

### Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus—I'm a little boy five years old and I would like for you to bring me a doll, cooking set, tea set, telephone and cook stove and some candy, nuts and fruit. And please be good to my baby brother. Love, Judy Lancaster.

Dear Santa Claus—I'm a little girl four years old and I would like for you to bring me a doll, cooking set, tea set, telephone and cook stove and some candy, nuts and fruit. And please be good to my baby brother. Love, Warren Lancaster.

Dear Santa Claus—I'm a little boy three years old and I would like for you to bring me a doll, cooking set, tea set, telephone and cook stove and some candy, nuts and fruit. And please be good to my baby brother. Love, Judy Lancaster.

Dear Santa Claus—I'm a little girl four years old and I would like for you to bring me a doll, cooking set, tea set, telephone and cook stove and some candy, nuts and fruit. And please be good to my baby brother. Love, Warren Lancaster.

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### Don't Imitate. Create!

by MARY BROWN of *Primrose House*

The days of a spotty saddle shoe for a spottier saddle shoe are over. Whether it is on the campus, in an office, or just lazy living, the days of the urge to look like a carbon copy of everyone else are passing. And I can't think of anything more important to shout about at the moment.

Remember, girls, "he" is sick of regimentation. He's had a heartful of it in the service and he would like to come home and be able to pick you out of the crowd all by himself instead of having you wear a red rose to distinguish you from the other gals with bangs and other badges of group living. Conversation is one of the most important cues to personality, and if you sound like a houseful of monkeys, he won't linger on your doorstep very long pleading for your free evenings. One of the easiest things to imitate is conversation. If we have a group of words thrown at us long enough we will pick them up and carry them around... and we never seem to imitate the worthy ones. It is usually "slang" that has been lashed to pieces already, and that makes an evening or a day with you a pretty haggard pastime. Slang, not "girl-talk," is out. All that chit-chat that "girls" of any age must do when they get together is as much an integral part of the American scene as apple pie and the flag... but don't let the chatter-chatter drip over onto your relatives and your beau.

Sure, he is proud of you... but he'll be even prouder, and you will be more sure of him, if there is something that makes you stand out in the crowd. You know, like being the girl who twists the best looking ribbons in her braid, or knows how to whip up a caricature of anyone in the room at the drop of a piece of charcoal, or tennis or dancing... No man will run away from a good dancer unless her waist is too wide to circle. There are talents we must be born with... but there are ones we can conquer, and it is those at which we are usually most proficient.

One of the most important arts in the world is "listening." I don't know why it always has such a bad back because the people who are good listeners are the ones who are more in demand than their wordier sisters. Listening has a wonderful effect. It makes the other people glow. They feel important... and you grow. You grow because you aren't busy telling what you know, you are absorbing more than you know.

Well, how about a campaign of creation. A new talent for you. Pick out something you can do a little better than most or something you want to do better and concentrate on it until you are associated with it pleasantly. Even if you have two left feet at this point why not try to whittle them down to one right and one left foot. Then when you get on a dance floor you and your partner will be most likely to go in the same direction.

of her daughter, Anna Speight, to Bill Reid of Elizabeth City. The wedding will take place on December 23rd, in the Weldon Baptist Church.

**Miss Frances Powell Weds John E. Collins**

Miss Frances Elizabeth Powell and Lieutenant-Colonel John Edmund Collins were married Saturday, November 22, in McGuire Chapel. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Robert A. Powell and the late Mr. Powell of Emporia. Colonel Collins is the son of John J. Collins and the late Mrs. Collins, of Arlington, Mass. The Rev. William P. Bynnes, of St. Paul's Church, performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her brother, Glenwood A. Powell, the bride wore a dress of slipper satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice, heart-shaped neckline and embroidered in seed pearls. The long sleeves ended in points over the hands. She carried a white orchid on a prayer book, and her veil of illusion fell from a coronet of orange blossoms. The skirt of her dress ended in a circular train.

Miss Marguerite Nicholson, maid of honor, wore a blue taffeta dress with heart-shaped neckline and bouffant skirt. She carried yellow and bronze chrysanthemums.

Major Alan P. Thayer, of Washington was best man. Ushers were Captain Robert J. Ward of Camp Lee, and Carroll L. Powell, brother of the bride, of Richmond.

