know art and enjoy it. We have nothing mystical that needs interpretation."

Like Donald Blinken, Mr. Fleischman started collecting just over thirteen years ago. He remembers the date well because he bought the first picture—a Max Pollock—soon after his marriage, as a birthday present for his wife. He went on to acquire drawings by Picasso and Matisse, traded these in when he began to concentrate on Americana.

"We decided to specialize in our own culture," is the reason Mr. Fleischman gives for the switch. Today, the Fleischman collection contains some 500 pictures, 2,000 books of reference, sixteen filing cabinets with information about American art and artists. These last suggested the formation of the Archives of American Art, a unique nonprofit information center housed in the Detroit Institute of Arts. The Fleischmans' mutual interest in launching and sustaining this project has provided a happily shared occupation for their leisure time.

The couple insist that collecting is a disease, that what began as a hobby has become a compulsion, filling their lives as well as their home with ever-expanding interests. Every room of the house (including kitchen, bathrooms and the private domains of three children ranging from 8 to 12) is crammed with art. Even drawers are piled high with portfolios of drawings and water colors.

The Fleischmans belong to the school that believes paintings should be hung in a crowd so that you can enjoy the more intimate pleasure of making a personal discovery—whether an old portrait by the Peale family or a work by such modern painters as Mark Tobey, Ben Shahn or Lyonel Feininger. Almost all of the walls, like those in the entrance hall, *right*, are completely covered with pictures that reach up to the ceiling. Ranging up along the stairway is Edward Hopper's famous "Lighthouse" flanked by examples of the work of Charles Demuth, Charles Sheeler, Mark Tobey and others. In the dining room, through the doorway at the foot of the stairs, are two large Leonard Baskin sculptures.

Because the collection is such a large one, only part of it is on display in the house at any given time. Some of the overflow is transferred to Mr. Fleischman's office, and as many as fifty more canvases are usually on loan to some gallery or museum for an exhibition. About every six months or so, the pictures are re-arranged, new ones added and a few discarded. Last year, the Fleischmans estimate, they disposed of six because they were able to get more exciting examples of the artists' works.

Though the collection has outgrown the house, there will be no stopping for these two dedicated collectors, who have already made a start in a new direction: fine eighteenthcentury American furniture which they feel best sets off the paintings and sculpture they own.

The entire family agrees that collecting is an exciting, lively experience. Even the children have their favorites. When the White House (for whom Mr. Fleischman is an advisor on painting) recently wanted to borrow a Stuart Davis, 8-year-old Martha Fleischman protested the move. Even the promise that she could have a Calder mobile in her room did not change her mind. The Davis is still in Detroit. 218





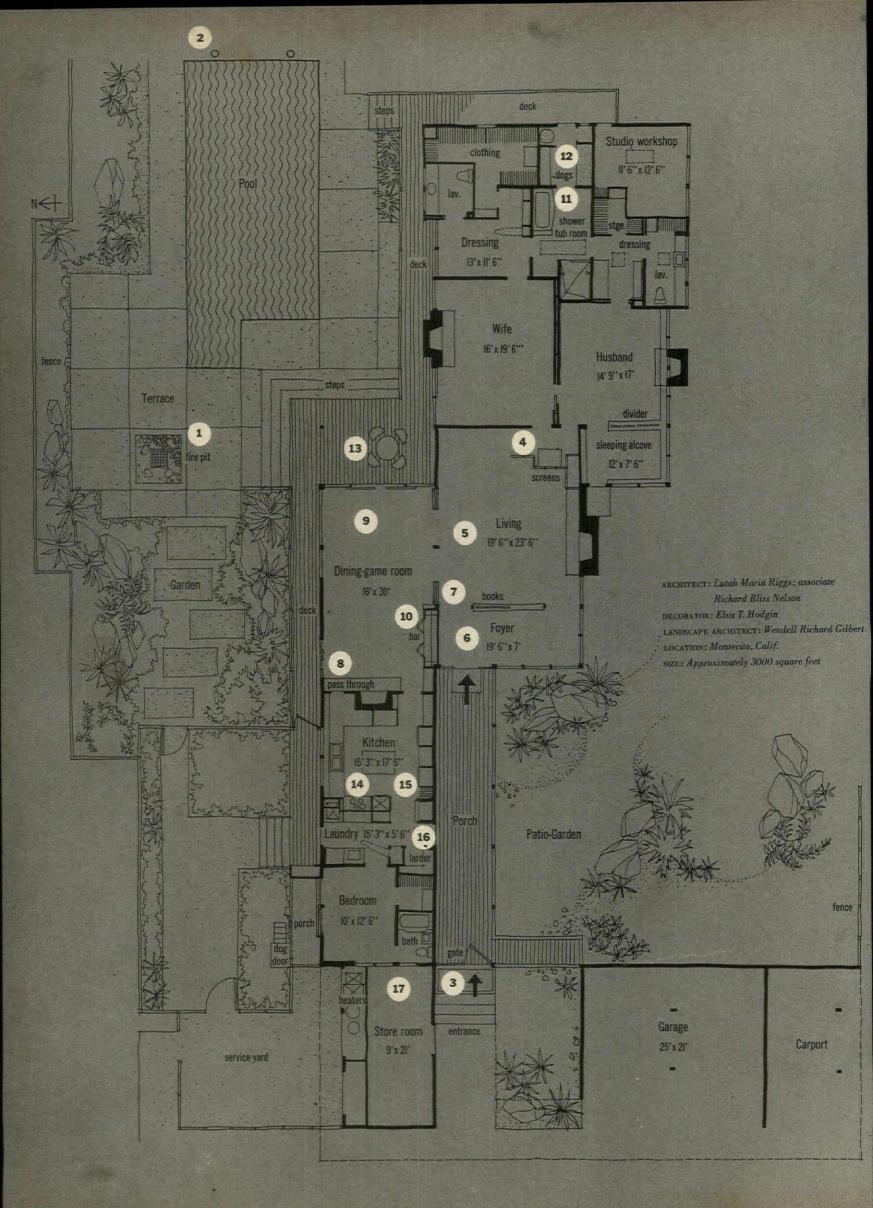


A house full of adaptable ideas

■ An energetic perfectionist, the woman who lives in this house in Montecito, Calif., knows how to profit from all her experience in living. She and her husband had already built and lived in two former houses, so when they decided to build a third, she knew exactly what she wanted. And she worked around the clock with her architect and decorator to achieve it.

She believes, for instance, that the best way to be sure the furniture you want will fit into a new house is to assemble the furniture first. So she had templates drawn of her antiques and the new furniture she planned to buy, worked out arrangements on paper and asked her architect to design the rooms around them. She designed the detail for the tall mahogany screens she wanted for her living room, spent hours with a paint expert, experimenting with stain to get just the right shade. She wanted a high pitched ceiling, so she had the roof framing propped up in order to study it at various anglesnot only from within the room, but from outside the house. A host of ideas about kitchen storage that she had already worked out in her previous house were copied, drawer-for-drawer, in her new one. All these and a multitude of other ideas you will see materialized on the next four pages.

"We found that black stain and white paint could create a strong effect without the expense of actual architectural details." White stucco panels, framed in black, make crisp backdrop for lush plants and sweeping terrace. PHOTOGRAPHS BY JULIUS SHULMAN



adaptable ideas continued

Here are some of the very personal ideas that give the house its distinctive character. To see how they work, study the plan on the opposite page, then view most of them in the round, starting below right and continuing on the next two pages and on pages 269 and 270.

- **1** Stone-filled pit inspired by a Japanese *katatsu* makes a terrace fireplace.
- 2 Planter fountain recirculates water from swimming pool.
- **3** Outer gate equipped with an intercom and controlled from inside the house assures privacy.
- 4 A wall of screens hides bedroom doors, eliminates the need of a bedroom hall.
- 5 In large living room, a conversation area bounded by screens makes a smaller roomwithin-a-room.
- 6 Sitting room-sun porch takes the place of a foyer, is set off by bookcase and tall screen.
- 7 Sliding walnut panels separate living room and dining room.
- **8** In the dining room wall is a built-in TV set and below it a pass-through to the kitchen.
- **9** Dining room is furnished for all-day use, includes a game area at one end.
- 10 Walk-in bar in corner of dining room is also handy to living room.
- 11 An 8-by-14¹/₂-foot tub-and-shower room is center of a complex of private lavatories and dressing rooms.
- 12 Special room for the dogs has its own entrance from outdoors.
- **13** Outdoor living room is connected by a deck to kitchen door, so food can be served without traipsing through house.
- 14 Next-to-stove cupboard keeps cooking staples within easy reach (page 270).
- **15** Kitchen barbecue cuts down constant ovencleaning (page 270).
- **16** Pantry contains wine-cooling cupboard, ice machine, water cooler.
- 17 A 9-by-21-foot storage room holds extra furniture, out-of-season clothes.

"We love fireplaces—everywhere," and so they had one built outdoors. The terrace fire pit is a boon on cool evenings, when guests sit on ledge with their feet on the warmed stones and nibble hot-off-thebrazier canapés which they have toasted themselves.



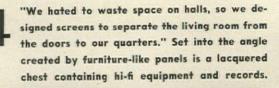




"I like the sound of a fountain, so we decided to use one of our old iron planters to recirculate water from the swimming pool." Pipelines under pavement connect with spout that was added to the urn to make a fountain. Flowers are changed with season.

adaptable ideas continued

We wanted an outer entrance we could control from inside the house." Outer gate opens to 40-footlong covered walk that leads past lushly planted inner garden to front door. Approach to gate is flanked by store room, planted area next to garage.



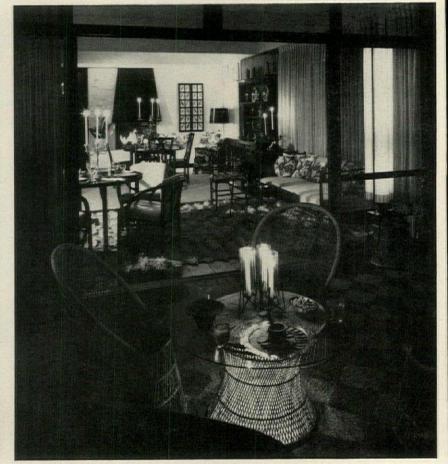








"So many of our favorite TV programs come on during the dinner hour that we decided to put the set in the dining room." To hide TV and passthrough to kitchen, bird engravings culled from a large collection were mounted on sliding panels.



We believe every room should be really lived in, so we furnished the glass-walled end of the dining room as a game area." Rattan table on lanai is wired inside with tiny Christmas tree lights to provide soft, glowing outdoor lighting without glare. "We didn't want a living room that was off by itself and rarely used" hence its openness to dining room and to "foyer" behind lattice screen at right. The room was carefully scaled to accommodate furnishings.





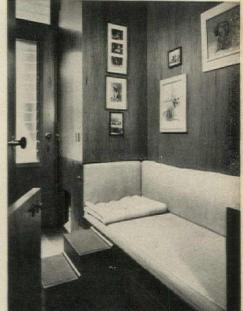
"We put the bar in the dining room since that is our game room, too." Bar is big enough to walk into, has folding doors. A specially made refrigerator with black lacquer doors runs the length of the counter. "We felt a foyer would destroy the open feeling of the house, so we just screened off the end of the living room near the front door." Glass walls capture view of Japanese-style garden, distant hills.

"The sliding panels close off the dining room without hiding it entirely and without making the living room feel closed in." Panels, like all wood in house, are made of lauan mahogany stained a warm, light walnut tone.





"A special bathing room keeps our dressing rooms from getting steamy and splashed." Skylighted room, with marble floors and walls, has tub, double shower compartment.



"We gave our three dachshunds a room of their own, to keep them out of the rest of the house." Dogs have comfortable bed with fold-up steps, dachshund-high exit to outdoors next to standard door for humans.

Additional photographs, page 269

Worth thinking about

Cultural aids appearing on new channels: Among more exciting projects is a special closed circuit television show scheduled for November 29 in which as many as 100 nonprofit groups in as many cities will participate. The profits derived from those purchasing tickets to see the showings will be divided-half to be used locally, the other half to go toward building a National Cultural Center in Washington, D.C. The intention of Robert Saudek, producer of the two-hour private telecast, is to provide a showcase of peculiarly American culture ranging from Mark Twain to musical comedy. Among surprise attractions: White House press attaché Pierre Salinger performing at the piano. Planned as a souvenir for those contributing to the cause is a Ridge Press book about "Creative America." An imaginative picture presentation of inspiration and accomplishment in all the arts, it will include articles by such experts as Louis Kronenberger and Joseph Wood Krutch and remarks by present and past presidents: Kennedy, Eisenhower. The glory that is Greece shining far: A sizable collection of furniture created under the auspices of the Greek government by T. H. Robsjohn-Gibbings last year will soon become available here. Taken from historical documents in museums were designs the Greeks had both a word and a use for. New additions (like coffee tables and chests) are based on the same design sources but are modern in shape. Some of the pieces are going into the just-beingcompleted Hilton Hotel in Athens.

• Outdoor design turning over a new leaf: In Stockholm's Kungsgatan Park, clear balls of light arranged in an asymmetric pattern look like gay balloons floating in the evening air, give this popular rendezvous a particularly festive air. And in New York: a newly designed garden by George Nakashima contributed to the American Federation of Arts by Mrs. Jane Grasselli is "furnished" with a pavilion for sculpture exhibitions, benches for relaxation, a pebbled floor, all weather-worthy, city-proof. Architects verbalizing their design ideas: Showing up this fall is a spate of books written by some of our outstanding architects and full of personal opinions and anecdotes. According to two of them, travel and study of ancient monuments is most important in the development of a modern architect. Says Richard Neutra in "Life and Shape": "I have an idea that an architect without much of an Odyssey who is living in a metropolitan area and does not know much more than his own provincial surroundings is really not capable of service to mankind as it now exists on a very shrunken globe."

Edward Durell Stone expresses the same opinion in "Evolution of an Architect" and also agrees with Neutra that the most important architectural influence in our country is Frank Lloyd Wright. "No modern architect today takes pencil in hand without subconsciously paying homage to Frank Lloyd Wright," he says.

Danish crafts presenting fresh looks: An extensive exhibition at New York City's Cooper Union Museum of Decorative Arts continues through this month, demonstrates that the handicraft movement in Denmark is continually developing and changing. Noticeable is a freer approach to shape and color and more embroidery and appliqué. Modern designs surviving for decades: In a recent survey conducted by Jay Doblin, Director of the Institute of Design in Chicago, 100 top designers and critics in the field were asked to select the ten finest designs that have been in mass production. The object: to compile a list of 100 modern designs that have stood the test of time. Ninety people answered and overwhelmingly voted as winner in the field Olivetti's Lettera 22, the light portable typewriter.

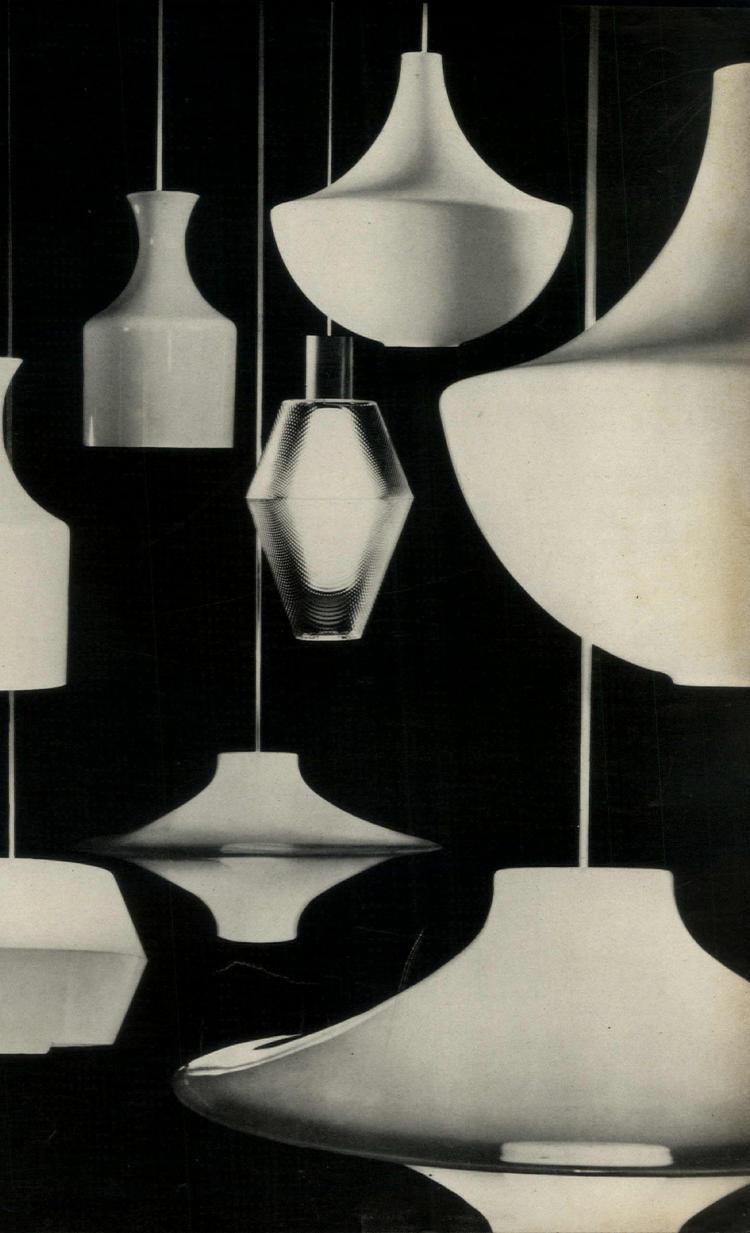
Experts polled by Doblin also favored Charles Eames' molded plywood chair and the Barcelona chair of polished chrome by Mies Van Der Rohe, both still on the market. Also cited with enthusiasm were two automobiles: Loewy's '53 Studebaker, and the Lincoln Continental for '41.

