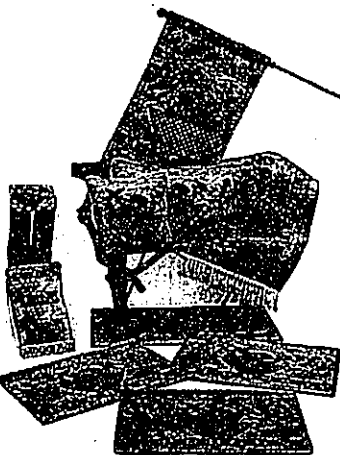




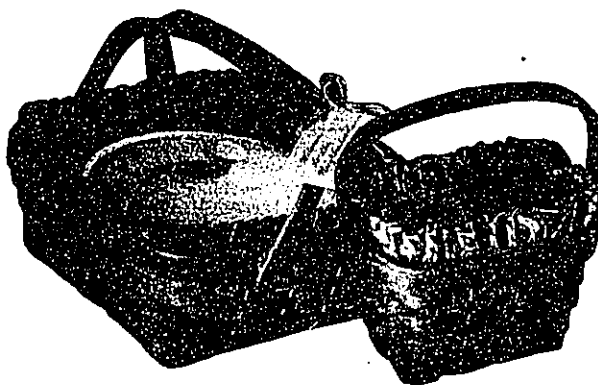
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Welcome idea

Fun and functional: Shella Harris, owner of Harris Street Interiors, 255 S. Main in Rochester, suggests a colorful way to brighten your home's exterior doorway while adding an artful welcome for your guests. The Toland company has coordinating folk art flags, doormats, rugs and garden kneelers. Inside, pillows, accent rugs, comfort mats and



even mouse pads allow you to view your art and use it, too! Call (248) 651-8092.



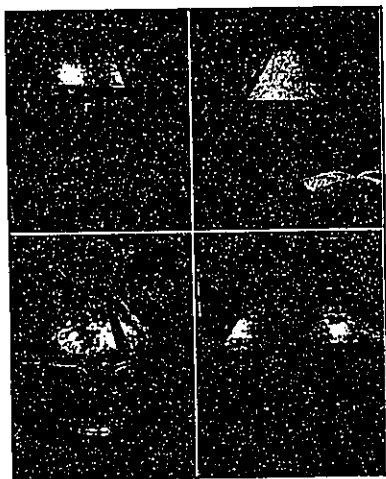
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...Two special baskets: The Longaberger Company creates a special Horizon of Hope™ basket each year to help the American Cancer Society. Longaberger donates \$2 from each basket bought during July and August to fund breast cancer research and educational programs. The basket measures 5-3/4 by four by four inches, features one swinging handle and is available with a standup liner. Longaberger introduces the newest addition to its Shades of Autumn® Collection, the 1997 Bountiful Harvest basket. Available during July, the basket features a rust, blue and green center weave chain, a double trim strip of green and rust and two swinging handles. It measures 10-1/4 by 10-1/4 by 4-3/8 inches. Accessories that may be bought with the basket include the new buffet brick to keep foods hot or cold and a hardwood maple lid. Longaberger products are available through a nationwide network of independent sales associates. Among the area representatives are Livonia, Farmington, Rochester Hills and Novi residents. For information, call Carol Griffith at (248) 652-7628.

Crafty

Turn-of-century turn-on: Walker/Busenberg Furniture, 240 N. Main in Plymouth, features these beautiful, unusual lamps from the Mica Lamp Co. of Glendale, Calif. The lamps show turn-of-the-century American Arts and Crafts design and workmanship. All of their parts and made of solid copper, assembled with hand-driven copper rivets and finished with a rich natural patina.

Their mica shade panels are the same natural materials used by the Arts and Crafts master lamp makers. Mineral mica flakes combined with organic shellac make each shade special with its variations of mineral deposit patterns and color tones. The lamps are available in various styles and colors, and start at \$319. Call (313) 459-1300.



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Adorable adobe

In the pink: Your neighborhood birds can hang out in their own hacienda with style with this birdhouse available for \$60 at Jacobson's. Created by Smith Forrest, the birdhouse is a replica of a New Mexico pink adobe home, complete with painted windows, hanging plants and cactuses. It also has a wooden perch for birds to enter it easily.

