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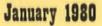
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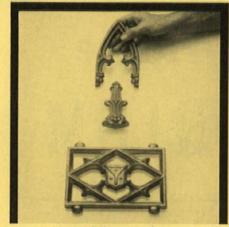
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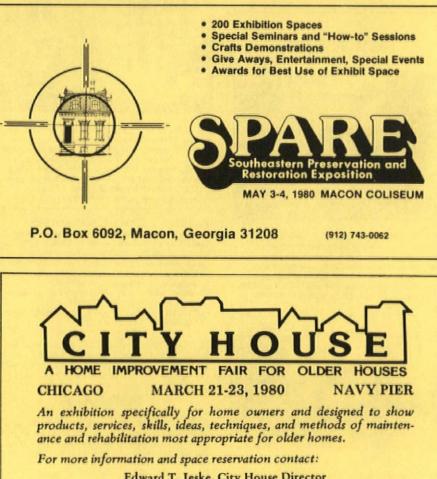


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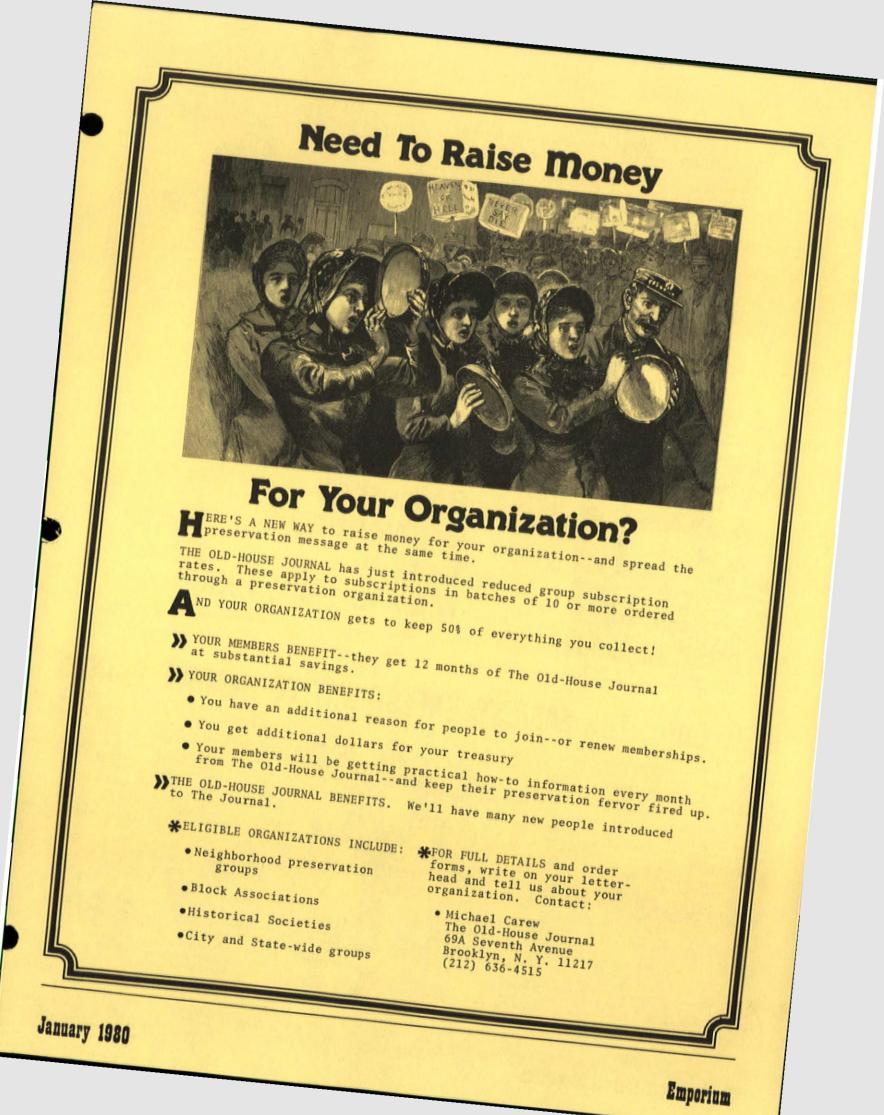
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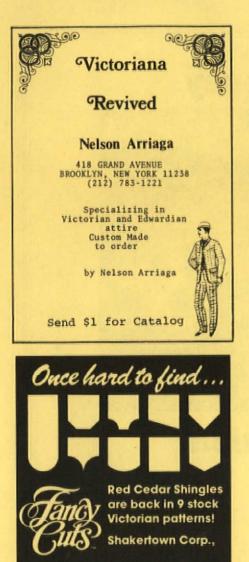


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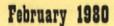
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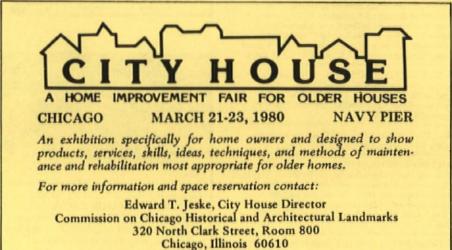
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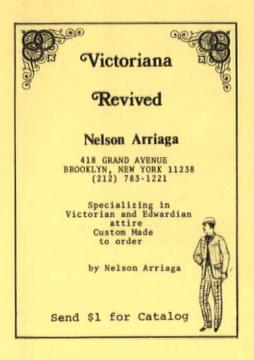