Northern lights, opposite page, are a spectacular luminous phenomenon. Streaming from the shores of Finland to glitter and glow in our rooms at home, they add a sparkling note to new interiors. Sometimes clear, sometimes in white or warm color, most often of glass, these lighting fixtures come in scores of sizes and shapes, all of them intriguing. Leading in the production of them is the Helsinki firm "Orno" whose head designer, above right, Lisa Johansson-Pape may be credited with originating the brilliant concept many years ago. Assisting her today is young Yki Nummi, right, who is applying the same approach to plastics.









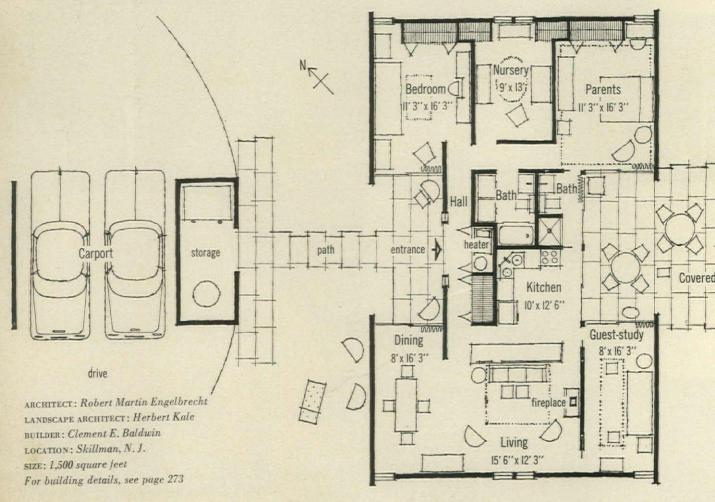
H&G proves you can decorate a house for a growing family on less than \$5,000

Minimum maintenance and maximum privacy are the outstanding assets of this small house in Skillman, N.J., designed with a young family in mind-a couple with a daughter in grade school and a son who is still a baby. Of wood frame construction, the house is sheathed in horizontal clapboard siding of aluminum, which is the key to its economical maintenance. The baked-on enamel finish will rarely need repainting and its freshness can be restored by simply hosing down the outside of the house. The roof, too, is aluminum so there is nothing to come loose or catch fire during a storm or to rot from dampness. Close-to-total privacy is afforded by the plan of the house (see below)-even in a built-up community, on a site with near neighbors on three sides and a street in front. Both front and back walls are quite windowless except for glass gable ends, and the carport screens the entrance terrace. But floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors open to this terrace from the dining room on one side and from a bedroom on the other. Similar sliding doors open from the guest-study and the master bedroom to the covered terrace in the rear which is shielded from the neighbors' view by a fence. The plan is also designed to save on the cost of installing utilities, for kitchen, bathrooms and heating-cooling systems are all consolidated in the center of the house. Laundry equipment is in a niche in the larger bathroom where it is wonderfully convenient to the nursery. The house was sponsored by Crown Aluminum Industries. To see how H&G decorated it on a budget with furnishings from Sears Roebuck, turn the page.

1 The house Cost to but Aluminum clapboard walls are to gabled roofs—one each over liv ing sections, one extending from carport to edge of rear terrace. glass gable ends supplements that in side walls and glass doors to the

2 Rearterrace Cost to furm Sheltered by an extension of h separated from kitchen only by door, rear terrace makes a spe party room. We furnished it with iron—two dining tables, two small eight chairs, a settee, two ben vinyl-covered cushions.

3 Front terrace Cost to fun Well-screened from street by car race with planter beds provides to sit outdoors. The budget for included two wrought-iron settees







GUERRERO



less than \$5,000 continued

H&G stretched the decorating dollars that furnished this house for a growing family by choosing simple, but not too informal, furniture; sunny H&G colors that enhance the tones of the vinyl cork floors; curtains and bedspreads that are easy to make from fabric that comes by the yard. Our budget did not include the paintings by William Ronald and John Meredith. Cost to furnish: \$1,133.42 Living room The total we spent on the living room, 1, even covered the fireplace, a prefabricated model bought from Sears Roebuck, like all the other furnishings. The wall behind is painted Curry, a good companion for teak wall back of sofa. The same cotton print which, quilted, covers the sofa was used unquilted to curtain the double windows, 2, and to make a Roman shade for the window in the dining room.

Dining room Cost to furnish: \$529.59 The 5½-foot credenza against the long Pastel Citron wall serves as a visual link between living room and dining room, **3**, and is large enough to supply storage for both. Instead of repeating the dahlia print at the glass door to the front terrace (see plan, page 228), we curtained that with sheer gold linen.

Cost to furnish: \$661.07 Daughter's room Concentration on Tangerine and orange plus white turned one of the larger bedrooms, 5, into a lively studio room for a growing girl. To give box spring and mattress a daybed look we added two headboards, covered them with the Mandarin Orange-and-white striped ticking used for curtains, bedspread and skirt (both made in unfussy style), and a Roman shade for the window in the corner. Two cabinets, matching in design but not in length, flank the bed, doubling as night tables and storage. There is more storage space in the desk-chest, 4, likewise lacquered Tangerine and white, that stands against the opposite wall. Also included in budget for this room: a portable stereo phonograph and a transistor radio.

Cost to furnish: \$922.01 Master bedroom The courage to splurge on one or two big-dividend investments can save the day for a tight budget as we demonstrated in the master bedroom, 6. Most expensive item in the room is the marble-top commode which matches that in living room, 1. Here it serves as a night table, giving the room extra storage. Second biggest investment is the quilted bedspread which almost single-handedly decorates the room. Simple sheer curtains that closely match the Crystal Pink wall pull across the terrace door, but the window in the corner is hung with a Roman shade made of unquilted fabric to match bedspread. The room's total complement of furniture includes a triple dresser and a Crystal Pink dressing table you buy unpainted. For complete shopping information on all rooms, please turn to page 289.





A tall secretary reveals two kinds of music equipment

A trim walnut secretary with a pull-out desk shelf and plenty of storage space for stationery and books provides a small study with a comfortable place to work as well as music to work by. A stereo AM-FM radio and controls are behind tambour doors above desk shelf. Record changer and storage space are below desk. Speakers are near top of cabinet.



\blacktriangle A cart rolls around with bar supplies and TV

A mahogany, brass-galleried cart contains everything for an evening's entertainment in one compact, rolling unit. Behind double doors at one end is a 19-inch TV set. To the right of TV, there is space to store liquor plus a drawer for bar gadgets. Top of the cart is a handy spot for serving drinks, canapés.

A coffee table contains a pull-out music system

At first glance, this hexagonal mahogany coffee table seems precisely what it purports to be. But, on inspection, a wedge slides out bearing an AM-FM stereo radio and a record changer. Cane-covered speakers are in two sides of the apron. To supplement your entertainment center, you might add a small TV, such as the white lacquered one on the bench.

> All rooms designed by Marion Heuer. Shopping information, page 271.





KRANZTEN STUDIO

How to create an indoor garden with an outdoor look

The difference between an indoor garden and a greenhouse is more than just a quibble. There is a philosophical as well as a practical distinction to be made. The difference is one of human livability on one hand and horticulture on the other. A greenhouse unadorned (if such an unwholesome adjective can be applied to the dwelling place of growing plants) is no less a delight to the plantsman because it is a cross between a shop and a laboratory. But to the nongardener it often seems a cluttered and restless place. Not so the garden under glass. There, while the plants may come first, relaxation, even open hospitality, are well served also.

The kind of garden-greenhouse to which we refer is in no sense a compromise in kind—only in degree. By that we mean every horticultural requirement of the plants themselves is met as fully and carefully in one place as in the other. Heating, ventilation, watering, humidification, plant handling, sanitation are, if anything, more important in the indoor garden than in the workaday greenhouse—if only because an ill-tended or unhealthy plant is even less attractive in an inviting decorative setting than in a plant laboratory. Therefore, it is of first importance that plant needs be met. (Continued on page 238)

Nowhere does what psychologists call the "dream of the different" seem more rosy than in a room full of orchids. This one was designed as an amendment to a porch off the bedroom in the Bel Air, Calif. house of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome C. Braus-who decided they wanted their favorite plants where they could live among them rather than in a conventionally detached greenhouse. Not only orchids are included in this eminently attractive indoor jungle, but many tropical and semitropical plants of dramatic form and foliage. Careful study reveals important ways in which the well-being of both plants and people is looked after, from the comfortable and dampproof rattan chairs to the fir-bark walls on which living plants hang like pictures. For additional details of this same indoor garden, see page 238.

> HAROLD W. LEVIT, ARCHITECT. WILLIAM H. FARWELL AND ERNEST W. LEDUC, ASSOCIATE ARCHITECTS. PHOTOGRAPHS BY JULIUS SHULMAN









Indoor garden continued

Fortunately, automation of the greenhouse has proceeded far enough so that today's maintenance routine is largely button-pushing and dial-setting (barring, of course, the essential techniques of plant handling). Automatic humidifiers greatly reduce the amount of gross hose-watering needed. Warm air heat is unobtrusively and automatically distributed—without clumsy ducts and pipes. Ventilation, while still usually calling for the opening and closing of windows or special openings, may also be adjusted by automatic controls. And increasing use of air-conditioning in greenhouses is making even automatic controls obsolescent. (It should be noted that application of complete air-conditioning to greenhouse use often calls for radical changes in horticultural techniques that mere automation of conventional controls does not. But that is another story.)

The need to maintain a higher relative humidity in a plant growing space than would be desirable in an ordinary living space may cause difficulties that can only be avoided by making sure all furnishings and accessories will be unharmed in the prevailing atmosphere. While there should never be any more dust in a plant room than a living room, there is sure to be more dirt. So finishes and fabrics must be washable—or at least readily cleanable. Floors, especially, should not only be undamaged by standing water, but preferably able to absorb water without harm. Paths and the open areas beneath the benches, if they can hold and then slowly evaporate moisture without becoming slippery, may serve as important agents in stabilizing humidity. Remember, no matter how "homelike" a plant room, the buoyant atmosphere that is so much a characteristic of the well-run greenhouse is (*Continued on page 285*)



Climatic conditions in southern California suggest the desirability of permanent shading, which is provided by redwood lath above the roof of wired, frosted glass (1, ABOVE LEFT) of the Jerome Braus' greenhouse-garden. Thus the sun that is so strong in southern latitudes is reduced approximately 50 per cent. Clear glass panels fill widely spaced wall frames, and bark panels and strips make a suitable background for hanging plants wherever they please the eye. Staging for orchid pots along outer wall is made of spaced wood strips, for added ventilation and drainage. The function of automatic humidifiers is aided by decorative pool in center of floor. Concrete rounds form attractive walkways in quick-draining gravel. The plants include many cattleya



and laelia hybrids, as well as dendrobiums, epidendrums and oncidiums; also anthuriums, many bromeliads, a variety of big and little ferns, figs and philodendrons. The exterior (2) and interior (3) of one side of the lanai-greenhouse show how the line of the porch roof was extended (beyond window) when the greenhouse with its higher, lath-and-glass roof was added. A work counter and potting shelf lines the opposite side (4), provides a pleasant sense of unity with the garden outside. While the regional climate is less rigorous than that encountered by gardeners in other parts of the country, all the standard greenhouse amenities are required and provided here.

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HOUSE & GARDEN'S Spirits Cook Book By James A. Beard

Cooking with spirits, although less familiar than the age-old custom of cooking with wine, is a culinary habit well worth adopting. Spirits, especially brandy, whiskey, gin and rum, can give wonderful zest and character to food, adding a delicious flavor to dishes that need an element of contrast. The alcohol dissipates entirely in the cooking, leaving only a residual taste that improves the blend of flavors in a dish. The brandies-cognac, armagnac, calvados and the white alcohols or eaux-de-vie-have long been used in cooking. Now whiskeys, gin, rum, even vodka are winning acceptance in the kitchens of the world. There are many ways to cook with spirits, from an enlivening dollop in a pâté or vegetable dish to the glory of flambéeing. Spirits are a common ingredient in marinades. Fruits take to spirits nobly; brandies and eaux-de-vie, whiskeys, gin and vodka all heighten their natural taste, especially when blended with sugar or sugar syrup to make a delectable sauce for fresh or poached fruit. Six to eight vanilla beans in a small bottle of rum, cognac or vodka, used in place of the usual vanilla extract, supplies instant flavoring for fruits, sauces and cakes -and flames magnificently, too. You can add spirits to a dish just as you would enhance the taste with a fine sherry, port or Madeira. Try a dash of Scotch in seafood bisques, cream of shrimp or crab soups. Cognac improves pea and chicken soups, while bourbon is excellent in corn, clam and heartier chicken soups. Game soups, rich and herby, benefit from a soupçon of well-aromatized gin. Brown sauces and rich cream sauces welcome a few drops of whiskey, cognac or armagnac. And when you sauté or pan fry meat and poultry, rinse the pan with spirits and add to the regular sauce-it seems exotic only because few people do it. And don't think you have to rush to the liquor store if you don't have the exact spirit specified in a recipe. Use whatever spirit you have at hand. If the quality is good, the flavor will be, too. There's no need to be exact or exacting. Just follow your own tastes and you'll discover a new world of exciting flavor. For shopping information, see page 271.

The fine art of flambéeing



Contrary to the belief of many a restaurant goer, the art of flambéeing or blazing food was not created by maîtres d'hôtel hungry for added *pourboires*. It is a long-established and accepted practice both in the kitchen and at the table, intended to deglaze the food and the pan and add flavor to sauces—about as far from being chi-chi as any cooking process can be. If you are flambéeing in the kitchen and not seeking a dramatic effect, merely heat the liquor in a small pan—by no means let it beil and touch a lighted match to the fumes that arise from the alcohol (warmth releases these fumes and makes it easier to ignite the spirit). Then pour the flaming spirit over the food, as in the picture at the left. Or you may, if you prefer, add the spirit to the hot food, let it get warm and then set it alight. In either case, stand back as you ignite the spirit. Don't lean over to see if it is started unless you want singed eyebrows, and keep anything inflammable, such as paper towels, out of reach of the flame. Flambéeing is easy and completely safe if you exercise a little care.

Flambéeing at the table is usually done in the blazer pan of a chafing dish or in a crêpe pan (instructions for flambéeing crêpes are on page 248) and is rather more showy, although the method is essentially the same. For a dramatic dessert, spoon the brightly blazing sauce over the food and simultaneously shake the pan. Or, for a spectacular main dish, flambé a broiled fish on a rack over a bed of fennel. And if you want the flame to be really magnificent, add 100 proof vodka or high-proof orange extract to the spirit you will use for the flambéeing.

Appetizers

Bourbon Pâté

½ pound butter
1 small onion, coarsely chopped
1 pound chicken livers
1½ cups chicken broth
2 tablespoons sweet sherry
½ teaspoon paprika
½ teaspoon allspice
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon white pepper or Tabasco
1 clove garlic, minced
½ cup bourbon
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1 cup chopped walnuts

Melt butter; add onion and chicken livers and cook 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add ³/₄ cup broth, sherry, paprika, allspice, salt, pepper or Tabasco and garlic. Cook 5 minutes. Remove from heat and add bourbon. Soften gelatin in remaining ³/₄ cup broth; cook over boiling water until dissolved. Place chicken-liver mixture in electric blender; blend until smooth. Stir gelatin and walnuts into chicken-liver mixture. Turn into 5- or 6-cup mold. Chill until firm.

Crab Meat Charentais

6 tablespoons butter (approximately) 4 thin slices French bread 3-4 scallions, finely sliced 1 green pepper, finely chopped 1 tablespoon grated carrot ½ cup white wine 1 pound crab meat Salt, freshly ground pepper 1 teaspoon chopped tarragon leaves or ½ teaspoon dried tarragon ⅓ cup cognac Lemon wedges Chopped parsley

Melt the butter in a chafing dish and brown the bread slices very quickly. Remove them to a hot platter. Add additional butter if necessary and cook scallions, pepper and carrot briskly for 2 minutes. Add white wine, crab and seasonings. Toss lightly to heat crab meat thoroughly. Heat cognac, ignite and pour flaming over the crab. Blend. Spoon over toast. Garnish with lemon wedges and chopped parsley. Serves 3-4 as an hors d'oeuvre or 2 as a main course.

Tomatoes Gennaro

6.large ripe tomatoes 1 medium lobster, cooked 1½ cups mayonnaise 2 cloves garlic, crushed 1½ tablespoons tomato paste ¼ cup Pernod 6 eggs mollet (soft-cooked eggs, shelled) 1 tablespoon chopped parsley 1 tablespoon capers

Peel and scoop out the tomatoes. Turn upside down on absorbent paper and chill thoroughly. Slice lobster tail and remove meat from lobster claws in perfect sections. You will need 12 pieces of lobster. Combine mayonnaise, garlic, tomato paste, lobster tomalley and coral, if any, and blend with Pernod. Season to taste.

