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## THE HOUSEWIFE

The following cheese dishes are suggested by the Milk Utilization Service, Dairy Branch, Dominion

## YOUR SIZE

By JANE DEE

ACCURACY of measurement plays a very important part in the shopping of Mail Order customers. Few people realize the necessity of measuring EVERY TIME they order. Often they may require a different size to that which fitted them only six months previously.

Perhaps you gained while away on your holidays. Perhaps you lost weight and need a smaller size. If daughter swam every day this summer her shoulders will probably have become broader and therefore she will require a larger size. All these things must be taken into consideration when you shop by mail.

When you sit down to write your order, have the tape measure beside you so that you will be able to measure yourself. Better still, have somebody else measure you.

If you have had difficulty securing a garment to fit properly, when you order, kindly send in your full measurements such as width across shoulders, waistband, sleeve length and dress length. Then we will be able to advise you upon the correct size according to your measurements.

Jane Dee

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Department of Agriculture:—

### WELSH RAREBIT

3 tablespoons butter  
4 tablespoons flour  
3 cups milk  
2 cups grated cheese  
¼ teaspoon salt  
Dash pepper  
Dash paprika  
2 eggs, beaten  
Melt butter. Blend in flour. Add milk gradually, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Add cheese and seasonings and stir until cheese is melted. Add beaten eggs, and cook about 2 minutes. Serve at once on toast or crackers. Garnish with paprika, chopped stuffed olives, green peppers or parsley.

### POTATOES AU GRATIN

2 tablespoons butter  
3 tablespoons flour  
2 cups milk  
½ teaspoon salt  
¼ cups diced, cooked potatoes  
Pepper  
1 cup grated cheese  
Melt butter. Blend in flour. Add milk and cook until sauce thickens, stirring constantly. Add salt, pepper, and ¾ cup grated cheese. Combine with potatoes. Turn into buttered casserole. Sprinkle remaining cheese over top and bake in a hot oven for about 15 minutes.

### CORN A LA SOUTHERN

1 can corn, chopped  
2 eggs  
1 teaspoon salt  
Pepper  
1½ tablespoons butter  
2 cups skim-milk or whole milk  
Combine these ingredients and pour into a buttered baking dish. Bake in a slow oven until firm.

### CHOCOLATE BOTTOM PIE

2 squares unsweetened chocolate  
1 cup milk  
1½ tablespoons cornstarch  
Dash of salt  
½ teaspoon vanilla  
1 baked, 9-inch pie shell  
Add chocolate to milk and heat in double boiler. When chocolate is melted, beat with rotary egg beater until blended. Combine sugar, cornstarch, and salt; add gradually to chocolate mixture and cook until thickened, stirring constantly; then continue cooking 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add vanilla and cool. Turn into pie shell.

### ECONOMY FRUIT CAKE

1 (9-oz.) package dry mince meat and ½ cup water boiled almost dry  
½ cup butter or other shortening  
1 cup brown sugar  
2 eggs  
2 cups flour  
3 teaspoons baking powder  
¼ teaspoon salt  
¼ cup raisins  
¼ cup nut meats, chopped  
1-3 cup milk  
Break the dry mince meat into pieces. Add cold water. Place over heat and stir until all lumps are thoroughly broken up. Bring to brisk boil; continue boiling for 3 minutes or until mixture is practically dry. Allow to cool. Cream shortening and brown sugar. Add eggs, one at a time and beat vigorously until smooth and creamy. Add cool mince meat, raisins and nut meats and blend. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt and sift again. Add alternately with milk to first mixture. Pour into greased loaf cake pan (4 by 8 by 2½). Bake 45 minutes in a slow oven.  
Note: Chopped dates or figs may be substituted for the raisins.

## The Office Dog



LIMIT

A Frenchman on a visit to Britain decided to learn the English language. Accordingly he went to classes. The words "rough," "dough" and "through" caused him endless difficulty. For hours he wrestled with them. All in vain. At last he admitted himself defeated and left the class. Glancing across the road he saw a huge cinema placard with the words "Glamour." Pronounced success!

The dog pack was reduced in numbers—down to six-and-a-half couple. An unlucky number, so the Irish huntsman resolved to remedy it by borrowing a hound in the village.

Next morning they met, the six-and-a-half couple plus a lurcher bitch.

They soon found and were off on a screaming scent. Master, Whips and field were left miles behind. But the old huntsman cut off a couple of corners and came across a pop-eyed rustic waving his hat and hallooing wildly.

