

Pastel Shade Good House Color

Though white remains the favorite color for house exteriors, why not try a pastel shade?

A colorful but tasteful exterior lends distinction to a home, suggests Masonite Corporation, the leading producer of hardboard siding. The company offers three popular colors, in addition to shell white, in its prefinished Colorlok X-ninety siding line. This siding comes in willow green, desert sand (beige) and pearl gray.

Color selections are those of Faber, Birren, of American Color Trends, the company's color consultant.

The handsome siding, available nationally at lumber and building supply yards, carries a double guarantee—10 years on the surface finish and 25 years against hail damage, manufacturing defects in the baseboard and delamination due to normal exposure.

The finish is warranted against cracking, peeling,



UNIVERSITY MICROFILMS, INC., an education subsidiary of Xerox Corporation, will build a Community Open House in this new plant on North Zeeb Road (just off Exit 168 from I-94) near Ann Arbor on Saturday, July 9, 1:30 p.m. All area residents are cordially invited.

University Microfilms Sets Open House for New Plant

ANN ARBOR—On Saturday, July 9, University Microfilms, Inc., will hold a Community Open House at its new \$2 million plant at 300 N. Zeeb Road in Sec 10 Township (just off Exit 168 from I-94).

Eugene B. Power, founder and president of UMI, extended a cordial invitation to all residents of the Ann Arbor area to attend the Open House activities between 1 and 5 P.M.

The new building nearly doubles the operating space of the company's previous quarters on N. First Street in Ann Arbor. Situated on a 27-acre plot, the 76,000 sq. ft. plant is the largest and most modern microfilm facility in the world.

Acquired by Xerox Corporation in 1963, University Microfilms, Inc. is now a part of the parent company's Education Division. Founded in 1938 in Ann Arbor, UMI has continued as a pioneer in microfilm technology and related processes to facilitate storage and speed retrieval of original documents and printed materials as the need for them has increased.

UMI offers—in microfilm or xerographic print-out—collections of out-of-print books, modern periodicals, doctoral dissertations, rare and otherwise inaccessible manuscripts for use by scholars, researchers and libraries.

The new building, now occupied and complete except for a few finishing touches and landscaping, was expressly designed for the ultimate in production efficiency and employee comfort. The one-story facility makes use of basement and roof areas for the location of additional equipment. The building is also unique in that none of the typical mechanical and engineering trappings of a plant are visible to the eye.

UMI's editorial, research, camera, processing, production and warehouse operations are all greatly expanded within the new plant structure. Provisions were made in the overall design of the building for expansion on the north side.

Another unique feature is a trough running the full length of the south side of the building which purifies the water coming from the film processors before it runs off into the one-acre pond located on the property. The pond is stocked with fish and picnic tables will be placed around its perimeter.

Urge Dad: Take Some Fresh Air

Outdoor projects for the home handyman give him some real pluses:

- Physical and mental exercise in the open air.
- A chance to improve living conditions at just the cost of materials.
- A place for summer and autumn relaxation, when the fix-up's done.

Free plans simplify the planning of outdoor projects, furnish a list of materials and directions for construction. Offered by Masonite Corporation, the world's largest producer of hardboards, they give the home owner tested designs.

Any three of the following are available free by writing Masonite Corporation, Box B, Chicago, Ill. 60609. Additional ones are a dime each. Ask for them by number.

- AE-504, Patio Ensemble. Included are a serving table, barbecue storage unit, picnic table, benches and lawn chair.
- AE-503, Lemonade Stand. Made of dent-resistant Weatherall, this life-size unit will give kiddies fun playing store.
- AE-502, Fences. Various designs using exterior hardboard are shown.
- AE-506, Tool Shed. Made of pre-assembled panel units, this structure will provide ample storage for yard and garden tools.
- AE-501, Outdoor Living Room. This combination fence, shelter and storage unit gives a focal point to your patio.
- AE-109, Garden-Play Barn.

Made of weather-resistant Masonite X-ninety Panel-groove, this "little red barn" can be an attractive, useful addition.

AE-102, Roll-Away Cabana. It's a bathroom on wheels, just right for the poolside.

State Fair Premiums at New High

The Michigan State Fair is offering \$142,000 in agriculture and livestock premiums—the largest amount in history—for the 1966 event August 26 through September 5 (Labor Day).

This is announced by Walter A. Goodman, general manager, who said 20,000 entries are expected compared to the 1965 all-time record of 18,500.

Deadline for entries is Friday, August 5. Early submission of entries is urged.

