

Washer-Dryer Can Be Help For Many Clean-Up Tasks

Whether it's time to redecorate the entire house or just to add new slipcovers, draperies or cushion covers — it's time to plan the versatility of your automatic washer and dryer. According to the Maytag Company's Product Testing Laboratory, these appliances are now designed to do more for the housewife than simply launder her clothes and linens.

Besides adding beauty to the home decor, today's "miracle" decorator fabrics can eliminate costly dry-cleaning bills completely when cared for in the easy, quick, home laundry way, provided they are washable.

Special automatic cycles, such as the "cold water wash," launder these delicate synthetic fabrics safely easily and wrinkle-free — ready for finishing drying without ironing. And "air-fluffing" of household articles between loadings adds even more bounty to the budget by cutting down on washing time and expense.

Try out the washer and dryer duo on odd cleaning jobs while you go about your regular

Plan Increase Of Electrical Housepower

In modernizing the home, electrical housepower should be a major consideration. The addition of appliances, new rooms that require more lights, etc., all take their toll of electricity.

If your home was built before 1940, has not been rewired, and you own modern electrical appliances — you can be almost certain your wiring is inadequate.

The kitchen, breakfast room and laundry areas are perhaps the greatest sources of electrical expenditure. Here, in these areas, is where the homemaker keeps the majority of her electrical appliances.

However, in many inadequate home wiring systems, other rooms may be affected by the kitchen area. In addition, it has been found that some homes, where the rest of the rooms are not on the kitchen circuit, are so inadequately wired that they are not equipped to handle even the extra load of a radio, electric clock or television set.

If your wiring is out-dated, you cannot expect to operate your modern appliances so they serve you efficiently and conveniently. It is a simple matter to find out how your Housepower rates.

Electrical contractors are aware of the need for better home wiring, and most of them will give you a free estimate.

If you do not have the necessary wiring to handle your appliance load, your contractor will make a Housepower rating form. It will show which of your appliances your present wiring accommodates, and it will indicate, by the check list nature of the survey, that you will be able to operate all of your appliances after he has made proper installation of adequate wiring for full Housepower.

Certain appliances require special wiring and amount of voltage to work to capacity. This is another feature your electrical contractor will check.

There are many common and erroneous ideas concerning electricity and home wiring in particular.

Many people have the mistaken idea that if there are three service entrance wires running to their home, they have an adequate supply of electricity.

The amount of voltage, which cannot be determined by mere sight, running through each wire, is the deciding factor.

Some people think electricity can be stored, while others think that if their wiring is more adequate than they presently need, their appliances will use more.

Neither of these ideas is true. Appliances use only a certain amount of electricity (each appliance differs) and only that amount is "fed" through the wires. Electricity cannot be stored. It comes in only as it is used, so you never pay for more than you use.

The most important point to remember about electricity is — don't try to repair or install anything electrical. Call in an electrical contractor. It will cost you less in the long run.

New Insulation Becomes Easy

Insulation of concrete block buildings and foundations has now become as easy as filling a sugar bowl from a paper bag.

The new method of insulating, which slashes heat losses in eight-inch concrete block walls more than 50 per cent — keeping buildings warmer in winter and cooler in summer — is simplicity itself. All you have to do is fill the hollow cores of the block with loose granules of perlite, and extremely light material made from a volcanic lava substance that has been crushed and then "popped" under heat like popcorn.

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IDEAL FOR KITCHEN

Special sit-down sinks, low-height plan desks for reading or telephoning, island or peninsula serving and eating bars, counter-height pass-throughs, hanging glass-door wall cabinets or base and wall cabinet dividers with exposed shelves all add glamorous touches to the kitchen area.

Two Exciting Contests Offer Quarter Million In Prizes For Fix-Up

An exciting 125,000 homeowners contest is being launched by the Home Improvement Council as part of its program to make the individual homeowners aware of the need for, ease of and benefits from repairing and remodeling.

IT'S FERTILIZING TIME

Fertilize the lawn now. But before fertilizing it, scratch the whole lawn with a rake, or fork. Clear off all dead grass and draw the rake over the surface and slightly below it. This will aerate the grass roots and enable the fertilizer and water to penetrate more easily into the ground.

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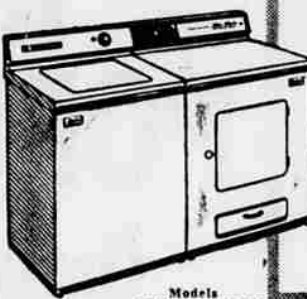
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from local repair-remodel businessmen who display the HIC membership seal or from manufacturer members of the Council. They will be found in many issues of numerous consumer magazines.

This phase is designed for participation in by all members of the family. In the form of a check-list, the entry blank will help the family organize its home improvement program by requiring that each room in the house be carefully examined as to the condition and adequacy of everything in it — inside and out!

After completing the check list, entrants will be asked to answer such general questions as whether they have adequate fire, disaster and liability insurance, information on home improvement, financing, etc., etc.

Finally, they will be asked to tell in 25 words or less why they feel it is important for them to improve their present home . . . "have more enjoyable family living" . . . etc. Entries will be judged on the

basis of sincerity and originality, rather than on writing excellence, grammar or vocabulary.

A total of \$125,000 in cash will be awarded winners in this phase, with a \$25,000 grand prize, \$10,000 second prize, \$3,000 third prize and 460 other cash awards.

The second contest phase, to run from July 1 to December 31,

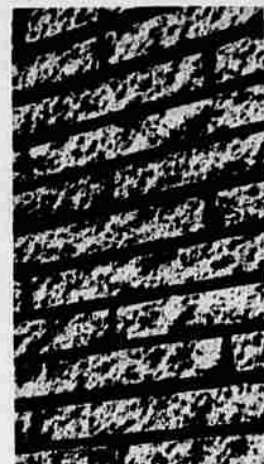
will require actual completion of a home improvement project with the aid of a Council member. Another \$125,000 in cash will be awarded winners.

In some cases, manufacturers will offer "bonus" awards to entrants who use their products in completing the home improvement project. Persons considering this phase have been urged to take "before" and "after" pictures for judging purposes.

Local repair-remodel + replace businessmen who have indicated sincere interest in helping their customers in their home improvement efforts will be recognizable by their display of the distinctive HIC membership seal.

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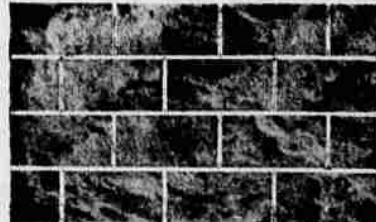
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