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MAKING MIXTURES LIGHT



NY FOOD that is made from flour and baked, steamed or fried, is more palatable and more digestible when light and porous. This lightness is produced in three ways: by

fermentation, as with yeast in the making of bread and rolls, by using eggs and beating the mixture to enclose air in it as in popovers, sponge cake, cream cakes, and some pound cake, and by chemical action as with bicarbonate of soda combined with other agents. The last means, in which we are most interested, is the simplest as it does away with the time required for the yeast plants to grow and with the beating which is apt to be tiresome. It is less expensive, too, than the use of eggs, as the price of eggs is much greater than the cost of soda. Bicarbonate of soda is used because it contains carbon dioxide gas or carbonic acid gas, as it is sometimes called, which is set free when soda is combined with an acid in solution, and heat is applied. These acids are contained in foods like sour milk, molasses, and fruits. or are furnished by chemicals like cream of tartar.

Some of these acids act quickly and while the mixture is cold, and some act very slowly until the mixture is heated and begins to cook. When the gas is set free, in its effort to escape, it pushes up the mixture and continuous heat is necessary to cook the flour in the walls of each little hole and keep the mixture light.

Cow Brand Soda is a standard brand of pure soda. It has been on the market for over 85 years, and is the standard for soda excellence. Its reputation is too valuable to risk; you may use with perfect confidence the soda that comes to you sealed in packages bearing the Cow Brand trademark. It contains uniformly over 52 per cent of carbonic acid gas and over 99 per cent of pure bicarbonate of soda. It is carefully tested before leaving the factory and is not shipped unless up to this standard.

During the process of manufacture, when placing the soda into the small packages sold by grocers, Cow Brand Baking Soda or Bicarbonate of Soda is not touched by human hands and, therefore, reaches the consumer in an extremely pure and clean condition. This cleanliness in the handling and carefulness in the wrapping bring to you a wholesome, powerful raising agent.

ALWAYS SIFT Cow Brand Soda through a fine sifter before measuring to prevent the possibility of a tiny lump getting into the mixture and making a yellow spot because it has not combined with the acid present.

"All Measurements Must Be Accurate" "All Measurements Must Be Level."

HOW TO ADD COW BRAND SODA

Sift Cow Brand Soda through a fine sifter, measure accurately, and combine with the flour and sift again, or soda may be dissolved in a small amount of lukewarm water, two teaspoons water to one teaspoon Cow Brand Soda, before being added to the mixture. Never use boiling water to dissolve Cow Brand Soda as it will cause some of the gas to escape. For this reason, it is not desirable to dissolve soda in sour milk or molasses as much of the carbon dioxide gas will be lost before the mixture is cooked.

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BAKING POWDER NOT NEEDED

When you have sour milk or buttermilk it may supply all of the acid required with Cow Brand Soda to make mixtures light. The milk also provides the liquid necessary to wet the mixture.

When sour cream is available it may be used with Cow Brand Soda in any mixture instead of milk and fat. The sour cream then provides the acid for setting free the gas in the Cow Brand Soda, the liquid for wetting the mixture and the shortening for making it tender.

TO MEASURE WITH SPOONS Dry Ingredients

Teaspoons and tablespoons of standard size, or standard measuring spoons must be used. Soup spoons, dessert spoons, and cooking spoons should never be used for measuring ingredients. To measure a teaspoon or tablespoon of *Cow Brand* Soda or other dry ingredient, take up lightly a heaping spoonful and level it off with a straightedged knife. For one-half a spoonful divide the level spoonful in halves lengthwise with a knife. For one-fourth of a spoonful, divide crosswise of

the half. For one-eighth of a spoonful, divide the quarter spoonful diagonally. For one-third or two-thirds of a spoonful, make two cuts crosswise of the level spoonful. Less than one-eighth of a teaspoonful is called "a few grains." Use your good judgment when measuring a few grains of Cow Brand, etc.

BUTTER AND SHORTENING

To measure butter or other solid shortening pack it into the spoon, level it off with a knife and divide as suggested above for halves, quarters, and thirds. When melted butter or other fat is called for it may be measured before or after it is melted. The measurement is the same.

