# COOKING FUN

It's pleasant to come to the breakfast table and be surprised.

A good breakfast really can say "good morning" and when there's something new and different to intrigue the appetite like doughnut surprises, it's easier to get off to school or to the office in a contented frame of mind.

A little psychology can be employed also, to add to the appeal of this important early morning meal. Change the place where your family is in the habit of eating breakfast.

Arrange breakfast on trays, or if you have a kitchen counter, serve informally right from the range. Colorful place mats add a cheery note as do flowers and other attractive table appointments.

**Vary Menu**

Most important of all, don't forget to vary the breakfast menu. Doughnuts have always been a tip-top favorite, but serve them in some brand new ways and watch the children's eyes brighten and your husband's smile broaden.

To recapture that "just out of the kettle" flavor of doughnuts, heat a package of them in a covered pan in a 400 degrees F. oven for about five minutes. For an added touch, sprinkle them with sugar-cinnamon. The results are piping hot doughnuts unrivaled for that early morning pick-me-up.

Serve your family these breakfast surprises developed by Barbara Starr, consumer service director for Tip-Top Bakers: individual doughnut cakes for a new sweet breakfast cake, Grilled Doughnuts served with hot maple syrup and Doughnut Sandwiches all are popular vote takers for breakfast surprise foods. You'll find that a "Good Breakfast Means Good Morning."

**Doughnut Cakes**

8 doughnuts
8 tablespoons brown sugar
¼ teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
¼ cup chopped walnuts

Sprinkle doughnuts with mixture of brown sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg, and walnuts. Place doughnuts under broiler for five minutes or until topping has become soft and bubbly. Serve immediately.

Makes 8 servings.

**GRILLED DOUGHNUTS**

8 doughnuts
8 canned pineapple slices
8 tablespoons soft butter

Cut doughnuts in half, crosswise and butter. Place doughnut halves on broiler cut side up and add one pineapple slice to every other half.

Broil for five minutes or until golden brown. Put halves together and serve immediately. Top with warm maple if desired.

Makes 8 servings.


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# Parky suggests tasty treats

"Parky," the celebrated Parks Sausage trade character, suggests "Park-U-Pines" and "Parks Sausage Meat Loaf" to spark winter menus, that will win you praises from the family.

The easy-to-prepare "Park-U-Pines," require the following ingredients:

1 lb. Parks Sausage; salt ½ cup uncooked rice and ½ cup of milk. The sausage is combined with rice, add salt and then milk. Form into little balls and place in casseroles, leaving plenty of space between each meat ball for expansion.

Cover with tomato soup and bake in moderate oven for two hours.

**Meat Loaf**

The "Parks Sausage Meat Loaf" is a tasty dish and too, easily prepared. The needed ingredients are 1 lb. of Parks Sausage; 1-4 chopped green peppers; 1-4 chopped onions; 1 cup bread crumbs; 2 eggs; 1-2 cup milk; 1 tsp. salt and 1 lb ground beef.

Mix all of the ingredients and form into a loaf. Put in pan and bake in a 350 degree oven for one and a half hours. To give it that added flavor add tomato sauce just before serving.

# Sigma Gamma Rho sorors plan guidance clinic for girls

On Saturday, March 13, from 10 to 2 p.m. Howard University will again be host to Sigma Gamma Rho sorority's sixth annual guidance clinic.

The clinic is sponsored for junior and senior high school girls of the District and vicinity, and is one of the activities planned during the sorority's National Youth Week observance.

The theme of this year's gathering is "The Worthy Use of Leisure Time" as developed by school subjects and school programs.

**Miss Duncan Speaker**

The guest speakers will be Miss Annie Duncan, assistant principal of Spingarn high school; Mrs. Louise G. Johnson, counselor of Langley junior high school; Miss Ruth E. Hankins, attorney-at-law; and Mrs. Mae Doughtery, Foreign Service, U.S. Department of State.

The conference will be held in the Chemistry Building Auditorium. The day is to be climaxed by a reception in the home economic building lounge from 1 to 2 p.m., where representatives from the Alpha Phi, Phi Sigma, and Beta chapters will serve as hostesses.

**Mrs. Browne Director**

Director of the Guidance Clinic is Mrs. Edna F. Browne, registrar; Mrs. Sylvia C. Jones, University advisor, Mrs. Lorraine Williams, basileus of Phi Sigma Chapter and Mrs. Evelyn O. Chase.


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# Week's best food buys

The relatively short supply of hogs is being reflected now in the retail price of pork products, especially lard and bacon.

