

### Waste Foods Make Big Item

By MAXINE BUREN  
Most busy housewives are finding that foods, like pennies, are just as important to save as to acquire. One slice of bread molded, one bunch of carrots withered in each of the 34 million homes in the United States, and we have waste worth considering.

The best way to make the most of our food budgets, is to guard against waste, and to know the correct way to store various foods. Some like moisture, others prefer to be stored away in dry airtight containers.

In meat conservation there are the three Cs to remember, clean, cold and covered. Cover meat loosely and keep in a cold place. Wipe before cooking, and if ground, don't keep too long, even in the refrigerator.

Eggs should not be washed when stored, it takes off the protective coating and allows odors and flavors to penetrate the shell. Wiping them with steel wool is the best way to clean them. Store eggs in a ventilated container, wire rack or cardboard container or open bowl, in a cool place.

Allowing vegetables to remain in their natural wrappers is the best method of retaining their freshness. Always, however, prepare the vegetables as soon as possible after picking. If you have your own garden, pick only enough for each meal. If bought at the market, leave tops on root vegetables, outer leaves on leafy greens. Peas and beans should never be shelled out ahead of time. Keep cold.

Dried fruits are best when stored in a tight bag or jar in a cool place. Watch for worms in warm weather.

Bread and cake of course are best in ventilated containers, scalded carefully at least once a week. Sunning and airing works wonders on a cake or cookie jar.

Cookies that are to be kept crisp should be stored in airtight containers, not with cake or bread.

Fruits and vegetables are best in a cold place, but should not be kept too close to the freezing element, especially bananas and other perishable fruits.

TURNER—Betty and Diana Prior were hostesses Saturday when they entertained a group of friends at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Prior. Indoor games were played and boating and horseback riding were diversions of the afternoon. Refreshments were served to June Boyer, Dorothy Collier, Freda Mae Miller, Geraldine and Lorene Edwards, Eunice Bear, Margaret Prather, Barbara Webb, Betty and Diana Prior, Delmar Webb, Melford Rollow, Merle Beach, Buddy Klokstad, Wallace Riches, Billy and Wilbur Mitchell, Teddy Eltz and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Prior.

### Lilacs in Crochet



Lilacs for spring—caught for you in this lovely filet crochet design that serves equally well as chair or buffet set, done in fine cotton. Everyone will admire it and praise your handiwork. Pattern 571 contains directions and charts for making this set; illustrations of it and of stitches; list of materials required.

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## Service Men

Where They Are—What They Are Doing

### Promoted



CHAS. L. DOWE

BROOKS—Pfc. Charles L. Dowe has been promoted to his present grade, only recently he writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dowe. He is living in one of the most beautiful hotels in Santa Monica, Calif., about a half block from the ocean, according to his letter. Pfc. Dowe is in the air corps training detachment.

Everett Lorn Coons, 18, of Route 4, Box 152, entered the marine corps this week at Portland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Coons, same address.

Sworn in with Coons were Linford Darel Buren, 17, West Salem, and Floyd Otto Langsev, 18, Silverton. All have been granted furloughs before transfer to San Diego for basic training.

Coons and Buren attended Salem senior high school. The latter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Buren, 1562 Elm street, West Salem. Langsev was attending Eastern Oregon College of Education before induction. He was a letterman in basketball and baseball at Silverton high school. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Nels G. Langsev, Route 1, Silverton.

MARION FORKS — Mr. and Mrs. Scott Young received word from Dewey Bevere of Idanha that he is stationed at Trinidad in the Port of Spain.

WOODBURN—Second Lt. Robert Renn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Renn, arrived home Saturday night to spend a five day leave. On his return, he will go to Salina, Kas., to accept command of a flying fortress.

Second Lt. Torlef Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson, wrote that he is battery post exchange officer at the post in Trin-

### Today's Menu

Meat balls will make the rationed food go a long way; sour cream sauce will add extra goodness to the dish.

Grapefruit-carrot salad  
Sweet French dressing  
Meat balls with sour cream sauce  
Baked potatoes  
Dried apricot pie

MEAT BALLS  
In Sour Cream Sauce  
1/4 pound chopped beef  
1/2 cup bread crumbs  
1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
Salt and pepper  
1 egg

Mix all above ingredients with wet hands and a light touch. Form into four patties. Sear rapidly on both sides in a little hot fat and cover with the following sauce:

2 medium onions, sliced paper thin  
1/2 pound mushrooms  
1/2 pint sour cream  
3 tablespoons fat  
Sauté onions in 2 tablespoons fat over moderate flame until soft and slightly browned. Peel, stem and slice mushrooms (retaining peelings and stems to make soup) and sauté in 1 tablespoon fat 3 minutes. Add mushrooms and onions, together with scrapings from both pans, and sour cream to meat patties. Be sure that the cream is well mixed with the drippings. Let all simmer for at least 15 minutes so that flavors may be absorbed.  
May omit mushrooms.

