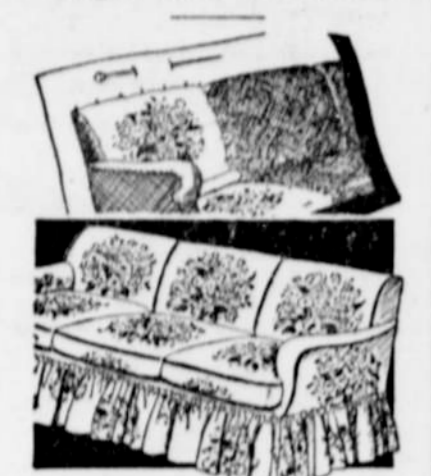


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Household News
 by Lynn Chambers



HERE'S TO BUTTERY FINGERS AND A TAFFY PULL
 (See Recipes Below)

CHILDREN'S DELIGHT

If you want your children and their friends to give you a rating of "super," then give just one party for children alone, and make that party a good, old-fashioned taffy pull. Think back a moment and remember how you looked forward to a taffy pull just as much as going to a circus.

This party is exciting fun because the children have a chance to help in the making of refreshments. Yes, pulling taffy with their fingers all buttered, and watching the dark candy mixture get lighter and lighter each time it's pulled. They'll like this too, because a taffy pull isn't a fussy party. When you send out the invitations, let the mothers know it's a taffy party so the children will be dressed accordingly.

Unlike many foods which are iron sources, molasses when cooked does not lose its iron content.

If possible use a candy thermometer to test the candy so it will be cooked just right, neither too stiff nor too messy to handle. When the candy is cool enough, cut it just the right size for small hands. The piece should be large enough to work on, but not too large. When the piece is light tan and very stiff, pull into a long strip and cut.

Molasses Taffy.

- 2 cups pure New Orleans molasses
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 tablespoon vinegar
- ¼ teaspoon vanilla, if desired
- ½ cup water

Cook the molasses, sugar and water in a heavy kettle slowly until the mixture reaches 260 degrees or until a little of the mixture dropped in cold water becomes brittle. Stir a little during the latter part of the boiling to prevent burning; pour into a buttered pan. When cool enough to handle, cut in pieces and pull until light and stiff. Butter the hands before pulling.

Refreshments can be simple for a taffy party, for children will be so excited about the taffy, they won't give their best attention to elaborate dishes. Assorted sandwiches will fill the bill perfectly and a hot chocolate milk drink will take care of their keen, lusty appetites. As dessert you might have simple cupcakes iced with pink and chocolate icing, fruit, and of course, the taffy.

If you'd rather give them a hot dish in place of the sandwiches, here's a simple but elegant one:

Millionaire Gold.
 (Serves 8)

- 2 egg yolks
- ½ cup flour
- ½ teaspoon mustard
- 1½ teaspoons salt
- 3 cups milk
- ½ pound American cheese
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 pound mushrooms

LYNN SAYS:

Stop food wastes. Not only is this a matter of thrift but also a vital step in conserving this country's resources. It is estimated that tiny food wastes total up to a tremendous amount.

Wise shopping will prevent buying unwanted and not usable food. The wise shopper should also recognize between good and poor grades, by reading labels and markings, and by watching the scales.

Poor cooking causes much waste. Meat, for instance, shrinks when cooked at too high a temperature. Vitamins and minerals are lost when cooked too long or when air is stirred into them while cooking. Use short methods for cooking whenever possible.

THIS WEEK'S MENU

- *Chop Suey, Rice or Noodles
- Bean Sprouts
- Apricot-Cream Cheese Salad
- Bran Bread
- Orange Chiffon Pie
- Tea Coffee Milk
- *Recipe Given

- 4 tablespoons butter
- 8 slices buttered toast
- 16 slices crisp bacon

Beat egg yolks, add flour, mustard, salt and paprika. Mix well. Add ½ cup milk gradually and stir until smooth. Put mixture in double boiler, add rest of milk, and cheese, cubed. Cook until thick, add Worcestershire sauce. Wash, slice, and saute mushrooms, slowly. Place mushrooms on toast and pour cheese mixture over them. Garnish with bacon.

Although the taffy pull will be the main event of the party be sure to have games planned to fill out the evening. Quiz games are popular and lists for these can be made up beforehand using questions on slogans, famous personalities, historical events, interesting facts, and riddles as questions.

Children will want some lively fun too, and for this you can have a sack race. The leaders of two lines of players are given two large paper sacks. They place the sacks on their feet and at a signal run to the opposite goal and back, take off the sack and give it to the person next to them. The object is to see which line finishes first.

Speaking of children, are you having a time with their school lunches?

Variety is the big problem for packing a complete meal in one small box is hard to vary and doesn't have as many possibilities as the table at home. Having at least one hot food helps loads, and put this in the thermos bottle. You can have cream soups, vegetable soups, then again hot milk drinks for variety.

Sandwiches are a standby, but don't get into a rut with these. Don't have soggy fillings. Wrap each one separately in wax paper. Favorite fillings include:

- Peanut butter and jelly
- Chopped meat mixed with mayonnaise and relish
- Chopped hard-cooked eggs with bacon
- Cheese and luncheon meats
- Vegetable salad sandwiches
- Flaked fish with celery, lettuce
- Chopped figs or dates, nuts, moistened with orange juice

Color peeps up the lunch box, so occasionally pack a salad in a paper container. Use fresh fruits of often, or canned ones also packed in small glass or paper containers. Cornstarch puddings are attractive and nourishing, and simple cookies wrapped in wax paper will bring cheers from any child.