"Did you see the hounds?" yelled

## Surgery of the Seas



Dr. Adam N. Beattie, surgeon of the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Japan, and his ship's nurse, Miss Margaret Grant Allan, who are shown here, performed two delicate operations during the ship's round trip to the Far East, via Honolulu, just completed in Vancouver. On the outward trip, between Honolulu and Yokohama, the liner's huge turbines were stilled for nearly an hour while Dr. Beattie removed a ruptured duodenal ulcer from a Chinese passenger. On the homeward trip, between Hong Kong and Shanghai, the London, Ont. doctor's skill was again called into play when a Chinese saloon steward was stricken with acute appendicitis. Both patients are recovering well, the physician reported. Dr. Beattie, former house physician at Vancouver's St. Pauls hospital, and graduate of University of Western Ontario's medical school at London, Ont., stated that the Empress of Japan's splendidly equipped operating room made the operations little different in practice from any performed in large hospitals. His assistant, Miss Allan, is a graduate of St. Pauls hospital, Saskatoon. She has been in the Empress of Japan for the past three and a half years and previously was in the Empress of Russia. Dr. Beattie first went to sea in 1933 aboard the Canadian-Australasian liner "Niagara," out of Vancouver.

—Canadian Pacific Photo.

the huntsman.

"Aye, see un Oi did, yer 'Onner: Passed Oi like a flash o' light."

"Where was the fox?" shouted the huntsman.

"Lyn' eighth, yer 'onner, and creepin' up fast!"

"They say a woman is as old as she looks."

"Yes. And a man isn't old until he stops looking."

The young reporter was sent out to write up a society wedding for the local paper.

He returned an hour or so later empty-handed. The indignant editor demanded why he had not written his "copy."

"Oh, that's all right," said the young man.

"The bridegroom didn't turn up at the church, the bride tried to kill herself, and they had to cancel the ceremony, so there's no story."

The hotel guest, before retiring, full of happy thoughts and whisky, opened the wardrobe and found that some previous guest had left behind her dainty nightie. Solemnly he rang the bell, and when the floor-waiter appeared, he was handed the filmy scrap of night-wear, with the injunction "Boy, take that thing away—and fill it!"

Pat was taking a stroll along the bank of a river when he heard cries for help from a Jew who had fallen in. He hurried to the spot.

"Do you believe in the Blessed Virgin an' all the Saints?" he asked.

"No," said the Jew.

Pat walked on, and the Jew went under. On coming to the surface he again called for help. Pat retraced his steps. "Do you believe in the Blessed Virgin an' all the Saints?" he asked again.

"No," said the Jew, and went

under the second time.

On coming to the surface for the last time, he renewed his appeals for assistance. "Do you believe in the Blessed Virgin an' all the Saints?" asked Pat for the third time.

"Yes!" cried the Jew desperately.

"Then," said Pat in telling the story, "I held him under and let him die in the Faith."

"It takes a woman twenty years to make a man of her son."

"Yes, and another woman twenty minutes to make a fool of him."

An American actress who can speak six languages was married recently to an author who can speak thirteen. The handicapping seems almost perfect.

### Use of Abandoned Ditch

TAKE NOTICE that E. S. Dowsett of Barkerville, B.C., the lessee of Placer Mining Lease number 2970 and the applicant for a water licence to take water from Cunningham Pass Creek, Cariboo Mining Division, intends to apply to the Gold Commissioner for the said Mining Division at Barkerville for the right to use an unnamed ditch which runs from the Slough on Cunningham Pass Creek to said lease situated near its confluence with Cunningham Creek.

The said ditch is not in use and was apparently constructed for working placer mining holdings long abandoned or forfeited. The said ditch is needed for the development of said Placer Mining Lease number 2970.

Dated at Barkerville this 13th day of November, 1936.

E. S. DOWSETT

## Pacific Great Eastern Railway Co.

### TRAIN SCHEDULE Between Vancouver and Quesnel

NORTHBOUND		Mon. and Thurs.
Vancouver (Union Dock) ...Leave		12:00 noon
Squamish .....		4:10 p.m.
Pemberton .....		8:10 p.m.
Bridge River .....		10:40 p.m.
Lillooet .....		12:35 a.m.
Clinton .....		4:15 a.m.
Williams Lake .....		11:00 a.m.
Quesnel .....	Arrive	2:30 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND		Tues. and Fri.
Quesnel .....	Leave	5:50 p.m.
Williams Lake .....		9:50 p.m.
Clinton .....		3:40 a.m.
Lillooet .....		7:40 a.m.
Bridge R.ver .....		8:40 a.m.
Pemberton .....		11:35 a.m.
Vancouver (Union Dock) ...Arrive		7:00 p.m.

Wed. and Sat.

Stage connects with train at Quesnel for passengers to and from Prince George and Barkerville.

Through tickets to Vancouver on sale at Houghtaling's Service Station, Prince George and at Barkerville Stage Lines' Office, Wells, B.C.

Time table and illustrated folder from Agents or City Ticket Office, 793 Granville Street; Vancouver, B.C.



## The Minerals of British Columbia

British Columbia has produced minerals of an aggregate value of \$1,425,000,000.00.

