How to keep thieves from spoiling your Christmas

NEW YORK (UPI) — It's better to take than to give, say the burglars of the land at Christmas shopping time.

If you're not careful some of those presents you tote in a shopping bag may wind up under someone else's tree — the burglar's.

The thieves lift from shopping bags in department stores, at bus stops, on buses.

Pickpockets find the hecages from stores picks up. People grow accustomed to seeing unfamiliar faces.

With all the crowding, bumping and pushing that goes on in stores one hardly notices when the thieves help themselves with a touch that's lighter than elves'.

The professional sneaks also are attracted to homes during this merry season. December is the favorite month of burglars, as any experienced detective on a burglary detail can testify.

"So you've got to take extra precautions on the home front, too.

What attracts them: The homes loaded with gifts. What helps them:

The added hours of darkness, made to order for a thief. What else aids them.

"The increased numbers of strangers in neighborhoods as deliveries of packtic shopping daze engulfing many shoppers much to their delight, too.

There are many ways to thwart a would-be burglar or pickpocket, according to Stephen Janco, of NCA/insurance in Chicago. Some of his recommendations:

Carry a purse that's hard to open. A bag with one handle and a snap clasp is a cinch for a pickpocket, particularly when it's slung over someone's elbow and arms are full of view-blocking bundles.

More theft-proof are purses with tricky clasps and two handles, one on each side.

Before starting out, make a list of all your credit cards and their account numbers.

Keep it in a safe place, not your purse.

That way, if your purse is lifted, you'll be able to report the thefts speedily, and accurately to those who have issued you charge cards.

Never put your purse inside a shopping bag. This is an open invitation to both professional thieves and amateur kleptomaniacs.

With shopping bags, limit what you carry.

The more overloaded the bag, the more likely a loss, either by theft or broken bag.

Also, the more you carry, the less able you will be to keep track of everything. Your shopping will be more theft-proof if you have some packages sent to your home.

Tips for burglar-proofing your home include:

Make sure all doors, especially those leading into the house from enclosed patios, are well lighted after dark.

Leave lights on inside when leaving home.

Lock all windows and doors.

Lock the garage door, too.

Also, don't close draperies completely. The closed drapes make a good screen for a burglar's activities.

Christmas shopping time is a good time to take your house keys off the key ring with the car keys. Then, when you put your car in a parking lot that requires you to leave the car keys, you can be sure no one will take an impression of your house keys. Some burglars harvest same from paking lots.

Mrs. Mebane, Mr. Carpenter cited here

Mrs. Charlotte Mebane, Coordinator, and Harry Carpenter, Assistant Coordinator, of Project Go of the Baltimore City Public Schools were presented plaques of commendation by the National Alliance of Businessmen during the "Living Witness" Assembly of Project G.O At Garrison Junior High School last week.

Mrs. Mebane has worked for six years with this project of the Division of Guidance and Placement and Mr. Carpenter joined her a year ago.

The plaques read "The National Alliance of Businessmen honors (name) for Excellent achievement at Coordinator of Youth Motivation Task Force Program for school year ending June, 1971. Presenting the plaques was Paul Holmes, Director of National Alliance of Businessmen, Washington.

Coordinating the "Living Wisness phase of the project was Napoleon Head, of Westinhouse Corp.

Project "GO" presents "Growing Opportunities" for jobs after high school graduation in various businesses, industries, governmental agencies, hospitals and college. Thirteen junior high schools take part in a series of monthly activities: Kick-Off Assembly, Industry Presentation, Living Witness Assembly, Tours to Business, Apprenticeship Assembly, Job Clinic, Hospital Tour and Assembly, and College film and Representatives.

Coppin State Christmas fete is Dec. 16

The Coppin State College Annual Christmas Festival will make Santa and his helpers sing with joy this year.

The sixty-voice choir directed by Henry N. Freeman, and the Coppin Dancers directed by Jerlyne A. Manuel, have prepared traditional, and seasonal melodies with choreagraph that reveal the spirit of Christmas.

