Uncovered Gems

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Why a Collection Review

An imminent move of the Library

Restructuring to bring back the Collections and Reference Staff

Staff Turnover

Changing collection practices over time

NOT a weeding project

What we DO collect

In broad terms, information that discusses the state of affairs in Ontario is collected such as:

Policy, planning and strategic documents

Budget materials

Financial and statistical reports about the economy

Reports about government operations and processes

Information about government funding

Information about programs and projects

Commissions of inquiry and task force reports (including Terms of Reference)

Annual and quarterly reports

Newsletters

Consultation reports

Reports about legislation, changes to legislation or the legislative intent

Press releases (excluding media advisories)

What we DON'T collect

Forms

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Reports written for teachers (e.g., teaching aids) or for parents (e.g., homework help)

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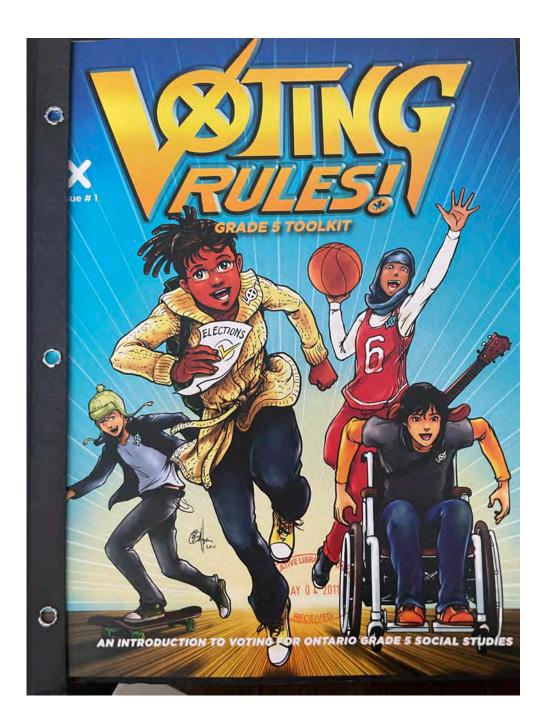
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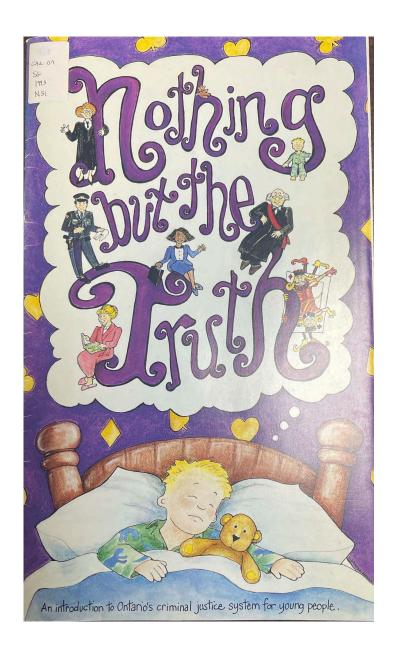
Without further ado...



Making things "fun" for the youth









The Great Outdoors

FUR-BEARERS OF ONTARIO CA2 ON NR F71

How to Survive in the Woods

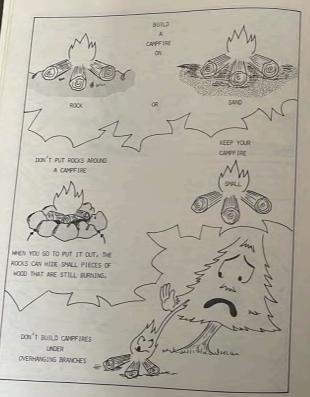
DON'T PANIC if you lose your way in the woods. The trees that seem to be closing you in are your best friends. They will supply shelter, fuel and food until you are rescued.

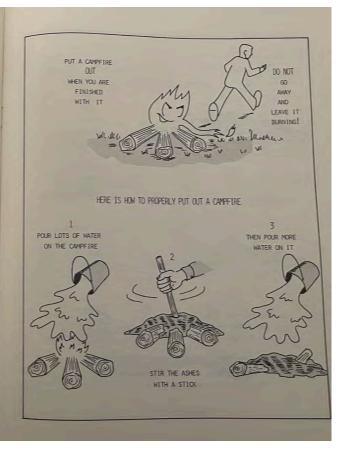
FIND YOURSELF. Before you give yourself up for lost, try to fix your position in relation to the sun, a high hill or a large lake or river. If nothing seems to help, follow the slope of the land down hill; this will often bring you to a lake which may put you back on the trail. (Too bad you don't have a compass to show you the way to go home.)

