Now's the time to propagate shrubs

"Better late than never" — hearsay has it that if you are troubled with wormy radishes, you may eliminate the problem if you soak your seeds in kerosene and plant them wet. They wort carry the taste of the kerosene when they mature. If you've planted morning glories this season, avoid giving them too much water. Let them dry out between waterings or you will have a bigger ratio of leaves to flowers. It's challenging to propasage plant

It's challenging to propagate plant material. You will be surprised how reproducing choice plants in the garden can spark the interest of children— and all ages.

NOW YOU CAN start pyracantha, forsythia, weigela, French Illac and really most of your shribs. You may wish to invest in Rootone, which is a bormone powder for dipping the cut tips into to vencourage rooting. Cut with a tainfe just below the joint on a stem. It could be about 4 inches long. A good place to start a colony of cuttings is near the base of a shrub, where the spot



gets about half a day of sun. I always place a couple of sticks beside such projects to remind a second gardener that this a project "so don't cultivate."

We haven't forgotten last winter and We haven't forgotten last winter and the talk about ways to analyse how you can use the sun to work for you. Sun-set's new book, "Windows and Stylights," Lane Publishing Co., Menlo Park, Calif. 94025, 111 pages, 34.95 is teeming with color illustrated ideas on how you can extend your house, save heating costs and create beauty spots for dramatic living with furniture and nlants.

A portion of the book contains con-struction tips. Large bay windows can gather in the sunshine. A colorful sit-

ting area can be part of the decor in a bay window. In the future I am sure home buyers will become increasingly aware of site location and how it can work for heat control. In other col-umns, I've told about west and north landscaping to ald winter heat control. This is a good time of year to get your planning together.

INDOOR PLANT specialists might enjoy detouring southwest of Zanes-ville, Ohio to Corning, Ohio to vist Country Hills Greenhouse, which represents a colony of hobblests who seek gournet cooking, there should be a lot of herb hobblests attending.

and sell unusual indoor plants. They have a catalog. Those who seek unusual plants are sort of in the same category as stamp collection. This group's collection is a prime resource for universities and bolancial gardens.

It won't be long before the corn season arrives. You will have good luck preserving the ears for consumption by taking a newspaper and a stapler and making a sleeve to fit over the ear. Don't put the sleeves on the corn until the kernals are all developed. Sunlight into tracessary for maturation. As certain ears mature and are harvested, just move te aleeve over to another ripening ear for profection edulists in the area and Fox. Bill Fearn in Parma is planning a Basil Festival Sunday, Aug. 1. There will be lectures by Jimmy Schmidt of the London Chop House.

You can have all the Pesto Genorese you can eat, plus salads and a pot of basil to take home for \$10.

Check for reservation is due by July 14. With our many local classes in

Maria Zervos named 'Youth of the Year'

Maria P. Zervos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Zervos of Southfield, has been given the Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Church "Youth of the Year Award." The sward was presented by Pather S. Handhowy and Maria Greek and the State of the Year Award. The sward was presented by Tables S. Walley and S. Walley and S. Walley. The award was established in 1973 by the auxiliary and is given annually to the high-school graduate who has best put into practice the Christian principles of the prthodox faith. Zervos is a member of the graduating class of '82, Our Lady of Mercy High School. She is a member of the National Honor Society and has earned a Merit Scholarship to Wayne State University's School of Engineering. She currently is serving as co-presi-

University's School of Engineering.
She currently is serving as co-president of the Junior Greek Orthodox
Youth of America in her home-church
chapter. During Memorial weekend she
assisted in the operation of five booths,
manned by the young people of Holy
Cross, during the Greek Ethnic Festi-



val in Hart Plaza Zervos will spend her summer in Greece, attending Ionian Village and visiting friends and relatives there.

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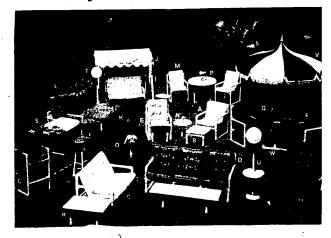
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