Top rice, corn casserole with meat, cheese stacks

Everyone likes tender white rice and golden kernels of corn and when these two foods are mixed together the result is doubly good.

You will love making this rice even dish because it is as easy as ABC, and you will take special pride and pleasure in the many compliments you will receive after "your eaters" have had a chance to taste this really colossal rice, corn, meat and cheese combination.

Ingredients

3 cups cooked rice
1 12 ounce can (1½ cups) yellow corn (drained)
1 tablespoon finely chopped whole canned pimiento
1 tablespoon finely chopped green pepper
1/3 cup catsup
1 cu liquid (water and juice from corn)
½ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
1 12 ounce can pork luncheon meat
13 pound American cheese

PREPARING

To make 3 heaping cups of white, fluffy, perfectly cooked rice:

Put 1 cup of uncooked rice, 2 cups of cold water and 1 teaspoon of salt into a 2-quart saucepan and bring to a vigorous boil.

Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover the saucepan with a lid. Do not remove lid nor stir rice while it is cooking.

Leave saucepan over low heat for 14 minutes. Remove from the heat.

The rice is now ready to use.

Method

Mix together the rice, corn, pimiento, green pepper, liquid, catsup, salt and pepper. Cut the luncheon meat into six slices. Cut the cheese into slices the same shape as the luncheon meat slices.

Pour the rice and corn mixture into a baking - serving dish which is large enough at the top to make it possible to lay the luncheon meat slices over the top of the rice. Lay the meat slices on the rice.

Place the cheese slices on top of th meat. Place in a preheated 350 degrees F. oven for 30 minuts or until the cheese is golden brown and the mixture is heated through.

While the pimiento and green pepper add a touch to this dish they may be omitted if desired without materially effecting the basic goodness and flavor.

This recipe makes 6 servings.

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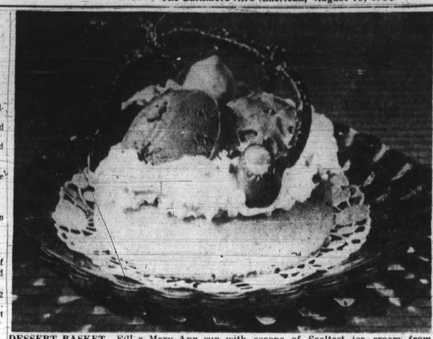

DESSERT BASKET—Fill a Mary Ann cup with scoops of Sealtest ice cream from Southern Dairies. Use different flavors. Outline the edge of cup cake with whipped cream. Decorate with candies and nuts. Curved pieces of pretzel form the handle.

Now is the time to process vegetables for winter use

Locally grown vegetables, grown both in the home gardens and commercially, are now at peak of production.

Local vegetables now available for vegetable processing in generous supply include snap beans, beets, tomatoes and sweet corn, states Russell C. Hawes, Consumer marketing specialist.

In selecting sweet corn, choose ears which have well filled, plump, milky kernels and that have fresh looking green husks. Avoid ears in which the husks are old or yellowish.

Such corn will be old and probably damaged from the heat. For best flavor, corn should be eaten as soon after harvest as possible. Sweet corn may be canned whole or cream style and may be frozen as whole kernels, cream style or as ears on the cob.

Package corn in the freezer requires only about one third the space as the same quanity of corn on the cob.

Squash Good Buy

Other good values in fresh vegetables include, summer squash, cabbage, potatoes and onions. White scallop squash is in plentiful supply and low in cost. One pound of squash is equal to three-four servings.

The old reliables, potatoes, cabbage and onions continue attractively priced.

Peaches, watermelons and summer apples are moderate in cost. Several varieties of peaches are available. Marylands crop of Elbertas will be at peak during the last weeks of August. The popular Summer Rambo apple is now with us and is exceptionally fine for apple pies and apple sauce.