The value of mine production in 1936 was \$48,821,239.00; an increase of \$6,515,942.00 over the value for 1934.

For authoritative information regarding the mining industry of this Province, apply to

### Department of Mines VICTORIA, B.C.

NOTE: Following are some of the recent publications of the Department:

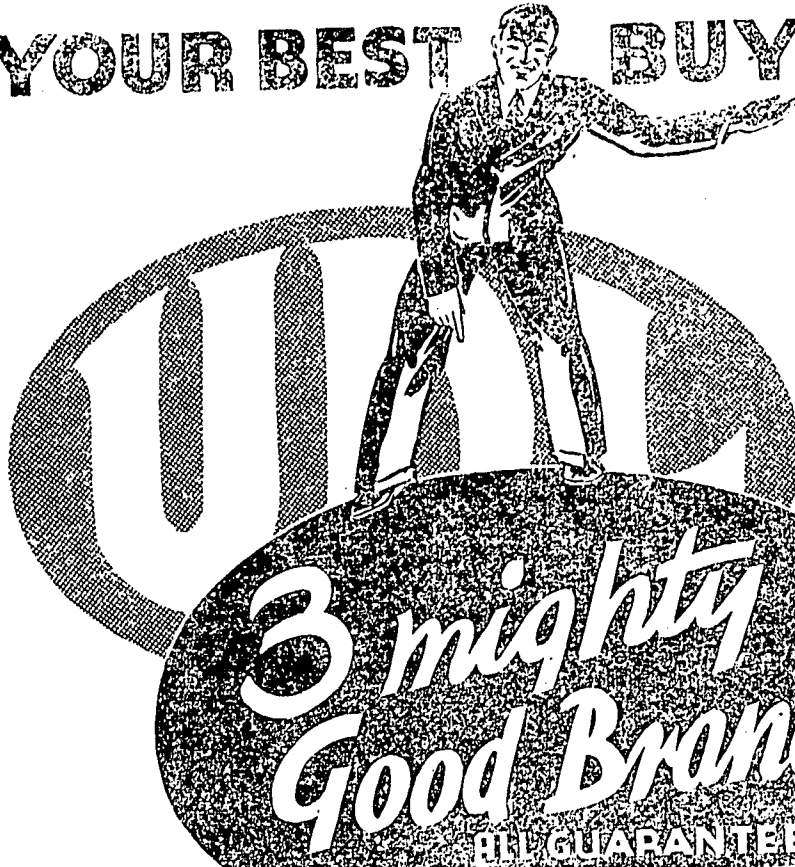
Annual Report of the Minister of Mines for the calendar year 1935. (There is a small charge for this publication.)

Bulletin: "Notes on Placer-mining in British Columbia."

Bulletin: "British Columbia—The Mining Industry." (This publication contains a synopsis of the various mining laws of the Province.

"Elementary Geology Applied to Prospecting"—a course of lectures.

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DINNERWARE—Stock Patterns, made up in 6 different  
compositions. Ranging in price from, set, \$4.55 to \$26.74  
TEA SETS—Attractive designs. From ..... \$3.50 to \$9.00  
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outfit. Full mining equipment  
including camp, cooking uten-  
sils, tents, pump and pipes for  
use on dragline. Cost \$15,000.  
Will sell at big reduction.

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### Special This Week

Snow Apples, box ..... \$1.45  
Hoy's Special Tea, Lb. .... 41c  
Tomatoes, 2 1/2s, can ..... 12c  
Baking Powder, Our Own Brand  
16-oz. .... 25c  
Mixed Nuts, Lb. .... 23c  
Honey, 4's, can ..... 59c  
Rogers Syrup, 10's, can ..... 72c

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## CHURCH NOTICES

PARISH OF ST. JOHN THE DIVINE  
QUESNEL, B.C.

(Anglican)

### Regular Schedule of Services

FIRST SUNDAY IN MONTH—

8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion  
11:00 a.m.—Marguerite.

2:30 p.m.—Kersley  
7:30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon

SECOND SUNDAY IN MONTH—

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion at  
Barkerville

10:30 a.m.—Morning Prayer and  
Communion at Wells

7:30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon

THIRD SUNDAY IN MONTH—

9:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and  
Parochial breakfast  
in Vicarage

11:00 a.m.—Dragon Lake  
2:30 p.m.—Canyon Creek

7:30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon

FOURTH SUNDAY IN MONTH—

8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion at  
Wingdam

10:30 a.m.—Morning Prayer at  
Wingdam

2:30 p.m.—S x M. Le and Bouchie  
Lake

7:30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon  
Services for the fifth Sunday and  
all other services will be announc-  
ed regularly.

All services where place has not  
been named in above list are held  
at St. John's Church, Quesnel.

### ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

QUESNEL—

10:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship.