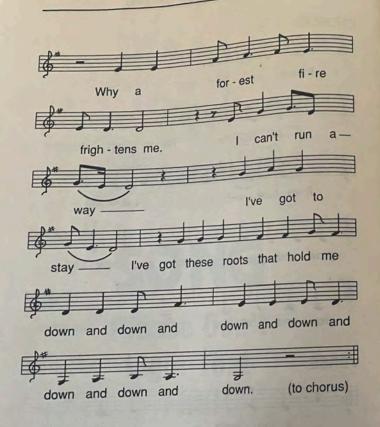
SAVE YOURSELF. Do not wander aimlessly; this will only waste your strength and get you nowhere. For safety's sake, do not climb trees or stumble around in the dark. While you still have sunlight, find a clearing and make camp. Choose an elevated spot, where rain water will not collect, and build a shelter of green boughs. Stay in the open where you can be seen by searching aircraft.

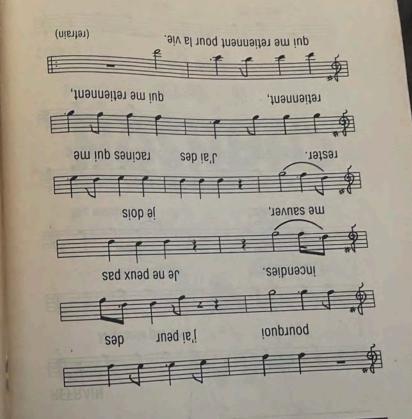
TRI-TRY. Gather dead, dry wood and build three fires in a triangle. (Three fires or three anything is a distress signal.) Add green boughs to pour a heavy smudge into the sky. In travelled or flown-over parts of Ontario, this is bound to bring down a fire patrol--- and rescue (and keep away insects while you wait.) Keep plenty of dry wood on hand in case of rain.



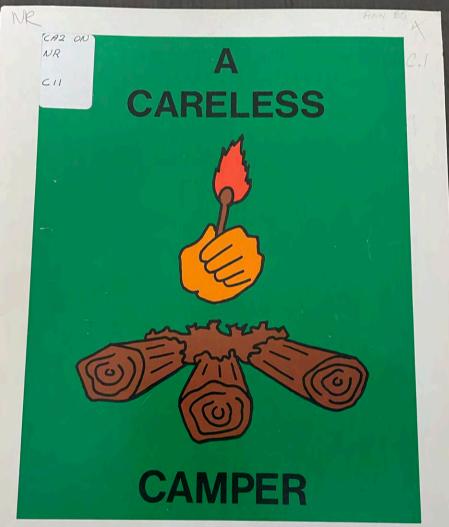




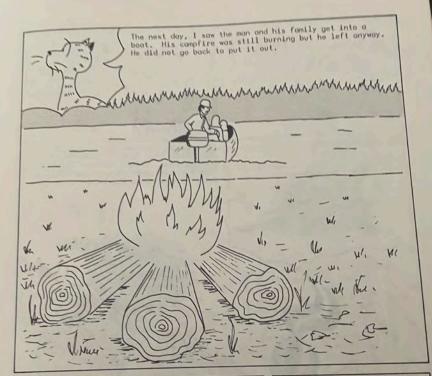




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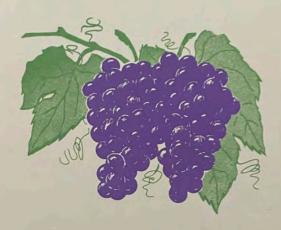
His fire spread to the dry leaves and needles on the ground. The flames grew bigger and bigger. They reached up and touched the branches.



Ouch, my stomach

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DISCOVER BLUE GRAPES





TORONTO

DISCOVER BLUE GRAPES

The rich flavor and color of Ontario blue grapes have made them favorities of processors for wines, juice, and preserves. Now these same qualities are being newly discovered for home uses. Delightful to eat out of hand, they also lend themselves to a variety of delicious dessert treats. Buy them in 2-qt baskets for table use or in 4-qt baskets for preserving.

FREEZING

Ontario blue grapes are easy to freeze, and can be used in place of fresh grapes in every recipe. They retain their intense color and flavor and hold their shape well when thawed. Since their high sugar and acid levels act as natural preservatives, sugar is not added when freezing grapes.

To freeze, wash carefully. Drain well. Detach from stems. Measure, pack into freezer containers, label and freeze.

The fresh grape season is short, so pack a good supply into the freezer for use in these delicious recipes all year 'round.