Chuck Roast Reasonable

Chuck roast, pork shoulders, and crab meat are moderately priced, and are "good buys." Some cuts of pork are lower in cost. Lamb liver is low in cost.

American Meat Institute reports, "no marked difference in vitamin content of the organs from beef as compared to pork and lamb." A quality, small size eggs are in greater supply.

Designers' Guild elects new officers

The new Designers Guild of Baltimore recently elected officers for the 1953-54 term. They are:

Horace Lancaster, president; Miss Clarice Brooks, vice-president; Miss Jean Jenkins, secretary; Mrs. Nellie Sheridan, treasurer; and Clarence Carter, promotion.

Other members of the organization are Mrs. Helen Stewart, Miss Blanch Dugger, Mrs. Grace Williams and Otho Thompson.

The next meeting will be held on Aug. 19 at the Carson School 1328 W. North ave. at which time new memberships will be accepted.

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Reluctant entry wins bathing beauty show

DANVILLE — A 17-year-old lovely reluctant entry was the surprise winner of the Crystal Lake beauty show near Danville last Sunday.

Stunned, Miss Connie Watkins gasped, "Oh, no!" as master of ceremonies E. W. Green announced that she was the winner of the second annual "Queen of Crystal Lake" bathing beauty contest.

Miss Watkins reluctantly entered the contest less than two weeks ago. She is a June graduate of John M. Langston high school in Danville and was sponsored by the local chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority.

Her measurements are a shapely 32" bust, 36" hips, 25" waist with 120 pounds packed firmly on a five foot, five inch frame.

Mrs. Nancy Chaney, Ridge st., Danville, won second place honors. She was sponsored by the Palace barber shop. Miss Carolyn Crawford, sponsored by station WREV in Reidsville, N.C., took third place honors.

The two - day program drew more than 2,000 people to Crystal Lake, located five miles east of Danville on route 58. The lake is owned and operated by the Oliver and Still families of Danville who bought the resort last April for $14,000.

Prizes were awarded by Thermon Ruth of WREV, W. B. Weaver, J. T. Williams, N. T. Williams, James Hughes, Alexander Owens and Harvey Walker judged the contest.

In addition to the top three, the contestants, their addresses and sponsors were:

Miss Gloria Motley, Union st., Danville, sponsored by Hunts' florist; Miss Juliette Wilson, 902 Gay st., Raineys' radio and TV service;

Miss Leonora Edmondson, 851 Whitmell-st., Delta Sigma Theta; Miss Minnie Martin, 110 Johnson st., Danville, YMCA; Miss Sue Waddell, R. 3, Danville, Just Us Girls' club; Miss Doris Wilson, 513 Ridge st., Danville, staff of Winslow hospital; Miss Obender Rogers, 787 Mebane st., Danville; Drum and Bugle corps; Miss Lorene Jones, Burlington, N.C., Lola's place; Miss Catherine Williamson, P.O. Box 121, Yanceyville, N.C.; Mrs. Evelena Brodnax, 346 Holbrook st., Danville, Stills' barber shop; Mrs. Viola Finley, Martinsville st., Danville, YWCA Leisure Hour club; Miss Frances Wilson, 310 Aiken st., Danville, Epicurean club.

For Women

By BETTY COOK For ANP

No longer are effort and preparation time considered good standards by which to judge the success of a recipe; for modern packaged foods have made possible some pretty delicious eating in a matter of minutes.

And this Pick O' the Pantry idea is sure to prove this point because all ingredients can be picked right off the pantry shelf and speedily whipped into many a hot weather supper.

This really is a formula rather than a recipe because with at over 500 different combinations can be made, each with a distinct personality of its own. Choose a soup, thin meat, fish or poultry to add to it and some onion, chive, herb or one of a long list of other seasoning foods and finally reach for a package of that quick, quick pre-cooked rice which can be combined with the soup mixture or served with the creamed mixture over it.

