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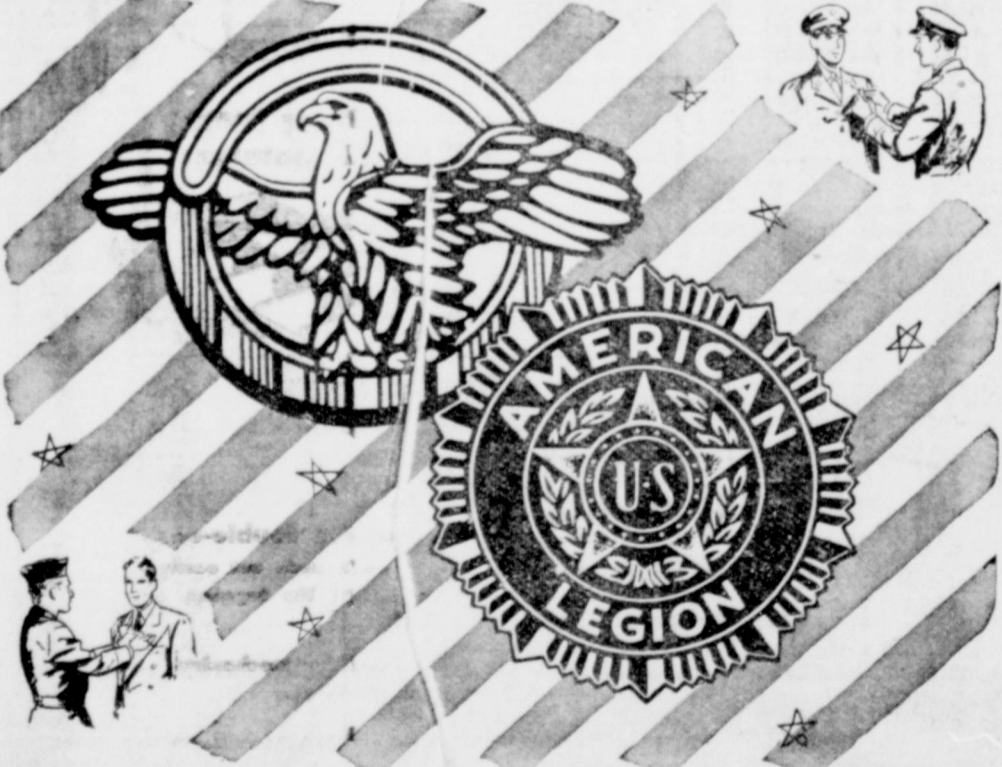
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### Defense Chief's Wife Never Talks Shop

By Elizabeth Toomey  
**NEW YORK, Dec. 26 (UP)**—The new director of defense mobilization never talks shop at home, his wife says, so "I don't even know our own plans for the future, and certainly nothing of what's in store for the country."  
Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, a friendly, grey-haired woman who believes a woman's biggest job is making a relaxing home for her husband, heard that her husband was going back to Washington in a whispered conversation during Sunday morning church services.

"I always go to Bible class and then my husband joins me at church," she recalled, sitting in the sun room of their 11-room, English style home in suburban Scarsdale, N. Y.

"Two weeks ago Mr. Wilson was a half an hour late for church, and I kept wondering if he'd had an accident with the car. But when he came in he whispered that President Truman had called him and asked him to take this job. That was the first I'd heard anything about it." She smiled calmly in spite of her own suddenly disrupted plans for the future.

Like many wives, Mrs. Wilson confessed she was afraid her husband was working too hard, even before he took on the job of mobilizing the nation's industry for war production.  
"The first thing I said to him was that I was sorry he wouldn't get his vacation. We'd planned to go to Florida for two or three weeks next month," she said.  
During the last war, when Wilson was vice chairman of the war

production board, the capital saw little of either the former corporation head or his wife. And it probably won't this time.  
"I stayed right here during the last war and Mr. Wilson came home on weekends," Mrs. Wilson said. "He felt it was relaxing to come here. I guess I didn't go to Washington more than three or four times all during the war. And I have no plans to move to Washington now."

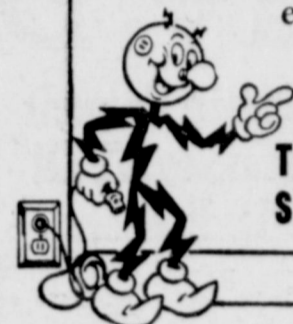
Neither of the Wilsons cares for social life. Both are active members of the Baptist church. "We've been married 43 years, and I'm used to seeing very little of my husband," Mrs. Wilson said. "He's always worked hard. When he comes home in the evenings he just likes to sit and relax. I never did talk business with him, even though he's been with General Electric for 51 years. I feel he gets enough of that at the office."

