"Our Best" Recipes

- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup sugar
- ½ tsp. salt
- 11/2 cups pumpkin 1 cup flour
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 1/4 tsp. soda
- 2 tsp. pumpkin spice ½ tsp ginger
- 1 tb. margarine melted
- 1 tsp. vanilla confectioners sugar

PUMPKIN FRITTERS

Beat eggs, sugar and salt until fluffy. Blend in pumpkin. Stir in dry ingredients. Fry in deep fat. Roll in confectioners sugar if you

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CUTTING CALORIES FOR THANKSGIVING

Facing the big meal on Thanksgiving Day is no easy feat even for the most careful dieter. The Thanksgiving, after all, is by eating. Don't get too discouraged, though. Just plan ahead, face the meal with the right mental at-titude, don't let anyone force on you high calorie foods you really don't want and keep in mind some of these calorietrimming ideas:

Begin by having only two slices of white meat turkey. Two slices, or four ounces, of white turkey meat amounts to about 200 calories without the skin. Separate any skin or fat from the meat before you eat it. Four ounces of dark meat has 230 calories and 30 extra calories might not seem that much, but when you're facing a feast like this one, you'll want to cut out the extras.

If gravy isn't a must for your enjoyment of tur-key, skip it. If it just isn't bit of giblet gravy, limit yourself to a quarter of a cup, 40 calories. (A quarter of a cup is two scant ladelsful.)

The lowest calorie stuffings are corn bread or chestnut varieties, about 78 calories per half cup. Limit yourself to one serving of this amount -

calories) and don't add

Other vegetable dishes are good choices for dieters. Baked winter squash has 130 calories per half, or per cup if it's mashed. But make sure no butter is added to mashed squash dishes that doubles the calorie count. Another holiday treat, creamed onions, is a pretty good diet choice, too, if you limit quantity: have only a half cup at 80

Fill up on green salad if you can, but avoid the dressing and use lemon juice instead. A cup of salad with lemon juice amounts to only about 35 rolls, of course, if you're

having dressing, but if you give up the stuffing, treat yourself to a small

roll or piece of bread and add on about 60 calories. A four-ounce glass of white wine is a nice addition and only adds 95 to 100 calories.

You can do it if you watch your portions and calories. If you happen to get into the holiday spirit and slip up just a bit, try to make the day at least a weight-maintenance one.

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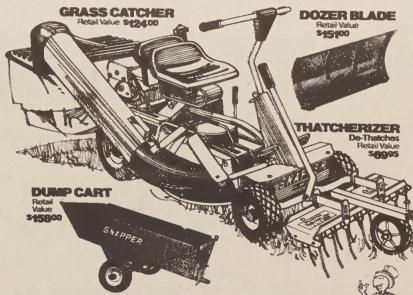
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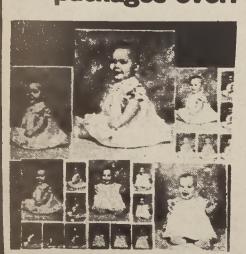
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