

Your Kitchen Counsellor

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PINK, WHITE AND GOOD

Will you use Valentine's Day as an excuse to have a party? It's a very smart plan. And there are ever so many easy ideas for the food and the decorations.

Pink, white and good! That's the key to the theme for Valentine's festivities.



Sift flour, soda and cream of tartar together and blend into creamed mixture. (Work in a few drops of red food coloring if you like.) Chill dough to make it firm for easier handling. Roll thin and cut in desired shapes. Bake in modern gas range oven at 425° for about 5 minutes or until delicately browned. Remove cookies to cooling rack.

To make the lacy edge of the "Valentines," beat egg white slightly with the cold water and brush onto edges of cooled cookies. Sprinkle with powdered sugar.

VALENTINE PARTY CAKE

If you really think cake and ice cream is the best party dessert, here's the recipe for you. It's one of those quick method cakes and the beating time is very exact so check the directions with care.

- 2 1/2 C. sifted cake flour
- 2 1/2 C. sugar
- 1 1/2 tsp. double action baking powder
- 1/2 C. shortening
- 1 tsp. lemon flavoring
- 1 C. milk
- 1/4 C. unbeaten egg whites (4 large)

Sift dry ingredients into mixing bowl. Add shortening, flavoring and 1/2 of the milk. BEAT TWO MINUTES. Add remaining milk and the egg whites. BEAT TWO MINUTES. Turn about 1/4 of the batter into each of two oiled deep 8-inch layer pans. Tint the remaining batter a delicate shade of pink with food coloring. Pour here and there over the white batter in the pans. Cut through several times with a knife for marbled effect. Bake in modern gas range oven at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes. Frost with a fluffy icing tinted to desired color. Trim with bits of cherries, red candies or silver "decorettes."

LACY VALENTINE COOKIES

Your guests will "ooh and ah" over these pretty cookies. Make plenty because the family will enjoy them if they get a chance.

- 1 C. shortening
- 1 C. sugar
- 3 eggs, beaten
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 3 C. sifted flour
- 1 tsp. soda
- 2 tsp. cream of tartar
- 1 egg white
- 1 tsp. cold water
- Powdered sugar
- Cream shortening and sugar.
- Add well-beaten eggs and vanilla.

Prune Peach Trees Now,

If you haven't pruned your deciduous fruit trees, such as peaches, apricots, and plums, prune them now, says R. W. Palmer, assistant farm advisor in Los Angeles county. If there is much warm weather occurring after the freeze, the trees may start to bud out early this year.

The most important tree to prune is the peach, as this coming year's crop is produced on last year's wood. If some

of that wood is not pruned out, a heavy crop may set and the fruits would not be as large as they should be if properly pruned. Some fruit thinning can be done later in the year, but it's easier to thin the fruit wood now by pruning.

Precepts are the rules by which we ought to square our lives. —Seneca

Narbonne Boys Now in Coast Guard

Thomas C. Blackburn, 22417 South Denker avenue, and Larry L. Karr, 1350 West 228th street, enlisted in the United States Coast Guard last week and left for boot camp at Cape May, New Jersey.

Both youths were Juniors at Narbonne High School. Blackburn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. "Bud" Karr. His father is with the Signal Oil Company.

ASKS VOLUNTEERS

Mrs. Dorothy Hill, health chairman of Torrance Elementary P.T.A., is asking volunteers to prepare the soup which is served daily at the school to supplement the diet of less fortunate children.

GRANDPARENTS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thompson, of 1418 Engracia avenue, are entertaining as their house guests his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson of Akron, Mich.

The Thompson children, Jimmy 10, and his sister Betty 6, have enjoyed making the acquaintance of their grandparents, whom Betty had never seen. Jimmy was only two years old during their last visit.

BOARD TO MEET FRIDAY, FEB. 11

Executive board members of Orange Street P.T.A. will hold a meeting at the home of President Mrs. R. L. Hultz, 2032 W. 259th place at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 11.

HAVE YOU GOT ONE DOLLAR? ITS GOOD FOR 2

SAFEWAY MID-WINTER CANNED FOODS SALE

STOCK-UP

Here's a sale you can't afford to miss! It's your chance to make worthwhile savings on fine foods... brands you know and like. In every section, on every shelf, you'll find outstanding values. Check the prices listed below—prove to yourself that you can really save by stocking up during Safeway's big Midwinter Canned Foods Sale. Buy six cans, buy a dozen!

SLICED PEACHES Del Monte brand. Choice Yellow Cling.	29-oz. can	26c
HALVED PEACHES Castle Crest brand. Choice Yellow Cling.	29-oz. can	23c
WHOLE APRICOTS Valley Gold brand. Choice, unpeeled.	30-oz. can	22c
HALVED PEARS Libby, brand, choice quality Bartlets.	29-oz. can	38c
FRUIT COCKTAIL Hostess Delight	17-oz. can 30-oz. can	19c 31c
CUT GREEN BEANS Gardenside brand. Standard quality.	2 cans	27c
WHOLE TOMATOES King's Gate brand. Fancy whole pack.	19-oz. can	17c
SLICED PEACHES CASTLE CREST YELLOW CLINGS	29-oz. can	23c
TOMATOES GARDENSIDE BRAND STANDARD QUALITY	28-oz. can	16c
DEL MONTE PEAS EARLY GARDEN	17-oz. can	16c
GOLDEN CORN GARDENSIDE BRAND CREAM STYLE PACK	18-oz. can	12c
HOT SAUCE GARDENSIDE TOMATO	4 7 1/2-oz. cans	17c
GRATED TUNA CHICKEN OF THE SEA GREEN LABEL	8 1/2-oz. can	33c

BOBBY SOX By Marty Links



"We're tossing a surprise party for Emily Lou... Can we have it here at her house and would you get the cake and stuff?"

