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## Good Things for Christmas Profuse on Omaha Market

Good things for the Christmas table are profuse on the Omaha markets. Nice, crisp, crunchy celery is on hand to garnish the Christmas dishes. Cranberries at 15 cents a pound are of fine quality to make the tangy sauce to accompany the Christmas bird. Nuts of many kinds are sound and good to nibble at after dinner. Mixed nuts sell around 20 cents a pound.

And there are big, rosy apples and juicy, yellow oranges to make it seem like a real Christmas. The oranges come from both California and Florida. The apples are home grown and from the north Pacific coast. Juicy and appetizing they are and fine for mince-meat, apple pies, apple dumplings and just to eat "raw."

Beautiful, big California grapes are also as plentiful as ever and cheap into the bargain. Here are also clusters of raisins, the big kind that are intended to eat like grapes.

You may want coconuts to make the Christmas cake. They are only 10 or 15 cents each.

Green things for the salad are plentiful. There are green peppers, cucumbers, lettuce, radishes and onions. The staple vegetables like potatoes, sweet potatoes, turnips, beets, carrots, cauliflower and cabbage are all of fine quality. You can get the home-raised crop or the fresher vegetables shipped in from the south daily.

Figs and dates are also abundant, chiefly from California.

Eggs this week are around 52 cents a dozen for the fresh-laid kind and about 10 cents less a dozen for the storage kind.

Many kinds of cheese, including Swiss (domestic) are on hand. And there are some unusual kinds of meat, such as venison in some stores.

## Home Economics Edited by IRMA H. GROSS

**Harriet Ruth's Cooking Lesson.**

IV. Holiday Sweets.

"What would you like to make," her mother asked.

"So many of the family had sent boxes to Cousin Albert, who was in the army, that mother and Harriet Ruth decided to send their good things at New Year's time instead. And, as Harriet Ruth said, she could use part of her vacation time to prepare something for her own self."

"Mother," she said, her eyes sparkling. "Can't I make two whole things myself?"

"What would like to make," her mother asked. "Try to think of things that do not require much sugar, if you can. How would puffed rice candy suit you?"

"That would be fine," said Harriet Ruth. "And I know Cousin Albert would just love filled dates. Could I make those?"

"I'm sure you could, if you will be very careful in preparing the filling. We'll prepare the dates today because they keep rather well, and make the puffed rice candy tomorrow when the box should be sent."

Harriet Ruth hurried to the recipe card catalogue to find the directions for filled dates. She brought the card to the kitchen table, then put on her work apron and washed her hands.

Mother said, "It's just fine that you remembered to start with clean hands. Are you sure that your finger nails are perfectly clean, too? When you stuff dates, you touch all the food materials with your hands."

When Harriet Ruth read the recipe card, this is what she found:

**Filled Dates.**  
1 package dates 1-2 c. milk  
1 c. sugar 2 T. peanut butter.

Wash dates and stone them! Cook sugar, milk and peanut butter to soft ball stage, or 238 degrees Fahrenheit. Remove from flame, let cool and beat till creamy. Break off bits of the cream candy and use as filling for the dates. Roll the dates in sugar if desired.

"What's the 'soft ball stage,' mother?"

"The soft ball stage is the point at which the candy will form a soft ball in cold water. The ball should not feel sticky, yet should be very soft. Be sure to let the water run at the sink till it comes quite cold, or the test is not good. The safe thing to do, after a little of the candy mixture is dropped into the cold water, is to draw the candy off the flame till you have made up your mind whether the candy is done or not. The trouble with water testing of candy is usually that the candy keeps on cooking for several minutes, while you are making up your mind. And notice the appearance of the candy when it is done. The boiling bubbles should look quite thick and heavy."

"Why should I let it cool before beating, mother?"

"You want a smooth, creamy mixture and candy is much more apt to 'sugar' if it is beaten while hot. Any other safeguard against sugaring is never to stir any kind of candy after it has reached the boiling point. We stir at the very beginning, because otherwise, the sugar might stick and burn before it dissolves."

