

## **Christmas Wreaths**

- 1 cup soft shortening
- $\frac{1}{2}$  cup brown sugar
- 2 eggs (separated)
- 2 cups sifted flour
- $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon salt
- 2 cups chopped nuts or cocoanut
- $\frac{1}{2}$  cup raspberry or strawberry jam

Cream shortening and sugar. Add egg yolks, flour, salt. Mix well. Shape 1-inch balls, drop into unbeaten egg whites, then in chopped nuts. Place 1-inch apart on a greased cookie sheet. Make a slight depression in center of each cookie. Bake 375° for 5 minutes. Then press center again. Bake 10 minutes longer. Cool slightly. Remove from sheet, fill center with jam. Makes 3 dozen.

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