The price of lard is seventy-seven percent above the extreme low price of a year ago and five percent above average. Bacon is selling above average, also, states Russell C. Hawes, marketing specialist, University of Maryland Extension Service.

A price comparison of mid-February retail food prices with those of a year ago show just about as many items are up as there are down.

Fruit prices are lower in cost this season. Also, white potatoes, iceberg lettuce, and onions.

**Fowl Prices Drop**

In meats, chicken fryers and turkeys are below prevailing prices of a year ago. On the higher side, we find peppers and beets. Other fresh vegetables show no price trend. In meats, roast beef, pork shoulder, ham, bacon and cuts of lamb are priced above a year ago.

Bacon is up sharply, also lard. All grades of eggs, butter and oleomargarine show no change in price as compared with mid-February, 1953.

**Bacon Up**

The comparison of mid-February 1954 prices with prices for the same week during the last nine years (1946-54) shows bacon retailing at prices above the top price for the period surveyed, while white potatoes are selling at the lowest cost for the entire period.

Florida oranges, bananas, carrots, iceberg lettuce, yellow onions, white potatoes, spinach, tomatoes, chicken fryers, butter, lard and oleomargarine are retailing now below the average retail prices as of mid-February for the period 1946-54.

Week's "Busy Buys" include carrots, iceberg lettuce, kale, onions, potatoes, bananas, grapefruit, eggs, rock fish, chicken fryers, roasts of beef and pork, lamb, and beef liver.

## Doughnut Sandwich

2 tablespoons milk
½ cup cream cheese
8 doughnuts
1/3 cup homemade jam or jelly

Add milk to cream cheese and blend. Slice doughnuts crosswise. Spread jam or jelly on half of each doughnut and cream cheese on other half. Put halves together, forming sandwich.

Makes 8 servings.

# Grain of goods, buttonholes test for coat, suit quality

Salespeople can help, and labels can help, when a woman is shopping for a coat or suit that will give lasting service.

But the more the shopper herself knows about construction and materials—from high grade merchandise to low—the better her chance for getting a really good buy at the price she can pay, says Clarice L. Scott of the home economics research branch in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Research Service.

**Aid Available**

To provide helpful facts, Miss Scott has prepared a booklet on buying women's coats and suits including such information as a fiber and fabric chart, marks of quality that can be detected by close inspection, and a checklist of strategic points on fit.

All such background knowledge, says Miss Scott, can be useful two ways: It can help a woman plan her purchase and know whether a particular coat or suit that catches her fancy has the qualities most important to her. It can also help her judge whether it has good values for its price.

**Looks Deceive**

Coats and suits in neat rows in a shop often look much the same even though price tags may vary widely. Among the reasons for different prices, Miss Scott points out these:

High-grade coats and suits are made from fabrics that tailor and press well, and the fabric is shrunk and inspected for flaws in weave and color. In contrast, the most cheaply produced garments are made from cloth just as it comes, with little or no regard for flaws or shrinkage.

Pattern pieces for cheap production are trimmed down to take as little cloth as possible. Many layers are cut at once. There can be little concern for proper grain of the goods, so the garments may later twist or sag.

Buttonholes, linings, seams, collars, lapels are among the features that indicate good or poor quality. Buttonholes not cut with the grain of the goods or poorly cut, for example, are likely to stretch in wearing and hang open. Any shopper can learn to compare such features as these.

Single copies of the booklet, "Buying Women's Coats and Suits," HG-31, may be had free from the Office of Information, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

# Catonsville News

By SAMUEL TORSELL

Seven members of the Crescent Lodge Elks, attended a smoker at the Mountain City Lodge Elks home in Fredrick, Md., Thursday.

The group included Charles Hardy, William C. Jenson, Samuel Jones, Ernest McCormick, John McCormick, Samuel Torsell, and Calvin Page.

The Rev. John M. Cox will speak at Grace Church Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Jerolin Muller will render a piano solo at the morning services.

The Advisory Club of the Emma Williams Temple Elks will give a party Saturday at the home of Mrs. Fannie Hayes, 84 Winters ave.

**American Legion Post**

The Johnson and Jackson Post No. 263 of the American Legion will hold open house Saturday in their new home on Edmondson and Winters ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith moved into their new home on Wesley ave., this week. Bland Hall of Mt. Gilboe is a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital.

The pastor, choir and congregation of the Morning Star Baptist church, participated in services at Faith Baptist church Feb. 28.

Also, on Feb. 28, the congregation from the Full Gospel Tabernacle held services at Pimlico with the Rev. Dotson presiding.

**Anderson Funeral**

Funeral services for Mrs. Laura Anderson of 12 Shipley ave., were held Saturday at Grace Church with the Rev. C. C. Brown officiating. Mrs. Anderson was a member of the Stewardess board at the church.

