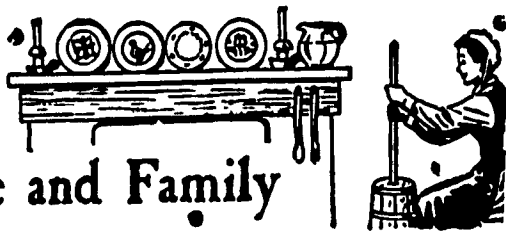


For the Farm Wife and Family



For Sippin' And Pickin'

This time of year calls for punches and snacks that will make the casual visitor or the invited party guest feel most welcome in your home. Serving guests punch as they arrive at your party is a sure way to "break the ice" and get things going on the right foot.

SPENCE FIRESIDE PUNCH

- 1 egg
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 pint cranberry juice cocktail, chilled
- 2 cups orange juice, chilled
- 2/3 cup lemon juice, chilled
- 1 12-oz bottle ginger ale, chilled.

Place egg, sugar, cranberry juice cocktail and citrus juices in electric blender. Cover and blend at low speed for 1 minute. (Or, beat egg and sugar with rotary beater; add juices and beat until frothy). Pour into pitcher and add ginger ale. Pour into ice-filled glasses, garnish with orange slices. Makes approximately 1 1/2 quarts.

CAROLLER'S PUNCH

- 1 quart boiling water
- 4 tea bags
- 2 sticks cinnamon
- 3/4 teaspoon ground allspice
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 cup orange juice
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1 pint cranberry juice cocktail

Pour boiling water over tea bags; add cinnamon and allspice; steep for 5 minutes. Remove tea bags and cinnamon. Add sugar; stir until dissolved. Add fruit juices; heat, but do not boil. Serve hot in individual mugs. Garnish with orange or lemon slices. If desired, serve cold over ice. Makes approximately 2 quarts.

TANGY ORANGE-CRANBERRY JUICE PUNCH

- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 2 cups orange juice
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 6 cups cranberry juice cocktail, chilled
- 1 12-oz. can pineapple juice, chilled
- 3 cups ice water

Combine lemon and orange juice with sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved. Add cran-

berry juice, pineapple juice and ice water. When ready to serve, pour over block of ice in punch bowl. Garnish with lemon and orange slices. Makes 25 punch-cup servings.

Besides something to drink at a party, you need something to nibble at.

SPICED PECANS

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon

1/4 teaspoon cloves
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup pecans

Combine sugar, cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg. Add pecans to slightly beaten egg white, a few at a time, rubbing pecans between fingers to coat evenly. Drop pecans into spices and stir to coat evenly. Place on buttered cookie sheet and (Continued on Page 9)



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