

**MRS. WILSON'S DIRECTIONS FOR PRESERVING EGGS**

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

By MRS. M. A. WILSON

**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 form 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 for eggs in April and May will be just about one-half of what the dealer will charge during November and December for eggs in April and May.

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 the stale will float. 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. The jars should be stored in a secure place, or the top of the jar may be covered with paraffin paper and then tied securely with string. Do not disturb the jars after once they have been set in a place of storage. The shifting or moving is apt to crack the eggs if there are many in the crack.

**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 the asparagus is 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.

**Orange Layer Cake**  
Place in a mixing bowl  
One and one-quarter cups of sugar  
Yolks of two eggs  
Cream until light lemon color and then add:  
Two cups of flour  
Pinch of salt  
Three level teaspoons of baking powder

Three-quarters cup of water  
Three tablespoons of melted butter  
Beat to a smooth batter and then fold in stiffly beaten whites of three eggs, and bake in two well greased and floured deep layer-cake pans in a moderate oven for twenty-five minutes. Remove and then cool. Now, while the cakes are cooling, place in a saucepan  
One cup of milk  
Juice of one orange  
Grated rind of one-half orange  
One-half cup of sugar  
Seven level tablespoons of flour  
Pinch of salt

Blend the flour, milk and orange juice, and bring to a boil. Cook for three minutes and then add  
Two tablespoons of melted butter  
One well-beaten egg  
Beat hard to blend and then cook for two minutes. Remove from the fire and cool. Chill and then use as a filler between the layers. Now use the cake with icing, prepared as follows:  
Place in a bowl:  
Yolks of eggs left out of cake  
Juice of one orange, about one-half cup  
Grated rind of one-quarter orange  
Two drops of yellow vegetable coloring  
One tablespoon of melted butter  
and sufficient confectioner's sugar to make a mixture that will spread.

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By CORINNE LOWE  
Little Lord Fauntleroy was not more addicted 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 glue 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 tyrosinophosphate 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 plain with lukewarm water. Tyrosinophosphate has a formidable sound, but the druggist will know what you mean.

**"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.



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Wash Laces 5c to 15c Yard  
Useful cotton laces in flat, cluny and crochet patterns. Edgings and insertions, 1 to 5 inches wide. Ready for Spring sewing.

Clearaway of Good-Looking Skirts, \$5—Third to Half Less  
Smart woolen plaids and stripes, serge and cotton covert cloth—a hundred of these skirts will go out at a saving to every woman who gets one. Women will want them to wear with sweaters or jersey jackets.

Cotton Crepe Nightgowns, \$1.50  
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Sensible or gay and pretty models of percale at \$1.50, and plaid ginghams at \$1.85 and \$2.50.

Brassieres, 50c to \$1.50  
These are trimmed with neat laces and embroideries and the \$1.50 ones are elaborate affairs of satin and lace.

Manufacturer's Sample Cotton Blouses, \$1.85  
Plain voiles, dimities and fancy voiles in a great many pretty styles with roll, Peter Pan or flat collars. Many large sizes among them—some go up to 54. Sizes are not complete but choosing is not limited!

Seamless Sheets, Special at \$1.25  
Of sturdy white muslin, cut full and finished with good hems. 81x90 inches.

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!

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**Spring Frocks of Silk \$10, \$15 to \$25**

Yes, you can get a silk frock for \$10! Of ruffled taffeta or of satin made with an overskirt of Georgette with many tiny ruffles of satin adorning it. In navy blue or brown.

Taffeta Dresses  
are made in a score of ways—some with eyelet embroidery, some with ruffled or draped skirts or combined with Georgette crepe. \$16, \$18.75, \$25.

Crepe de Chine Frocks  
Long, slender lines characterize these serviceable dresses. Pleated overskirts are a pretty feature and wide sashes edged with fringe are smart. \$20, \$22.50 to \$25.

Foulard for Summer  
It's one of the most satisfactory silks of all. In navy, Copenhagen, brown or black grounds with dots or figures. Georgette panels or ruffled overskirts trim some of these dresses. \$14.50 and \$16.50.

Georgette Crepe  
Flowered Georgettes are often combined with taffeta or mignonette. \$15, \$16.50 and \$22.50.  
Plain blue or black Georgette, often embroidered with beads or silk, is made over silk or charmeuse foundations. \$20 and \$25. (Market)

**A Flower Garden of Colorful Organdie**

All the delicate tints and bright hues of a flower garden! What an inspiration for the prettiest frocks of the Summer! Among the colors are forget-me-not blue, rambler pink, rose, yellow, apple green, orchid, yellow, Copenhagen, jade green, turquoise, tomato, wigwam brown, Navaho brown, cinder gray and bisque. Some are in one quality and others in another, for there is not every color at each price.

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