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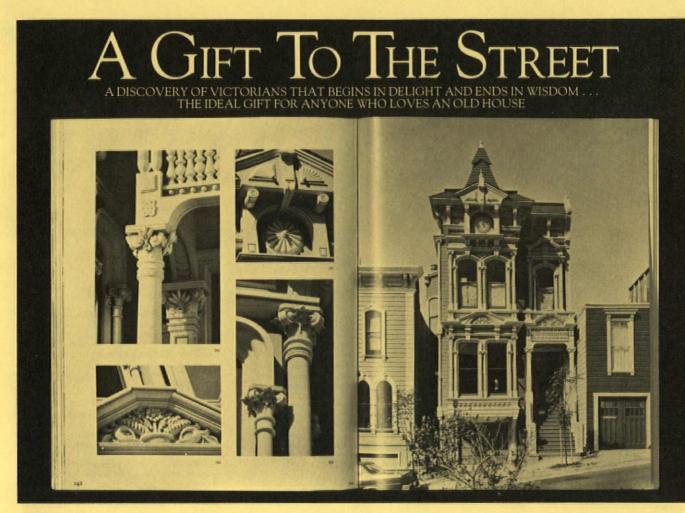
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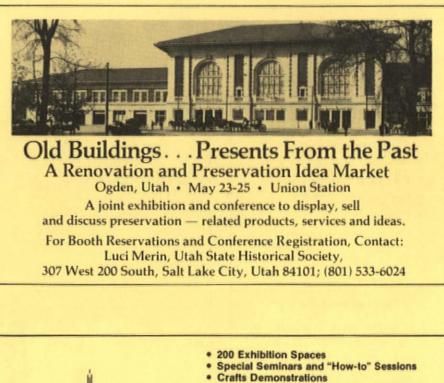


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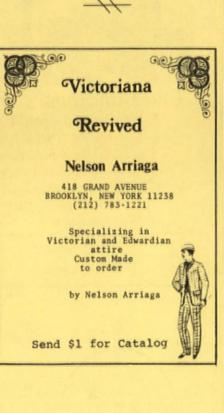


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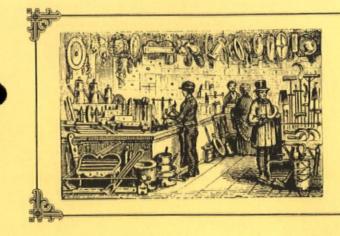
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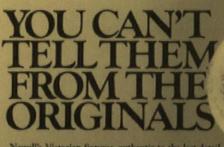
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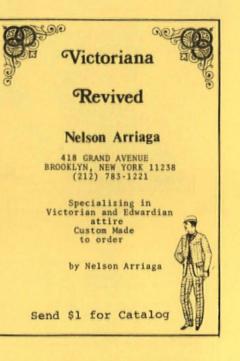
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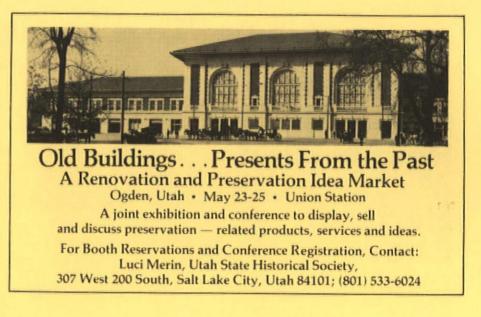
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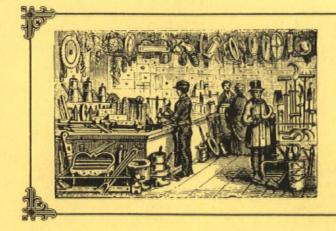
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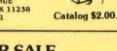
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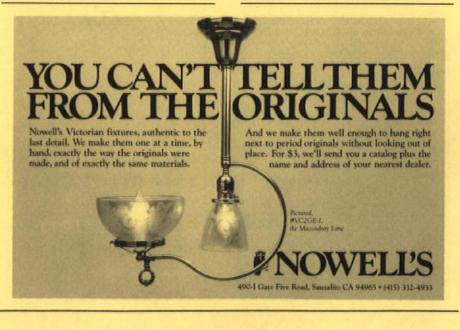
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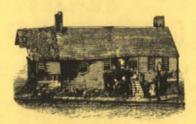
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The heat gun is NOT recommended for: (1) Removing shellac and varnish; (2) Stripping paint on window muntins (possible cracking of the glass from heat); (3) Stripping the entire exterior of a house (too slow); (4) Stripping Early American milk paint (only ammonia will do that).

The electric heat gun softens paint in a uniform way so that it can be scraped off with a knife. Some clean-up with chemical remover is required, but the heat gun will remove about 98% of the paint-vastly reducing the amount of chemical needed and the consequent mess. See article in the November 1979 OHJ for additional details on operation.

Because it is a high-quality industrial tool, the Master heat gun isn't cheap. But with paint remover around \$12 per gallon, the gun only costs as much as 5-6 gallons of remover. In some communities, groups of neighbors are buying a heat gun to share.

Price of \$62.95 includes: (1) Pedestal stand worth \$6.75; (2) Same-day shipping via United Parcel Service; (3) The Old-House Journal replacement guarantee. Telephone orders also accepted on VISA or via COD (there's a \$2 charge for COD).

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- **Approved by Underwriters** Laboratories
- Adjustable air intake regulates temperature between 500 F. and 750 F.
- Rated at 120 v. and 14 amps
- **Rugged die-cast aluminum** body-no plastics
- **Double-jacketed heater**
- 8-ft. 3-wire oil-resistant grounded cord with moulded plug
- Pistol-grip handle; 3-position fingertip switch with guard for added safety
- No asbestos used in construction
- Rubber-backed stand swivels 90°; contains keyhole for hanging
- Heavy-duty industrial construction for long life
- **Guaranteed by The Old-House** Journal. If a unit should malfunction for any reason within two months of purchase, return it to The Old-House Journal and we'll replace it free.