To serve, place an egg mollet on the bottom of each tomato and arrange lobster pieces on either side. Dress with sauce and garnish with chopped parsley and capers. Serve with Pouilly Fumé. Serves 6 as an hors d'oeuvre.

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At-the-table spirit cookery is a simple but showy way to prepare food for guests. Useful equipment includes a reversible réchaud with twin alcohol burners, au gratin dish to use on it, a long-handled Turkish coffee maker for heating spirits, a chafing dish and a crépe pan with canned-heat base.

Vegetables

Braised Onion Slices

2 tablespoons olive oil 2 tablespoons butter 4 large onions, peeled and cut in 1" slices 1 teaspoon salt ½ teaspoon finely ground black pepper ¼ cup broth

1/4 cup Scotch whisky

Melt oil and butter in a heavy saucepan. Add onions and sear over high heat 2 minutes. Add salt, pepper, broth and reduce heat. Cover and simmer for 10 minutes or until just tender. Add whisky and let the sauce cook down slightly. Serve with beef, lamb or chicken. Serves 6.

Variation: Add 2 tablespoons sultana raisins previously soaked in the whisky.

Leeks in Armagnac

12 leeks 3 tablespoons olive oil 1 teaspoon salt, or to taste 1/4 teaspoon thyme 1/3 cup consommé 1/4 cup armagnac Juice of 1/2 lemon Chopped parsley

Brown the leeks in the hot oil. Add salt to taste, thyme, consommé and armagnac. Cook briskly for 10 minutes. Reduce heat and cook until just pierceable. Add lemon juice and correct seasoning. Sprinkle with chopped parsley. Serve hot as a vegetable or cold, dressed with a little additional olive oil and lemon juice, as an hors d'oeuvre. Serves 6.

Cognac Carrots

12-18 young carrots 4 tablespoons butter 1 teaspoon sugar 2 tablespoons cognac Chopped parsley

Scrape the carrots and boil in salted water until just tender. Drain. Sauté carrots in butter, sprinkling them with sugar, and add cognac. Shake pan and carefully remove to serving dish. Sprinkle with chopped parsley. Serves 6.

Tomates Charentais

5-6 beefsteak tomatoes ½ cup olive oil 1 teaspoon salt 1 tablespoon finely chopped fresh basil 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley 1 teaspoon grated lemon peel 2 tablespoons cognac

Peel and thinly slice the tomatoes and arrange on a serving dish. Combine remaining ingredients and dribble over tomatoes. Let stand for at least 15 minutes before serving. Serves 4.

Main Dishes

Duck with Cherries

2 young Long Island ducks Salt ¼ cup kirsch 1½ cups brown sauce (canned may be used) 1 cup sour cherries (Montmorency preferred)

Rub the ducks with salt, putting some salt inside as well. Place on a rack over a shallow pan. Roast at 350° allowing about 12-13 minutes per pound of dressed duck. Duck is done when the leg joints move easily. If a crispy skin is desired, you may increase heat to 500° for the last 15 minutes of cooking period and shorten the cooking time slightly.

Remove ducks to a hot platter. Skim off all excess fat from pan and rinse pan with kirsch. Add to brown sauce in a small saucepan. Bring to a boil and reduce for 2-3 minutes. Add cherries and heat to the boiling point. Correct seasoning and pour sauce around duck. Serve with rice pilaff. Drink a California Pinot Noir with it. Serves 4-6.

Duck with Peaches

2 ducks ¹/₃ cup port or Madeira ¹/₂ cups brown sauce 12 peach halves 6 tablespoons brown sugar Butter ¹/₃ cup bourbon

Roast duck as for Duck with Cherries. Skim off fat, rinse pan with wine, add to brown sauce, bring to a boil and reduce 2-3 minutes. While sauce is being prepared, spread peach halves with sugar and dot with butter. Broil until sugar and butter are melted and peaches heated through. Surround duck with broiled peaches, pour heated bourbon over peaches and flame as you bring it to table.

Serve sauce separately. Excellent with fried hominy grits or corn meal squares. Serves 4-6.

Duck with Green Olives

2 ducks, 3-5 pounds each Salt, pepper 12 juniper berries, crushed 1/3 cup gin 2/3 cup small green olives 11/2 cups brown sauce

Rub ducks with salt. Put crushed juniper berries in interior of birds. Roast ducks on a rack in a 350° oven allowing about 12 minutes per pound. Increase heat to 500° for 15 minutes if a very crisp skin is desired.

Pour off excess fat in roasting pan, reserving pan juices. Flambé ducks with gin. Combine pan juices and green olives and heat for 3-4 minutes. Stir in brown sauce and simmer 1 or 2 minutes. Correct seasoning.

Serve with sautéed whole hominy (see H&G's Rice and Grain Cook Book, March, 1962) and a Julienas. Serves 4-6.

Drunken Pork

6-8 pound loin of pork roast Sali, white pepper, nutmeg, cloves ¾ cup applejack or calvados 6 large potatoes, peeled and quartered 6 large cooking apples, peeled and thinly sliced Sugar

Rub pork well with salt, ground white pepper, nutmeg and a touch of ground cloves. Place in a long dish and add enough applejack or calvados to cover the bottom. Turn pork several times and let marinate for 3 hours. Drain, reserving marinade.

Place pork on a rack in a baking dish and roast at 325° for 2 hours. Remove from oven. Pour all fat into another flat baking pan. Return pork to oven for another half hour.

Meanwhile, boil potatoes in salted water for 5 minutes. Drain well and arrange in fat, turning once or twice. Salt and pepper to taste. Roast for 45 minutes in same oven with pork.

Remove pork from oven and spoon off excess fat. Add sliced apples and sprinkle with sugar. Flame with the marinade. Return to oven for 30 minutes or until pork has reached an interior temperature of 170° on a meat thermometer and apples are soft and potatoes brown and tender.

Serve with a fruity Alsatian wine, champagne or cider. Coleslaw is good with this dish. Serves 6.

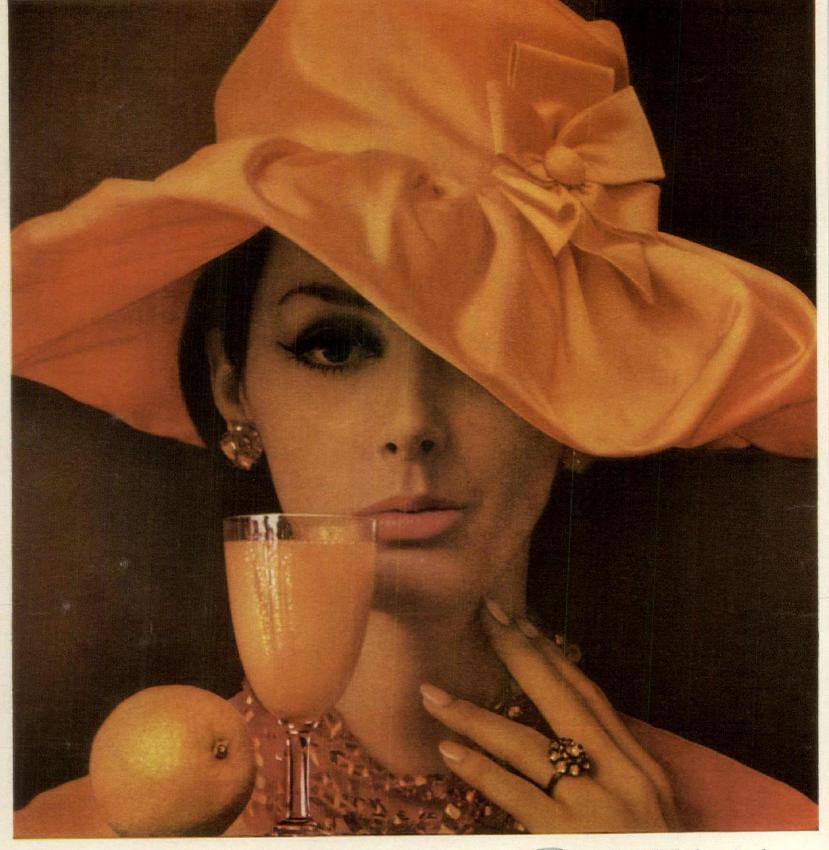
Kidneys Baum

4 veal kidneys 2-3 ounces armagnac or cognac Salt, pepper

Trim fat from kidneys, leaving an even coating of about $\frac{1}{3}'' \cdot \frac{1}{2}''$. Place on a rack and roast in 500° oven for 10-12 minutes, then place under broiler for 4-5 minutes depending on desired degree of rareness. Kidneys are best very rare.

Remove to hot serving dish. With a sharp knife, cut kidneys in half the long way. Immediately blaze with armagnac or cognac. Season with salt and freshly ground pepper. Serve with rice or mashed potatoes, the pan juices, Dijon mustard and a Nuits St. Georges. Serves 4.





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Poularde au Whisky

1 roasting chicken, 4½-5 pounds ¾ cup butter Salt, dried tarragon 1-2 sprigs tarragon ½ cup chicken broth ¾ cup Scotch whisky 1 cup brown sauce (canned may be used)

Rub the chicken inside and out with softened butter and a little dried tarragon. Put 1 or 2 sprigs of tarragon in the interior of the bird and sprinkle with salt.

Roast the chicken on a rack at 375° , turning the chicken on one side for 20 minutes, then the other for 20 minutes and finishing off breast side up. Baste frequently with melted butter and chicken broth. Do not overcook the chicken; $1\frac{1}{4}$ hours should do it well. Test legs. If they move up and down with ease, the chicken is done.

Remove chicken from oven, flambé with Scotch and remove to a hot platter.

Skim excess fat from pan juices and combine juices with brown sauce and cook over a brisk flame until reduced. Correct the seasoning. Serve with boiled new potatoes and a light Burgundy, a Fixin or Pommard. Serves 4-5.

Poularde à l'Armagnac

1 large roasting chicken Butter Salt, pepper 18 small white onions 2 teaspoons sugar 18 mushroom caps Juice of ½ lemon ⅓ cup armagnac 1 cup brown sauce (canned may be used) Parsley sprigs

Truss, butter, salt and roast the chicken, basting occasionally with melted butter. Follow roasting directions for Poularde au Whisky.

While chicken is roasting, sauté onions in 4 tablespoons butter in a skillet and sprinkle with sugar. Shake the pan well so sugar doesn't burn. Sauté mushroom caps in 5 tablespoons butter. Add juice of ½ lemon and salt and pepper to taste.

When chicken is roasted, blaze with armagnac. Remove to a hot platter and keep warm.

Combine juices from chicken and mushrooms and reduce slightly. Rinse the roasting pan with a little armagnac. Add brown sauce and simmer 1-3 minutes. Arrange mushrooms and onions around chicken. Serve sauce separately. Garnish with parsley sprigs.

Serve with tiny new potatoes and a wellmade tossed salad. Drink a good American red wine. Serves 4.

Chicken with Cognac

4 tablespoons butter 1 tablespoon oil 4 chicken breasts, boned Salt, black pepper ½ cup cognac or Scotch 1 cup heavy cream 3 egg yolks

This simple dish may be prepared at table in a chafing dish or electric skillet if you wish. Melt the butter and oil in a pan over medium heat and sear but do not brown the breasts on both sides. Salt them to taste and add several good grinds of black pepper. When the breasts are seared on both sides, reduce the heat and cover and simmer for 12-18 minutes or until the breasts are juicy and tender. Just before serving flambé

with heated cognac. Remove breasts to a hot platter. Cook down pan juices for 1-2 minutes. Add mixed cream and egg yolks and stir carefully and constantly until sauce thickens. Add another grind of pepper and pour over chicken breasts.

Serve with buttered green noodles and a white Burgundy, or perhaps a Corton Charlemagne. Serves 4.

Beef à la Mode

6-8 strips larding pork 1/2 cup Scotch or cognac 4 pounds boneless rump 1 pint red wine Salt, pepper, nutmeg Bouquet garni (bay leaf, thyme, leek, parsley) 3 carrots, whole Beef fat 2 calves' feet, split

Soak the larding pork in the Scotch or cognac for 1 hour. Lard the beef. Combine Scotch or cognac, wine, salt, pepper, nutmeg to taste, bouquet garni and carrots. Marinate larded beef in this mixture for 8-12 hours, turning several times.

In a heavy casserole or Dutch oven, try out enough beef fat to make 3-4 tablespoons. Add meat and brown well on all sides. Season with salt and grind a little fresh pepper on it.

Heat the marinade and pour over the beef. Add calves' feet. Cover and simmer about 2-3 hours or until beef is just tender, not mushy.

Serve hot with boiled potatoes and buttered carrots and a sauce made from the strained and skimmed marinade. Serves 6-8. Drink good Beaujolais with this—cool it slightly if serving the meat cold.

To serve cold: Place meat in a terrine. Strain and skim juices, heat. Soften 1 tablespoon gelatin in 2 tablespoons cold water. Stir into hot juices until dissolved. Pour over meat. Cover with foil. Weight with a heavy weight. Cool and chill. Slice and serve with a hot potato salad and marinated cooked vegetables.

Beef Scallops Bluegrass

3 tablespoons oil (or ½ oil, ½ butter)
12 thin slices beef tenderloin, %" thick Salt, freshly ground pepper
4 tablespoons bourbon
3 tablespoons chopped shallots
½ cup broth or red wine
3 tablespoons tomato purée
Dash Tabasco
Dash Worcestershire sauce
2 tablespoons chopped parsley

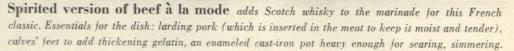
You may do these at table in an electric skillet; otherwise, rush them to the table the minute they are done. Heat the oil in a skillet. When very hot, sear the beef scallops quickly on both sides. Salt these and flame with bourbon. Remove to a hot serving dish. Add shallots and finely ground pepper to the pan. Cook 1 minute. Add broth or wine, tomato purée, Tabasco and Worcestershire sauce. Pour over beef scallops. Garnish with parsley. Serve with tiny new potatoes and a Cabernet Sauvignon. Serves 4.

Steak au Poivre, Flambé

1 porterhouse steak, 2½"-3" thick 2 tablespoons coarsely cracked peppercorns 3 tablespoons butter 1 tablespoon finely chopped shallots 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley 1 teaspoon salt ½ cup bourbon

Press coarse pepper into steak with the heel of the hand. Let it stand for $\frac{1}{2}$ hour. Heat a stainless steel platter until very hot. Melt butter on platter. Combine with shallots and parsley.

Grill steak to your favorite state of doneness, preferably well-charred outside and rare inside. Salt during cooking. Remove to hot platter and turn once. Add heated bourbon and blaze. Slice and serve with sauté potatoes and sauce from the platter. Accompany the steak with a fine red Bordeaux. Serves 4.



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Tripes Normande

6 slices salt pork 2 calves' feet, split 3 carrots, cut in julienne strips 4 large onions, sliced 2 pounds honeycomb tripe, cut in 1½" squares 1½ teaspoons salt ½ cup calvados or bourbon Dry cider or white wine

Arrange slices of salt pork on bottom of a deep casserole. Add the calves' feet, the vegetables, the tripe and salt. Add calvados or bourbon and enough dry cider or white wine to cover. Cover and seal the casserole with foil. Bake in a very slow 250° oven 4-6 hours. Cool. Skim off excess fat and chill. To serve, reheat to boiling point. Serve with boiled potatoes in hot, hot plates. This tastes best made one day and reheated another. Drink a Meursault or a dry cider with it. Serves 6-8.

Pilaff of Crab

6 rashers heavy smoked bacon 1 cup chopped green onions 2 cloves garlic, finely chopped Salt, pepper 1 cup finely cut Smithfield ham 3 tablespoons concentrated tomato paste 1 pound crab meat ½ cup Jamaica rum 1 cup white wine 1 tablespoon fresh or 1 teaspoon dried tarragon Sautéed bread 2 tablespoons chopped parsley

Cut the bacon in small pieces and cook until not quite crisp. Add onions, garlic and salt and pepper to taste. Stir in ham and tomato paste and blend thoroughly and cook 3 minutes. Add crab meat and heated rum and blaze. Pour white wine over and toss well. Cook briskly 3 minutes. Add tarragon. Heap on sautéed bread and garnish with chopped parsley. A Pouilly Fumé or a New York State champagne would go well with this dish. Serves 4-6.

Matelote of Eels

1 onion
 2 carrots
 2 stalks celery
 2 leeks
 2 sprigs parsley
 1 teaspoon dried tarragon or 1 stalk fresh
 2 eels, skinned and cut in 2" pieces
 ½ cup vodka
 1 cup cider
 1½ teaspoons salt
 1 cup cream
 3 egg yolks
 Dash of lemon juice

Dice onion and cut carrots, celery and leeks julienne. Arrange this mirepoix on the bottom of a heavy saucepan. Add parsley, tarragon and eels. Pour vodka and cider over mixture. Add salt. Bring to a boil, cover and simmer 20-25 minutes or until eel is tender. Remove eel to a hot serving dish.

