

## Spray Should Be Applied on Peaches

Pink bud spray on peaches should be applied when most of the blossom buds are pink. C. B. Cordy, county horticulture agent, and L. G. Gentner, entomologist for the southern Oregon branch experiment station, advised growers today.

A few blossom buds will be open in bloom when it's time to spray, they added.

For each 100 gallons of spray in high pressure hose sprayers, six pounds of wettable sulfur or two pounds captan or 1 1/2 pounds of ziram for brown rot plus 1 1/2 pounds 50 per cent DDT for twig borers are recommended. In speed sprayers, 24 pounds wettable sulfur or 8 pounds captan or 7 pounds ziram and 8 pounds 50 per cent DDT per acre should be used.

This is not too prevalent, but if control is needed, Cordy and Gentner suggest two pounds of malathion per 100 or 12 pounds per acre. Another spray of sulfur, captan or ziram should be applied during full bloom. Cordy and Gentner cautioned against use of sulfur on apricots.

## Portland Council OKs Transit Fare Increase

Portland — (U.P.) — The city council has approved unanimously an ordinance giving Rose City Transit company a fare increase.

Under the ordinance the three-tokens-for-50-cents will be eliminated; weekly passes will cost \$3 instead of \$2.75; the adult fare will remain a straight 20 cents cash, and the price of school tickets will remain at 10 cents each.

The increase is effective at 2 a.m. Sunday.

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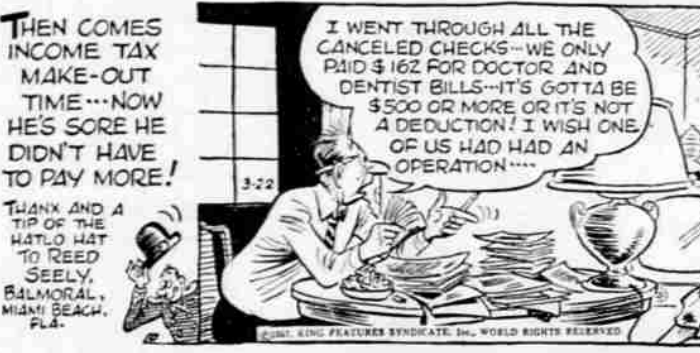
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## They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CHEDDAR BEGRUDGED THE DOUGH HE HAD TO COUGH UP FOR THE FAMILY'S MEDICAL BILLS ALL DURING THE YEAR...



THEN COMES INCOME TAX MAKE-OUT TIME—NOW HE'S SURE HE DIDN'T HAVE TO PAY MORE!

THANKS AND A TIP OF THE HATLO TO REED SEELY, BALMORAL, MIAMI BEACH, FLA.

## Feeding the Family

By ZOLA VINCENT

The cooking time varies. Prunes will take 45 minutes to one hour. Apricots from 30 to 40 minutes. Peaches 40 to 50 minutes including initial five minutes. Figs from 30 to 35 minutes. Apples take 40 minutes and pears from 25 to 35 minutes. Raisins are given a quick 10 minutes.

Sugar is not necessary, however if your taste-buds require it, add it during the last five minutes of cooking. Figs are the exception to the rule. Add sugar to them 15 minutes before end of cooking time. For the very best in flavor and plumpness, let fruit stand in juice for a few hours.

**Suggested Dried Fruit Uses**  
Always a wonderful snack food particularly for hungry youngsters. Here are some other suggestions which will improve any menu and add low-cost nutritional values as well:

**Breakfast:** Cooked with or added to hot cooked cereals. Top prepared cereal with stewed prunes, apricots or peaches. Make dried fig, prune or raisin muffins. Sauté prunes, apricots or peaches with sausages. Use any of the dried fruits in coffee cakes.

**Lunch at Home:** In salads with cottage cheese and perhaps other fresh or canned fruits. In fruit gelatin salads. Apricot, peach, prune or fig whip. Prune or raisin bread pudding. Baked apples with raisins. Dried fig or raisin cream cheese sandwich filler. Chopped apricot and honey sandwich spread. Dried fruits stuffed with nuts.

**Dinner:** Dried fruit conserves. Spiced or pickled dried figs or prunes. Prune or raisin stuffing for meat or fowl. Garnishes for meats. Prune or apricot upside-down cake. Dried fruit candies.

**Pickled Prunes**  
Pickled prunes will tickle your palate when served as an accompaniment to meat, salads, or sandwiches.

Combine three-quarter cup brown sugar (packed), one cup vinegar, one cup cooking liquid from prunes, one tablespoon mixed pickling spice; simmer 10 minutes. Add four cups cooked prunes and cook five minutes longer. Refrigerate. Makes approximately 1 1/2 quarts.

**Sautéed Salmon-Cucumber Sandwich**  
A genuine sandwich sensation. Salmon and cucumbers have long been a winning combination, but only recently did a good cook figure out this sautéed sandwich to delight family and friends.

12 slices bread  
Butter or margarine  
1 cup flaked cooked salmon  
2 teaspoons minced onion  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1/2 teaspoon black pepper  
1/2 teaspoon sage  
3/4 cup real mayonnaise  
1 large cucumber, grated  
Spread six slices of bread with butter or margarine. Mix salmon, onion, lemon juice, sea-

## Ashland Council Authorizes Lease

Ashland—The Ashland city council this week authorized a lease agreement with Alfred L. Paulson, operator of the Ashland General hospital, for a plan to expand the hospital facilities.

