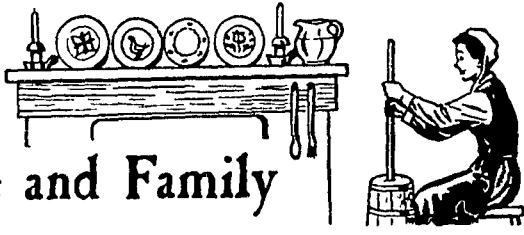


For the Farm Wife and Family



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and cut in small pieces
 1/2 cup sugar
 1/4 cup molasses
 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1/2 cup shortening (half butter or fortified margarine)
 2 eggs
 1 1/4 cups sifted all purpose enriched flour
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 Cream shortening and sugar, add molasses. Add eggs one at a time, beating well. Sift the flour with baking soda, salt and cinnamon. Mix thoroughly with sugar mixture. Add prunes and vanilla. Drop by teaspoonfuls on greased baking sheet. Bake in preheated 375 degree oven for 12 minutes. Makes 56 cookies.

PRUNE PUDDING

1 1/2 pound prunes
 1 tablespoons lemon juice
 1 1/2 cups boiling water
 1/2 cup chopped nuts
 1/3 cup cornstarch
 Cook prunes in boiling water sweetening with a little sugar. Pit the prunes. Add boiling water. Simmer for about 10 minutes. Add cornstarch, cook five minutes. Add lemon juice and chopped nuts. Chill and serve with cream

Efficient use make freezers more valuable — Are you making your home freezer pay? The cost of freezing varies from 10 to 30 cents a pound depending on how efficiently a freezer is used. This amount covers the cost of packaging, processing, and electricity. A half-filled freezer wastes electricity since the freezer isn't

being put to its full use. But overloading a freezer will affect its efficiency, too. The extra amount of food may raise the temperature enough to lower the quality of food. Also, foods may not freeze quickly enough when they are first placed in the freezer.

Limit the number of pounds to two or three for each cubic foot of space. That is, 16 to 24 pounds of food would be the limit for an eight cubic food freezer.

Many homemakers could make better use of their freezer if they would plan for a rapid turnover of the food. This practice brings the highest financial return from your investment in a freezer. The task is made easier if you keep an up-to-date list of the foods that are in the freezer. Full use of a freezer includes freezing a variety of fruits, vegetables, meats, and cooked and baked goods.

It rarely pays to freeze foods commonly available and fairly inexpensive in all seasons.

How you care for your freezer will effect its efficiency, too. You shouldn't allow thick layers of frost to collect. Defrosting once or twice a year is usually sufficient. Follow the directions that come with the freezer.

Girl Scout Leader Reports on Trip, Scouts in Sweden

A report on the Girl Scout movement in Sweden was given members of Society 10 by Miss Marilyn Houser at a meeting March 1 at the home of Mrs. John E McGrann, Eshelman Road, Lancaster.

Miss Houser was in the Girl Scout leader exchange program.

Society 10 made the following charitable contributions: American Bible Society, \$25; Child Development Center, \$25; and Meals for Millions, \$5. The last is the county project for 1958.

On March 15 the society will hold a food sale at M. T. Garvins.

On Wednesday of this week they took a guided tour of a supermarket at the new Lancaster Shopping Center.

15 Per Cent Fewer Winter Vegetables

Largely due to the longest period of severe weather ever experienced by the Florida vegetable industry, production of winter vegetables this year is expected to be 15 per cent less than in 1957 and 18 per cent below average.

The largest reductions are indicated for tomatoes, sweet corn,

Farm Women 19 See Latvian Needlework

Farm Women 19 met Saturday March 1 at the home of Mrs. Harold Hollinger, R3 Litz Co-hostess was Mrs. Levi Weaver

Two new members were in stalled They are Mrs. Herbert Howe, Neffsville, and Mrs. Robert Long, East Petersburg

Mrs Albert Rekis, Lancaster formerly of Latvia, showed Latvian needle-work. She and her husband have lived in Lancaster for the past eight years.

Members of the society made hats of useful household articles. These were auctioned off at the meeting

The society also plans to send warm clothing to Miss Verna Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Levi Weaver, Litz. Miss Weaver is at Grenfell Mission Labrador They will also send useful patterns to Mrs. Charles Gearhart in Ankara. Turkey Patterns are almost impossible to find there

carrots, snap beans, green peppers, cauliflower, and cucumbers, with smaller losses reported for celery, eggplant, escarole, broccoli, lettuce, and Brussels sprouts.

Some increase is indicated for cabbage, beets, and artichocks.

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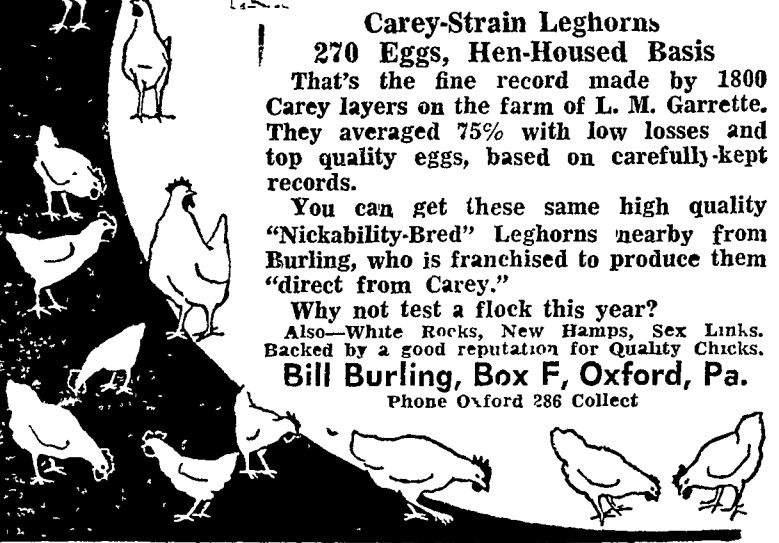
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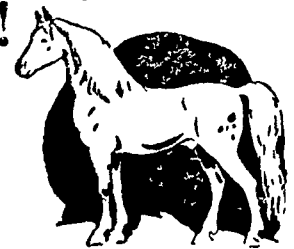
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