





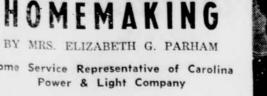
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# INADEQUATE WIRING

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SYMPTOMS

You don't have to be an expert o tell whether your home is suffering from weakness of the wiring. There are many little symptoms that show up every day that you live in an inadequately wired home. You have probably known

Here are some symptoms of in- your home? adequate wiring:

1. Lights flickering and dimming when appliances are turned

room heaters, warming up too

breakers tripping too frequently, changing the bulb and one or two "On a bright and summer's morn-4. Radios fading or sounding fittings. scratchy when an appliance is turned on.

size or "winks" when other appli- ens and diffuses light without loss And a-hunting I didances go into action.

6. Too few outlets and switches where you need them. 7. Multiple "octopus" connec-

8. Long cords strung around the shapes. A lamp can be converted rooms in order to connect lamps in a matter of minutes-and you'll



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9. Too frequent overheating of

#### MORE LIGHT FROM YOUR LAMPS

Light was the first gift of elec- Song, a very old ballad which has tricity to modern living. It is still been sung here in the mountains of them all along but you may one of the most important bene- ever since the Scotch and English have thought something else other fits you can enjoy. Are you mak- first settled here and forgot where than poor wiring to be responsible ing the most of light to protect the they came from. It tells a tall eyes of your family, to beautify story and really should be heard

The chances are that some of to be fully appreciated. It is usuyour portable lamps are among ally sung to the accompaniment the oldest appliances you own. Of of a course, many improvements have fairly good idea of the tempo, the 2. Appliances operating slowly ficiency since you bought them. piece by merely reading it.

Fortunately, you don't have to rebeen made in lamp design and ef- fun, and the exaggeration of the place serviceable old lamps with native singers here in the valleynew ones to bring home lighting up here in the Buckeye Cove, to be up to date. Nowadays you can exact,—and it goes like this: 3. Fuses blowing or circuit modernize most lamps simply by

You can buy bulbs with built- The ground all covered with in reflectors, bulbs with a new 5. TV picture that shrinks in kind of inside frosting that soft- I put my sholulder to my gun, of efficiency. You can buy three- And a hunting I did go. way bulbs that give you a choice of three "levels" of lighting at I went up on the mountain, the twist of a switch.

tions used for several appliances adapted to the new bulbs. Metal Older style lamps are readily gazagazagazagazagazagazagaz "harps" are made to fit the new be amazed at the difference in

#### WHAT EVERY KITCHEN NEEDS

We are all influenced by the way places "feel" to us. Some places give us a feeling of freedom and brightness, others make us feel warm and cozy. Still others may give us a feeling of dullness and darkness.

Most kitchens can be made into comfortable "living rooms," or designed to have the atmosphere you want. These are things you can work with:

Light: Most of us like daylight and sunshine, but too much can mean glare and heat. Besides, a lot of work and play go on in the kitchen after dark. You need good over-all light, and you might need extra light for certain tasks-at work surfaces for instance. Make sure that light isn't placed so that you're working in your own shad-

Air: Circulating air is important, not only for comfort but also to help remove odors, grease and smoke. Keeping a window open, at least on top, may be enough. If not, you may need an exhaust fan. By the way, if the kitchen is often smoky, you may be cooking at too high temperatures.

Color: Cheerful colors that please you and make you feel comfortable are the best ones. Nowadays, kitchens don't have to be plain white. With modern decorating schemes, the kitchen can be one of the most attractive rooms in the home. Light colors will brighten, while darker ones will subdue, glare. Washability is an important factor in the decorating

materials you use. Cleanliness: While you don't have to be able to "eat off the floor," your working areas, range, refrigerator, drawers and shelves should be clean - for convenience and efficiency, and for the kind of atmosphere you want around food.

### FUN IN THE KITCHEN

Many wonderful parties start in the kitchen—and stay there. Sometimes you don't call them parties exactly—like the housewife's second cup of coffee after the children and husband have left, or the children's after-school snack, or the teenagers' late evening ice-

box raid. The kind of hospitality we all remember is the kind that makes us feel at home. This is as true for children as for adults. Letting the children play host as often as possible to their own guests teaches them the social graces. Let them entertain in the kitchen, serving the kind of snacks they like-even if it's as simple as milk and cookies after school. Help them plan if they need help, but don't take over.

Here are short-cuts that you and the family can use-when folks drop in or when you have less time than usual to prepare for

Keep a stock of frozen and canned prepared foods, so that a meal can be prepared easily and quickly if necessary.

Plan one-dish meals that go from oven to table in the same casserole. With a salad, and fresh fruit and cheese, this can be company fare.

