

Pineapple Uses

Preserving for Winter Is Featured in Helpful Hints to Housewife

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EASILY in May the pineapple crop is ready for shipment, and the housewife will usually find at this season that she can purchase the pineapples reasonably. This is the time to can and conserve sufficient pineapples for the winter preserving closet.

Canned Pineapple for Fruit Salads

Pare the pineapple and cut in inch blocks. Fill into sterilized jars, packing closely, then fill the jar to overflowing with boiling water, adjust the rubber and lid, and partially seal; then process for one and one-half hours in hot water bath, remove, seal securely and store in place free from draughts until cold. Now dip the tops of the jars in melted paraffin and store in usual manner for winter use.

The water drained from this pineapple when you are ready to use for salads may be used for cocktails by adding sugar to taste, or for making jelly.

Preserved Pineapple

Pare the pineapple, and then cut in thick slices; place in the preserving kettle.

Two pounds of sugar.
One and one-half cups of water.

Stir and bring to a boil; cook for five minutes. Now add the sliced pineapple and simmer slowly for fifteen minutes. Lift the pineapple slices into wide mouth jar, filling with the slices flowing with the syrup from the preserving kettle, adjust the rubber and lid and partially seal. Process in a hot water bath one hour, remove and seal securely. When cold, dip the tops of the jars in melted paraffin. This amount of sugar will do up two pounds of pineapple.

Rich Pineapple Preserve

Pare pineapples and cut in finger pieces. Place in deep china bowl and cover each pound of fruit with two pounds of sugar. Let stand twenty-four hours, then heat slowly to boiling point in the preserving kettle and cook ten minutes. Let cool and pack the fingers neatly in half-pint jars, and fill to overflowing with the syrup created from the pineapple and sugar. Adjust the rubber and lid and seal securely. Process for twenty minutes in hot water bath. When cold dip the tops of the jars in melted paraffin.

To seal odd jars or glasses airtight, tie over the top of the jar or glass a piece of fine cheesecloth. Then dip the top of jar covered with the cheesecloth in a pan of melted paraffin and let cool. This forms an airtight covering.

Pineapple and Raisin Conserve

Pare and cut in small pieces three pounds of pineapple, place in the preserving kettle and add

Two pounds of sugar.
Juice of two lemons.
Juice of one orange.
One package of seeded raisins.

Let stand in cool place for six hours, then cook slowly until thick like jam. Store in sterilized jars and seal like for jelly.

Rhubarb and Pineapple Jam

Pare and cut in small pieces one and one-half pounds of rhubarb, three pounds of pineapple. Place in a preserving kettle and add

Three pounds of granulated sugar.
Juice of two lemons.

Cook slowly until thick like jam, and store in the usual manner.

Strawberry and Pineapple Jam

Wash and pick four quart baskets of strawberries, place in the preserving kettle and add

Three pounds of sugar.
crushing the sugar and the berries together. Now add

Two pounds of pineapple, shredded fine.
One cup of maraschino cherries, shredded fine.
Three-quarters cup of the sirup from the maraschino cherry bottle.

Stir well to blend and cook slowly until very thick like jam. Then store in the usual manner.

Bohemian Pineapple Conserve

Place in the preserving kettle

Two pounds of crushed pineapple.
One package of seeded raisins.
One pound of rhubarb, peeled and cut in half-inch pieces.
One cup of maraschino cherries, cut in small bits.
One-half cup of candied ginger, cut in tiny pieces.
One quart of stemmed currants.
Three and one-half pounds of sugar.
One cup of honey.

Cook very slowly until thick like jam. Then fill into small thin glasses, and when cold cover first with wax paper cut to fit over the conserve. Then cover this wax paper with melted paraffin and then seal in the usual manner as for jellies.