LIQUIDS

A teaspoon or a tablespoon of liquid is all that the spoon will hold. To learn to gage one-half of a spoon of liquid, if you have no measuring spoons, measure one spoonful and pour part of it into another spoon of the same size. When the same amount is in each spoon, each will measure onehalf spoonful. To get one-fourth teaspoon, pour part of half a spoonful into a clean spoon. When

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each spoon holds the same amount, each will be one-fourth spoonful. Three teaspoons make one tablespoon. Having learned how one-half a spoonful and one-fourth a spoonful looks in the spoon you will always recognize the measurements.

A cup of liquid is all the cup will hold. For less than a cup, measure up to the proper line. For four cups, a quart measure may be used.

TO MEASURE WITH CUPS

Standard measuring cups of tin, aluminum, agate or glass, holding one-half pint, and divided in thirds and quarters, should be in every kitchen. Flour, confectioners' sugar and any dry material that tends to become lumpy after standing should be sifted before being measured.

DRY INGREDIENTS

To measure a cupful of dry ingredients, fill the standard measuring cup, putting the sifted ingredient in lightly with a spoon. Level off the top with a knife to make a cupful or level up to the required mark on the cup, using a tablespoon to get less than a cupful. If bread flour must be used in a recipe calling for pastry flour, use two tablespoons less for each cup called for.

BUTTER OR OTHER FAT

To measure butter or other fat, pack it solidly into the cup up to the line required. It is easier to measure four level tablespoons of butter or other shortening than to measure one-fourth cup and results should be the same. One-eighth of a cup is the same as two tablespoons. One-half pound print butter may be used where one cup is called for.

SODA AND ACIDS

Buttermilk, if sour, may be used in any recipe instead of sour milk.

The acid found in molasses will set free the gas present in *Cow Brand* Soda, as illustrated in the making of gingerbread, brown bread, and molasses cookies.

The acid found in lemon juice and vinegar will set free the gas present in *Cow Brand* Soda and is used in some cakes.

The acid found in apple-sauce or cranberrysauce will set free the gas present in Cow Brand Soda.

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PROPORTIONS .

Tise

½ teaspoon Cow Brand Soda to 1 cup sour milk.

Use

teaspoon Cow Brand Soda to 1 cup buttermilk.

Use

1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda to 1 cup molasses.

Use

teaspoon Cow Brand Soda to tablespoon lemon juice or vinegar.

Use

1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda to 1 cup unsweetened apple-sauce

TIME AND TEMPERATURE

It will not be long before thermometers will be generally used as kitchen appliances. Until then we must show how we may know a food is cooked, instead of stating the exact number of minutes required. It is better in most cases to subject foods to a moderate heat for a long time, than to intense heat for a shorter period. The shape and size of the article to be cooked and the variety and age of fruit or vegetables must be considered.

When sour cream is available it may be used with Cow Brand Soda in any mixture instead of milk and fat. The sour cream then provides the acid for setting free the gas in the Cow Brand Soda, the liquid for wetting the mixture and the shortening for making it tender.

USE OF HONEY IN COOKING

Strained honey may be used in some mixtures in place of sugar or molasses. Honey has the peculiar characteristic of keeping cake fresh and moist. Little shortening is required, due to the acid present in honey. Because of this acid, a small amount of Cow Brand Soda may be used in the dough. No sour milk or baking powder is necessary when honey and Cow Brand Soda are used together, and very little soda is required. Honey dough may be kept for some time before it is baked. A delicious cake or conky may be made ready for the oven in a few minutes, even if

you have no eggs, milk, sugar or baking powder in the house.

RULES FOR BAKING

During the cooking of a mixture containing Cow Brand Soda, the gas in its efforts to escape, pushes up the mixture, making it full of bubbles. When it is sufficiently cooked, it retains this shape and gives us the biscuits and cakes with which we are familiar. It is necessary to put mixtures containing Cow Brand Soda into a hot oven in order to cook the mixture before the gas can escape. If it is possible to control the heat of the oven, the following rules for time and temperature will be found valuable:

Biscuits	.400	F. 1	to	500	F.
Cookies	.375	F.	to	400	F.
Cup Cakes	.300	F.	to	400	F.
Gingerbread					
Layer Cake	.300	F. 1	to	400	F.
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(Begin low, raise gradually)

 (Begin low, raise temperature very gradually, at first, then more rapidly)

Sponge Cake		300 F. to 400 F.
Muffins	4	400 F. to 450 F.
Puddings		350 F. to 400 F.

