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ATTRACTIVE HOLIDAY LUNCHEON SUGGESTIONS BY MRS. WILSON

Menus and Recipes for the Woman Who Will Entertain Next Week—English Lamb Chops Deliciously Served—Tulip Salad and Dainty Desserts—Use Spring-time Posies for Table Decoration

By M. A. WILSON

MOTHER EARTH is awakening from her long winter sleep, bringing to us just about the Easter season her first flowers, the dainty golden daffodils and the delicately tinted tulips, with the joyful thoughts of this season.

- Menu for Easter Luncheon: Puree of Spinach, English Lamb Chops, Mint Sauce, Potato Diamonds with Peas, Tulip Salad, Easter Cakes, Tea, Or—Bisque of Oranges, Eggs and Mushrooms, Marmite, Paprika Potatoes, Easter Salad, Easter Custards, Coffee

Wash the spinach in plenty of water to remove the sand and then place one cup of boiling water in a saucepan and add the spinach, pressing down closely. Cook for twenty minutes and then cool. Rub the spinach through a fine sieve.

English Lamb Chops: Have the butcher cut the chops from the loin one and one-quarter inches thick and remove the chine bone and the excess fat. Now place in a bowl

Mint Sauce: Shred one bunch of mint fine. Place in a saucepan with one-quarter cup of sugar, one-half cup of vinegar, one-quarter cup of water.

Potato Diamonds With Peas: Shell one-quarter peck of southern peas. Cook until tender and then drain. Scrape and wash, then cut into tiny dice six new potatoes. Parboil until nearly tender and then drain and add the peas and

Tulip Salad: Cut the hard-boiled egg in half and remove the yolk. Now cut the white into quarters and then cut the quarters into halves, thus making eighths. Now with a sharp knife split these pieces into two. Mash the yolks of the egg and then add

Easter Custards: Line individual pie tins with plain pastry. Make a custard of one cup of milk, two eggs, four tablespoons of sugar, one teaspoon of vanilla.

Easter Cakes: Wash the spinach in plenty of water to remove the sand and then place one cup of boiling water in a saucepan and add the spinach, pressing down closely.

Ask Mrs. Wilson

If you have any cooking problems, bring them to Mrs. Wilson. She will be glad to answer you through these columns. No personal replies, however, can be given.

Cover with water icing and garnish with candied violets.

Bisque of Orange: This fruit soup is very popular in California just about this season of the year. Place in a saucepan

One cup of orange juice, One and one-half cups of water, One level tablespoon of cornstarch, Four level tablespoons of sugar.

Eggs and Mushrooms, Marmite: Allow one hard-boiled egg and three mushrooms for each service. Pare and then parboil the mushrooms for three minutes, using both the stem and cap. Now prepare one and one-half cups of cream sauce, adding

One green pepper, chopped fine, One tablespoon of grated onion, Season with salt and pepper. Cut

Mrs. Wilson Answers Questions

My dear Mrs. Wilson—I am an interested reader of your valuable column, and as a favor to me I am taking this opportunity of asking you to kindly print in your column recipe for both doughnuts and crullers.

Doughnuts: Scald and cool one cup of milk to 80 degrees, pour in bowl and add

One-half cup sugar, One egg, One teaspoon salt, Three tablespoons shortening, mix well and crumble in, One yeast cake, stirred until dissolved.

Crullers: One cup sugar, Four cups flour. Work to smooth dough, place in well-greased bowl, turn over to coat dough with shortening, cover and let raise for three and a half hours;

How Deep Shall We Plant the Vegetable in Our Garden?

By JANE LESLIE KIFT

When you are sure the surface of your ground is both true and level the time has come to set out your plants and sow your seeds.

Potato Diamonds With Peas: Shell one-quarter peck of southern peas. Cook until tender and then drain. Scrape and wash, then cut into tiny dice six new potatoes.

Two teaspoons of salt, One teaspoon of paprika, Two teaspoons of grated onion, One tablespoon of finely minced mint leaves, Two tablespoons of butter.

Two teaspoons of salt, One-half teaspoon of paprika, Two teaspoons of grated cheese. Mix thoroughly and then form into tiny balls. Now arrange the crisp lettuce leaves and place a spoon of mayonnaise on the lettuce.

Easter Cakes: Wash the spinach in plenty of water to remove the sand and then place one cup of boiling water in a saucepan and add the spinach, pressing down closely.

an egg in half and then place in individual ramekins. Add the mushrooms and then cover with cream sauce. Sprinkle with fine bread crumbs and one tablespoon of grated cheese. Bake in a hot oven for fifteen minutes.

Paprika Potatoes: Wash old potatoes and then rub with shortening, and bake until tender. Now cut a slice from the top of the potatoes and scoop out the contents with a teaspoon. Mash the potato and then season with milk, salt and pepper.

Easter Custards: Line individual pie tins with plain pastry. Make a custard of one cup of milk, two eggs, four tablespoons of sugar, one teaspoon of vanilla.

White of one egg, One-half glass of jelly. Pile on custard and sprinkle with coconut. Serve.

