

## COOKERY NOOK

A CORNER FOR HOME HINTS, COOKING RECIPES, AND INTER-CHANGE OF HOUSEKEEPING EXPERIENCES.

### APPLE SAGO PUDDING.

Soak 1/2 cup sago in 3 cups water for 1 hour. Peel, quarter, and core 1/2 doz. apples, and put into pudding dish. Pour sago over fruit, adding sugar to taste. Bake in a moderate oven for 30 to 40 minutes.

### COCOA-NUT TART.

Take 1/2 cup sugar, 1 cup cocoa-nut, yolk 1 egg and 1 tablespoon butter (melted). Mix thoroughly. Line a dish with pastry and fill with the mixture. Bake to a golden brown in slow oven. Then beat white of egg to a stiff froth, spread over top and put back in oven until brown.

### CHOPS AND SAUCE with Beans.

Take some chops, 1 tablespoon dripping, 1 tablespoon flour, 1/2 small cup tomato sauce, 1 cup water, 1/2 packet haricot beans, salt to taste, cash, soda.

Method: Soak beans in boiling water the day before required, to which has been added a little carb. soda. Trim and prepare chops and fry them in sauté pan in which the dripping has been melted, turn chops so that they brown on both sides, remove chops and add flour, stir until cooked, add sauce and water, stir until it boils, return chops to sauce, and stand on cool part of stove to simmer for thirty minutes.

Boil beans until tender, drain quite dry, arrange in centre of dish, place chops against beans, pour sauce around them and serve hot.

### DOMINION SHORT CAKE.

Take 1/2 lb. flour, 1/2 lb. sugar, 1/2 lb. butter, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon baking powder, essence of lemon to taste.

Rub butter into flour then add other dry ingredients and mix with beaten egg saving enough to glaze the top, mix and cut in half. Roll out and put into sandwich tin. Spread with jam, place other half on top, decorate with chopped blanched almonds and glaze. Bake about 1/2 to 1 hour in rather slow oven.

### HONEY TART.

Line a deep sandwich tin with short pastry and bake in a moderate oven until it is beginning to set firm and is dry to the touch. Then put in 2 ounces of bread-crumbs, covered well with honey, sprinkle generously with grated lemon rind and the juice of 1/2 lemon. Decorate the top with strips of pastry, and finish baking. This is delicious served with cream.

### MINT SAUCE.

A delicious way of serving mint sauce is to dissolve a portion of a packet of lemon flavor jelly crystals in a little lemon-juice, add sugar to sweeten, finely chop some mint, and add, then pour on sufficient boiling water to make the quantity required, pour into small moulds—egg-cups do very well—and serve one to each person.

### RHUBARB JAM.

Wipe 8 lbs. rhubarb and cut into pieces 1 1/2 inches long. Put it into a pan, crush 8 lbs. loaf sugar slightly, and put it over the rhubarb, and let it stand till next day. Then add 4 teaspoons ground ginger, or the thinly-pared rind of 3 lemons cut into very thin strips. Boil the whole quickly for about 1 1/2 hours. When stirring, take care not to mash up the rhubarb. Keep well skimmed. Pour into clean, dry jars, and when cold cover lightly with parchment paper.

### SMALL SPONGE CAKES.

Take 3 eggs, 4 oz. sugar, 4 oz. flour, 1 level teaspoon baking powder, 1 tablespoon melted butter.

Beat the eggs, add the sugar, and beat till thick. Sift the flour and baking powder together and add to the eggs and sugar; fold in lightly, then add the melted butter. Fill small paper patty cases about two-thirds full and bake in a moderate oven about ten minutes. When cold ice with chocolate or pink icing and sprinkle with chopped nuts.

### GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

#### BOWRAL SEWERAGE.

QUOTES are requested for the cartage of Cement, Sand and Gravel from the Railway Station to the Town Hall Yard. Estimated quantity, 200 tons. Tenders close at Town Hall at 10 a.m. Monday, 3rd July.

Quotes are requested for the supply of Crushed Metal or Gravel suitable for concrete construction. Estimated quantity required, 300 cu. yds. 1050 cu. yds., 1 1/2 in. metal 40 cu. yds. Tenders close Noon Thursday, 3rd July.

Quotes are requested for the cartage of approximately 1500 tons of Concrete Pipes and Spools from the contractor's yard to where required in Bowral. Tenders close Noon Thursday, 3rd July.

Specifications for all the above at the Town Hall, Bowral. Tenders to be addressed to R. J. BECKLEY, Supervising Engineer.

