

Homemaking—

Lay in a Stock of Dessert Cheeses
And Spreads for Holiday Hospitality

WHETHER YOU CELEBRATE the merry Christmas and New Year holidays with a formal party or ask your friends to just drop in, it's hot to win high marks for hospitality without damaging the budget or your leisure. One trick is to stock your refrigerator with an assortment of Camembert, Swiss and Liederkranz cheeses and some glasses of cocktail cream spreads and you'll be ready to be an enthusiastic hostess, no matter how many unexpected guests ring the doorbell.

Just get out plenty of plates, hot and fresh and serve it with an slice bread and crackers and let everyone make his own canapes and sandwiches. The last of the stocks of Roquefort cheese have been packed as cocktail cream spreads. Pineapple, vera-sharp, pimento and relish are other popular varieties. Incidentally, the war has not affected the supply of any of the epicurean dessert cheeses except Liederkranz.

Liederkranz Shrimp Sandwich
This takes six slices bread, one cup chopped cooked shrimp and one package Liederkranz cheese. Toast bread lightly on both sides. Remove black membrane from cooked shrimp and chop. Spread on toast. Cover with slices of Liederkranz cheese. Place in broiler for a few seconds until cheese is melted and slightly brown. Serves six.

Savory Liederkranz Cheese Spread

Recipe: One package Liederkranz cheese, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup butter, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon pepper, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon paprika, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon prepared mustard, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, few drops tabasco sauce, if desired, three tablespoons green pepper, finely chopped, and two tablespoons onion or chives, finely chopped.

Crush together Liederkranz cheese and butter to form a smooth paste. Add seasonings and blend well. Add green pepper and onion. Serve as a spread on crackers, canapes, rye or pumpernickle bread.

The Question Box

Q—Can canaries be cured of asthma?

A—It is a chronic disease, more in evidence at night when expiration is difficult, and there is practically no cure for it. Birds so affected are not recommended for breeding. Sometimes a semblance of asthma is caused by indigestion from overeating. A 24-page booklet, *Cage Birds*, containing information about selection, care, feeding and breeding of canaries, parrots and other common cage birds, may be obtained for 10 cents from The Indianapolis Times Service Bureau, 1013 13th St., Washington, D. C.

Q—Can you offer any hints about how to select good grapefruit?

A—Pick them out as much by their clear, whitish-yellow color, or russet skin, as by weight. Thick skinned grapefruit are generally not as good as the thin skinned, heavier ones.

Q—How should oilcloth be washed?

A—Use a large sponge and lukewarm water containing skin-milk. Warm water containing skin-milk.

Dessert for a Man

A MAN'S FACE always lights up when a satisfying dessert such as this steamed fig pudding is set before him. It is spicy and cakelike and thickly studded with chopped figs. Bring it to the table smoking!



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Choose These As Basis of Resort Wardrobe



It doesn't take much arithmetic to figure out the many changes you'll be able to achieve with these three costumes, as a basis for your southern wardrobe. They were all designed by B. H. Wragge and the muted earthy colors were inspired by the pottery in an early American cupboard. The one-piece spectator sports dress (left) is of Remmey crepe, a soft acetate and spun rayon. It has a fly front and a diagonal tuck from each shoulder to broaden the shoulder line and so give the illusion of slimmer hips. It comes in butter crock yellow, delft blue and cookie jar brown at \$22.95.

The two-piece suit is of all-wool Bennington tweed. The trim collarless jacket and pleated skirt can be bought separately. The softly feminine dress of Lennox print rayon is two-piece. It comes in yellow, salt glaze grey, jam pot orange, navy blue-ware and brown-ware at \$15.

P-T.A. News—

Christmas songs by SCHOOL 14 pupils will open the P-T.A. meeting at 2 p. m. Wednesday. A business meeting will follow.

The program for SCHOOL 15, to begin at 2 p. m. Wednesday, will include a cantata, "The First Christmas," given by the elementary grades; "It Came to Pass," given by the Junior High School, and Christmas songs by the primary grades.

Dr. John Edwards of the Broadway Methodist Church will speak at SCHOOL 20's Christmas program Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. The Mothers' Chorus will sing.

Fashionable Pinapores

If you want to be fashionable in the kitchen, now is the time to buy or make yourself half a dozen pinapores aprons. They're becoming to almost everyone and practical, too, since the ample skirt and bodice top cover your food very capably. Gingham is nice, so is percale, or any other prettily figured washable cotton. You'll find, too, that their simple styling makes them very easy to wash and dry space on each side of the doors.