The Banneker High school basketball team won a 70 to 68 victory from Fairmount Heights last Friday.

Joe Linch tallied 42 points for Banneker, Tucker 12, and Randall nine. Banneker's junior team lost to Fairmont 29 to 31.

Mr. Yates coaches the Banneker team, Calvin Williams is captain.

# Pirates' dream

"Dressing up" drinks does the same thing in the way of eye appeal for liquid refreshment as it does for food.

Hotels and restaurants in Puerto Rico make it a year round practice of greeting visitors with their famous "Welcome Drinks." These drinks spell the magic of a tropical way of life.

Coconut or pineapple shells, straw hat glass holders, fruit slices and even flowers glorify a variety of rum thirst quenchers.

Tall drinks sipped from a straw have a special allure.

Fresh fruit garnishes, expertly cut, are part and parcel of the art of mixing drinks and will bring out the showmanship in you. These need not be confined to the citrus fruit variety. Try slices of fresh peach, pineapple, strawberries or crisp mint for a new taste thrill.

The popular "Pirates Dream," served at the Old Absinthe House in New Orleans, consists of all the elements that go into the making of a first class party drink.

**THE PIRATE'S DREAM**

Juice of one orange
½ oz. grenadine
Juice of 1 lemon
2 dashes Angostura bitters
Fresh green mint
Cherries (8 to 10 for each drink)
2 oz. each, white and gold label, Puerto Rican Rum

Take a huge glass capable of holding 26 to 28 ozs. Crush a few sprigs of fresh mint into the glass then add the rum, grenadine, orange, lemon juices and bitters. Fill glass with crushed ice with the cherries spaced throughout.

Decorate rim with slice of lemon and orange. You'll need plenty of straws for the long pull to the bottom of the glass. Two of these glasses should get a party of 16 off to a nice congenial start.

# Nectar salad

The rich fruity flavor and lovely color of apricot whole fruit nectar are used to advantage in this "Layered Nectar Salad."

It's a molded salad so that it can be prepared ahead of serving time and last minute preparation minutes saved. Chopped green pepper gives an interesting note of color.

**Layered Nectar Salad**

1½ cups apricot whole fruit nectar
1 envelope (one tablespoon) plain gelatin
2 tablespoons lemon juice
2 tablespoons vinegar
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup chopped celery
¼ cup chopped green sweet pepper
1 (3-ounce) package cream cheese
cheese
Salad greens
Salad dressing

Heat 1¼ cups nectar. Soften gelatin in remaining nectar and dissolve in hot nectar. Stir in lemon juice, vinegar and salt. Cool. Add vegetables to ½ the gelatin mixture and pour into mold. Chill.

Allow remaining gelatin to thicken slightly. Whip with rotary beater. Beat in cream cheese, and pour this mixture over chilled gelatin layer. Chill until firm.

Unmold on greens. Serve with salad dressing.

Serves six to eight.

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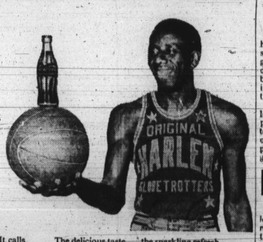

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# In Our Churches

**Interracial Audience**

The Rev. W. I. Snowden, Frederick evangelist, preached Sunday at the Frederick county home before an interracial audience.

Walter S. Symonds, of San Antonio, Texas, will lecture on Christian Science, Tuesday, March 9, at 12:10 p.m., at 702 Cathedral st.

The Third Church of Christ, Scientist, is sponsoring the program.

**Lenten Services**

Special Lenten services will be held weekly at St. James P. E. church, Lafayette and Arlington aves. Holy Eucharist will be held Wednesday mornings at 7:30 a.m. and Thursday noons.

On Wednesday noons, there will be interceissions and on Fridays at 3:45 p.m., stations of the cross.

Union Lenten services were held Ash Wednesday at Grace and Etting sts. Guest speaker was the Rev. Reginald Daniels, pastor, Madison ave. Presbyterian church.

Music was furnished by the church choir.

Among the guest congregations from Presbyterian churches were: Cherry Hill, the Rev. Edgar W. Ward, pastor; Knox, the Rev. H. O. Graham, pastor and New Life, the Rev. Harold Nixon, pastor.

**On Petit Jury**

The Rev. Robert T. Newbold, pastor of Grace church, is now serving on the petit jury of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore.

A week of Evangelist services will begin Monday, March 8 at Gillis Memorial Community church, Calhoun and Mulberry sts.