Following a wedding trip, Colonel and Mrs. Collins will make their home in Murac, California, where he is stationed.

Mrs. Collins is a niece of Mrs. A. O. George of this city and has relatives and friends here.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. A. O. George and Miss Margaret Lou George.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Out of town patients in Roanoke Rapids Hospital this week were: Clifton Edwards, Conway; Betty Price, Garysburg, Elita Faye Stansbury, Littleton.

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED**

Mrs. R. S. Fountain of Weldon has announced the engagement

of her daughter, Anna Speight, to Bill Reid of Elizabeth City. The wedding will take place on December 23rd, in the Weldon Baptist Church.

**Weldon**

Mr. W. T. Shaw of Goldsboro was in town for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Oakes had as their guest for the Thanksgiving holidays, Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis of New Bern. Taylor Oakes of Duke, Miss Frances Oakes of Lexington, Walter Oakes of the U. S. Navy and Albert Oakes of U. N. C. at Chapel Hill.

Miss Ann Tighman of Raleigh spent Thanksgiving at home.

Miss Jane Lassiter of Greensboro was home for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Humphries of Raleigh spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards of Roanoke Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edwards.

Mrs. W. C. Howard of Kinston is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Suiter.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Whitfield and daughter spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Magee.

Miss Anna Speight Fountain of Elizabeth City spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. R. S. Fountain.

Mrs. John William Brown entertained her mother and her brothers and sisters on Sunday, the occasion being her mother's 70th birthday. Mrs. Will Selden also entertained her mother and brothers and sisters at supper on Sunday. Birthday cakes were presented to Mrs. Joyner by both her daughters, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Selden.

### Deaths

**MRS. MOLLIE H. HUDSON**  
Mrs. Mollie Hoges Hudson, 72, died suddenly at her home in Weldon Friday night. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at three o'clock from the chapel of the Rowe Funeral Home conducted by the Rev. Worth C. Grant, pastor of the Weldon Baptist Church. Burial followed in Cedarwood Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, L. A. Hudson; two sisters, Mrs. Ada Knox of Weldon, Mrs. R. A. Miles of Jackson and one half-sister, Mrs. Henry Norman of Weldon.

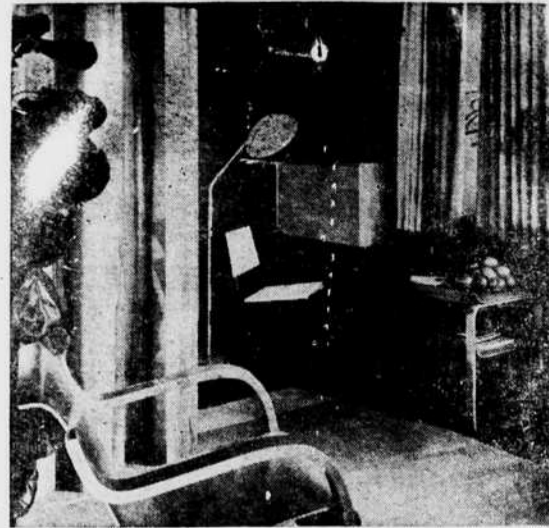
### Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Van C. Daughtry were accompanied home from Norfolk Sunday by Mrs. Arthur Overmyer, after attending the funeral of Mr. Daughtry's sister, Mrs. Joanna Rowe.

R. H. Johnson of Norfolk was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Thompson and Mrs. Sam Thompson spent Tuesday in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. King spent Thanksgiving in Wilmington with Mr. King's parents. Miss Peggy McIver of Wilmington spent the week end with

### New Look Furniture



Unlike the new look in styles, the latest in fine modern furniture, combining art with engineering, has had a remarkably favorable reception. The fine proportions, and delightfully fluid lines of the chair, table, and desk above, which appear in the December issue of House Beautiful magazine are not accidental. The chair, assembled from only three mass-produced units, makes the most of the flexible strength of bent plywood for comfort and low cost. The furniture above, designed by Alvar Aalto, is distributed in the United States by Finsven, Inc., 325 Madison Avenue, New York City.

Miss Helen Daughtry, Mrs. Frank Kendrick spent the week end with her mother in Swan Quarter, N. C.

