

or brown sugar, 1 teaspoon melted butter and ½ teaspoon vanilla; beat until light and fluffy.

Stir in ½ cup rolled oats, ⅓ cup chopped walnuts, ½ cup shredded or flaked coconut and a dash of salt.

Drop mixture by teaspoonfuls onto the prepared cooky sheet. Flatten the top of each with a knife or spatula. Bake 8 to 10 minutes. Remove these from the cooky sheet immediately.

Honey Moons

- 1 egg yolk
- ¼ cup vegetable oil
- ⅔ cup honey, any kind
- 1½ cups oatmeal
- 1 cup sifted whole wheat flour
- ½ teaspoon salt

Mix the oatmeal, flour and salt together.

Beat the egg yolk a minute, then gradually add the oil,

beating as you pour. Pour in all except 3 or 4 tablespoons of the honey and beat until well mixed.

In a separate bowl whip the egg white until it forms peaks. Add the remaining honey and whip until stiff. Fold this into the first mixture, folding just until the mixtures are well blended.

Thoroughly grease a cooky sheet with butter and drop the oatmeal mixture on by teaspoonfuls.

Bake in a moderate oven (375°) for 8 minutes. They should be browned around the edges and only faintly on top. Leave them on the cooky sheet for about 2 minutes in order to stiffen before removing them.

It is unnecessary to use whole wheat pastry flour in these.

Brown sugar may be used instead of honey. Add 2 tablespoons of water to the egg yolk-and-oil mixture and proceed as above.

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Question Box

Your questions answered in these columns! Your opportunity to have discussed those problems pertaining directly to members of God's Church.

Does the command of Leviticus 19:23-25 apply today? If so, how does it apply, and how do we count the ages of our trees?

Read these verses yourself.

This command concerns a *principle* that still applies today. The three years in which fruit is prohibited pertains to the age of the tree—from the time it came up, or was rooted—not the number of years it has been bearing.

Scripture tells us that in the fourth year—after three years of growth—the fruit is holy, to be used in praising God. In ancient Israel it was given to the priests and Levites, along with the tithes, for their personal use. Today we praise God with the fruit by giving it to His work. Verse 25 tells us that "in the fifth year shall *ye* (the owner) eat of the fruit thereof." Notice, also, in this verse that God promises to bless

the increase of our trees—make them more productive — if we obey this command.

This law pertains only to *trees* that bear fruit, and does not pertain to small shrubs, bushes, brambles, and grape vines or olives. These latter types of fruit, having a different length of life span and production cycle, are classified with field crops, as is shown in the laws of gleaning (Lev. 19:9-10) and of the sabbatical-year rest for the land (Lev. 25:3-5). God makes a clear distinction between these small fruits and the *trees* bearing fruit, which are dealt with in this law of Leviticus 19:23-25.

If we are diligent in obeying God in this matter, and also take proper care in the management of our fruit trees, God will cause them to provide us with fruit for many years.

a final morning session was held in the Rose Room of Ambassador Hall. Loose ends of the previous discussions were tied together, and the conference closed on a note of CHALLENGE in the expanding world-wide operation of the work of God's Church. The need of deep spiritual UNITY and unswerving LOYALTY toward *God's cause* was stressed.

More than ever—with God's ministers now coming from all around the world, and discussing the globe-girdling problems of our great commission—a deep realization that we are in a truly world-wide CRUSADE came upon every one of us. Can you brethren catch this vision?

Unless we fail in our calling, within the next few years the living Christ is going to work *through* US in reaching the nations and cities of this world with His last warning message before the plagues of God descend! Jesus Christ prophesied of God's ministers *now*: "Ye shall not have gone over the cities of Israel, till the Son of man be come" (Mat. 10:23).

This is the mightiest CHALLENGE ever given to any group of men! That so very *few* of us are already able to reach so MANY already proves that this is the very work of Almighty God.

Let us, then, do *our parts* with renewed *faith* and zeal that each of us may hear Christ's words at His return: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

Sunday Observance

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would only accept and obey the plain teachings of the Bible, including Sabbath keeping, INFIDELITY WOULD VANISH FROM THE EARTH!

How grateful are we for the knowledge of this TRUTH?

God's Church Expands

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and spiritual fellowship was deeply enjoyed by everyone. Adequate room was made possible for this fair-sized crowd by setting up folding tables and chairs in the garden and backyard of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong. Since this January in Pasadena the weather is almost like summer, the occasion was even further enhanced by eating outdoors in this beautiful setting.

After dinner, everyone repaired to the living room of the Armstrong home

and we were treated to a concert of recordings including delightful excerpts from the "Messiah" by our own Ambassador College Chorale. If it may be described in that manner, the spiritual atmosphere of love and real brotherhood of God's servants—many of them former roommates and friends in God's college was indeed "thick" on this happy occasion. Our gratitude goes to Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong for making possible this enjoyable evening, and it was a fitting climax to the evenings during this important conference.

On the day after this happy occasion,