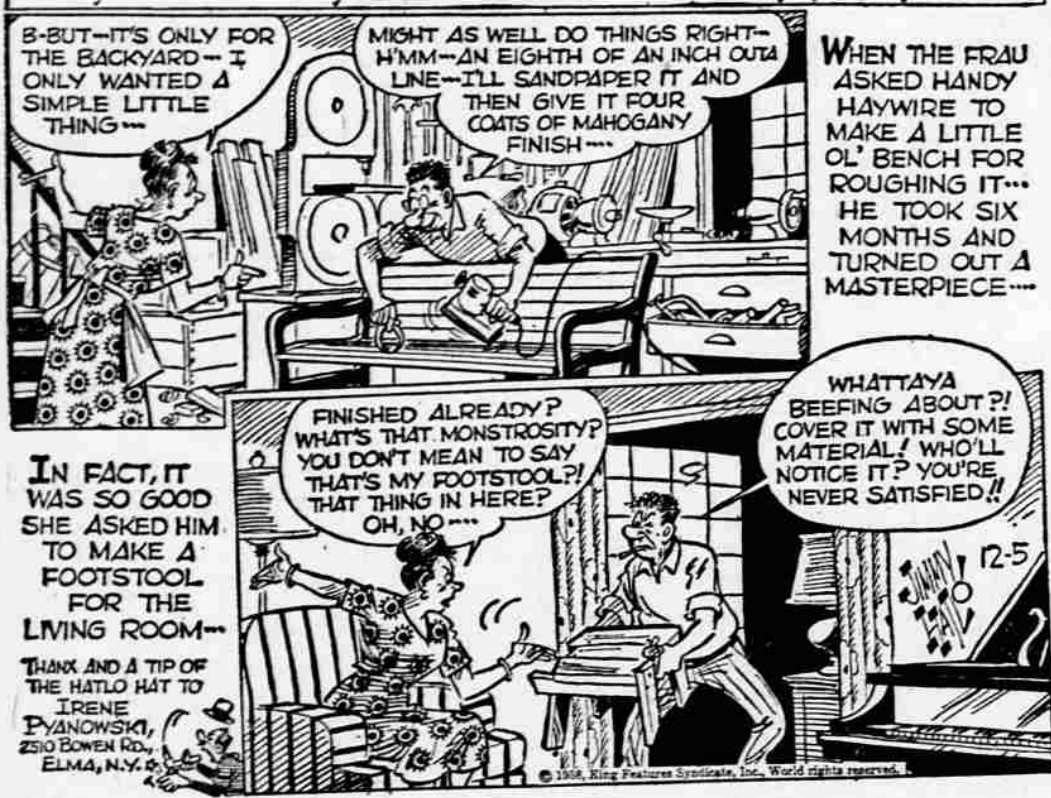


They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo



Feeding the Family

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Popular Spicy Mince Meat Gets Around

For centuries mince meat has been highly prized in desert pies... and so it is today. But today's homemaker also reaches for the mince meat jar to give aromatic and spicy emphasis to other good things like these:

Jiffy Ham Sauce: Simmer 1 1/2 cups cranberry juice cocktail or sherry with one cup prepared, ready-to-use mince meat for five minutes; stir two teaspoons cornstarch into another one-half cup cranberry juice or sherry and add to mince meat mixture. Bring to a quick boil, stirring constantly. Makes three cups of sauce that will keep well for serving hot or cold with either hot or cold ham.

Mincing Sweets. Here we add prepared, ready-to-use mince meat to sweet potatoes for serving as stuffed sweet potatoes. Bake good size sweet potatoes or yams and cut in two. Scoop out insides, add salt, butter and some mince meat and return to sweet potato shells for quick oven broiling topped with marshmallows, if you like.

Bread Spread. Here is a spread for bread, toast or muffins. It's tremendously popular with small fry. Blend equal quantities of peanut butter and ready-to-use mince meat; season with a few drops of lemon juice or pineapple juice, if desired.

Festive Prune Whip
Prune whips have been popular ever since plums have been dried and that goes back a long time. Here is a cranberry season variation certain to be liked. Packaged prunes and canned jellied cranberries are very reasonable in price; good to have around the house. For each four servings:

Pit one cup cooked prunes, press prunes and one cup jellied cranberry sauce through sieve. Add dash of salt. Beat two egg whites until stiff. Beat fruit mixture into egg whites, a small portion at a time. Mixture will increase in volume with beating. Fold in one-fourth cup chopped nut meats. Chill. Serve soon after preparation with custard sauce made from egg yolks left over from whip.

