

Advises Caution In Considering Zeysias

By LEWIS LORING
Home gardeners should know both sides of the use of zeysias as turfgrasses for Southern California. Recently several articles in national magazines, full page ads in local papers, and spot announcements on radio and television have told of their many virtues.

be listed as follows: for a zeysia grass it is finer textured, it forms a very dense and wear resistant turf, is beautiful deep green in color during its growing season, no serious insect or disease troubles have yet been reported and will withstand cutting as low as one quarter inch. This publicity fails to mention some of the faults that have been discovered at the University: zeysia goes dormant or "brown out" from late November to March or April, attempts at overseeding with a cool season grass for winter color have failed; it grows slowly, cannot be seeded, prefers a soil with a slight acid reaction and is not as tolerant of alkali as some of our other grasses, must have

well drained soil, and has certain trouble competing with various hardy weeds. The homeowner should be very cautious in planting zeysias on a large scale at present. There is a good chance that a very valuable turfgrass may be derived through the research now being carried on with the zeysia, but for my money the time has not arrived. Zeysias require less water than most turfgrasses, they will grow on infertile soils, in sun or shade, and although they cannot now be recommended too highly for other than a

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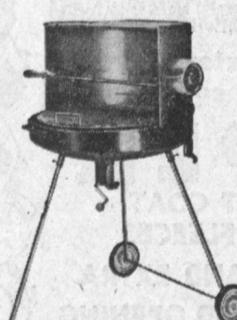
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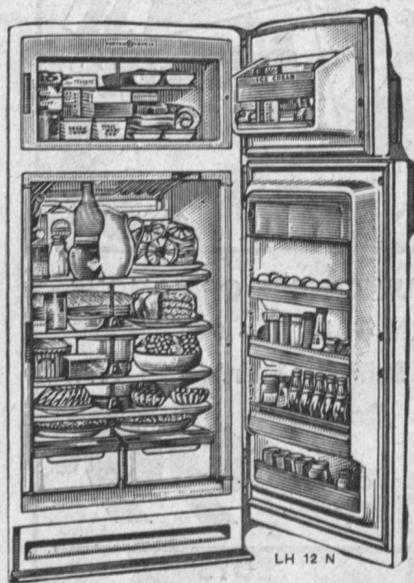


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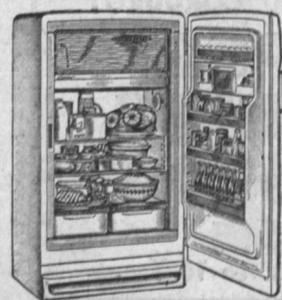
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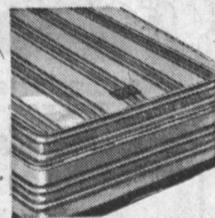
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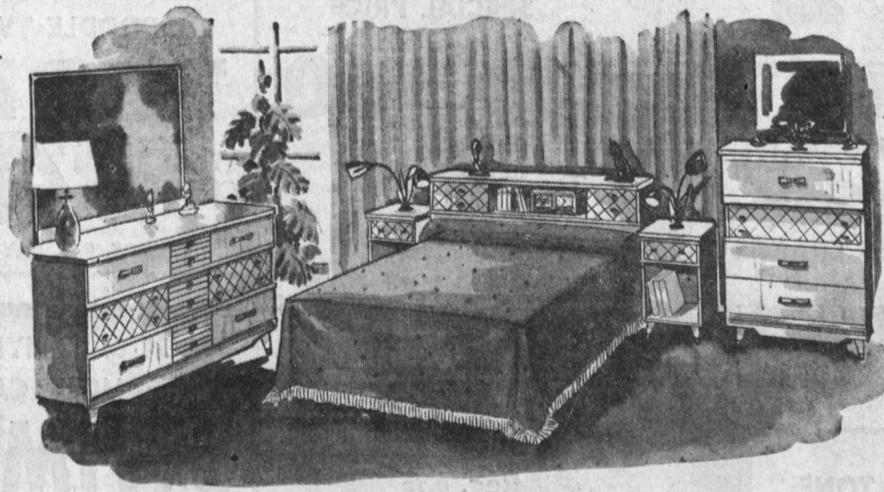
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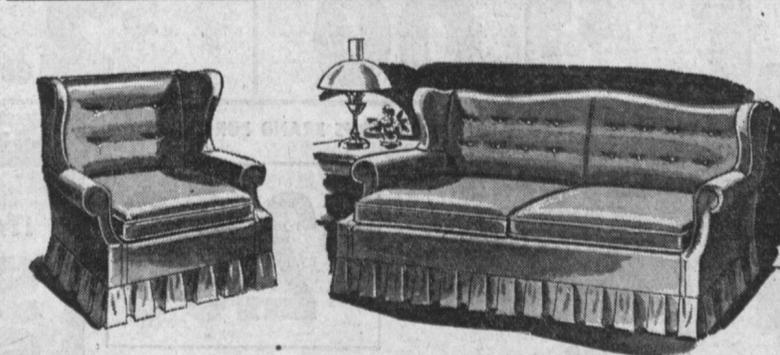


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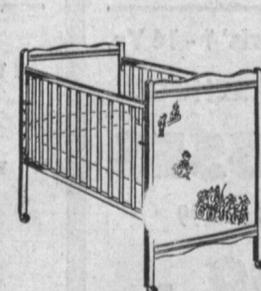
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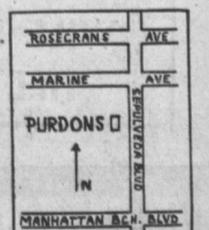


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