Their daughter, Margaret, who is a student at Syracuse University camp into the sun room to announce dinner.  
"I think it's an honor," Margaret said when she was asked her opinion of her father's appointment. "But I sort of hate it. We'll never see him now."  
The two of them showed off the newest addition to their home—an all electric kitchen "given to my husband on his 50th anniversary with the company." Mrs. Wilson flipped a switch beside the wide window over the sink and the draperies slid back silently, the

plate glass window rolled down and a copper window screen slid into the opening.  
"I think it's wonderful," Mrs. Wilson said admiringly, then added with a smile, "but I will admit that I only cook on Thursday nights and Sundays. And my husband has no favorite dish. I just fix what I have."

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GUY PARKER, Vice-President

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## Vets Urged To Check Up On GI Eligibility

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 26 (Spl.)—Veterans, eligible for educational benefits under the GI Bill of Rights, stand a good chance of losing those benefits, Taylor Wilkins, veterans advisor at Texas A&M College, warned today.

"Your attention is called to the fact," Wilkins points out, "that veterans who have not taken advantage of the educational benefits of the GI Bill of Rights (or who have interrupted their training) must be in training on July 25, 1951, or forfeit further rights" Wilkins said.

"This means that they must either be in college in the spring semester or quarter (summer vacations are not counted as an interruption of training) or enroll and attend classes in a summer session starting before July 25, 1951.

"A student," Wilkins says, "who is in college at the time he is called up for service as a member of the reserves, or otherwise called into military service, is not considered as having lost his rights to further educational benefits under the GI Bill provided he returns to training within a reasonable time after release from the armed service. However, a boy not in college at the time he is called does, under present laws and regulations, forfeit his World War II educational benefits.

"Consequently, it is suggested that all veterans desiring to utilize their GI educational benefits be advised that they must enroll in the spring semester or quarter (or summer session starting before July 25). Veterans expecting to be called into the military service as reservists, or desiring to volunteer, should not withdraw from college between terms, unless actually reporting for duty in that period.

"They should keep a clear record of having been enrolled in education or training at the time they were called for service," he said.

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## CCNY Dominated 1949-50 College Cage Teams

BY EARL WRIGHT  
UNITED PRESS SPORTS WRITER

NEW YORK, DEC. 26 (UP)—City College of New York, underrated, almost uninvited and without on athletic scholarship to bless itself, dominated 1949-1950 college basketball with an unprecedented sweep of both big post-season competitions—the National Invitation and NCAA tournaments.

CCNY was among the last to receive a bid to the Nit because it finished its regular campaign in a slump. The Beavers weren't even seeded in the Madison Square Garden tournament but won it by beating top-ranked Bradley, 69 to 61. The Nit showing brought them a bid to the NCAA and a chance to become the first team ever to win both titles in one season.

Coach Nat Holman's team promptly waded through the eastern regionals and beat Coach Fordy Anderson's Bradley Braves again in the NCAA finals, 71 to 68. In that game one of the sport's most pressure-packed contests, CCNY proved itself a true national champion.

Superly-conditioned Bradley trailed, 69 to 63, with 55 seconds remaining but refused to

admit defeat. Joe Stowell sank a free throw and Little Gene Melchiorre stole the ball twice and made two layup goals to cut City's lead to a single point with thirty seconds to go.

With CCNY's dreams fading and 18,000 Madison Square Garden fans screaming for release from the tension, Melchiorre dribbled in again for the goal that would have given Bradley a revenge victory and a share in the national title. But Irwin Dambrot, City's captain, came out of the tangle with the ball and threw a long pass to Norm Mager for the clinching basket.

CCNY beat San Francisco, 65 to 46; Kentucky, the Southeastern Conference King, 89 to 50; and Duquesne, 62 to 52, to reach the Nit finals. To qualify for their rematch with Bradley—the Missouri Valley titleholder—in the NCAA final, the

Braves beat Ohio State's Big Ten champions, 56 to 55, and North Carolina State, the Southern Conference champion, 78 to 73.

Besides Bradley, Kentucky, Ohio State and North Carolina State, the other major conference champions were: Big Seven—Kansas; Southwest conference—Baylor; Pacific Coast Conference—UCLA; Skyline Conference—Brigham Young; Rocky Mountain Conference—Montana State; and Border Conference—Arizona.

In the other tournament featuring teams from all over the country, Indiana State of Terre Haute, Ind., won the "Little Giant" crown by beating East Central (Okla.) State, 61 to 57, in the finals of the National Association of Intercollegiate basketball competition.