### Outside Parishes

FIRST AND THIRD SUNDAYS—  
2:00 p.m.—Australian.  
W. Evan Fullerton, Minister

### REGULAR SERVICES AT STE- ANNE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

The regular services will be held  
on the fourth Sunday of each  
month, and services will be as fol-  
lows:

Mass on Sunday at 9 a.m.; Bene-  
diction at 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School  
after Mass and at 2 p.m.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

A Christian Science service is held  
every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock  
at the home of Mrs. Grant Gringer,  
North Quesnel. All are cordially in-  
vited.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

The local telegraph office has a  
list of Christmas and New Year  
messages which may be sent to all  
parts of Canada and the Old  
Country. The rate for messages to  
the British Isles will be the same  
as last year, \$1.30. In addition to  
the forty-three English messages  
that may be sent, there are ten in  
French. The word "Love" may be  
added to any message without addi-  
tional charge. The following are  
samples of the messages that may  
be sent:

"Love and best wishes, for a  
Merry Christmas and a Happy  
New Year.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy  
New Year to everybody at your  
house from everybody here.

May the New Year bring to you  
and yours health, happiness and  
prosperity.

Full particulars and a complete  
list may be obtained at the local  
telegraph office.

We are pleased to welcome "The  
Student" as the latest addition to  
monthly publications. This bright  
little paper is entirely produced  
by the Quesnel High School stu-  
dents and is worthy of credit. The  
cover design is distinctive and  
symbolical. There follows three  
pages of well-puted editorials,  
sports notes and general news. We  
hope that all our readers will sup-  
port the students in their new ven-  
ture by buying a copy. The cost is  
5 cents.

P. W. Rouleau, the Life Insur-  
ance Man, has left for the coast  
where he will spend the Christ-  
mas holidays.

## Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
that all persons having claims  
against the Estate of WILLIAM  
LEITH WEBSTER, formerly of  
Alexandria, British Columbia, who  
died on the 20th day of May, 1936,  
are required, on or before the 31st  
day of December, 1936, to deliver  
or send by prepaid letter full par-  
ticulars of their claims, duly veri-  
fied, to ALFRED SHEPHERD  
VAUGHAN of Quesnel, British Col-  
umbia, realtor, one of the Execu-  
tors of the said Estate.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE  
that after the last mentioned  
date the Executors will proceed to  
distribute the assets of the de-  
ceased among the persons en-  
titled thereto, having regard only  
to the claims of which they shall  
then have had notice.

Dated this 20th day of Novem-  
ber, 1936.

WILSON, WHITE & WOODBURN  
Solicitors for the Executors

## B.C. MAN "PULLED FAST ONE" ON FOUNDER OF BABY DERBY

A careful study of the postal  
guide by a mining prospector cost  
Charles Vance Millar, Toronto  
stock derby founder, hundreds of  
dollars according to C. J. Seymour  
Baker

Thirty years ago when Mr. Baker  
was opening claims at Barker-  
ville, 300 miles north of Vancou-  
ver, Mr. Millar was chief owner  
of the British Columbia Express  
Company, operating a horse stage  
line between Ashcroft and the  
Cariboo mining town.

Objecting to what he called "ex-  
cessive rates" charged by the Mil-  
lar company, Baker mailed ore  
samples to England and mine ma-  
chinery from England, rather than  
pay freight over the short Ash-

croft-Barkerville line.

The postal rate from Barker-  
ville to England was eight cents  
a pound—the same rate as the  
express rate from Barkerville to  
Ashcroft—and from England he  
could mail 11-pound parcels for  
Barkerville for three shillings  
(about 75 cents).

Millar carried Baker's samples  
and machinery without making a  
penny.

He had contracted to haul all  
Cariboo mail for a set sum.—Re-  
gina Daily Star.

Mrs. Enemark has moved from  
her house on Front Street and is  
now living in the house formerly  
occupied by Fred Finchbeck.

## Missing Persons

### ROY RAZK

Will anyone having informa-  
tion as to the whereabouts of Roy  
Razk, (last heard of in Vancouver,  
B.C., on, or about, 28th October,  
1935) please communicate with  
the undersigned.

ROBERTSON, DOUGLAS & SYMES  
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2400 pounds. Can also use single  
horse about 1200 (slow). De-  
scription and price to Observer  
Office.

FOR RENT—One room in Lazzarin  
Block, suitable for store or of-  
fice. Apply J. Lazzarin.

FOR SALE—Dandy table turnips,  
\$1.00 per bag at Quesnel. Orders  
at Observer Office.

WANTED—Just freshened milch  
cows. Must be good. Apply Ob-  
server office.

WANTED—Work in town by lady  
with school child. Ten dollars a  
month and board of child. Good  
references. Apply Mrs. Fry, Lac  
la Hache, B.C.

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