

THE **WOMEN'S PAGE**

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All Of Interest To The Feminine Folk Of Transylvania County

**Herb Butter Is Good With Corn**

Delicious corn on the cob, dripping with butter, will make a big hit. To make it perfect, add some herbs or spices to the butter.

You might add one-eighth of a teaspoon of ground thyme leaves to one-fourth cup of melted butter. Combine and simmer for a minute, then serve brushed over ears of steaming fresh corn. Or add one-eighth teaspoon of ground nutmeg to the melted butter.

A big favorite with the menfolk is this combination: team one-fourth teaspoon of garlic, onion and celery salt with one-fourth cup of melted butter.

Try one of these special butter mixtures today on fresh corn, and serve with broiled lamb patties, scalloped potatoes and escarole salad. For an easy dessert, you might have raspberry sherbet.

**SANDWICH FILLINGS**

Popular sandwiches include those with boiled ham, luncheon meat, liver sausage, sliced cheese and egg or salmon salad fillings. To make your favorite sandwich even more appetizing, add crisp lettuce, chilled radishes, carrot or celery sticks to provide interesting texture contrast without taking on many calories.

**Unique Surprise Party Honors Minister And Wife**

By STAFF WRITER

Giving flowers to the living has always been a strong policy of the Pollyanna club at Little River Baptist church, but never have they so magnificently demonstrated it as when they went all out with a birthday and anniversary party honoring their pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. John T. Neal.

While the Neals were away on a vacation, the valley folks were busy with their plans. At the celebration practically every Little resident had a part in honoring this couple who have contributed so much to community life.

Although Mr. Neal knew of plans for a party, his wife walked into the Community building August 6th thinking she was going to chaperone a young people's affair. Imagine her surprise when the chub choir, which she directs, appropriately sang "Happy Birthday" upon her entrance. The Neals' anniversary was the 6th and Mrs. Neal's birthday August 4th.

Mrs. Neal was led to the chair of honor by "Uncle" Henry Nicholson. Then the honors really began. She was crowned "Queen" for the evening by Mrs. Hal Med-

ford, chairman of the Lou Osborne circle, who also assisted with the party. Mrs. E. H. Mackey pinned a corsage on the honoree and recognized special guests and visitors. A quartette composed of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hamilton, Mrs. Elmer Kilstrom and Fred Kilstrom sang "Give Them the Flowers While They're Living."

A basket was placed beside Mrs. Neal into which people placed a flower, each one a tribute to her for some activity. She leads the chub choir, the Girls' Auxiliary, is superintendent of the Sunday school beginners' department, leader of the Story Hour in training school, Training Union director, president of the Home Demonstration club, youth choir director. Mrs. Neal attends all of the circle meetings each month, drives many miles taking persons to and from church, writes the weekly community news for The Transylvania Times, visits the sick and has made many trips with local persons to the Baptist hospital, in addition to the smaller chores expected of a rural minister's wife.

As the party concluded the quartette sang "Your Life Can Be Beautiful" and many lovely gifts were presented to the honoree.

A color scheme of red and white was used to decorate the community building. A large table was overlaid with a white linen cloth and centered with a huge cake surrounded by red flowers. Tall red and white candles in crystal holders were also used in the decoration. At each end of the table were florist baskets filled with red and white glads and palm fern.

Delicious refreshments were served to conclude the joyous occasion.

Perhaps typical of Mrs. Neal's devotion to duty was her expression of pleasure over her favorite birthday gift—a steel filing cabinet!

**New Finish On Fabrics Described**

One of the newer fashion fabric finishes (called "Hydro-Pruf") is said to be water and spot repellent and more crease resistant than ever. It can be applied to just about every fabric you can think of, including corduroys, cottons, wools, rayons, velvets, satins, suedes and even mouton-dyed lamb.