BOTTLED GRAPE JUICE

(makes 2 pints concentrate)

5 cups washed and stemmed Ontario blue grapes

2 cups hot water

Combine grapes and water in saucepan. Bring to boil. Simmer, covered, 30 minutes, or until very tender. Strain through a fine sieve. For each cup juice, add 1/4 cup sugar. Return to boil. Pour into hot mason jars. Apply lids. Process in a boiling water bath, 10 minutes. To serve, dilute half and half with cold water. Juice may be frozen instead of processed.

GRAPES À LA CRÈME (makes 5 to 6 servings)

3 cups washed and stemmed Ontario blue grapes

1/2 cup sour cream

Brown sugar or crème de cacao

Fold sour cream gently into grapes. Chill at least 2 hours. Serve in dessert dishes. Sprinkle with brown sugar or crème de cacao.

BLUE GRAPE CRÈME PARFAIT (makes 6 to 8 parfaits)

1 recipe Blue Grape Pie Filling 1/2 pt whipping cream

3 tbsp sugar

V2 tsp vanilla

34 cup sour cream

Simmer pie filling mixture until thick and clear, Chili, Whip cream with sugar and vanilla until stiff peaks form. Fold in sour cream. Alternate layers of chilled grape and cream mixtures in parfait glasses. Chill.

PETITE BLUE GRAPE CHEESECAKE

(makes 20 individual cheesecakes)

Half recipe Blue Grape Pie Filling 20 vanilla wafers

Cheesecake

2 pkgs (8 oz each) cream cheese, softened

3/4 cup sugar

2 eggs

1 tbsp lemon juice

1 tsp vanilla

Simmer pie filling mixture until thick and clear. Chill. Line muffin tins with large paper baking cups. Place a vanilla wafer in each. Beat cheesecake ingredients until light and fluffy. Fill cups 2/3 full with cheese mixture. Bake 15 to 20 minutes at 375°F (190°C). Cool. Top each with a tablespoon of grape filling. Chill.

MAKING HOMEMADE WINE

Wine making involves chemical processes that require close attention and proper techniques. The following are basic steps for making red wine from Ontario blue grapes. For more complete instructions on making wine, follow directions in Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food Publication 321, Wine Making in Small Quantities.



Hearty Fare

Bean Pot

3 slices bacon

1/2 cup celery, chopped

1/2 cup onion, chopped

1 can (19 oz) beans with pork

1 can (19 oz) tomatoes

2 cups water

2 beef bouillon cubes

1 bay leaf

dash cayenne

1 tsp Worcestershire sauce

1 tsp basil

1 tsp sugar

4 wieners, chopped - optional

Fry bacon until crisp, drain, crumble and set aside. Sauté celery and onion in bacon drippings until tender. Drain fat. Add bacon, celery and onion to rest of the soup ingredients and simmer for 30 minutes. Makes 6 generous servings.

Bean and Tomato Chowder

1 can (28 oz) tomatoes

1 can (28 oz) beans with pork

1 package (1% oz) barbecue chip dip mix salt and pepper to taste

Combine all ingredients and heat thoroughly over low heat. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Hot Bean Salad

1 can (19 oz) beans with pork

1 Tbsp sugar

1/4 tsp salt

1/4 tsp pepper

4 slices bacon, diced

1 medium onion, diced

1 tsp flour

1/4 cup vinegar

1/2 cup chopped celery

2 Tbsp fresh parsley - optional

In a saucepan, combine beans, sugar, salt and pepper. Sauté diced bacon until crisp. Drain, reserving fat. Sauté onion in reserved bacon fat until tender. Add flour and vinegar and stir until thickened. Stir bacon bits and onion mixture into beans and simmer until heated through.

BEANS - HOME BAKED TO PERFECTION

Those who've tried insist that beans. homebaked to perfection, are worth every effort. The tempting aroma and full-bodied goodness of homebaked beans are possible in a fraction of the time it took grandma. Beans can be presoaked over lunch, baked slowly throughout the afternoon, and served piping hot at supper. Have a pot of beans ready for those spur-of-the-moment get-togethers when friends drop in, week-ends at the cottage, or after a day on the slopes.

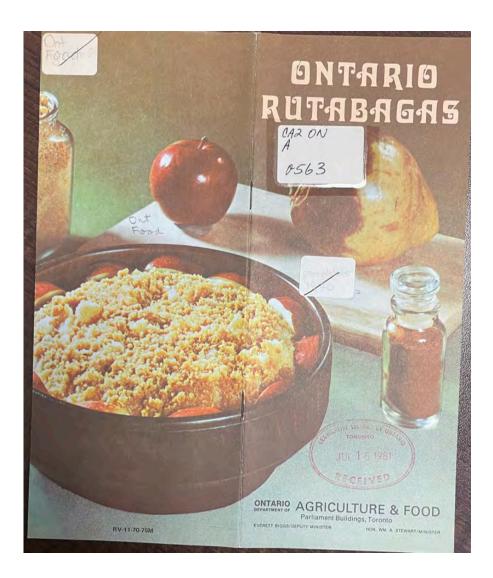
"Braised and boiled with garlic, beans were once considered a medicinal cure for colds."

