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#43:  
TRIM!

**Every style star has her tropes.** What would Katharine Hepburn have been without her wide-leg pants (radical at the time), or Liz Taylor sans her turbans and diamonds? The editors of *House Beautiful* have a few looks on rotation, too—we're guilty of loyally loving pieces, patterns, and even plants again and again. Here are 120 of them. Tally up! How many are in *your* home?

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99. A pet to enjoy the house.



**100. SIGNATURE STATIONERY...**

Bearing a monogram or the family crest. Or your trademark lioness.

Bespoke Stationery. The Printery.

**101. ...AND PRIMO ACCESSORIES**

Whatever inspires you to write that note!

102. Glassware for every tippie.

103. Ikat (pronounced ee-kaht) has both ancient origins and modern graphic punch.

Silk Pillows. Madeline Weinrib.



**104. A TABLETOP TROUSSEAU**

Have a look for every occasion, reason, and change of season. Linen Napkin and Spider Bead Burst. Kim Seybert.

105. Splatterware.



**106. A FULLY STOCKED BAR CART**

Top-shelf spirits (check!), "baby" Schweppes (check!), something to celebrate: our 120th birthday! Cheers!

107. A lone demilune console table. Très chic.

**108. CHARACTER CHAIRS**

Too old and weak to support anything but the cat or a book. But so worthwhile.



**109. GUEST SOAPS**

The tinier and more delicately scented, the better. Claus Porto Soaps. Designers Guild.

110. Topiaries.

**111. SUNBURST MIRRORS.**



**112. FUTURE HEIRLOOMS**

Timeless and built to last—you'll pass them down to the next generation or three. Library Table. Stickley.



**113. A TROPICAL TOUCH**

If you can't hop a flight to Palm Beach, open this on the lawn—and look up.

Umbrella. Santa Barbara Umbrella.

114. Blue-and-white ginger jars. Indoors and out.

**115. READING NOOKS**

Picture a club chair under the eaves for writing, reading, daydreaming...



**116. PLAIDS, CHECKS, GINGHAMS**

How can you not smile when checks are nearby?

From left: Cotton Blends by Duralee, Thibaut, and Sanderson.

117. Flea-market finds.



**118. BLOCK PRINTS**

Hand-printed from carved wood blocks, their imperfections are everything. Cotton-Linen Blends. John Robshaw.

**119. PERSONALIZED BED LINENS**

A bed isn't made until it's finished with a monogrammed boudoir pillow. Celeste Applique. Leontine Linens.



120. A note of levity, especially if there are kids around. A giraffe taller than a tween will suffice.

Plush Giraffe. Melissa & Doug.