There is said to be greater resistance to fading, retention of light fastness, less needle cutting and, a durable water repellency when this spot resistant finish is used. From their appearance you'd never know that many of the smart new clothes have been treated with this new silicone resin finish.

If cherries are to be held after purchase, store them in the refrigerator, spread out on a tray. Do not wash them until you are ready to use them.

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**AUTUMN SWEATERS** are coming in for their share of interest by no less than two and one-half million students who will be wending their way to college and universities this fall. Most enthusiastic are the girls, many of whom will be knitting some of their own sweaters. It has been said that the college girl owns from six to 20 sweaters. This classic style, perfect for wear on any campus, can be made by the most amateurish knitter. Directions in sizes 12-14-16 are available without charge by sending a stamped-self addressed envelope to the Woman's Page Editor requesting them.

**Do-It-Yourself Craze Extends To Paris Designers**

The "Do-It-Yourself" craze has even hit the designing and dress-making business. Now it's a do-it-yourself kit for American homemakers wanting Paris fashions at low cost. It's the Brainchild of French designer Serge Kogan and American promoter Philip Gelb. If their plan succeeds, the average American homemaker may soon be able to order a French package complete with pattern, fabric, trimming and Paris label, for a modest sum of \$15 to \$20.

At the party in Paris held recently to introduce this novel idea, Mannequins modelled pretty clothes made from this Paris "Do-It-Yourself" kit. And at the showing a seamstress in a corner stitched up a coat, to show how quick and easy it could be.

Gelb, who has worked in France for 10 years, says he is aiming directly at the estimated 30 million American women who make some or all of their own clothes.

The models they showed in brocades, tweeds and flannels, followed the new fashion silhouette faithfully. They included such practical double-duty details as button-off capes and boleros. The look, on the whole, was young and collegiate.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The undersigned, having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Charlotte W. Earnhardt, deceased late of Volusia County, Florida, this is to notify all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned or before the 11th day of August, 1955, at No. 1 Shiflet Building, 35 1/2 East Main Street, Brevard, North Carolina, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 4th day of August, 1955  
W. J. GARDINER,  
Executor of the Estate of Charlotte W. Earnhardt.

**INVITATION TO BID**

Bids are hereby invited for furnishing and installing for the Town of Brevard a new roof over the City Hall Building. Bids should be based upon installation of first quality asphalt felt or similar type layers and sealer with leak-proof service for a minimum twenty (20) year period. Bids need not contemplate removal of the present roof unless essential to a first class job. All work and materials should be guaranteed first quality, and bids should reflect cost to the Town of Brevard with and without guaranty bond.

Bids must be in sealed envelopes addressed to Mrs. Opal C. King, Town Clerk, Brevard, North Carolina, and marked on the outside, "Bid on City Hall Roof." Each bid must be accompanied by cash or a certified check for two (2) per cent of the amount thereof.

Bids will be received until 7:30 p. m. September 5, 1955, when they will be opened and read.

The Town reserves the right to reject all bids.

This the 2nd day of August, 1955.  
TOWN OF BREVARD  
By: OPAL C. KING  
Town Clerk.

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When you think of prescriptions think of VARNER'S.—adv.

**Weight Watching Game Easier In Summer Weather**

Women who want to look their best in their bathing suits now as well as later on in their new fall clothes, will find it's easier to do a little necessary dieting during hot weather. Appetites usually lag a bit anyway at this time, so it's easier to eat less. But make sure you get enough vitamins and minerals which are so necessary to good health.

Research has shown that a person on a reducing diet gets along best when he or she consumes more protein than usual. This is a good reason for including plenty of milk—particularly skim milk or buttermilk, in a slimming diet. Skim milk or buttermilk contains all the nutrients of whole milk except fat and vitamin A, yet one cup of either type of milk contains only 85 calories as compared with 165 calories in a cup of whole milk.

Cottage cheese also is a fine addition to a reducing diet. It makes an excellent salad when served with tomatoes, peaches or apricots.