Christmas Pudding
This festive holiday pudding recipe will be especially welcome because it makes 15 servings for enjoyment hot with hard sauce and cold with warm sauce, if you're lucky enough to have any left over.

- 1/4 cup butter or margarine
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 3 eggs, separated
- 1/4 pound ground suet
- 1/2 cup milk
- 2 1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon each cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups pitted plumped prunes
- 1/2 pound seedless raisins
- 1 8-ounce jar candied fruit and peels
- 1/4 cup prune juice

Cream together butter or margarine and sugar. Separate egg yolks and whites. Add egg yolks to mixture and

beat well. Add suet and milk. Sift together dry ingredients; add to creamed mixture. Chop prunes; add with raisins and candied fruits to batter. Add prune juice; mix well. Beat egg whites until stiff; fold gently into batter.

Pour into well greased pudding mold; cover and steam three hours. Serve hot with hard sauce. Garnish platter with whole prunes filled with hard sauce and perhaps topped by a piece of green citron.

Fruit Cake Freezing. Fruit cakes may be stored in a freezer, but not until they have been well aged first. Be sure they are carefully wrapped and aged long enough to develop that full mellow flavor.

Fruit Cake Cutting. Well-aged fruit cakes, even those with large pieces of fruit and whole walnuts, almond or Brazil nuts, should slice easily; however, it always helps to have the cake chilled first, and to use a very sharp knife.

Quick Fruit Cake Glaze. A quick, simple fruit cake glaze is easily accomplished by bringing corn syrup to a full rolling boil and spreading it lightly over the cake.

Will Feature Poultry
With big turkeys, little turkeys, halved and quartered turkeys, whole chickens, cut-up chickens, and packages of individual chicken parts pouring into December markets, there will be many a bargain for budget minded homemakers. Because you, the consumer, asked for it, modern processing and packaging methods have made this tremendous variety of turkey and chicken forms available. Turkey quarters, for example, are a relatively new and certainly very convenient form of turkey for small families. If you like dark meat, buy the drumstick quarter; if you like white meat, buy the wing quarter and enjoy the succulent white breast slices.

Fruit Department: The four stars of the fruit department are: tangy, crisp apples, crunchy fresh cranberries, economical and flavorful dried fruits, and, of course, nuts galore. Among the kinds of apples that are yours for the choosing are Red and

Golden Delicious, Jonathan, Winesap and Rome Beauty to name a few. Winter pears are increasing in quantity and quality is very good. A juicy, delicious Anjou pear and Roquefort or Bleu cheese are a grand meal-ending combination. Oranges, lemons and grapefruit are in good supply. Tangerines are putting in their seasonal appearance.

Vegetable Buys. Potatoes are a bargain in food value. With cool weather making oven use more appealing, we are fortunate in having an abundance of "bakers." Fresh sweet potatoes and yams are at their best. Other good vegetable buys include cabbage, carrots, celery, onions, green peppers, lettuce and squash.

Grocery Department. This is the time of year when the bees have finished buzzing busily and we get to enjoy the fruits of their labors. Have plenty of nature's sweetener, honey, on hand for use on hot

breads or in cooking holiday treats. For example, it gives fruit cake a delicious flavor and adds to its good keeping qualities. Canned apple sauce and purple plums are being featured. Other exceptional buys in nutrition are tuna, cottage cheese, dried peas and beans, peanut butter, processed cheese, and the macaroni trio, spaghetti, macaroni and noodles.

Strategic Air Command Has Extensive Program of Security

Offutt Air Force Base, Neb.—UPI—“They had better be damn good or stay at home.” That, in substance, is the philosophy and unofficial motto of the Security Division branch of the Strategic Air Command, which numbers the entire duty roster of SAC among its agents.

Lt. Col. Jim Black, SAC Security Division chief, says there has never been an act of sabotage against a SAC base which could be attributed to the enemy. “Any attempt to molest or impair SAC’s retaliatory capability will be viewed as a very serious aggressive act,” Black said, because it would mean the enemy had or was about to launch an attack and wanted to keep SAC planes on the ground.

