

Of Interest to Women

ADS IN TAXIS

There soon won't be any privacy left for taxi riders if a New York test proves successful. A firm in that city, reports the Financial Post, is testing a new advertising device in taxicabs of an outside town. "Tell-a-Tale" machine is installed directly over back of driver's seat. Advertising messages of about 60 letter spaces each move across a lighted panel whenever the cab motor or meter is running.

A few weeks ago in northern India, aborigines fought armed police with bows and arrows.



simple ingredients, combined with a peck of ingenuity and a bit of patience and you have the requisites for an appetizing meal at low cost. Lacking the "peck of ingenuity," you might find help in The Mixing Bowl columns, which are designed to eliminate some of your worry in planning economical dinners.

The current price of meat limits our suggestions for the main course. Many cuts of beef and pork have gone sky high in price—hence the emphasis on economical meat dishes.

In to-day's budget dinner we present a Southern Beef Roll—as delicious as it sounds. It is a flexible recipe, suitable for both fresh ground meat or leftover meat such as the odds and ends of a pot roast. Ordinarily the beef roll would be served with gravy but it is especially good with tomato sauce. We also suggest you try scalloped tomato-and-cabbage instead of gravy. The scallop can be placed right on the dinner plate between the slice of beef roll and mound of creamy mashed potatoes. The juiciness will blend with both the meat and potatoes, cutting down the need for butter and meat sauce.

Spanish cream is one of these delicate, wholesome desserts each member of the family from junior to grandad can enjoy. Some folks like it as well as ice cream, which is plenty!

NUTRI-THRIF MENU

Southern Beef Roll
Creamy Mashed Potatoes
Scalloped Tomatoes and Cabbage
Molasses Cookies and Beverage
Carrot and Raisin Salad

SOUTHERN BEEF ROLL

2 lbs. beef dripping, 1 pound minced chuck or beef steak, 2 tbsps. flour, 2 tbsps. minced onion, 2 tbsps. chili sauce, 1 1/2 cups water, 1 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. chili powder, 1/4 tsp. pepper.

Brown meat, flour and onions in melted dripping. Add chili sauce and water and simmer 10 minutes. Add seasonings and cool partially. Prepare biscuit dough: Sift 2

cups bread flour, 3 tps. baking powder, 1/4 tsp. salt into a mixing bowl. Measure 4 tbsps. shortening and add to dry ingredients. Blend together until mixture is mealy, add 3/4 cup milk and stir only until soft dough is formed. Turn out on floured board and pat into rectangle about 1/2 inch thick. Spread with beef filling and roll like jelly roll. Place on baking sheet. Bake 30 minutes in electric oven at 350 degrees.

SCALLOPED TOMATOES AND CABBAGES

1 can tomatoes, 2 cups of shredded cabbage, 1 tsp. sugar, 1/4 tsp. salt, 2 tbsps. flour, 1/2 cup fine bread crumbs. Drain off 1/4 cup juice from tomatoes. Heat the remainder to boiling point. Add cabbage, sugar and salt; simmer 10 minutes. Blend flour with 1/4 cup cold tomato juice and add gradually to hot then pour into greased casserole and top with crumbs. Bake at 400 degrees for 10 minutes. Six servings.

SPANISH CREAM

1. Sprinkle 1 tsp. (1 envelope) unflavored gelatine over 1/4 cup milk.

2. Scald 1 1/2 cups milk, add 2 tbsps. sugar and 1/4 cup raspberry juice; pour the hot liquid over 2 slightly beaten egg yolks.

4. Add gelatine, remove from fire and add 1/4 tsp. salt.

Chill in refrigerator until mixture begins to thicken. Fold in 2 egg whites beaten stiff but not dry. Pour into mould rinsed with cold water. Chill until firm, unmould and serve with top milk. Serves 6.

MOLASSES COOKIES

1/2 cup shortening, 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup molasses, 1 egg, 1/2 cup sour cream, 1 1/2 tps. soda, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. ginger, 1/2 tsp. cinnamon, flour.

Cream shortening and sugar together. Add the molasses, well-beaten egg, and the sour cream stirred. Add the salt and spices and enough flour to make a very soft dough. Chill the dough so that it can be handled more easily. Roll to one-fourth inch in thickness, and cut with a cookie cutter. Bake in a moderate oven for about 10 minutes.

THE SUGGESTION BOX

Mrs. J. A. C. says: Soap lasts longer if it is well dried out. When you bring home a new supply of soap, unwrap and pile loosely in a dry place.

Mrs. M. D. says: Odds and ends of wood from a lumber mill, sand-papered and painted or pasted with "decals" make delightful blocks for children.

Mrs. S. R. says: Never put meringue on hot pie filling. It will form syrup between filling and meringue and "skid." Spread meringue on pie from edge to middle—anchoring to crust on edge.

Do not grease a pie pan. Pie will slip out more readily if you dust with flour. A good pie crust always greases its own pan.

Mrs. D. Mc says: This is the time of year to get a few things fixed at the house. I have just had a drop-leaf shelf put in my small kitchen. It can be let down when not needed.