SECRETS BEHIND DRY BEAN COOKERY . . .

1. Always soak beans before cooking

The quick-soak method suggested allows 3 cups of water for each cup of beans. Bring the beans and water to a full boil, and boil rapidly for 2 minutes. Remove the beans from the heat and let stand for one hour. Bring the beans to a boil again, reduce heat, and simmer gently, for 30 minutes if the beans are to be cooked or baked further, or 60 minutes i the recipe does not require further cooking.

(This method is preferred to the more traditional overnight soaking. During overnight soaking at room temperature the beans may ferment which causes inferior flavor and makes the beans mor difficult to digest.)



Rutabaga Recipes

Cook rutabagas often.

In a Pot

Cheese-Scalloped Rutabagas

- 3 cups (1½ pounds) thinly sliced, pared rutabagas
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1/2 cup sliced onion
- 1/3 cup diced celery
- 2/3 cup sliced green pepper
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 1 cup milk
- 1/2 cup grated Cheddar cheese

Cook rutabaga slices in boiling salted water for 20 minutes or until tender. Meanwhile, sauté onion, celery, and green pepper in butter until crisp-tender. Stir in flour and cook for 1 minute. Slowly add milk, stirring constantly until thickened and smooth. Add grated cheese, stirring until melted. Pour sauce over rutabaga. Serve immediately. Makes 4 servings.

Mashed Rutabaga - Potato Supreme

- 4 cups (2 pounds) sliced, pared rutabagas
- 3 cups (3 medium) quartered, pared potatoes
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 chicken bouillon cube
- 2 cups boiling water
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 cup grated Cheddar cheese
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped onion

Place rutabagas and potatoes, salt, and sugar in saucepan. Dissolve bouillon cube in boiling water and pour over vegetables. Quickly bring to a boil, reduce heat, and continue cooking gently until vegetables are tender. Drain, mash, and add pepper, grated cheese, and onion. Beat until fluffy. Top with buttered crumbs and broil until golden-brown if desired. Makes 6 servings. Add diced rutabagas alone or in combination with other vegetables to enhance the flavor of a meat stew.

In a Pan

French fried Rutabagas

- 2 pounds rutabagas
- 2 teaspoons sugar
- 1/2 cup cornmeal or breadcrumbs
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 eggs, beaten vegetable oil for frying

Cut rutabaga slices lengthwise into ¼-inch strips; pare. (If the strips are too long, cut crosswise once.) Parboil strips for 5 minutes in a minimum amount of boiling water with sugar. Drain well and cool. Beat eggs slightly in a shallow bowl; mix cornmeal or crumbs and salt

together on waxed paper.

Preheat skillet and add ¼-inch of oil. Dip cooled rutabaga strips in egg, then roll in seasoned crumbs. Brown strips evenly, a few at a time. Remove strips from skillet with kitchen tongs and place on baking sheet lined with paper towels. Keep warm in 250° oven while remaining strips are cooked. Serve hot. Makes 4 servings. A deep-fat fryer may also be used.

• Leftover fries freeze well. To reheat, spread in a shallow pan and bake at 350° until warmed through.

In a Casserole

Rutabaga - Onion Casserole

- 4 cups (2 pounds) thinly sliced, pared rutabaga
- 3 cups thinly sliced onion salt and pepper
- 1 chicken bouillon cube
- 1/2 cup boiling water
- 2 tablespoons butter

Arrange alternate layers of rutabaga and onion slices in greased 2½-quart casserole. Sprinkle layers lightly with salt and pepper. Dissolve bouillon cube in boiling water and pour over vegetables. Dot with butter, cover and bake 1¼ hours or until rutabagas are tender. Makes 6 servings.



Cabbage is truly a modern vegetable despite its ancient origins. It's versatile, economical, easy to prepare and universally recognized as healthy food. Mild tasting cabbage is an excellent source of vitamin C

Mild tasting cabbage is an excelent source of vitamin C as well as high in fibre and flow in sodium. It is also a nutritious low calorie joy. One cup (250 mL) of cooked cabbage has only 37 calories, yet provides the daily requirement of vitamin C.