If you're a weight watcher, serve whole tomatoes stuffed with cottage cheese, or crisp lettuce, today. Or try yog over salad greens. The yogurt may be mixed with a little minced onion and paprika if you like.

With the salad, you might serve a variety of sliced cold meats, crisp celery, bread and butter pickles, and a choice of hot or cold deverage.

**CORN FLAVORFUL**

Corn adds a special look to any outdoor or indoor meal right now. To get really flavorful sweet corn, try for the quickest and coolest handling between field and dinner table. A few growers pick sweet corn before the sun is hot, chill it in the field, and most grocers keep it chilled in the store.

If you can't find it in the dictionary, atlas or encyclopedia, try Varner's Drug Store.—adv.

**COOKS' CORNER**

—BY—  
ADELAIDE VAN WEY



I received a wonderful letter from Carolyn Kizer Mather, all the way from San Francisco. Carolyn sent me a delicious cookie recipe and said I might use it in this column. She also sent in some "handy hints" that she calls Time and Patience Savers. It is my pleasure to pass them on to you Carolyn Kizer Mather's recipe and hints.

**Carolyn Kizer Mather's Ice Box Cookies**

- 1 pkg. Devils Food Cake Mix
- 3 tbs. water
- 1 cup chopped walnuts
- 1 egg
- 1 pkg. mint-flavored chocolate drops

Blend well cake mix, egg and water. Add chocolate drops and nuts. Mix thoroughly. Shape dough water. Add chocolate drops and nut into rolls small in diameter (as cookies spread while baking); put in refrigerator to chill. Slice and bake in 375 degree oven for ten to twelve minutes. A real treat; do try it.

Here are two of Carolyn's excellent kitchen tips: Strained prunes marketed for babies make an easy and delicious prune whip.

Plastic bags are ideal for keeping lettuce, carrots, celery and greens crisp for many days in the refrigerator.

I have some quick and easy recipes to help you beat the heat.

**Jiffy Casserole**

- 2 tbs. butter
- 1-4 tsp. pepper
- 1 pkg. spaghetti, cooked, drained
- 1 tsp. sugar
- 4 peeled fresh tomatoes
- 1-2 tsp. salt
- 1 tbs. oregano
- 1 large can sliced mushrooms

Dot bottom of a generous casserole with butter. Place pieces of tomato on bottom covering with layer of spaghetti then layer of mushrooms and part of seasonings. Repeat with second layer as first. End with layer of tomatoes. Dot with butter and sprinkle with grated sharp cheese. Bake in 350 degree oven for twenty minutes. Simple but good.

**Quickie Hawaiian Ham**

- 1 one-half inch slice pre-cooked ham
- 2 tbs. brown sugar
- 4 small peeled sweet potatoes
- 1 small can crushed pineapple
- 1 tsp. ginger

Place ham slice in casserole with pineapple and juice. Place potatoes on top. Sprinkle with brown sugar and ginger. Bake in 300 degree oven for one hour.

