

Of Interest to Women



Hello Homemakers! This is surely the bride's month for already we have been "showered" with questions relating to weddings, gifts for the bride and the newlyweds' purchases for the home.

In answer to these requests we have a few gift suggestions: Do avoid selecting something that only pleases the eye or excites interest. It is better to choose with the thought of the household for which the gift is intended, keeping in mind the personal taste of the bride. The couple who enjoy gardening would surely appreciate quite different gifts than the newlyweds who dote on entertaining. And when the dovecot is a one room apartment, gifts which will make it comfortable would be out of place in a suburban home.

A good tray is a gift for every home. The couple whose forte is hospitality would embrace cover modern glass and wooden buffet pieces. Cups and saucers are both attractive and acceptable. Pictures require the bride's approval because they involve personal taste. To such an extent, there is no more practical gift than a good cook book filled with tested, Canadian recipes or a filing cabinet with cards of friends' tested recipes or an idea for the shower program.

When planning a kitchen shower be sure the following gadgets are among the gifts: a durable rotary egg beater, a three-way sifter, standard measuring cups, a measuring spoon set, an egg lifter, a rolling pin, butcher knife, bread knife, 2 peeling knives, knife holder, knife sharpener, bread board, dish cloth and dish towels. The extras may be purchased later as the new homemaker finds places and uses for them. By all means, be sure the bride has a pressure cooker.

If possible, discuss with the bride's friends the purchase of large items. Two saucepans and a large four-quart kettle belong in the basic equipment for cooking. Two cookie sheets and a shallow bake dish will find many uses in the new kitchen while two sturdy double-bollers and a heavy skillet are a necessity. Casserole dishes and custard cups of oven-proof glass are invaluable.

A pantry "shower" is a boon to the beginner cook and is a pleasant way for a small group to entertain. Guests may bring bottles of spices, extracts, jellies, pickles, canister sets and refrigerator jars.

An array of textile gifts will always be welcome—sheets, cases, table cloths, bath towels, hand towels, tray cloths and dollies. There is much interest in the attractive paper towels and serviettes, also the smart plastic mats and tray covers. Glass holders for sauces to insert in the top of the pudding servings, laminated book covers which protect the pages as you read, colored mirror trays, handmade clay or pottery flower vases and incandescent lamps are all new and attractive.

CHICKEN AND MUSHROOM PATTIES

Make as many pastry shells as you will need from your favorite pie-crust recipe—3 cups flour, 1 cup of shortening, 6 tbsps. water, ½ tsp. salt for 24 shells and tops. Use smart tart tins and bake shells the day before. Heat filling when you're ready and put into shells at last minute.

FILLING: Take meat off bones of a cooked chicken. Cut it into small pieces. Peel and cut fine 1 pound of fresh mushrooms and saute in butter. Scald 1 cup cream, 1½ cups milk and 1 cup chicken broth in a double boiler. Thicken with 6 tbsps. of flour blended with 4 tbsps. butter. Cook, stirring constantly until as thick as heavy cream and just as smooth. Add the chicken and mushrooms; season with salt, pepper, paprika, and cook a few minutes longer. Put wishbone-shaped pieces of cooked pastry on top for an attractive finish. Yield 20 to 24.

THE QUESTION BOX

R. W. and T. M. want to know factors to consider when purchasing an electric range.

Answer: 1. Buy from a reliable manufacturer and dealer to be assured of quality construction.

2. Read guarantee carefully so that you will know the different parts guaranteed and the length of guarantee.

3. Design and size of range should be suitable for the particular kitchen. Consider available space in kitchen.

and the arrangement of cabinets to make an efficient cooking area. The range should be in close proximity to food preparation and serving centres.

4. Consider first the basic equipment which comes with the range. Then acquire extras which will aid in cooking food efficiently. Some extras are: automatic timer, clock, lamp and outlets for small appliances.

5. If you use many different sized oven pans, consider if there is sufficient shelving in the oven.

6. Do you want a deep well cooker or a pressure cooker. Does the homemaker use new methods or does she always stick to her experienced products and procedure? If a cooker is used the food will be better because the time of cooking has been shortened.

The task of democratic government is not to govern but to inspire people to govern themselves.

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

In the Estate of SAMUEL HYSLOP McCRON.

All persons having claims against the Estate of SAMUEL HYSLOP McCRON, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Plumber, deceased, who died on or about the Twenty-first day of October, 1946, are requested to file proof of same with the undersigned solicitor, or the Administrator of his estate, on or before the Fourteenth day of June, 1947, after which date the estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims then filed.

Dated at Acton, this twenty-eighth day of May, 1947.

