

Merry Christmas

ONE gift that Santa Claus cannot bring to our homes this Christmas—or any other Christmas either—is an accident-free 1954. That gift is one that must come from each of us and our wives, husbands, and children too. It can in part be given through us to others but primarily is a gift that we must give to ourselves.

It is every employee's aim to work safely every day and to promote plant safety—and our safety records are proving that we are giving, and giving well, this "gift" of "every day a safe day". But are we giving toward home safety as well? We all have good cause to give to ourselves and families a good home safety program.

The following is a suggested "gift" list, compiled for those to use who would give a daily gift of safety.

1. Remove all safety hazards promptly when they are discovered.
 2. Keep sharp cutlery knives properly sheathed.
 3. Keep poisons properly marked and out of the reach of small children.
 4. Deposit used razor blades immediately in a proper container.
 5. Get broken glass up right away and discard it properly.
 6. Don't smoke in bed or leave lighted cigarettes unattended around the house.
 7. Don't repair electrical equipment while it is tied into a "hot" line.
 8. Be careful not to handle electrical equipment while a hand, foot, etc., is immersed in water.
 9. Always think about the safety involved before tackling any job around the house.
 10. Have a definite safe location for all tools and equipment which are used around the house.
- At home, at work, at play—wherever we might go and whatever we might do in the coming year—we should strive to give ourselves and others one of the most practical gifts of all—an accident free day every day of the year.