Strain liquid. Combine ¹/₃ cup liquid and 1 cup mirepoix in an electric blender. Blend and pour into a saucepan. Repeat with more liquid and mirepoix. Add remaining liquid, bring to a boil and reduce slightly. Gradually stir in cream mixed with egg yolks. Stir until well blended and thickened. Correct seasoning and add lemon juice. Serve with fried croutons and a Pouilly Fumé. Serves 4-6. 4 thin slices veal, about 5".6" long 4 thin slices prosciutto or Smithfield ham Freshly ground pepper, salt 10 tablespoons butter ¼ cup marsala ¼ cup vodka ½ pound mushrooms, sliced 1½ tablespoons flour ⅓ cup heavy cream 2 tablespoons chopped parsley 2 tablespoons cognac

Season yeal and ham slices with a grind of fresh pepper. Roll veal and ham together, tie securely and slip on steel or wood skewers. Brush with a little butter. Sauté quickly in 6 tablespoons butter, turning several times. Flambé with 1/3 cup of the marsala and vodka, mixed and heated. Melt remaining butter and sauté the mushrooms, seasoned with salt and pepper, for 3 minutes. Sprinkle with the flour, blending well. Stir in cream and remaining marsala and vodka and cook until thickened. Add parsley and cognac. Remove veal rolls to a hot platter and pour mushrooms and sauce over them. Garnish with fried bread rounds. Serve with spinach purée, polenta and a light Italian Soave or American white wine. Serves 4.

Chicken Jamaican

3 tablespoons butter 2 tablespoons oil 4-5 chicken legs and thighs 1 clove garlic, finely chopped Dash Tabasco Salt 1/4 cup Jamaica rum 1/3 cup pineapple juice 4 slices pineapple Butter, sugar

Melt butter with oil and when hot, brown chicken pieces on both sides. Add garlic, Tabasco and salt to taste. Add rum and flame. Add pineapple juice and cover and simmer for 15 minutes or until chicken is tender. Remove chicken to a hot platter and surround with pineapple slices which have been sautéed in butter and glazed with sugar. Reduce sauce in pan slightly and pour over chicken. Serve with slices of sautéed polenta and a rosé wine. Serves 4-5.

Kidneys Boule d'Or

4 veal kidneys
2 tablespoons chopped shallots or green onions
1/2 pound mushrooms, sliced
6 tablespoons butter
Salt, pepper
1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
3/4 cup eream
Beurre manié (tiny balls of butter and flour)
3 tablespoons gin

Trim most of the fat from the kidneys. Roast on a rack in a 400° oven for 18-20 minutes.

While the kidneys roast, sauté the shallots and mushrooms in the butter and season with salt, pepper and Dijon mustard. Add cream and thicken with beurre manié, if desired.

Remove kidneys from oven to a hot platter or cutting board. Quickly remove most of the remaining fat and flambé with the gin. Slice thinly and add to sauce with juices from platter. Heat quickly and garnish with chopped parsley. Serve with rice.

Drink a Beaune Clos des Mouches or a Savigny les Beaune with the kidneys. Serves 4.

Homard Grille aux Herbes

Allow 1 lobster per serving. Split lobsters, remove sac behind eyes and intestinal vein. Remove and reserve tomalley and coral, if any. Broil lobster. Meanwhile, cream together for each lobster, 2 ounces sweet butter, 1 tablespoon chopped tarragon, the coral and tomalley and enough cognac to make a soft mixture. Spread on cooked lobster and place under broiler for 1 minute. You may serve additional beurre fondu if desired. Also, when lobster is broiled, it may be flambéed with vodka and dried herbs. Serve with pommes frites, a salad and beer.

Poulet Vallée d'Auge

½ pound mushrooms, finely chopped Butter
Salt, pepper
4 squab chickens, split and trimmed
½ cup calvados or applejack
1 cup heavy cream
3 egg yolks
6 tart cooking apples, peeled and thinly sliced
Sugar

Sauté chopped mushrooms in 4 tablespoons butter for 3 minutes. Cover and reduce heat. Simmer for 15 minutes. Salt and pepper to taste.

Melt 6 tablespoons butter in a skillet, brown the chickens lightly on both sides. Salt and pepper to taste. Flame with calvados or applejack. Add mushrooms and cook until chicken is tender, about 12-15 minutes, turning once.

Remove chicken to hot platter. Mix cream and egg yolks. Spoon mushroom mixture over chicken. Rinse pan lightly with calvados or applejack, add a pat of butter and the cream and egg yolk mixture. Stir until just thickened. Correct seasoning and pour over chicken.

Sauté apples quickly in 4 tablespoons butter, turning carefully with spatula. Sprinkle lightly with sugar and remove to a warm serving dish. Serve with chickens.

Drink a brisk white wine (a Muscadet is perfect) or a good cider with this dish. Serves 4.

Tournedos Veracruzana

4 rounds bread Butter 4 slices pineapple 4 large mushroom caps 4 tournedos 1½" thick Salt 6 shallots, finely chopped 3 tablespoons Jamaica rum 1¼ cups brown sauce (canned may be used) Chopped parsley Tabasco

Sauté the bread in 45 tablespoons butter until crisp and brown. Remove to absorbent paper and keep warm. Sauté pineapple slices in butter until lightly browned. Keep hot. Sauté mushroom caps in butter, then sauté tournedos in 4-5 tablespoons butter to desired degree of rareness. Salt to taste. Place bread on a hot platter, top with pineapple slices, tournedos and mushroom caps. Add shallots to skillet and sauté quickly. Add rum and stir to lift glaze from pan. Add brown sauce and cook down very quickly. Correct seasoning. Add a little chopped parsley and a dash of Tabasco. Spoon over tournedos and serve with shoestring potatoes, sautéed peppers and a red Beaujolais. Serves 4.

Loup Flambé aux Fenouil

As loup is not available in this country, substitute a striped bass or a salmon trout.

The secret is a lavish bed of dried fennel on the platter, preferably under a rack. The fish is broiled and placed on the rack over the fennel stalks. Marc or armagnac is poured *around*—not over—the fish. It is ignited and the flames catch the fennel. A large bunch of wet parsley is an excellent extinguisher for the flame.

Serve some of the crisp top skin to each person, as well as the deliciously perfumed flesh. Serve beurre fondu (melted butter flavored with a little lemon juice and salt) and steamed cucumbers with it and drink a good Meursault.

Homard aux Aromates

1 quart water 1 pint white wine 1/4 cup vinegar 1/4 cup and 2 tablespoons Pernod 1 carrot 1 onion stuck with cloves Parsley sprigs Salt, thyme, pepper 4 1½ pounds lobster 1 cup heavy cream Beurre manié 1 cup Hollandaise sauce Dry bread crumbs Fresh tarragon

Combine water, wine, vinegar, ¼ cup Pernod, carrot, onion, parsley, salt, thyme and pepper in a saucepan. Cook for 15 minutes. Add lobster to this court bouillon and poach 12-15 minutes. Remove lobster and cool. Split lobster, remove meat, clean and reserve shells.

Reduce court bouillon to 1½ cups over brisk flame. Strain and combine with cream. Thicken over medium flame with beurre manié and add remaining Pernod. Add lobster meat and heat. Replace in shells. Spread lightly with Hollandaise and bread crumbs. Glaze under broiler.

Garnish with chopped tarragon. Serve with a rice pilaff and a Sancerre. Serves 4.

Desserts & Cakes

Kentucky Bourbon Cake

4½ cups sifted cake flour ½ cup (4-ounce jar) finely chopped citron ½ cup finely chopped candied pineapple ½ cup finely chopped candied orange peel ½ cup finely chopped walnuts 1 pound butter, softened 2 cups sugar 10 eggs, slightly beaten 1 cup bourbon

Combine ½ cup flour with fruits and walnuts. Cream butter until light; gradually add sugar and beat until very light and fluffy. Gradually add eggs, beating until very light after each addition. Beat remaining 4 cups flour into batter gradually, beating until light. Fold in fruit mixture. Turn batter into greased and floured 10" tube pan. Bake in 325° oven about 2 hours, or until cake tests done. Remove cake from oven and place on cooling rack. Pour bourbon over cake. Allow to cool thoroughly, about 1½ hours. To store, cover cake and keep in cool place (refrigerator if necessary). Makes a 10" cake.

Strawberry Fluff with Kirsch

1 quart ripe firm strawberries 1 cup and 2 tablespoons sugar ½ cup kirsch 10 egg whites

Pick over the berries. Sprinkle with 2 tablespoons sugar and kirsch. Let stand 1/2 hour.

Caramelize ¹/₂ cup sugar and line a 1¹/₂quart soufflé dish with the caramel. Beat the egg whites very stiff to make a meringue, adding the remaining sugar by spoonfuls. Fold in the drained strawberries and pour into the caramelized soufflé dish. Stand in a pan of hot water and place in a 375° oven. Bake until puffy and lightly browned.

Serve at once with whipped cream flavored with kirsch and sugar. Serves 4-6.



Flavorful spirits team with fruits for inspired desserts. From one basic crêpe recipe you can get all kinds of variations by using different fruits and a complementary spirit (bananas and rum, peaches and bourbon). If the dessert is to be finished at the table, transfer the spirits to labeled decanters.

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Peaches with Raspberry Sauce

Purée 2 packages frozen raspberries, after you have poured off some of the liquid. Flavor lightly with eau-de-vie de framboise or kirsch.

Blanch, do not cook, 12 ripe peaches in boiling water for 5 minutes. Peel and arrange in a serving dish. Sprinkle lightly with sugar and some of the same eau-de-vie you used for the purée. Spoon purée over peaches. Serve very cold with ice cream or whipped cream. Serves 6-12.

Tipsy Fruits

Fill a 2-quart jar half full or full, as you wish, of good quality dried prunes. Cover with cognac, whisky, armagnac or kirsch. Add more after 24 hours and let the prunes stand 10 days or so. Replace the fruit as you use it. You can keep a perpetual jar, adding as you wish. You can also use good quality dried apricots in the same fashion, and they make a superb purée as well. Fine quality dried peaches soaked in bourbon are also excellent. These tipsy fruits can be used as a dessert, an ice cream topping, in fruit compotes or for sauces, purées and glazes.

Basic Crêpes Recipe

% cup flour ¼ cup sugar ¼ cup sugar ½ teaspoon salt 3 eggs 2 tablespoons cognac or rum A little scraped vanilla bean or 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind 2 tablespoons melted butter Milk

Sift the dry ingredients together and add the eggs one at a time, mixing well. Mix until there are no lumps—an electric blender at low speed is excellent. Add the flavorings and the melted butter and gradually stir in just enough milk to give the batter the consistency of thick cream. Let the batter rest for an hour or two before baking.

Make the crêpes in a well-buttered 6" pan over a fairly brisk heat. Pour a little of the batter in the pan and tip so that it runs over the entire surface. When done, turn and brown lightly on the other side. Keep hot in a low oven or over hot water, wrapped in foil until ready to use.

Crêpes may be kept several days in refrigerator in foil. They may also be frozen.

VARIATIONS:

1. *Raspberry Crêpes:* Bake crêpes. Spread with a good raspberry preserve and roll up. Flambé with framboise.

 Peach Crêpes: Flavor thinly sliced peaches with sugar and bourbon. Bake crêpes and place a layer of peaches on each. Arrange a stack of 8 or 10 crêpes, topped with a plain crêpe. Heat and blaze with bourbon. Serve with whipped cream.
 Banana Crêpes: Bake bananas in their skins, 18 minutes at 350°. Sprinkle baked crêpes lightly with sugar. Wrap peeled bananas in crêpes. Flambé with rum.

4. *Strawberry Crêpes:* Slice strawberries and marinate in sugar and kirsch. Roll in baked crêpes and flambé with kirsch. Serve with whipped cream.

5. *Pineapple Crêpes:* Spread baked crêpes with pineapple preserves or with fresh pineapple. Roll and flambé with rum or cognac.

Crêpes Normandes

8 cooking apples 6 tablespoons butter 1 teaspoon vanilla 12-16 crêpes 3 tablespoons calvados or applejack

Peel and core the apples and cut in sixths. Melt butter in a heavy skillet, add apples, cover and shake pan. After several minutes, add vanilla. Cook until apples are soft but not mushy. Add sugar if necessary. Keep hot.

Sauté crêpes in crêpe pan in a little butter and spread each one with apple mixture. Sprinkle with sugar and a few drops of calvados or applejack. Pile one on top of the other, finishing with a plain crêpe. Heat in oven for a minute. Blaze with cognac or calvados. Serve with sweetened whipped cream.

Crêpes Montaigne

8 egg yolks ¹/₄ cup sugar ¹/₃ cup flour 2 cups hot milk 1 teaspoon vanilla 8-12 crêpes ¹/₂ cup slivered toasted almonds ¹/₄ cup kirsch ¹/₂ cup heavy cream, whipped

Beat egg yolks and sugar until light and lemoncolored. Mix in flour and gradually add milk. Add vanilla. Cook over medium heat, stirring, until thickened. Cool. Spread crêpes with some of this pastry cream and roll up. Place in a lightly sugared baking dish. Combine rest of pastry cream with the almonds, kirsch and whipped cream. Top rolled crêpes with this mixture, sprinkle with a few slivered almonds and put in a 450° oven for a few minutes to glaze.

Omelette Soufflé

8 eggs, separated 1/2 cup sugar Rum Granulated sugar

Beat the egg yolks until light and lemon-colored. Gradually beat in the $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sugar. Add $\frac{1}{3}$ cup rum. Beat the egg whites until firm, and fold $\frac{1}{3}$ of them into the yolk mixture. Then cut in the rest of the whites. Heat a 10" castaluminum skillet and butter it well. Pour the soufflé mixture into the skillet and let it cook over low heat for 3-4 minutes. Place in a 375° oven for 15 minutes. Remove. Tip skillet carefully over a hot plate. Omelette should come out easily. Sprinkle with granulated sugar, pour 4 ounces of heated rum over it and ignite. Serve at once. Serves 4.

How to flambé dessert crêpes



Place twelve to fourteen small cubes of sugar in crêpes pan over alcohol flame. Heat until sugar begins to melt.

Double-Frosted Bourbon Brownies

%4 cup sifted flour
%4 teaspoon baking soda
%4 teaspoon salt
%2 cup sugar
%3 cup shortening
2 tablespoons water
1 6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs
1%2 cups walnuts, coarsely chopped
4 tablespoon bourbon
White frosting

Chocolate glaze

Preheat oven to 325°. Sift together flour, baking soda and salt and set aside.

Combine sugar, shortening and water and bring just to a boil, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, stir in chocolate and vanilla until smooth. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Add flour mixture and walnuts. Spread in a greased 9" pan and bake at 325° for 25-30 minutes. Remove, sprinkle with bourbon and cool. Meanwhile prepare the white frosting and chocolate glaze.

Spread white frosting over cooled brownies and chill. Spread chocolate glaze over white frosting and chill until firm. Cut in 1" squares. Keep refrigerated until ready to serve. Makes about 80 squares.

WHITE FROSTING

1/2 cup soft butter

1 teaspoon vanilla or rum extract

2 cups sifted confectioners' sugar

Combine butter and vanilla or rum extract and beat until creamy. Gradually add sugar, beating smooth after each addition.

CHOCOLATE GLAZE

1 tablespoon shortening

1 6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels Melt shortening and chocolate over hot water.

Mocha Bavarian

1 cup milk ³/₄ cup sugar 1 tablespoon instant coffee 1 envelope unflavored gelatin 2 eggs, separated 1 6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels 2 tablespoons brandy ¹/₂ cup heavy cream Combine in a saucepan ¹/₂ cup milk, ¹/₄ cup sugar,

commute in a sate pair /2 cup mink, /4 cup sugar, instant coffee and gelatin. Cook over moderate heat until gelatin dissolves and mixture just comes to a boil, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Beat the egg yolks slightly and add gradually to instant-coffee mixture, stirring rapidly. Cook over moderate heat 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in semi-sweet chocolate morsels until melted. Blend in remaining milk and brandy. Chill until thickened but not set. Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry. Beat in remaining sugar gradually until stiff and glossy. Whip cream. Fold chocolate mixture into egg whites, then whipped cream. Chill until set. Serves 8-10.

Bourbon Balls

1 6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels 1/2 cup sugar 3 tablespoons light corn syrup 1/3 cup bourbon

2½ cups (about 5 dozen) finely crushed vanilla wajers

1 cup finely chopped walnuts Sugar

Melt chocolate over hot (not boiling) water. Remove from water and stir in sugar and syrup. Blend in bourbon. Combine wafers and walnuts and add to chocolate mixture, mixing well. Form into 1" balls and roll in sugar. Let ripen in a covered container at least several days. Makes about 4½ dozen.

Note: These bourbon balls will keep for 3 to 4 weeks in a tightly covered container.

Gouere aux Pommes

4-5 cooking apples 1/2 cup and 2 tablespoons sugar 1/3 cup cognac 11/2 cups flour 1 teaspoon baking powder 2 eggs 1 cup milk Salt

Peel and slice the apples and marinate them for 2 hours with 2 tablespoons sugar in the cognac. Make a batter with the flour, baking powder, eggs, remaining sugar, milk and a little salt. Blend well and combine with apple mixture. Pour into a low, buttered baking dish. Bake 45 minutes at 350°. Serve warm with cream. Serves 4.

Lacy Bourbon Crisps

6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels
 package all-purpose cookie mix
 cup bourbon
 tablespoons water

Melt chocolate morsels over hot (not boiling) water. Combine cookie mix, bourbon and water and beat well. Add and blend well with melted chocolate. Drop by half teaspoonfuls 3" apart on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake in a 375° oven for about 6 minutes. Let cool slightly before removing from cookie sheet. Makes about 8 dozen.