To start you thinking, here are three recipes, all based on this simple formula and each with very different results. From this beginning you can let your imagination go to work and you're sure to come up with many interesting combinations suitable for family or company meals 365 days of the year. Best of all, it can be as much fun as playing a game. Just try it and see.

Creamed Lobster With Rice

1 1/3 cups packaged pre-cooked rice
½ teaspoon salt
1cup (6-ounce can lobster drained and flaked)
1½ cups water
1 can cream of mushroom soup
½cup milk
Dash of pepper

METHOD!

Combine rice, water, and salt in saucepan. Mix just until all rice is moistened. Bring quickly to a boil over high heat, uncovered, fluffing rice gently once or twice with a fork. (Do not stir.) Cover and remove from heat. Let stand 10 minutes.

Meanwhile, combine soup and milk in saucepan. Heat, stirring occasionally. Add lobster and pepper. Mix and heat thoroughly. Makes 4 or 5 servings.

Serve Over the Rice. Arrange rice in serving dish and top with the creamed lobster.

Serve Mixed with the Rice. Add rice to the creamed lobster. Mix lightly and serve at once.

Casserole: Add rice to the creamed lobster. Mix lightly and turn into 1½ quart casserole. Sprinkle with buttered crumbs and broil 2 to 3 minutes, or until lightly browned.

Or use cream of celery soup, cream of chicken soup, cream of asparagus soup, or cream of green vegetable soup.

Cheese Rice Casserole

1 1/3 cups packaged pre-cooked rice
½ teaspoon salt
1cup sliced celery (¼ inch thick)
1 cup milk
Dash of pepper
1½ cups water
One tablespoon chopped onion
parsley
One can cream of celery soup
½ cup grated Cheddar cheese
2 tomatoes, sliced
4 slices bacon

water, salt, and celery in saucepan. Mix just until all rice is moistened. Bring quickly to a boil over high heat, uncovered, fluffing rice gently once or twice with a fork. (Do not stir.) Cover and remove from heat. Let stand 10 minutes. Add parsley, mixing lightly with a fork.

Mix soup and milk in a saucepan. Heat, stirring occasionally. Add grated cheese and pepper. Stir until cheese is melted. Add celery rice and mix lightly. Turn into 1-quart casserole. Arrange tomato slices on top. Broil 3 to 5 minutes, or until tomatoes are tender. Meanwhile, cut bacon slices in half. Fry until crisp and curled. Place bacon curls on top of casserole between tomato slices. Serve at once. Makes 4 servings.

Congealed Cheese Loaf

2 envelopes of plain gelatin
¼ cup cold water
1 cup tomato sauce
2 tablespoons vinegar
1 cup finely cut celery
2 cups cottage cheese
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup ripe olives pitted
½ cup mayonnaise
1/3 cup chopped green peppers

METHOD: Soften gelatin in cold water. Heat tomato sauce to boiling. Add gelatin and stir until it is dissolved. Blend vinegar and salt. Cool to room temperature. Force cottage cheese through a sieve. Cut olives into pieces after removing pits. Blend cheese, olives, celery, green gelatin mixture. Turn into oiled loaf pan and chill until firm.

Suggested menu: Congealed cheese loaf, fruit salad, lima beans, wholewheat rolls, butter and raspberry ice cream.

Everyone enjoys a cold beverage on a hot day. Here are one or two suggestions. All Should be served very cold.

SPICED MILK: Mix ¼ teaspoon of cinnamon, dash of nutmeg and 2 tablespoons of sugar. Add 6 cups of cold milk, stirring to dissolve the sugar. Chill and serve.

FRUIT MILK SHAKE: To 3 cups of cold milk add 2 ¼ cups of berry or grape juice and a teaspoon of lemon juice. Stir well and chill.

PUNCH: Pour 2 cups of boiling water over 2 teaspoons of tea leaves. Cover and let stand 3 minutes. Strain tea over 1 cup sugar and stir until dissolved. Cool. Add 1 cup lemon juice, ½ cup lemon juice, ½ cup cold water. Chill, then just before serving add 1 quart of ginger ale. This makes 10 or 12 servings.