Guest speaker for the week will be the Rev. H. J. Jackson, of Columbia, S.C.

Special guest, Wednesday night, will be Elder W. A. Showell.

The services are being sponsored by the Pastor's Aid club. The Rev. Mrs. Mary Morgan is president; Mesdames Nettie Westbrook and Corinne Watson are program chairmen. The Rev. Theodore Jackson is pastor.

**Mid-Week Services**

Mid-week services will be held every Wednesday during Lent at 8 p.m. at the Holy Trinity church, Lafayette and Wheeler aves.

The Rev. Van S. Bird will deliver the special Lenten addresses.

An advisory board was appointed at Holy Trinity church, this week by the Rt. Rev. Noble C. Powell, Bishop of the Diocese of Maryland.

Members include: Earl W. Turner, Harold F. Macklin, Dr. Clyde R. Dillard, Julian Harper and William L. Wilson Jr.

**Men's Day**

Men's Day will be observed at Centennial Methodist church, Stirling and E. Monument sts. Sunday, March 14, with special services and programs throughout the day.

Guest speaker at the morning service will be Bishop William W. Matthews, of Washington, bishop of the AME Zion church.

Music will be furnished by the male and female choruses.

Albert Jefferson is chairman; Morris Yorkman lay leader; Albert Brown Jr., program chairman; Prof. Luther Mitchell, music chairman and the Rev. J. H. Peters, pastor.

**Fete First Anniversary**

In honor of their first anniversary, members of the Recreation Center of Israel Baptist church, Preston and Chester sts., will hold a turkey dinner, Saturday.

On Sunday, at 6 p.m., a program will be given. John Henderson of the YMCA will be guest speaker.

Sponsoring the weekend events are Lorenzo Graves, director; James Matthews and Joseph Johnson, assistant directors; Miss Doris Jones, secretary; Miss Elizabeth Cammon, program chairman.

Richard Vance and Mesdames Gussie Kelly, Ethel Graves, Lassie Weaver and Marion Wilson, all committee members.

**Birthday Party**

The Young Adult choir of Enon Baptist church held a birthday party, recently. Guests were seated around 12 tables, which were specially decorated to represent the months of the year.

Mesdames Odell Payne and Leonora Kerr served as judges. The winning table was January. Following a luncheon, the birthday cakes were auctioned off by Delano McCullum, president of the choir.

Music was furnished by the Young Adult choir under the direction of Isadore Oglesby. The Rev. A. J. Payne is pastor.

IN $6,000 DRIVE—Members of Metropolitan Methodist church, shown with the pastor, the Rev. Kelly L. Jackson, have taken on the responsibility of raising $6,000 by May 2 which will be observed as Women's Day.

BERNADINE WEBB

# East Baltimore girl joins WAF

Bernadine Webb of 1729 N. Caroline st., was sworn into the WAFs Monday afternoon before her mother, an aunt, an uncle and her grandparents.

Miss Webb is now undergoing basic training in San Antonio, Texas. She was a February 1953 graduate from Dunbar High school. She is also a former Morgan College freshman.

Watching her as she was sworn in at WAFS-WAC Recruiting headquarters in the main post office were the following:

Mrs. Velma R. Webb, mother; Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ross, grandparents; Mrs. Mary Anderson, aunt; Ralph Ross, uncle, and William Taylor, chairman of the Eastside Community Committee.

Miss Webb said she wanted to join the WAFs to become part of "something big." She was sworn in by Major Robert M. Flynn.


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# Mrs. Hawkins files for 16th ward executive

MRS. MARY T. HAWKINS

Mrs. Mary E. Hawkins, secretary of the Baltimore branch NAACP, filed Wednesday as candidate for Republican ward executive of the 16th Ward. She will oppose William Turks, the incumbent.

Mrs. Hawkins is chairman of the newly formed Know Your Government League which was organized last Thursday night at a meeting held at her home at 912 N. Gilmor st.

Other officers of the League are Thomas C. Wheatley, vice chairman; Mrs. Anna McDonald, secretary; Mrs. Viola Jackson chairman, advisory committee; the Rev. V. T. Keys, chaplain, and Mrs. Clara E. Harris, treasurer.

**Former Teacher**

Mrs. Hawkins, a graduate nurse, former teacher and beautician, has been assiting in the state examination of beauticians in Maryland for the past 15 years.

She is the widow of the late Dr. James B. Hawkins and the mother of three daughters. One daughter, Mrs. Antoinette Moseby, lives in Baltimore.

Her other daughters are Mrs. Elaine Dorsey of Washington, D.C. and Mrs. Margaurite Wilkes of Chicago.

