

How Does Your Home Look From The Street?

From the street side, a home should present a pleasing picture that will provide neighbors and yourself with a pleasant feeling of family stability and beautiful living says the American Association of Nurserymen. Such an appearance can be provided by sound plantings of trees and shrubs that help fit the house into the surrounding landscape, instead of having it look stark and naked, or overgrown.

Small homes as well as large can easily be planted to present

a most pleasing appearance. Natural beauty by the use of trees and shrubs has no limitations — rich or poor can achieve it. You can plant it yourself or have it done by an experienced landscape nurseryman.

Stand on the sidewalk at a point opposite your front door and look directly at the house. Draw imaginary lines from where you are standing to the corners of your house. Any large trees should be planted outside



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of such lines, so your home will present an unbroken view of lawn.

Along the foundation in curved beds plant a variety of low-growing plants, with just slightly higher plants beside the doorway and grouped at the house corners. Avoid a straightline row of plants along the front of the house. This is poor practice.

Vary the plants so that you have evergreens and some flowering plants. In planting trees have at least one flowering tree to bring springtime beauty. Depending on the neighborhood and custom, you may wish a low, or high hedge along the street.

Your main objective is to plant a pleasing picture. Take care in the planting, standing off at a distance and observing it to get the effects you wish.

Are You A "Land-Loser" Instead Of Land Lover?

Millions of home owners in the United States "lose" many of the benefits of having their own land by not caring for it properly, or by allowing overgrown shrubs and trees to detract from its beauty and value, says the American Association of Nurserymen. Many home owners appear to the public from the street as if they hate their land by the way they treat it says the association, when it should be a source of pride and inspiration because of its neatness and beauty.

Ragged overgrown landscape plants reflect poor housekeeping, and reduce the resale value of a home while attractive plantings increase the value some 15 to 20 per cent or more. Difference in the price obtainable for raggedly overgrown as compared to lovely planted grounds could reach as high as 30 to 40 per cent, it is said.

Best advice is to consult a reliable landscape nurseryman and have him work out a professional plan for increasing the value of the property, the prestige of the owner, as well as the respect of neighbors, with attractive plantings of trees and shrubs, it is stated. Sound landscaping and family garden living not only pays off in pleasure, but in sound real estate values. Pennsylvania state extension service survey found that 81 per cent of home owners who had landscaped their homes reported the landscaping had increased the value of the home by one-half up to 10 times or more of the total cost of the planting.

SCREEN SORTER

Dump jars of screws, bolts, and washers on window screening for sorting. When wanted items are selected, lift screen to funnel rest back into jar.

Kitchen Old? Update With New Range



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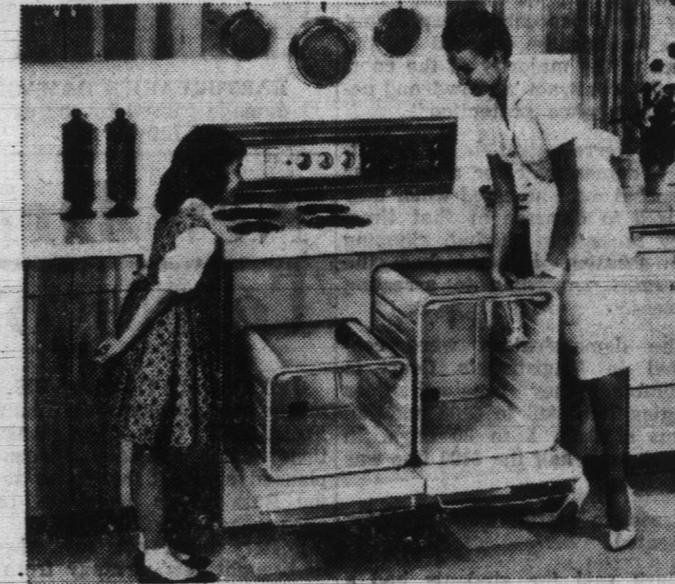
Beautifully on Wall!



Any kitchen wall can be put to work beautifully by adding two elements—handsome new Delrin Peg-Board plastic fixtures used with a Peg-Board panel. Jointly researched and developed by Masonite Corporation and the E. I. du Pont de Nemours Co., the attractive white plastic fixtures fit solidly in the perforations, they're strong and their edges are smooth. Using this combination makes any kitchen more efficient. Lumber yards and hardware stores have the new fixtures. The new plastic fixtures and shelves will look and perform well, too, in utility rooms, storage closets, sewing areas and home workshops.

will be wise for the average purchaser to consider. These standards mean a more uniform better product — an adequate root system,

1963 Ranges Help Women Keep Kitchens Sparkling



Cleaning the new electric ranges is "easy as pie" with features such as these pull-out oven interiors with rounded corners. All of the 1963 electric ranges are easier than ever to keep clean.

Women want ranges that are easy to clean—and they're getting them. Electric cooking has always meant clean cooking, and the 1963 electric ranges make it even cleaner. Improved designs and special easy-to-clean features help keep the new electric ranges cleaner, and also make them easier to clean when food spills.

Surface cooking elements are self-cleaning, as are the rod-type broil and bake elements in electric ovens and broilers. Surface elements lift up, and some can be removed for easy access to the reflector bowls beneath. These, as well as the adapter rings around the surface elements, lift out for washing at the sink or in the dishwasher. Tilt tops on some models are another easy-clean feature.

Recessed tops and cook-tops with rims help prevent food that's acci-

dently spilled from getting into crevices or running onto the floor. Control knobs pull off for sudsing, and smooth enamel and other finishes are easy to keep sparkling clean.

Ovens on the 1963 electric ranges are also easier to clean. Some have interiors that pull out; others are designed to be completely lined with replaceable aluminum foil. Oven interiors have rounded corners, and dirt-catching cracks, crannies and seams have been virtually eliminated.

Open racks and broiler reflectors are removable, and some of the self-cleaning heating elements lift up or down while others are removable to give access to the entire interior. Some oven doors lift off for washing at the sink. Others drop down to make it easy to reach inside.

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