FILLERS: Fine china or glassware will be less likely to break when you are washing it if you put a dishcloth in the bottom of the dishpan.

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Mrs. Vashti M. Stokes at fraternal convention

Mrs. Vashti M. Stokes was appointed by the Queen Marie Tent No. 2, Dramatic Order of Omar, Order of Calanthe, K. of P. to represent altimore at the convention, in Hot Springs, Ark. Aug. 12 to 22.

Mrs. Stokes who lives at 1542 N. Appleton st. is the wife of the Rev. W. M. Stokes, pastor of New Hope Baptist church, where she is president of the Missionary Society.

Quite active fraternally, Mrs. Stokes is past worthy counselor of Amazon Court No. 10, Order of Calanthe; past most noble governor, Marion Household No. 6; member of the Past Most Noble Governors' Chamber No. 6; and the past officers' council.

She is also associated with the W. Sampson Brooks temple of Elks and the St. Olive Beneficial Association.

Mrs. Stokes is a board member of the Co-operative Women's Civic League; financial secretary of the Baptist Ministers' Wives Alliance;

Chairman of the Baptist Ministers' Wives of the Mt. Bethel Association; board member of the Interdenominational Women's Nursery School Commission; and the National Association of Ministers' Wives.

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GIVES DOLLAR — Mrs. Mary Alice Albert, of Kensington, Md., gave her dollar this week to help support the AFRO's dollar or more to open the door campaign for the NAACP to use in its fight against school segregation.

HELPED NAACP — Maurice Albert, son of AFRO editor the Kensington-Garrett Park, Maryland community gave his all this week to the NAACP legal fund in the AFRO's "dollar or more campaign."

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AND A GOOD TIME WAS HAD BY ALL—More than 150 captains and co-captains were guests Tuesday at the AFRO Clean Block office for the annual party with Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay and Assistant Manager Edith Weaver serving as hostesses. These pictures offer graphic evidence that all who attended enjoyed themselves. At bottom left is another group which jammed into the Clean Block office for the party. During the tour of the AFRO building many of the captains were given the first opportunity to see the big AFRO press in operation. Refreshments were served.

Final listing of blocks is made by staff

Many captains revise names of workers

The final listing of blocks which just beat the July 31 deadline with their registrations is printed below.

Some of these blocks, the Clean Block staff explained, had been previously listed. But some of them failed to inform a corrected workers' sheet.

Others have revised their list of workers, since some fell by the wayside after the campaign got underway.

The blocks, captains and workers follow:

Gwendolyn Brooks
206 Silver st.

Elmer Jones, Robert Pitts, Jerry Brooks, Randy King, Paul Williams, Earnestene Smith, Gean Smith, Daphna Merritt, Netta Jones, and Margerie Smith.

Captain Brenda Richardson
1600 Vincent Ct.

DeForah Richardson, Karen Richardson, Deanna Richardson, Charles Spriggs, Donald Spriggs, Elliott Spriggs, Geraldine Spriggs, Thomas Barrett, Francis Phillips, Irvin Owing, Deore Dixon, Stephanie Dixon, Jackie Spencer, Paul Jones, Gwendolyn Spencer, Rebecca Spriggs and Brenda Jones.

Captain Laverne Crawford
1600 Lorman st.

Paula Lancaster, Eleanor Browne, Phyllis Browne, Brenda Howell, Gayle Howell, Jeanetta Matthews, Dorothy Matthews, Leon Horsey, Charles Howell, Franklin Hughes and Clifford Horsey.

Captain Charity Johnson
1600 Mountmor ct.

Harriett Johnson, Barbara Goldsborough, Connie Jones, Bill Jones, William Butler, Sandra Counts, Lillywood Counts, John Jasper, Baria Ward, Henretta Fuller, Reggie Henderson, Jeanette Gasque, Mrs. William Butler, Mrs. Betty Henderson and Mrs. Rosella Johnson.

