## IN THE KITCHEN

## Garbage Disposal Buildup

If you have a garbage disposal always let enough cold water run to carry the particles down and into the main line to prevent buildup in the smaller waste lines.

## Kitchen Sink Stopages

The most used drain in the house is the one in your kitchen sink. Sink stoppages are usually caused by liquid fats, emulsified by warm dishwater and carried through the pipes. The water cools as it goes to the main sewer and leaves fatty deposits along the way. Bits of food add to the accumulation until the pipe is blocked. Pour excess grease into a tin can and throw it out with the garbage.

## **Sink Stains**

Do not allow fruit or vegetable juices or cleaning acids to stand on sink surfaces. Teas and coffee grounds will also stain enameled surfaces if allowed to remain very long.

Constant use of abrasive cleaner on a cast iron sink can eventually wear the finish down, making it more susceptible to staining.

