

## Cottonwood Nurseries

(Continued from Page 34)

1 egg, unbeaten  
1 teaspoon vanilla

May add approximately 1/2 cup chopped english or black walnuts or grated coconut.)

Sift flour with baking powder. Cream butter, sugar and salt, add egg and vanilla and mix well. Add sifted ingredients in small amounts. Mold with cookie press, or make into balls and press with fork on cold ungreased cookie baking sheet. Bake in 375 degree oven 12 to 15 minutes. Makes 45.

### Swedish Rye Bread Makes 2 loaves

In a large bowl put 1 cup regular oatmeal and cover with 2 1/2 cups boiling water. Let stand until lukewarm, then add 2 1/2 teaspoons salt, 2 tablespoons soft butter, 1-3 cup molasses (mix part unsulphered and a lesser amount of blackstrap) and 1/4 cup brown sugar. Stir very well. (You may add 1 tablespoon caraway seeds or 2 tablespoons orange peel, if desired). Then add 2 packages active dry yeast.

Add 4 cups rye flour and beat into mixture well. Then add 3 1/2 to 4 cups more white flour (1 at a time), mixing well after each addition. The last cup can be kneaded in if a finer texture is desired.

ture is desired.

Knead on a lightly floured board for at least 5 minutes. Place in greased bowl and be sure it is in a smooth mound in center of bowl. Cover with tea towel. Allow to rise until double in bulk.

When it has risen to double its original size, cut down with knife. Divide into 2 equal portions and place into two-well-greased bread pans, shaping the dough to the edges of the pans evenly. Keep dough smooth on top. Cover with tea towel and let rise again into the shape of the loaf you wish to have.

Put in a 325 degree oven on a low rack. Bake for about 50 minutes. Bread is done when it is brown on top and sounds hollow when tapped with finger. Turn out on a wire rack and allow to cool.

If you like a soft crust, brush with melted butter the last few minutes of baking time or when it is out of the oven. For sandwiches serve thin slices. For bread at the table with a meal, cut bread a little thicker.

### Vanilla or Chocolate Fluff

1 quart milk  
2 eggs, separated

Sift together 2-3 cup flour together with 1 cup sugar (for vanilla). Add egg yolks to milk. Then add flour-sugar mixture. Cook in double boiler till thick. Remove from heat. Whip egg whites till frothy then add about 4 tablespoons sugar gradually, beat till stiff. Whip cooked mixture slightly. Add 1/2 teaspoon vanilla. Add meringue (fold in). Pour into serving dishes and cool. Can serve with whipped cream or fruit juices.

For chocolate, add 2 squares baking chocolate to milk and use 1/2 cup flour instead of 2-3 cup. Can top with nuts.

### Barbecued Spare Ribs

Brown ribs under broiler. Add salt and pepper. Coat with catsup. Cover with aluminum foil. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour to 1 hour 15 min., till well done.

### Mayonnaise Made in blender

Put 1 cup olive oil in blender, 2 large eggs, add 1/4 teaspoon ground white pepper, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 1/2 tablespoons sugar, 4 tablespoons white vinegar.

Blend on fast speed till it starts to thicken. Then add 1 cup oil gradually.

## Farm Women Calendar

Saturday, April 20

12:30 p.m. — Farm Women Society 3 entertain Society 19, Salem Lutheran Church, Ephrata.

Tuesday, April 23

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. — Farm Women Society 1 sew at Lancaster General Hospital.

7:00 p.m. — Farm Women Society 28 meeting and white elephant sale at the home of Mrs. Eugene High, Ronks, RD1.

Saturday, April 27

1:30 p.m. — Farm Women Society 5 meeting, at home of Mrs. Mervin Peifer.

2:00 p.m. — Farm Women Society 8 meeting, home

of Mrs. Helen Wivell, RD1, Columbia, Mrs. Jap Heisey, speaker.

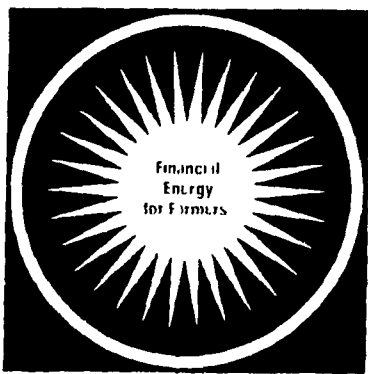
6:30 p.m. — Farm Women Society 24 "Spring Fling" with husbands at home of Landis and Audrey Myer. Farm Women Society 4 meeting, Mountville Church of the Brethren, Ruth Bushong, Mary Jane Miller, hostesses.

### Start With Ham

For an appealing appetizer start with minced ham. A spread of minced ham and cream cheese deliciously fills celery sticks or covers cheese crackers. Mix the ham with shredded Cheddar, spread on saltine crackers or melba toast and broil until the cheese melts.

### Perk 'Em Up

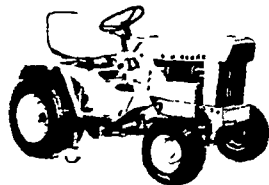
Top 'em, stuff 'em, sauce 'em, spice 'em or just season 'em and then eat 'em. These are a few varied treatments that can be given to beefburgers whether they be cooked under the range broiler or on the outdoor grill.