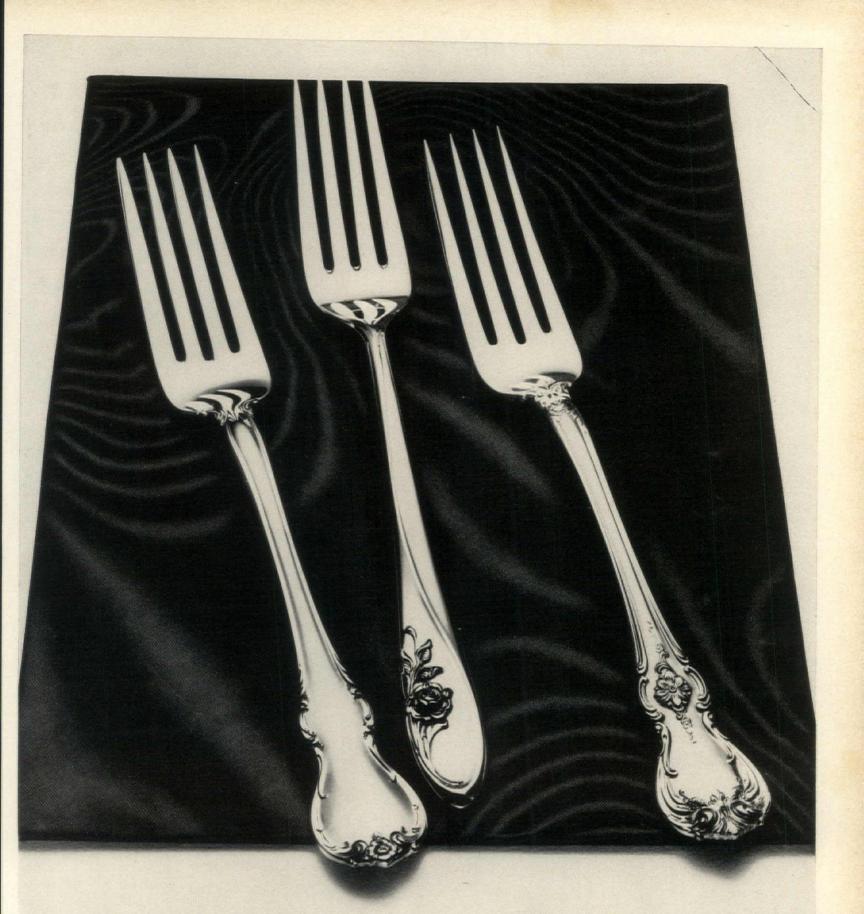
When sugar starts to melt, add a few drops of spirits (cognac, gin, whiskey, rum) to pan, let heat and then ignite.



Add 4-5 tablespoons butter. Stir well to make smooth sauce. If desired, flavor sauce with orange juice, zest, liqueur.



Bathe crêpes, folded in four, in sauce. Sprinkle with sugar, add flaming spirit to pan, spoon over crêpes, shaking pan.



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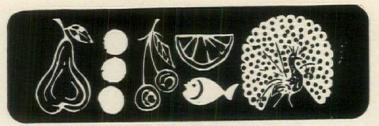
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H&G's gourmet's guide



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Shrimp Mogens Esbensen

12 large shrimp 6 tablespoons butter Salt, pepper to taste 1 tablespoon chopped fresh green onion 1 tablespoon chopped tarragon ¼ cup Pernod 1 cup Hollandaise sauce Chopped parsley

Shell shrimp and split down the back. Heat butter in a skillet and sauté shrimp briskly until they are pink, about 3-3½ minutes. Add salt, pepper, chopped green onion and tarragon. Blaze with Pernod and add Hollandaise, being careful not to cook after Hollandaise has been added. Sprinkle with parsley. Serves 4 as an appetizer. To serve it as a main course for 4, use 3 dozen shrimp and double the amount of all the other ingredients.



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A tasting guide to Sherry, Port and Madeira

By James A. Beard

n recent years there has been a welcome revival of interest in the big three fortified wines-sherry, port and Madeira. Many people are adopting the pleasant, civilized custom of serving a chilled dry sherry or Madeira as a pre-prandial apéritif, while many are discovering the delights of the traditional glass of sherry, port or Madeira for leisurely mid-afternoon or evening sipping. The best way to make the acquaintance of these superb wines is by tasting. If you plan to visit England, the place to sample the great threesome is a new restaurant in Bristol sponsored by the House of Harvey, famed wine importers. The wine list takes in the entire sweep of sherry types from the bone-dry manzanillas and the pale dry finos and montillas, through the dry-to-medium amontillados and mediumsweet-to-sweet olorosos, to the fine brown sherries so rich in color and flavor. The restaurant offers about forty great ports, some from the cask, and a wonderful choice of Madeiras. For stocking a more modest home cellar, however, the guide on page 254 gives the names of a representative selection of sherry, port and Madeira. Here are some points to remember when shopping and serving.

Sherry

When you open a bottle of good sherry, decant it into a container with a ground-glass stopper. It will keep better than in the bottle. For serving, shun the usual V-shaped sherry glass. It holds a poor drink and is easily upset. Instead, use the long straight-sided Spanish glass or a small, tulip-shaped wineglass (the same glass will do for port and Madeira, too).

Generally, manzanillas, finos and montillas should be well chilled before they are served. Although other sherries are usually served at room temperature, this is a matter of taste. You may prefer to chill a medium-dry sherry and even a cream sherry if it is to appear as an apéritif. However, cream sherries should not be chilled when offered as "elevenses" or afternoon revivers.

Port

Port, a wine properly served at room temperature, is a festive drink, and many people give vintage ports as birthday and anniversary presents, a nice departure from the usual bottled gift. ("Vintage" means the wine is definitely of the year designated only; not a blend of different years.) You can find vintage ports of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries in New York and other large cities. Some crusted ports turn up from time to time. These must be decanted, preferably through a silver wine strainer.

Madeira

Madeiras, like America's premium wines, are known by their grape varieties. Sercial is the driest of all and is favored by inveterate Madeira drinkers. Verdelho is not so dry; it might be compared to a medium sherry. Bual is a comparatively sweet wine, and malmsey, a Continued on page 254



This little ode to Waterford was written by an Irish store way back then. As you can see, the spelling has changed a bit, but not the Waterford crystal. The men who make it reveal the same stubborn pride in their art. And it's still made entirely by hand in Waterford, Ireland. The Lismore, above, is based on the diamond patterns of craftsmen of 200 years ago. (Water goblet, \$6.) Read our persuasive little verse. Isn't it time you looked into the wondrous world of Waterford? At the best stores. Waterford Crystal, 225 5th Ave., N.Y.

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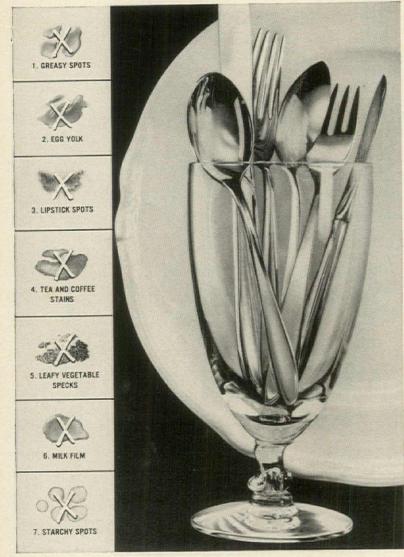
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great dessert wine, is heady, with a glorious bouquet and rich brown color. Madeira is the longest lived wine in the world. It resists heat and extreme changes of weather and temperature and can survive at least two centuries with its flavor, vigor and bouquet intact. Many vintage Madeiras of the latter half of the nineteenth and the early years of the twentieth century are readily available in New York and other large cities, and you can even find some fabulous early or mid-nineteenth-century Madeiras, both vintage and solera (a blend of wines of different years).

Dry cocktail sherries

NAME	ТҮРЕ
Hidalga La <mark>G</mark> itana Manzanilla	Exceedingly dry
Montilla Solera Fina	Brittle dry
Domecq Guitar	Pale dry
Domecq La Ina	Very pale dry, brilliant
Bobadilla Victoria	Light, pale dry
Domecq V. V. D.	Very dry
Fortnum & Mason Fino	
Garvey's Fino "San Patricio"	Extremely dry
Gonzalez & Byass Tío Pepe	Bone dry
Harvey's Bristol Fino	Extremely dry
Williams & Humbert Bone Dry	Very dry

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve chilled as an apéritif with nuts, olives, crudités, biscuits. Or, serve at lunch or dinner with hors d'oeuvres, shellfish, hot or cold soups.

Medium dry sherries

NAME	ТҮРЕ
Bobadilla Amontillado Extra	Medium dry
Domecq Ideal Pale	Moderately dry
Duff Gordon Nina	Medium dry
Findlater's Dry Fly	Fairly dry
Fortnum & Mason Amontillado	Medium dry
Harvey's Bristol Dry	Quite dry
Harvey's Shooting	Medium dry
Sandeman 3 Star Amontillado	"
Williams & Humbert Dry Sack	

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve preferably chilled as an apéritif or as an afternoon or evening drink with salted nuts, green olives, salted biscuits, cheese biscuits, tiny ham or chicken sandwiches. Serve with such soups as consommé, turtle, bisques.



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Oloroso and cream sherries

NAME	ТҮРЕ
Bellow's London Cream	Sweet, rich
Cuvillo Finest Dry Oloroso	Medium sweet
Duff Gordon No. 28	Golden, rich, sweet
Fortnum & Mason Pale Golden	Medium sweet
Harvey's Bristol Cream	Full, rich, well balanced
Harvey's Bristol Milk	Full, rich, with elegant color
Palomino Cream	Full and medium sweet
Williams & Humbert Equator	Rich, sweet
Williams & Humbert Canasta Cream	Heavy, nutty
Wisdom & Warter Golden Cream	Round, sweet

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve at room temperature or lightly cooled—not thoroughly chilled—as a sweet apéritif, or as an afternoon or evening drink with nuts, sweet biscuits, cheese biscuits, pound or fruit cakes, candied fruits.

Madeiras

NAME	ТҮРЕ
Bellow's Rainwater	Quite dry
Blandy's Sercial	Very dry
Blandy's "Duke of Cambridge" Rainwater	Quite dry
Justino Sercial #910	Dry .

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve chilled, cooled or at room temperature with salted or plain nuts, biscuits, gougère, thin savory sandwiches, or at dinner with certain soups (turtle, bisque), hors d'oeuvres.

NAME	ТУРЕ
Blandy's Bual	Rich, full
Blandy's "Duke of Cumberland" Bual	Extremely rich

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve at room temperature with nuts, biscuits, cheese biscuits, pound and fruit cake, certain soups and as a dessert wine.

19th-century solera Madeiras

NAME	ТҮРЕ
1818 Grabham Sercial	Rich, mellow
1822 Grabham Verdelho	Rich, mellow

Vintage Madeiras

NAME	ТҮРЕ
1860 Bual	Rounded, delicate but full-flavored
1884 Sercial	
1900 Verdelho	79
1910 Verdelho	"

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve on important occasions as you would any great fortified wine.

Tawny ports

NAME	ТҮРЕ
Bellow's Finest Old Tawny	Nutty, rich and round
Constantino Three Crown Tawny	55
Fortnum & Mason Supreme Tawny	9
Graham's Old Westminster	35
Harvey's "Director's Bin" Very Superior Tawny	3
Hooper's Tawny Port	
Sandeman One Star White	
Sandeman Three Star Tawny	"
Westminster Dry White	· · ·

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve at room temperature with nuts, cheese biscuits, petits fours, rich cake or fruit desserts. Tawny ports are drunk at the end of a meal or in the evening, although in France they sometimes appear as an apéritif.

Ruby ports

NAME	ТУРЕ
Fortnum & Mason Fine Old Ruby	Medium sweet
Harvey's Hunting	"
Robertson's Black Label Ruby	"
Sandeman One Star Ruby	

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Serve at room temperature as an after-dinner drink or with dessert, with nuts, fruits, cheeses, sweet cakes or biscuits.

Vintage ports

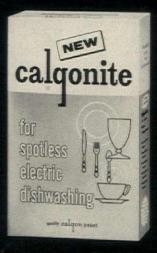
TYPE
Rich, nutty

HOW TO SERVE AND USE:

Decant and serve at any meal at room temperature, or as an evening refreshment with nuts in the shell and dry, sweet biscuits.



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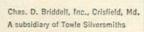
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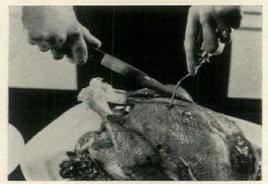
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HOW TO CARVE TURKEY

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Arrange turkey on a platter with drumsticks pointing to your right. Cut down between thigh and body.



Push leg away from body with fork and, with tip of carving knife, sever leg from the body at the joint.



Remove leg to serving platter or plate and cut in two at second joint, separating thigh from the drumstick.



For individual servings of dark meat, slice drumstick downward in neat pieces. Also slice thigh section.



Next, remove wing. Press wing tip down with fork to reveal joint and sever wing from body with knife tip.



Cut through the base of the breast horizontally so breast meat will fall away easily when sliced down.



Carve down the breast on an angle in thin slices. Continue until you reach wide part of the breast.



Carve, still on an angle, from front and back ends of breast alternately so slices are not too large. Continued on the next page



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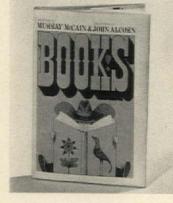
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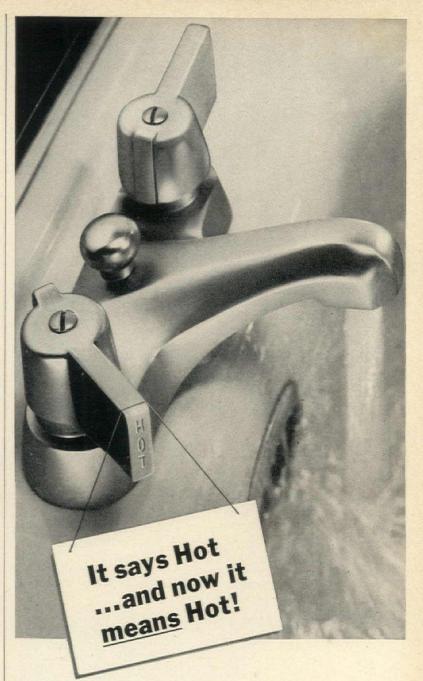


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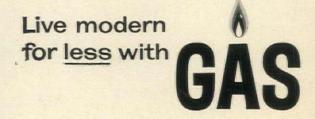
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You can cut out the fortress parts with a power tool

As complicated as H&G's toy fortress may look, it is easy to assemble since all of the towers and battlements are made up of flat pieces that you cut out of 1/4-inch pine (except the base of 1/2-inch plywood) and then glue or nail together. To make our model, we used the "Shopsmith" power tool made by the Magna American Corporation. This tool is a free-standing machine measuring 71 inches long, 19 inches wide, 411/2 inches high. 1. You use the Shopsmith's 9-inch allpurpose saw blade to cut out and shape all the pieces. The hexagonal parade ground behind the drawbridge is made of two thicknesses of plywood glued and nailed together, then fastened on the base.

 You can form the serrated edge of the battlements by using a special attachment on the vertical saw blade.
 To cut out windows, you use the vertical drill press.

4. All corners of towers and battlements must be beveled to give a cabinet-like fit. The Shopsmith table tilts up and down so that wood pieces can be beveled at any angle.

5. The last step before assembling is to smooth the edges of all pieces. For this you use the sanding disc.



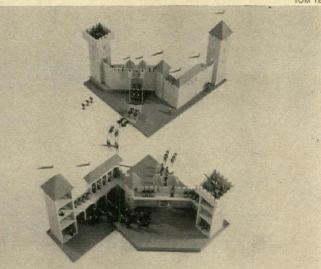








TOM YEE



The base was designed to follow the perimeter of the fort so that its young commander can come in quite close to maneuver troops on interior parade grounds, or can reach over the front walls and direct scouting forces while remaining safely within the battlements.

Remodeler's Notebook

How to reshape space without rebuilding





AFTER

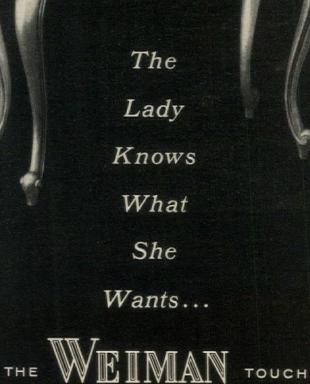
You don't necessarily have to undertake elaborate remodeling in order to correct the flaws of an old house. Often you can change the proportions of a room without touching the structural elements by merely paneling a wall. In Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Anderson's California house, the hallway, above, although fairly wide, had such a high ceiling that walking through the space made you feel as if you had fallen into a crevasse. To revise the proportions, the walls were covered to door height with La Honda redwood paneling made by the Simpson Timber Company. The ceiling and wall above were painted white to make the ceiling look lower and the hall even wider. The panels, each 3/8-inch thick and 6 inches wide, were applied with dabs of adhesive about the size of walnuts which would compensate for any unevenness of wall surface. Redwood trim 11/2 by 11/2 inches tops the paneling. In the bedroom, below, door-height redwood paneling lowered the apparent height of the ceiling; sliding louvered doors of closets replaced bamboo blinds.



