



Orange Egg Nog, Spritz

Simple refreshments, attractively served, show hospitality when friends drop in. With cookies in the cookie jar, only a beverage need be prepared.

Orange Egg Nog, a refreshing combination of orange juice, eggs, and nutritious milk goes well with cookies and fruit cake. The egg nog's bright color and zesty flavor combine to make it a perfect snack for any occasion. Not only will it please the taste, but because of the food value of the eggs, milk and fruit, it will act as a pick-up as well.

ORANGE EGG NOG

Quick Cheese Spread For Holiday Snacks

Just as Tabasco adds its subtle zest to seafood, tomato juice, and gravies, so does it perk up on one of our favorite foods, cottage cheese. The addition of just a bit of this liquid pepper seasoning takes cottage cheese out of the bland class and makes it a real he-man food.

This cottage cheese spread is one of the quickest and easiest to prepare for buffets, and it goes well with potato chips, toast rounds or crackers. Mix a big bowl, and decorate the top with cut-out pimiento for the festive night.

Quick Cheese Spread
1 cup (8 ounce package) cottage cheese
¼ teaspoon Tabasco
Pimiento

Mix together cottage cheese and Tabasco; turn into serving dish. Cut Happy New Year letters from pimiento; place on top of cheese. Serve as a spread with potato chips or crackers.
Yield: 1 cup.

Festive Colorings

It is easy to introduce the red and green identified with the holidays in vegetables and salads by simply tossing a handful of diced green pepper and a tablespoon of pimiento slivers into mashed potatoes, in hot potato salad, in macaroni and cheese, in hot cabbage slaw... and other blond foods you'll think of.

1 can frozen concentrated orange juice
1 quart milk
3 tablespoons sugar
Grated orange rind
Combine egg yolks, orange

Cookie Decorations

Colored sugar may be sprinkled over cut-out cookies before baking. To make colored sugar, rub 1 or more drops of coloring into a little granulated sugar. Frosting in various colors may be spread on baked cookies or put on through a decorating tube. To make sugar frosting, add a little milk to confectioners' sugar (2 to 2½ teaspoons of milk for each ¼ cup sugar). Add few grains of salt, few drops vanilla and any coloring desired. Decorate trees and wreaths with "green" coconut.

concentrate and one tablespoon of sugar, mixing well. Beat egg whites until they will hold a soft peak; beat in the remaining 2 tablespoons of sugar gradually. Fold egg whites into yolk mixture. Divide evenly in 4 tall glasses. Fill with milk. Sprinkle top with grated orange rind. Serves 4.

SPRITZ
1 cup soft butter
½ cup sugar
3 egg yolks
1 teaspoon vanilla
2½ cups sifted flour
Mix butter, sugar, egg yolks, and vanilla together thoroughly. Work in flour with hands. Force dough through cookie press onto ungreased cold baking sheet in desired shapes. Bake in moderately hot oven, 400 deg. F., about 8 minutes, or until set but not brown. Makes about 6 dozen cookies.

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