

COOKIES ANDIES & CHRISTMAS

LIKE Santa's pack, your stock of holiday goodies should be plentiful and interesting. Since callers will be as much present as holly and gifts during the holidays, do your baking of cakes and cookies, so your cupboard will be ready for any who might drop in.

Home-made delicacies served during Christmas and New Year's are as heart-warming as the sound of the yule log crackling on the hearth. If you have a fruit cake, a variety of cookies and perhaps a few candies, and if you serve these with a festive beverage, you will have gone a long way in spelling holiday cheer to those who come to say "Merry Christmas" at your home.

Here is a simple type fruit cake which does not need the aging that a traditional cake requires. The recipe makes two 9x4x3 inch loaves and is the perfect answer as to what should be served during the holidays:

Raisin Fruit Cake (Makes 2 loaves)

- 4 cups seeded raisins
- 2 tablespoons grated lemon rind
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon
- 1 tablespoon allspice
- 2 1/4 cups liquid
- 2 1/2 cups chopped nutmeats
- 4 cups sifted cake flour
- 5 teaspoons double acting baking powder
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 1/2 cups sugar
- 1/2 cup butter or shortening
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 2 teaspoons vanilla

Combine raisins, lemon rind, spices and water in a saucepan. Cover and simmer gently for eight minutes. Drain, pressing out as much liquid as possible. Measure liquid and add water or coffee to make one and one-half cups, and reserve. Grind raisins with nutmeats.

Sift flour once, measure and add baking powder, salt and sugar; sift three times. Cream butter thoroughly, and add flour mixture, eggs, vanilla and reserved liquid. Stir until all flour is dampened. Beat vigorously for two minutes. Add raisin-nut mixture and mix thoroughly. Turn into two 9x4x3 inch loaf pans which have been greased, lined with brown paper and then greased again. Bake in a moderate (350°) oven for one hour and 15

minutes, or until done. Let stand five minutes on cake rack, then remove from pan, leaving paper attached until ready to serve. Cool. Wrap in a clean cloth and store in tin container to keep moist.

*The liquid may be water or left over coffee.
Kris Kringle cookies are a tasty concoction of dates and nuts. If stored in a tightly covered container, they will keep moist for several days:

Kris Kringle Cookies (Makes 30 balls)

- 1 cup butter cookie crumbs
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour
- 1 egg finely chopped, pitted dates

1 cup black walnuts, chopped
1/2 cup sugar
2 eggs, beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/4 cup confectioners' sugar
Combine cookie crumbs, salt, baking powder and flour. Add dates and nuts. Add sugar gradually to



RAISIN FRUIT CAKE
for a spicy holiday

beaten eggs. Blend in cookie crumb mixture and vanilla. Bake in a greased and floured nine-inch square pan and bake in a slow (325°) oven for 30 minutes. While still warm, cut into 30 squares. Roll each square into a ball, turning the top, crusty portion inwards, as you roll. Place confectioners' sugar in a bag. Shake the balls in the sugar to coat evenly.



- Jane Parker
1 1/2-lb. Cake \$1.25 3-lb. Cake \$2.45
- 5-Lb. Cake \$3.85
- Homestyle Sandwich
- Marvel Bread 1 1/2-lb. Loaf 18c
- Marvel Dinner
- Rolls 1/2 Doz. 10c
- Jane Parker Angel Food Bar Ea. 49c
- Jane Parker Plain Pound Cake 2-lb. Cake 49c
- Jane Parker Sugared Donuts 1-Doz. Pkg. 19c
- Jane Parker Merry Christmas Layer Cake 8" Layer 75c

ANN PAGE FOODS A&P'S FINEST

- Ann Page Stuffed Olives 2-oz. Bot. 23c
- Ann Page Salad Dressing Qt. Jar 39c
- Ann Page Grape Jam 2-lb. Jar 45c
- Ann Page Vanilla Extract 1-oz. Bot. 17c
- Ann Page Tomato Soup 2 16 1/2-oz. Cans 19c
- Ann Page Nutmeat 2-oz. Pkg. 19c
- Ann Page Peanut Butter 16-oz. Jar 35c
- Ann Page Gelatin Desserts Sparkle 3 Pkgs. 20c
- Ann Page with Pork & Tom Sauce Beans 2 16-oz. Can 19c

