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Since The Queen's Pantry expanded its Queensbridge Mill location on September 14th, the popular retailer continues to attract scores of new customers to its enlarged showroom. "There has been a terrific response to the expanded Queensbridge Mill," says Linda, who co-owns both stores with her sister, Karen. "This is more of a design centre than a furniture store where we offer home accents, paint and fabrics along with extensive lines of furnishings."

The larger space of Queensbridge Mill also allows for more flexibility in setting up room settings based on the colour palettes of the Paint Café. "We have used 31 colours throughout the rooms," says Linda. "All of the room furnishings and accents will be coordinated with these harmony palettes. It really makes decorating easy when you apply these colour principles to your project."

The Queen's Pantry has also expanded its seminars to include courses on design, entertaining and cooking. "Customers can also get a coffee and watch a program on HGTV which runs all day in the resource area," says Karen. "It has always been our idea to create a place of inspiration for our customers, a place where they can shop and find the ideas and the tools to tackle their own home décor projects."

This fall, the Queensbridge Mill will present these inspiring courses:

Paint Café - "Discovering your Colour Personality." Dates: Thurs. Nov. 7th & Sat. Nov. 23rd. Time: 10am-1pm - \$65.00 plus GST.

"Create Holiday Magic Decorating Seminar." Learn amazing yet simple entertaining and decorating ideas for your home this festive season. Dates: Wed. Nov. 20th, Thurs. Nov. 21st and Sun. Nov. 24th. Time: 11am - 2pm - \$55.00 plus GST. Luncheon is served.



Holiday Appetizers - Cooking Class" Make holiday entertaining easy with these simple "make ahead" recipes. Learn, taste, and take home the recipes. Dates: Wed. Nov. 27th, Thurs. Nov. 28th, Sun. Dec. 1st, Wed. Dec. 4th. Time 1:00-3:30pm - \$45.00 plus GST. All courses are held at the Queensbridge Mill. To register, call The Queen's Pantry at 905-477-4625.

The Queen's Pantry offers a unique selection of upholstery and wood furnishings, stylized curtaining, window dressings, bedding, high-end furniture, floral and tabletop accessories, quilts and area rugs. A customer in-home consultation service is offered.

The Queen's Pantry is located at 176 Main St. in Unionville and can be reached at (905) 477-4625.

It is open Monday to Saturday from 10am - 5:30pm;

Thursday nights until 9:00pm; Sundays and holidays from noon-5:30pm.

The Queensbridge Mill is located at 4160 19th Ave., between Kennedy and Warden and can be reached at (905) 887-1127.

Hours are Tuesday to Saturday, 10:00am - 5:00pm; Sunday 12 noon to 5:00pm. Visit the company website at www.queensbridge.com.

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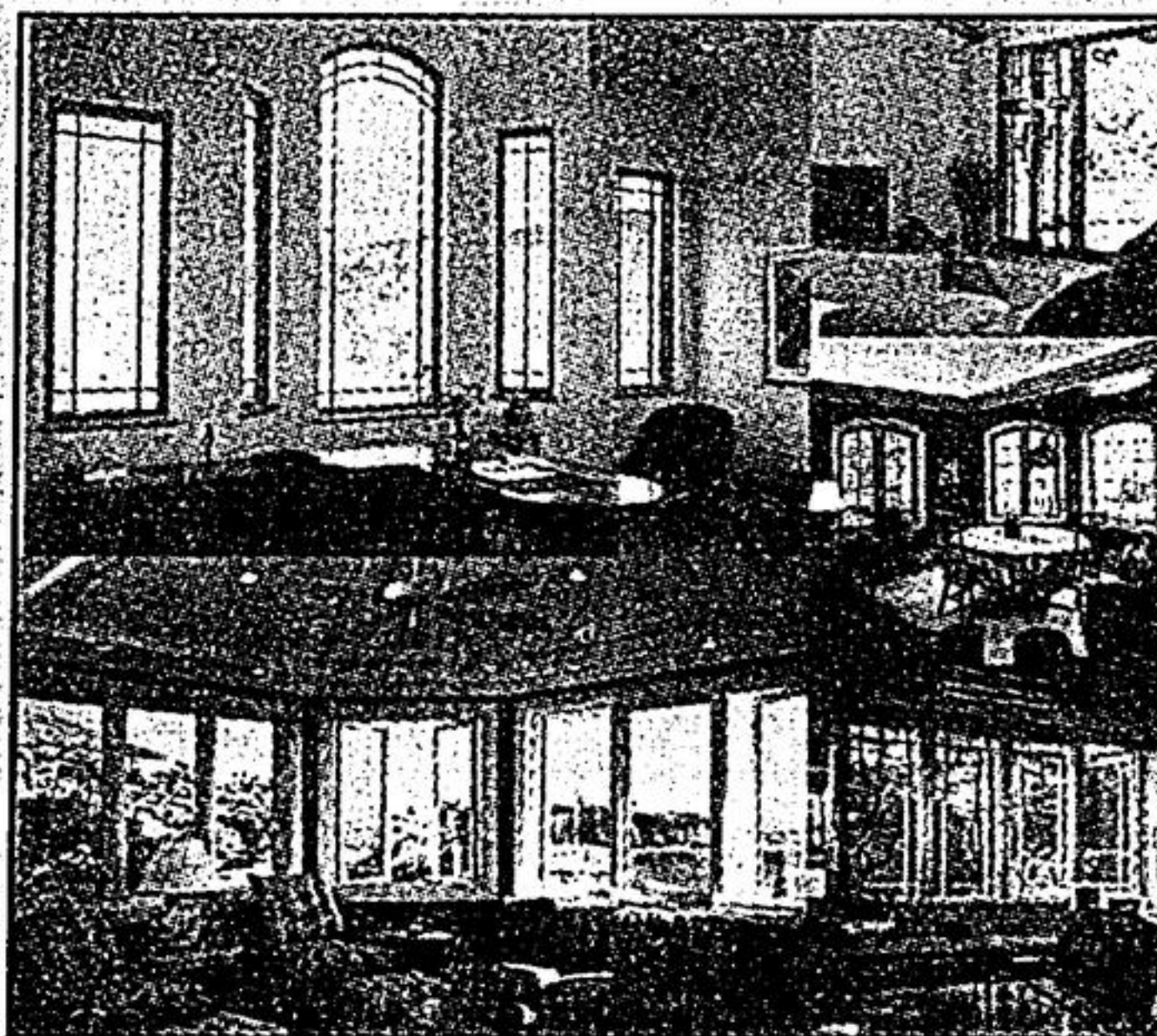
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