Economy is highlighted these days, but it needn't be dull if you use attractively garnished platters.

***Chop Suey or Chow Mein.**
 (Serves 6)

- ½ cup butter or shortening
- 2½ cups cooked meat, cut in strips
- 1¼ cups onions, cut fine
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 1 can bean sprouts, drained
- 2¼ cups celery, cut fine
- 1 cup hot water

For thickening and flavoring:
 ½ cup cold water
 2 tablespoons cornstarch
 1 tablespoon soy sauce
 1 teaspoon sugar

Melt butter, add onions, fry for 3 minutes. Add celery, salt, pepper, hot water, cover and cook for 5 minutes. Add bean sprouts and meat, mix and bring to a boil. Combine thickening and flavoring ingredients, add to first mixture. Cook 5 minutes. Serve hot with Chinese noodles for Chop Suey, or with steaming rice for Chop suey. Garnish platter with thin strips of fried egg and green onions if desired.
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Fashion Advocates Lavish Use Of Fur in a Variety of Ways

By **CHERIE NICHOLAS.**



FASHION is most eloquently "saying it" with furs this season. According to the signs there is going to be a most grand and glorious display of furs this winter both as trimming and as coat or cape ensembles of sumptuous fur. Almost everything in the way of matching accessories that can be made of fur is being made of fur; hats, gloves, handbags, separate neckpieces, detachable plastron fronts, and lapel gadgets of bows and boutonnières.

Milliners are giving of their best in creating fur hats matched to coats, to jackets, or to the trimming on one's gown and wrap. The favor for browns has placed extra emphasis on the importance of mink. There's exciting fashion news in the sumptuous mink coat shown above to the right in the illustration. It is topped by a hat made glorious by a wide brim (huge fur hats will be worn this winter) of matching mink.

The young woman centered above in the picture is snappishly turned out in an ensemble of gray Chinese kidskin, the fingertip-length coat fashioned along very youthful lines. The insistent call for sleek black by fashion sophisticates keeps Persian lamb and elegant broadtail in the limelight again this season. Royally luxurious is the broadtail ensemble shown in the upper left corner. Here a slim svelte princess coat demonstrates how up-to-the-minute is the styling given to furs this season. The hat is one of those new tall effects so definitely in style.

Its graceful feather trim is Kelly green for added color.

Fur capes are definitely something to talk about, for they are in the very foreground of the current fashion picture. The gorgeous cape lower right, is of lustrous black Persian lamb. The new rule for a black wrap worn with a color-bright dress is faithfully observed. The pretty, softly styled frock is in the widely sponsored new gold tone.

For daytime wear nothing exceeds leopard in chic, unless it be American opossum, which is also playing a star role. You will be perfectly tuned to the grandstand picture if you attend the game in a coat of leopard at lower left. It is a fashionable, three-quarter length style with a stand-up collar and bracelet-length sleeves—all very youthful and destined for an eye-smashing entry into any smart gathering.

A most extraordinary development in fur styling this season is the working of glittering embroidery on the lapels and collars of fur coats. The new fur capes are sometimes embroidered with a hem line bordering for evening. Brown sequins worked on mink hats, jet motifs on either black or white furs or metal thread embroidery punctuated with glistening jewels give to furs an entirely different aspect. Many of the most staid and conservative coats are bursting into glory with gleaming jeweled buttons.

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Grandma's Buttons Make Style News

Dig into grandma's button box, and you may find hidden treasures that will cause your winter gowns and coats to soar to heights of sartorial glory. Better still, trek around to the button counters and see what a splurge buttons are making in the fashion realm.

Two important trends register in the button field, one of which is the inclination toward bulkiness. Buttons are sometimes massive and knobby. Also, the new buttons tell a grand and glorious color story. You, with everyone else, are going to wear a great deal more color this year than you did last, and accordingly button originals are keeping pace with the color commotion.

Plastic buttons are available in a full range of costume colors. A button that makes an interesting accent on frock or blouse is a molded plastic done in a flower design with nailhead detail. Fresh fashion interest is also developing in filigree buttons. A gold filigree button is proving especially attractive for dress-up blouses and party frocks. In fact, metal buttons rank high in favor, whatever the type.

Glitter is popular, and lovely rhinestone buttons flourish on wools, velveteens, dressy crepes, and the newest fashion note is rhinestone or other jeweled buttons on fur coats and jackets.

Woolies Defy the Chill Breath of Jack Frost

Farmers can prognosticate and their signs are unerring. It's "ditto" with fashion. Well, from all fashion indications, we will see wool mittens; long wool socks (sheer wool for daytime hose); heads done up in wool wimples; huge fur hats and muffs as extravagantly big. All will valiantly fulfill their mission of comfort and smart appearance when winter brings on its usual quota of days with a sharp tang.

Possum on Wool



American opossum is a flattering, young-looking fur when it trims swank town and country tweeds. It carries a message of style prestige wherever it goes, and this year fashion's spotlight is showing it up more conspicuously than ever. In the picture we see American opossum accentuating the straight silhouette of a hunter's green wool coat. Three bands of the fur around the bottom of the skirt, and a flattering ripple collar of this fur, add distinction to the pencil-slim coat. The ripple-brim fine felt hat is detailed with stitching.