**A & P STORES WILL BE
CLOSED ALL DAY
MONDAY, DEC. 26th**

- One Pound Dixie Crystal Powdered Sugar 11c
- One Pound Dixie Crystal Brown Sugar 11c
- 2 lb. Box Old Fashioned STICK CANDY
- All Flavors 49c
- ALL 5c CANDY
- Box 24-count 96c
- Meador's Chocolate Covered BRAZIL NUTS 99c lb. box
- Worthmore Chocolate Covered PEANUTS 47c lb. box
- No. 2 Can Crushed Pineapple 27c
- Campfire Marshmallows—lb box 27c
- Candy Filled Plastic SANTAS HORNS LANTERNS 23c
- Ann Page STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 16 oz. Jar 41c
- Ann Page Chocolate or Vanilla SPARKLE PUDDING Pkg. 5c

- London Layer Raisins - - - - - Lb. 17c
- A & P Mincemeat - - - - - 9-Oz. Pkg. 15c
- Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce 16-oz. Can 15c
- lona Sliced or Halves Peaches - - - - - No. 2 1/2 Can 25c
- Niblets Brand Corn - - - - - 12-oz. Can 16c
- A & P Green & White Asparagus - - - - - No. 2 Can 40c
- A & P Fancy Tiny Peas - - - - - No. 2 Can 27c
- Campbell's Tomato Soup 2 10 1/2-oz. Cans 21c
- A & P Apple Sauce 2 No. 2 Cans 23c
- Golden Maid Colored Margarine - - - - - 1-lb. Pkg. 29c
- Crisco or Snowdrift 3-lb. Can 79c
- Rajah Shredded Coconut - - - - - 8-oz. Pkg. 27c
- White House Evap. Milk - - - - - 3 Tall Cans 33c



- Pound Rome Beauty APPLES 5 lb. box 43c
- Western Delicious APPLES 4 lbs. 43c
- TOMATOES 15c
- Large Stalk CELERY 12c
- Red Emperor GRAPES—2 lbs. 23c
- Fresh Florida Grapefruit—4 for 29c
- Pound Cello bag CRANBERRIES 19c
- ORANGES 8 lb bag 35c
- 1-4 box bag 83c
- Tangerines 2 lbs. 13c
- Winesap APPLES U. S. No. 1—Bushel \$3.75

- Christmas Candies
- Meador's Christmas Mix 1-lb. Pkg. 25c
- Ebb's Jumbo Sticks 10-oz. 20c
- Worthmore Thin Mints 1-lb. Pkg. 37c
- Worthmore Cream Drops 1-lb. Pkg. 27c
- Worthmore Chic. Covered Cherries 1-lb. Pkg. 45c
- Worthmore Liberty Creams 1-lb. Box 29c
- Worthmore Assorted Chocolates Christmas Wrapped 1-lb. Box 59c 3-lb. Box \$1.15 5 Lb. Box \$2.85

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- Brazil 1-lb. Pkg. 29c
 - Walnuts 1-lb. Pkg. 39c
 - Pecans 1-lb. Pkg. 37c
 - Mixed 1-lb. Pkg. 35c
 - 80-Count Maxwell NAPKINS 11c
 - Mild & Mellow Cheese 1-lb. 43c
 - Kraft Philadelphia Cream Chees 3-oz. Pkg. 16c
 - Worthmore's Vers Sharp 5-oz. Pkg. 28c
 - Kraft Cheese Food Products Velveta 1/2-lb. Pkg. 28c
 - Planters' Cocktail Peanuts 3-lb. Can 30c
 - Pick O'Carolina Sweet MIXED PICKLES 16-oz. Bot. 17c

- Really Fresh A & P COFFEE
- Mild & Mellow 8 O'CLOCK 1-lb. Bag 59c 3-lb. Bag \$1.71
- Rich & Full Bodied Red Circle 1-lb. Bag 63c
- Vigorous & Wiry BOKAR 1-lb. Bag 65c 3-lb. Bag \$1.89
- NECTAR TEA 1/4-lb. Pkg. 27c
- A&P Seedless RAISINS 15-oz. Pkg. 15c

- Sunnybrook Grade A Large EGGS 1 Dozen Carton 49c
- Fresh COCOANUTS 7c lb.
- Italian CHESTNUTS 15c lb.
- Firm Head White CABBAGE 2 lbs. 9c



Just repeating
MERRY CHRISTMAS - 1949

Gay spirits are more commonplace during the Yule season than at any other time of the year. We hope you're fitting in.



May you prosper in the wealth with which Christmas abounds ...
Peace, love of life, kindness and the brotherhood of all people.

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