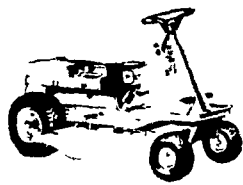
## FARMERS AgCREDIT

9 East Main Street, Lititz, PA 717/626-4721

## See the new John Deere TRACTORS and RIDING MOWERS



Lawn and Garden Tractors  
Select anew 7, 8, 10, 12, or 14 horse power John Deere Lawn and Garden Tractor that matches the job you want it to do and the price you want to pay.



Riding Mower  
Why walk on the grass when you can ride. And at an economical price. Select a new John Deere 6 or 7 hp Riding Mower or the super quiet Electric 50. Ask us about parts service and finance plan.

## COLLINS MOTORS

RD1, E-Town, Pa.

nothing runs like a Deere

Phone 367-1856

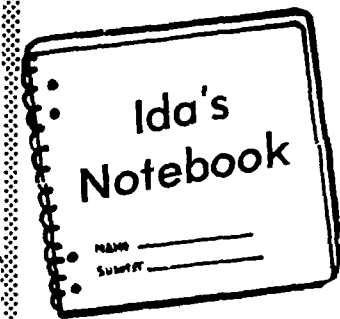
## PROTECT YOUR BARN AGAINST DETERIORATION!

LET US PAINT IT  
INEXPENSIVELY THIS  
NEW SCIENTIFIC WAY...

You can save big money by contracting with us to paint your barn. New Hydra-elevation equipment eliminates expensive scaffolding. Fast, new air-friction painting penetrates pores in addition to brush coverage. Send postcard for details and free estimate. No obligation.

## SEALCRETE, INC.

R.D.2  
EPHRATA, PA.  
Phone  
717-859-1127



Ida Risser

By the time you read this I certainly hope all of my garden will be planted. Half of it was planted in March but so far there isn't much sign of growth.

However, the rhubarb is ready to pull and several varieties of tea are big enough to be picked. We've been eating onions for weeks as a relative gave us the kind which stays out over winter and then forms clusters of small onions on the top of the stems. Of course, you must be sure to eat them on a day when you are not attending a meeting. Those days you will have to be satisfied with chives as a flavoring.

xxx

Sometimes I'm really struck by the contrasts in my life. There are very pleasant and very unpleasant things all in the same day. There are good things and bad things; happy and sad.

Within the short span of a few hours I find myself slicing liver and wrapping meat from a young cow that slipped on the concrete and hurt her leg. And they butchered it right beside my

front porch. Ugh! Then at lunchtime I attended a fancy farewell party for a friend who is moving from the area and we all wore our best clothes and manners.

Another twenty-four hour period found me sitting on a straw bale in a tent in Perry County with a cold wind blowing up my back. (The cows brought higher prices than some local sales). The next day I was privileged to attend a meeting at the Iris club where my daughter won a first prize for her wool plaid coat. I'd venture to guess that most of the ladies who daintily drank tea from the brightly polished silver set are not on friendly terms with the mud and manure found on a dairy farm.

### Tasty - Topic

Piquant Sausage Spread  
8 ounces spiced luncheon loaf, finely chopped  
1/2 cup mayonnaise  
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
2 tablespoons finely chopped green pepper  
2 tablespoons peeled and finely chopped cucumber  
2 tablespoons toasted, slivered almonds  
Combine mayonnaise, Worcestershire sauce, green pepper and cucumber. Add spiced luncheon loaf and mix well. Chill. Add toasted, slivered almonds just before serving. Yield 1 1/2 cups

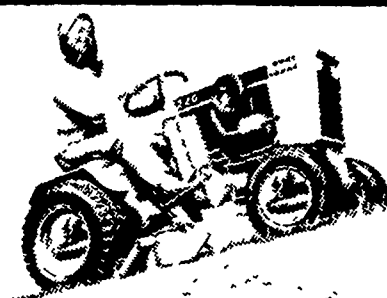
**AGWAY**

**LP GAS**

**BULK METERED SERVICE**  
**EQUIPMENT ENGINEERING & INSTALLATION**

For Information and Service, Call or Write  
Box 1197, Dillerville Road Lancaster, Pa  
Phone 397-4954

Be a  
**BIG-TRACTOR**  
man!



8-10-12-14-16 HP MODELS

MOVE UP TO CASE —  
It costs LESS than you think!

If you mow 1/2 acre or more, you need a real tractor that can mow 34 to 48 inches wide — sail through long grass without even slowing down. Easy, one-lever, Cushion-Control hydraulic drive. Matched attachments for every season. Make yard work fun again!

**BUILT LIKE THE BIG ONES  
TO LAST LONGER!**



## JARED R. STAUFFER

Sales And Service  
Martindale Phone 445-6465

Come To Our 20th Annual **LANCASTER**

## JAYCEE HOME & GARDEN SHOW

April 23 thru 27 at the GUERNSEY SALES PAVILION  
Lincoln Hwy East of Lancaster

Tues. thru Fri.  
6 P.M. - 10 P.M.  
Sat. 1 P.M. - 10 P.M.

**MANY PRIZES  
WILL BE GIVEN  
AWAY**

### CLIP-CLIP

This Coupon Good for  
One Free Admission to  
Jaycee Home Show.

- Acres of FREE PARKING
- Reg. Adm 50¢
- Children under 12 FREE
- FREE Tickets from Exhibitors