The next morning Harriet Ruth

## Vegetable Buying Means Care

In buying vegetables, a practical steward suggests, select them yourself and see that they are fresh. This is all-important.

Never buy sprouting potatoes. Serious illness has been known to follow their use.

When buying cabbage be sure you get a hard, heavy head, with crisp white leaves and with the stalk cut close to the head. Many a large head of cabbage looks heavy, but on taking it in your hand you will find it very light. A lightweight head of cabbage should only be bought at a reduced price.

In buying beets choose those with dirty roots and fresh green leaves. This shows that they have not been soaked to freshen them.

In buying water squash choose those that have no soft spots; buy medium size squash, the larger ones are very seedy.

In buying cauliflower choose a firm, white head with fresh green leaves.

Be sure that onions are firm and hard and that celery has crisp white leaves.

## Never-Fail Biscuit

1 quart of sifted flour  
1 heaping tablespoonful vegetable fat  
1 teaspoonful (heaping) baking powder  
1 level tablespoonful salt  
1 pint milk

Sift the flour and baking powder into a mixing bowl together and mix in the fat with your fingers until it has permeated the flour. Then add the salt and the milk until you have obtained a sticky, thick dough. Knead briefly, cut and bake in a hot oven for not more than 12 minutes. Biscuits baked longer are hard and unpalatable.

A Welsh Rarebit is not the worst thing to have for a piece of resistance on these cool evenings. When you have that you don't need a salad or dessert. Dill pickles go best with it.

was eager to begin the puffed rice candy. Her labor of the day before had resulted in a tempting looking box of plump dates marshaled in soldierly rows, protected from each other by wax paper.

**Puffed Rice Candy.**  
4 c. puffed rice, substitute  
1 c. molasses or corn syrup  
1/2 c. sugar  
1/2 c. butter  
1/2 c. vinegar  
1-2 c. water.

Heat the rice carefully. Cook other ingredients to the crack stage. Pour heated rice into syrup and stir till every grain is coated. Let stand one minute. Turn into a well-greased pan, smooth down and cut into squares.

"How do I heat the rice, mother, and shall I do it first?"

"Not first, better bring the candy pan to a boil, then heat the rice in a shallow pan on an asbestos mat, with frequent stirring, for the rice burns easily."

"Shall I use cold water to find the crack stage? What is it?"

"The candy dropped in cold water should become brittle and crack against the side of the testing cup. This stage is difficult to get exactly right, for the candy may burn if you are not careful. Be very patient toward the last and cook the candy over a low flame, even if it does require a longer time. It will pay you in the end."

"What's the good of letting the whole thing stand before pouring it out?"

"I have found, daughter, that the candy is not so apt to stick to the pan if you allow the mixture to cool for just a moment before pouring out."

Due to Harriet Ruth's watchful care, the candy neither burned nor stuck, but looked just like bought candy after it was carefully packed into a box. When Cousin Albert at camp opened his box of good things, it was surely a delightful surprise to find "two whole things" from his small cousin, made "all by her own self."

## For Booklovers

**Fiction.**  
**THE WINDS OF THE WORLD.** By Talbot Mundy. Bobbs-Merrill, \$1.50.  
The English in India at the outbreak of the world war; a loyal native prince; a German spy, full of plots and contrivances; a woman behind closed doors, mysterious, fascinating and all-powerful, these are a few of the ingredients that Talbot Mundy has mixed up into this thrilling concoction. Full of dash and spirit, devised with ingenuity and told with great power, it will please all lovers of romantic plotting and daring adventure.

**UNDER THE WITCHES' MOON.** By Nathan Galtier. The Page Company, \$1.50.  
This romantic tale of tenth-century Rome concerns itself with the fortunes and adventures of Tristan of Avalon, while in the Eternal City on a pilgrimage to do penance for his love of Helayne, the wife of his liege lord, Count Roger de Laval. Tristan's meeting with the queen countess of the Aventine; her infatuation for the pilgrim; Tristan's rounds of obediences; the intrigues of Basil; the scene between the grand chamberlain and Bessarion in the ruins of the Coliseum; the great feud between Roxana and Theodor; and the final overthrow of the latter's regime, constitute some of the dramatic episodes of the romance.