BEFORE AFTER



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French Provincial Curio Cabinet Shown in silver leaf. Other finishes available. Glass front and shelves, with glass side doors. Antique mirror back. L 32", W 15", H 66". No. 9846.

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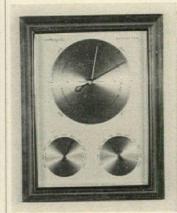
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Country and city mouse houses: city mouse's above, country cousin's below, F.A.O. Schwarz, \$13,95 each.



Authentic fireboat assembled from a do-it-yourself kit. Of plastic, 18 inches long. Polk's Hobbies. \$4.98.



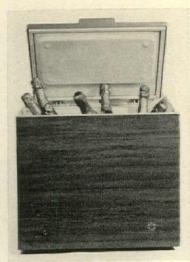
To keep a weather eye: barometer, humidity indicator and thermometer—an ever-changing picture in a walnut frame. Crow's Nest. \$25.



Ceramic-topped metal guéridon; ball for wood matches. East Norwich House. Table: \$65. Ball: \$2.95.



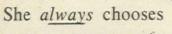
From New Guinea, an exotic carved wood figure in red, black and white. 25 inches tall. Carlebach Gallery. \$350.



Portable thermoelectric refrigerator that runs on car or boat batteries or own power pack, 927 cubic-inch capacity. Hammacher Schlemmer, \$149.95.



Hexagonal porcelain jar from England —floral design on antique white. Tea or tobacco caddy. Carl Forslund. \$5.55.



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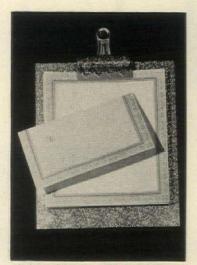
Baumer Best Known Name in Candles, Syracuse, N.Y.



For zabaglione: copper saucepan with rounded bottom to use over hot water. La Cuisinière. \$16,50.



Table protectors: "Co-Stars"—felt slipcover coasters for stemmed glasses. Georg Jensen. Set of 6: \$2.50.



Clipboard bound in silver paper with companion French Notes that form own envelopes. By Crane. \$6.50.



Flower holder: branze-finished turtle with moving head and tail. "Head to tail," 8 inches. Anita Kott. \$12.95.



Hand puppets: a burlap lion, a flannel mouse and a calico dogwaiting to act. Doodlets. \$2 each.



Connoisseur teas (one a rare "vintage" Darjeeling at \$3.50 a pound) in pretty canisters. Simpson & Vail.



Gaily painted Polish crêche figures to add, one by one, to a collection. 7 inches high. Cepelia. \$7 each.



Nostalgic silk-screen print by Allen Saalberg called "School Room." 16 by 22 inches. Canal Press. \$18.

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Paperback cook-book library compiled for varied tastes. "Salads for the Gourmet," "Dinners That Wait," "The ABC's of Quick and Glamorous Cooking," "Cocktails and Snacks," "Creative Cooking" and (for Anglophiles) "The London Times Cookery Book." Doubleday. 95c to \$1.45 each. Continued on the next page



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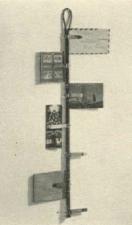


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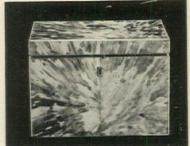
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Wall-hanging red leather riding crop with brass clips for stationery, invitations, memos. Eaton Paper Corp. \$9.



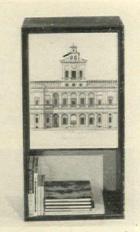
Antique English tortoise-shell tea caddy, in mint condition. 8 by 5 by 51/2 inches. Abraham & Straus. \$115.



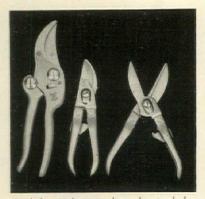
"Nella Notte Buia" (On a Dark Night): a gay cat story. In English, illustrated. Wittenborn Books. \$6.95.



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Hanging walnut telephone-or-bar cabinet with lithograph on door. 18 by 12 by 36 inches. Ello Products, \$64.



English stainless steel garden tools by Wilkinson. Big pruner: \$12.25. Pocket pruner: \$3.75. Flower cutter: \$5.95.



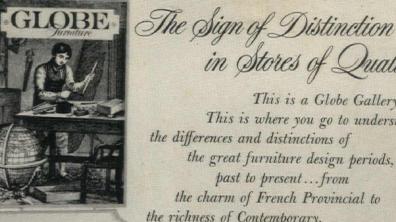
For epicurean cooks: H&G's Chinese Cook Book partnered with fourteen hardto-find ingredients from China. \$10.75. Traditional wok (stir-fry pan) with cover and ring to fit any burner. \$11.60. Stir-sticks: 30c each. Cathay Food Products.

Coming next month:

Sparkling Christmas tree ornaments you can make yourself with a kit you can order now

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Making things yourself is often half the fun of the holiday season. And this year, in the December issue of H&G, you will read about a new kind of plastic ornament you can make yourself to hang on a Christmas tree, use in a centerpiece or tie on Christmas packages. The ornaments are made from plastic crystals which you mix and bake in your oven just like cookies—10 minutes for a sparkling, jeweled look, longer for a delicate, transparent effect. Everything you need to make the ornaments-the clear plastic crystals, instant dyes to color the crystals, chips of colored glass for varied effects, small wire hangers, plus complete instructions—is available in a special kit called Meltamold that you can order through the mail. You can also order colored photographer's gelatins to cut into shapes and imbed in the crystals to create wonderfully jeweled, more brilliant ornaments. You bake the ornaments in any molds you have on hand-everything from muffin tins to tiny cookie molds to pizza pans. In the December issue you will see many variations of the ornaments as well as imaginative ways to use them. But to have your kit on hand, you might want to order it now and make a few experiments of your own. For the basic kit, send \$5 (postpaid in the U.S.) to Meltamold, Box 124, Ardsley, N.Y. For packets of photographer's gelatins, send \$1 for warm or cool colors.



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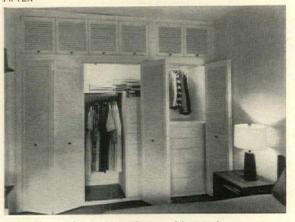
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BEFORE



Well-organized storage is always a blessing but never more so than in the bedroom and kitchen of a small New York apartment. Although clothes and cooking equipment come in endlessly varied shapes and sizes, you can alter whatever space you have available to house them all in good order. In the bedroom, above, a new closet 12 feet long and 2 feet deep was built across one wall and divided into three major compartments. One contains stacks of drawers for handbags, shoes, belts, sweaters. In the other two are poles installed at different heights for hanging coats and dresses, suits and skirts. Small louvered doors above hide space for luggage.

Decorated by I. Richard Mandel and Gen Greenwald of Gen Richard Assoc., Inc.



In the same apartment, a brand new kitchen occupies the same space as the old, and the arrangement of appliances and cabinets is the same, but there the resemblance ends. By replacing the old equipment with new models, the kitchen was made twice as workable and a dozen times more attractive. Trim wood cabinets below and above the new stainless steel countertop provide more than adequate storage. (A veneer in the same natural wood was used to surface the frame on the front of the new refrigerator-freezer against the back wall.) A long rectangular light panel replaces the former ceiling light, and sleek vinyl covers the old floor.



"The dogs love to run in and out through their own doors." This one leads from the porch outside the maid's room to a small yard, fenced to keep dogs away from the pool terrace.

"We wanted serenity, little maintenance, so chose a Japanese type garden." Landscape planting combines pebbles, rocks and paving with natural plants like yucca, bamboo, soft undulating carpets of zoysia that need no cutting—and no trees to shed leaves into pool.





"We like houses which are well secluded from the street;" the blank walls of the double garage at right, the storage room at left that flank the approach to outer gate, give no hint of size or scope of house. Continued on the next page for a Christmas filled with the JOY of music

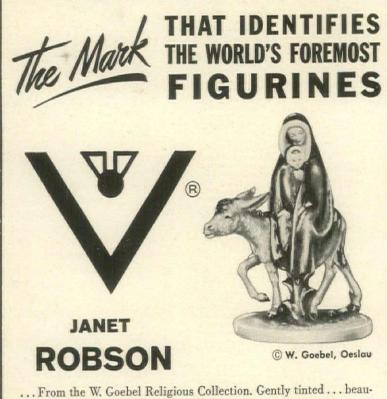
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"I wanted storage for everything right where it is used"—hence pull-out trays for pot lids just below the range top, and spice cupboard at right. Pastry board is built into drawer in island counter.

"The island counter is a great space saver because it does so many jobs"—i.e. snack bar, appliance center, work table, chopping board. Across room is brick barbecue: deep drawers between it and refrigerator store equipment for both; cupboards above hold casseroles.





"Wood surfaces are easier to keep up than painted ones, so we stained all the cabinets." China and glass are next to dining room entrance; silver, in partitioned drawers, can be handed across pass-through. Above sink are sliding-door cupboards for food wraps, bowls.

Shopping Information

All prices approximate, include Federal tax.

*Through decorators

Cover Foreground:

"Vivant" Heirloom sterling, 5-pc. place setting, \$36.75, Oneida.

Fornasetti dinner plates, blackand-white fruit design, \$5 ea., Bloomingdale's, 743 Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y.

Kosta "King Karl" crystal goblets, \$2.50 ea., Georg Jensen, 667 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Linen napkins, 17", \$1 ea., Fallani & Cohn.

Cast-iron Tiny Taper candlestick and 12 candles, 15" tall, \$5.95.

"Coca Bola" rectangular tray, 15" x 30", \$29.95. Both Dansk Designs. Ceramic onion bowl with cover, plate and ladle, imported from Italy. Plate, 10", bowl, 7" diam., 2" deep, \$12.50 complete, Stuart Becker, 1036 Third Ave., New York, N. Y.

Antique pine "Spindle" screen, 3-paneled, 68¹/₂" h., 72" l., handmade in Mexico, \$375. Chequer, 816 Third Ave., New York, N. Y. Background:

"Paul Revere" silverplated 3-pc. coffee set; coffeepot capacity, 9 cups; set \$32.45, Oneida. Glazed 3-tiered stand, original Italian ceramic design, 3 separate compotes, 18" high, \$36.50, La Cuisinière, 903 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.

"Aurora" green wool 6" fringe, \$7.50 yd., Clavos, Inc., 331 East 83rd St., New York, N. Y. Everything else privately owned.

Party Gamesmanship Page 192:

"Marvel" mousseline crystal by Pasco, clarets, \$1.75 ea., B. Altman & Co., 34th St. and Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Oval brass "Piecrust" tray, 46" x 29", \$80, Products of India.*

Giant clam shell, \$25; Abalone shells, \$4 ea., McArthur Shop, 590 Third Ave., New York, N. Y. Pewter bottle cooler, 8½" h., 8¾" x 12½" diam. opening, \$80, Ginori

Fifth Ave., 711 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. Sheffield fruit knives, mother-ofpearl handles, set of six, \$24.95, Bloomingdale's, 743 Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y.

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Decorating knife, \$1; potato, fruit or vegetable scoop, 3 sizes, 3/4", 1", 11/2". \$1.20 ea.; truffle cutters, 12 assorted cutters in box, \$8.95; 6 assorted cutters in box, \$4.75; large daisy-shaped truffle cutter, 50c; ham cornucopia, 35c; Bazar Français, 666 Sixth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Other items privately owned.

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Round wicker basket imported from Spain. 14" diam., 7" h., \$5, Halls, 1114 Grand Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Vecchio Ginori Bianco tray, 16¹/₄" 1., 10¹/₂" widest diam., \$30, Ginori Fifth Avenue, 711 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Pastry bags, sizes 12" to 24", 50c to \$1, Bazar Français, 666 Sixth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Nut brown fruit decorator, 49c, Bloomingdale's, 743 Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y.

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Hanging wire basket with plastic

parsley, pine and Black Forest mushrooms, smaller replica 8" diam., with orange or red velvet streamers, \$14.50, Bonwit Teller, 721 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. "Vivant" Heirloom sterling, 5-pc. place setting, \$36.75, Oneida.

place setting, \$36.75, Oneida. "Bittersweet" dinnerware, oven proof, 16-pc. starter set, \$16.95, Stangl.

Boda amber goblets, \$8 ea.; vase, 9" h., \$14.75, Georg Jensen, New York, N. Y.

Octagonal platter, 14" diam., imported from Italy, \$12.50, Stark Valla, 109 West 10th St., New York, N. Y.

Handmade Italian ceramic cabbage-leaf plates, 8" diam., \$6.50 ea., Nessa Gaulois Inc., Lincoln Road, Miami Beach, Fla.

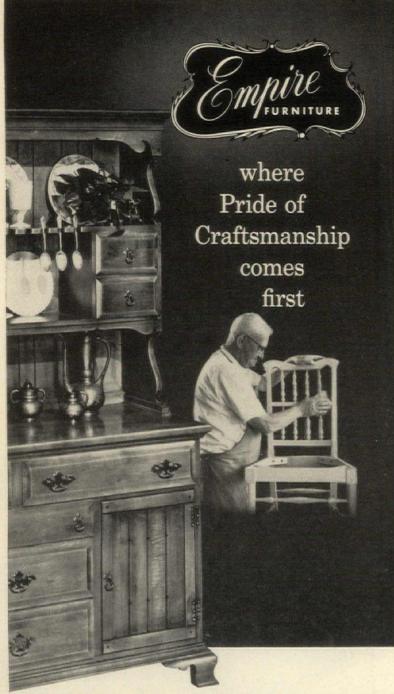
Belgian linen napkins, 17", 75c ea., Fallani & Cohn.

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Fancy head silver skewers, 83/4" l., \$2.95 ea.; cabbage corer, \$1.25 ea.; Bazar Français, 666 Sixth Ave., New York, N. Y.

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Page 197, top center, clockwise: Italian ceramic square straw platter, 11", \$20. Erma Kimberly, 15 Via Mizner, Palm Beach, Fla. Chelsea radish-shape chive pot, Antique Porcelain Co., 48 East 57th St., New York, N. Y. Italian ceramic straw plate, 5" diam., \$5.50; soup bowl, 6" diam., \$10, Erma Kimberly. Italian ceramic grouse box, natural colorings, 5" h., x 6" x 9", \$15, Bonwit Teller, New York, N. Y. Italian ceramic round straw platter, 12" diam., \$13.50, Erma Kimherly.

Meissen artichoke and Chelsea Cos lettuce, Antique Porcelain Co. Dysart glaze twig basket, 10" diam., \$100, Wedgwood & Sons. Brown pottery basket compote, imported from France, 8½" diam., \$75, Doris Dessauer.*

Music Makers

All music, radio and TV components by Motorola.

Page 234, top:

Drexel "Parallel" room divider, walnut, three drawers, shelves and cane paneling to house speakers. Upper shelves rest on low table base. 59¹¹/16″ w., 16″ d., 50″ h. Space available for TV, if desired. Phonograph—AM/FM radio with FM stereo. Golden Stereo Automatic record changer with Feather Trac Tone arm. Speakers: one 12″, two 8″, two 3¹/₂″; 20 watt MPO—50 watt peak. \$1,050.

Bottom:

Drexel "Triune" buffet, mahogany, top surface includes wood center lift-up section and stationary marble slabs at either end, $52\frac{1}{2}$ " w., 18" d., 22" h. Phonograph—AM/FM radio with FM stereo, Golden Stereo Automatic record changer with Feather Trac Tone arm. Speakers: two 10", two 8", two 3". \$850.

Page 235, top left:

19" TV in mahogany server from Drexel "Triune" group. Brass gallery and casters, 40" w., 20" d., 32" h., chassis precision crafted with

modern hand and dip soldering, de luxe, Golden M Custommatic tuner, tinted eyeshade filter, illuminated channel indicator, 4" Golden Voice speaker. \$650.

Top right:

Drexel "Declaration" secretary of oiled walnut has provision for 19" TV, if desired. Phonograph-AM/FM radio with FM stereo, Golden Stereo Automatic record changer with Feather Trac Tone arm. Speakers: one 12", two 8", two 31/2". 20 watt MPO-50 watt peak. Secretary has cane paneling and tambour doors, brass knobs, 38" w., 18" d., 71" h., \$1,000. 19" table model TV, designed by Motorola to match Drexel "Declaration" group, walnut, cane-paneled folding doors, brass knobs, 251/2" w., 141/2" d., 19" h. Set swivels, chassis precision crafted with modern hand and dip soldering, de luxe, Golden M Custommatic tuner, tinted eye-shade filter, illuminated channel indicator, 4" Golden Voice speaker. \$475.

Bottom:

Drexel "Triune" cocktail table, mahogany, hexagonal wedge of table slides out to accommodate stereo and radio. Cane trimming, 44" x 51" x 17" h. Phonograph— AM/FM radio with FM stereo, Golden Stereo Automatic record changer with Feather Trac Tone arm. Speakers: two 10", two 8", two 3½", \$900.