The most common Ontario cabbage variety is the familiar green cabbage, characterized by its solid, firm head and green cabbage, characterized by its solid, little need and smooth-textured leaves. Red cabbage is easily recognized by its red or deep purple colour. Lesser known, but growing in popularity is savoy cabbage, its green head has a loose structure with crinkle-textured leaves.

AVAILABILITY

Due to sophisticated storage facilities, cabbage is a source of "salad" in winter months. High quality red and green cabbage are available from June until March, and savoy cabbage is marketed from July until January.

SELECTION AND STORAGE

When shopping, choose a cabbage with crisp, unblemished leaves and a firm head that is relatively heavy for its sure. At home, cabbage will keep for up to 2 weeks if stored in a covered container or moisture-proof bag in the

COOKING TIPS

- To maintain a mild cabbage taste and the desired tender-crisp texture. DO NOT OVERCOOK. Cabbage develops a stronger flavour and softer texture the longer if
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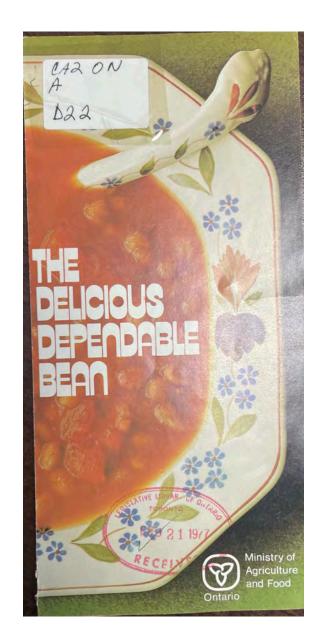
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1	medium carrot, graded	
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ENJOY A CANADIAN TRADITION

Our early settlers recognized a good thing . . . the baked bean. They adopted this hearty legume and made it a Canadian tradition.

Join in . . . on the experience of a Canadian legend.

OLD-FASHIONED BAKED BEANS

- 1 lb dry WHITE BEANS (21/4 cups)
- 6 cups cold water
- 1/4 lb salt pork, cubed
- 1½ cups bean liquid
- ¼ cup molasses
- ¼ cup brown sugar 2 tbsp catsup
- 1% tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp pepper
- 1/2 tsp dry mustard

Put beans and water in a large saucepan. To reduce foaming, add 1 tablespoon oil. Bring to a full rolling boil; boil, covered for 2 minutes. Set aside for 1 hour. Return beans to a boil, reduce heat; simmer, covered for 40 minutes. Drain, reserving liquid. Pour beans into a 2-quart bean pot. Stir in pork, Combine remaining ingredients and pour over beans. Bake, covered for 3½ hours at 300° F. Uncover. Bake for an additional 30 minutes. Add more bean liquid if

Makes 6 cups.

SERVE BEANS WITH EASE

Open a can, add a creative touch, be it seasonings, fruit, vegetables or meat, and a delectable dish is yours.

BAKED BEAN SURPRISE

4 slices bacon, cut in 1/2 inch pieces % cup chopped onion (1 medium) 2 cans (28 oz each) BAKED BEANS 1 can (14 oz) crushed pineapple ¼ cup chili sauce 1½ tsp dry mustard

Sauté bacon until crisp. Transfer to a large casserole. In same frypan, sauté onion in bacon drippings until soft Meanwhile, combine beans and pineapple with bacon. Stir in chili sauce mixed with dry mustard and salt.

Stir in onions. Cover. Bake at 325° F until hot (about

Makes 4 cups.

BEAN AND TOMATO CHEMICER

- 1 can (28 oz) BAKED BEANS 1 can (28 oz) tomatoes
- 2 tbsp barbecue sauce Combine all ingredients in a saucepan. Heat thoroughly

over low heat.

Makes 7 cups or 6 to 8 servings.

SAY GOOD DAY TO A GOOD BUY

Consider the great value of beans . . . a good source of protein right from the can or straight from the crock!

Serve baked beans with a whole grain bread or a glass of milk. Perhaps, add some meat – ground beef, sausage, ham, bacon or some leftover roast. You might try poached eggs on baked beans for your next family brunch or late evening supper.

Whatever your choice, baked beans are a nutritious bargain.

BEANBURGER

Ib ground beef lk pork sausage oz) BAKED BEANS

o/2 oz) tomato paste bregano

amburger buns, halved and lightly buttered up grated Cheddar cheese

Brown ground beef and pork together in a frypan. Drain well. Add beans, tomato paste and oregano. Heat through. Divide mixture and spread on each bun half.
Top each with 1 tablespoon grated cheese. Broil until cheese melts.

Makes 12 beanburgers.

