



NOW I FEEL BETTER—Right after lunch Sharon started shopping again and found this miniature refrigerator which, she confided, was the very thing she wanted for herself this Christmas. The toy departments featured many household appliances, miniatures of mother's own kitchen equipment, for the doll house or play room, Sharon learned.

Delicious Foods Add to Your Holiday Enjoyment

With Christmas dinner to plan, and luncheons and suppers to arrange for, the business of systematic menu planning becomes all-important. Here are some first aids to the busy home maker—recipes certain to enhance her reputation as a cook and make holiday meal times something to anticipate.

Roast Fillet of Beef

Have fillet larded, ready for the oven. Season and place in an open pan. Have oven very hot so that meat will sear over at once. A four pound fillet requires about 40 minutes to roast. After roasting about 20 minutes add a little hot water. Serve with brown gravy. Mixed cut and cooked vegetables make an attractive garnish.

Crown Roast of Pork

12 ribs pork
2 cups dry bread crumbs
Salt and pepper
1 teaspoon savory
6 small onions
4 tablespoons flour
Paprika
Have butcher trim and roll meat into crown so that bone is on the outside, fastened together with string. Stuff with dressing, bread crumbs soaked in cold water and then squeezed dry. Mix with salt, pepper and savory, and onion chopped, and paprika. Place dressing in center of meat. Cover ends of bones with greased paper to prevent browning too much. Put roast in hot oven and cook for 1 hour. Then lower heat and cook 2 hours. Baste often.

Riced Sweet Potatoes

One large can sweet potatoes, butter and brown sugar. Butter a baking dish, fill with layers of

riced sweet potatoes, sprinkle with brown sugar and dot with butter. Bake about 1/2 of an hour.

Sweet Potatoes With Marshmallows

1 pint sweet potatoes, mashed
1/2 teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons maple sugar or syrup
Beat all together and press into a shallow baking dish. Smooth the top and cut into squares with a knife dipped into boiling water. Place a marshmallow on each square. Bake in a moderate oven until marshmallows are nicely browned.

Baked Cauliflower With Cheese

1 cauliflower
1 tablespoon butter
1 tablespoon flour
1 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon paprika
2 tablespoons grated cheese
2 tablespoons coarse bread crumbs
Cook medium sized head of cauliflower until tender, in boiling water into which you have put salt and a teaspoon of flour. Drain and separate in flowerets. Arrange in a well buttered baking dish. Make a white sauce by melting butter, stirring in flour and slowly adding milk. Season with salt and 1 tablespoon grated cheese. Pour over cauliflower. Sprinkle sauce with crumbs and cheese, dot with bits of butter and sprinkle with paprika. Bake in moderate oven till brown, about half an hour.

Spinach Puffs

1 tablespoon butter
1 tablespoon flour
1 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 can spinach
2 eggs
Chop spinach fine and mix with white sauce made of the butter, salt and milk. Add well

beaten eggs last and bake 25 minutes in hot oven.

Frozen Fruit Salad

Put 1 tablespoon butter in double boiler, add 2 beaten egg yolks and mix with 3/4 cup sugar, 1/2 cup flour, 1-3/4 cups sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-3/4 cups paprika, 1-3/4 cup lemon juice. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Strain into a bowl, beat 2 minutes with Dover beater and cool. Add 1 cup each of orange sections, sweet cherries, pineapple, and peaches, cut in small pieces. Fold in 1 cup whipped cream. Put in tray in refrigerator 3 to 4 hours. Cut in slices and serve on lettuce.

Orange and Cheese Salad

Stir 2 cups cottage cheese with sweet cream, season with salt, pepper and 1 tablespoon gelatin soaked in 4 tablespoons cold water and dissolved over hot water. Add orange vegetable coloring. Pour into individual ring molds, chill. Unmold, fill centers with orange sections and chopped nuts which have been marinated in French dressing. Serve with whipped cream mayonnaise to which has been added a few drops of orange coloring.

