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You'll find they'll appreciate your gift more if it's a box of smartly styled, long-wearing Phoenix socks. It's the practical quality gift they would buy for themselves. Choose from our wide selections of fabrics and patterns. Sizes from 9 1/2-13.

50c AND UP

### PHOENIX ARMY AND NAVY SOCKS

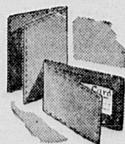
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 Arrow Ties, \$1.00  
 Arrow Handkerchiefs, 35c  
 Arrow Initialed Handkerchiefs  
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### SWANK



Purses ..... \$1.00  
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 Belts ..... \$1.00

B. V. D. Robes ..... \$4.95 up  
 B. V. D. Pajamas ..... \$2.50 up  
 CHENEY Cravats ..... \$1.00 and \$1.50  
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 COOPER Jockey Shorts ..... 60c  
 COOPER Jockey Shirts ..... 60c  
 FLORSHEIM Shoes ..... \$10.00

### GIFTS FOR BOYS

TOM SAWYER Shirts ..... \$1.00 to \$2.45  
 TOM SAWYER Trousers ..... \$1.95 to \$3.95  
 BOYS' Leather Jackets ..... \$5.95 up  
 BOYS' Sport Coats ..... \$5.95 up

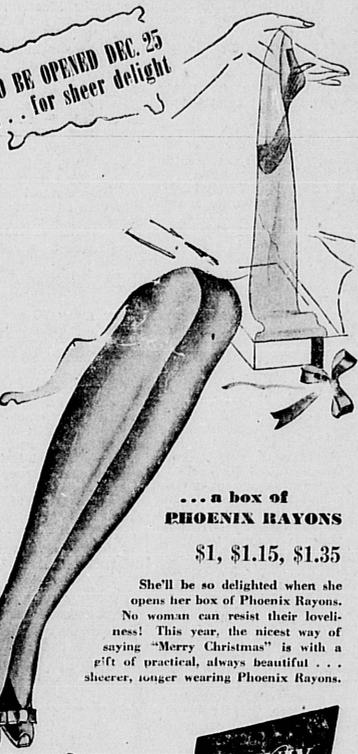
### RED GOOSE SHOES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Modern Youth Demands Good Leather Shoes . . for Health - for Long Wearing

**\$2.25 TO \$3.75** PAIR

SIZES: 5 to 8; 8 1/2 to 11; 11 1/2 to 2; 2 1/2 to 5

WIDTHS: AA; A; B; C; D



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 for sheer delight

... a box of PHOENIX HAYONS

\$1, \$1.15, \$1.35

She'll be so delighted when she opens her box of Phoenix Rayons. No woman can resist their loveliness! This year, the nicest way of saying "Merry Christmas" is with a gift of practical, always beautiful... sheerer, longer wearing Phoenix Rayons.

Be sure to give her two or three pairs. Rayons dry and cannot be altered.



### LUXITE ROBES

\$6.95 up

### LUXITE LINGERIE

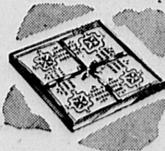
59c to \$2.95

### LUXITE SLIPS AND SHORTS

\$1.00 to \$3.00



BUTTERCUP Frocks (for Girls) ..... \$1.95 to \$5.95  
 KAYSER Lingerie ..... 59c to \$2.95  
 KAYSER Gloves ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50  
 HOLEPROOF Hosiery ..... \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.35  
 HENDAN Blouses ..... \$1.49 up  
 GOSSARD Foundation Garments ..... \$4.50 up  
 CATALINA Sweaters ..... \$2.98 to \$9.00  
 DORIS DODSON Dresses ..... \$7.95 to \$14.95  
 PARIS FASHION Footwear ..... \$3.95 to \$4.95  
 JOLENE Footwear ..... \$3.95 to \$4.95  
 JOLENE House Slippers ..... \$1.25 to \$2.45



### GIFT Handkerchiefs

An exceptionally large line of exquisite designs.

35c to \$1.25  
 Gift Boxed

## Social Security Board Not 'Lost Persons Bureau'

If your husband left home to find work in a defense plant, or if your brother who, when last heard from, was employed in the shipyards or an airplane factory and you have not heard from him for some time, don't write to the social security board for information regarding his whereabouts because they can't tell you, said J. G. Bretherton, manager of the Long Beach social security board field office. Bretherton explained that many people think the board can locate workers thru social security account numbers, which is not the case.