The plan calls for city construction of x-ray and radiology offices at the establishment as well as purchase of equipment. In return for this, Paulson will pay \$116 per month, which will amortize cost of added facilities in 15 years' time.

Paulson has been paying only "token" lease money with the understanding that the hospital is not a revenue producer. His lease for operation of the hospital will continue for about two years. If he does not renew the lease a similar arrangement will be made with his successor, according to Harry Skerry, city attorney.

## Directors Selected At District Meetings

Two directors and a supervisor were elected recently at annual meetings of the Rogue soil conservation district and the Sams Valley-Beagle soil conservation district, according to W. B. (Ben) Tucker, county agriculture agent.

In the Rogue soil conservation district, Terry Houk, Ashland, was elected to a four-year director term after A. E. Stevens withdrew from candidacy for the position. Mrs. Kathryn Hefferman was reelected to a four-year director term.

In the Sams Valley-Beagle district, Burdette L. Dodge was reelected to a four-year term as district supervisor.

## Crosby Surrenders To Multnomah Police

Portland — (U.P.) — Clyde C. Crosby, Teamster organizer for Oregon, has surrendered to county police on five secret indictments returned earlier this month by the Multnomah county grand jury.

old cheddar cheese for low-cost protein in your menu.

**Fish and Shellfish.** Fish supplies are keeping up with the Lenten demand. Excellent buys to be found in halibut. Enjoy halibut steaks or halibut baked in tomato sauce with plenty of lemon wedges on the side. Frozen fish sticks, scallops, shrimp and breaded fish portions are steadily increasing in popularity. Fish that has been frozen and thawed should not be refrozen. For best results keep fish frozen hard until ready to cook.

**Vegetable Buys.** It is with increased pleasure that the home-maker wanders through the vegetable department and finds her favorite springtime vegetables there in greater abundance. Good quality artichokes, broccoli, carrots, green onions, lettuce, celery, cabbage, and cauliflower are well-priced. Rhubarb pie and rhubarb cobbler will bring new season delight to the dinner tables. Asparagus, expensive now, but becoming less so right along. New potatoes and peas are putting in an appearance.

**Fruit Department.** The best buy selection is limited to grapefruit, oranges, lemons and loose apples. Bananas continue at their usual almost unchanging price level. Avocados are in fair supply and a few pears are available.

## The Family Council

Editor's note: The Family Council consists of a judge, a psychiatrist, three clergymen, a newspaper editor, a women's editor and two writers. Each article is a summary of an actual report. The Family Council does not give advice; it merely reports on problems that have been dealt with by responsible agencies and counselors.

Shirley D.—My parents won't let me go steady.

Mrs. K. D.—Too much trouble has come out it.

Shirley D.—I am a 15-year-old girl with a real problem. At my high school it is the custom to start going steady when you are a sophomore. This is a very good system because it means that every boy and girl who make up a couple can attend all the dances and social functions and do not need to worry about finding dates. Once you have a steady he's yours through high school.

My parents are much much against this. They think if you start going steady with a boy, you have to marry him or something. That isn't true. Of course, it often happens that these couples do marry, but most of them split up by the time they get out of school.

Just because I'm not allowed to go steady I've been left out of a lot of things. I've been out with one boy three times and now he says he's my steady, but my parents don't want me to go with him any more.

Mrs. K. D.—My husband and I feel this "steady" system is very bad. In the first place, most of the boys are too young for the girls. I don't mind Shirley's going out with one of them occasionally, but they aren't old enough to be responsible and I would like to see her usually going out with boys two or three years older.

In the second place, we don't think that this constant contact with one person is very healthy. I know for a fact that there have been cases in town where the youngsters have gotten into serious trouble. Besides, a couple of very bad marriages have been made as a result of it.

I know of too many early marriages that have gone sour to want to see Shirley get herself mixed up in anything like that. It won't hurt her to be a bit isolated for the next two

## Local Men Attending Appraisal Course

Corvallis — William B. McCullough, chief appraiser, Stewart Pennington, appraiser, and Willie M. Daws, Medford, are enrolled this week at Oregon State college in a special five-day appraisal short course.

The course, started a year ago under the joint sponsorship of the college and the state tax commission, is designed to improve property appraisals throughout the state and to help bring greater uniformity in valuation of real property.

Daws and McCullough are taking the first-year training and Pennington is taking the second-year program.

Warm Springs foundation, anti-paralysis institute founded by Franklin Roosevelt, has normal accommodations for about 150 persons.

Lake Geneva has an area of 223 square miles but it is smaller than the Dead Sea.

## "A Man Against Insanity"

Six years ago Jack Ferguson, a doctor, was himself locked in a mental hospital. When he returned to the world, he set out to fight the insanity of others armed with two weapons: drugs and tender, loving care.

In April Reader's Digest Paul de Kruif tells the inspiring story of Ferguson's crusade, and the hope it offers the mentally ill. Get April Reader's Digest at your newsstand today: 41 articles of lasting interest, including the best from leading magazines, newspapers and books, condensed to save your time.

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