To prepare a hot water bath, have a regular hot water bath outfit, or else a new wash boiler that has a close-fitting lid. In either case there must be a rack, either of wire or wood, to lift the jars about two inches from the bottom of the boiler. This is to prevent the heat from cracking the jars, and also to permit free circulation of the water beneath the jars while processing.

Have the temperature of the water in the bath about 150 degrees Fahrenheit at the time you place the jars in the bath, then bring quickly to boiling point and maintain at boiling temperature all the time required to process the special recipe. Cover top of water bath with several thicknesses of newspaper before closing with the lid.

When time limit expires remove the jars one at a time and seal securely and put in place free from draughts. This is important to prevent cracking the jars.

Store in cool room to hasten the cooling process. The kitchen will not do for this, so plan another space before starting to preserve. When cooking the jams and conserves, when you desire to use a thermometer, you will find it will take much of the doubt out of this work and prevent over-cooking. Cook all jams to 220 degrees Fahrenheit and the marmalades to 218 degrees Fahrenheit.

A funny tale, the idea, why should it have a funny tail? and ma, the cake is perfectly a rite, my should it be all rite?

Sure, ma, ony you better let me taste it first and then if it's all rite you won't have anything more to worry about. I see, and ma see, Don't be silly, do you suppose I can offer the ladies of the Passover Comunity a cake with a piece out?

What? Nonsents, how dare you say

on, and then you can fill the space with leing and nobody wont notice it just like a falls tooth, I see, and ma see, Kuteh a comparison, O well, I would like to know if it tastes all rite, just for my own piece of mind. And she cut off a little skinnle slice and gave it to me to try. Wich I did, saying, Holy smonks, ma, there is something funny about it.

What? Nonsents, how dare you say

you want the cake for yourself, well you're-comet smart snuff for me, im the original lady Rherlock Homes, ned ma. And she filled the space with leing, ma thinking, O well, I had the first slice anyway.

LETTERS TO HIS MOTHER

"A Business Man's" Letters to His Mother, in which he tells her the things that lie close to the human heart, will appear in the Massasoletts edition of next Sunday's "Public Ledger." "Make it a Habit."—Ado.

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Just a word to our customers by way of information

The coffee market, which is controlled largely by the Brazilian government, has undergone a decided advance, which compels us, although reluctantly, to raise our price on Asco Coffee. We are taking this step because we know our customers would prefer to pay a few cents more and be sure of the same high quality in Asco Coffee than to have the quality lowered. Whatever the conditions, the quality of Asco Coffee remains the same.

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Try it in your coffee next time.

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Medium size. Very meaty. Small pits. Most delightful flavor. Unusually big value at this low price.

Reg. 11c Fancy Tomatoes No. 2 Cans 9c

Reg. 15c Fancy Tomatoes Big No. 3 Cans 13c

Every can chock full of the very choicest red-ripe Tomatoes. The quality is the same, the only difference being in the size of the cans.

Gold Seal Flour 12-lb bag 57c
Asco Oleomargarine lb 22c
Snowdrift Shortening can 17c
Princess Salad Dressing bot 21c
Asco Pork and Beans can 9c
Asco Tomato Catsup big bot 15c
Cooked Sweet Potatoes big can 15c
Sugar Beets (Ready to Serve) big can 14c

Swift's Snap Soap cake 2 1/2c
Babbitt's Borax Soap 6 bars for 25c
Star Naphtha Washing Powder pkg 7c
Rinso 3 pkgs for 20c
Ivory Soap Flakes pkg 9c
Asco Ammonia bot 9c
Asco Bluing bot 7c
Argo Laundry Starch pkg 9c

Landella Butter lb 45c

Make it a point to taste this delicious butter today. You'll agree it's "the finest butter in America."

Richland Butter lb 42c

Pure creamery prints.

Fresh Country EGGS doz 29c

Every one guaranteed fresh

Asco Sliced Bacon pkg 17c

Asco Bacon is dry, sugar cured, sweet as a nut. A fitting companion to our nice big fresh eggs.