Southwest Conference basketball squads practice on their

home courts today in preparation for a busy schedule of tournament play that clears the decks for what is expected to be a regular dogfight within the conference.

No squad in the loop has emerged an overwhelming favorite as the result of early season play against outside and regional competition in which conference fives won 27 games and lost 31.

Baylor, Texas and Arkansas will try to give the section's prestige beginning tomorrow night.

Other teams in the tourney include Hank Iba's Oklahoma A&M Cowboys, Oklahoma City University, Tulsa, Vanderbilt and Alabama. In first round games, Baylor meets Oklahoma A&M, Arkansas plays Tulsa and Texas engages Vanderbilt. The Cotton Bowl cage tournament gets underway at Dallas

Thursday night, with pace-setting Texas Christian runner-up Southern Methodist trading shots with North Texas State. SMU and TCU trade opponents in the tourney Friday night.

In other games this week, Rice invades Nacogdoches for a Thursday night contest with S. F. Austin, Texas A&M takes on Trinity at San Antonio Friday night and Rice entertains S. F. Austin at Houston Saturday night.

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### Odell, Courtney Wedding Climaxes Holiday Celebration In Pipkin Home Christmas Day

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Vows were exchanged before the mantel in the spacious living-room, with only relatives and a few friends of the couple present.

Claud E. Smith, Church of Christ Minister of Weatherford, officiated.

Mrs. Pipkin was her sister's only attendant and Minor Davidson of Weatherford was best man. Mrs. Donald Kinnaid presented the wedding music.

Baskets of greenery and tall candelabras were arranged before the mantel which was decorated in the Christmas holiday motif.

Grady Pipkin escorted his sister-in-law to the altar.

Mrs. Courtney chose for her wedding an Edith Small original suit of navy morie taffeta, pink hat and gloves, with navy accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

Mrs. Pipkin was attired in a navy flulle suit with matching accessories and wore a pink camelia corsage.

A reception followed the ceremony and was also held in the home. The bride's table was laid with an imported lace cloth and was decorated with a holiday arrangement of gold, silver, and white, flanked by brass candelabra holding white tapers.

Silver appointments were used with Mrs. Raymond Pipkin presiding at the coffee service. Mrs. James Pipkin served the two tiered white wedding cake, which was topped with a miniature bridal couple, and Mrs. J. B. Courtney served the fruit cake, nuts and Christmas candies, and was assisted by Mmes. Harry Wilson, sister of the bride, Ollus Baxter, Bruce Pipkin, and Harold Courtney.

Out of town guests and others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Courtney and son Jimmy of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Minor Davidson of Weatherford and their daughter, Mrs. Ernie Gist and Mr. Gist of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. James Pipkin and children, Jimmy and Jean of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pipkin and children, John, Velma

Lacey, and Marvin Grady of San Angelo, Mrs. Harry Wilson of Compton, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ollus Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Childress and son Danny of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Childress and sons, Bobby and Scott of Cuba, N. M., Hiram Childress of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Thompson of Handley, Mrs. Hazel of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Courtney and the host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin.

Mrs. Courtney is an accomplished musician, having studied with Dr. Lewis Versal of Kid Key College, formerly at Sherman, where she received a degree, and later attended the Chicago Conservatory of Music. She was organist at the Methodist Church in Hillsboro for several years and was organist at the Munger Place Methodist Church in Dallas for four years before moving to Irving two years ago.

Mr. Courtney is a prominent Eastland business man. He is presently engaged in the ranching and oil business here, and has retained his Theatre interests in Mineral Wells. The couple plan to make their home here.

For her wedding trip Mrs. Courtney was wearing an aqua colored wool suit, with a smart shiny black straw hat and patent accessories, and an orchid corsage.

City Gets Its Time By Artillery

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia (UP)—In a world of guns fired in anger, it's a reassuring note that one artillery piece booms just to pass the time of day.

From the historic Halifax citadel, a fortress built 200 years ago to guard against French and American attacks which never came, a 25-pounder daily marks the stroke of noon.

The man who sets the city timepiece on the dot of 12 is 26-year-old John O'Connor.

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## Woman's Page

MRS. DON PARKER, Editor  
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Stewart Granger, the British actor who went to Africa, among other reasons, with the hope of bagging a lion, is back in Hollywood—without the lion. But he's not complaining. He is happy to be back at all. He very nearly didn't make the round trip. Reason: one buffalo. Granger admits to two primary interests, making motion pictures and hunting big game. When he was given the opportunity to combine the two with a five-months location trip through Equatorial Africa for "King Solomon's Mines," MGM's Technicolor adventure drama now at the Palace Theatre, Cisco, Texas, he jumped at the chance. Africa cast its spell on him. But a big buffalo he had designs on killing did more than that. He threw the book at Granger!