**H. G. TYNDALL**  
DENTAL SURGEON  
Visits BOWRAL  
and BATHURST, every Saturday  
from 9 a.m.  
**BURBANK**  
Commercial Hotel, every  
Sunday, 10 a.m. till 1 p.m.

### SAUSAGES with Peached Eggs.

Poached eggs on sausages will tempt the palate. Take some sausage meat or remove the skin from some sausages and make up into round flat cakes. Fry on both sides until just browned, and serve on a hot dish with a neatly poached egg on top.

### PASTE.

To make a good adhesive paste: Dissolve 1 oz. alum in a quart of warm water. When cold add as much flour as will make it the consistency of cream. Then stir in 1/4 teaspoon powdered resin, and 2 or 3 cloves. Boil to the consistency of mush, stirring all the time.

### HELPFUL HINTS.

To prevent cream from becoming discolored when washing, blue as ordinary white clothes and hang in a sunny place to dry.

A nice, soft paint-brush is excellent for dusting, as it will go into all the corners of the furniture. Geranium leaves laid on a plate make a pretty base on which to serve strawberries. Heap icing sugar in the centre of the plate.

To remove motor grease, get a good brand of eucalyptus and rub the coat with clean cloth dipped in eucalyptus; change cloth as it gets soiled. Hang in air when all the smell will disappear. Eucalyptus will remove any grease spot and is also good for removing tar from anything.

Don't throw away the vinegar left in the bottle after using pickles. It makes a delicious flavoring for sauces or stews and a little added to white sauce served with fish is an improvement.

### ENQUIRIES.

READERS who seek recipes, or have information to impart to others, are invited to address their letters to "Cookery Nook," The Four Malls, Bowral.

Reader will like to hear of a good Scottish recipe for Marmalade.

**CURING SKINS WITH ALUM.**  
Replying to an enquiry in a recent issue of The Mail, a Bowral bushman informs us that the best way to cure skins with alum is to carefully scrape the inner side, then sprinkle thickly with powdered alum and roll carefully. This method gives a nice soft skin.

### Football

#### SATURDAY'S FIXTURES.

##### FIRST GRADE.

##### LOCH CUP.

Mittagong v. Bargo, at Mittagong.  
Mittagong: To be selected from York, Dowling, Fraser, Needham, S. Smith, A'Hearn, Savell, O'Malley, Shannon, Campbell, Fleming, W. Capitt, A. Capitt, F. Harry, S. James.

##### RESERVE GRADE.

##### BURCHELL CUP.

Bowral v. Wingello, at Bowral.  
BOWRAL: Fullback, K. Hardin; threequarters, H. McDonald, L. Warren, E. Ford, B. Armstrong; halves, J. Grimmon, A. Murchie; forwards, J. Chadwick, E. Noble, G. Shaw, F. Dale, C. G. Harris, A. Clifford (one to be omitted).

WINGELLO: Fullback, J. King; threequarters, D. Godfrey, S. Jeffery, Snow Dawes, T. Barrett; halves, J. Cornish, N. Jeffery; forwards, R. Creelman, J. Dwyer, E. Wheeler, C. Hughes, K. Gibbons, J. Howarth. Reserves, J. Stone, S. Wheeler.

### TENDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the conveyance of mails over the under-mentioned mail services. Unless otherwise stated the period for which tenders are invited is three years, but consideration will be given to tenders for a lesser period, and also to tenders for a period up to five years when a motor vehicle would be used for the performance of the service.

**BOWRAL-KANGALLOON—ROBERTSON.**

Tender forms and full particulars of services are obtainable at the local Post Office, and at the General Post Office, Sydney, at 2.30 p.m. on Wednesday, 29th August, 1933.

**H. A. BARRACLOUGH, Ltd.**  
OPTICIANS  
385 George Street, SYDNEY.

**BOWRAL, Friday, 14th July, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Royal Hotel.**

The firm has visited this town regularly for over thirty years. Represented by Mr. R. E. Clark, F.I.O.

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## Choral Society

### A YEAR OF ACHIEVEMENT.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Bowral Choral Society was held in the Methodist School Hall on Monday night, some 35 members being present, while several apologies for absence through ill-health were received. The President (Mr. H. F. Venables) occupied the chair.

The Secretary's annual report was a rather lengthy record of the Society's activities. It made special mention of the successful entry into a new sphere—musical comedy, Robin Hood being given in a manner which had made a name for the Society, and assured well for the next production of this nature in November next.

A sad note of the report was the reference to the passing away of Miss Brennan, who had been a great help to the Society during their conduct or's absence by her unstinted work and enthusiasm. The Society's deepest sympathy was extended to her relatives.