Captain Sylvia Gray
1108 Steedard ct.

Mildred Gray, Melvina Hodges, Milton Stevenson, Doris Brown, Helena Hodges, Mary Robinson, Vera Gray, John Thompson, Bruce Hodges, Albert Stuart, Myrna Waters, Mary Miller, Bernice Miller, Hyllyn Waters, Elsie Waters, Dennis Waters, Virginia Waters.

Captain John Crump
1100 N. Bond st.

Mrs. Mattie Pinder, Mrs. Florence Crump, Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, Mrs. Alma Geter, Rev D. H. Hunter, Mrs. Lucille Morris, Mrs. Mary Thomas, Mrs. Rebecca Oliver, Mrs. Odelice Sanders, Mr. Richard Witte, Mrs. Frayeer Johnson, Mr. Lee Coleman, Mr. Irene Tanner, Mrs. Ola Hurt, William Reed Jr., Joyce Reed, Vermnie Whitehead, James Jenkins, Sandra Powell, Harold Winkler, Percy White, head, Portia Reed, Ernestine Reed, Doris Davis, Marion Jones, Bruce Jones, Clyde Davis, Wayne Reed, Mrs. Grace Crump, advisor; Mrs. Blanch, Mrs. Eugenne Williams, Mrs. Ester Floyd, Mrs. Carrie Johnson, Mrs. Pauline Jenkins, Mrs. Maude Brown, Miss Yvonne Reed, John Taylor, co-captain; Alfreda Crump, Darlene Crump, Linda Schwartz, Morton Schwartz and Pedro Jones.

Captain Christine Anderson
800 M. Shaler st.

Sylvia Gray, Josephine Gilliam, Catherine Cephas, Catherine Anderson, Laura Payne, Ann Freeman, Peggy Cook, Sallie Payne, Walter Gilliam, Betty Gilliam, Joan Anderson, Jimmey Anderson, Doris Gilliam, Christine Gilliam, Gloria Anderson, Walter Gary, Clara Gray, Wallace Gary, Cynthia Payne, Leon Cook, Harvey Gilliam, James Anderson, Melvina Millard, Donnie Goodwin, Shirley Carey, Shelton Carey, Robert Carey, Beverly Brandy, Walter Killebrew, and Ella Pryor.

Captain Charles E. Crisg
1200 Whatcoat st.

Elaine McNeil, Norman Willoughby, Irvin Keys, June McNeil, Roger P. Willoughby, Raymond Rice, Edith D. Roy, Emma B. Craig, Herbert Willoughby, Alonso Willoughby, Patricia Parker, Mrs. Della Willoughby, advisor; Mrs. Johnnie Green, Mrs. Esther Keys, Mrs. Minnie Craig, Mrs. Minnie Frank, Mrs. Rosa Butler, Miss Zila Parker, Edward Butler, Moses Hutchinson, Ronald McNeil.

Captain Randolph Baker, Jr.
1600 Vincent Ct.

Lawrence Gersham, co - captain; Mrs. Meatter McIntyre, Mrs. Annie Dotson, advisors, Leonard Gersham, Jacqueline Gersham, John Baker, Harvey Hill, Lowell Hill, Evangeline Armstrong, Fred DeWitt Armstrong, Alonzo Nickens, Carl Gray, Diana Edgerton, Roberta Armstrong, John McIntyre, Bessie McIntyre, Mrs. G. Baker, Mrs. Jessie Roberts, Mrs. Elizabeth Gresham, Mrs. Florene Jones, Mrs. Thelma Epps, Mrs. Edna Wright, Marie Edwards, Anna Mae Dotson, Bernice Gayland, William Jackson, E. G. Johnson, Jessie M. Reed, James Battle, Paul Moore, Nellie Battle, Ida Fuller, Ralph Wright, Janis Conner, Joan Baker, James Baker, Sheila Harvey, Larry Harvey, Anthony Armstrong, Tilly Watson, Barbara Walker, Charles Fredrick, Timothy Holt, Yvonne Jackson, Maxine Baker, Joseph Pack, Catherine Graham, Lester Pack, Jessie Roberts, Gwendilyn Roberts, Charles Groves, Ronald Graves, Mary L. Chesten, Doris Fitzgerald, Silas Nickens and Henry Nickens.