### Mrs. Sayre Hosts Christmas Dinner For Gleaner's

Mrs. Frank Sayre was hostess Thursday at noon to members of the Gleaner's Class of the First Baptist Church for their annual Christmas luncheon.

Co-hostesses were Mmes. E. L. Middleton, Milton Fullen, W. H. Upchurch, Guy Quinn, Jr., Dee Burleson, and Miss Aliene Williams.

The meal was served buffet style from a table laid with a lace cloth over red damask forming a background for the reflector filled with Christmas greenery, surrounding red candles.

Guests were seated in groups of four at game tables, finding their places, marked with handpainted place cards. Centering the tables were Santa Claus candles.

Thirty-two guests attended and gifts were exchanged from the beautifully decorated tree.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Parsons and sons, Gene and Jimmy of Tampa, Fla., are the guests here in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Sayre and family.

### VFW To Hold Christmas Party

The Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold their annual Christmas party at the VFW Home, one and one half miles east of Eastland on highway 80, at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

One member of the club will be awarded a made-to-measure suit of clothes at the party.

A free chicken barbecue with all the trimmings will be served.

The post has just completed about \$2,000 worth of improvements giving more floor space and conveniences. All foreign service veterans whether members are not are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Parker are spending the Christmas holidays in Comanche with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Durham and family.

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### Personals

Judge and Mrs. Robert A. Hall were the holiday guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carney had as their house guests over the Christmas holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carney and children, Gloria and Mae from Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carney and children, Charles and Elaine from Lovington, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Paschal and son, Edgar, Jr., from Arlington and Mrs. Ernie Edmondson from Richland Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Carney will accompany their son, Howard to New Mexico for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crowley are leaving this week for Post, Texas where they will make their home. They have two children. They have sold their home here to C. U. Norton of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Chambliss and children, Jimmy and Judy, spent Christmas day in Hamilton with relatives.

Samie Newt Pederson of Hamilton accompanied the Chambliss family home and will be the guest of Jimmy this week.

Holiday guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Harrell were all their children, who are Mrs. Herman Foust, and Mr. Fou-

st, of Turnersville, Mrs. B. S. Dudley, Jr., of Ranger Orvel Harrell, Mrs. Harrell and daughter, Elaine of Fort Worth, Cpl. Travis Harrell of Lackland Air Base, and Mrs. Billy Walters, Mr. Walters and Gayla of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herring of Colorado City were business visitors here today.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. (Johnny) Hart were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Summerlin and Connie and Miss Johnnie Lou Hart of Ft. Worth.

Holiday guests here in the home of Mrs. Ita Parrish were her brother, Creed Ross, Mrs. Ross and daughter, Norma June of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Parrish of Fort Worth, who also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker.

Gene Young, cadet in the U. S. Air Force, stationed at Sherman Field, is the guest here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and children, Kay and Mike were the holiday guests here in the home of Mrs. Davis's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Maynard.

Mrs. F. F. Roberson and Sonny spent the holiday week end in Bowie with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Herridge and family.

**MAJESTIC**  
AN INTERSTATE THEATRE  
Tuesday & Wednesday

FAVORITE OF MILLIONS  
**Vaughn Monroe**  
GREATER THAN EVER!  
ELLA RAINES  
BRENNAN  
WARD BOND

Max BRAND'S Novel  
**SINGING GUNS**  
in Technicolor

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid of Borer spent the holidays here with Mr. Reid's mother and sister, Mrs. Ethel Reid and Mrs. C. G. Uffleman, and Mr. Uffleman. Their son and brother, James L. Reid, who is stationed at Camp Joseph H. Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif., is expected home Friday for a visit.

Other holiday guests in the Uffleman home on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Con Collins and son, Mickey of Cisco.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

**Palace Theatre**  
Phone 300—Open 3:45  
THREE BIG DAYS  
Admission 50c & 25c—No Passes  
WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY - FRIDAY, DEC. 27-28-29  
Cisco, Texas

EYES HAVE NEVER BEHELD ITS EQUAL!

Forbidden love of a Jungle Goddess!

3 YEARS IN THE MAKING!  
M-G-M'S  
**KING SOLOMON'S MINES**  
starring DEBORAH KERR  
STEWART GRANGER  
with RICHARD CARLSON  
Technicolor

SEE! THOUSANDS OF WILY ANIMALS IN FRENCH STAMPEDES! ONE OF THE MOST STARTLING SCENES EVER FILMED!

