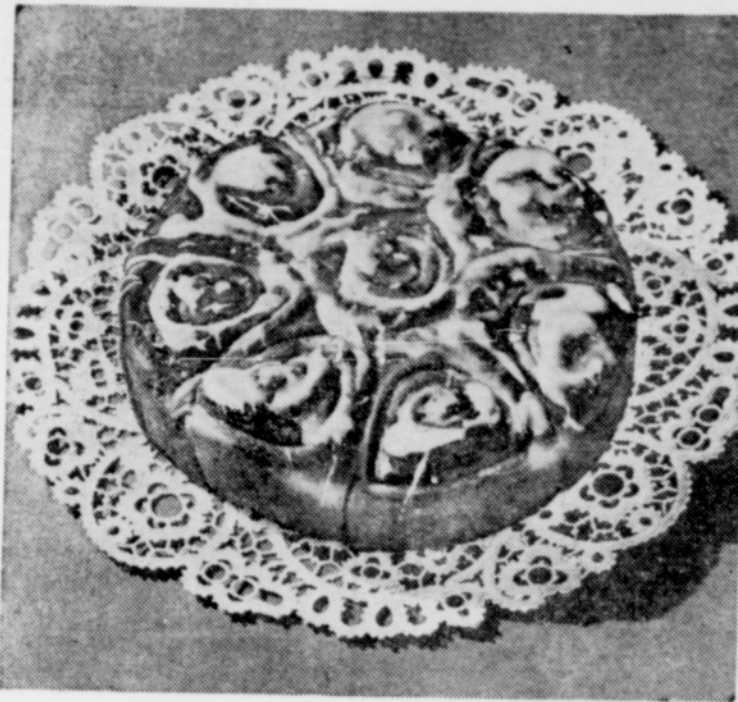


HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



Delight the Family With Coffee Cakes
(See recipes below)

Hot Breads Are Delicious

Whether you serve yeast breads or hot quick breads, they lend themselves graciously to winter menus. The varieties for both are numberless, and you can take your choice of spicy or fruit ones.

Hot breads are hearty foods, but they're welcome at this season both from the point of eating and the comfortable air which fills the kitchen when we make them. They have a staying quality, too, which satisfies winter-sharpened appetites.

We start the parade off with a colorful cranberry coffee ring which can be put together in a wink of time.

Cranberry Coffee Ring. (Serves 12)

- 1½ cups sifted flour
- ½ cup sugar
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 egg
- ½ cup milk
- 3 tablespoons melted shortening
- Cranberry orange topping

Sift flour, sugar, baking powder and salt together. Beat egg, add milk and shortening. Stir into dry ingredients, mixing only enough to moisten them. Spread topping evenly over bottom of greased ring mold. Pour batter over topping. Bake in a moderately hot (425 degree) oven for 25 minutes.

Cranberry orange topping: Mix together 3 tablespoons melted butter with 1 teaspoon grated orange rind, ½ cup sugar and 1½ cups of whole cranberries.

Do you want to do something special for breakfast or for lunch box sandwiches? There's nothing better than this flavorful brown sugar butter-milk bread:

- #### "Butterscotch Bread."
- 2 eggs
 - 2 cups brown sugar
 - 2 tablespoons melted shortening
 - 4 cups flour
 - 1½ teaspoons soda
 - 1 teaspoon baking powder
 - ½ teaspoon salt
 - 2 cups sour or buttermilk
 - 1 cup chopped walnut meats

Beat eggs, add sugar and shortening and beat well together. Sift flour, soda and baking powder together with salt and add to egg mixture, alternately with milk. Blend in nuts. Pour into greased loaf pans and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 45 minutes.

There's nothing so nice for a special breakfast, dinner or luncheon as a sugar-savory cinnamon roll recipe. When it's baked and glistening golden brown, frost it until it looks lacy with a powdered sugar and milk icing if you want it to be especially glamorous.

Cinnamon Rolls. (Makes 3 dozen)

- 1 cup milk
- 2 cakes yeast
- ½ cup extra-sweet, white corn syrup
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 3 tablespoons shortening
- ½ teaspoon nutmeg
- ½ teaspoon lemon or vanilla extract
- 1 egg, beaten
- 4 cups sifted flour

LYNN SAYS:

Use These Handy Tips For Easier Homemaking

White scum on sauerkraut is a yeast growth. It can be controlled by means of proper covering and weights on the kraut to prevent exposure to air.

The clothes moth pays no attention to the calendar, especially in warm homes, and it's a menace to wool, fur and feathers the year around. Air clothes often and have them mothproofed.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Broiled Salmon with Lemon Wedges
- Silvered Carrots and Peas
- Celery Sticks
- *Butterscotch Bread
- Grapefruit Salad
- Lemon Chiffon Pie Beverage
- *Recipe given.

Heat milk to scalding; cool to lukewarm; add yeast and let stand 5 minutes to soften. Cream together the extra-sweet corn syrup, salt, shortening, nutmeg and extract. Add egg and beat thoroughly. Add milk mixture and flour alternately, mixing until smooth after each addition. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Knead lightly on floured surface. Let dough rest 15 minutes. Roll ¼ inch thick, sprinkle with cinnamon sugar and raisins, as desired. Roll as for jelly roll and slice with a sharp knife. Place in greased cake pan. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) about 20 minutes.

If you like coffee cake made in fancy shapes, you'll like the following, which is just as festive and tasty as possible.