SCHOOL 21 P-T.A. will meet at 2 p. m. Wednesday to see a Christmas pageant presented by pupils. The Boys' Choir also will sing, directed by Miss Katherine Leonard.

Following the children's program, the Rev. M. H. Reynolds will speak on the subject, "Religion Is the Attempt of the Human Life to Live Its Best."

The program at SCHOOL 26 Wednesday at 3:15 p. m. will consist of a story, "Life Begins at Breakfast," given by Mrs. John M. Maddox; a reading, "Why the Chimes Ring," by Mrs. Sarah Hawkins; music by ninth-grade pupils directed by Mrs. Martha Hill, a duet by Mrs. Nellie Porter and her daughter and songs by the Women's Chorus.

The Rev. Powell Mead of the Anderson Christian Church will speak at SCHOOL 37 Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. An informal tea will follow a Christmas play by pupils in Room 11.

Miss Marie Bleibtreu of the Zion Evangelical Church will speak to SCHOOL 27 P-T.A. members at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday. Pupils will give a program. The Study Group's meeting will precede the Christmas session with a discussion of "Growing Up in the World Today" at 1:30 o'clock.

A Nativity pageant will be given by sixth grade pupils at SCHOOL 28 Wednesday at 3:15 p. m. The Rev. Ira B. Stock, pastor of the Seventh Presbyterian Church, will read a Christmas story.

The Rev. N. H. Shultz, pastor of the Garfield Evangelical and Reformed Church, will sing at the SCHOOL 34 meeting at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday. School children will give a Christmas program.

"Screwdriers of 1940," a motion picture, will be shown to patrons of SCHOOL 37 Wednesday at 3:15 p. m. A Christmas party will follow. An art and home economics exhibit will be shown in the school auditorium through Wednesday, Dec. 18.

Two films, "They Do Come Back" and "Goodbye Mr. Germ," will be shown by Miss Alice Gurtner of the Marion County Tuberculosis Association for the SCHOOL 52 STUDY GROUP Wednesday at 3 p. m. A tea will follow the Christmas program by the pupils at 3:15 o'clock.

Impersonator to Appear.

The Parent-Teacher Association of School 38 will present Tommy Tucker, impersonator, to the pupils and friends tomorrow at the school.

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W.C.T.U. Unit Meets Friday

The Central Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. Titus Lowe, 4014 N. Pennsylvania St., Friday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock. A Christmas party and songs by the pupils will follow.

A Christmas program at SCHOOL 5 Wednesday at 1:15 p. m. will include a play, "The Christ Candle," given by Grade 4B, a Nativity play by the Junior High School, music by the percussion band of Grades IA and 2B and Christmas carols by all the pupils.

Features of SCHOOL 62's program at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday will be a Nativity pageant by Junior High School pupils, including chorals by the Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs; a Christmas play by the first and second grades and Christmas carols by the elementary grades.

Among Wednesday P-T. A. Christmas programs will be SCHOOL 58's at 1:30 p. m., SCHOOL 67's at 2:15 o'clock and SCHOOL 68's 3:15 p. m. p. m.

The Rev. Powell Mead of the Anderson Christian Church will speak at SCHOOL 73 Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. An informal tea will follow a Christmas play by pupils in Room 11.

The SCHOOL 80 STUDY GROUP will meet at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday to hear Dr. J. S. McBride discuss "Tuberculosis and Your Child."

Miss Irene Duncan will tell the Christmas story at SCHOOL 82 Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Colored slides will be shown, the Mothers' Chorus will sing and the children will give a program.

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The Rev. Harold Ranes will speak on "Spiritual Need and Development in Children" to patrons of SCHOOL 91 at 2 p. m. Wednesday. The massed school choruses will sing Christmas carols.

SCHOOL 87's program Wednesday at 3:15 p. m. is to include Christmas songs by the primary pupils, directed by Mrs. Blanchard; a motion picture in technicolor, "The Middletown Family at the World's Fair," and an exhibit of Christmas art work.

The Rev. Harold Ranes will speak on "Spiritual Need and Development in Children" to patrons of SCHOOL 91 at 2 p. m. Wednesday. The massed school choruses will sing Christmas carols.

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