The art of spreading rumors may be compared to the art of pyromania. There is usually some truth, which I call the wire, as this passes from hand to hand, one gives it a polish, another a point, others make and put on the head, and at last the pin is completed.

—John Newton

MAYOR FLETCHER BOWRON, Los Angeles — There's just no sense in maintaining the old traditional rivalry between Los Angeles and San Francisco.

The best of all the preachers are the men who live their creeds.

—Edgar A. Guest

Low Prices on Canned Fruits, Fish, Meats, Vegetables and Soups

Grapefruit Dromedary, Hearts.	20-oz. can	18c
Grapefruit Glenn-aire, sections.	20-oz. can	18c
Grapefruit Highway, broken.	20-oz. can	17c
Sliced Peaches Highway brand.	29-oz. can	25c
Halved Peaches Highway brand.	29-oz. can	24c
Peaches Free-store Halves O'Gold brand.	29-oz. can	33c
Peaches Free-store Ranger Golden.	29-oz. can	23c
Whole Apricots Del Monte, unpeeled.	30-oz. can	25c
Peeled Apricots Valley Gold, whole fruit.	30-oz. can	25c
Apricot Halves Libby brand.	29-oz. can	21c
Halved Pears Libby brand.	17-oz. can	27c
Boysenberries Balled brand, fancy.	17-oz. glass	31c
Grated Tuna Torpedo Light.	6-oz. can	32c
Lunch Tongue Libby.	6-oz. can	29c
Dried Beef Peacock Sliced.	4-oz. can	45c

Other Canned Foods

Shortening Royal Saltin, For baking or frying.	1-lb. can	97c
Crisco Vegetable Shortening.	1-lb. can 3-lb. can	36c 1.03
Tamales Rivera.	7-oz. can	5c
Tamales Armour Star.	10 1/2-oz. can	19c
Grapefruit Juice Townhouse Natural.	2 18-oz. cans	19c
Grape Juice Queen Isabella brand.	quart bottle	33c

Check These Values

Cat Food Healthway.	11-oz. can	7c
Pancake Flour Suzanne brand, With "Old West" flavor.	40-oz. pkg. 3 1/2-lb. bag	28c 40c
Table Syrup Sleepy Hollow Cane & Maple.	12-oz. bottle 24-oz. bottle	24c 43c
Party Crackers Tea Timers, Crisp, golden wafers.	1-lb. pkg. 8-oz. pkg.	19c 29c
Graham Flour Fisher brand.	2-lb. bag	27c
Pastry Flour Capital brand.	5-lb. bag	45c
White Cornmeal Mummy Lou brand, Enriched.	40-oz. can 5-lb. bag	23c 35c
Cornmeal Yellow Mummy Lou brand, Enriched.	40-oz. can 5-lb. bag	21c 31c
Sparkeeta Up Deposits are extra on bottles.	29-oz. bottle	15c

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SOAP & CLEANSER VALUES

White King Toilet Soap	bar	7c
Sierra Pine Toilet Soap	bar	8c
Lux Toilet Soap	bar	9c
Lux Bath Soap	2 bars	25c
Camay Toilet Soap	bar	9c
Camay Bath Soap	2 bars	25c
Ivory Snow	12 1/2-oz. pkg.	31c
Drift For Dishes	11-oz. pkg.	30c
Tide For All Washing	18-oz. pkg.	29c
Dux Soap Granulated	20 1/2-oz. pkg.	31c
Oxydol Soap Granulated	24-oz. pkg.	31c
Borax 20 Mule Team	2-lb. pkg.	26c
Spic & Span Cleaner	16-oz. pkg.	23c

For ALL BOYS There's FUN and ADVENTURE in Scouting. BOY SCOUT WEEK, FEB. 6-12

GUARANTEED MEATS

Taste steak, roast, or chops from Safeway. Judge them for tenderness, juiciness, flavor. If they fail to please, we'll give all your money back.

CORNEBEEF BONELESS BRISKET	lb.	49c
RIB ROAST STANDING 7-INCH CUT FROM TOP GRADES OF BEEF	lb.	65c
FRYERS U. S. GOVT INSPECTED CHICKENS CUT UP, PAN READY	lb.	69c
BOILING BEEF PLATE MEAT, TOP U. S. GRADES	lb.	15c
Beef Roast Round bone end of round bone	lb.	45c
Beef Roast Seven Bone Chuck No Neck	lb.	43c
Round Steak No. 1 Cut	lb.	65c
Round Steak No. 2 Cut	lb.	63c
Pork Loin Roast Either End	lb.	45c
Pork Loin Roast Center Cut	lb.	59c
Beef Short Ribs From top grades of beef.	lb.	25c
Lamb Roast Shoulder 5-lb. Trimmed.	lb.	49c
Lamb Rib Chops Fully trimmed, top grade.	lb.	69c
Dry Salt Pork Excellent flavor.	lb.	33c
Halibut Steaks Northern, Pan ready.	lb.	49c
Whiting Pan ready, whole fish.	lb.	23c

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Select your own produce from Safeway's tempting displays of farm-fresh fruits and vegetables.

CABBAGE SERVE CORNEBEEF AND CABBAGE FOR DINNER	lb.	2 1/2c
TOMATOES FANCY QUALITY IN CELLOPHANE	14-oz. carton	29c
WINESAP APPLES	3 lbs.	25c
ORANGES MEDIUM SIZE NAVELA PACKED IN MESH BAG	7-lb. bag	47c
BANANA SQUASH YELLOW HEATED	lb.	2 1/2c

NEW LOW PRICE! GROUND BEEF IN VISKING CASING Excellent to use in meat loaf, for meat patties, or creamed. lb. 39c