

SOCIAL SERVICE PLAN DEVELOPED

Hospital Benefits Scheme to Cost About \$20,000,000

CANBERRA, (AP)—A new hospital benefits scheme under which the federal government will contribute to the cost of treatment began operation in Australia in July.

The scheme is part of the government's long-range social service plan, and will cost about \$20,000,000. Patients in public wards of public hospitals receive free hospital treatment whatever their income.

Patients in intermediate and

private wards of public hospitals and approved private hospitals have one dollar a day deducted from the cost of treatment.

The money will be granted by the Commonwealth government to the state governments, which will administer the scheme in their own states. Most of it will come from the fund provided by social services taxation.

An act covering the scheme was passed by federal parliament last September, and each state has since ratified the legislation.

The scheme terminates all other hospital contribution plans. In New South Wales, it affects seven zoned hospital associations, and 30 individual hospital schemes.

These associations and schemes are to be liquidated, and any funds they hold, which have not been paid out in benefits to contributors, will revert to the hospitals for which they collected.

The government feels there is no need to continue the individual schemes because the new plan recoups hospitals for any losses suffered on public ward treatment.

The Experts Say - -

SQUASH—Squash is the name applying to various types of edible gourds, including pumpkin and Hubbard, which are well liked and generally used. Vegetable marrow belongs to the squash family but might be called the weak sister since its personality is so often uninteresting. When properly cooked and well seasoned vegetable marrow is sweet, tender and has a mild nutty flavor. One reason why vegetable marrow is unpopular is that when it is matured it develops a stringy, coarse texture, so that it should be used when of small or medium size.

Home economists suggest cooking vegetable marrow with tomatoes and onions as the Europeans do.

Vegetable Marrow Creole requires one medium vegetable marrow, four medium tomatoes (two cups, cut), one medium onion (½ cup sliced), ½ teaspoon salt and ¼ teaspoon paprika.

Peel marrow, cut in one-inch slices and remove seeds. Peel and cut tomatoes in small pieces. Peel and slice onions. Cook the

tomatoes and onion together for five minutes, add marrow and seasonings. Cover and simmer for 35 minutes. This makes six servings.

FRENCH DRESSING—Nothing adds more zest to the salad materials you bring from your "peace garden" than a good French dressing. Here is one of the best:

Mix ½ cup of salad oil, three tablespoons of malt vinegar, one teaspoon each of salt, paprika and Worcestershire sauce, ½ teaspoon of dry mustard, one teaspoon of pepper and a dash of cayenne pepper, in a jar which can be tightly sealed. Then, and here is the big secret, add half a can of undiluted cream of tomato soup. No cooking—you just shake, chill and serve.

SAVING EVERY BIT—Saving every little bit of food is the motto these days. It also applies to everything having to do with food and the following pointers will show the way to greater conservation:

Save fuel by cooking several dishes in the oven at one time.

Save sugar by careful planning and careful cooking.

Save butter by scraping every bit from the wrapper.

Save all fat. Clarify and use for cooking.

Save sour milk. It makes tender cakes and biscuits and delicious cottage cheese.

Save dry bread to make into Melba toast, crumbs for escalloped dishes, puddings.

Save vegetable water for soups, sauces, gravies. Save vinegar from pickles. The spicy flavor adds zest to salad dressings.

Save celery tops and parsley. Dry and use for the soup pot or seasoning.

It is motive alone that gives character to the actions of men.—Bruyere.

HOW CAN I ???

By ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I whiten the hands?

A. The pure juice of a cucumber is a good whiten for the hands. Apply on the hands before retiring, rubbing on a little cold cream at the same time.

Q. How can I wash black materials and prevent the color from becoming dull?

A. When rinsing black materials, add one tablespoonful of purpentine to each gallon of water and it will prevent dullness.

Q. How can I loosen scraps and grease from a frying pan?

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SEES ROOM FOR 150,000 PEOPLE

That there is enough fertile valley land to take care of 150,000 settlers between Fort St. John and Fort Nelson, north of Peace River Bridge, is the opinion of B.C. Minister of Agriculture Hon. Frank Putnam. This viewpoint was formed following a tour of 1000 miles over the Alaska Highway and Peace River district roads recently.

On the new Pine Pass highway, linking up the Cariboo Highway and lower British Columbia with the Peace River country, Mr. Putnam reported good progress being made.

In connection with the Minister of Agriculture's statement on the district's fertility, Fort St. John Board of Trade revealed that 40,000 acres of land was now under cultivation north of the Peace River bridge. This area north of the river produces 65 per cent of all livestock shipments from the B. C. Peace River block.

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