Captain Janie May Jackson
4400 The Alameda

Mrs. Annie Martin, Daniel Harris, Mrs. Pearl Harris, Joe Harris, Mr. Willie Young, Dorothy Young, Mrs. Margaret Jackson, Frank D. Jackson, Mrs. Clara Dyson, Harold Dyson, Charles Dyson, Helen Dyson, Mrs. Emma Dates, Rev. and Mrs. William Humphrey, George Dates, and Mrs. Margaret Peay, advisor.

Prize fund inches up to $1,231 as $10 check arrives . . .

The Clean Block prize fund inched up to a total of $1,231.75 Thursday with the receipt of a $10 check.

The money came from the "Master Builders' Co., of which C. H. Borchardson is president. The contribution was solicited by Mrs. Mrgaret Peay of the 4500 block St. Georges ave., a charter worker in the AFRO Clean Block program.

The goal for the prize fund has been set at $2,500.

IT WAS TIME FOR FUN:

150 Clean Block captains guests at annual party

More than 150 captains and co-captains, dressed in their Sunday best, crowded the AFRO Clean Block office Tuesday for their annual party.

Serving as hostesses were Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay and Assistant Manager Edith Weaver.

The youngsters, near the end of their summer long drive to clean up the city, forgot about clean blocks and settled down to the serious business of enjoying themselves.

During the tour of the AFRO plant, many of them got their first glimpse of the AFRO's big press.

Watch Typesetters

Not only were they thrilled by the press, but many of them expressed interest in the AFRO's automatic typesetting machines, known as teletypesetters.

Refreshments were served. Among they refreshments were five quarts of ice cream donated to this year's Clean Block Campaign by the Hendler Ice Cream Co.

Among those present were:

Delores Baker, Barbara Baker, Raymond Johnson, Larry Taylor, Barbara Pollard, Bernice Cole, Marion Frank, Arlia Wheeler, Margaret MacDonald, Claudette Gross, Marion Grant, Earline Scott;

Christine Anderson, Parthenar Thompson, Fannie Holley, Martha Landon, Christine Manning, James Mason, Alforda Crump, Peggy Wilson, Randolph Baker, Jean Temple, Erick Johnson;

Also James Baker

James Baker, Naomi Johnson, Louise Brown, Joseph McCoy, Helen Imes, Freddie Harvey, Margaret Foster, Brenda Richardson, Dilores Bogues, Ola Eason, Delores Ross, Ann Hawkins, Carolyn Green, Deborah Huy, Velma Smith;

Mary Epps, Clarice Green, Gladys Moses, Dorothy Oliver, Margaret Honeycutt, Shirley Honeycutt, Barbara Powell, Ann Holmes, Ursula Utley, Cynthia Martin, William Brooks;

Florine Owens, Joan Jackson, Sandora Finney, Mary Hubbard, Brenda Brown, Preston Brown, Carolyn DeShields, Charles DeShields, Morris White, Henry Jones;

Larraine Moore, Geraldine Yarborough, Patricia Logan, Virginia Epps, Odessa Hunter, Margaret Yates, James Payne, Janes Heath;

Joan Quickley Present

Joan Quickley, Evelyn Lee, Vivian Gerry, Edith Meyers, Joyce Anderson, Sandra Lowery, Patricia Johnson, Carson Carter, Alice Shields, Constance L. Morris, Genevieve Holland, Anita Smith;

Charles Craig, Gloria McClarry, Patricia Johnson, Janet Harvey, Rosemary Dennis, Joe Anna Anderson, Lawrence McCollon, Charlie Belle Sturdivant, Barbara J. Oglesby, Cecelia Thrower.

