



Ham Tetrazzini, a variation of the famed Chicken Tetrazzini, combines fresh mushrooms, cooking sherry, Parmesan cheese and seasonings, with spaghetti for a casserole that will find the favor of family and friends.

## Ham Tetrazzini Variation Of Famed Italian Recipe

Ham Tetrazzini is a variation of the well-known Italian dish, Chicken Tetrazzini, said to have been created as a compliment to the celebrated opera singer, Mme. Louis Tetrazzini.

The casserole is a delectable blend of spaghetti topped with a creamy sauce filled with cubes of ham and fresh mushroom slices, the whole mixture given the special flavor fillip of sherry and Parmesan cheese.

What do you serve with this main dish? Broccoli or Italian green beans, perhaps, and a big salad of tossed greens with a thin vinegar and oil dressing crusty bread and butter, milk and fresh fruit for dessert.

**HAM TETRAZZINI**

One-fourth cup finely chopped onion; one-half cup butter, melted; (one stick); one-half pound fresh mushrooms, sliced; (two cups); one-third cup flour; two cups milk; two cups half and half (milk and cream); three tablespoons cooking sherry, optional; one-fourth teaspoon salt; dash garlic salt; dash pepper; three-fourth cup shredded Parmesan cheese (two and one-half ounces); one seven-ounce package spaghetti, cooked; two cups small thinly

sliced cooked ham pieces (10 to 12 ounces).

Saute onion in butter until transparent; add mushrooms and cook until tender. Blend in flour. Stir in milk and half and half; continue stirring until mixture is smooth and thickened. Add sherry, salt and pepper. Mix together one-half cup shredded Parmesan cheese and spaghetti in bottom of two-quart shallow baking dish.

Cover with alternate layers of sauce and ham ending with sauce. Sprinkle remaining Parmesan cheese over top. Bake in moderate oven, 375 degrees, until bubbly around edges of dish and brown on top about 20 to 25 minutes. Makes six to eight servings.

**Chitticks Leave After Visit Here**

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Hibbard, 1804 Roberts Road, had as guests for Christmas their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Chittick. The couple left December 26 for Myrtle Point where they make their home and where both are teachers.



Small city and country living is just a lot better than big city living, as far as we are concerned, and we're always doubly sure of it during the holidays.

Three recent articles we read only strengthened our opinion that we wouldn't like to be in New York City or Philadelphia or Boston at Christmas time. All three writers spoke of their growing concern and annoyance over the fact that they were expected to provide gifts — either articles or money — to so many persons who provide "services."

One man mentioned his newsboy, who was openly resentful of the fact that the customer gave him no monetary gift at Christmas. Another article dealt with what is expected of New Yorkers at Christmas and quoted the man, an apartment house dweller, who had been provided with a list of 27 persons to whom he was expected to present checks. Most of them he had never seen, and in some instances he felt their service the past year deserved no recognition. These apartment house lists, we are told, usually include the policeman in the area.

Potpourri gives, and receives, a few gifts which probably come under the "service" category, but all are exchanged among persons we know and in most instances consider as friends. We hope it is never otherwise. Perhaps in the future gifts of this sort we'll present at Thanksgiving or the Fourth of July — at some time which has no religious significance.

Among our Christmas letters was one from Beth Ryan, Oswego, an Oregon Press Woman member and sorority sister, which included an "out of the mouth of babes" remark. One of Mrs. Ryan's grandchildren, two and a half years old, was taken for a pony sleigh ride with Santa Claus after which he observed to his mother with excitement "There's a man in that suit!"

The National Safety Council repeats and repeats this slogan, particularly at holiday time — make the one for the road coffee.

### Rolls and Porkies Make Dish for Crowd

When you expect in a group, particularly the teenage crowd, during the afternoon or evening Parker House Porkies should fill the bill for they are easily served and make a hearty dish.

Split the rolls and spread with butter. Heat. Place canned little sausages in skillet and heat.

Use serving table or buffet and let the guests serve themselves, according to their own tastes from side dishes of mustard, catsup or relish.

### Nidermeyers Leave For California

Mr. and Mrs. John Nidermeyer, 1014 Old Stage Road, planned to leave Medford Saturday to take their daughter, Nancy, to Berkeley, Calif., where she is employed. From there, the Nidermeyers will continue down the coast to San Diego to visit friends and relatives. They plan to be gone two weeks.



The useful tea cart is returning to favor. This one has a solid maple top which increases from 18 to 36 inches with the leaves up. Turned spoke wooden wheels with rubber tires, a large shelf and drawer are other features of this server, finished in nutmeg maple. Martinsville Novelty Corporation.

### Householders Like Maintenance Free Building Materials

Painting, polishing and general clean-up are periodic chores that discourage most homeowners and make apartment dwellers out of some who prefer to spend their spare time in recreation or travel. To meet this problem, more and more builders are offering buyers homes with products and materials that are practically maintenance-free.

Fully tiled bathrooms rate high with buyers who want homes with a minimum upkeep. Real ceramic tile requires nothing more than an occasional quick wipe with a damp cloth to look sparkling new. Because ceramic tile is impervious to burns and scratches, it's being used with increasing frequency on kitchen counters and backsplashes.

On exteriors, builders are offering siding materials, some of which are guaranteed not to require repainting for 15 years. Others, such as ceramic tile, never need to be painted. Ceramic tile now comes in more than 250 fadeproof shades so that it's easy to find the color to match or blend with any decor.

### Chapter To Meet At Welch Home

Chapter C G of the PEO sisterhood will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Welch, Hawthorne Garden Apartments, Thursday, January 2. Mrs. G. T. Haupt will serve dessert at 12:30 p.m. and Mrs. Richard House will present a program following the business meeting.

### Wear Corsage Stems Down, Say Florists

When you buy or are given a corsage, be sure you wear it properly. The stems should always point down and the flowers up, the way they grow. They'll look prettier that way, says the Society of American Florists.

### Dinner and Party Are Held in Yreka

YREKA — Employees and management of the American Fabric Care Service recently were entertained at an annual holiday dinner and party in the Yreka Inn. Mrs. Peggy Kernohan directed the program and party events produced by Morris Friedman.

Prize winners were Mrs. Jan Engelman, Mrs. Avis Smith, Mrs. Marge Thatcher, Walter Kyle and Luther Wharton. Mrs. Carrie Le May and Mrs. Pearl Frieman were honored guests.

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