

For Easy Entertaining--Plan Ahead

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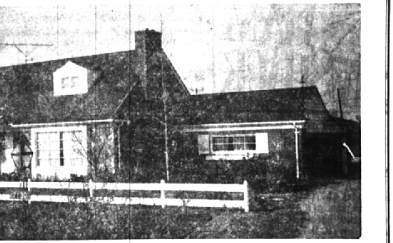
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Loam and Peat Mixture Best Soil for Houseplants

A common problem in handling plants in the home concerns the type of soil to use in the pots, window boxes and other containers.

A good general-purpose green-house compost suitable for most plants consists of about three-fourth loamy soil and one-fourth peat moss, thoroughly mixed together so that the organic matter is completely disintegrated.

If the soil is a little too heavy, enough sand may be added to improve its texture.

FAIRLY RICH loamy soil from the garden or border may be used as the foundation. To supply organic matter in place of manure, decaying leaves, grass, weeds and the like may be incorporated with the soil and sand added if needed.

Such vegetable material can be collected during the season and accumulated in a pile in some out-of-the-way place where it will rot down and disintegrate in a comparatively short period of time if kept slightly moist.

Decay of such vegetation may be hastened if it is covered with soil as an aid in keeping it continuously moist. The addition of peat to the soil instead of other vegetable matter will aid in giving it the desired texture.

THIS TYPE of soil is suitable for most potted and other houseplants. A very few plants may need a different soil mixture or special treatment, for example, those requiring a distinctly acid medium in which to thrive.

A very small quantity of bone-meal or some of the prepared chemical plant foods can be applied occasionally to each pot or container to maintain fertility.

silverware and china. You can create a very elegant table by using silver, crystal and damask or achieve an entirely different effect with homespun and pottery.

Make a plan for serving and clearing the table. Clear a counter in the kitchen to collect soiled dishes; clear another for extra supplies and food.

MAKE a market list. Use as a base the list of everything you want to serve. Check recipes carefully. Cross out the ingredients you have on hand already. Be sure to plan to prepare enough food.

Plan ahead to avoid a last-minute rush. Decide which jobs can be done ahead of time; this includes polishing silverware, shining glassware and checking the condition and supplies of linen, china, glassware, tables and chairs.

Decide which foods can be prepared ahead of time. Certain foods, such as relishes, dips and salads, ice box desserts and frozen desserts are best prepared the day before. However, most cakes, fruit pies, cream pies and tortes (and foods in general) are at their best if freshly prepared.

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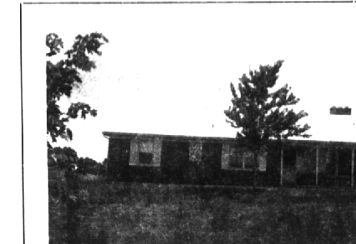
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Luncheon Soup

By MRS. E. P. CRENSHAW
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From "Cooking Secrets"
—Birmingham's Women's Club

Ingredients:
1 can green pea soup
1 can tomato soup
1 pint cream (fat half and half)
1 can (8 oz.) crab meat

CHOP UP crab meat and place in soup for at least one hour.

Heat soups and cream separately.

Remove them from heat and add all of them together. Do not boil. Add the crab meat and wine and heat again; serve.

Cooperative Pre-school Convention

Active in preparations for a "do it yourself" nursery school convention at the McGraw-Hill Memorial Conference Center in Detroit were four local women.

They were Mrs. John T. Rex, president, Bloomfield Cooperative Nursery, 625 Woodlawn, Birmingham, and Mrs. J. Grant (Chapline), president, Lathrup Cooperative Nursery, 1901 Greenwood Drive, Lathrup. Also involved were Mrs. Joseph Boninon, publicity chairman for the Michigan Council of Cooperative Nurseries, 4743 Bimley Drive, Bloomfield Township, and Mrs. W. Roy Hawkins, 7345 Emilia Lane Road, Birmingham.

A **COOPERATIVE** pre-school is a school for children three to five years old, organized and managed by parents and requiring all parent members to participate.

Although there is a paid teacher, mothers take turns serving as assistants.

Fathers help build equipment and lend their skills in other ways.

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Answer To Puzzle No. 720

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