Oven thermometers that register up to 600 degrees F. may be purchased for use with coal, wood, gas, electric, and oil stove ovens that have no thermometer or heat regulator. These can be placed on the grate of the oven where the baking is to be done and will be found a great help in securing uniform results. With a gas oven and no regulator the following rules may be followed:

For quick oven-Turn on 2 burners.

For moderate oven-Turn on 2 burners half way.

For slow oven—Turn on 1 burner half way. Leave oven open 2 or 3 minutes before baking.

Cake—Light both burners for 10 minutes. Put cake in oven, shut off both burners for 10 minutes, then light front burner and reduce as may be found necessary.

Biscuit—Light both burners for 7 minutes before using oven. Bread in loaf—Light both burners for 5 minutes. Put bread in oven on lower shelf. After 10 minutes turn off back burner and turn front burner down ¼, leaving it ¾ on. Gradually turn down light until it is only ¾ on. Turn light entirely off 3 minutes before bread is done. Bake small loaf of bread 40 minutes. Bake large loaf of bread 60 minutes.



Buy half-dozen packages at a time.

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TIME TABLE FOR THE COOK*

		BOIL	ING	
MEATS		TIME	VEGETABLES	TIME
Chicken, Fowl, Corned Beef, Ham, Mutton, Pot Roast Beef, Turkey.	per lb	15 min. 20-30 min. 30 min. 18-20 min. 15 min. 30-35 min. 15 min.	Asparagus Bects Brussels Sprouts Cabbage Cauliflower Green Corn Lima Beans	20-30 min. 30-90 min. 10-15 min. 20 min. 20 min. 10-20 min. 30-40 min.
FISH	1	TIME	Onions Parsnips	30-40 min. 30-40 min.
Bass, Blue, Cod, Haddock, Halibut,	per lb	10 min. 10 min. 6 min. 6 min. 15 min.	Peas Potatoes Spinach String Beans Turnips	15-20 min. 20-30 min. 15-20 min. 20-30 min. 30-60 min.
Lobster, Salmon, Small Fish,	44	30-40 min. 10-15 min. 6 min.	Macaroni Rice	20 min. 15-20 min.

		BAKI	NG†	
MEATS	3	TIME	MEATS	TIME
Beef, ribs, rare	per lb	10 min.	Mutton, saddle, rare per	
Beef, ribs, well don	10 14	12 min.	Pork, well done per lb	20 min. 18-20 min.
Beef, round	44	12-15 min.	Venison, rare	10 min.
Chicken,	66	15 min.	Birds, small, hot oven Braised Meats	20 min. 3-4 hrs.
Goose	- 14	18 min.	Ducks, Tame	45 min.
Lamb, well done	11	15 min.	Ducks, Wild, hot oven	15 min.
Mutton, leg, rare	60	10 min.	Fillet, hot oven Grouse	30 min. 20-25 min.
Mutton, leg, well			Partridge	35-40 min.
done	44	15 min.	Turkey, 8 lb	13/4 hrs.
Mutton, loin, rare	44	8 min.	Turkey, very large FISH	3 hrs.
Mutton, shoulder,			Large Fish	1 hour
stuffed	44	15 min.	Small Fish	20-30 min.
to heat through.	of an	hour to your	baking time to give the	roast time

	TIME			TI	ME
Steak, I inch thick	8-10 min.	Grouse		15	min.
Steak, 11/2 inches thick	15 min.	Quail			min.
Mutton Chops, French	8 min.	Fish, large		15-25	
Mutton Chops, English	10 min.	Fish, small			min.
Spring Chicken	20 min.	Squabs		10-15	
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since gathering, and upon the tender or vegetances and the Angui of time since gathering, and upon the tenderses or otherwise of meat, that it is hard to give exact figures for their cooking-times. Just here a little experience is worth a book of rules.

