

## Recipes Of The Week

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**Sweet Potato Supremes**  
3 med. size sweet potatoes, cooked  
1 T. Butter  
Marshmallows  
2 T. sugar  
Nut meats, chopped  
Mash sweet potatoes, add seasoning. Place a marshmallow in center of each potato ball and

roll in chopped nut meats Chill.  
**French String Beans**  
Cut cooked string beans lengthwise and place in bottom of broiler pan. Add enough liquid to cover bottom of pan. Add desired amount of salt to season. During the broiling period, the beans will heat and the drippings from the meat will season them. Serve pineapple and lettuce salad with meal.

**French String Beans**  
Fresh vegetable, such as tomatoes, onions, and mushrooms combine well with broiled meats. They should be put on the broiler rack when the meat is turned. Fruits, either fresh or canned, are a delightful addition to a broiler meal and add a special tang to any meat course. Pineapple and lettuce salad, bananas,



Dane Clark and Ruth Roman star in Warner Bros. "Barriade," a colorful western action drama centering about a gold mining camp in the middle of a western desert, beginning Wednesday at the Vicar Theatre.

orange, grapefruit, peach, apricot, and pear halves are especially adapted to broiler meals. Brush them with melted butter, season, add them to the rack when the meat is turned.

While broiling leave the door open at the stop position in order to keep the broiler unit operating through the required period of

time and to prevent excessive smoking. The broiler need not be preheated unless it is done under pyrex glass for which you would preheat for 5 minutes.

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minute get-togethers before the crowd separates for the summer and bon voyage parties for friends leaving on vacation trips. Refreshing beverages, cookies and dainty sandwiches are always welcome.

**Ginger Ale Delight**  
(Serves 20)  
1 1-2 cups water, 1 1-2 cups sugar, 2 qts. ginger ale, crushed ice, 1 stick of cinnamon, 1-4 tsp. nutmeg, 5 whole cloves, 2 cups orange juice, 1 cup pineapple juice, 1 cup grapefruit juice, 1-2 cup lemon juice. Boil sugar and water 10 min.; add spices to hot syrup and let stand for hours. Strain, add fruit juices, ice cubes and last of all, ginger ale (just before serving). (You may prefer to freeze some of the ginger ale in cubes and serve in the punch.)

**Tropical Cookies**  
1 cup shortening, 1 1-4 cups sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind, 2 teaspoons grated orange rind, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 2 eggs, unbeaten, 2 1-4 cups sifted all-purpose flour, 1 1-3 cups shredded coconut. Combine shortening, sugar, salt, rinds, and juice, and eggs and beat thoroughly - Add flour to first mixture and mix well - Add coconut and blend - Drop rounded tablespoons of dough on greased baking sheets - Bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) 12-15 minutes - Makes 3 dozen.

**Cheese Cornelsias**  
2 cups flour, 1-2 lb. grated sharp-cheese, 1-2 lb. butter. Cream butter and flour, add grated cheese. Make into roll. Store in refrigerator. Slice and bake as icebox cookies. Bake at 425 degrees for 12 minutes.

**Avocado Dip**  
1 Avocado pear, 1 small pkg. cream-cheese, 2 tbs. mayonaise, 1-2 tsp salt, 1-4 tsp. garlic salt, 2 tsp. grated onion. Beat all ingredients together and use as a dip for potato chips.

**Erin Punch (Serves 50)**  
2 quarts lime ice (do not use shebert), 1-2 cup lemon juice, 1-2 cup sugar, 1 cup water, 6 qts. sparkling water. Boil sugar and water and chill in refrigerator. Pour syrup mixed with lemon juice over the lime ice and add sparkling water.

**Cranberry Punch (Serves 15)**  
1 qt. sweetened cranberry juice, 1 qt. ginger ale, 1-2 cup orange juice, 1-2 cup lemon juice. Blend fruit juices and chill. Add crushed ice and ginger ale when ready to serve.

## Insect Damage Costs Millions

Cotton insect damage in North Carolina in 1949 amounted to an estimated \$37,743,100, B. C. Lineberger, chairman of the North Carolina-Virginia unit of the National Cotton Council revealed here today in releasing statistics compiled by the Council and based on the final 1949 cotton production report of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Losses in North Carolina last year exceeded by 13,842,100 those estimated by the Cotton Council

in a preliminary, unofficial report prepared early last fall before the final cotton production estimate in December.

Boll weevil reduced the full yield in North Carolina approximately 27 percent, destroying an estimated 224,196 bales of cotton and 94,982 tons of cottonseed. The toll exacted by pests in 1949 was nearly four times as great as damage in 1948 when North Carolina losses were estimated to have been \$9,622,000.

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