

# The Farmer's Weekly



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## Wiener Man Spices Things Up

HERE — Local figure-of-fun Harry "Wiener Man" Gutekunst is bringing his usual wieners back to Wagontown this week as Bubba Johns, and promises a new "link in the chain" of his repertoire. The new wieners are called Kabanosy, and add a little spice to what is already a pretty racy show. See page 11 for more photos and an apology.



Wiener man shows off legs and sausage fingers.

## Cattle Cannibal Gang Active in Area

Farmers have been complaining to the local constabulary that there are cannibals active in the area. Hardest hit has been Miss Penny Peony, who raises wee little sugar-cookie moo-cows and piggys on her farm Sugar Plum Acres, located on Gum Drop Lane near the old Jelly-Beanery.

Miss Peony, speaking from her gingerbread front porch stated, "Oh it was horrible. There was a little piggy with his sweet little heiney bitten off saying 'Oh, my heiney hurts,' and a dear little moo-cow with his ears bitten off saying 'What?' I have never witnessed the like before." Miss Peony has asked this newspaper to publish her recipe for sugar cookies, so that the cannibals will leave her little friends alone.

### Sugar Cookies

- 1 cup sugar
- ½ cup butter (softened)
- 1 egg
- 2 teaspoon cold water
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 ¼ cup flour
- 1 teaspoon cream of tartar
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon baking soda

Cream butter and sugar. Add egg, vanilla and sugar; incorporate. Sift dry ingredients together, and add in. roll thin, bake approximately 5 minutes at 350 degrees.

The cream of tartar is important to this recipe, but I don't know why.

## Locals Hold Annual Event Usual rioting expected at 18<sup>th</sup> Food Fest

In what has become an annual ritual here in Wagontown, the sheriff has called for volunteer temporary deputies to help control the expected rioting at the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Food Fest.

"This event draws an ugly crowd every year," the sheriff said, "and it just seems to be getting worse."

In response to the sheriff's call for deputies, Wagontowners have responded in their usual civic-minded way. "We're getting our butts outa here, you damn betcha!" said a neighbor who refused to be identified. "And we're taking our sheep with us!"

To find your nearest Evacuation Shelter, see page 8.



Ruffians wield sticks and string at last year's riot.

## Visitors From Outer Space! Well, almost . . .

They might not be from outer space, but they might as well be. Visiting Wagontown this weekend are Marcel Broussard and Anais Cy-Borg (how's that for far-out names). Marcel and Anais are from Irvington, New York, but they used to be from New York City! Now that's pretty far out there.

When asked about the big burg, Mr. Broussard replied ironically, "New York New York? Yeah, it's a hell of a town. But it's changed. Now the AC adapter is up and the battery's down. I have to come to Wagontown to get good deli." This reporter says Kudos to our local Wagontown Jewish community!



Outer-Spatials shown above at left and right. Character at center has so far defied identification or reasonable explanation.

## Sweet Corn Elected to State Senate

The Pennsylvania State congressional district that includes most of greater Wagontown elected it's first vegetable, an ear of corn, as State Senator this week. "We've had vegetarians and Veg-O-Matic salesmen before, but never an actual vegetable," stated local politico Zach Freely, speaking on condition of anonymity.

He continued, "This guy might seem like being a State Senator is outside of his field, but he's got deep roots in this community, he's got the ear of the public, and he's got that 'Aw Shucks' manner about him that people just eat up."



Our new State Senator — In his campaign he took a brave stand against (corn) smut.

### Birch Beer Floats

Phenomenon explained by eminent physicist, see page 7 of the Science Supplement.

## Cucumber Warning

The centers for Disease Control in Atlanta Georgia, did not issue any warnings today about cucumbers. However, a local botanist did state today that cucumbers are "kind of a funny vegetable, kind of cylindrical and greenish. They work well in salads." Asked to elaborate on the salad allegations, the botanist was finally browbeaten by this reporter into revealing the following:

"I don't have an actual recipe," admitted our local botanist in a fit of vagueness that would have done credit to a Congressional Budget hearing. "I just kind of slice up some fresh cucumbers, tomatoes, maybe some scallions, and mix them up with some nice vinegarette. I think the freshness is the key."

Roger, Rural American



## Crazy Goat Woman Makes Rare Appearance

The local Crazy Goat Woman made a rare public appearance last week in Wagontown, WITHOUT HER GOATS! Local goat maven Deb Michaels has been known as the Crazy Goat Woman since 1987, when she shocked the local citizenry with a horrendous



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C. G. W. and friends.

## Quack Questioned

Local police quarantined and quizzed a quavering Quentin Queeg of Quebec recently concerning his qualifications for making quesadillas. Queeg was quoted as saying, "I am the quintessential queen of quesadilla makers, I make quality quesadillas that people queue up for and quarrel over. I sometimes use quails, quinces and quahogs in my quesadillas, and I sometimes blenderize them so people can quaff quarts of quasi-liquid quesadillas." He also quipped that he had no qualms when quizzed on his recipe:

### Quesadillas

- 1 chicken breast
- ½ onion
- 1 garlic clove
- Cilantro to taste
- 3 oz. roasted red peppers
- 3 oz. Monterey Jack cheese with hot peppers, shredded
- 6 5-inch flour tortillas

Poach chicken until done, cool and remove from bone, shred. Chop onion and garlic, sweat in a little oil until soft and slightly brown, cool. Chop red pepper and cilantro; add to onions along with chicken. Spread some shredded cheese on a tortilla, then chicken mixture, then more cheese. Top with another tortilla. Grill over low heat until brown on both sides and cheese is melted.