COOKING DRY BEANS

- Soak beans before cooking, using this quick-soak method. Use 3 cups water to each cup beans. To reduce foaming add 1 tablespoon oil. Bring to a full boil. Boil rapidly for 2 minutes. Set aside for 1 hour. Return to boil; reduce heat. Simmer gently for 40 minutes. Simmer for 60 minutes if recipe does not require further cooking.
- Yellow-eyed beans may be substituted for white beans in recipes. Simmer yellow-eyed beans for 1 hour instead of 40 minutes.
- Never add baking soda to the cooking water, it destroys vitamins.
- Use a covered, heavy, earthenware or cast iron pot for moist, evenly-baked beans.
- Cook beans slowly (3 4 hours) at 300° F for moist,
- If you want to save time pressure cook beans after presoaking. Cook for 45 minutes at 15 pounds pressure.
- Store . . . dry beans in a tightly covered container in a dry place. They will keep indefinitely.
- Store . . , baked beans in the freezer for up to 5 months.

COOKING CANNED BAKED BEANS

- Choose the size of can best suited to the occasion.
- 4½ or 8 oz size an ideal individual serving, especially
- for bagged lunches 10, 14 or 19 oz great for a small family dinner 28 oz large family size, plenty for supper
- perfect for parties, picnics and
- Heat canned baked beans at a low temperature. Use a heavy saucepan or a double boiler.
- When barbecueing or camping, heat baked beans right in the can. Remove the label, open the can and set in a saucepan of gently boiling water.



THE CHEMICALS OF PLENTY

Nature provides the 'good life' through an abundance of resources for food. But biological controls alone will not prevent pesticide damage from blighting this abundance. The integration of biological and chemical controls must occur to ensure that pesticides are, indeed, The Chemicals of Plenty.

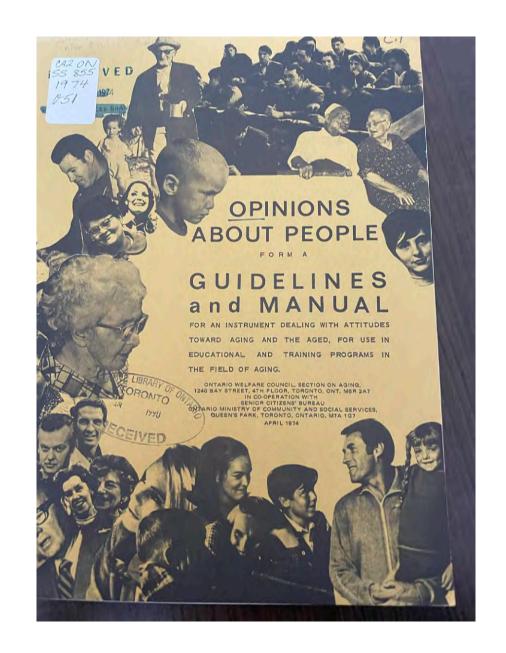


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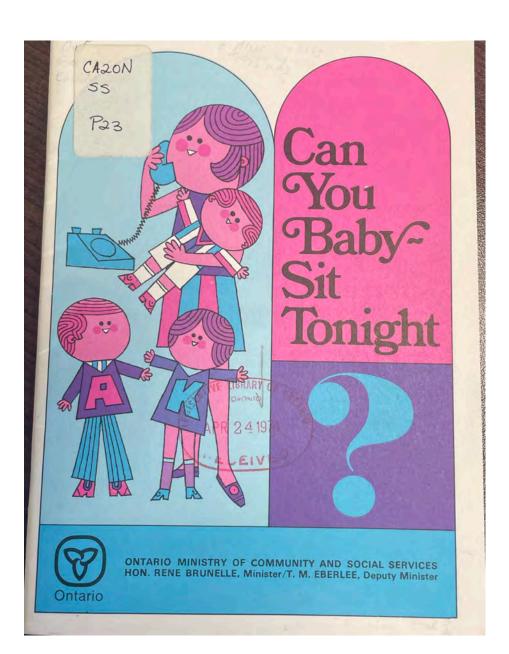
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How to baby-sit

KEEP THEM SAFE

Your first duty as a baby sitter is to know where the children are and what

Never leave a baby alone, unless he is in a crib, a playpen or fastened in his carriage. Even very young babies fall off beds or tables or tip over a high chair. If you cannot leave the baby safely or carry him with you, don't answer the telephone or door-bell. In any case, it is a good rule not to answer the door at night unless you know who is there.