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KITCHEN WEIGHTS AND MEASURE-MENTS

4 gills equal 1 pint 2 pints equal 1 quart

4 quarts equal 1 gallon

16 ounces equal 1 pound

½ measuring cup equals 1 gill

1 measuring cup equals 1/2 pint

4 measuring cups equals 1 quart

2 tablespoons equal \frac{1}{8} cup

4 tablespoons equal 4 cup

5½ tablespoons equal ½ cup

8 tablespoons equal $\frac{1}{2}$ cup $10\frac{2}{3}$ tablespoons equal $\frac{2}{3}$ cup

12 tablespoons equal 3 cup

16 tablespoons equal 1 cup

2 tablespoons sugar weigh 1 ounce

2 tablespoons butter weigh 1 ounce
Butter size of an egg should measure 4 tablespoons

2 cups butter weigh 1 pound

2 cups granulated sugar weigh 1 pound

 $2\frac{2}{3}$ cups powdered sugar weigh 1 pound

 $2\frac{2}{3}$ cups brown sugar weigh 1 pound

3½ cups confectioners' sugar weigh 1 pound

4 cups pastry flour weigh 1 pound

BISCUIT WITH SOUR MILK

Sift together twice

2 cups bread flour ½ teaspoon Cow Brand Soda and

Soda and 1 teaspoon salt. With tips of fingers rub in 2 tablespoons shortening. Add

3/4 cup sour milk slowly, stirring with a knife.

It may take a trifle less or a little more milk. The dough should be as soft as can be handled without sticking. Turn out on a floured cloth or board. Pat lightly with a rolling pin, roll out one-half inch thick, cut with a small cutter, place close together in a greased pan and bake ten to fifteen minutes in a hot oven or at 450 degrees F.

BISCUIT WITH BUTTERMILK

Sift together twice

2 cups bread flour, 1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda

1 teaspoon cream of tartar and 1 teaspoon salt. With tips of fingers work in 3 tablespoons shortening.

¾ cup buttermilk and more if necessary.

Finish like Biscuit with Sour Milk.

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BISCUIT WITH SOUR CREAM

Sift together twice

2 cups bread flour 1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda

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I teaspoon cream of tar-

1 teaspoon salt. Add
7/8 cup sour cream and
more if necessary.

Finish like Biscuit with Sour Milk.

BREAKFAST MUFFINS

3 cups flour

4 tablespoons sugar 3 tablespoons melted shortening 34 teaspoon salt
34 teaspoon Cow Brand
Soda
1 egg well beaten
1 46 eups sour milk

Combine the egg, melted shortening and sugar. Sift the flour once. Measure. Sift with the soda and salt. Add alternately with the milk to the egg and shortening mixture. Stir only enough to obtain a smooth batter. Bake in an oven 425° Fahrenheit.

BRAN MUFFINS

Sift together

2 cups flour 1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda and 2 cups bran 1¼ cups milk and ½ cup molasses.

1 teaspoon salt. Add

Bake in greased muffin-tins. This recipe will make one dozen muffins.

Three-quarters cup raisins, dates or soaked prunes, stoned and cut in pieces, may be added.

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OATMEAL GEMS

Soak

'2 cups rolled oats overnight in 11/2 cups sour milk. In the morning add 1/4 cup melted shortening

1 egg well beaten and

1 cup flour sifted twice with

1/3 cup sugar

1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda and

1 teaspoon salt.

Beat thoroughly, fill greased iron gem pans with the mixture and bake twenty minutes in a hot oven or at 450 degrees F.

DELICIOUS CORN GEMS AND MUFFINS

Beat

2 egg-volks with

1/4 cup sugar. Add 4 tablespoons shortening, softened and mix

well. Add 1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda dissolved in

2 teaspoons warm water. Add

2 cups buttermilk or sour milk

2 cups corn meal sifted with

1 cup flour and

11/2 teaspoons salt. Mix thoroughly and add

2 egg-whites beaten stiff.

Bake in greased gem pans for twenty minutes in a hot oven or at 450 degrees F.

SPIDER CORN CAKE

Sift together

1 1/3 cups corn meal and 1/3 cup flour. Add

1/4 cup sugar and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Then add

1 cup sour milk mixed. with

1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda

2 eggs well heaten and 1 cup sweet milk. Heat

an iron frying pan. add

11/2 tablespoons butter. and when melted. turn in the mixture. Pour over 1 cup sweet milk.

Bake for fifty minutes in a moderate oven or at 350 degrees F. Cut in pie-shaped pieces for serving.

EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

Put in saucepan

'2 cups brown sugar 2 cups hot water

4 tablespoons lard

1 package seedless raisins cut once

2 teaspoons salt

2 teaspoons cinnamon

2 teaspoons cloves. Boil five minutes, when cold, add

2 teaspoons Cow Brand Soda dissolved in

1 tablespoon lukewarm water and

3 cups bread flour.