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- JUICY LEMONS ..... 1 doz... 35c
- YELLOW ONIONS ..... 2 lbs... 20c
- FALL RUSSET PEARS ..... 2 lbs... 25c
- GREEN PEPPERS ..... lb... 25c
- TURNIPS ..... 1 bunch.. 15c
- IDAHO POTATOES ..... 10 lbs... 69c

- Campbell's TOMATO SOUP ..... 2 10 1/2-Oz. Cans 21c
- Kern's Tomato CHILI SAUCE ..... 12-Oz. Bot. 19c
- Ann Page Salad DRESSING ..... Pt. Jar 31c
- Reliable PEAS ..... No. 3 Can 19c
- Packer's Label Standard TOMATOES ..... 2 No. 2 Cans 27c
- Sunnyfield GORN FLAKES ..... 8-Oz. Pkg. 11c
- A & P APPLE SAUCE ..... No. 3 Can 15c
- Dromedary or Ocean Spray GRANBERRY SAUCE ..... 16-Oz. Can 21c

- LAYER FIGS ..... 8-Oz. Pkg. 19c
- Sunnyfield CAKE FLOUR ..... Pkg. 33c
- Nabisco Crackers PREMIUM ..... 1-Lb. Pkg. 23c
- Dromedary Frosting & FUDGE MIX ..... Pkg. 27c
- Ann Page Baking POWDER ..... 12-Oz. Pkg. 13c
- Ann Page VANILLA COCOA ..... 1-Lb. Pkg. 25c
- Ann Page Vanilla EXTRACT ..... 1-Oz. Bot. 17c
- Duff's Hot ROLL MIX ..... Pkg. 25c

### FINE QUALITY MEATS

- SIRLOIN STEAK ..... lb... 79c
- SQUARE CUT CHUCK ROAST ..... lb... 59c
- PURE GROUND BEEF ..... lb... 49c
- SHOULDER VEAL CHOPS ..... lb... 55c
- LAMB LEG ..... lb... 67c
- LAMB SHOULDER ..... lb... 53c

### FRESH DRESSED POULTRY AND SEA FOODS

- GREEN GIANT PEAS No. 308 Can 19c
- NIBLETS BRAND CORN 12-Oz. Can 17c

Mrs. J. T. Alexander of Greenwood, S. C. visited her sister, Mrs. W. H. Daughtry last week. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Harvey, Jr. of Suffolk spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Browning.

Mrs. F. G. Jarman spent last week in Richmond, Va. with Dr. and Mrs. Graham Jarman. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie O'Donnell and Patsy and Lynn of Staunton, Va. spent the week end with Mrs. Mattie Witherspoon.

Miss Irene Turner of Richmond, Va. spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Bernard Woodruff.

Miss Joyce Witherspoon of with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Staunton, Va. spent the week end Witherspoon.

Mrs. Louis Grimmer spent the week end in Petersburg, Virginia with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carter attended the Army-Navy game in Philadelphia Saturday.

Warren Bush of Wake Forest, Billy Moore of E. C. T. C. A. I. George, Jr. of State and Coyt Brown of the University of N. C. spent the holidays here with their parents.

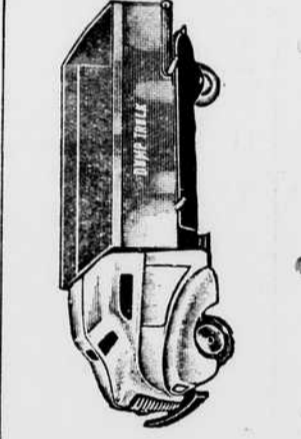
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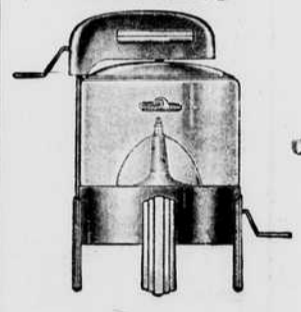
### STOVES



### TRUCKS



### Washing Machines



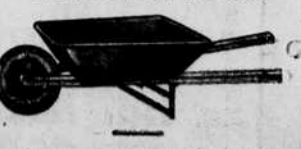
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