Serve some meals and beverages in disposable plates and cups. These can be a boon for children's parties, not just because they're convenient and sanitary, but also because they help avoid dish

breakage. Relax. Remember, the guests didn't come to watch you work. They came to share and enjoy your company.

Thinking ahead - working together-using what you have to get what you want - making healthful meals safely, easily and with less work and more fun, all add up to creative management in the kitchen, which adds to your assurance of a fuller life.

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I think the Deer Song is

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propriate for a good many of the venison shin, men and boys in the coves hereabouts who love to get up early

Beyond you high hill,

And fifteen or twenty-Ten thousand I did-

Ten thousand I did kill.

And the money that I got for the And my foot slipped and I fell out, I hauled it to my father's barn, And it wouldn't have gothese cool mornings and get out in And it wouldn't half go in.

the squirrels. I've been getting I went up on the mountain, occasionally myself; but the Beyond you hill so high, game seems to be somewhat scarce this fall. However, I meet a fel-The moon came around with lightlow ever now and then who can ning speed, tell you how many he has already

I'll take a ride, says I.

It took a suddent whirl,

And I landed in this-And I landed in this world Some boys and girls were skating, Pix Theater. On a bright and summer's day,

The ice broke through, they all fell in-The rest they ran away.

The man that made this song, sir, Six-feet-two is the height of His name was Abner Young- many a gal's ambition.

The moon came around the moun- If you can tell a bigger lie, I say you ought to be-I say you ought to be hung."

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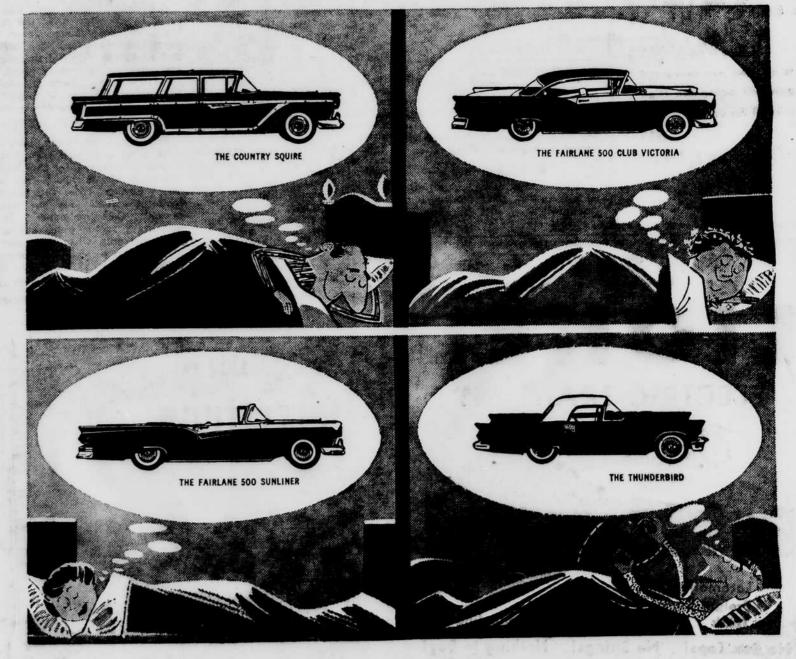
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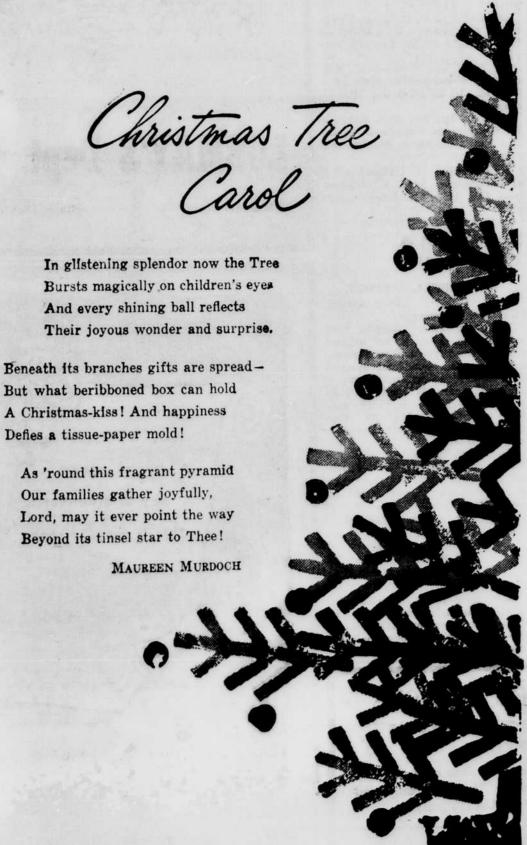
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