

# Statesman's HOME Panorama

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### Popular Pair

## Fruit, Meat Make One Of Happy Food Units

By MAXINE BUREN  
Statesman Women's Society

\*Meat is conspicuously friendly with fruit. The combined flavors, the contrasting textures, and that bit of sweet that always comes with the fruit, make the combination irresistible.

So saying, we look to some concrete examples of our rhapsody on the two. Pork goes with just about any fruit, so here are two ways to combine it with apples and one dish with lamb and pineapple.

First, pork chops are smothered, to make a wonderful dish for family or company.

### Smothered Pork Chops

- 6 loin pork chops
- 5 tablespoons flour
- Salt
- 2 cups hot water
- 1/4 teaspoon sage
- 1 tablespoon vinegar
- 2 large tart apples
- 1/4 cup seedless raisins
- 3 tablespoons molasses

Have chops cut 1" thick; sprinkle with 1/4 teaspoon salt and sage. Brown well on fat edge; brown on both sides. Arrange in layer in baking dish. Core apples; cut in 1/4" slices; place on chops. Add molasses. Add flour to fat in skillet; cook until browned, stirring constantly. Add water; cook stirring constantly, until mixture thickens. Add vinegar, 1/4 teaspoon salt and raisins; pour over chops and apples. Cover; bake in moderate oven, 350 degrees, 1 hour, or until apples are tender. Serve 6.

The Chinese inspired this dish which takes pineapple and lamb. Rice, of course, is an important part of the recipe:

### Chinese Pineapple Lamb

- 1 1/2 pounds boneless lamb
- 1 cup beef stock or bouillon
- 2 tablespoons shortening
- 1 can (No. 1) bean sprouts
- 1/4 cup chopped onion
- 1 can (No. 2) pineapple chunks, drained
- 1 cup sliced celery
- 1 can (3 oz.) mushrooms and liquor
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 3 tablespoons soy sauce
- Salt and pepper

Cut lamb in thin slices about 2 inches square. Brown in hot shortening, add onion and celery and brown lightly. Add mushrooms and liquor, seasonings and bouillon. Cover and simmer 1 hour. Add bean sprouts and pineapple. Blend cornstarch and soy sauce and stir into hot mixture. Cook until thickened, stirring carefully. Serve over hot canned chow mein noodles or steamed rice. Serves 6.

Pork again joins apples in a recipe—this time to be served with spaghetti:

### Sausage and Apple Rings with Spaghetti

- 1 pound sausage
- Sugar
- 2 tablespoons butter
- Cooked spaghetti
- 3 large cooking apples

Brown sausage in a frying pan and allow to cook slowly until thoroughly done. Remove from frying pan and pour off excess fat. Add butter, and when hot add apples which have been cored and cut into 1/4 inch slices. When brown on one side, turn, sprinkle very generously with sugar and cook slowly until tender, which will require only a few minutes. Cook spaghetti, butter generously and heap in center of hot platter and surround with sausage and apple rings.

## Miss Joan Lanktree Married

Red roses, white chrysanthemums and white candles provided the setting for the Christmas wedding of Miss Joan Sylvia Lanktree and James Jay Wagner on Friday night at the Jason Lee Methodist Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Lanktree and Mrs. Wagner is the son of Mrs. Lay Wagner.

The Rev. Luther G. Baker Jr., assisted by the Rev. Glen Vernon, uncle of the bride, performed the 6 o'clock ceremony. The Rev. Mr. Baker sang and Mrs. Elton Benedict was the organist. John Roberts and Thomas Rehfuess were the acolytes.

Of white Chantilly lace and tulle was the bridal gown, fashioned with long sleeves and overskirt of lace and tulle with lace cutouts and a white tulle cummerbund. A crown of seed pearls held in place her illusion veil and she carried a white prayer book belonging to her grandmother, which was topped with red roses.

Attendees Wear Red Velvet The bride's attendants wore red velvet sheath gowns with white velvet headpieces and carried white velvet muffs to which were pinned red roses. Miss Anita Wagner, sister of the groom, was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Carol Melford and Miss Margie Harkins. The junior attendant, Miss Sheila Mae Lanktree, sister of the bride, wore a full skirted red velvet frock with satin cummerbund and carried a white muff with roses.

Arnold Wagner, stood with his brother as best man and ushers were Alton Watson, Gerald Kappinger, Jerry Watson and Alex Frum.

Mrs. Lanktree chose a royal blue silk sheath gown with matching accessories and white carnation corsage for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Wagner wore a mauve silk sheath gown with black accessories and white carnation corsage.

The wedding reception was held in the Kirby Room. Mrs. J. A. Wagner, aunt of the groom, assisted by Miss Ronnel Carlisle and Miss Constance Doelman, poured. Mrs. George Frum cut the cake. Assisting were Miss Anne Ritchey of New York City, Miss Shirley Mitchell and Miss Sigrid Converse.

For going away the new Mrs. Wagner donned a brown sheath dress with matching coat and accessories. She pinned green orchids to her ensemble. The newlyweds will be at home in Salem at 217 1/2 Maple Ave. NE after Jan. 1.

