

# The Greater Omaha Guide's HOME-MAKER'S CORNER

## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Good to Bake—That's Devil's Food Cake (See Recipe Below)

### Cake Tempters

Family hungry for cake? As a general rule, families take it easy on cakes during the spring and summer because there's a wealth of fruits and berries to solve the dessert problem. But, comes the first whiff of fall in the air, when the kitchen will stay cool even for baking, and there's the family on mother's heels begging for a cake.

Then, too, husbands and sons will soon be returning, and they will want a big taste of mother's good homemade cake. Be ready for the call when it comes, homemakers, with a brand new line-up of recipes that are bound to win the family.

We're still aware of the strategic situation in regard to sugar, so the following recipes don't go all-out for sugar. They're taste-tempting and delicious in spite of it all, and there's a grand variety from which to choose. Take your pick:

#### \*Bran Devil's Food Cake.

- (Makes 16 cupcakes.)
1 1/2 cups sifted cake flour
1 1/2 cups sugar
1/2 cup cocoa
2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon soda
3/4 cup shortening
1/2 cup whole bran
1 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs

Sift flour once, measure then sift again with sugar, cocoa, baking powder, soda and salt into mixing bowl. Add shortening and whole bran. Add about 3/4 of the milk, then vanilla; beat until perfectly smooth, about 100 strokes. Scrape bowl and spoon and mix well. Add remaining milk and beat until well blended. Add the well-beaten eggs. Fill greased muffin tins 3/4 full. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven about 25 or 30 minutes.

Do you like a cake served warm, in squares, with the tangy flavor of a citrus marmalade? This, then, is made-to-order:

#### \*Marmalade Tea Cake.

- 2 tablespoons melted butter or substitute
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 1/2 cups corn flakes
1 1/2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
2 tablespoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup marmalade

Blend together butter, brown sugar and 1/2 cup corn flakes. Set this aside for the topping. Sift together flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Cut in shortening. Beat egg and add milk. Add to dry ingredients, stirring only until combined. Add remaining 1 cup of cornflakes. Turn into greased 8-inch square pan. Dot

### Lynn Chambers' Menus

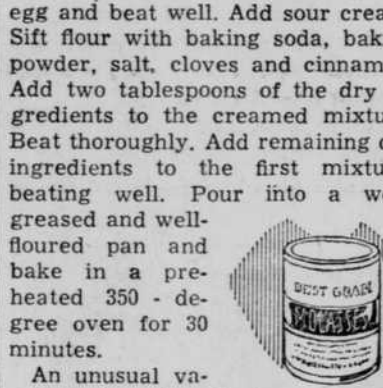
- Stuffed Veal Shoulder
Browned Onions Carrots
Potatoes
Cranberry-Orange Salad
Biscuits
Bran Devil's Food Cake Beverage
\*Recipe given.

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Whipped Cream.
1 1/2 teaspoons plain, unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup cold milk or water
1 cup well-chilled light cream

Soften gelatin in cold liquid. Set over hot water and stir until thoroughly dissolved. Pour cream into fairly deep, narrow bowl, making sure it is deep enough so cream covers at least 3/4 of the beaters. Stir in softened gelatin gradually. Set bowl in a pan of ice and let stand 5 minutes, stirring around edges several times. Leaving bowl in ice and water, beat with rotary beater 5 minutes. Cream will be light and fluffy but will not stand stiff enough to peak. Let stand 1 or 2 minutes more in ice water, stirring gently. Cream will thicken and become stiff enough to peak. This may be served immediately or kept in refrigerator or cold place until ready to serve. Texture improves on standing in refrigerator for 1/2 hour. Stir until smooth and serve.

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### POSTWAR SEGREGATION NEGRO AVIATION TRAINING AT TUSKEGEE DENOUNCED

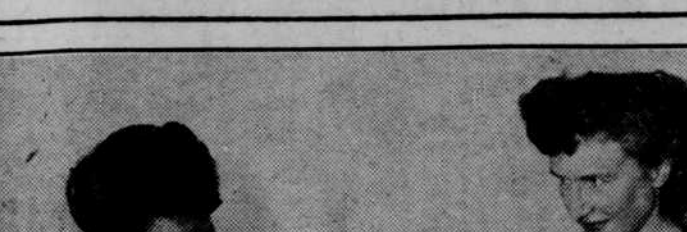
(Continued from page 1) ACP that Dr. Frederick D. Patterson, the President of Tuskegee Institute, was urging the establishment of a segregated unit at Tuskegee, the NAACP telegraphed Dr. Patterson that "We are informed that you have approached the War Department with a proposal that the Negro Units in the Army Air Force all be assigned to the Tuskegee Army Air Field in a segregated post-war composite group consisting of fighters and bombers and that you have urged approval of this program by the Army Air Force. We are also advised that white fighter units and white bomber units are assigned to different commands and stationed at different fields and that your proposal constitutes a variance from Army practice applicable to Negro fighters only."