The premium book—the handbook of information for all exhibitors—again will be issued in three sections: agriculture and livestock, horse shows and home arts.

Robert McLaughlin, agriculture exhibitor director, said new exhibitors should indicate which section is desired when requesting premium books and entry forms from the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, Mich. 48203.

The premium books will reach former exhibitors by mail early in July.

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Some Rhododendrons Do Have Fragrance

The broadleaf Dedar hybrid rhododendrons (evergreen) are reported to have fragrance. So does the so-called swamp azalea.

Most rhododendrons have little or no scent but they do have much ornamental value. They have lovely flowers, a wide range of colors and good plant form.

Wallpaper Molding Tip

Scenic wallpapers can be made extra effective when framed with a molding painted to match the paper's background color.

On The Lawn

By LARRY LAWRENCE

We read in the press that green is the biggest new fashion color since navy. But some of those names! There's the pickle, sour apple, velvet, zing and poison green. Why so bilious? Why not Merion or Kentucky or even fescue? Or to be right up to date, how about Windsor?

Lawns are now ready for their late spring feeding, to help carry them through the heat of summer. Which means that anyone whose grass hasn't even had a first feeding yet, had better get busy with the Turf Builder.

Shall we soon have nice green lawns all winter? Purdue University has been working with the USDA on a scheme for putting electric heating coils under athletic fields. One such installation is already planned for Busch Football Stadium in St. Louis.

Scotts offered \$5 for the best jungles about its new weed-and-feed product and was snowed under with entries. One of them read as follows:

I'm lying in Barnes General Hospital. Wondering whether my lawn is getting a n'y water—or even dew. But my husband tells me not to worry. He's using Turf Builder Plus 2. Why does it take repeated

fertilizing to have a good looking lawn? Look at it like this. You reap a crop of grass every time you mow. That's 12 to 20 crops a year. To replace what is cut requires a large and continuous supply of nutrients.

It is possible that all the advice we hand out about lawns has resulted in confusing the average homeowner instead of helping him? By trying to answer all the problems in the book, we often make it sound so complicated, so difficult.

The truth is that there is only one thing wrong with most lawns, only one thing that prevents them from being a real delight year after year. They simply don't get enough food. Most are undernourished and a large percentage are actually starving. And the prescription that would bring them back to health is always the same. Fertilizer. Not occasionally, but regularly, like every other month from March to October.

But this seems to be too simple for a lot of people. They insist that their soils are deficient in this or that. They blame the sun, the shade, then when you tell them all they need is a balanced fertilizer such as Turf Builder, I suspect they feel insulted.

What about weeds, they ask. Fertilizer won't eliminate weeds. True, but when a lawn is fed often enough the grass gets thick enough to keep out most weeds. Those that are already present are easily disposed of with present day weed controls.

Don't save empty pesticide containers. They contain traces of pesticide and can be a hazard.

Insects Carry Garden Virus

A common cucumber disease is the cucumber mosaic virus that also attacks melons, squash, tomatoes, peppers and celery.

Early season insect control is important to lessen the trouble. There also are cucumber varieties resistant to the mosaic virus, among them Challenger, Taggreen and Satecky hybrid.

Your cucumbers may have developed disease if they begin to turn yellow immediately after the first pick.

Infection occurs when plants are about six weeks old. First symptoms are yellowing and wilting of young developing leaves.

Growth is checked and leaves remain small and distorted.

The virus usually is harbored by many varieties of flowers and is carried from them by such insects as cucumber beetles, aphids and grasshoppers.

Weed hosts and insect carriers must be eliminated as preventative measures.

Don't plant melons or cucumbers near woods or bushy areas with weeds and insects. A weed-free zone of about 30 feet around gardens will help keep crops free from virus.

Several rows of corn planted around a field, or on the windward side, will be a barricade to virus-bearing aphids.

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Skip Nook For More Cupboards

Many development houses provide eating space in the kitchen merely by eliminating a bank of cabinets on one wall.

The space thus devised is inadequate to say the least. And it's untidy, being located on the inside wall and offering a view only of the kitchen sink.

Top home designers offer this solution: first, press the adjoining family room dining table into full-time service, giving up the kitchen eating area entirely.

Next, build cabinets and work counter on the kitchen eating area wall—where they are needed and should have been built in the first place. This is an ideal spot for a full-sized china closet, say the designer.

And the china closet's design can be used as a decorative accent in the kitchen. It needn't match other kitchen cabinetry.

Suggested are cabinets built of solid lumber—fir, pine, western hemlock—with tongue-and-groove boards for door fronts on base cabinets.

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