Mr. Beavan moved that the Society place on record its sincere regret at the passing of Miss Brennan. They all remembered with gratitude what a great help Miss Brennan had been to them while he was away. Not the Society only but the whole community was the poorer through her demise.

Mr. Rootes seconded the motion, which was carried by all standing in silence.

The Hon. Treasurer's financial statement showed the receipts for the year as £90 3s. 4d. (including £12 12s. 11d. from the previous year), and expenditure £82 3s. 10d., with a credit balance of £7 19s. 6d.

The balance sheet was considered an satisfactory in view of the depression, and it was adopted.

The Secretary (Mr. D. Patterson) presented a balance sheet of the recent popular concert, which showed a credit of £12 17s. 2d.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—

Patron: Sir Wm. Vicars.  
President: Mr. H. F. Venables.

Vice-Presidents: Messrs. A. L. Harris, W. Pickles, F. Woodard, A. Stephens, E. Boardman, T. B. Dunwoodie, A. Hewish.

Conductor: Mr. O. G. Beavan.  
Asst. Conductor: Mr. D. Patterson.

Pianist: Miss Bunter.  
Hon. Secretary: Mr. W. Brenchley.

Asst. Secretary: Mr. D. Patterson.  
Hon. Treasurer: Mrs. L. Lowe.

Librarian: Mr. Price, with Messrs. Bradman, Crossley and Palmer assistants.

Auditor: Mr. B. Moule.  
Committee: Messrs. W. Thomas, S. Beal, J. Menzies, G. H. Price, C. Rootes, Mrs. Stephens, D. Dunwoodie.

Mr. Thomas paid high tribute to the work of the conductor during the year. He had put in no end of time in rehearsal, not only in the Society, but out of it. He moved that the Society's appreciation of the Conductor's services be recorded in the minutes. Seconded by Mr. Rootes and carried.

Mr. Beavan, in returning thanks, said the best way for members to show their appreciation of his work, which was a labor of love, was to attend practices regularly in preparation for the next musical comedy.

According to notice, Mr. Price moved: "That 10 per cent. of takings of each performance given by the Society be deducted towards the cost of music." Mr. Price said this had never been done, and he thought it would be a good idea to build up their funds. Seconded by Mr. Rootes.

Mrs. Price moved as an amendment: "That a special concert be given when necessary for their own funds." Seconded by Mr. Menzies.

After considerable discussion, the amendment was carried by a large majority.

Mr. Beavan commented on the fact that no less than six new members were proposed at their last general meeting, which he thought, was most encouraging. He wished to extend a hearty welcome to them, especially mentioning Miss Mousdale, who, after eight years' absence, had returned to Bowral and joined up. Miss Mousdale suitably returned thanks for the welcome accorded.

On replying to a vote of thanks to the chairman, Mr. Venables said he desired to congratulate the Society on its progress and work during the year; its performances had been wonderful, while Robin Hood had been really an eye-opener. The popular concert idea was a good one, and one which the people appreciated. He hoped the Society would go on and on, ever making further successes, to the education and enjoyment of the people of the town and district.

Refreshments were then partaken of, and so ended one of the most enjoyable and enthusiastic meetings of the Society yet held.

**E. CARLYLE KENNEY**  
SOLO PIANIST AND

TEACHER OF PIANO-FORTE  
Registered Teacher of the Musical Association of N.S.W.

INTERVIEWS MONDAY from 1 to 5 p.m., FRIDAY, 1 to 5 p.m., in Teaching Room over Windsor Cafe, Bong Bong Street, Bowral.

## High Rent for Jail

### LESSEE SEEKS RELIEF.

Mr. Wetherby, the lessee of the Berrima Jail, is a victim of the Transport Act. He wrote to last meeting of Mittagong Council asking Council to make representations to Government to have his rent reduced. He had leased the jail for three years at a rental of £2 a week. Six months after he had taken the lease, the Lang Government had brought in the Transport Act and it had made a great difference to him. He was a Returned Soldier and Aid. McDonald could vouch for the fact that he kept the jail in a clean condition.

As the matter was outside the control of the Council, it was decided on the motion of Aid. Solomon to forward a copy of the letter to the local Branch of the Returned Soldiers' League and Mr. Morton, M.L.A.

## Milk Board will be Sympathetic

### BUT MILK SUPPLY MUST BE SAFEGUARDED.

Mr. M. F. Morton, M.L.A., is in receipt of the following communication from the Milk Board:—

In reply to your letter of 19th instant regarding representations made by dairy farmers in the Robertson district, I am directed to advise that the Board is anxious not to involve dairymen in unnecessary expenditure in the erection of new buildings, and that the Board's supervisors have instructions to this effect.