**Porcupine Pasties**

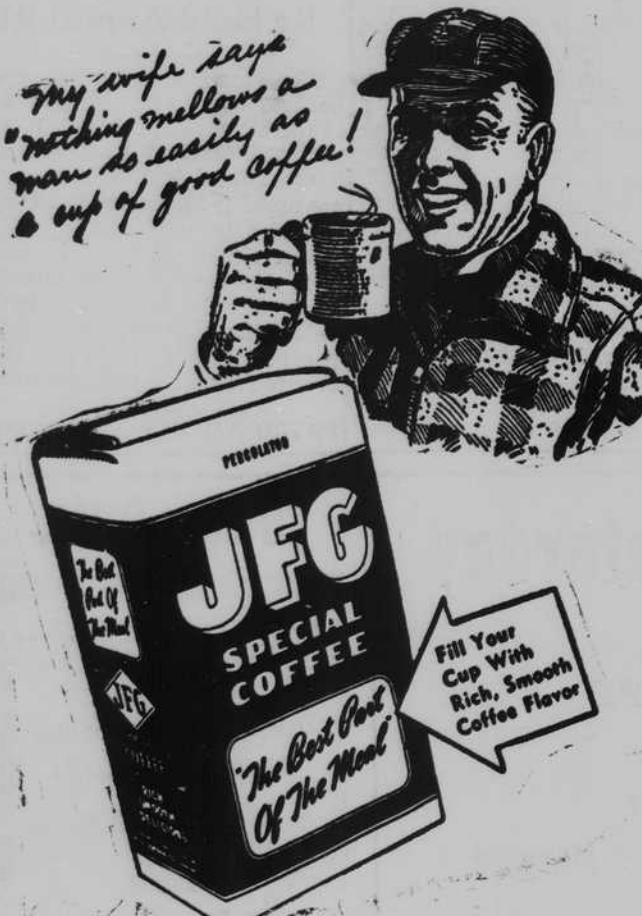
- 1 1-2 lbs. ground beef
- 1 tbs. chopped parsley
- 1-4 tsp. ginger
- 1-2 tsp. garlic salt
- 1-4 tsp. pepper
- 1-2 cup cold water
- 2 tbs. sliced onion
- 1 can condensed tomato soup
- 1 cup raw rice
- 1-2 soup can of milk

Mix beef, seasonings, water, onion and raw rice. Form into balls and place in greased casserole. Thin soup with milk and pour over the meat balls. (You may need to add more milk, almost a can full if soup seems too thick.) Bake in 350 degree oven for thirty minutes. Economical and filling and you can prepare ahead of time if need be.

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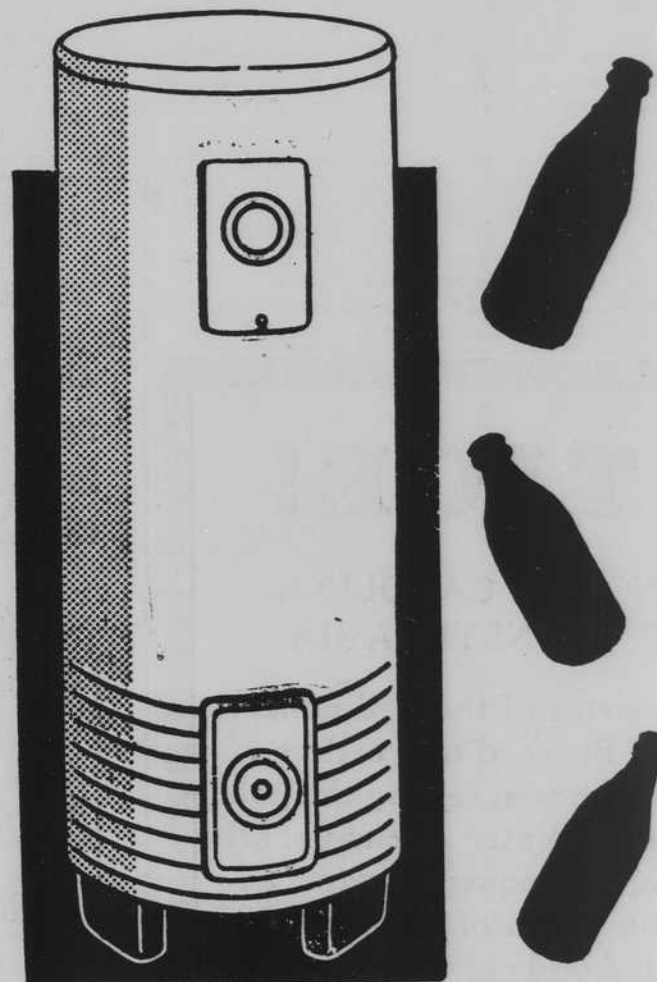
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