

Where can I find?

This feature is dedicated to helping readers locate sources for hard-to-find merchandise. If you've seen any of the items in your retail travels (or basement!) please call Where Can I Find? (248) 901-2555. Slowly and clearly, leave your name, number and message, and you should see your input in next Sunday's column. Thank You!

What we found:

- **Cleavus Glass Cleaner** can be found at all Murray's Discount stores or through Karen Calka (734) 464-6720, a Stanley home products dealer.
- **Yellow toilet tissue** can be found at Danny's on Farmington in Livonia.
- **Embroidery of names and other things on T-shirts** can be ordered at Forest Place Alterations, in downtown Plymouth, or Middle Initial Monogram at Coolidge at 11 Mile, Berkley (248) 544-0886.
- **Replacement tiles for the Scramble game** can be bought through Milton Bradley Co. Customer Service Department, 443 Shaker Road, East Longmeadow, MA 01028. It's \$5.50 for the standard edition, \$6.50 for the deluxe edition.
- **For folks looking for the Travel Scramble with magnetic board**, try The WTVS Store of Knowledge at Somerset Collection, Troy. It has a plastic folding case, a game board with raised grid, a storage compartment to tuck away wooden tiles and a cloth storage pouch. \$25.
- **For movies** try *Movies Unlimited*, (800) 466-8437. They have a million titles to choose from. (*Lady and the Tramp* will be released in September.)
- **The cream dishes with a gold edge** were spotted at Crato and Barrei, Somerset Collection South.
- **We found the book** *We help Daddy*, and a stereo for Kay.

We're still looking for:

- **Directions to the game** *Water Works* from the '70s for Judy.
- **Fixed warts slide trays for a Sawyers Slide Projector #550R2.**
- **A Hamilton Beach Micro Mini Food Processor, "Chop Chop."**
- **PopIt Beads in white (pearl looking).** They plug into each other to lengthen and pop apart, for Trish.
- **Emily is looking for the 1838-40 Quiver yearbook** from Pontiac High School.
- **Jodie wants Old Diamond Fort cheese** in 3 or 6 lb. rounds.
- **Katherine is looking for stuffed bunnies**, very shaggy, 14-16" tall by Russ for \$25.
- **Connie wants small bagels "bagellets,"** fresh or frozen.
- **Lynda wants crystal stemware** by Avon called Hummingbird from the early '90s.
- **Anne is looking for Hot Salt** from Texas Traditions.
- **Keith is looking for an Old Verno's Ginger Ale** glass fountain dispenser.
- **Angela is looking for a 10-inch bear sold at Target** in 1996 at Christmas. It has red pajamas, Santa hat and rabbit slippers.
- **Donna is looking for Fat Free Organic Milk**, no pesticides.
- **Susan wants Westmoreland milk glass ABC plate**, a 7" collectible with a beaded edge.
- **Gail is looking for a women's dress shoe** in Peau De Soie size 9D.
- **Angie from Rochester wants Computer #15, TanTone.**
- **Russ is looking for reproduction photos of old Detroit factories.**
- **Karen is looking for a small bud vase 6-8" in the shape of a fish**, clear or colorful.

—Compiled by Sandi Jaracka

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The sale ending date of the Acer 226 MHz Pentium II processor with MMX TM technology, #87118, with 14-in color monitor, #37771, and color printer, #88118, was incorrectly printed in our 4/5 national preprint as 4/18. The correct sale ending date is 4/8. We apologize for any inconvenience this error may have caused our customers.

Chinos

A fashion classic returns for the spring



Feminine twist: Chinos with a drawstring add a new dimension to the popular pant. These are \$21.99 at Target stores around town.

By COWLEY NEWS SERVICE

Khakis or chinos, by any name, they're wardrobe essentials. British Lieutenant Harry Lumden could never be accused of being a slave to fashion back in 1846. Perhaps a slave to comfort, but not to fashion.

The resourceful soldier, based in Punjab, India, where the sun was unforgiving, pitched his official red felt uniform in favor of something more suited to the oppressive climate. He pulled from his steamer trunk

cool cotton pajamas and, taking a tip from the natives, dyed the natural cotton with tawny-colored plant extract called mazarin. From that day on, Harry Lumden would be best known as the inventor of khaki.

In 1844, khaki dye was patented in Manchester, England.

The romance with khaki gained momentum at the turn of the century when foreign war correspondents donned these cool, durable and inconspicuous cotton pants for their dangerous work reporting in the trenches.

Years later, Teddy Roosevelt got hooked on khaki in the form of "safari" jackets that blended into the bush for his hunting expeditions to East Africa.

By the 1840s, Hollywood caught wind of this newest fashion statement that had become synonymous with adventure and courage and quickly added a manly khaki jacket to the wardrobes of romantic leads. Leading ladies also got into the act, with Greta Garbo, Marlene Dietrich and Katharine Hepburn sporting khakis on and off screen.

But it was in the fall of 1945 that khakis really made their transition into civilian life. Khakis, also called chinos, made from military cotton twill fabric, were seen that season on college campuses around the country as young men returned from the war. Chinos remained popular with the collegiate crowd throughout the 40's and well into the 50's.

In the 60's, women adopted chinos into their wardrobes and have continued to embrace them for comfort, versatility, and style.

Today, chinos are a seasonless staple that can be worn all week long.

The Spiegel catalog offers these ideas for dressing up or dressing down with chinos:

Dressing-up chinos

• Pair chinos with a brightly colored jacket and matching turtleneck for a pulled together look for the office. Accessorize with high-heeled black oxfords.

• Team chinos with anything knit, especially knit jackets or the newest twinsets in

lively colors. Knits travel well and offer seasonless comfort. Add a patent or leather belt, suede or velvet flats or ankle boots and you have a polished look.

• For a look that goes from the office to a weekend getaway, try adding a plaid blazer with a suede collar. Wear it with a rich foulard vest over a denim shirt, then just add chinos and you're ready to go.

• For a hip streetwise chinos look, consider a quilted black leather vest or shaped leather jacket. Wear either over a black turtleneck or a crisp white shirt and accessorize with black leather high-heeled ankle boots.

Dressing down chinos

• For weekends, chinos look great with oversized knit sweaters in complimentary shades such as ivory, bordeaux or brown. Add chunky suede loafers and a coordinating suede backpack or hobo bag.

• Sporty classics in All-American red, white and blue always look right with chinos. Spiegel offers a great American flag denim jacket by Polo Jeans Co.

• Big shirts provide a comfy, cozy way to dress down chinos. Opt for traditional plaid flannels.

• Chinos paired with leather bomber jackets and lace-up ankle boots recall the military roots of these new "everything pants."

Corbin Seitz of Target provided this run-down of the pant styles for spring:

• **Carpenter:** Pants with a very wide, straight cut with a flat front. They often have a loop on the side of the leg to hold a hammer, as a carpenter's jeans would. Often have large back and front pockets, as well as the occasional side pockets.

• **Cargo:** Similar to carpenter pants but often with larger and lower side and front pockets.

• **Wide-leg:** Wide from the top of the leg to the bottom. A very oversized look.

• **Flare:** Not bell-bottoms, but close. Often low-waisted, flare a bit at the bottom. Sometimes called "boot-cut jeans." More popular with girls than guys.

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