

MRS. WILSON'S DIRECTIONS FOR PRESERVING EGGS

Some Unusual Recipes for Using Up the Cracked Ones That Are Always Found Among Large Quantities

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THE housewife who put down eggs for cooking purposes last spring made a material saving in her food budget during the months of November and December. Eggs are usually scarce and high in price at that season of the year, and though we may be as thrifty as the proverbial Scotch woman who mended a mess of oat porridge in a cake pan and baked it for her brains, we must have some eggs for making the goodies and cakes for the holiday season.

During the early spring, Biddy, the backyard fowl, does herself proud and produces an abundant number of eggs, and they are usually very reasonably priced. In fact, you will find that the dealer will charge during November and December and January— and for storage eggs, at that.

When getting ready to put down eggs for the winter months, keep this fact plain in mind: Use strictly fresh eggs; use only perfect and clean eggs. Do not wash or wipe the eggs. The fresh egg is covered with a thin protective coat which prevents the porous shell from absorbing odors and moisture. Test all eggs to know that they are fresh. Place the eggs in a pan of water—a strictly fresh egg will sink at once to the bottom and lie still.

Select the crack and then pack the egg in it. The gallon size is the best. Take care to have a three-inch space left between the last layer of eggs and the top of the jar.

Purchase water-glasses at the drug store and prepare it according to the formula upon the package, which is one quart of water glass to nine quarts of boiled and cooled water. Pour this mixture over the eggs and then place the jars in a cool and ventilated cellar and cover the jars to prevent the water from evaporating. This may be done by placing melted paraffin on the water glass if there are any cracks in the jars. The shifting or moving is apt to crack the eggs if there are any in the cracks.

Asparagus Custard Wash the asparagus in plenty of water, joining the tips to remove the sand. Cut off the tough stalks and then tie into small bundles, place in a saucepan and cover with one pint of boiling water. Cover closely and cook until tender. Turn into a sieve and rub the asparagus through. Cool and then season the puree with:

One teaspoon of salt. One-half teaspoon of white pepper, one teaspoon of grated onion. Now add five well-beaten eggs to two cups of this mixture and then beat with the egg beater to blend. Butter a mold and then turn in the mixture and set in a pan of warm water. Bake in a moderate oven until firm in the center. Serve with asparagus sauce.

Asparagus Sauce Place in a saucepan one cup of asparagus puree; if there is not sufficient to make this amount, use water to fill the cup.

One cup of milk. Five tablespoons of flour. One teaspoon of salt. Blend until flour is smooth and then bring to the boiling point and cook for three minutes. Now add:

Three tablespoons of butter. Juice of one-half lemon. Yolks of three eggs. Beat to blend thoroughly and then cook for two minutes and add one-half cup of finely chopped raisins and serve. This dish will replace meat in the menu. Left-over portions may be served as salad next day with chilled left-over asparagus sauce as a dressing.

Bread Custard Pudding Place in a well-buttered baking dish one and one-quarter cups of bread-crumbs.

One-half cup of seeded raisins. One-half cup of finely chopped citron. Now place in a mixing bowl:

Two and one-half cups of milk. Three-quarters cup of sugar. Five eggs. One teaspoon of vanilla. One teaspoon of nutmeg. Three tablespoons of melted butter. Beat with a Dover egg beater until the mixture is well blended and then pour over the prepared crumbs, and bake in a very slow oven until the custard is set. Try it by inserting a silver knife in the center, and if no custard adheres to the knife remove the custard from the oven. Serve with a teaspoon of jam on each portion.

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THE SASH PROVIDES COLOR VARIATION



By CORINNE LOWE. Little Lord Fauntleroy was not more adducted to his sashes than we are today. Call it in particular favors this accessory, and several of her bodices are merely girdles wound about the body and tied in a bow at the side.

The side knotting of the sash is used on all types of frocks, and frequently the unevenness of skirt hem—upon which most designers of clothes seem agreed—is effected solely through this agency. Furthermore, all manner of color contrasts are brought about through the amiable and obliging accessory.

Things You'll Love to Make

Indian Bead Trimming. A pongee blouse is made exceedingly attractive with INDIAN BEAD TRIMMING. Three small round beads are stitched to each scallop. A silk cord or thin strip of leather is run through the bottom bead. Long, narrow beads below each bead will hold the beads in place, or a tiny bit of glass or cement dropped into each bead will secure it. Use this novel INDIAN BEAD TRIMMING on the sleeves as well.

Berry Stains. Fresh strawberries are here at last, and just as delicious as ever. But they still have their nasty little habit of staining everything they drop on—and it's so easy to slide one on the tablecloth or spill some of the juice on a dainty frock, while you're preparing them for dessert. However, there is a remedy for this and every other fresh fruit or berry stain. Frigate it up on the kitchen wall so that you will always have it handy. Here it is: Dissolve a teaspoonful of tyrosophosphate crystals in a quart of a glass of water, and apply the liquid with a soft cloth to the stain. You may have to do it more than once, but eventually the stain will disappear. Then wash out the place with lukewarm water. Tyrosophosphate has a formidable sound, but the druggist will know what you mean.

"A Blue Law"? In 1873, as a protest against extravagance in dress, the women members of the First Baptist Church of Nashville, Tenn., agreed to dispense with all finery on Sundays and to appear at church in plain calico dresses.

So far as the exclusive air is concerned you will be perfectly right. Orléans is that—and more. But the opposition about the wealthy French banking is wrong—all wrong. Orléans is one of the remnants of modern business, a super-successful shop owned and operated by two of a family of seven sisters, girls who came to New York a few years ago almost without the proverbial dollar in the pockets and remained to found one of the most popular hat shops of the city. The artistic touch which is essential to the making of hats in which personality plays more of a role than material, she shared an apartment downtown with two other girls and then, when she had amassed sufficient capital to strike out for herself, she sent for her sister, Georgia, and between them they opened the establishment on the "Gold Coast" which, in spite of the fabulous rent, has been successful from the beginning. The other five sisters—well, there's is another story to be told.

WANAMAKER'S Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store

Advertisement for Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store. Text: 'Wonderful Choosing Among Spring Wraps Specially Priced at \$10.75 to \$18.75. Every kind of Spring wrap—dolmans, sports coats, street coats, capes and wrap-coats! Of velour, serge and tan coatings. Principally, though you will find some Bolivias at \$18.75. They are in Pekin, navy, taupe, tan and Nankin blue. Most of the wraps are lined with silk. Sizes for women and young women, 14 to 44. 360 wraps in all, priced \$10.75, \$14.75, \$16.50 and \$18.75. (Market) \$14.75. Men's Trousers All Wool at \$5 to \$7.50. Men's Athletic Suits, \$1. First Summer shipment of athletic suits that cost almost double last year. Made of striped white cotton crepe with a knitted waistband that is elastic enough for comfort. Large free armholes. Cut plenty full. Sizes 34 to 46. (Men's Gallery, Market)

ASCO STORES CO. AMERICAN

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Advertisement for Women's Gray Pumps or Tan Oxfords, \$5.40 SPECIAL. Fashionable pumps of gray suede-finished leather have turned soles and high French heels. Black patent leather strapping is very smart, as you'll see in the sketch. Tan oxford ties have welted soles and medium heels. Almost all sizes in each style. 400 Pair of Little Children's Shoes, Special at \$1.75. Of soft black kidskin, button style, in sizes 2 to 1 1/2. (Chestnut)

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