This "dynamic duo" will perform Thursday, Dec. 16, in the Pullen Gymnasium, at 8 p.m., with orchestrations provided by Ruffie London, director of the Coppin Instrumental Ensemble.

Vocalist featured are: Soprano-Sandra Lawson; Tenor-Marlowe Garnes; and Bass-Bernard Bragg; accompanied by Charles Austin, Jr. and Maurice Murphy.

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Classes will be held at the Mt. Royal Recreation Salion Center, 120 West Misher Street on Fridays from 1-3 p.m. starting Jan.28 There is no charge for tuition or materials.

For further information and registration forms call or write: Mrs. Selma Gross, Supervisor-Senior Citizens, Bureau ofRecreation, 1129 North Calvert Street, 685-5826.

Opera Star sees Sweden as simple, human, Christian

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN — Atlanta-born, black operatic singer, Mattiwilda Dobbs describes Sweden as "a cradle of humanitarianism". Miss Dobbs has only the highest praise for the tiny, progressive country of eight million people that she now calls "home."

I spent two hours with Miss Dobbs discussing her career as one of the world's great opera stars, and her life as one of the few blacks living in Sweden.

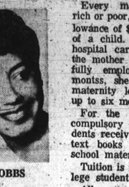
Seated in the living room of her lavishly furnished apartment, Miss Dobbs exclaimed with a rush of exuberance: "oh, I think Sweden is one of the best countries in the entire world, not only because of its high standard of living or material gains, but because of its people."

Miss Dobbs, who is married to a Swede, describes Swedes as "a very honest people". She spoke enthusiastically about the country and its treatment of her.

"I have been asked if I have run across any prejudice in Sweden, but I must say honestly that I have not. In their hearts, Swedes try to do what's right.

"They are concerned about whole groups of people. Some people feel that in their man-to-man relation, Swedes are cold and reserved. But they have a deep social consciousness, which is natural and real. They care about other people — especially the poor, the oppressed, the have-nots.

The Welfare State of that country ensures that "all citizens are entitled to the basic necessities for a wholesome and fulfilling life."



MISS DOBBS

The State provides for equal benefits to all Swedes — "from the womb to the tomb":

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Tuition is free for all college students;

All youth up to the age of 19 receive free dental care;

Hospital and medical services are generally free;

If either parent dies, each child is entitled to an annual pension;

The State provides pensions and housing for the elderly. The Welfare State provides for a redistribution of wealth through higher taxes.

"Another admirable trait about Swedes is their basic honesty," she remarked.

"This does not allow for any type of hypocrisy. Unfornately through this honesty, Swedish people have come into bad light. One aspect of this is their openness and honesty about sex.

"Sweden is no more sexually permissive than the United States or any other country. The attitudes of the Swedes toward sex are not based on a puritan ethic, but on pragmatic honesty, that sex is natural and a normal part of life."

Sex education is taught in all Swedish schools beginning at the first grade.

Miss Dobbs rose to stardom and gained world recognition as one of the first blacks to sing at the Metropolitan Opera House after making a triumphal debut in 1956 in the role of Gilda in "Rigoletto", she returned subsequent seasons amid wild acclaim.

Although she sings throughout the world, she expressed regret that she has never sung in Africa.

"I am very curious about Africa. I would love to go there," she said.

Meanwhile, Miss Dobbs considers Swedent the pivotal point of her life. "I like it here very much. I admire the country, because of the idea that the stronger section of the country should help the weaker. It has nothing to do With politics. It's just a simple, human, Christian idea."

Interfaith Council names new director

The Rev. Hugh Dickinson, 37, Rector of Christ (Episcopal) Church at St. Paul and Chase Streets, has been named Executive Director of the Interfaith Council of Metropolitan Baltimore. He will begin this new assignment, in addition to his Parish work, on Jan 1, 1972.

The Rev. Mr. Dickinson is a native of Wilmington, Del.

His current Parish, Christ Church, is a member of the Central Churches Association, an Interfaith cooperative comprising 12 downtown congregations.

He is married to the former Sandra Craig, and their family includes three children. The Dickinsons live in the Christ Church neighborhood, at 1208 St. Paul Street.

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