**Civic Worker**

Long active in civic work in Baltimore, Mrs. Hawkins is a member of Union Memorial church and the first lay leader of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

She was the first social relations chairman of the Washington Conference of the Methodist church and district chairman of the West Baltimore Golden Cross. Society of the same conference.

During World War II, Mrs. Hawkins served on the Woman's Council of Churchs for Maryland womn and trasurr of th Council of Negro Women.

In 1952 sh was a mmbr of th Fdral grand jury and has bn' r general for the March of Dimes drive for four years.

**Receives Endorsments**

The following persons have endorsed Mrs. Hawkins' candidacy: Bishop Edgar A. Love, the Rev. and Mrs. K. L. Jackson, the Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Barnes, the Revs. N. B. Carrington, T. V. Key, S. J. Mack, James L. Moore, William C. Hudnell, G. M. Harris, Lawrence Evans and Gentry McDonald.

Also Mrs. Clara E. Harris, Mrs. Tva B. White, Mrs. Anna McDonald, Mrs. Kathryne B. Davis, Mrs. Milburn Davis, Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee and Thomas C. Wheatley.

Also Mrs. Georgia Boston, Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Watts, Mrs. Nellie W. Williams, Mrs. Margaret Jones, Mrs. Rosa Faircloth, Mrs. Helen I. Singleton, Miss Jaunita Leonard.

Henry U. Ayers, Mrs. Rosa McGowan, Mrs. Verine Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Butler, Mrs. Daisy B. Jones and Linwood Wallace.

**BALTO. GI IN GERMANY**

Pvt. Charles A. Green Jr., who was reported serving in Germany in Tuesday's AFRO, is the son of Charles A. Green Sr., of 1124 W. Lafayette ave. The soldier's mother, Mrs. E. Johnson, lives at 723 Dolphin st.

# Clubs

PINK RIBBON—The club met with Mrs. Hattie Edward, 2415 N. North ave.

Those present were:

Lillian Watkins, Nella Clinton, Katherine Curry, Mildred Chisley, Martha Saunder, and Hazel Rodgers.

DEPENDABLE WOMAN'S — The Charity club gave a tea at the home of Mrs. Mary Romby, 2108 W. Mulberry st.

The proceeds from the tea will be used to buy a new refrigator for the Pediatric Ward at Provident Hospital.

Members are:

Mesdames Verneva Henry, Louise Jackson, Eleanor Smallwood, Janet Berkley, Emma Lewis, Estella Webb, Leona Minor, Alice Stokes, Nancy Handy, Mary Romby, Martha Gillard.

APOLLO — Mrs. Ida Dowell, vice president, entertained the club on Wednesday at her residence, 1344 Carey st.

She had as her guests, Mrs. Marie Gibson and Mrs. Annabelle Martin.

Prizes at cards went to Mrs. Dora Datcher, Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Alberta Briscoe.

ECLIPSE—The pinochle club met in the home of Mrs. Estella McKenny, 1012 N. Stricker st., Wednesday.

Prizes at cards went to Mesdames Anna Willis, Dorothy Diggs and Mary Smith. Mrs. McKenny is president of the club.


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# Follow Christ's example, Fast 40 days during Lent

In order to understand what the season of Lent means, let us first look into the meaning of the word.

According to the dictionary, Lent indicates a fast of 40 week days. It is observed each year from Ash Wednesday until Easter and is a season of penance and self denial.

The word itself comes from an old Anglo-Saxon word "lenctan" which means "long." Thus Lent means the long fast.

**Follow Christ**

When one observes Lent, he is following the example of our Divine Savior.

For the Gospel tells us that immediately after his baptism in the Jordan and before beginning his public ministry, Christ went out into the desert and fasted 40 days and 40 nights.

By his actions he proclaimed to the people, "Unless you do penance, you shall all likewise perish."

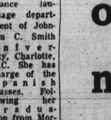
Lent opens with the words, "Remember, man, thou art dust and unto dust thou shalt return."

It is the appointed time for us to meditate on our final end. Lent is the church's retreat for every one. It is a time to withdraw from self and to renew your dedication to God.

Hence Lent is the "acceptable time" to turn away from the things of the world which lead one to eternal damnation and to turn to God who will lead us to eternal salvation.

# Miss Venture on Smith U. faculty

Miss Ann E. Venture, Morgan College graduate, has been appointed to the faculty of the re-



Miss Venture

gan in 1951, she spent a year in residence at the University of Puerto Rico where she has practically completed her work for the master of arts degree in Spanish.

Miss Venture is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clement Ira Venture, 415 N. Carey st., Bal-