Extensive Training
Every member of the SAC command has received extensive training in security

and it is a part of their job to keep an eye on the general scene. Not long ago, SAC completely scrapped former security measures in favor of an entirely new concept of protecting its men, planes, weapons and runways. Whereas the entire physical layout used to be pro-

Plane Crashes on Takeoff; Four Die

Denver—UPI—A private airplane crashed during a takeoff into a snowstorm Thursday and four persons were killed. The plane did not burn, but witnesses said the bodies were mutilated. Although the plane, a Beechcraft Bonanza, crashed into a heavily populated district, it did not hit any homes. Tentative identification of the victims was made by Combs Aircraft, Inc., where the plane was serviced. The victims were identified tentatively only as Joe Burkhardt, his wife and their two children.

Democrats Advised To Keep Eye on Nixon

Washington—UPI—Paul Ziffren, California Democratic national committeeman, advised the Democratic party Thursday to develop “a western accent” and to keep its sights on Vice President Richard M. Nixon for the next two years.

Anti-Shoplifting Law Said Desired

Portland—UPI—Members of the Portland Retail Trade Bureau told state legislators Wednesday night that merchants would like an “anti-shoplifting” law containing protection against what they termed exploitation of the false arrest law.

ected, “Combat Force Protection” (CFP) now guards the actual retaliatory instruments of the command and leaves real estate protection to the “Base Police Flight”—Air Police under a new name.

The possibility that Communists now hold key positions in SAC is slight, Black said, although he does not rule out the possibility. “It would take a psychological scientist to go through our extensive clearance program and daily scrutiny by fellow officers and men without showing some suspicious signs,” Black said.

Security Protection
Every available means of security protection is used by the Strategic Air Command, including dogs and mechanical devices, but SAC relies mainly on the men themselves. The other methods are employed only to bolster the effectiveness of human guards.

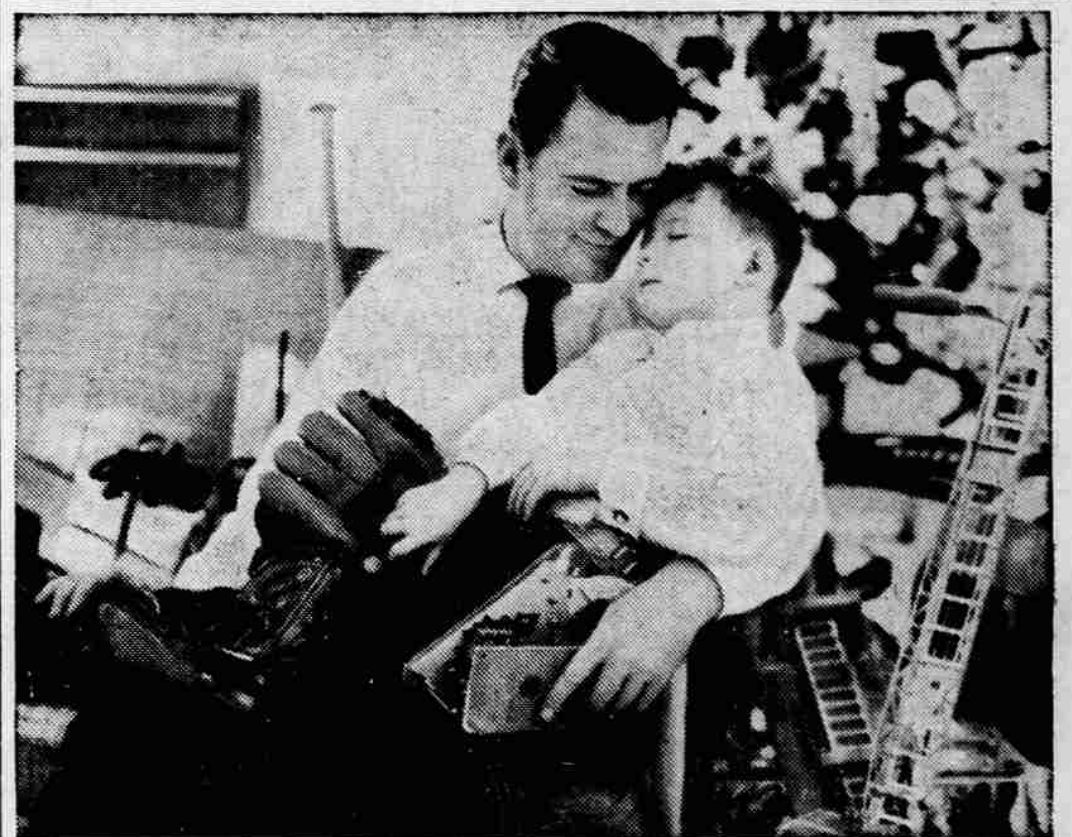
Time-tested and combat-proven war dogs have been used by SAC for many years. At present, some 1,500 of these husky, finely-trained German Shepherds are on duty.