## A Holiday Bride



Mrs. James Jay Wagner, the former Joan Sylvia Lanktree before her marriage Friday night at the Jason Lee Methodist Church. The couple will live in Salem. (Klassen Studio).

## Yamhill Mouse Population High, But Not Disastrous

By CHARLOTTE FILER  
McMinnville Correspondent

McMINNVILLE, Dec. 20 — Rodents, including mice which have raised havoc in Klamath county, are on the increase in Yamhill county, according to a report made by Dr. Jane Edmunds and her biology students at Linfield college.

Dr. Edmunds is quick to show that this does not place Yamhill county in the disastrous position of Klamath county, with its hoards of mice. She says incursions of these animals should bring man to a realization of cyclic changes in the population of rodents, the importance of small mammals in nature's plan and what happens when man through logging and hunting of larger predators, upsets nature's pattern.

Her report shows this year, over a three day period, the Linfield research station in the High Heaven area near McMinnville trapped 80 mammals including 78 deer mice, one shrew, one meadow mouse, a bird and a frog. At the same site in 1949 only 25 mice were trapped. Only twice before in the past eight years has the number trapped gone over 30.

The Linfield professor and her

students carry out this research in cooperation with the North American Census of Small Mammals coordinated by the Rodent Ecology Project at Johns Hopkins university in Maryland.

Some of the aims of this census over North America are to determine cyclic changes in population density, the relationship of the small mammals to their environment, their role as competitors for broad plants with big game, cattle, sheep, their role of providing food for larger animals and their relation to agricultural crops and re-seeding of forests.

Dr. Edmunds feels that the Linfield research over the past eight years shows some definite trends and is of value as added to the entire continental census.

## Home Light Title Won By Knutson

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SILVERTON, Dec. 20 — Sheldon Knutson, 405 Adams St. won grand sweepstakes prize in the annual Silverton Junior Chamber of Commerce Home Lighting Contest.

Other winners were Olaf Paulson, R. J. Turnbull, Robert Sites, Maurice Schworenberg, Bill Williams, Robert Edgerton, Mrs. Charles Leonard, Sr., Mrs. George Anderson and Mrs. Charles Leonard Jr.

Fifty-two home owners competed in the contest with the Station Jaycees doing the judging.

### EOLA CAMP PARTY

AMITY, Dec. 20—4-H Junior leaders of the Willing Workers Livestock Club were participants in a special Christmas party for residents of Eola Village Farm Labor Camp recently, sponsored by the Yamhill County 4-H Junior leaders association. Amity junior leaders attending were Cheryl Stephens, Richard Crannell, and Gene Dixon.

## Saturday Final Day for Woodburn Residents to Enter Lighting Contest

Statesman News Service

WOODBURN, Dec. 20 — Saturday is the final day to register for the city residential Christmas display contest, according to E. A. Buchanan, chairman for the sponsoring Woodburn Junior Chamber of Commerce. Judging by the Woodburn Business and Professional Women's club will be Sunday and Monday.

Anyone in the Woodburn school district is eligible to compete by turning in an entry blank to the city residential Christmas display contest, according to E. A. Buchanan, chairman for the sponsoring Woodburn Junior Chamber of Commerce. Judging by the Woodburn Business and Professional Women's club will be Sunday and Monday.

Two classifications are scheduled in the adult division, one for Christmas scenes, but necessarily limited to the Nativity, and the other front door decorations.

Displays may be either inside or outside the home but must be visible from the street. Lighting is not necessary, said Buchanan.

Several smaller limbs were torn from oak trees by the heavy gusts, but no serious injury or damage occurred.

### Wind Topples Pole and Tilts Cupala on College

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McMINNVILLE, Dec. 20—Heavy winds Monday and Tuesday took their toll on the Linfield College campus when a 75-foot flag pole was blown over and the high cupala on the top of Pioneer Hall tower was left with a definite lean.

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### Dear Ann Landers

## Man Wants Legal Word, Gets Opinion

By ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann: I'm just about to leave my second wife and I need some advice. She doesn't know how to manage money and the house is not run as it should be. My first wife had these same faults, plus a few more I want to go into.

This is my question: I have two children by my first marriage. When I proved my wife an unfit mother in court, they awarded me custody of the girls.

If I pay support for these children does my present wife have to keep them? She's been a good mother for seven years. (They are 9 and 11.) I'll give her credit for THAT much. She treats them the same as our own two. Please let me know how the law reads on this.—TWICE SKUNKED

I don't know how the law reads because I'm not a lawyer. But I have a few comments to make which have nothing to do with the law. Don't go away.

When are you going to learn that you can't solve your problems by taking a running leap into the divorce court? If your wife can't manage money, why don't you handle it and see if you come out any better?

You have consummate gall to expect this woman to care for your children after you've left her. It apparently has slipped your memory that she took your small motherless tots and practically raised them from the cradle. According to my figures they were 2 and 4 when you dumped them into her loving arms. Think it over, Mister. Instead of wasting your energy trying to carve out a new future for yourself ("skunking" number three coming up?) why not work at making a go of this present situation?