### RATION CALENDAR

FOOD  
Canned Goods — Blue stamps D, E and F good through April 30.  
Meat, Cheese, Fat — Red stamps A, B and C valid through April 30.  
Sugar — Coupon No. 12 good for 8 pounds, expires May 31.  
Coffee — Coupon No. 26, good for 1 pound, valid through April 25.

GASOLINE  
Book A coupon No. 5, good for four gallons each, expires May 21.

FUEL OIL  
Period 5 coupons expire September 1.

SHOES  
No. 17 coupon in ration book No. 1 good for 1 pair, expires June 15.

TIRES  
Cars with C books must have tires inspected by May 31; B books by June 30.

## Coast Lumber Production Is High

SEATTLE, Wash., April 15—The weekly average of west coast lumber production in March (5 weeks) was 149,449,000 board feet, or 98.4 per cent of 1939-1942 average. Orders averaged 143,467,000 b.f.; shipments, 151,362,000. Weekly averages for February were: Production 126,505,000 b.f. (83.3 per cent of the 1939-1942 average); orders, 132,291,000; shipments 134,292,000.

Thirteen weeks of 1943, cumulative production, 1,676,738,000 b.f.; 13 weeks, 1942—2,262,529,000; 13 weeks 1941—2,141,075,000.

Orders for 13 weeks of 1943 break down as follows: Rail, 1,334,896,000 b.f.; domestic cargo, 106,966,000; export, 30,705,000; local, 247,035,000.

The industry's unfilled order file stood at 1,005,735,000 b.f. at the end of March; gross stocks at 463,274,000.

The production of west coast lumber continued to climb steadily during March, and at the end of the month was moving toward last fall's level. The second important feature of the month for the industry was another wave of war demand in the form of a tremendous volume of box and crating lumber. Munitions factories are running at full stride, with unprecedented requirements for lumber to box all types of their production. Normally west coast mills do not produce box materials. The natural place of the Douglas fir log in the lumber picture is as a source of construction items. However, the war production board has asked the industry to triple usual production of boards, and it is apparent that providing box and crating material will be a big job for west coast lumber while the war lasts.

Pvt. Ray Jones of Camp Barkley, Texas, is visiting his brother, Vincent Jones, while on a furlough. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones, now of Medford but who operated a shoe repair shop in Dallas for several years. He has been in 15 states since entering the service.

Dewayne Jones of Medford is visiting his brother, Vincent for a few days prior to leaving Tuesday for Farragut, Idaho, where he will join the navy. He was graduated from the Dallas high school in 1942.

### WAR ENCYCLOPEDIA



Lt. Charles Barclay, stationed with the signal corps at Camp Kohler, California, is a visitor at the home of his mother Mrs. J. L. Barclay. He flew here from near Sacramento, where he is stationed as an instructor at the signal corps training station.

Rex Arnold Layton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Layton, route one, box 406 A, Salem, was commissioned a second lieutenant last Friday when he completed the officer candidate course at Fort Monmouth, N.J. Lt. Layton will be assigned to duty with the signal corps of the army of the United States.

Maurice W. Mangis who received his wings and a commission as second lieutenant in the army air corps at the Yuma army air base, Yuma, Arizona, last week stopped in Salem for a few hours visit with his wife and young son and daughter before reporting for duty at the Boise, Idaho, army air base.

Lieutenant Mangis is a graduate of the Jefferson high school and was an employee of the Oregon state highway commission before entering the army air forces as an aviation cadet.

His wife the former Frances Weddle, with daughter Patricia and son Jon will remain in Salem with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Weddle.

## Steam Cooker Output Down

CORVALLIS, April 14 —(AP)—R. B. Taylor, chairman of Oregon's USDA war board, said Wednesday that 150,000 pressure cookers of a new victory type will be available for home canning this year.

The normal annual output is 250,000, he said, but only 64,000 were manufactured last year.

The new models, of seven quart capacity, will have enameled steel bottoms with tin-plated steel tops. They will be rationed by county farm machinery rationing committees to neighborhood pools, organizations and families that can make the most use of them.



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## US Takes Over Maine Potatoes

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The order requires each shipper to obtain a permit before making any truck or rail shipment.

