This basic recipe can be used to make several other kinds of pie.

For banana cream pic, arrange 2 sliced ripe bananas meringue and bake. over frozen filling and sprin-

kle with 1 tablespoon confec-Stir in the gelatin which has tioners' sugar. Cover with

> Strawberry or peach cream pic: arrange 1½ cups sliced peaches or strawberries over frozen filling, sprinkle with 3 tablespoons confectioners' sugar Cover with meringue and

Coconut cream pie: Sprinkle 112 cups shredded coconut over trozen filling, cover with

#### NO NEED FOR WEIGHT WATCHERS TO GIVE UP DESSERTS

Are you a weight watcher? If so, is it hard for you to give up desserts? There is no reason why you should. You just need to select your desserts more carefully.

ery food the weight watcher eats should contribute its share of minerals, vitamins or muscle protecting protein Calones or energy value alone are not reason enough to warlant eating a food. It is hald to select foods that contain enough minerals and vitamins on a diet lower than 1200 calones Those on low calone diets must be especially careful to eat toods which carry their share of minerals and vitamins and are not just low in calories.

Select desserts that are low in fat and rich in minerals and vitamins. Finits - fresh, frozen or canned -- come in this category. Even if the fruits are sweetened, you get fewer calories than when they are made into pies, cakes or combined with whipped cream. Fats, even the unsaturated ones, have twice as many calories as the same weight of sugar, starch or protein food.

Angel food cakes, meringue pie shells, dessert souffles, baked or soft custards contain little or no fat. Many favorite recipes using fat can with smaller amounts

Pie pastries can be made with one-fourth cup of shortening per cup of flour instead of one-third cup. Use cake recipes that require the smallest amount of butter or maigarine The fat may be elim-

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For a quick dessert treat, shelt space in a closet, consider spoon hot mincemeat over hangers with plastic compart-

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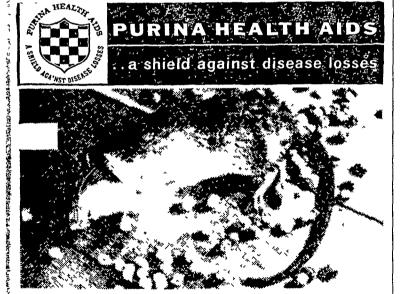
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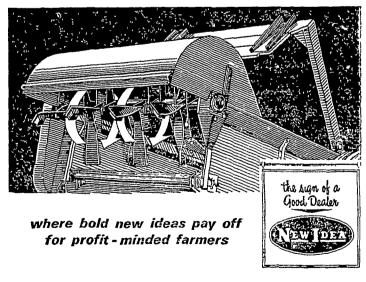
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