

Antique Detective

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title, "Appicius Culinarius."

While the work gives the list of ingredients for each recipe, there are few words of advice listing quantity or cooking procedure. Nonetheless, the work was used by cooks for 1,000 years from Roman times to the Middle Ages. Imagine the royalties Apicius could have collected.

Another known early cookbook was done in the third-cen-

tury by Athenaeus. It was based on a symposium held by 21 artists, writers, musicians, and surgeons, discussing all things that should, according to Greek custom "adorn a banquet." Just as today, there were reprints. Those done in the 16th century periodically come to market.

The earliest printed cookbook was by Bartholomaeus Platina. First published in Venice in 1475, it was basically a guide to the art of good living. It discussed the

pleasures of the table, how best to enjoy one's meal and stay in good health.

As might be expected, most of the early cookbooks were written by men. An exception was the earliest known cookbook written in England in 1747 by Hannah Glasse. The title was "The Art of Cookery Made Plain and Easy." It contained what the author considered valuable tips for the young homemaker of that time.

One of the most popular, early cookbooks ever written was "Mrs. Beeton's

Book Of Household Management." It was published in England in 1861 by Isabella Beeton, age 25, and reprinted for several decades. It was considered the definitive work on not only Victorian cookery for generations, but a total guide to lifestyles in that day. There was information for all of the servants, such as upstairs-maid etiquette.

There was even an account of the natural history of the animals

and vegetables found in the daily diet.

CLUES: The earliest and rarest cookbooks can sell in the thousands of dollars. High hundreds for late 19th and early 20th century examples. For a beginning collector there are many possibilities.

When hunting, think beyond the recipes. Did a famous artist

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PUBLIC AUCTION Monday, June 30, 2003 3:30 P.M.

Located 3 miles N. of Gratz, PA, 1/2 mile West of Erdman along Luxemburg Road. Auction arrow along Klingertown to Gratz Road sale day. -

ANTIQUES - COLLECTIBLES - HOUSEHOLD

10 Pc. Depression Dining Room Suite; Blanket Chest D/T Painted White Turnip Feet; (2) Cedar Chests; Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet w/Flour Bin, White; 4 Pc. Pecan Finish Bedroom Suite; 3 Pc. Blonde Bedroom Suite; Oak 5 Leg Drop-leaf Ext. Table; Walnut 2 Drawer Drop-leaf Sewing Stand; Walnut 2-Drawer Stand; Parlor Stands; Mahogany Writing Desk w/Chair; White Elec. Sewing Machine; Depression China Closet; Wicker Style Rocker; Bar Stools; Sentry Floor Safe; 3 Pc. L.R. Suite, 1940's?; Drop-leaf Table; Kimball Elec. Organ; Brass Bucket; Wall Clock; Floor & Table Lamps; Prints; Oil On Canvas Painting; Wall Mirror & Pictures; Everyday Housewares; Chenille Bedspreads; Bedding; Lard Pail A.A. Markley & Son Steelton, PA Granite Berry Pail; Baskets; Pink Depression Tumblers; (2) Peanut Butter Glasses; Ruby Glass Tumblers; Ducks Unlimited Beam Decanter; Walking Sticks; Maple Frame Sofa & Chair; Double Box Springs & Mattress; Bar Stools; Wrought Iron Stand w/Marble Insert; Room Size Rugs; Wilton Throw Rugs; Dayton 5 Lb. Counter Top Scale; Knick Knacks; Pressed Glass; Milk Glass; Sears Elec. Ice Cream Freezer; Canning Jars; C.I. Dinner Bell; Wooden Mickey Mouse Lawn Ornaments;

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SALE ORDER: Household - Antiques - Lawn/Garden - Tools. Tractor & Woodworking Equip. at 6:30 P.M.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, June 28, 2003 @ 9:00 am sharp

We will be selling the estate of Carol Fleming, 1967 Gillis Falls Road, Woodbine, Md. This estate has been in the family for generations. A SALE NOT TO MISS.

Directions: From Route 70, north on Rt. 94 (Woodbine Road) 4.5 miles to left on Gillis Falls Road 1 mile to sale on left.



Antiques: Wicker horse drawn sleigh, 2 wheel-dump Ox cart, drag sleigh, wooden wheel barrow, old advertising signs, decanters, tins, wooden boxes, tobacco tins, oil cans, oyster cans, wooden trunks, quilts, lard cans, calendars, Almanacs back to 1890s, (most in plastic bags), bottles, Avon decanter, nail kegs, Old Christmas decorations in original boxes, 1909 Miller pump organ, wash boards, toys, radios, wicker wheel chair, primitive wooden stools, wringer washer, burlap bags, kerosene lanterns, lunch boxes, bottles, jars, crocks, piano stool, beaver top hat, whiskey bottles, model T goggles, kitchen items, enamel ware, quilting frame, ice cream churn, vintage clothing, old books & magazines, brass blow torch, cider press, pedal grind stone, wood calipers, old hardware, horse shoes, buck saw, driver outfit for antique car, Aermotor Co. Hit & Miss engine.

Furniture: Chest of drawers, chairs, couch, drop leaf tables, bureau, radio cabinet, parlor chair, kitchen ware, TV's, Corelle ware, carnival glass, enamel ware, old pictures, sofa, chairs, A/C units, bedroom sets, vacuum cleaner, table lamps, floor lamps, metal wardrobes, jars, lawn chairs, old luggage.

Tools & Misc: 1000's of flower pots of all types, mowers, tillers, benches, model T parts, barrels, benches, ladders, wooden cabinets, anvil, forge, tools used in a blacksmith shop, primitive tools found in wood shop, mandrel pulley and belt system still in building used to run wood shop, hand saws (some with manufacturer's name) larger saws and equipment from wood shop, cut off saw on wheels, ring anvil, vise, forge, pulleys, nail kegs, table saw, burlap bags, 24" disc sander, Buckeye drill press, power tools-saws, drills etc., bottle capper, H.C. Foltz metal hog trough like new.



Vehicles & Equipment: 1983 IHC 1654 w/ Vemere 44" tree spade, 53,000 org. miles, 1988 GMC cab & chassis, 1967 IHC truck w/TS44 trees spade, 1964 Dodge D600 box truck w/lift gate, 1984 Ford F150 4x4, 1987 Ford F150 4x4 6' flare side body, John Deere 2240 Tractor.

John Deere 2155 4x4 tractor w/175 loader, misc. tools & equipment. Many items too numerous to mention! This is a sale you won't want to miss! We will be selling with 2 auctioneers most of the day.

Sale order: small items first, vehicles and sleigh 12:00
Terms: Cash or approved check day of sale. Nothing removed until settled for. NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS ON PREMISES!

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