Bake in two loaves at 300 degrees F. for one and a quarter hours.

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Then

BUCKWHEAT CAKES WITH SOUR MILK

Sift together 11/2 cups buckwheat flour 1/2 cup white flour 1/2 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda and

1 teaspoon salt. Add

1 to 2 cups sour milk, or enough to make a thin batter. Beat well, add

1 tablespoon melted shortening and pour by spoonfuls greased hot griddle.

2 cups sour milk and

1/4 cup melted butter (if

3 egg-volks, well beaten

3 egg-whites, beaten un-

milk is used)

and fold in

til dry

SOUR MILK GRIDDLE-CAKES

Mix and sift.

21/2 cups flour

1 egg well beaten. 1/2 teaspoon salt and

11/4 teaspoons Cow Brand Soda, Add

Cook like Buckwheat Cakes.

RICH WAFFLES

Sift together twice

11/4 cups flour 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon sugar

1/2 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda, add slowly 1 cup sour cream or

milk

Cook on hot waffle-iron. Serve with butter and

honey or maple syrup.

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GRAHAM COOKIES

Best.

1 egg until light. Add 1 cup sugar

1/4 cup melted shortening. When well mixed

add 2 cups pastry flour sifted with

hhe 1 cup buttermilk and

2 cups Graham flour.

1 teaspoon Cow Brand

Soda and

1 tesspoon salt

Mix well and add more flour if necessary. Chill. Roll out 1-8 inch thick and cut with a sharp knife or square cutter. Bake on floured tin sheet in a moderate oven, (350 degrees F.), until a delicate brown.

BRAN COOKIES

Sift together

1 teaspoon ginger 1 teaspoon cinnamon

3 cups bran. Add 1/2 cup sugar

1/2 teaspoon clove and 1/2 teaspoon Cow Brand

1/2 cup molasses

Soda and mix thoroughly with

to cup milk and 1/2 cup melted shortening.

Mix well and drop from spoon on greased sheet. Bake about fifteen minutes.

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DROP COOKIES

Put in mixing bowl.

1/2 cup butter or margarine and work with spoon until creamy. then add gradually 1 cup sugar

2 eggs well beaten and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Dissolve

1/4 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda in

1/2 cup sour cream or milk and add to first mixture. Sift together

21/2 cups pastry flour and 1/4 teaspoon salt and add to first mixture. Drop by spoonfuls on greased baking sheet and bake until delicately brown, in a moderate oven or at 350 degrees F.

1/2 cup raisins cut in small pieces or

1/2 cup nut meats cut in pieces may be added to these cookies.

SOUR MILK GINGERBREAD

Put

1 cup sour milk in mixing bowl and sift in 13/4 teaspoons Cow Brand

Soda. When well mixed, add 1 cup molasses

2 1-3 cups flour sifted with

2 teaspoons ginger and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Then add

4 tablespoons melted shortening and beat thoroughly.

Pour into greased pan or small dripping-pan or greased muffin-pans and bake twenty-five minutes at 350 degrees F. Serve plain or with whipped cream or marshmallow sauce or hot chocolate or with apple sauce.

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MARSHMALLOW FROSTING

Put in saucepan

1 cup sugar and 1/2 cup water and bring to boiling point. Beat

2 egg-whites until very stiff, add gradually and one at a time. five tablespoons of the boiling syrup,

beating constantly.

When syrup spins a long thread, add slowly to eggs and continue beating. Then add

1/2 teaspoon vanilla and 11 marshmallows.

Place over hot water and fold over and over until marshmallows are soft and mixture begins to get sugary. Pile roughly on cake.

ORANGE SPONGE CAKE

Beat together until thick

2 egg-volks 1/4 teaspoon grated

orange rind 4 tablespoons orange juice and

1/2 tablespoon lemon juice. Add

34 cup sugar gradually and continue beating with egg beater. Fold in

2 egg-whites, beaten stiff and

1 cup pastry flour sifted 4 times with

1/4 teaspoon Com Brand Soda and 1/4 teaspoon salt.

Grease an angel cake or deep round tin and line the bottom with greased paper. Pour in cake mixture and bake thirty minutes at 375 degrees F. Cake may be frosted or it may be split and filled with orange marmalade or a cooked orange filling between the lavers.

