

Lamb Biryani

for 60

7kg boned cubed lamb
3.5kg long-grain rice
200g salt
2½ tablespns saffron
400ml milk
30 medium-sized onions
40 cloves garlic
20cm fresh ginger
350g blanched slivered almonds
600ml water
36 litres water
2lit vegetable oil
850g sultanas
2.225l plain yoghurt
50-60 whole cloves
12g (5 teaspns) whole black peppercorns
12g (5 teaspns) whole cardamom seeds
25g (10 teaspns) whole cumin seeds
25g (10 teaspns) whole coriander seeds
25cm cinnamon
2 nutmegs
6g (2½ teaspns) cayenne pepper
250g unsalted butter
30 hardboiled eggs