Mrs. J. D. says: I keep a rubber covered draining rack hung on a cupboard door to use for storing lids, cookie sheets and jelly roll pan.

DON'T LET YOUR WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES INVESTMENT SLIP AWAY

Use the proceeds of your War Savings Certificates to help you toward the things you want most—and to help you meet tomorrow's opportunities and emergencies. That's what far-sighted folk are doing with their Certificate money.

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Why not drop your Certificates in at your B of M branch tomorrow? William Clayton, local manager, says he will be glad to open a special account for this purpose for anyone who hasn't already a B of M savings account.

COAL EXPORT

A quick start has been made with Britain's coal export drive for 1948. 26,000 tons of anthracite have been unloaded at Newfoundland—the first shipment to arrive there for 18 months. From Wellington it is reported that New Zealand railways have been allocated 20,000 tons of United Kingdom steam coal for January and February to be followed by further substantial shipments.

Off-the-highway trails are planned in France to minimize traffic accidents to hikers.

ERIN

R. M. Barden, Hillsburg, was elected vice-president of the Canadian Hackney Horse Society at its annual meeting in Toronto on Wednesday of last week with Ken C. McMillan, Georgetown and Robert Kerr, Acton, posted to the Board of Directors for the coming year.

Shelburne visited Erin on Tuesday evening in the first game of the best 2 out of 3 in the semi-finals of the C.O.H.L. when Shelburne had the best of an 8-6 score.

Cheltenham mill, an old landmark, said to be erected over 100 years ago, fell prey to fire of unknown origin on Thursday evening of last week.

A former Erin resident passed away at Fergus on Wednesday, February 4, 1948, in the person of Annie Anderson, widow of the late David McLean, in her 85th year.—Advocate.

ACTON

The Acton Y's Men's Club Skating Carnival program held last Friday night in the Acton Arena was an interesting one but the Acton population must have been at home keeping warm because the attendance at the Carnival was poor. The program of local speed skating talent gave the audience a real thrill.

When a truck driven by B. Drew of Milton, crashed through the guard rail at the Maria Street bridge on Monday afternoon, both driver and machine had a narrow escape from serious injury as it plunged to the railway siding thirty feet below.

Caught in a muskrat trap the fine red Irish setter dog belonging to Mr. J. F. Royston spent the coldest day and night of this winter out of doors and came limping back to town on Tuesday with the trap still on his front foot and trailing a piece of broken chain.

John Pickering, elder son of Rev. and Mrs. Louis Pickering of Acton United Church has been awarded a Bursary valued at \$100 through the Ontario College of Education, University of Toronto.—Free Press.

A collection of Robert Burns' poems recently was published in Moscow.

GEORGETOWN

Mr. James Alcorn took over his new duties in town last week as accountant at the Canadian Bank of Commerce branch, succeeding Cecil Doble who is now manager at Milton.

Misfortune struck the Legion Hall last Thursday at 6 p.m. when an explosion of an undetermined origin caused several thousands dollars damage to the building.

Rev. R. C. Todd, minister of Georgetown United Church since 1941 has received a call to Kitchener Street United Church, Niagara Falls.

Bob Goldham, Georgetown boy who holds a first string defence position with Chicago Black Hawks suffered a cracked bone in his left forearm in a game in Montreal last Thursday which will put him out of action for a month.

Selected by Council at their meeting last week as clerk-treasurer-tax collector for Georgetown is Charles Wilson. Mr. Wilson has commenced his new duties and the retiring clerk-treasurer, P. B. Harrison will stay on until the end of the month to help him get familiar with the position.—Herald.

FUEL OIL OUTLOOK UNCERTAIN

What will happen to over-all crude imports and to fuel oil imports and gasoline supplies for the summer and for next season is still uncertain, reports the Financial Post.

Canada would like to be able to stock up during the summer as she did last year in anticipation of winter needs. This relieves transportation and other U.S. facilities during the winter and makes it easier for the U.S. to service its own consumers. Whether this will be permitted for 1948-49 remains to be seen.

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ALLOCATION OF HYDRO POWER SOUTHERN ONTARIO SYSTEM

It has become necessary, due to a reduction in the amount of purchased power available, to issue the following notice to municipalities and direct customers of the Commission in the Southern Ontario System.

"Effective February 18, 1948, and continuing until further notice, the daily consumption of kilowatthours shall be restricted to a maximum of 90% of the average daily consumption of kilowatthours in the month of October, 1947. This reduction shall not apply to customers whose power supply was interrupted by the Commission in October, 1947 to the extent of 10% or more of normal delivery."

This is a temporary emergency arising from sub-normal rain fall last Autumn which has forced two of the Quebec power companies to drastically reduce their deliveries of power to The Commission.

This restriction will be lifted just as soon as circumstances permit and in the meantime, all consumers must play their full part by saving electricity at all times.

If the specified reduction in consumption of electricity is not obtained, it will be necessary to cut off the supply of electricity entirely for definite intervals of time each day, wherever the specified consumption is being exceeded.

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