Figure Eight Coffee Cake. (Makes 3 cakes)

- 2 packages yeast
- ¼ cup lukewarm water
- 1 cup milk
- ½ cup sugar
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
- ¼ cup melted shortening
- 5 cups sifted flour
- Cinnamon sugar

Soften yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk. Add sugar and salt. Cool to lukewarm. Add 2 cups flour. Mix well. Add softened yeast, eggs and lemon rind. Beat well. Add shortening. Mix well. Add more flour to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead until satiny. Place in greased bowl, cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down. Use one-third of dough to make a coffee cake. Cover remaining two-thirds and place in refrigerator to use for coffee cake or rolls.

Let dough which you have left out rest for 10 to 15 minutes. Roll into a rectangle sheet about 18 inches long and 8 inches wide. Spread with melted butter and sprinkle with cinnamon sugar. Roll up as for jelly roll and seal at the edges. Place on greased baking sheet and shape into a figure eight, then seal ends at intersection. With scissors, cut slanted gashes in top of roll 2 to 4 inches apart. Fold back points of cuts to show cinnamon layers. Let rise until doubled in bulk.

Bake coffee cake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 25 to 30 minutes. Frost with confectioners' sugar icing after baking and cooling slightly, if desired.

Any type of fruit filling may be used with the above coffee cake: Raisins, either alone or with chopped apples, prunes, figs, nuts, apricots, peaches and pears, or diced, candied fruit.

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The keynote of lighting is "light in the eyes is glare; light on what you're looking at is good illumination."

A pound of cheddar or American cheese which is made from whole milk contains the protein and fat of about 1 gallon of milk.

The average kitchen needs five knives: One small paring knife, two slightly larger knives for paring, slicing and dressing poultry, a knife for cutting breads and cakes, and a knife for the bigger cutting jobs like carving

Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

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By VIRGINIA VALE

IT TOOK just three short seasons for Jimmy Carroll to come up from the ranks of radio to being featured tenor on the CBS "Family Hour," starring Rise Stevens. Jimmy was buying women's sportswear in 1939, but he'd always sung and wanted to do nothing else. Also, he'd just been married, an added incentive to do something big. He landed in the Ben Yost chorus, then on the Star Theater, and on a few hours' notice



JIMMY CARROLL

substituted for James Melton, later for Morton Downey, Frank Parker and Dick Brown. He got his own program, "Jimmy Carroll Sings," that did guest appearances, sang on the "Pot o' Gold"—first thing you know, he'll have a big program all his own.

Ida Lupino, currently starring in Warner Bros.' "Deep Valley," has her studio bosses sort of worried. She's talking about sailing her 42-foot yawl to Hawaii when the picture's finished—and she has a habit of doing what she says she's going to do!

While Ray Milland was in London for that Royal Command Film Festival he turned columnist; did four articles on his impressions of the city, where he was a member of the Royal Horse Guards before he came to America and headed for Hollywood.

When Bob Hope finishes "Road to Rio" (which he's doing with Bing and Dorothy Lamour, of course) he's booked for "Pale Face." A travesty of the usual Old West pictures, it'll show that in those days life wasn't all hardships and pioneering.

When you see "Saigon" you'll see Alan Ladd playing sit-down scenes that weren't in the original script. During a tense moment shared by Veronica Lake he hit his leg against the sharp corner of a table and chipped his knee bone—couldn't walk, after that, without grimacing with pain. And this tale of adventure and romance didn't call for Ladd to make faces, so he acts sitting down.

Millions of people hear her sing every Tuesday night over NBC, on the Bob Hope show, but only a few friends know that Pauline Byrnes is the "Miriam-Irium" girl of the show's singing commercials. She's pretty, blue-eyed, dark-haired, hails from Yakima, Wash.

Lurene Tuttle, who's appeared on the air opposite nearly every top male movie star, makes her film debut in "Heaven Only Knows," which stars Robert Cummings and Brian Donlevy. She's done more than 3,000 broadcasts since coming to Hollywood in 1937.

A new series of six short subjects in the popular "Joe McDoakes" comedy series has been scheduled at Warners', with George O'Hanlon, who starred in the initial series, continuing as comedy lead. "So You Want to Be a Salesman" will be the first one.

Kenny Baker, who can out-do Bing Crosby when it comes to loud sports shirts, wore an especially gaudy one to a recent broadcast of the "Kenny Show." He thought he really had something, till a man in the audience challenged him to take off his coat. Proudly Kenny obeyed—whereupon the man removed his coat, and displayed a shirt that was a duplicate of the one on Kenny.

Jane Greer spent six years studying dress design at the National Arts School in Washington, D. C.—so now she's playing one of the featured supporting roles in "Sindbad the Sailor," starring Douglas Fairbanks Jr., Maureen O'Hara and Walter Slezak.

ODDS AND ENDS—Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Rogers, who won \$5,790 on "Break the Bank," almost didn't go to the broadcast; he said he was too tired to go, but Mrs. Rogers talked him into it. . . . The Walter O'Keefe "Little Show," set for CBS, will ban studio audiences and give the time taken up by applause to added entertainment. . . . Radio actress Lurene Tuttle, frequently heard on "Suspense" and "Hollywood Players," is getting a big build-up from her film studio for her first screen appearance, in "Heaven Only Knows." . . . The new "March of Time" is "Nobody's Children"; it deals with the adoption situation

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