Ice Box Rolls

1/2 cup sugar
2 tablespoons shortening
2 well beaten eggs
8 to 10 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
2 cups boiling water
Yeast size of walnut
Pour boiling water over sugar, salt and shortening. Let cool until lukewarm. Add yeast dissolved in tablespoon water, and eggs, well beaten. Add flour until dough is proper consistency. Let rise over night and mold down in the morning. Shape into biscuits. Let rise until light and bake. This dough will keep for a few days in a cool place.

Mince Pie

1 recipe for pastry
3 cups homemade or prepared mincemeat
Prepare pastry. Fill with mincemeat. Cover with top crust. Bake in hot oven about 10 min-

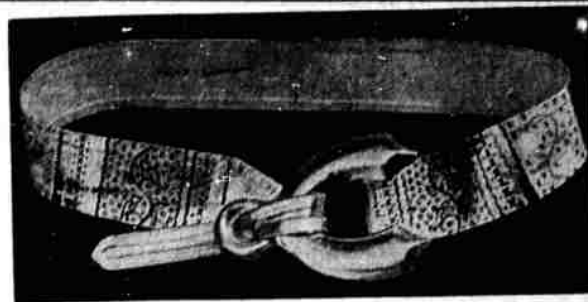
utes. Reduce temperature slightly and bake about 30 minutes longer. Particularly delicious served with cheese or hard sauce made with a little brandy.

Christmas Fruit Cake

1 pound butter
1 pound light brown sugar
1 pound flour
9 eggs
2 pounds currants
2 pounds raisins
1 pound citron, thinly sliced and cut in strips
1/2 pound candied cherries
2 teaspoons mace
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon soda
2 tablespoons milk
1/2 pound almonds, blanched and shredded
Cream butter, add sugar and beat thoroughly. Separate yolks from whites, beat yolks until thick and lemon colored, whites until stiff, then add to first mixture. Dry and add fruit, nuts, flour mixed and sifted with mace, soda and cinnamon. Put in buttered deep pans. Steam 3 hours and bake 1 1/2 hours in very slow oven. Be sure to wash raisins and currants. Will make about 10 pounds of cake.

Christmas Plum Pudding

1 cup suet
1 cup nuts
1 cup dark brown sugar
2 eggs
Sift dry ingredients; add dates, figs, nuts, suet and sugar; then beaten eggs and fruit juice. If dough is too stiff add 1/2 cup milk. Serve with vanilla sauce. Bake 3 hours in a slow oven.



Two luxury Christmas gifts for someone extra special. The gold kid belt, above, has hand-painted blue, pink and purple figures. Merry Hull designed the "window-watch gloves" at left, so the efficient career woman could tell time on icy days without pushing up her coat sleeves.

Christmas Cookies

1 cup fruit juice
1 cup dates
1 cup figs
1/2 cup milk if needed
2 1/2 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon cloves
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup candied pineapple and cherries
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ture, alternately with milk, blending thoroughly. Chill dough. Roll dough 1/4 inch thick on floured board and cut with 2 inch cookie cutter. For the filling, cook dates, sugar and water over direct heat until thickened, stirring constantly. Cool. Place 1 teaspoon filling on 1 cookie, place another cookie on top and press together. Prick top of each cookie with a fork. Place on greased baking sheets and bake in moderately hot oven 15 minutes.

FLAVORSOME MOLASSES

Some time, when you are making a caramel pudding, substitute New Orleans molasses for the caramel syrup. It will give your dessert a most engaging flavor.

When our neighbors saw that we were beginning to work out social justice at home, they thought it probable that we would also deal with them in accordance with a more liberal policy.—Dr. Samuel Guy Inman, University of Pennsylvania professor.

The cares and burdens that must be laid on all our shoulders in this war would pale before the inferno that awaits us should we lose.—Joseph Goebbels, German propaganda chief.



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