

CHOCOLATE MUFFINS

(Yield – 12 small)

1 cups All-Bran (whole bran cereal)

3/4 cup milk
1 egg
1/3 cup soft shortening, butter or margarine
1 cup sifted Heckers or Ceresota Unbleached Flour
2 ½ tsp. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 cup sugar
1/4 cup cocoa
1/2 cup chopped nuts

Preheat oven to 400°.

Combine All-Bran and milk; let stand until most of moisture is taken up. Add egg and shortening; beat well. Sift together flour, baking powder, salt, sugar and cocoa, mix with nuts. Add to first mixture, stirring only until all is moistened. Fill prepared muffin cups 2/3 full. Bake in preheated oven about 20 minutes or until done.

Cream butter or margarine and sugar. Add egg; beat well. Use 1/8 cup of the total flour to dredge the blueberries. Sift together remaining flour, baking powder and salt; add to creamed mixture alternately with milk. Blend lightly. Fold in berries. Fill prepared muffin cups 2/3 full; bake in preheated oven about 20 minutes or until done.