Sweaters Rate High On Most Gift Lists

counter recently. Sweaters rate high on Christmas lists this year.

Even though your girl has eight or 10 sweaters, she probably wants are a mark of quality.

another for Christmas—a cash-mere sweater, if possible. Cash-meres are really a inxury, but just cause a sweater is marked "100 guarantee you of a good buy, ac-cording to Mary Em Lee, State College extension clothing spec-

Beware of "specially-priced" cashmeres because they are often cheap sweaters. Poor quality cashmeres will shrink when washed stretch out of shape with wearing, and mat and "rough up." You're better off with a good quality woolen sweater which will cost about the same as a cheap cash-

A good cashmere sweater will for, it will give many years of ser-

How can you tell whether the eashmere you're considering is a he gave a prese quality sweater? Look at the knit is it smooth and even? And take look inside the sweater at seam amine the neck. In good sweaters

If you have a teenager at your lenghwise rib of the sweater. Look bouse, you've probably been at the end of the bandings too. In spending some time at the sweater good buys there is a tape neatly

Church Members Are Entertained

tertained the members of St. Luke's Episcopal Church and their guests at Christmas dinner at the Boone Hotel Sunday night.

The host and hostess and Mrs. Norman Woods, president of the woman's auxiliary, greeted the guests in the lobby. Little Miss Janie Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price ushered the guests in the lobby the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price ushered the guests in the lobby the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price ushered the guests in the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. to the dining room where a small beautifully decorated Christmas tree stood on a table near the en-trance. Piled high under the tree A good cashmere sweater will be an investment. If properly cared for, it will give many years of sen and their guests, each person hav-ing received the name of another drawn from the guest list, to whom

The long table extending the length of the room was decorated with native evergreen and red candles in branched candelabra. A narrow row of small evergreen necks are double-looped; many are branches lying along the center of elasticized. Study cardigan open-ings. They should follow the er was interspersed with large ar-

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ornamented with snow men and snow balls was placed near the larger one. Their gifts of toys were by their place cards and their des-sert was ice cream molded into the

shape of snowmen.

Before dinner the entire group, accompanied by Mrs. Richard Wall at the piano, sang Christmas carols. Honor guests were the college students and other members of the Canterbury Club, the young peo-ples' organization of the church.

After dinner many of the group left to hear "The Messiah" which was presented by Mrs. Virginia Wary Linney, director, and the Appalachian State Teachers College Choir in the First Baptist

Rev. John S. McDuffle, rector of St. Luke's, spoke briefly at the

lowed the party.
Mr. and Mrs. Price entertain the ongregation of St. Luke's each ear at Christmas and the affair Sunday night was their annual party for this year. Some forty guests were present.

FAMILY TONSILECTOMY

Richmond, Va.—Mrs. Earl Wil-liams stayed at the Richmond Eye Hospital with the three children of the family—Earl, Jr., 11, David, 8, and Elizabeth, 4, who had just had their tonsils removed. Papa Williams went over to the animal spital nearby to be with Danny, the family's 9-month-old collie pup, who also had his tonsils removed. It seems the dog was naving some throat trouble and los-ing his appetite just like the kids, so he had his tonsils removed, too.

Attorney General Brownell has ruled that Federal power must be sold first to cooperative instead of private utilities even if the cooperatives lacked transmission lines to distribute the power im-

Travel Influence Is Seen In Furniture

Travel influence is showing up more and more today in furniture styles. Designers are seeking in apiration from the Scandinavian countries, from Spain Italy and the Far East.

Foreign influence is becoming a chest with rounded legs. the Far East.

even more important with the beautiful new lines inspired by such countries as Persia, India and

has been attributed to its special fitness for today's open and airy rooms and to its simplicity of design. The Far Eastern influence actually goes back two centuries and is not a new favorite in Amer-

Chippendale borrowed some of his best motifs from the Orient During the 17th and 18th centuries Chinese accessories for the home were brought from the East by numerous seafarers to be com-bined with the carved and painted furniture of both the French and English courts of their day.

Modern designers are taking full advantage of the luxurious look that can be given to furniture by the addition of simple, classic Oriental-lines in tables and accessor-ies, many with bright, clear lac-quer shades.

Italian Provincial has always been a favorite with decorators. Today many pieces are available in a lower price range than ever before. These Italian Provincial pieces are a rich looking but prac-tical contribution to the home.

The simple grace of the Italian Provincial look is often set off by deeply scored panels or toches and canted ends. A soft gray-brown shade generally characterizes the

Mangum, Okla. W. E. Weavet-loves to play checkers but wasn't able to find many opponents. Fin-ally he became desperate enough to buy a grocery store here, and installed a table and a couple of extra chairs to attract some players. Among his customers, he manages to snare a few to keep the checkerboard busy.

Secretary of Defense Wilson re-cently said there would be no significant change either in the spending or the size of the military establishment in the next fis-

CONSIDERATE THIVES

Jacksonville, Flather The robbers who took a safe from a feed store recently were really considerate. They carefully wrapped the checks, inventory books and other papers in the safe so that they were undamaged by weather when the battered safe was found. The \$400 in cash in the safe wasn't there, however.

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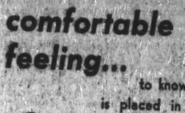
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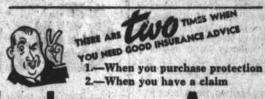
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