

**HOW ABOUT DESKS?**

How about a desk for Christmas? From Mom and Dad to the young students in the family, nearly everyone could use one. Ask accessories, too!

**BEAUTIFY BATH**

As gifts, accessories for the bath combine glamour and practicality and may be a nifty thing from towels to pole-and-shelf cabinets.

# Bethlehems found in several places

Several states, all over the United States, can boast of having their very own little town of Bethlehem.

In New England, for example, there's a place named Bethlehem in New Hampshire, and another in Connecticut.

Moving across country, Bethlehems are found in Pennsylvania, Maryland, Kentucky, Mississippi, Georgia, Indiana and Iowa.

People from nearby communities and neighboring states flock to Bethlehem, Conn., every Christmas to have their greeting card envelopes imprinted with a special seasonal message, then mailed from the town post office.

Last year, due to the demand, there were ten different greeting designs available for Christmas card senders.

Creche is Constructed

Also contributing to the holiday atmosphere in Connecticut's semi-official Christmas town, is the creche constructed by nuns at a nearby Benedictine monastery.

In the creche, which emphasizes the primitive simplicity



**WHAT A THRILL!** For Dad, that great indoor sportsman, to find a handsome new billiard table in the playroom as a gift he can share with the family.

## Pudding finale

By MARIE DILLON

For centuries, plum pudding has provided a flaming finale to the traditional Christmas feast. Early in the 18th century, English cooks used the following quaintly worded recipe in making their holiday dessert:

"Take a quarter of a Peck of Flour and dry it, three Pounds of Currans, wash'd and pick'd clean, set them before a Fire to dry a Pound of Raisins of the Sun, wash'd and stoned, a handful small, half a Pound of blanched Almonds, beat very fine with Rose-Water, a Pound of Butter melted with a Pint of Cream, but not put in hot, a Pint of Ale-Yeast, a Penny-worth of Saffron steep'd in a Pint of Sack, ten or twelve eggs, but half the Whites of them, a quarter of an ounce of Cloves and Mace, one large nutmeg grated, a few Curraway-Seed, Citron, Candied Orange and Lemon Peel sliced; you must make it thin, or there

must be more Butter and Cream; You may perfume it with Amber-greece 't'd in a Muslin Bag, and steep'd in the Sack all Night.

"If you ice it, take half a Pound of Double-refin'd Sugar sifted, then put some of the Sugar, and beat it up with the White of an Egg, and beat it with a Whisk, and a little Orange flower-water, but do not over-wet it, then throw in all Sugar by Degrees, then beat it all near an Hour; the Cake will take so long a baking; then draw it, and wait it over with a Brush, and put it in again for half a quarter of an Hour."



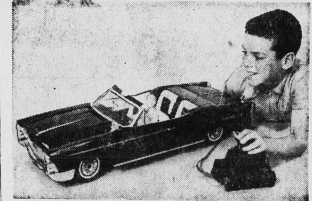
**LITTLE DIAMONDS** mean a lot in Christmas sentiment, and they enhance the look of every type of woman's jewellery. Here's an array of 14-karat jewellery that's 'peppered' with diamonds.

## Climate, feasting show differences

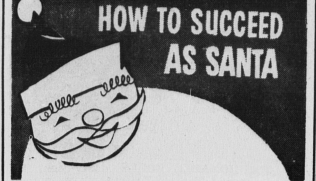
Some people enjoy a White Christmas, while some people go still prepare their traditional Yuletide foods with carp, while those from Italy might hanker for some Christmas caponini, made with fried eels.

Especially during a severe winter, residents of the Northern U.S. and Canada would be glad to change places, or at least change weather, with those Australians, South Americans and others who enjoy summer activities at Christmas.

On the other hand, North Americans have made their own contributions to Christmas around the world. For instance, there's Santa, white-bearded and red-suited, who is now replicated in St. Nicholas and other Yule



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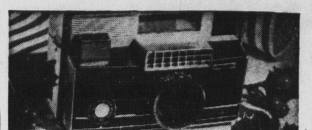
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