C. F. LEATHERLAND, Acton, Ontario
Solicitor for James Mitchell, 5 Nottawa Avenue, Algonquin Island, TORONTO, Ontario
Administrator

Better Care Makes Beautiful Hair

Kendrick's Hairdressing

FOR APPOINTMENTS
PHONE 274—ACTON

MACHINE MACHINELESS COLD WAVE

PERMANENTS

Priced to Suit Your Pocketbook
Solutions Blended to Suit Your Hair
COURTEOUS AND EXPERIENCED SERVICE
We Invite Your Patronage

FINE FURNITURE AT GREAT SAVINGS

featuring Chesterfield Suites and Other Articles for This Week



ONE ONLY
12 PIECE LIVING ROOM SET
INCLUDING 3 PIECE CHESTERFIELD, END TABLE, SMOKER, COFFEE TABLE, LAMP, SHADE, 2 CUSHIONS, 1 PAIR BOOK ENDS
Regular \$239.50, to clear **\$189.00**

ONE ONLY
3 PIECE CHESTERFIELD
In a beautiful rep in blue and wine covering, strong and sturdy, lovely show wood on head and arms.
Regular \$209.00, to go at **\$179.50**

ONE ONLY
3-PIECE SET
In a lovely velour covering, chair in blue, chesterfield and one chair wine. Built on a heavy frame in the newest design. Plenty of coil springs for comfort.
Regular \$259.50, to clear at **\$224.50**

ONE ONLY
3 PIECE SET
In blue and wine velour covering with pleated back, the newest design. This is indeed a beautiful set. Come in and see it. Picture it in your home.
Regular \$325.50, special **\$289.50**

Extra special
A GROUP OF BOUDOIR LAMPS
With lovely shades.
Reg. \$1.95, special **\$3.49**

WASTE PAPER BASKETS
Metal with lovely decorations, painted by hand.
Priced to clear at **99c**

BATH ROOM HAMPERS
Assorted colors made to fit in corner snugly. Juts the thing to keep your bathroom tidy.
Reg. 9.95, while they last **\$7.45**

TWO ONLY
CHESTERBEDS
A bed at night and a beautiful chesterfield in day time in long wearing rep. going at **\$88.50**

INNER SPRING MATTRESSES
A large range of prices to choose from. Sizes 3'3", 4', 4'6"
\$27.95 to \$32.50

A FEW STUDIO COUCHES
In assorted colors, just the thing for that empty space. To clear from **\$59.50 to \$83.50**

BEDS AND SPRINGS
In all sizes **\$11.95 to \$17.50**

BEDROOM CHAIRS
A large assortment in assorted colors and sizes. A comfort in every bedroom, from **\$9.50 to \$22.95**

EXTRA SPECIAL
Two Only
COFFEE TABLES
In-plate glass. Just the thing to brighten up your room. Reg. \$33.50, to clear **\$14.95**

A lovely assortment of
CHENILLE BEDSPREADS
In a large range of colors, full size, each **\$10.50**

A few only
CHENILLE AND COTTON BEDSPREADS
Assorted colors, full size, reg. \$14.95, to clear at **\$8.50**
Don't miss this bargain

Other Articles

Curtains made up and Material by the yard, Overdrapes ready to hang and by the yard, Comforters, Blankets, Mats of all kinds, Hassocks, etc., etc.

DRY CLEANING

For Prompt Weekly Service on all Your Dry Cleaning

Also storage of all winter garments

PUT CARD IN WINDOW EACH MONDAY OR

PHONE 103, ACTON

Master Dry Cleaners
JOE WOODS

DURO

SOFTENED WATER is a Necessity in every HOME

Duro Water Softeners Available Now!

Because hard water is a needless expense... when you can so easily have all the advantages and conveniences of softened water with a budget-fitting DURO installation.

In laundries, kitchens and bathrooms, of thousands of Canadian homes, DURO softened water has saved many thousands of dollars in soap, clothing, maintenance and fuel cost. Your whole family will get more pleasure and good from DURO softened water.

Glorious Suds

DURO softened water saves over 75% on soap, yet gives richer, thicker suds; prevents greasy film on china, glass, silver and on the sinks and working surfaces of your kitchen.

DURO water softeners are "Made-in-Canada" from the finest materials obtainable, giving high quality performance with long trouble-free service.

PRICED AS LOW AS \$64.00 F.O.B. LONDON, CANADA

See your local Plumbing Contractor today... it is easy for you to enjoy DURO softened water in your home.

PUMPS AND SOFTENERS LIMITED
LONDON ONTARIO

Johnstone & Rumley

Home Furnishings

Phone 30j Phone 30j