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* PAPAW OR CARICA PAPAYA

The papaw is a native of tropical and subtropical countries but it is widely naturalized or cultivated. A quick growing herbaceous tree up to 20 feet high, with an unbranched trunk near the top of which are clustered the handsome, palmately lobed long-stalked leaves. It is dioecious, that is the male and female flowers are borne on distinct trees, but occasionally a "male" tree produces a fruit. The fruit is produced on the trunk at the base of the leaves of the "female" tree. It is usually melon or gourd-shaped, and measures from 8 to 18 inches long by 4 to 8 inches in diameter. Some particularly good forms produce fruits nearly twice as large as the measurements given above. The fruit is hollow, the cavity being lined with numerous dark seeds, with orange-yellow flesh and is very wholesome. It is eaten like watermelon. It is also prepared as a sweet in various ways. The consumption of this fruit, owing to its wonderful medicinal properties, especially for dyspeptic troubles, is increasing every day.

COLD LUNCHEON

Canape Volaille
Country Club Appetizer

Cranberry Juice Cold Bouillon en Tasse Tomato Juice
Hot Brown Chicken Giblet Soup

Iced Celery Sour Mixed Pickles Assorted Olives
Spring Onions Sweet Gherkins Chow Chow Radishes

Louisiana Shrimps, Mayonnaise
Filet of Halibut, Ravigote Sauce

Breast of Turkey with Yorkshire Ham
Prime Ribs of Beef with Pepper Relish

To Order: Assorted Sandwiches
Corned Rump of Beef and Potato Salad
Assorted Sausages with Sliced Tomatoes
Smoked Ox Tongue with Sliced Beets
Head Cheese and Lamb's Tongue, Vinaigrette

Lettuce and Tomato Salad Celery Cabbage Slaw
Piquante or French Dressing

Fruit Cake Orange Custard Pudding Lime Sherbet
CHILLED CURAB PAW PAW
Apples Bananas
Preserved Filet of Mangoes

American or Cream Cheese and Guava Jelly
Toasted Crackers

Iced Coffee Iced Tea
Potato Salad or Potato Chips Served with all Dishes on Request

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