Even after the children are asleep, keep awake yourself and make 'rounds' of the house every hour. Open the cellar door and sniff for smoke. Check the stove. Make sure the children are covered and breathing quietly and regularly. Leave their doors ajar so that you can hear them more readily if

Dangers in the kitchen: Most home accidents happen here. If you are preparing a meal or snack for a pre-school child it is best if you keep him in the kitchen where you can see what he is doing. Be sure there are no poisonous cleaning agents within his reach. Pot handles on the stove should be turned to the back of the be turned to the back of the stove so that the child cannot reach them.

Dangers in the bathroom: Never touch an electric switch with wet hands, nor use an electric basic nor use an electric heater or radio in the bathroom. Never leave a child alone in the bathrub where he had been alone in the bathrub wh alone in the bathtub where he may slip and fall or scald himself. See or leave it on the floor where it may cause a fall. See



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CHAPTER V

DRESS, GLOVES, STREET ETIQUETTE, TRAVELLING. BICYCLING, TELEPHONING

"Refinement of character is said never to be found with vulgarity of dress."

DRESS

To dress well requires good taste, good sense. and refinement.

The most appropriate and becoming dress is that which so harmonizes with the figure that the apparel is unobserved.

Neatness in a lady's dress is one of the first

requisites.

The woman who is overdressed at an afternoon reception is much more uncomfortable than she who is gowned with the simplicity of a Quaker. A well-fitting gown, a becoming hat, a fresh pair of gloves, and one is suitably dressed as a caller.

Evening dress for a lady may be as gay as she chooses to make it, though extremes are not de-

Dresses made a suitable length for walking are much more appropriate for the street than those that are so long that their wearers become street cleaners. Good taste forbids the wearing of dresses so short as to be an offence against modesty, or so narrow as to impede the free movement of the limbs.

A hostess should be careful not to outdress her

When going out, a lady should consider the people she is likely to meet, and should dress ac-

cordingly.

The best advice to all girls upon the subject must be, not to be overdressed, nor yet to be careless in the matter. They should attire themselves according to their circumstances and should. above all things, avoid all extremes of fashion, as well as all eccentricities of style.

Only quiet colours should be worn either to church or on the street, and wherever girls go they should endeavour to be unconscious of their

personal appearance.

A girl of fourteen should not wear her hair done up, and her gown should come just below her

It is not in good taste for a young girl to wear diamond rings; if she is fortunate enough to possess them, let her keep them carefully until she is older, and then she may wear them with perfect

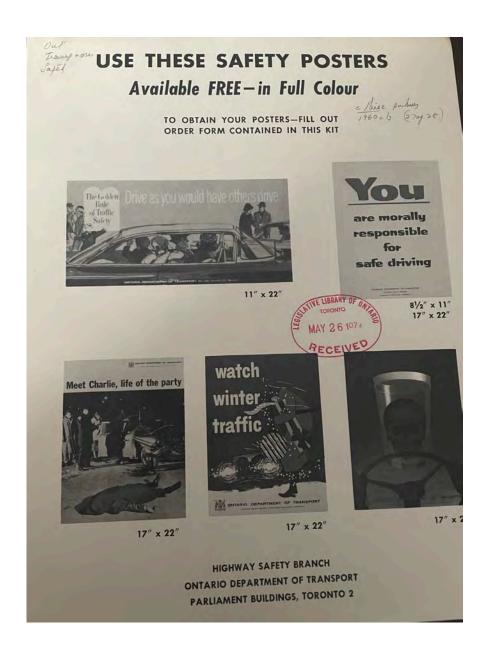
Necklaces and jewels in the morning are in bad taste, no matter what the fashion of the moment

may be.

A frock coat is, under no circumstances, a correct garment for a man to wear at an evening dance, neither is a Tuxedo or dinner coat. The proper dress is a full-dress suit, with white vest and white tie. Possibly a dinner coat might be allowable at a very small and very informal dance, but a frock coat never.

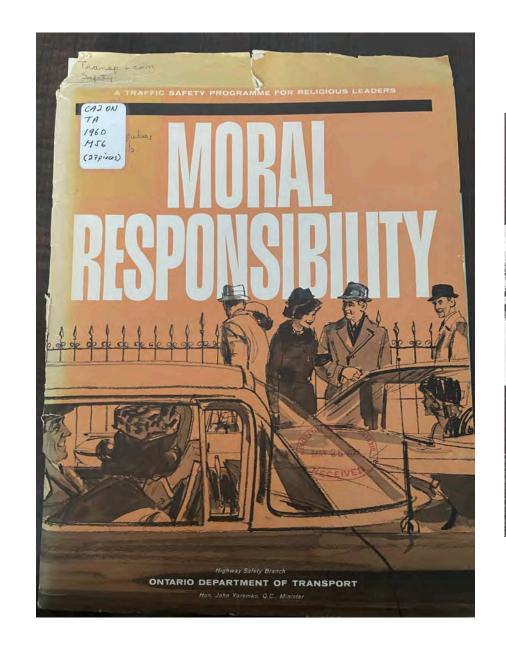
At an afternoon church wedding the groom, best man, and ushers, all dress as nearly as possible alike. The proper costume or suit is a black frock coat, gray trousers, black or fancy vesting

