Pumpkin Cookies

1/2 c. shortening

1 1/4 c. brown sugar

2 eggs

1 c. pumpkin

2 c. flour

2 tsp. baking powder

1 tsp. salt

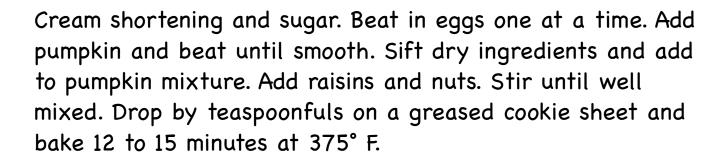
1/2 tsp. ginger

1 tsp. nutmeg

1 tsp. cinnamon

1 c. raisins

1 c. chopped nuts (optional)



Pumpkin Muffins

1 1/2 c. flour

1/2 tsp. salt

1/2 tsp. cinnamon

1/2 c. milk

2 tsp. baking powder

1/3 c. brown sugar

1/4 c. butter (melted)

1/2 c. pumpkin



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Sift flour, baking powder and seasonings and add sugar. Combine remaining ingredients and pour into dry mixture. Stir quickly until just combined and still slightly lumpy. Fill well-greased muffin tins 2/3 full.

Bake at 400° F. until browned (about 20 to 25 minutes).

Makes about 1 dozen muffins.

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