19" table model TV painted antique white with green accents, grilled doors are fabric lined, set swivels, 25¹/₂" w., 14¹/₂" d., 19" h., precision crafted chassis with modern hand and dip soldering, de luxe, Golden M Custom-matic tuner, tinted eye-shade filter, illuminated channel indicator, 4" Golden Voice speaker. \$500.

Spirits Cook Book

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Copper butter pan, set of 4 with copper hanging bar, \$8.75, Bazar Français, 666 Sixth Ave., New York, N. Y.

COMING NEXT MONTH:



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Silver réchaud with 2 alcohol lamps, reversible, \$29.95; Turkish coffeepot, 8-cup capacity, brass with tin lining, \$5.75; au gratin dish, 9¹/₂", copper lined with tin, bronze handles, \$12.95, Bazar Français.

Stainless steel chafing dish, 3-qt. capacity, burner can be used with alcohol or sterno, \$23; solid copper, nickel-lined crêpes pan with walnut handle, Mazelite base, sterno heater, \$50, Hammacher Schlemmer, 145 E. 57th St., New York, N. Y.

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Round enameled cast-iron casserole, 5¹/₂-qt. capacity, \$13.95, Descoware.

Stainless steel larding needle with wooden handle, \$3.95, Bazar Français.

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Crèpes Suzette outfit, copper and brass with interchangeable sterno or alcohol heater, 12" pan, \$16.50; 12½" heater, \$43, Bazar Français. Matching tall crystal decanters, \$27.50 ea.; square crystal decanter with silver-banded neck, \$33. Black, Starr & Frost, 594 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. Sterling silver labels, \$4 ea., Jean Silversmiths, 16 West 45th St., New York, N. Y.

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Crêpes Suzette outfit, copper and brass with interchangeable sterno or alcohol heater, 12" pan, \$16.50; 12½" heater, \$43, Bazar Français. Large silver serving spoon, George III. Dublin 1795, by John Stoyte, \$32.50, James Robinson, 12 East 57th St., New York, N. Y.

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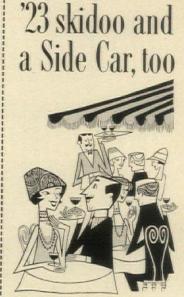
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BUILDING SPONSOR: Crown Aluminum Industries Corp., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOUNDATION: Poured concrete slab. Aluminum termite shield-Crown Aluminum Industries Corp. EXTERIOR WALLS: Aluminum panels with baked on enamel-Crown Aluminum Industries Corp. Applied over plywood sheathing by U. S. Plywood Corp. ROOF: Custom made aluminum panels with baked on enamel-Crown Aluminum Industries Corp. Applied over plywood sheathing by U. S. Plywood Corp. Ridge cap venting system-Crown Aluminum Industries Corp. soffits: Aluminum board and batten panels-Crown Aluminum Industries Corp. INSULATION: Walls: glass fiber batts, one side covered in aluminum foil. Roof; glass fiber batts 6" thick, one side covered in aluminum foil. Foundation slab; glass fiber board around slab. All insulating material-Owens Corning Fiberglas Corp. CUTTERS AND DOWN-SPOUTS: Aluminum-Crown Aluminum Industries Corp. FLOORING: Wood and plastic parquet block tile, prefinished-Plywood Service Corp. INTERIOR WALLS: 1/2" heavy duty gypsum board. Paneling of prefinished teak plywood-U. S. Plywood Corp. Bathroom walls of plastic laminated teak veneer-Westinghouse Electric Co. CEILINGS: 1/2" heavy duty gypsum board. DOORS: Exterior doors; solid core waterproof wood. Interior doors: hollow core "Stay-Strate" style. Closet doors; bifold units opening full width. All doors by U. S. Plywood Corp. WINDOWS: Weatherstripped wood casements-Woodco Corp. Aluminum sliding units-Acorn Aluminum Products. CABINET WORK: Plastic laminated teak-U.S. Plywood Corp. HEATING AND COOLING: Forced warm air system with counterflow circulation-American Stand-ard. VENTILATION: Kitchen hood fan and bathroom exhaust fan-Progress Mfg. Co. AUDIO-INTERCOM SYSTEM: Progress-Webster Corp. LIGHTING: Marco Lighting, Marvin Electric Mfg. Co. POWER: three wire, 100 ampere electrical service. PLUMBING FIXTURES: Bathroom fixtures, sinks, food disposer-American Standard, Medicine cabinets-Kent Corp. KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY APPLIANCES: Hotpoint Division, General Electric Co.

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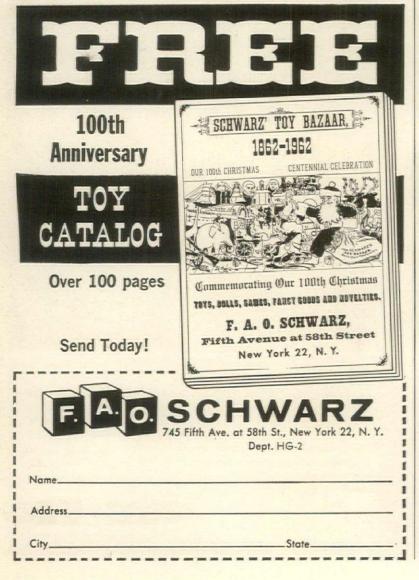
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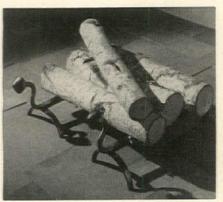
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Pylons of brass gleaming like shafts of light rise from trim cast-iron bases to bring this pair of andirons to a graceful 19-inch height. \$24.75, from Bennett-Ireland, Inc. and available at fine stores around the country.



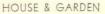


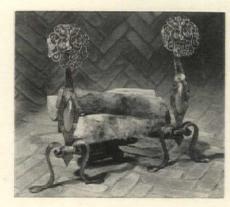


Grille of wrought-iron circles makes a pretty frame for logs. Andirons are joined front and back to hold logs securely in place. Height is 10½ inches. \$14. Burton's Interiors.

Antique steel andirons one of several pairs that once graced the hearths of a great English college can now play a handsome part at your own fireside, even if surroundings are contemporary. This pair, 71/2 inches high, \$55. Edwin Jackson, Inc.

Brass squares composed like pieces of contemporary sculpture make this striking pair of andirons. The brass plates, smoky or polished, are like mirrors that catch the play of firelight. 15 inches high, \$225. From Edwin Jackson, Inc.





Lacy rosettes of brass mounted on bases of gray wrought iron inset with brass make these andirons charming decorations for a cozy hearth. An English Tudor design, they are 23 inches high, \$90. From Edwin Jackson, Inc.

Fluted columns, all of brass, would contribute classic elegance to a living room hearth. From their bases to the tops of their graceful urn finials, they rise to a height of 241/2 inches. \$148. Ye Olde Mantel Shoppe.



Multiple curves in brass carry out one of the most traditional designs in andirons—a design chosen, surely, for the way it captures light and brilliantly reflects it. Andirons are 22 inches high, \$195. Wm. H. Jackson Co.



Stately black-and-brass columns frame a hearth and would stand out in bold silhouette against the light of a fire. Black iron columns with brass trim are 20 inches high over-all. \$225. Wm. H. Jackson Co.

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Black wrought iron in varied curves and topped with simple brass finials reproduce a Williamsburg design by Virginia Metalcrafters. The small proportions (12 inches high) make them good choices for an apartment hearth—and their design fits any decoration. \$20, Miller & Rhoads, Inc.

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The notes of a happy housekeeper BY MARY ELIZABETH FALTER

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A front door is more than an opening through which one enters and departs-it is the spokesman for the house itself and the family who lives in it. The battered door the collie has scratched is apt to belong to a doorstep strewn with skates and muddy rubbers, and it's sure to have a doorbell that doesn't always work. Chances are the occupants of the house spend a good deal of time hunting for lost belongings and are chronically late for appointments.

In the same block, on the same street, you will find another house with guite a different front door. This one is black and it's freshly painted every year or two. The white woodwork around it is washed on cleaning day and the brass knocker and doorknob shine. The ample doorstep is carefully swept and bare of everything except a large, heavy doormat and two honey-colored clay pots that hold dwarf evergreen trees. This house is inviting. The visitor who waits for the door to open has good reason to expect warmth and comfort within.

Keeping the outdoor brasses polished is probably the most tedious part of caring for the entrance of a house. Here is the way I like to preserve the shine: Remove the hardware from the door and clean and polish it. Tie a piece of thin strong string on each part and dip them all in a mixture of one part heavy-duty, waterwhite boat varnish to four parts of thinner. This puts a thin coat of varnish over all the metal, and as varnish is tougher than lacquer, it wears longer. The thinner keeps it from peeling. You have to be sure to hang each piece to dry so that it is completely hard before you put it back on the door.

When you're worried about foods sticking to the pan or to their wrappings, KVP Baking Pan Liner Paper is a wonderful help. I like to use this silicone-lined parchment, which comes in a 15inch dispenser roll with a cutting edge, to line baking pans and casseroles, and slip under rolls, cookies and meats. Even the delicate flesh of fish won't stick if it's placed on a piece of KVP in the broiling pan. Lining the pans eliminates scraping and scouring, and the paper can also be used to wrap individual cuts of meat for the freezer since it won't stick to frozen foods, either.

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Think I've solved the problem of putting up extra young iry over the holidays. Last summer I filed a mental note to copy some wonderful sleeping bags I saw on a cabin cruiser. Double-size, cotton-and-Dacron quilts were folded over and stitched across one erd a long slipcover zipper sewn into the open side turned them into sleeping bags. The beauty of them is they can be used on couches, cots or even the floor, and after a quick run through the washer and drier, they are fresh and ready for another guest. Hope I can fi d plaid quilts to convert into bags for the boys' room.

This year I'm determined to write myself a letter to be opened December 1, 1963. This will remind me of all the fresh ideas for Christmas that I collect this year, and also act as a check list for the things that are easy to forget until it's too late: extension cords and extra bulbs for the Christmas tree lights, and a few little presents to tuck away for emergencies. There will be a note in red letters

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telling us to be sure and assemble well in advance any toys that arrive flat or knocked-down and find a place to hide them.

I also plan to do a careful housecleaning of the ornament and decorations boxes this yearsort the ornaments by size, type and color, discard the broken ones and clearly label the boxes with Magic Marker.

It's almost time again to visit the candle shop and buy fragrant, soft green bayberry candles for all the candlesticks. I really don't know why we use them only at holiday time-except that they seem so special they belong to a magic time of the year. We'll let the first one burn itself out-"a bayberry candle burned down in the socket means health in the house and gold in the pocket."

I used to wonder how on earth to dry my strawcloth place mats once they'd been dunked in soapy water and scrubbed. Obviously they can't be wrung out, and shaking them is like standing next to a wet spaniel. One day, as I was walking through the local fiveand-ten, I passed a big pile of desk blotters and suddenly saw the answer to my place-mat problem. Eight blotters stacked between the wet mats will absorb all their excess moisture so they can then be spread out to dry quickly. The blotters can be dried and used over and over, too.

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A truly "cured" skillet will make any cook feel like a gourmet and cook like one, too. Begin with a good cast-iron or copper (lined with silver or block tin) skillet and slowly heat it on top of the stove. Add a generous lump of butter and gradually increase the heat until the butter is brown and begins to be very bubbly. Swish the butter around so that it covers the whole surface of the pan and roll it well up on the sides. Remove it from the heat and let it cool for a few minutes. While it is still warm, cover the cooking surface with a generous amount of table salt and use it as a scouring agent, rubbing vigorously with a paper towel. Dump out the salt and continue to rub until the salt is all gone. Repeat

the whole process two or three times and the pan will never stick and never require more than a small amount of fat for browning or sautéing. Always clean it with salt and paper towels, and never let water or soap touch it. If this should happen by accident, start over again from scratch with the butter and salt routine.

Nothing is more discouraging than a whole new crop of lint and crumbs on the floor the day after the house has been thoroughly cleaned. It's madness to haul out a heavy vacuum with all its hoses and attachments every single day, but it's no work to whisk over the floors with a Hoover Lark. This

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little giant seems to me to be the best electric broom in the business. It weighs only seven pounds and hangs on a hook in the broom closet, always ready to go. A disposable paper bag lines the plastic dirt compartment in the base of the slender handle, and takes only a minute to empty.

Something to covet: a cabinetmaker's miniature chest, converted into a velvet-lined treasure box to hold collections of small objects, jewelry or silver. The J. E. Caldwell Co. of Philadelphia has fitted the tiny drawers of some very pretty antique chests with tarnish-proof cloth and holders for silver. They will also line a customer's own chest, and they can order beautiful reproductions of fine miniatures to adapt. I'd love to have two: a small one on my dressing chest for jewelry and a bigger one to sit on the dining room window sill and hold my grandmother's silver.

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How weatherproof is your terrace?

rraces, almost by definition (*terra*=earth), are weatherproof structurally. The paved surfaces, supporting walls and the like will normally withstand seasonal rains, snows, wind and frost. But are you forced to denude your terrace of its basic embellishments, fold up the chairs, take in the cushions, batten down the ashtrays every time it sprinkles? Come winter, must you draw the curtains at the windows overlooking your terrace till spring comes around again? Do you have to stop looking at your terrace as well as stop living on it when the weather turns foul?

All these questions are, of course, rhetorical. If you can answer an honest no to them, read no further—you don't need our help. If you must answer yes to even one or two, then perhaps you should give some thought to weatherproofing your terrace decoration on a year-round basis.

Rainproof and sunproof fabrics, as well as other materials that will withstand the ordinary vicissitudes of the fair-weather season, are not the whole answer. It would be silly to leave chairs and cushions outdoors when no one would wish to use them. A reasonable complement of off-season ornament is really what makes the difference. You don't hang paintings on your terrace walls—but you can build the equivalent of paintings *into* the walls. You can hang a mosaic or surface a winterproof (*Continued on page 284*)

MONTH

Along with the reassuring routine of plant care, November pays a final salute to a year's study in depth of the genus and species terrace







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This gently curved fence segment in back of a poolside terrace satisfies all the basic needs of permanent terrace adornment: It has form, bold texture, uncomplicated scale, pleasant color (redwood) and great inherent durability.

Panels of color and design may be hung on fences and walls outdoors just as paintings are hung on the walls of a living room. BELOW, cut-outs of panelboard between the supporting frames of a plain board fence form murals with a real threedimensional quality.





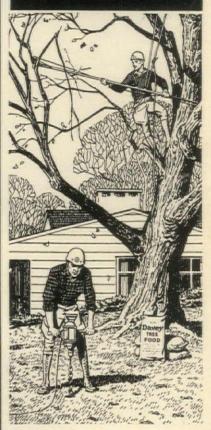
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Particularly charming effect, LEFT, is due in part to almost whimsical juxtaposition of unrelated objects and artifacts. Here is reflected the same preoccupation with sculptural forms that is revealed in the adjoining terrace, LEFT ABOVE.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS: LAWRENCE HALPRIN & ASSOCIATES

Sculpture, and the glyptic look in general, is ideally suited to the uses of the year-round terrace. The bold relief in cast stone, ABOVE, not only forms a handsome pattern by a swimming pool, but conceals entrances to dressing rooms.



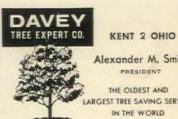


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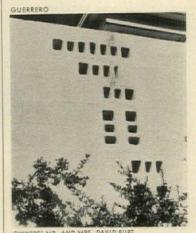




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table or pave a terrace floor with it. You can endow concrete with esthetically pleasing pattern and form, texture and pigmentation. At least a token group of all-season furniture-in metal, stone, or really storm-resistant wood-will look inviting, even though acceptance of the invitation would be impractical.

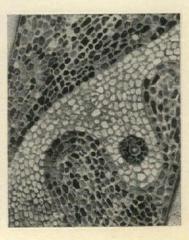


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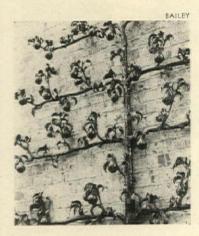
Design by omission—that might be a good phrase to describe the use of planned openings in the concrete blocks of this wall.

The range of decorative possibilities is great, with no artistic limitations except one-the bounds of suitability. By this we mean that it is not enough for an artifact or accessory or any other aspect of terrace adornment to be weatherproof. It must look weatherproof as well. When the terrace is drifted with snow and the air is bitter cold, an appearance of delicacy or summery grace can seem woefully inappropriate. Statuary must be of obviously durable material. Furniture must look as though its presence was attributable, literally, to design and not to inadvertence. Screens must appear windproof. Colors must look fadeproof, textures appear bold in stormy light. In the successful all-year terrace, every element of visual scale is slightly exaggerated and all details are dramatized.

Decoration, outdoors as well



as in the home, may be built-in and therefore relatively permanent, or applied, and therefore movable. Materials may be light or heavy (avoirdupois) but, if light, they must be fastened down. While you can fool the eye of the beholder with an effect of substance, you cannot fool a sluicing rain or a gale wind. Materials, whether natural or synthetic, that would be capable of absorbing moisture and then cracking or rupturing in below-freezing temperatures should be so used that they will shed both rain and snow. And the bases or feet of sculpture and furniture should rest in spots where drainage is good. Heavy objects, especially those whose weight is concentrated in small areas, should not long remain in one place on paving materials that will be subject to settling during alternate freezes and thaws. (There is nothing more disturbing to some eyes than supposed verticals that are tilted out of the vertical and would-be levels that are not level.)