Dear Ann: This is urgent. A very close friend of ours is in danger of losing her husband. We happen to know that the "business relationship" between a certain high-priced executive and his secretary is not all business.

The nights when he is supposed to be grabbing a sandwich at his desk and working late, he is actually winning and dining this blonde. The real pay-off is this: The girl pulls down a salary of \$420 a month and she can neither take shorthand nor use a typewriter.

This is not speculation, Ann, it's the real story. The wife has been a close friend of ours for 15 years and we think if she knew what was going on she'd break it up.

You'll probably say we should mind our own business, but what good are friends if they can't come to the rescue in time of need?—THE WORRIED ONES

You are RIGHT. I'm going to tell you to mind your own business. Consider: (1) Despite the evidence, you could be mistaken and (2) Even if you're right, real friends don't light the fuse to a stick of dynamite.

(Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper and enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope.)

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## Salem Man Weds in Texas

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dalton Castle of Salem have recently received word of the marriage of their son, Jon Dalton Castle, to Miss Joyce Thommarson, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. R. D. Thommarson of Alvard, Texas.

The couple's marriage took place on December 16 at the home of the bride with her father officiating.

The newlyweds will make their home in Panama City, Florida, where Mr. Castle, an airman third class, will be stationed at Tyndall Air Force Base. Mr. Castle recently returned from a two year tour of duty in Japan.

will be guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bone and Mr. Louis Anderson . . .

A visitor . . . in Salem during the holidays will be Mrs. Lynn McLachlan, of Ontario, who will be a guest at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Armpriest . . .

South bound . . . Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keim and children, Lori, Michael and Richard, who will spend Christmas in Los Angeles with his brother and family, the Ray Kelms . . . They will also visit Disneyland and attend the Rose Bowl game on New Year's . . . Leaving today for a holiday in Southern California will be Mr. and Mrs. Clifford R. Ellis and son, Cliff . . . they will also take in Disneyland and attend the Rose Bowl game . . .

Leaving . . . today for Vancouver, B. C., to spend the holidays is Mrs. Clifton Ross, who will visit her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Fraser . . . she expects to remain in British Columbia for several months . . .

A New York City policeman starts at \$4,625 annually, with increases to \$6,006 in three years.

Henry J. Kaiser, who is one of the 76 richest industrialists in the U.S., once was a photographer's assistant at \$3 a week.

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### Brooks Girl on TV Show Today

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BROOKS, Dec. 20—Appearing on television Saturday morning at 10:30 is a first grade student at Brooks who won a coloring contest.

She is Michel Drayton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Drayton. The contest was sponsored by KOIN-TV's Fun House program. Michel was top winner in her division.

Accompanying her to Portland Saturday will be a classmate, Janet Royston.

## Valley Obituaries

### PEARL L. VAN ORSDEL

DALLAS, Dec. 20—Mrs. Pearl L. Van Orsdel, 74, died Thursday in a rest home here. She lived in Albany for 16 years previous to moving to Dallas this summer.

Mrs. Van Orsdel was born at Knoxville, Tenn., April 1, 1883, and moved to Oregon with her parents when still a small child. The family settled in the Tennessee community near Lebanon.

She operated the Beaver Hotel in Independence until 15 years ago. Survivors include a brother, Robert, at Raymond, Wash., and several nieces and nephews in the valley area, including Ken Thompson of Salem.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Monday at the Fisher Funeral Home in Albany, with interment at the Odd Fellow cemetery in Lebanon.

### TWO CHURCH PROGRAMS

PRATUM, Dec. 20 — Pratum Methodist church yule program will be Sunday at 8 p.m. A choir concert will be presented by the Mennonite church choir at its church at 7:30 the same evening. The Mennonite program by the Sunday School will be Christmas Eve at 7:30.

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## Prepare Yule Baskets

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STAYTON, Dec. 20—More than 75 Christmas baskets valued at almost \$1,000 will again be distributed throughout the Stayton and North Santiam canyon areas by Knights of Columbus. The same program of giving to less fortunate families at Christmas time has been followed for the past 15 years.

More than 175 Knights this week attended their Christmas party at Stayton, each bringing a gift package of food products.

Raymond Kerber of Stayton is chairman of the committee seeking names of families who can use a gift basket. The committee will consider any names referred to it.

The Knights voted \$100 towards the St. Mary's Home for Boys at Beaverton, and a contribution of \$85 toward construction of a Campanile at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C.

Big winner of the Christmas party drawing was Eugene Perry of Route 1, Stayton. Perry took home the portable TV set. Four other winners were prizes.

Addressing the group were Robert Higgins, Eugene Perry and Raymond Kerber, chairman of the group.

### FRUITLAND EVENT

FRUITLAND, Dec. 20 — The Evangelical United Brethren church will present its Christmas program Sunday evening at 7:30.

### PROGRAM ON SUNDAY

AMITY, Dec. 20 — The Amity Church of Christ will hold its annual Christmas program Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m.

the Knights Christmas Cheer committee, said generous cash donations to the program were made by North Santiam Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Catholic Daughters of America. Distribution of baskets will begin Saturday.

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