Dr. Patterson telegraphed the NAACP on September 25th, "I have suggested to War Department that Negro fighter units now segregated wherever they are located be based at the Tuskegee Army Flying Field in terms of their peacetime strength and until such times as the army develops a policy which will discontinue these squadrons as Negro units with integration with other flying personnel. These squadrons, if based at the Tuskegee Army Flying Field would be units of the South-eastern Flying Command as would white units based in this area. I leave quote this statement in full if it is used or referred to Thank". The NAACP expressed disagreement with Dr. Patterson's proposal that segregation be continued or given an encouragement should be that any segregation until such time as the War Department of its own volition decides to abolish segregation.

### NEGRO REPRESENTATION ON COURTS MARTIAL REVIEW BOARDS URGED

New York—Promptly upon announcement by Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson that War Department Clemency Boards have started a review of individual cases of 35,500 military prisoners now serving General Court Martial sentences, the NAACP urged the appointment of qualified Negroes, both from the Army and from civilian life, to these Clemency boards. The request was addressed to United States Circuit Judge Sherman Minton, Chairman of the War Department Clemency Board, under whose direction the Special Clemency Boards, each consisting of a civilian and two Army officers, will serve. Walter White NAACP Secretary, informed Judge Minton that "on recent tours to battlefronts in both the European and Pacific theatres of war, I received many reports of court martial proceedings

### DESTINATION—OVERSEAS



PLAINE F. SCOTT of the USO headquarters staff shows Mrs. Maurice T. Moore, chairman of the USO National Council, how she sends candy overseas. Hard candies in metal containers is her advice. Happily, Miss Scott, who has been with the USO for more than four years, will not have to send her most important Christmas gifts overseas this year. Her soldier fiance, Sgt. Richard L. Brock, has just returned from the European Theatre of Operations, where he served in the 827th Tank Destroyer Battalion, and the wedding day has been set.

Miss Scott has been a Unit Supervisor in the USO Department of Field Operations, in the Empire State Headquarters in New York City. She is now assigned to the Accounting Department. In demonstrating the types of gifts suitable for service men and service women overseas, and the proper measurements and weight of the box, Mrs. Moore reminds the "folks back home" that mailing dates for overseas are September 15 to October 15. Containers should be durable, measuring not more than 36 inches in length and girth combined, and 15 inches in width. Weight must not exceed 5 pounds. Packages must be tied securely and addressed accurately, with the sender's name in the upper left hand corner. "Be sure to mark your package 'Christmas gift'" is Mrs. Moore's final reminder.

against Negro soldiers which appeared to be unjust. The Legal Department of the NAACP has reviewed the records of many court martial cases within the United States and from overseas and in many instances of unfairness of trial and sentence. The NAACP announced that, whether its request for representation is granted or not, its National Office and Veterans Bureau will to the limit of their ability attempt to present the facts in cases where Negroes have been treated unjustly, particularly where such facts during war time could not be effectively or completely presented. The NAACP invites veterans or relatives of veterans who feel that injustice has

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### Your BABY

By Lillian B. Storms
Twenty or thirty years ago babies were restricted to a milk, i.e. a liquid diet, until they were about a year old, sometimes longer. They became so accustomed to drinking all of their food that it was difficult to teach them to eat foods of a more solid consistency. Milk is an important food, in fact is the mainstay of the diet for babies and growing children. During the first few weeks milk, orange juice and some form of vitamin D (cod liver oil or viosterol) supply all of the needs, but other foods are necessary by the time the baby is four or five months old. Special baby cereals, precooked and ready to serve merely by addition of milk, supply vitamins particularly, also some additional protein and some minerals. These cereals are fortified to supplement the food values of milk. Vegetables supply vitamins particularly, as do fruits. That is why strained baby foods are given before the end of the first half year. Evidences of vitamin and mineral deficiencies are no longer common, as they once were.

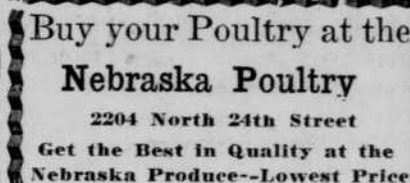
The other important reason these especially prepared baby foods are started during the first three to four months is to teach babies to eat a variety of foods, of different texture, consistency and flavor, so that they will not become addicted to milk and the so-called liquid habit. If your child prefers to drink milk and does not seem to want to eat other foods, give him the others first while he is hungry, and withhold the milk until the end of the meal.

done in courts martial to communicate promptly with the NAACP at 69 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York. It is urged that only bona fide cases accompanied by carefully checked factual material accompany requests for intervention by the NAACP.

### CIVILIAN BILLY CONN FIGHTS NOVEMBER 17TH

Camp Lee, Va., (CNS) Back in multi, Billy Conn, heavyweight title contender from Pittsburgh is looking to resume his career in boxing. Billy's first bout is scheduled in Kansas City November 7th on a card headed by Ray Robinson. Weighing 190 pounds, 16 more than when he first waltzed for Joe Louis Billy claims he's in top form.

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