Screen Play by HELEN DEUTSCH Based on the Novel by H. RIDER HAGGARD  
Directed by COMPTON BENNETT and ANDREW MARTON  
Produced by SAM ZIMBALIST • A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

**CITY GETS ITS TIME BY ARTILLERY**

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia (UP)—In a world of guns fired in anger, it's a reassuring note that one artillery piece booms just to pass the time of day.

From the historic Halifax citadel, a fortress built 200 years ago to guard against French and American attacks which never came, a 25-pounder daily marks the stroke of noon.

The man who sets the city timepiece on the dot of 12 is 26-year-old John O'Connor.

After carefully priming it with a wad intended for an arm wave possible, he waits for an arm wave from the wireless station where the exact time is picked up from Washington.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

"Dollar For Dollar" You Can't Beat A Pontiac Muirhead Motor Co., Eastland

SECOND HAND BARGAINS We Buy, Sell and Trade Mrs. Margie Craig 208 W. Commerce

**Mrs. Sayre Hosts Christmas Dinner For Gleaner's**

Mrs. Frank Sayre was hostess Thursday at noon to members of the Gleaner's Class of the First Baptist Church for their annual Christmas luncheon.

Co-hostesses were Mmes. E. L. Middleton, Milton Fullen, W. H. Upchurch, Guy Quinn, Jr., Dee Burleson, and Miss Aliene Williams.

The meal was served buffet style from a table laid with a lace cloth over red damask forming a background for the reflector filled with Christmas greenery, surrounding red candles.

Guests were seated in groups of four at game tables, finding their places, marked with handpainted place cards. Centering the tables were Santa Claus candles.

Thirty-two guests attended and gifts were exchanged from the beautifully decorated tree.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Parsons and sons, Gene and Jimmy of Tampa, Fla., are the guests here in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Sayre and family.

**VFW To Hold Christmas Party**

The Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold their annual Christmas party at the VFW Home, one and one half miles east of Eastland on highway 80, at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

One member of the club will be awarded a made-to-measure suit of clothes at the party.

A free chicken barbecue with all the trimmings will be served.

The post has just completed about \$2,000 worth of improvements giving more floor space and conveniences. All foreign service veterans whether members are not are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Parker are spending the Christmas holidays in Comanche with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Durham and family.

**Joy Drive-In**  
Cisco - Eastland Highway  
3 BIG DAYS  
December 24-25-26  
Sun. - Mon. - Tues.  
ROCKET SHIP XM  
with Floyd Bridges plus  
BUD ABBOTT-LOU COSTELLO  
THE NAUGHTY NINETIES  
with Alan Curtis - Lois Collier  
Also News and Cartoon

**Dixie Drive-In**  
Eastland - Ranger Highway  
Monday & Tuesday  
December 25-26  
CHEAPER DOZEN  
CLIFTON WEBB  
JEANNE CRAIN  
MORNA LOY  
with Edgar Buchanan

**"BE WISE... SHOP 'N SAVE EARLY IN THE WEEK!"**

EVERY WEDNESDAY IS  
**DOUBLE GREEN STAMP DAY**  
WITH \$3.00 PURCHASE OR MORE AT YOUR  
**PIGGLY WIGGLY STORE**

<b>PUREX</b>	QUART .....	<b>15c</b>
<b>FAB</b>	LARGE BOX .....	<b>25c</b>
<b>HADACOL</b>	1.25 VALUE .....	<b>89c</b>
<b>HADACOL</b>	3.50 VALUE .....	<b>2.98</b>

VEGETABLES		CHOICE MEATS	
<b>CARROTS</b> 2 bunches	<b>25c</b>	<b>PORK ROAST</b> lb.....	<b>49c</b>
<b>RED POTATOES</b> 5 lbs.	<b>25c</b>	<b>NICE LEAN PORK CHOPS</b> lb.	<b>59c</b>
<b>TEXAS ORANGES</b> 3 lbs.	<b>25c</b>	<b>ARMOUR STAR SAUSAGE</b> lb. roll	<b>45c</b>
<b>LETTUCE</b> Firm head	<b>17c</b>	<b>SLICED BACON</b> lb.....	<b>49c</b>

**"YOUR KEY TO THRIFT!"**  
**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

**COTTON HOME FROCKS EVENTS**

**HOUSE FROCKS**  
Wash Fast  
80 Sq. Spring Colors  
Sizes 12 to 44  
**\$1.98**

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ONE GROUP  
**\$2.98**  
ONE GROUP  
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Sizes 7 to 14  
**\$1.98**

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A BUTLER BROTHERS STORE