**UNIVERSAL TRAINING FOR CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC SERVICE.** By William H. Allen. Macmillan Company, \$1.50.  
In addition to listing minimum essentials that are necessary in training privates for citizenship, this book discusses other minimum essentials of training which citizens should require for drillmasters, for entering and remaining in public and semi-public service, and for the profession. Three other chapters indicate the country's need for specialized training for parenthood, for public spirited use of special gifts, and for creative imagination and devoted attention to the country's upbuilding after the war.

**Magazine Notes.**  
The Atlantic Monthly magazine for December contains the following stories and articles: "Professor's Progress—IV," a novel of contemporary adventures; "Ruggs—R. O. C. P." by William Alden Ganoce; "Tales of a Polygamist City," by an Elderly Spinster, and "The Theatrical Eclipse of Free Speech," by James Harvey Robinson.

Popular Science for December tells us of the possibilities of a new sport suggested by the killing of birds by flying machines; how to hatch chickens in glass globes by electricity; how New York City secures red cheeks for its anemic children, and how sunken ships are raised by collapsible air bags.

The following stories appear in Boys' Life, the Boy Scouts' magazine for December: "A Boomerang 'Beat,'" by J. Raymond Elderidge, a story in which a youth has gotten adrift, a mother who never loses hope, a dad with a frozen heart, and a discouraged cub reporter, get considerably mixed up; "When a Fox Outwitted Wolves," by George Ethelbert Walsh; "A Snow Carnival," by W. B. Ashley, telling of five points in a field day of winter games, and "What's Going On," by Duke Boli-var.

**Miscellaneous.**  
**LOVE STORIES OF THE BIBLE.** By Billy Sunday. G. P. Putnam's Sons, \$1.50.  
Those who have heard Mr. Sunday's picturesque eloquence, which has drawn thousands upon the "sawdust trail," will find that he loses nothing of his power when addressing his audience through the medium of the printed page, and also that his vivid personality is felt nearly as much as when he in person stands before his public. He gives us here, in his own inimitable style, the great love stories of the Bible—Esther; Abraham and Sarah; Jacob and Rachel; Ruth; Isaac and Rebecca, etc. Ten in all—and at the end of each shows the great lessons which may be learned from them. No one who reads Mr. Sunday's versions will ever forget them, the vivid manner in which they are presented, nor the close application of their lessons to everyday life.

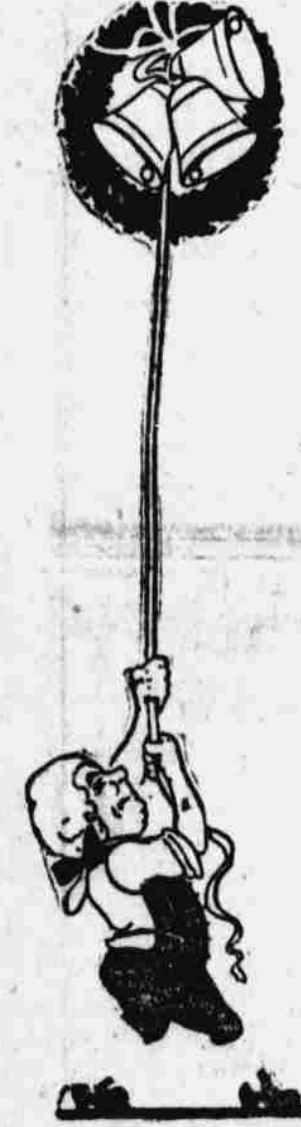
**IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST. PAUL.** By Francis E. Clark. G. P. Putnam's Sons, \$1.50.  
An account of the life and labors of St. Paul in the light of a personal journey to the cities visited by the apostle. Bible students, preachers, Sunday school teachers, all who study the bible, for public use or private refreshment, will find in this volume something that will make the life or the greatest of apostles seem very real.

