

FAMILY FAVORITES

By Mrs. D. W. Williams

(Ed. note—Guest editor for this week's Family Favorites is Madge Williams, wife of A&M vice chancellor D. W. Williams. The Williams, members of A&M Presbyterian church, have two daughters and a son and five grandchildren. Mrs. Williams, a native of Ohio, is a former president of the A&M Garden club.)

I am very partial to recipes that are easy to prepare. So I have chosen a few favorites in our family—all easy ones.

Date Pudding

This is one of our favorite desserts. It can be made the day before, and is one I have been using for more than thirty years.

- 2 eggs (well beaten) 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 cup sugar 1 cup nuts
- 2 tablespoons flour 1 small box dates (cut fine)

Sift together, dry ingredients and add to eggs. Then add dates and nuts. Pour into greased pan (11 in. X 7 in.) and bake in 300 degree oven for 45 minutes. Serve cold with whipped cream. This recipe serves 10.

Baked Beans

My family liked baked beans for Saturday night suppers. Here is an old recipe used in my home when I was a child, and I've never run into a better one.

- 1 lb. great northern beans 6 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon salt 1/2 lb. salt pork

Soak beans for several hours or over night. Bring to boil and cook until skins pop. Add salt and sugar, and pour into bean pot with water to cover to depth of one inch. Put pork on top of beans. Bake in slow oven until well done.

Crisp Pickles

With baked beans we like these easily prepared pickles. I have these in my refrigerator most of the time, as they are good with most any meal.

- 1 quart sour pickles 1 clove garlic
- 4 cups sugar 2 teaspoons whole cloves

Cut pickles in thin crosswise slices. Add sugar, garlic and cloves. Mix together for three days, stirring occasionally. Do not use any liquid; they make their own syrup.

Home Made Bread

I think my family enjoys home made bread more than anything I make. With my easy recipe, bread making is a simple task.

- 1/2 cup sugar 1 1/2 cups cool water
- 1 cup lukewarm water 7 cups flour
- 1 package dry yeast 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 1/2 cup shortening

Dissolve sugar in lukewarm water. Sprinkle in yeast and let stand five minutes or longer. Melt shortening and add cool water. Sift together flour and salt. Make a well in the flour and pour in shortening water and add yeast water.

Mix well and knead on a bread board for three minutes. Put in a greased bowl and let rise in a warm place until double in size. Divide in half and make two loaves. Let rise again until double in size. Then bake in a pre-heated oven (350 degrees) for one hour.

Cow Poke Cookies

This is a favorite cookie recipe and an easy one which makes 100 cookies.

- 1 cup shortening 1 teaspoon soda
- 1 cup brown sugar 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup white sugar 2 cups Rice Krispies
- 2 eggs 2 cups rolled oats (3-minute kind)
- 2 cups flour 1 can cocoanut

Cream shortening and sugars. Add eggs, one at a time, and beat well. Sift together dry ingredients and add to mixture. Mix well and add remainder of ingredients. Mix; if dough seems stiff, add a few drops of water.

Put one large teaspoon of the dough for each cookie on a greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 12 minutes or until lightly browned.

YMCA Cabinet Sponsors Coffee

Beginning Monday the YMCA cabinet will sponsor a student-faculty coffee hour in the Y lobby.

Free coffee will be served from 9:30 to 10:30 each morning, Monday thru Friday.

All professors and students are invited, said Charles Beagle, cabinet officer.

Making cupcakes? Then surprise your family with one of these taste treats. Tuck a couple of drained apricot halves in the batter in each cup before baking. Or sprinkle the cupcake batter with small pieces of semi-sweet chocolate before baking. Using either of these suggestions with white or chocolate cake batter.



THURSDAY & FRIDAY

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Mrs. Collier Tells of Trip To Newcomers

Mrs. Jud Collier showed movies of her trip to Europe, the Near East and Pakistan at the meeting of the Newcomers club yesterday at the YMCA.

Mrs. Collier was one of 12 women from Texas on a "good neighbors" tour that included England and the coronation, France, the low countries, Germany, Austria, Italy, Greece, Egypt, Lebanon, Jordan and the old city of Jerusalem and Pakistan.

The women on the tour also gave several scholarships to students in those countries to study at Texas colleges.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. W. R. Herdener, chairman, and Mrs. A. B. Hilton, Mrs. Ben Evans and Mrs. H. S. Thigpen.

The table was decorated with red tapers in silver candelabra. The centerpiece of holly with red berries was trimmed with Christmas tree ornaments.

Refreshments were served on imported china, and the coffee service was of silver trimmed Bavarian China.

Letters

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master, (O. U. for the benefit of those who did not see Mr. Clark's letter in Wed's Batt.); if you feel like this is where you and your warped opinions could best be tolerated, why in the devil don't you go there. And when you do take your buddies that share your views with you.

For your own protection Mr. Clark, it might be wise for you to lock your door when you go out because someone who took your letter more to heart than I did, is liable to pack your bags for you and run you off this campus.

As for the money involved in attending O. U.—if I were as displeased with this school as you seem to be it would be worth it to me to get away from it no matter what the cost.

I certainly hope you go to O. U. (The sooner the better) I hope you live there, die there and rot there because we don't even want your remains around here.

Earle Vondergoltz '55



DOGS FOR CHRISTMAS—Herb Caba, A&M junior from Sinton, looks at cocker spaniels for a Christmas gift for his girl friend at Texas State College for Women. Mrs. Anne Marie Elmquist, owner of Bayard Kennels, helps him select the pet of his choice.

Kiwanians Will Be Installed

The College Station Kiwanis club will hold its annual inauguration banquet at 7 p. m. Dec. 15 in the ballroom of the Memorial Student Center.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Raymond Robbins, trustee of Kiwanis International. The banquet will be held in place of the club's regular Tuesday meeting.

J. B. (Dick) Hervey will be inaugurated as president.

The meal will be Chicken in the Rough and pumpkin pie. Tickets

are \$1.50 each, and can be purchased from Don Vestal at the Texas Engineering Experiment station.

Daughter, Cathryn Born to Freemans

A daughter, Cathryn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Freeman Tuesday at St. Joseph's hospital. Freeman is with the A&M Oceanography department.

When choosing a patterned curtain fabric, make sure that the size of the design in the curtains is in scale with the size of the room and its furnishings. For example, small designs in light colors are attractive in small rooms with small windows; but they look out of keeping in a large room with massive windows.

Kiwanians Hold Conference Here

The Bryan and College Station Kiwanis clubs will host the division nine Kiwanis training conference in the Memorial Student Center, Dec. 13.

The conference will open at 11:00 a. m. followed by a lunch in the MSC dining room at 11:30. The initial business meeting will start at 12:45 p. m.

Clubs to be represented are Navasota, Conroe, Huntsville, West, Waco, Northwest Waco, Killceen, Lampasas, Temple, and Burnet.

The Kiwanis administrative theme for 1954 is "build by faith, loyalty, and service."

Students Will Give Public Art Display

Mrs. Ralph L. Terry, adviser and instructor of the student art show, said that student arts will be put on a two-week public display in the Memorial Student Center starting Saturday.

The pictures are painted by students and local citizens. Most of the work is done in the art gallery of the MSC.

The showing will consist of landscape, still life, creative and graphic art paintings.

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