There is nothing wrong, of course, with living espaliers as terrace decoration, although this pear tree happens to be wrought iron.

Terrace decoration may also be arranged for its off-season value, on a purely temporary basis. For example, when the time of normal use is past (if it is ever really past), regular furnishings may be removed and stored and a single object, say a handsome piece of sculpture or a comparable eye-catching accent, may be substituted. It doesn't take much to fill the eye, so long as what you fill it with is just right. Which may be a pretty good thought to end with.

There is no limit to the uses of mosaics outdoors. They are equally decorative on walls, paved surfaces and table tops.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT: LAWRENCE HALPRIN

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The passage from the original house to the new greenhouse addition is both direct and convenient. From conventional dwelling space to the porch is really but the short and pleasant journey from library to all-year garden.

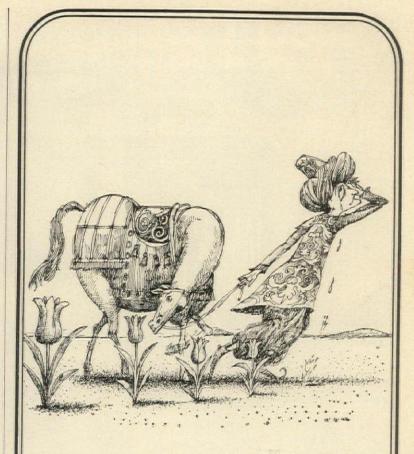
enormously important.

Before you tack a plant porch on the side of your house to take the place of a conventional greenhouse, decide what the real purpose of the space is to be. If you want primarily a comfortable and well-furnished living room, you may treat your glass areas like big windows and adopt an ordinary house-plant routine. But if you wish to grow plants of a sort and in a manner consistent with full greenhouse practice, then make up your mind to do a lot of extra work to make your plant world truly livable. This involves not only spending more money for neat, properly installed and trouble-free controls, as already mentioned; you must also make a potting bench attractive as well as convenient, and every plant shelf decorative as well as capable of supporting fifty pounds or more of wet pots.

Unless you wish to install some form of double glazing (such as Thermopane or Twindow, which perform the insulating functions inconspicuously), there will be considerable condensation on the panes on cold days. Condensation, which will increase as the differential between outside and inside temperature-humidity ratios increases, means puddles and drip on sills and window frames. This can be an unsightly nuisance as well as induce rot. Either use material and structural means for withstanding or disposing of condensate, or pay the price to minimize it with insulating glass.

Whatever you do, don't hastily decide that a garden under glass is a Sybaritic luxury you should scorn. H&G happens to believe that the more comfortable and relaxed you can be while gardening, the more you will enjoy your plants—and that the more you enjoy your plants the better gardener you will become—and that the better gardener you become the more you will deserve a beautiful garden, whether you're sitting down or standing up.

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Notes for November Gardeners

While the gardening wheels never cease to turn, they do tend to slow down and grind a bit



First weekend

Planting chart. Winter is hard on plant labels. Even the best of them have a way of breaking, fading or disappearing that can sometimes cause irreversible confusion. This is especially a problem with bulb plantings. First, hardy bulbs are usually the last things planted in the garden and, once planted, are sunk without a trace until spring. Second, identification of new or newly acquired bulb varieties is often truly important to their full appreciation and enjoyment by serious gardeners. So, when varietal names turn up missing, consternation may know no bounds. Natural elements-the heaving and thawing of frost, the washing action of rain and snow, the bleaching effect of sunlight, the antic vagaries of wind-are responsible for much of the trouble. But the animal factor is also more important than you may think. Squirrels (all squirrels are constantly at odds with the world to begin with), thwarted birds, even dogs and cats are sometimes at fault. And small children, alas, can be worst of all, from curiosity, spite, simple playfulness or sheer excess of energy.

Your only insurance against label misplacement, from whatever cause, lies in making a planting chart as soon as your labels have first been put in place. Yes, you will want to make labels as usual, on the chance that most of them will remain in place. But you will do well to back up the labels with a written record of what is planted where. There are several ways to do this. One way is to make an actual planting diagram, noting names in place or keying numbered planting locations to lists of varieties. Another way is to make a simple list according to some consistent formula that you can easily remember. Identify a given bed or part of the garden and then list the plants, from left to right and from front rows to back. Or combine

both methods, diagraming the general plantings, especially large plants, and listing the strip plantings, which include most bulb displays.



Second weekend

Bulb coda. There are still a few hardy bulbs left in the dealers' bins, as a Saturday morning visit to the garden center will reveal. So there is still time to make impromptu bulb plantings where you are willing to make do with general cultural virtuosity. Last summer, H&G presented the fruits of a midwinter's editorial dream ("The Delight of Table-top Gardens," August). Bear this in mind when you probe the dealers' bins and make your own plans for growing spring bulbs in winter window-sill containers-baking dishes, bread and cake pans, bread-loaf baskets (lined with polyethylene), tinned cooking molds, even (forgive us for such an orthodox suggestion) conventional plant boxes. A plastic dish pan (remember those?) ringed with potted plants will support an effective "rock garden" for small crocuses, small hyacinths, species tulips. What we are suggesting is a compromise plan-something between the fascinating but timeconsuming projects we discussed that summer and the unadorned pot-stuffing techniques that offer the best means of timing and displaying a fancier's collection of choice varieties. You might call this instant gardening, except that the only thing that is instant about it is the planting. The bulbs take their usual time to perform.

Essential reminders: Put coarse gravel or other material in the bottom of container if there is no drain hole. Use good garden loam or peatmoss and sandy soil for a planting mixture. Just barely cover the bulbs with earth. Store the whole container in a cool, dark place to hold back top growth to give bulb roots as much of a head start as possible. When the tops really begin to push, bring the container to room temperature and light. Never let your bulbs dry, become chilled or excessively shaded once they start to grow. When flowering is over, count your blessings and throw the bulbs away without a single pennypinching qualm.



Third weekend

Bucket brigade. One of the collateral problems of up-to-thehilt gardening is what to do with pots, tubs, boxes and containers when there are no plants in them. Clay pots crack and break. Wood window boxes rot-and break. Wood tubs also rot, if they don't dry, shrink and come apart first. All become empty from time to time or season to season and require occasional storing (at best) or discarding (at worst). Putting the last first: Disposal of discarded or cracked clay pots is relatively easy. Either you will wish to add to your supply of broken pot pieces to use as drainage material at the bottom of newly planted containers or you will not. In the one case, you apply a small sledge hammer to the pots in a corner of the garage floor and store the pieces in a metal pail or coal scuttle. In the other case you take them to the curb for collection or to the town dump some Sunday morning after church. Broken plastic pots are obviously a matter for the refuse collector. Rotting wood can be disposed of routinely (usually it will only smolder if saved for firewood). Or, if you are a true conservationist, distribute the wood bits under trees and shrubs where they will not be seen and where they may disintegrate to the greater glory of the soil.

Storage of empty flower pots, especially those that have been permeated by mineral residues from water and potting soils, is best done by placing the pots, sorted for size, of course, upside down in stacks of a dozen or so. Window and plant boxes, unless their sides are adequately tapered, will be a space wasting problem, but that can't be helped. Store them under cover and upside down, after washing them and swabbing the insides with commercial wood preservative (not creosote). Stack them in such a way that their insides will be well ventilated.

As for plant tubs, the wooden variety, we seriously recom-



mend that you leave the earth in them when you store them or fill them with vermiculite, sphagnum moss or sand—which, in any case, should be kept *damp enough* so the tub boards or staves will remain constantly tight. This may shorten the life of some woods. But it may well preserve the integrity, so to speak, of the tub.



Fourth weekend

Bottoms up. Speaking of storing pots upside down to shed the weather, apply the same principle in the rose garden, using inverted peach baskets to cover the tops of the cut-back bushes. Using the baskets (see your local supermarket manager) will not make it unnecessary for you to mound earth up around the bases of the plants if you live in a region where such protection would otherwise be required. But the baskets will allow you to get by with a smaller mound, and will preserve the branches remaining above the mound line from some of the worst ravages of extreme cold and the desiccating effects of winter wind. To be sure, you will need to prune back the rose canes far enough so the basket will fit over the whole plant. This may mean a more severe pruning than you normally would have given. But if you recall the amount of die-back that your plants normally suffer in the course of the winter, you will realize that what you might prune back now to accommodate a basket would probably die before next spring anyway.

Advocates of very severe pruning of spring roses—almost to the ground—make the grave mistake of thinking that a heavily pruned plant will be induced to develop especially vigorous new shoots. This is likely to be true only in a relative sense—in that any new shoots will seem vigorous if they replace no shoots at all. Healthy rose roots store up enough energy to produce much new green top growth. But it is the top growth

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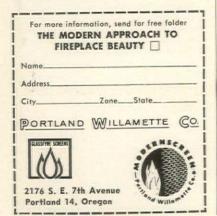
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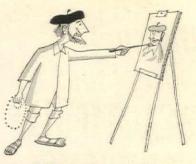
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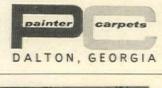


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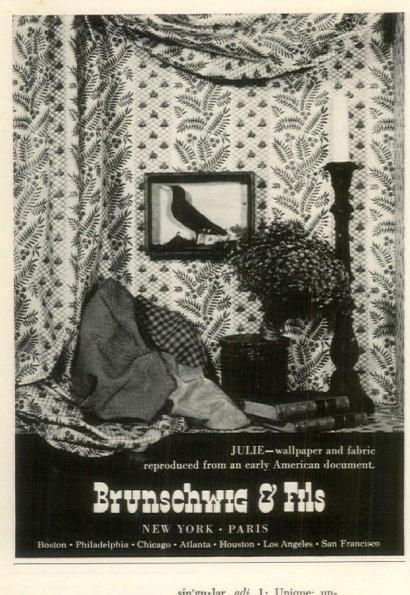
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landscape is so bleak, jagged and rocky that it's easy to imagine you're on the moon. No swimming, but there are fish to be caught.

Heading back into Willemstad, the local zoo will be worth stopping to look at. The collection of monkeys includes several that are not seen in northern zoos, and the chimpanzee, like chimps ev-



Elegant residence at Willemstad is painted green and white, has French stairway, magnificent tiled court.

erywhere, is a great favorite of the local children. The zoo grounds constitute a botanical garden, and new plants are always under trial to see if they will succeed, and perhaps become useful crop-bearers, under Curaçao's rather difficult growing conditions.

Aruba: Oranjestad

Aruba, smallest of the three islands, is second in population and importance. Lacking Curaçao's fine harbor, the island has never become a commercial center, but it does have an oil refinery and this provides the greater part of the islanders' income.

Aruba is a 11/2-hour direct flight from Puerto Rico and is a mere 20-minute hop from Curaçao. Many Caribbean cruise ships stop here, mooring at the Oranjestad wharf, midway on the island's southern coast. From here it is an easy stroll into the shopping center of the city of Oranjestad, where the same bargainpriced European goods as Curaçao offers may be found. (In fact, many of the Curaçao shops have branches in Oranjestad.) The camera-minded will be pleased to find a branch of El Globo, which does, here as elsewhere, a quick job of processing tourists' film.

A promenade along the waterfront leads past an open-air market very much like the one in Curaçao and on to Wilhelmina Park, which is filled with tropical flowers. Near the park a houseboat restaurant, the Bali, has a deckful of chairs and tables and is prepared to serve anything in the way of refreshment, including a full line of Indonesian food.



Also in this part of Oranjestad is the tower of Fort Zoutman, which will look familiar to everyone who has mailed a postcard in the Islands—it is pictured on several denominations of Netherlands Antilles postage stamps. Not far away is a small, yellow-stucco church at whose steeple clock every visitor does a double-take: The hands of the clock point constantly to seven o'clock, not because they've stopped at that time but because they're painted on.

On Nassaustraat, the main street of Oranjestad, is the balcony restaurant of the Hotel Scala, a very pleasant place to sit with a drink, lunch or dinner and watch the busy life of the street below.

Aruba, like Curaçao, has a distinctive type of native music, based, again, chiefly on the waltz. Chief proponent of this—with several original compositions to his credit—is Padu Lampe, a pianist better known as "Padu del Caribe." Padu's talent is called into service for most of the island's entertainments, and his recordings are available locally.

The Aruba Caribbean Hotel is a natural center of operations for visitors from the States. Situated on a stretch of sandy beach a little way outside of Oranjestad, it offers air-conditioned comfort, good food, a night club and gambling casino. There's a car rental service in the lobby for anyone who wants to explore the island at his own leisure.

Aruba: The countryside

Aruba's greatest attraction is the fascination of its natural beauties. One of these is the fantastic boulders that nature, by some process that even geologists don't seem to understand very clearly. has scattered around the island in large numbers. They resemble the glacial boulders of New England except that, instead of being rounded, they are carved into all sorts of weird shapes. This carving must have been done by the action of water, probably in some remote geologic epoch; anyway, there they sit, high and dry, and well worth the scrambling around it takes to examine them thoroughly. Even the tourist who can't bear the thought of "roughing it" in this climate has a chance to look at some of these wonderful rocks, since some extra-fine specimens have been used as decoration in the grounds of the Aruba Caribbean Hotel, where they add a fillip to the landscape such as you won't find anywhere else on earth.

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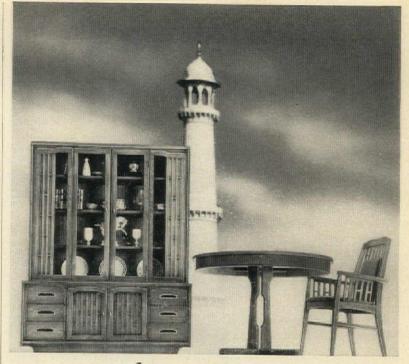
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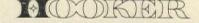


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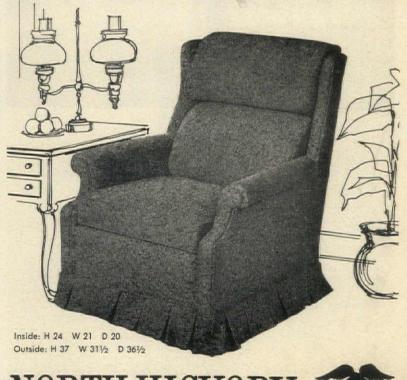


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in the world where that old-time medicinal plant, aloe, is still grown commercially. There are acres of it near the coast to the east of Oranjestad, very perky with their 3-foot-high spires of yellow bloom.

A steep-sided pass through the mountains, known as Frenchman's Pass, leads to what was once gold-mining country. The gold has long since been mined out, but the romantic-looking ruin of a gold refinery still stands. Nowadays sparrow hawks, known in the islands as kini-kini birds, nest high among the crumbling stone walls and launch fierce "divebombing" attacks at anyone foolish enough to climb near them.

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Deep arches of Curaçao's ancient synagogue are Spanish-Moorish style.

cactus and prickly small trees in the Frenchman's Pass area. This is the green parakeet, a shy bird but not at all fierce, usually seen flying in pairs. Its bright green body and yellow head are pleasant color notes among the drab cactus.

Bonaire

Bonaire, sometimes called "Island of the Flamingos," is the least developed of the A B C group and this, in a way, is its greatest charm. The visitor can find more peace and quiet here than almost anywhere else in the Caribbean. It's a good place to repair to, from Curaçao or Aruba, for the weekend and restore your soul.

Bonaire is almost as big as Curaçao, but not nearly as busy or as heavily populated. Cruise ships don't stop here because there is no anchorage for big vessels. Small boats from the other islands, however, do tie up at the wharves of Kralendijk, the capital and only large settlement. There is one round-trip KLM flight a day from Curaçao, an event that brings natives from all over the island to the airport to watch the plane come in just as small-town Americans used to gather at the railroad station to watch the daily train pull in.

Tranquillity, then, is the keynote on Bonaire, and the Flamingo Club, the island's only hotel (another, very modern one will open early in 1963) is one of the few places in the Western Hemisphere where you can sleep the whole night through with no sound but slapping palm fronds and swishing waves.

The Flamingo Club produces one of the few "new" dishes that a food-conscious traveler will find worth writing home about. Called, inexplicably, "pineapple soufflé," this is a dessert that consists of a slice of fresh pineapple that has been dipped in beer—yes, beer then in flour, fried, dusted liberally with cinnamon sugar and served hot. All three of the islands have bread and rolls of unparalleled deliciousness. (Maybe it's the good Dutch butter that goes into the making of them.)

As for the flamingos, they make Bonaire a happy hunting ground for the camera buff. If you are ambitious enough to get out before sunrise, you'll see the great flocks fly out from their nesting places—an unforgettable sight.

The waters around Bonaire are notably fine fishing grounds, and some of the world's best sport fishing is done from boats that put out from Kralendijk. These are always available for tourists, and the skippers are not averse to towing water skiers, either, in the calm water between the town and the little offshore island known as Klein Bonaire.

After the relaxing pace of Bonaire, you'll be ready for bright lights and bustling activity again, and Curaçao-refinery and allwill look like home as you fly back to Plesman Field. It is probably just as well that you do pass through lively Curaçao again, for otherwise the transition from the tropical rustication of Bonaire would be too abrupt. There, a plane will be waiting to take you back to the States or, if the mood for travel is still upon you, south to Brazil, southwest to Peru or northeast to Europe.

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