SAC recently changed the methods of its penetration teams, which formerly infiltrated SAC bases secretly to test security measures.

While such methods were largely effective, security guards were forced to determine whether the invader was real or imaginary, requiring hesitation which could have been fatal under real conditions. Now the teams advertise their presence. Anyone else risks being shot.

Quick Notification
Should sabotage occur at any of the far-flung SAC bases, command headquarters would be notified within two minutes. And since SAC men believe enemy sabotage, if and when it comes, will occur simultaneously at all bases, headquarters will have the

complete picture within minutes. “Step on any tentacle and the brain is alerted immediately.” Is the way Black sums it up.



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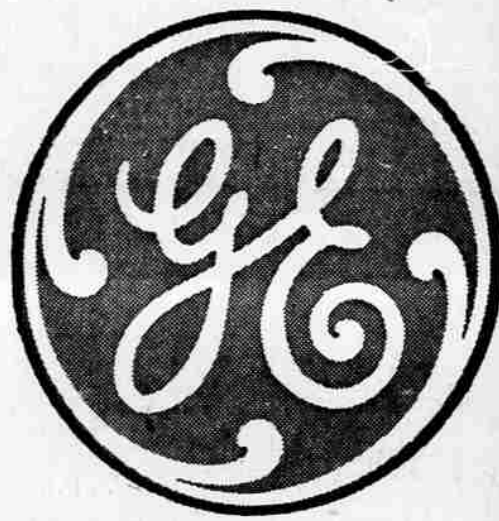
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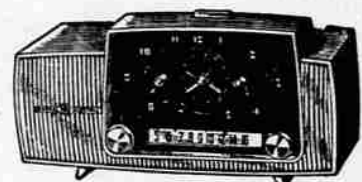
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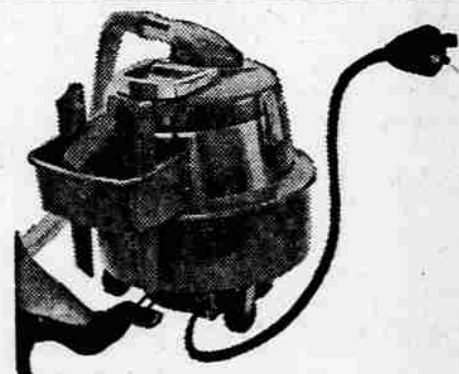
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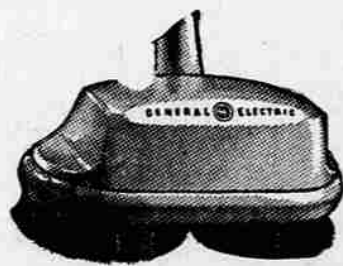
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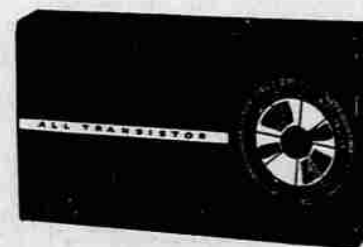
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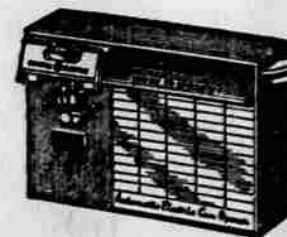
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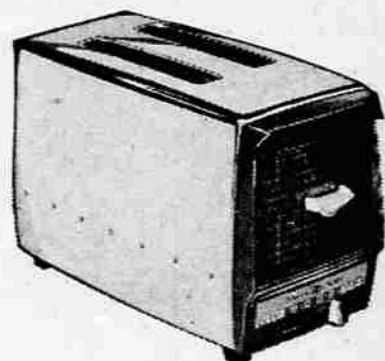
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