Carolyn Lang, Juanita Alford, Ruby Sykes, Mary Baker, Arthur B. Brown, Doris William, Helen Williams, Ronald Chester, Carrie Wallace, Milton Selby, Lawrence McCulloh, Pearline Brown;

Beatrice Simley, Elizabeth Keene, Mrs. Margaret Peay, Mrs. Grace Crump, Mrs. Edna Mason, Mrs. Mamie Caston, Marie Pope, Inez Anderson, Joseph Williams, Sandra Tubb, Gladys Kittrell, Roy Solomon, Curtis Skoke, Marie Little, Ruth Carr, Billy Hugh, and Diane Thomas.

AWARDED HONOR FLAG—Coveted Honor Flags went to three blocks during the pep rally last week at McCulloh Homes. Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay, left, is shown presenting the flags to, left to right, Captain Williams Brooks, 804-806 Lexington st. Edgar Allan Poe Homes; Mrs. Rosella Hill, advisor, 100 block Wheeler ave., for Captain Alice Shields; Captain Cynthia Martin and Captain Ann Holmes of the 4500 block, St. Geoges ave., in the name of the four participating blocks of Wilson Park.

21 more blocks make Clean Block Honor Roll

Total listed rises to 66; all stay on

Director happy no backsliders have appeared yet, she says

Twenty-one more blocks were added to the AFRO Clean Block Honor Roll this week.

This number brought the total number of blocks on the Honor Roll to 66 thus far.

Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay expressed satisfaction that she has not been compelled to remove a single block from the Honor Roll yet.

"All of the captains of these blocks have kept their blocks up to a high standard. I haven't run across a backslider yet. I hope there won't be any this year," she said.

Captains and blocks which made the Honor Roll for the first time this week follow:

207 Amity st., Sandra Lowery
200 Beale ct., James Heath
200 Beale ct. Patricia Johnson
200 Beale and 1600 Mullikin ct.; Evangeline Johnson
1600 Bethel st., Margaret Epps
1200-1204 Canal ct., Cecelia Thrower
1206-1210 Canal st., Jerome Ward
23 Castle st., Brenda Brown
1200 Druid Hill ave., Martha Landon
1600 Lorman ct., Melvin Hopkin
400 Manse ct., Margaret Tates
800 Monument st., James Mason
900 Mount st. Gloria McClarry
1654 Mountmor ct., Robert Ware
1521 Mullikin ct., Larry Taylor
1205 Nolar ct., Randolph Baker, Jr.
1607 Vincent ct., Brenda Richardson
3000 Walbrook ave., Beverly Jackson
1200 Waldo ct., Geraldine Yarborough
1100 Whatcoat st., Fannie Holley
1200 Whatcoat st., Charles Craig

Blocks previously listed on the Honor Roll are:

