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This dining room, pictured in the background, is painted in Clark + Kensington's Ominous Cloud. Coordinating accent pieces include a stuffed owl and scroll rug.

Color watch

CLARK + KENSINGTON'S Ominous Cloud.

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Color watch is a monthly feature in Sunday Morning where we pick a paint color we love and pair it with color coordinating accents for the home.

The color: Clark + Kensington's Ominous Cloud (sold at Ace Hardware).

This color, which is a light gray, is anything but omi-

nous. It is a clean, crisp color that can give any room a touch of modern flair. Because it is a lighter gray, it can be used in a larger room without the color overwhelming your space.

If you are a first-time painter and nervous about painting a large space, using this color with similar-colored accent pieces is a nice way to add a touch of color to your home.

Home accents

Gray owl: This soft and snugly owl pillow is a cute dec-

orative accent piece and doubles as a throw pillow.

\$18.00; pier1.com

Scroll tile rug in gray: Pottery Barn used Moroccan tile patterns as the inspiration for this hand-tufted wool rug. The scroll motif in creamy ivory over a solid gray background gives this rug a versatile look that will pair nicely with your existing decor.

\$179 - \$849, available in five sizes; potterybarn.com

Karlstad loveseat: This loveseat comes in a variety of

colors but I have chosen Isunda Gray as our color of choice. The cover is removable and easy to clean, and the armrests are also removable to add a coordinating chaise lounge to the loveseat.

\$579.00; ikea.com