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In time

Something to tock about: Howard Miller® of Zeeland, Mich., America's largest clock manufacturer and the largest manufacturer of grandfather clocks worldwide, presents The Uptown Set of two pierced aluminum alarm clocks. The clocks stand about four inches high, and are modern and contemporary yet playful. Metro Round is a gold-tone round design with a crisp white dial, black hands and a brass alarm/second hand. Metro Square, a square silver-tone version, features the same white dial, black hands and a silver alarm/second hand. Each clock is \$35.95. For more information, or to find where the clocks are available near you, call (616) 772-9131.

Dropping in

How now, brown cow?: The Amish in Pennsylvania handmake these perpetual garden nurturers of cow manure In the shape of bunnles, owls and swine. About the size of a thick paperback book, the creatures sit in your garden all year, giving of themselves to fertilize the soil with every rain and sprinkling. By Tewksbury Gardens. Available for \$12,99 at Brickscape, on Old Novi Road just north of Eight Mile and east of Novi Road in Northville, Call (810) 348-2500.



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Dig it

Handy Item: Brickscape in Northville offers this bag of deluxe hand tools. The bag contains a Cape Cod weeder, transplanting trowel and three-tine claw "guaranteed to last for a generation." Cost is \$39.99. Brickscape is on Old Novi Road just north of Eight Mile and east of Novi Road. Call (810) 348-2500.



Tusk, tusk A bowl to remember: Decorating

with elephants has become trendy. Jungle-Inspired touches have been popping up in the most fashionable Interiors. The pack of delightful pachyderms marching across this frosted crystal bowl by Lailque brings a safari right into your living room. Available at Jules Schubot Jewellers In Troy, the handcrafted piece retails for \$3,350. Call (810) 649-1122.

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