YULE LOGS

l lb. coarse salt, l lb. bluestone and l lb. borax are the basic ingredients.

Blue flame - antimony chloride Red flame - strontium nitrate Dark purple - potassium chloride

Soak rolled newspapers or pine cones for 24 hours. Dry. These are POISON so keep out of reach of children.

FIREPLACE JOY LOGS

Tightly roll several newspapers or magazines together and tie. Make as many rolls as your container will accommodate. Mix two pounds sulphate of copper, one pint salt, 15 quarts water in large stone crock or barrel. Copper sulphate eats into metals. Stir to dissolve. Soak tightly rolled newspapers or magazines well submerged in it for three to four weeks. Cautiously remove with rubber-gloved hands to wooden rack over concrete floor with drain. Then dry for a month, again being careful not to contact any metal.

DISH CLOTH

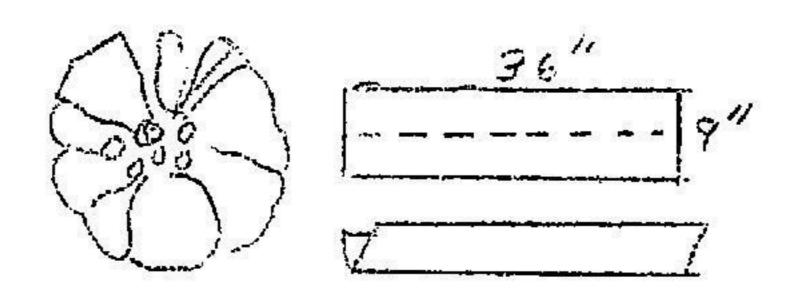
l dish cloth square of nylon net same size

Machine stitch a square of nylon net to one side of dish rag. Use soft side of dish rag for regular china and glass and use net side for removing egg and grease.

DISH SCRUB CLOTH

½ yd. nylon net (makes two) Few plastic flowers and leaves

- 1. Cut $\frac{1}{2}$ yard in two pieces crosswise. Open the fold to give you a section 9^{10} x 36^{10} .
- 2. Fold in half to measure $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 36". Gather cut edges by hand using heavy duty thread.
- 3. Draw up gathers as tight as possible and sew firmly in place as the piece falls into shape of petals.
- 4. Sew a loop in centre for hanging and sew plastic flowers in folds as a decoration.



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