4900 Alameda, The Scott Williams.
205 Amity st., Lawrence McCullohs
100 Amity st., Bernice Cole
1066 Bakebury ct., Joan Garrus
1000 Bethel ct., Beatrice Smith.
400 Chaple st., N., Odessa Hunter
1500 E. Chase st., Margarte Foster
1200 Chatham st., Helen Imes
400 Cummings ct., Gerald Brisco
200 Dallas ct., Juanita Alford
100 Dallas st., Freddie Harvey
Ditman st., Genevieve Holland
Druid Hill ave., Arthur B. Brown
13a Eager st., Florene Ownes
1300 Eliing st., Leroy Finder and Velma Smith
800 Fairmount ave., Barbara Lee Pollard
2000 Fayette st., R., Claudette Gross
600 George st., Dorothy Gray
1600 Hoffman st., Clarice Green
804-06 Lexington ct., Marion Franks
1700 Llewelyn ave., Eleanor White and Emma L. Toliver
1600 Lorman ct., Melvin Hopkins
900 McDohogh st., Patricia Johnson
2400 Madison ave., Carolyn DeShields
400 Manse ct., Barbara Yates
2500 Madison ave., Preston Brown
1500 Mountmor ct., Rosemary Dennis
1205 Nolar ct., Lawrence Gersham
400 Oxford ct., Carolyn Green
1700 Parker ct., Elaine Basick.
1900 Penrose ave., Doris P. Glenn
2700 Presbury st., Delores Ross
4400 St. Georges ave., Ann Holmes
4500 St. Georges ave., Cynthia Martin
1100 Shields Pl., Elaine Cooper
900 Shiver st., Garshell Boyd
800 Shuter st., Christine Anderson
200 Spring ct., Martha Watkins
1800 Spring st., Joan Quickley
1100 Stockton st., Harold Davis
1600 Vincent ct., Mary Jones
800 Vincent st., Gladys Moses
100 Wheeler ave., Alice Shields
1200 Vonscott st., Mary Green
1206 Young st., Elaine Pryor

ON CLEAN BLOCK PROGRAM—Smiling participants on the program of the weekly Clean Block rally at McCulloh Homes Friday were, left to right: Captain Juanita Alford, Captain Carolyn DeShields, Mamie Goodman, Florene Owens, Shirley Wiggins. Standing in front little Brenda Alford.

CLEAN BLOCK ● SIDELIGHTS ●

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AFRO CLEAN Blockers of two blocks are glad they are participating in this year's campaign for a special reason. Both the 900 block Shuter st., and the 1700 block Barnes st., have returning war prisoners.

CAPTAIN MARSHELL BOYD of the Shuter st. block is ready to welcome Cpl. Walter J. Keene, 28, of 912 Shuter st. Cpl. Keene spent two years and three months behind. Red Korean bars. He is a former employee at Sparrows Pt. and has a brother, John.

CAPTAIN EARLIEN SCOTT of the 1700 block Barnes st. is also ready to welcome a hero. Pfc. Albert R. Threat of 1724 Barnes st. He spent two years and nine months as a war prisoner. His mother is Mrs. Cora Threat, who lives just two doors away from Captain Scott.

CAPTAIN DOROTHY ANDERSON of the 500 block West Hoffman st., has a neat idea and its working, too. Any resident of the block caught throwing paper or rubbish in the street is fined 15 cents. And the Clean Blockers actually collect the money to help pay for supplies.

CLEAN BLOCKERS of the 1700 Llewellyn ave. block are assured of a closing party no matter what they win. Captains Mrs. Maris White and Emma Toliver are lucky to have the 100 per cent cooperation of their neighbors and other residents of their block.

As a result a neighborhood club was formed to back the Clean Blockers. I attended their weekly meeting Monday in time to hear the financial report from the block sale of cakes, pies, and hot dogs. More than $40 has been raised to support the Clean Block program. The two captains gave a report of the Friday meeting. Mrs. Mary Watson is the president of the club as well as block advisor.

TO MRS. MATTIE LOGAN of the 1700 block Llewellyn ave., the work of AFRO Clean Blockers has been a "miracle." "For 35 years I've lived in this block and I've never seen anything like it before," she said. Insurance men and other collectors and other visitors have also expressed amazement at the change that has taken place since the Clean Block program began.

SPEAKING OF improvements for the better, the 600 block of Pierce st., is also entitled to take a bow. Even jealous and less enterprising neighbors of surrounding blocks admit the work of Captain Delores Brogues and her crew make their blocks look positively shabby.

IT WAS TOO bad that some 30 captains missed the annual captains' party Tuesday. We received reports that some were ill, others were out of town and others have called to say that they didn't receive the invitations although they were mailed.

More than 150 captains did attend and lost no time taking care of the refreshments made sur-