STERLING SAUCE

Cream

1/3 cup butter, add gradually

1 cup brown sugar 1 teaspoon vanilla and 4 tablespoons warm cream or milk drop by drop to prevent separation.

CHOCOLATE MARSHMALLOW CAKE

Melt over hot water

4 ounces (4 squares) bitter chocolate. Add

2 egg-yolks slightly beaten, then add slowly

1 cup milk, sweet or sour. Cook and stir over hot water until mixture thickens. Cool and add

1/3 cup Butter. When smooth add

2 cups sugar slowly, then hhe

1 teaspoon vanilla

1 cup boiled coffee or milk, alternately with

3 cups bread flour sifted with 2 teaspoons Cow Brand

Soda and

1 teaspoon salt. Beat thoroughly and add 2 egg-whites, beaten stiff.

Bake in two rectangular cake pans lined with greased paper for forty-five to fifty minutes at 350 degrees F. Remove from pan on a rack. Re-When cool, cover with Marshmalmove paper. low Frosting.

HONEY COOKIES

Put in saucepan

1 cup honey 1/2 cup sugar

1/2 cup milk or water

3 tablespoons shortening and 1/2 teaspoon vinegar. Stir

until hot but do not allow mixture to boil. Set aside until lukewarm. Sift together

41/2 cups pastry flour 1 teaspoon salt

2 teaspoons cinnamon 2/3 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda and stir into

the syrup. Add 2 egg-yolks and mix well.

The dough should be only medium stiff. Let stand for some time, if convenient overnight, as this will allow the dough to ripen and become more mellow. When ready to use, turn out on cloth or board sprinkled with flour and knead well. Roll out a little thicker than other cookies. Cut out with plain or fancy cutter and bake on tin sheets, greased and sprinkled with flour. To get a rich gloss, cookies may be washed over before baking with milk or with a thin icing made of confectioners' sugar and a few drops of water. A few Cardamon seeds may be added for flavor or Almonds, blanched and finely chopped may be added to the dough before it is rolled.

QUICK GRAHAM BREAD

Put in small bowl

 cup brown sugar and
 cup cold water. Stir until sugar is dissolved and then add
 cup melted shortening

and
34 cup milk. Sift into

Mix thoroughly and put in greased bread pan and bake two hours in a slow oven or at 275 degrees F.

BOSTON BROWN BREAD

Snak overnight

1 cup stale bread crumbs or muffins, etc., broken in pieces, and 1 cup rolled oats in 1 cup thick sour milk and

1 cup water. In the morning beat until no lumps remain Add 1 cup molasses 1 cup rye meal

1 cup Graham flour and 1 cup corn meal sifted

1 teaspoon Cow Brand

Soda. Then add

2 cups Graham flour, un-

sifted.

1 tablespoon Cow Brand Soda and

1 tablespoon salt. Add 1½ cups thick sour milk.

Beat thoroughly, fill greased tins two-thirds full, cover and steam three hours. Dry off in oven if desired.

BROWN BREAD WITH RAISINS

Add to Boston Brown Bread mixture 1 cup raisins, seeded or seedless.

1 cup bread flour 1 egg 7/8 of 1 1-3 teaspoons salt 1 tablespoon sugar and

1 egg
1 tablespoon sugar and
1/4 teaspoon salt. Add
1/6 teaspoon Cow Brand
Soda dissolved in

Beat together

1 teaspoon warm water. Then add 1/3 cup sour milk and

BATTER FRITTERS

7/8 cup flour. Drop

by spoonfuls in to deep hot fat. When brown on the bottom turn over and brown other side. Serve hot with syrup. These may be flavored with

1/4 teaspoon grated nutmeg or 1/4 teaspoon vanilla.

THANKSGIVING STEAMED PUDDING

Cut in pieces

1 cup suct and force through food chopper. Add

1 cup molasses and 1 cup milk. Then add

3 cups flour sifted with 1 teaspoon Cow Brand Soda

1½ teaspoons salt

½ teaspoon clove ½ teaspoon mace

½ teaspoon allspice and

½ teaspoon cinnamon. Mix well and add

1½ cups seeded raisins cut in pieces and mixed with

2 tablespoons flour.

Turn into greased mold, cover and steam three hours. Currants or nut meats or both may be used instead of or in addition to the raisins. Serve with Sterling Sauce.