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Victor Bread big loaf 6c

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With lots of luscious raisins.

Fireside lb 22c

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Nice for the children's recess.

Rich Cheese lb. 21c

Nice and creamy, with a most delightful flavor.

Asco Macaroni or Spaghetti 3 pkgs 25c

Asco Corn Flakes 3 pkgs 20c

Gold Seal Oats pkg 8c

Whole Grain Rice lb pkg 9c

California Peaches can 23c, 29c

Asco Cornstarch pkg 7c

Asco Mustard jar 12c

Gorton's Clam Chowder can 12c

Asco Cream Mints lb 25c

Temtor Preserves jar 20c (Peach, Pineapple and Blackberry)

Temtor Strawberry and Raspberry jar 25c

Asco Sifted Peas can 17c

With that "just picked" flavor.

Choice Lima Beans can 15c

Small size, very tender.

Fancy Lima Beans can 22c

Large and green, very tender; they look and taste as if they had just come from the pod.

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Quality Meats at Economy Prices

GENUINE WETHER MUTTON

Neck lb 12c

Shoulder lb 15c

Rack Chops lb 22c

Breast, 8c lb

Rib Chops lb 28c

Loin Chops lb 35c

Legs of Mutton lb 30c

Regular Hams, sugar cured lb 32c

These prices effective in our Phila., Camden and suburban Stores and Meat Markets

Little Benny's Notebook

By Lee Pape

Ma was in the kitchen yesterday afternoon making a cake for the Dughters of Cleopatra, saying, O dear I hope it will turn out all rite, the ladies of the Passover Comunity are so fussy. Giving me a letter, and I thought, if she thinks it tastes funny or anything she wont give it to the Dughters of Cleopatra and we'll eat it home instead.

And when she started to smear the icing on it I see, Well hay, ma, in

WANAMAKER'S

Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store

Baby Turtles 15c Each

They've come from Louisiana and are lots of fun to watch. Glass tanks and pebbles to make them comfortable can be had here, too. Tanks, \$1.50; pebbles, 10c package. (Bird Cage—Central)

Irish Linen Table Damask \$2.25 Yard

Heavy, satin-finish, full-bleached quality, 70 inches wide, in five pretty designs—pansy and dot, scroll with key border, fern and dot, rose or poppy.

Irish Linen Tablecloths, \$4.50

Fully bleached, glossy satin-finish damask cloths in several pretty designs. 70x70 inches, unhemmed, because most women like to hem them by hand. (Central)

Men's Good Standard All-Wool Blue Serge Suits With Two Pair of Trousers \$28.50

Blue serge, guaranteed fast color and all-wool, is well tailored into the reliable all-around suits that are favorites with men.

There are two or three button single-breasted coats and a few double-breasted coats. All are half-lined and are fine Spring and Summer suits.

Two pair of trousers make each suit almost as good as two—it will wear almost as long!

(Gallery, Market)

Men's Terry Bathrobes, \$5

Bathrobes that many men like above all others—just right to slip into after their shower! The thick yet cool terry cloth is in the well-liked designs of green, pink, blue, black, lavender or brown with white. (Gallery, Market)



Special Prices on Two Important Groups of Dresses—\$16.50 and \$18.75



Reversible Fiber Rugs in Artistic Patterns at Low Prices

These are the best fiber rugs that we have ever shown, both in quality and in the attractiveness of patterns and colorings. They are all closely woven and reversible. Because they are good heavy quality they lie flat on the floor.

Both woven and stenciled patterns in border, Chinese and new floral designs in tones of brown, green, blue and rose.

27 x 54 inches, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.25
36 x 72 inches, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$4
4 x 7 feet, \$6.25
4.6 x 7.6 feet, \$4.75 and \$5
6 x 9 feet, \$8, \$8.50 and \$12.50
8 x 10 feet, \$17.50
8.3 x 10.6 feet, \$12 and \$13
9 x 12 feet, \$12.50, \$14 and \$20 (Chestnut)

Canton Crepe Dresses Are Beaded

Beaded dresses of Canton crepe in such lovely colors as periwinkle, jade, French blue, brown and, of course, great numbers in navy blue and black.