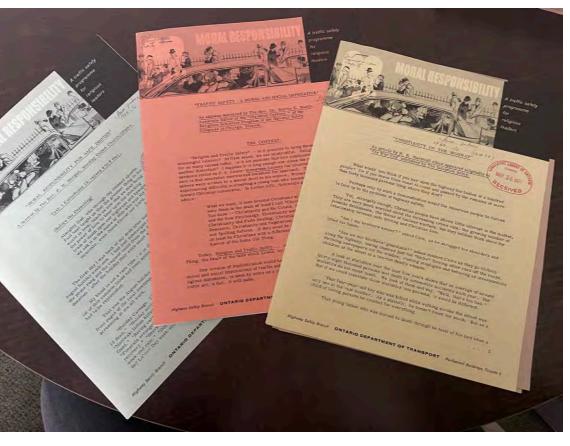
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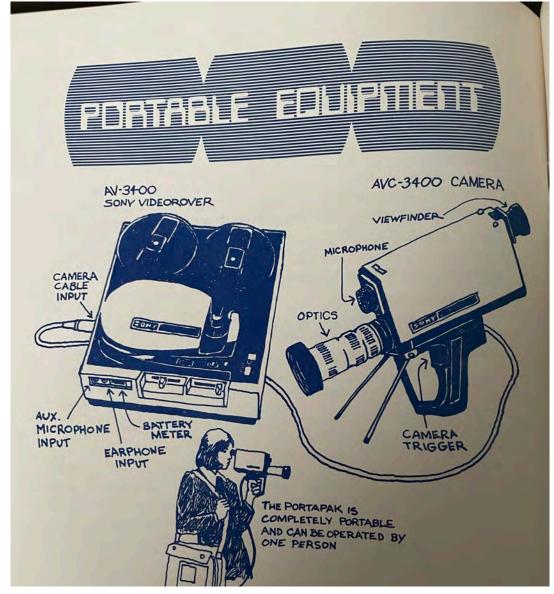




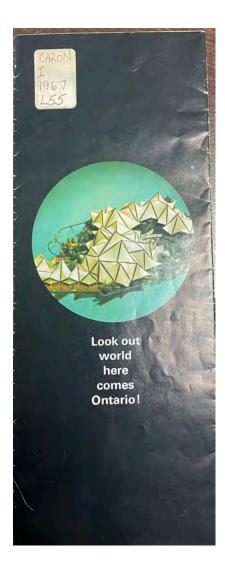


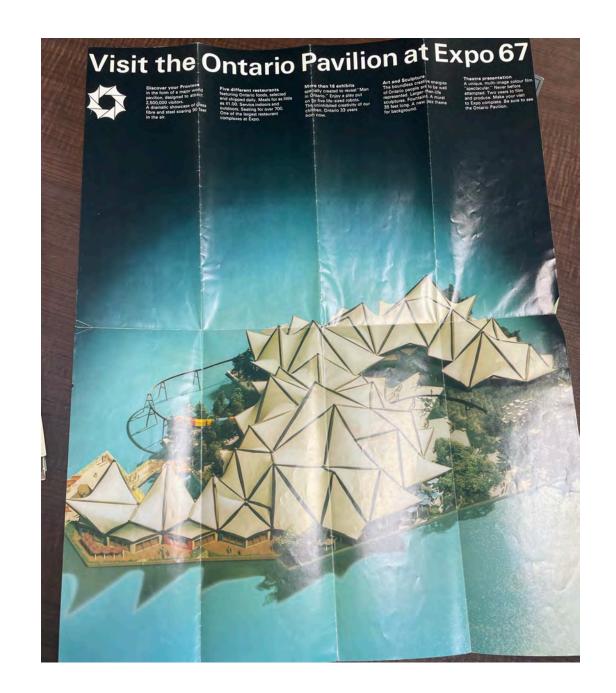
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What the Gems show us

Some things stay the same: Governments have always and will always need to communicate with the public
The concerns of the day AND that some issuesare truly evergreen
Signs of the times:
The pillars of influence of a time
Best ways to catch attention

The style of the time

Key "consumer" collections

Consumer information can be an excellent tool to explain complex topics in plain language and can offer point in time snapshots of government initiatives. Some cornerstones of our "consume" collection that are excellent research tools:

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