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DOMESTIC RABBIT MEAT LIKE
CHICKEN, SAYS NEW POSTER

To acquaint the public with the value of domestic rabbit meat and to encourage its consumption, the United States Department of Agriculture has issued a colored poster picturing two dressed rabbits and plates of fried and baked rabbit, and calling attention to the good qualities of this meat.

Domestic rabbit meat, says the Biological Survey, which is carrying on investigations in raising rabbits, tastes more like chicken than like wild rabbit. Few housewives are familiar with its food value and delicious flavor. Domestic rabbits are raised in hutches, where they have only limited exercise and where they can be properly fed. They are cleanly in habits, and their diet, consisting chiefly of oats, barley, and alfalfa hay, makes the meat sweet, tender, and excellently flavored.

Dealers in meat and others who will display the poster in a conspicuous place may obtain a copy free on request to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

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