Some are almost covered with beads and have very short sleeves, so that they can be used as dinner dresses as well as afternoon gowns.

Others have glittering borders of beads, tassels of beads or fringe of beads.

Many sample frocks are among these and present exceptional value.

Taffeta Dresses Are Tucked and Embroidered

One frock has French baskets of flowers embroidered in colors and topped with ribbon bow-knots.

Another has points embroidered in contrasting colors just below the neckline.

Grosgrain ribbon is used to trim a third model.

Taffetas are in navy blue, Sorrento, brown and black, principally.

Exquisite New Printed Crepe Frocks at \$16.50 to \$30

Real Summer dresses in the delicate colorings that make one think of Summer lawns and June evenings. They're youthful frocks of great charm and come in pink, orchid, tan, light blue, periwinkle or jade—usually very fine all-over patterns printed on white grounds. Some are veiled in over-slips of Georgette. (Market)

New Corset Girdles, \$1 (Made Especially to Our Order)

Best we've ever had at such a low price! \$1 girdles are 12 inches deep and have four full-length inserts of elastic between sections of pink basket material. Of pink broche and elastic at \$1.50.

Special at \$2.50

This corset extends just to the waistline and is designed especially for slender young women. It can be had with the laced or closed back and comes in pink striped poplin with a band of elastic all around the upper edge. The boning is of the lightest. (Central)

Women's Dainty New Pajamas \$1 to \$3

Two-piece batiste pajamas in white, orchid, pink or blue are \$1; crepe pajamas in the same colors are \$1.50; satin-bound crepe pajamas in pink are \$3.

"Billie Burke" or one-piece pajamas are \$1 for batiste in pink and white; \$1.50 for bluebird batiste and \$2 for pink crepe.

Time to get a vacation supply. Crepes are particularly desirable for camps and traveling, since they launder so easily and need no ironing. (Central)



This Little Button-on Suit Is Only 85c

—and a very cunning suit it is for little fellows of 2 to 6. The trousers, collar and cuffs are of pink, blue, brown, green or gray chambray, while the waist is of striped gingham to match.

Little Girls' Madras Frocks \$1.10 and \$1.15

Both styles are trimmed with pink, forget-me-not or corn color bandings and are in 2 to 6 year sizes. (Central)

Practical Tub Frocks for Girls of 6 to 14 \$1 and \$2

All of fast-color gingham that can be tubbed time after time. In checks, plaids and plain colors, trimmed with white pique, cretonne, organdie or contrasting material. They are the simple, comfortable, everyday dresses that every little girl needs and likes to wear. Pink, blue, red, green, brown and yellow are some of the colors.

Some of the \$2 dresses are in bloomer style. (Market)

New French Crepes Special at 50c Yard

French cotton crepe is particularly adaptable for smart Summer sports smocks or whole frocks, as it is very soft, tubes readily and does not muss easily. It is in uneven woven stripes of rose, blue, yellow or black at fairly wide intervals in the snowy white of the crepe. 35 inches wide.

Any one who knows French crepes will appreciate that this low price means an opportunity that should not be missed! (Central)

Everybody Seems to Want Mary Jane Pumps

Four Good Styles at \$7.50

All four are charming and all have carefully turned soles and covered heels.

One combines the well-liked pearl-gray back with black patent leather. This has a low heel.

Other low-heel pumps are of black satin or black patent leather and are suitable for evening or street wear.

A fourth has a modified baby French heel and is of black patent leather, with back, strap and heel covering of gray suede.

A good assortment of sports pumps and street oxfords in black and brown—special at \$4.75. (Chestnut)