To obtain a permit, a shipper must offer to sell federal agencies the entire quantity for which the permit is requested. After the

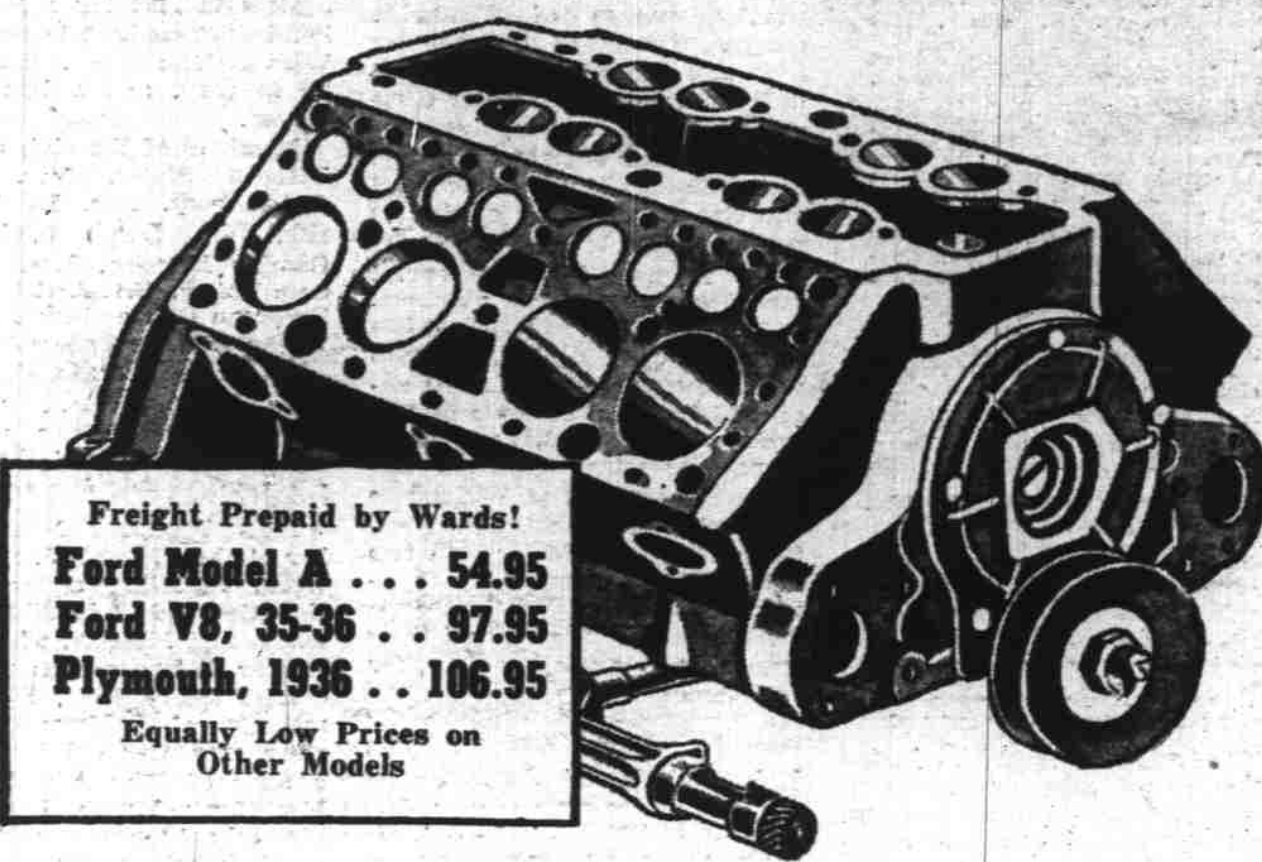
## Egg Turnover Is Boosted

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14 (AP)—Federal state market service reports said Wednesday that 61 Pacific coast egg plants took in 99,240 cases of eggs last week, an increase of 1.7 per cent over the preceding week and 8.7 per cent more than a year ago.

In California, 33 plants took 71,184 cases, and in Washington and Oregon 28 plants reported receipts of 28,056 cases.

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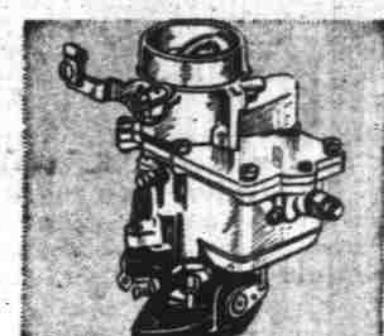
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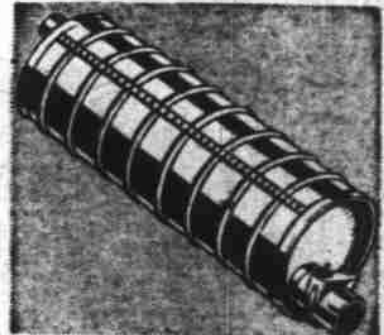
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