

How to Cook Oysters.

A lady who is famous for her oyster cooking, and who had been for years making a collection of choice receipts, contributes a few whose excellence and novelty she can vouch for. A "mock roast" is easy and delicious. The liquor is first drained from the meats and any chance pieces of shell removed. Then the oysters are placed in a frying-pan and set upon the fire, where, as fast as the liquor collects, it is drawn off. This process is continued until the oysters are done brown, when they are served hot, with fresh butter.

"Little pigs in blankets" are made by first draining the oysters and sea-ming with salt and pepper, and then cutting fat bacon into very thin slices and wrapping in big oysters in each slice, fastening it with a wooden skewer—a toothpick is best. The frying-pan must be heated well before the little pigs are put in, and they must be cooked long enough for the bacon to crisp. They are to be served immediately on toast cut out into small pieces.

Fanned oysters are very nice, and are savory and digestible for invalids. The oysters must be drained and bits of shell removed. They must then be put into a hot pan containing a tablespoonful of butter, half a level teaspoonful of salt, and a little pepper to a quart of meats, and cooked over a brisk fire until they begin to curl, which will be in five minutes. They can be served hot on toast or eaten plain.

A more elaborate dish is an oyster loaf. Take a stale loaf of bread and cut out the heart of it with a sharp knife, being careful not to break the crust, which must still keep the form of the loaf. Break the crumbs up very fine and dry them slowly in the oven. When dried fry three teaspoonfuls of them in two tablespoonfuls of hot butter until they are brown and crisp. Put a quart of cream to boil, and when it boils stir in three tablespoonfuls of flour which has been mixed with half a cup cold milk. Cook this a few minutes and season with salt and pepper. It makes a rich cream sauce. Put a layer of this inside the loaf, then a layer of oysters previously seasoned with salt and pepper, then another layer of sauce and one of fried crumbs. Alternate these until the loaf is full, having the last layer a thick one of crumbs. Bake slowly half an hour and serve in a folded napkin, or on a dish with sprigs of parsley.

Hints For Housewives.

In cleaning silver kerosene may be used with advantage. Carpet may be brightened by dusting with a damp flannel mop. Egg stains can be removed by rubbing with common table salt. Leather chair seats may be revived by rubbing them with the well-beaten white of an egg. White paint that has become discolored may be nicely cleaned by using a little whiting in the water for washing. Galvanized iron pails are not desirable receptacles for drinking water. The zinc coating is quickly affected by the water, forming a poisonous oxide of zinc. For cleaning brasses belonging to mahogany furniture use either powdering whiting or scraped rottenstone, mixed with sweet oil, and rub on with a cambric skin. A window open a slight distance both top and bottom, and a chimney draught also open, are the only sure ways of keeping pure air in a sleeping room whose doors are closed. Vinegar is better than ice for keeping fish. By putting a little vinegar on the fish it will keep perfectly well even in very hot weather. Fish is often improved in flavor under this treatment.

Special Notices.

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