It was emphasized that regulations of the social security board, adopted in accordance with the act, do not permit the disclosure of information pertaining to the records of the board except in specific cases. Such cases must be for use only in connection with the administration of the old-age and survivors insurance program, unemployment compensation, and public assistance programs.

Social security account number cards are used in connection with the posting of wage credits to the account number holder and should not be accepted by banks or merchants as identification of individuals seeking to secure cash or merchandise on checks or orders, according to Bretherton.

At extreme depths a diver's blood vessels become saturated with nitrogen.

## LOW COST HOME PLAN OUTLINED BY SHIPBUILDER

A brand new three-room home completely furnished, and the price—just \$1600.

That's part of Henry J. Kaiser's far-seeing program of planning for the future so that post-war years will not find America in economic collapse with millions of unemployed.

War-time prosperity has brought a higher standard of living to millions of Americans, and these people cannot be allowed to drift back into their old way of life, the master shipbuilder said in an interview.

**Need Homes**  
 "We've got millions of new homes to build after the war. What kind of homes? What will they look like? How will they be built?"

"We've got to sit down and figure that out, and start doing it now."  
 Kaiser said he was working on plans for constructing for Mr. and Mrs. Post-War America a prefabricated steel house of three rooms, insulated with glass wool, fully furnished, and equipped with all sanitary and disposal facilities. The house

## Navy Mothers Elect Officers

The Little Hills Navy Mothers club elected Mrs. Marjorie Lovell commander recently. She will succeed Mrs. Anna Long.

Other officers selected were Mrs. Vita Paxton, first vice commander; Mrs. Sarah Steadman, second vice commander; Mrs. Merle Osborne, adjutant; Mrs. Pearl Sutherland, chaplain; Mrs. Agnes Fleck and Mrs. Vera Paige, color bearers; Mrs. Sarah Rowell and Mrs. Ola Dowell, stations-at-arms; Mrs. Mabel Sawyer, judge advocate, and Mrs. Edith Marriott, re-elected finance officer.

Installation is planned for January at a date to be chosen later.

All mothers of men in the Navy, Coast Guard and Marines are eligible, the Little Hills club serving Long Beach, Torrance, Keystone, Waverly and Harbor City.

## Christmas Dance By Guard Set For Friday

Six hours of continuous entertainment, from 9 p. m. to a. m., are scheduled by members of Company H (Torrance-Lomita's own) of the California State Guard when they hold their Christmas dance and show Friday night, Dec. 18, at the Torrance Moose hall, 1951 Carson st. The affair is planned as a benefit to replenish the Company's fund.

Swing shift workers from war plants will be welcome at the affair the Guardsmen inviting the workers to "come as you are and enjoy the fun." A five-piece orchestra has been engaged to provide music and the Guardsmen will present a program of skits especially written for the show. In addition, the Hollywood Victory Committee has been asked to send professional entertainers from the screen and stage to the entertainment.

Doak Aircraft Co., thru its vice president, Nelson Grace, has taken a large block of tickets for the dance and members of the Torrance S. W. O. C. Lodge No. 1414 are also supporting the affair. All men in Company H who are not on guard duty that night will attend in uniform to serve as informal hosts, according to Lieuts. Chalmers M. Dulmage and Robert Lewellen.

## Women Helping Build Church

Women of the church, working as carpenters, masons and plasterers, are finishing the rebuilding of the Foursquare church, Border ave. and El Prado and will have it ready for homecoming ceremonies set for early in January, according to the Rev. Ben Griffith, pastor.

When the church was almost demolished by the Nov. 14, 1941 earthquake the men of the congregation started a rebuilding program. But with men called to war or to defense work, a labor shortage developed that threatened failure of the building plans.

The women volunteered their help and directed by the pastor are completing the task. Among those who have given time and labor are Mrs. Frank J. Kinsey of 15905 Dalton ave., Gardena, and Mrs. Ella Gehr, also of Gardena.

## Townsend Club Activities

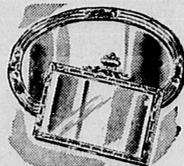
By BETH PAIGE  
 Tomorrow (Friday) evening we will have the usual social evening with dancing. Refreshments will be served. No meeting is scheduled for Dec. 25.

Students at the California College of Agriculture—those that are left, at least—will go to other campuses to finish their education after the first of the year.

The Davis campus, meantime, will be devoted entirely to the war effort, in training army signal corps enlistees and in carrying on research and field work vital to wartime agriculture.

## Agriculture Students Ousted at Davis As Army Takes Over

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