

Prepare your daughter for her role as outdoor chef by letting her practice this recipe at home. In a bowl, lightly mix one pound ground beef with one egg, 1/2 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon pepper. Shape the beef into eight thin patties about four inches in diameter. Place 1/4 cup of

shredded Cheddar cheese on each of four patties; then top with remaining four patties. Press edges together and grill to desired doneness.

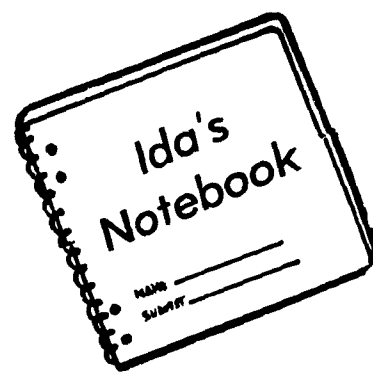
For every one degree drop in temperature, you consume on the average about 15 more calories per day.

USDA Sets Butter Price

The U.S. Department of Agriculture last week announced butter prices for March 1973 to be used in computing minimum prices dairy farmers receive under all federal milk marketing orders.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service said that not enough daily butter market quotations were reported by USDA market news at Chicago and New York to compute representative prices for March. Average butter prices for March were computed by using USDA market news at Chicago and New York of bulk wholesale creamery butter prices at Chicago and New York on days when quotations were available, and for other days equivalent prices based on spot butter market prices plus a normal differential between spot prices and the wholesale bulk selling prices.

Normally, the averages of daily wholesale bulk butter price quotations for particular grades and markets are used as pricing factors in federal milk orders. The March average prices



Ida Risser

When the spring rains cause the Conestoga to overflow its banks and cover our meadow, our thoughts go back to June of '72.

My strawberry bed is a mound of sand, with plants sticking out the top, as the water dropped sediment there. The fences and other debris caused four-foot high banks of sand and gravel several places in our fields.

Some of our cottagers are just now repairing the floors and walls of their cabins. I'm sure they view the rising waters with the same apprehensions that I feel.

As long as the stream flows gently in its banks, we enjoy it. But when it is wild and rampaging, we realize how little control we have over it.

There was a sale at Nine Points recently and I saw some small crocks which attracted my eye. However, when they were sold in groups of three, I found myself with quite a number more than I intended to buy.

So, I shall display the three, four and five-inch crocks and wrap the others in newspaper and tuck them away in the attic to be discovered by someone else at a later date.

computed by USDA are:

Chicago—64.45 cents a pound for Grade AA (93-score) butter and 64.17 cents for Grade A (92-score) butter; and New York—64.96 cents a pound for Grade AA (93-score).

The federal milk marketing orders set minimum prices payable to dairy farmers for milk they supply to dealers operating in the milk order areas. Prices consumers pay are not regulated by the orders, however.

We have a 30 cubic foot freezer and it is almost 30 years old. The other week it began to run spasmodically until I gave it a "talking-to". Leastwise, I tell my husband that is why it is working now.

It was defrosted and looked fine until this morning when I noticed that someone had left the door ajar for 24 hours. I'm afraid me as I took strawberries out for unexpected company on Sunday. What a mess!

Women Calendar

Saturday, April 14

12 Noon - Farm Women Society 25 entertain Society 9 Conestoga United Methodist Church.

1 30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 19 meeting, Arlene Hollinger, hostess.

2 p.m. - Farm Women Society 7 meeting

Farm Women Society 2 entertain Society 17, Coca Cola Hospitality Room, Lancaster

Monday, April 16

7:30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 29 entertain Society 13, Musser's Spring House.

7:30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 30 meeting, Janet Zeist, hostess.

Tuesday, April 17

Farm Women Society 3 members sew for Ephrata Community Hospital.

Saturday, April 21

1:30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 12 meeting, home of Estella Mowrer, 135 Ruby St., Lancaster.

7:30 p.m. - Farm Women Society 21 entertain Society 5, Memorial United Methodist Church, Quarryville.



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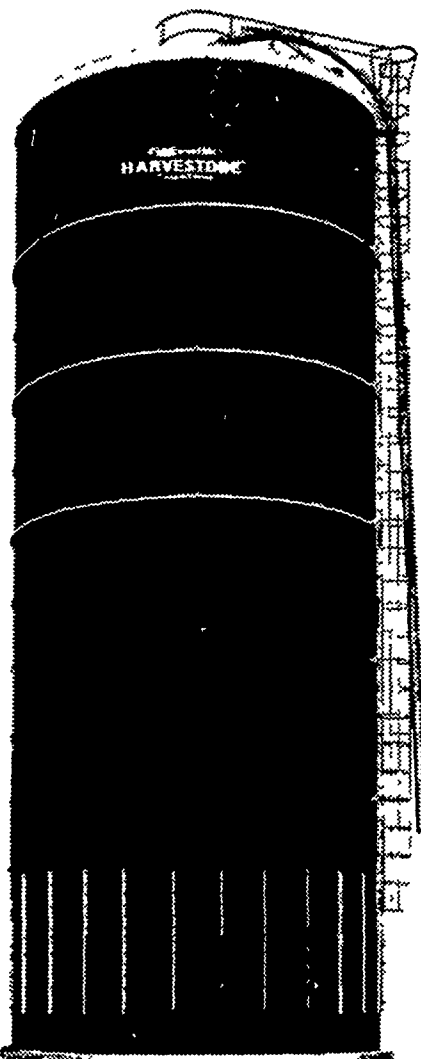
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