Where new buildings are necessary dairymen are given as much time as possible to erect them, and requests for further time are dealt with sympathetically and on their merits.

In the same way the Board is prepared to consider on its merits any proposal for variation of the remedial orders issued by the supervisors.

You will appreciate the responsibility which rests upon the Board to ensure that milk supplied by dairymen for consumption or use within the metropolitan and Newcastle milk distributing districts is produced and handled under satisfactory conditions, and for this purpose it is very often necessary to require dairymen to alter their methods and to improve their buildings and plant. The Board has been gratified by the evidence from the various supervisory centres that its work of supervision has resulted in definite improvement in quality, and is pleased to acknowledge the ready co-operation of the majority of dairymen with its officers.

## False Statement

### MITTAGONG ALDERMEN ARE NOT SORRY.

The Town Clerk reported at last meeting of Mittagong Council that the Mayor had drawn his attention to statement in the Picton Post in which Aid. Ashcroft, of Picton, was reported to have said at the Council meeting that he had been informed by Mittagong aldermen that they regretted having constructed baths and were losing money on them. Under direction of the Mayor he had written to the Town Clerk at Picton and asked if Aid. Ashcroft had been correctly reported and if so would he be good enough to advise Mittagong Council of the names of his informants. He had further stated that Mittagong Council did not regret the construction of baths nor had it any occasion so far as any misgivings as regarding their ultimate success, either as a much needed public utility or as a revenue-producing asset. The Council's opinion as regarding the wisdom or otherwise of providing baths for the town might be judged from the fact that it recently resolved to expend a further \$500 on additional improvements to meet the ever-increasing demands of the public.

The action of the Mayor and Town Clerk was endorsed on the motion of Aid. Solomon seconded by Aid. McFarlane.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

### CENSUS

30th June, 1933

A Census will be taken of all persons in the Commonwealth on the night between Thursday, 29th June, and Friday, 30th June, 1933.

A Collector will deliver the Census Schedules at every Dwelling, but any person who has not received the necessary Census Form on or before Thursday, 29th June, is requested to report at once to the nearest Post Office or Police Station.

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£10 for each person not enumerated.

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## Mittagong Council

### Present: The Mayor (Ald. Browne)

and Aid. Nelson, McDonald, McFarlane, Solomon, Stevenson, Terry and Worrner.

The Electrical Engineer reported that he had spent two days with Mr. Anderson of the Public Works Department locating and pegging the exact location of the filtration plant. It was anticipated that tenders would be called for the work within ten days.

The Works Committee reported that it had inspected the work being carried out under the Emergency Relief Scheme. The work on Bessemer Street was being done satisfactorily. The Committee recommended that a concrete pipe culvert be constructed at the intersection of Bessemer Street with the northern side of Bowral Road and that the section between Bowral Road and Hume Highway be formed and tabled. The work at the quarry was proceeding satisfactorily. The Committee recommended that quotations be obtained for the purchase of a power compressor for use at the quarry.

The report was adopted on the motion of Aid. Solomon seconded by Aid. Terry.

The Town Clerk reported that he had been advised by the Police that the emergency relief scheme had been extended and certain amounts which had previously been deducted would not be taken from the amount available for relief. The change would operate from 29th June.

The Town Clerk reported to him that posts and rails had been removed from the Colo Street bridge.

Aid. Solomon moved that the rails be replaced and the Police asked to keep an eye on the bridge. The motion was carried.

The Town Clerk tabled a copy of the revised water agreements which would operate in respect of places outside the Municipality from 1st July.

The Electrical Engineer reported that it had been the original intention of the Council to put an electric light standard between the Memorial and Station Street, but Council had subsequently decided not to proceed with the erection of this standard. The area was poorly lighted and he recommended that a lamp of the same type as those near the Memorial be erected on a bracket on the pole near Mr. Winder's garage. A lamp of this character would cost £13 6s.

The report was adopted on the motion of Aid. Worrner, and in answer to Aid. Terry the Mayor said that the matter would have to go before the Finance Committee before the work could be done.

The Health Inspector reported that Aid. Stevenson had seen him and stated that a wall sign painted on his shed was not a general advertising structure under Ordinance 55, and did not have to be licensed. Aid. Stevenson had stated that discrimination was being shown, as the ordinance also related to signs in shop windows advertising entertainments, and no action had been taken with regard to them. He had further stated his intention of demolishing the shed at an early date.

After some discussion, Aid. McFarlane moved that the sign be removed.

**G. BEAVAN**  
MOTOR FUNERAL DIRECTOR

STATION STREET, BOWRAL.

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