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APPLE FRITTERS

Make Batter Fritters using only 2/3 cup flour instead of 7/8 cup.

Pare and core apples, cut in slices and stir into the fritter batter. Cook like Batter Fritters. Serve with Lemon Sauce.

FRUIT SHORTCAKE

Make any biscuit mixture, see page 16, using 1-3 cup shortening. Turn into greased layer cake pan. Flour back of hand and pat to fit pan. Bake fifteen minutes at 450 degrees F. Remove from oven and while hot, split in two. Place bottom piece on large round platter, spread with butter and cover with sweetened fruit, fresh or stewed and cut in pieces. If desired, cover fruit with whipped cream. Place the other piece of shortcake on top, spread with butter, cover with more fruit and if desired, with whipped cream. Serve at once.

Cow Brand Baking Soda (Pure Bicarbonate of Soda) has many uses as a home remedy for minor ailments. These will be found in our "Friend in Need" booklet, copy of which will be sent free on request.

DOUGHNUTS

Sift into mixing bowl:		
cups flour	1/4	teaspoor
½ teaspoons salt		Work in
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Soda 13/4 teaspoons cream of tartar

1/4 teaspoon grated nut-meg and

n cinnamon. tablespoon butter with tips of fingers. Add 1 cup sugar

1 egg well beaten and 1 cup sour milk.

Stir thoroughly, toss on a board or cloth thickly dredged with flour, knead slightly, using more flour if necessary. Pat and roll out to one-fourth inch thickness, shape, fry in deep fat at 370 degrees F. and drain on soft paper.

PEANUT BRITTLE

Put
11/2 cups sugar
3/3 cup corn syrup and
3/3 cup cold water in iron
kettle, stir until mix-
ture boils, cover and
boil three minutes.
Remove cover and
boil to 275 degrees F. Add
2 tablespoons butter and

11/2 cups shelled raw Spanish peanuts, and stir constantly about ten minutes, or until peanuts are cooked. Add

1/2 tablespoon vanilla and 34 tablespoon Cow Brand Soda dissolved in

1/2 tablespoon cold water.

Stir until thoroughly mixed, and turn on slightly buttered marble slab or agate tray. Spread as thinly as possible, and lift constantly while cool-ing, using a spatula, and pull to distribute nuts even-ly. Flatten with palm of hand and break in pieces.

MEAT PIE

Cut	
2 cups meat, fresh or left-	and season with salt
over, into one inch	and pepper. There
eubes, add	should be about two
½ an onion, sliced. Cook	cups of sauce. Add
until tender in water	2 cups potatoes cut in
to cover. Add	slices and parboiled
4 tablespoons flour, mixed	eight minutes in boil-
with	ing water.
4 tablespoons cold water	

Put in greased baking dish (a glass one is most attractive), cover with biscuit mixture (same as on Page 16) rolled out thin or cut into small biscuits. Bake in hot oven until crust is brown and pie is thoroughly cooked through.

RICH, SOFT HONEY CAKE

smooth add
½ eup sour milk and
4 eups flour sifted wit
1 teaspoon Cow Bran
Soda
½ teaspoon cinnamon
and
½ teaspoon salt.

Mix well and bake in greased shallow pan in a medium oven for fifty minutes. When cool cut in layers or slices.

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TRY THIS FOR COOKING GREEN PEAS

Shell one quart of green peas. Have the water, with a pinch of salt, boiling in a stew pan—then add the peas and a pinch of *Cow Brand* Soda and boil fifteen to twenty minutes in the open pan. Then add one teaspoonful of butter and, if desired, one-half teaspoonful of sugar.

Use only enough water to cover the peas in the pan.

ALSO FOR COOKING STRING BEANS

String one quart of beans. Have the water, with a pinch of salt, boiling in a stew pan—then add the beans and a pinch of *Cow Brand* Soda and boil fifteen to twenty minutes in the open pan. Add one teaspoonful of butter if desired.

It will be found that the beans and peas will retain their natural color and be more tender than when cooked in the ordinary way without Bicarbonate of Soda.

It will probably be necessary to boil the beans a little longer than the peas.

Whenever you cook green vegetables, add a pinch of Cow Brand Baking Soda to the water in which they are cooked. It makes them so much more appetizing.