**IN PRAISE OF WAR.** By Don C. Setts. Harper & Brothers, \$1.  
A book of lively verses, some humorous, some gay, touching many phases of war on land and at sea. The sea poems are filled with a deep understanding and a sympathy for ships and their fighters.

**INSIDE THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION.** By Rheta Childs Dorr. The Macmillan Company, \$1.50.  
Here we have the story of Russia and its revolution. It is perhaps the most important book of recent times on the country and the present situation. While the author is a warm-hearted sympathizer with Russia's struggle for freedom, she is unpar-

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Steer Porterhouse Steak, lb.....	23 1/2c	
Steer Round Steak, lb.....	22 1/2c	
Steer Sirloin Steak, lb.....	21 1/2c	
Steer Pot Roast, lb.....	16 1/2c and 18 1/2c	
Steer Boiling Beef, lb.....	15 1/2c (cut)	
Steer Shoulder Steak, lb.....	16 1/2c	
Steer Rib Roast, lb.....	17 1/2c	
Pig Pork Roast, lb.....	28 1/2c	
Pig Pork Butts, lb.....	18 1/2c	
Young Veal Chops, lb.....	18 1/2c	
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Our Famous Cream Vegetable Salad—(Cold Slice), per lb.....	20c	
Chicken Salad, per lb.....	20c	
Waldorf Salad, per lb.....	50c	
Fruit Salad, per lb.....	50c	
Herring Salad, per lb.....	60c	
Thousand Island Dressing, per lb.....	50c	
Home Made Dressing, Mayonnaise, per lb, at.....	50c	
Tartar Dressing, lb.....	50c	
Roast Vermont Turkey, whole or sliced to order, per lb.....	\$1.25	
Roast Stuffed Goose, cut to order, 12 lbs, at New England Ham, lb.....	\$1.00	
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Blue Bell or Sunking Flour (48 lbs. in the sack), per sack.....	\$2.50	
Beat 'Em All Soap, 6 bars.....	25c	
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Gumbrite Cleanser, 6 cans for.....	25c	
Knock Morgan's Sapolio, 2 bars.....	15c	
Skinner's Macaroni, Noodles or Spaghetti—3 pkgs. for.....	10c	
Quaker Oats, per pkg.....	10c	
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, 2 pkgs.....	25c	
Bulk Oatmeal, 4 lbs.....	15c	
Hand Picked Navy Beans, lb.....	15c	
Lima Beans, per lb.....	15c	
Jello, assorted flavors, 3 pkgs.....	25c	
Walter Baker's Chocolate, 1/2 lb. cellophane, per cello.....	20c	
Campbell's Soups, all kinds, cans.....	12c	
1 lb. quality Corn, per can.....	12c	
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Fancy Head Rice, 3 lbs.....	28c	
Bunnam's and Marcell's Baked Beans, the best that can be purchased, at per can, 16c; per dozen.....	\$2.00	
Sawing, per can.....	25c	
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Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg.....	10c	
Large Jars Kamo Mince Meat, jar.....	30c	
Quart Jar Quince, per jar.....	40c	
Ford Dates, "Finest Ever," per lb.....	25c	
Carnation, Pet or Wilson's Milk, 2 cans.....	25c	
Choice New Honey, per lb.....	30c	
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Best Evaporated Peaches, lb.....	15c	
Best Evaporated Apples, lb.....	20c	
1-Crown Raisins, per lb.....	18c	
Choice Sultana Raisins, per lb.....	15c	
Smoked Loins of Pork, Candler Ripper, per lb.....	55c	
Fancy Smoked Pork Butts, lb.....	50c	
Goose Liver Sausage, per lb.....	55c	
French Chicken Sausages, lb.....	50c	
Braunwigger Liver Sausage, lb.....	40c	
Stuffed Pig Head, lb.....	50c	
New England Ham, lb.....	45c	
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Rib Boiling Beef, per lb.....	12 1/2c
Choice Steer Rib Roast, per lb.....	20c
Fresh Dressed Ham, each.....	18c
Pure Lard, per lb.....	15c
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Morrell's Mince Meat, per lb.....	17 1/2c
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