Shall She Refuse Him?: Dear Cynthia—This is the second time I am coming to you for help. I am a girl of sixteen, and was lately asked to marry a young man of twenty-seven.

Now break one egg in cup, fill with water, beat to mix, use to make dough with, roll out one-half-inch thick, cut and fry in hot fat.

See recipe to Mrs. A. Pour batter in cake pan, then place the flour, sugar, shortening and cinnamon in bowl, rub until crumbly, spread on the dough and place cake in oven.

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Thin a row of seedlings is necessary. Failure to thin plants properly results in spindly and inferior crops. As soon as the crops are large enough to pull, thin them out, allowing the strongest to remain and leaving sufficient space between for future developments.

About Shiny Serge: Many a woollen garment has been cast into the discard because it was so shiny it was no longer presentable.

Some persons substitute a piece of crinoline for the woollen pressing cloth. Others use a cotton pressing cloth and iron until the pressing cloth is dry. They then wet the cloth again and rub the iron quickly over it.

Fashion Hints: Smart little waists have collars and cuffs of dotted voile.

Necklaces for mourning are made of black beads of oblong wood. Eriest embroidery is increasing in popularity for afternoon frocks.

A CHARMING EASTER MORNING FORECAST

Easter bonnets are smartly gay with flowers. For instance, the rough brown sailor just below is trimmed with brilliant tiger lilies and the charming little turban that's next is all abloom with tiny lilies of the valley.



The fluted brim bonnet is of fine dark green straw and the crown just a lovely cluster of fine hand-made violets! As for the modish spring hat with the two long pheasant wings—it is of black isere straw

Please Tell Me What to Do

By CYNTHIA

Appreciates "Seventeen": Dear Cynthia—Please print my appreciation of the very nice letter written by "Seventeen, who loves the girls and hates them."

Friend Gets Angry: Dear Cynthia—I have a girl friend who can't go out on Saturday night. When I go out she gets angry. There is another question I would like to ask you.

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Spring Stockings Novel: A Daily Fashion Talk by Florence Rose. The longer skirts bring no abatement of the interest in stockings. Here are shown some of the newest for evening and daytime wear.



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Queen Marie of Rumania, who is expected soon to pay a visit to America, is referred to by her subjects as "the dominant spirit of Rumania." When Rumania made her entry into the war Queen Marie underwent the terrible experience of seeing her beloved country ravaged by a ruthless foe.

EASTER BIDS US HOPE AND KEEP BRAVELY GOING

There is a High Message in the Heavens and All the Spring World Around Us Is Vibrant With Lovely Promises Coming True

HOW quickly a year passes and so much has happened since last Easter that we never thought could happen. Last year at this time we were in the last desperate straits of the German forces the Hun line was digging deeper and deeper into the heart of France, how quick many of us were to say the war would last for years and years. But it didn't.

Hope is our dearest possession. It can turn defeat into victory any day if we only hold on to it tight enough and long enough. For hope feeds a mysterious glad strength to all those who walk by the light of its beam. Such a little hope, the most precious and unobtainable as the little ray of sunshine, miraculously stealing through the stained glass window of a church and lighting its way into our hearts, how hope, stealing into a life from which all brightness seems to have gone, fills it with a strange luminous gladness.

WHAT is hope? Hope means reaching at the bits of brightness in your life, no matter what the background of disappointment and sorrow may be. Snatching at them and working with them until you have painted out the background.

And So They Were Married

By HAZEL DEVO BATCHELOR

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START THIS STORY TODAY: AFTER Helen Ware had left Ruth at her desk idly drumming her fingers against the polished wood. She herself had obtained an office position, but every one else was content to keep her at her desk.

When Ruth had first decided to work it had really been experimental in her own mind. That is, she had not visualized herself a working woman for ever. She wondered how Helen felt, and secretly thought that independence for women was after all overrated.

When Ruth left all of Ruth's vague resolutions of studying stenography at night were swallowed in billowy pink organdie and roses. Already she was visualizing her bridesmaid dress. Natalie had said there were to be six bridesmaids, and the gowns were to be of different shades of organdie, hers was to be pink, and there were to be hats, too, of ruffled silk with silver brims.

After all, Ruth thought as she slipped into her coat and adjusted her hat that evening before the glass in the coat room, she was entirely too tired at night to take up work, in addition to working all day in an office. Suppose she did give up her evenings to study, and then afterwards nothing came of it. Besides, she wasn't sure that she wanted to work up into any kind of work. Her job had been only an experiment undertaken in the main to show Scott that she really could earn money.

There is only one thing to think—they are very rude boys. For even if the girls may not be polite (the boys might excuse themselves by saying so). There is no excuse for the young men behaving in this way.

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Mme. Mabel Grouch, wife of the Serbian minister at Washington, is to speak before the annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science in Philadelphia next month on the subject of "Readjustment in Middle Europe."

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How I Economize in Cooking: I've found that beginning a meal with a tempting little hors d'oeuvre like the extravagance it seems, is really an economy, because they're really so inexpensive, and if I flavor them with my favorite Ai Sauce, it puts them in a good humor right at the start, and he doesn't eat nearly so much meat, which is bad for him if he's had something else first.

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