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"GOOD DESIGN" SELECTION COMMITTEE TO PICK

NEW ITEMS FOR JUNE OPENING AT THE MART

The June Selection Committee, chosen by the Museum of Modern Art, will meet in the latter part of May to pick new items of home furnishings for inclusion in the Good Design exhibition at The Merchandise Mart, Chicago. There will be a press breakfast to open the new showing on Thursday, June 19, during the first market week.

The Committee is headed by Edgar Kaufmann, Jr., Director of Good Design. The other members who have generously agreed to serve with him are:

F. Carlton Ball, an expert ceramist and silversmith and Professor of ceramics at the University of Southern Illinois, where he has recently been appointed after having taught at the University of Wisconsin and, prior to that for a number of years, at Mills College. Ball has collaborated with the American painter Aaron Bohrod to produce a group of decorated pottery.

Gordon F. Fraser, who imports some of the best known original designs from Germany and Italy in glass, china and flatware. He also is the head of a well-known retail shop in Berkeley, California.

The selections will be made from among items marketed within the past 6 months. The deadline for their submission for consideration was May 22. These new selections will be shown along with those chosen last January and will replace the selections made in June 1951.