

You Ask We Answer

This column is for readers who have questions but don't know whom to ask for answers.

"You Ask—You Answer" is for non-cooking questions. When a reader sends in a question, it will be printed in the paper. Readers who know the answer are asked to respond by mailing the answer, which will then be printed in the paper.

Questions and Answers to this column should be addressed to You Ask—You Answer, Lancaster Farming, P.O. Box 609, Ephrata, PA 17522. Attention: Lou Ann Good.

There's no need to send a SASE. If we receive an answer to your question, we will publish it as soon as possible.

QUESTION — Tim Paulus, Pittstown, N.J., has an old wooden-box Oliver single-disk grain drill. Where can he find replacement disk and bearing assemblies #B1824A and left and right shoes?

QUESTION — A "regular" reader wants to know where to buy extra strong flat webbing for lawn chairs.

QUESTION — A Pennsylvania reader would like the address and phone number of the company in New Holland that makes goat milk cheese.

QUESTION — Florence Fisher, Etters, would like to know what to do to keep pigeons off a tin roof.



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ANSWER — Shirley Jean Ash, Bridgeport, W.V., wanted to know if strawberries may be canned in a light syrup like other fruit. Thanks to Leora Petet, Hollsopple, and to Rachel Lapp, Lebanon, who sent recipes for canning strawberries.

Canned Strawberries

- 1 heaping quart berries
- 1 cup sugar
- ½ cup water
- Boil mixture 5 minutes. Add:
 - 1 tablespoon Clear Jell mixed in a little water. Bring to a boil. Pour into quart jars. Can and seal.

Three Quarts Canned Strawberries

- 3 quart boxes hulled and washed strawberries
- 2 cups sugar mixed with
- 4 tablespoons Clear Jell
- Add sugar mixture to crushed or sliced strawberries. Mix well. Fill quart jars. Fasten lids. Boil 10 minutes in boiling water bath. Let set in kettle 10 more minutes before removing jars.

ANSWER — Ressa Owens, Beech Creek, wanted recipes for making and keeping baby food. Thanks to Brenda Breisch, Bloomsburg, for sending these recipes that she received through this column previously. To store baby foods, Brenda finds it best to freeze in small containers. Ball makes ½ -pint canning jars that work in the freezer. You many use clean sterilized used baby food jars. One reader suggested freezing it in ice cube trays.

Meats For Baby

- ½ cubed cooked meat
- Dash salt
- 2 tablespoons formula
- Put all ingredients into blender. Process on low until smooth. Makes one serving. To test for smoothness, put a small amount between your fingers and rub together. You should not feel any large particles.

Vegetables For Baby

- ½ cup freshly cooked vegetables
- 2 tablespoons formula
- Dash salt
- Put all in blender. Process on low until smooth.

Fruits For Baby

- ¾ cup freshly cooked fruit
- ½ teaspoon sugar
- 2 teaspoons liquid from fruit
- Put all in blender. Process on low until smooth.

QUESTION — Florence Fisher, Etters, would like to know what to do to keep chipmunks from digging holes in the lawn.

QUESTION — Anna Grace Moore, Cochranville, would like to know how to make crafts with Christmas or birthday cards.

QUESTION — Walter Lee, Elkton, would like to know where to purchase a hair clipper with metal guides or gauges. He writes that every time he uses the ones he has, the plastic grip that holds the guide on the razor breaks. It gets rather expensive to purchase sets of guides so often.

QUESTION — Carol Brown, Halifax, would like to know where to purchase patterns to make things out of safety pins and beads. She especially would like patterns for an angel and snowman about 10 inches high.

QUESTION — Clarence Reeser, Denver, would like to know the address of Millers Tree Nursery, N.Y.

QUESTION — Alverna Martin, Wellsboro, would like the book "All Around America," printed by Scott/Forseman Co. in 1956. Alverna's fourth grade teacher gave her a book to keep 29 years ago. The book has been so well-liked by her seven children that it is no longer whole. Please contact her at R.D. 6, Box 174, Wellsboro, PA 16901.

QUESTION — A reader would like to know where to purchase a goose gourd seed.

QUESTION — George Rousis, Bally, hopes to move to the Midwest or Montana in a few years. He'd like to know how to find out weather temperature highs and lows, rainfall, and snowfall for the individual states during the past 10 years.

QUESTION — Helen Mill, Navajo Rd., Box 270 Indian Orchard, Honesdale, PA 18431, would like to purchase the new or used book, "Rollin Thunder."

QUESTION — Byrd Fultz would like to know where to purchase covers for (size 12).

QUESTION — Ronald would like to know if the "Rural New York" and where.

QUESTION — Conny would like to know how to make

QUESTION — A faithful sale source for goose feather Christmas trees.

QUESTION — Doris would like to know where to purchase tall plant, not the wheat

QUESTION — Jenny would like to purchase a wrought tree. It may be new or

QUESTION — Several Hamburg purchased aluminum direct shipment from Southern discontinued his business company or one that sells similar steel wire. It did not rehand spliced.

QUESTION — R.B. Beil would like to purchase new versions.

QUESTION — A Pennsylvania books, "The 'Mysterifying' twins." Books may (M.L.M. wrote to say she had seller left an address. Some

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