STEAMED BROWN BREAD

Equipment: 1 lb coffee cans

Ingredients

1 cup cornmeal 1 cup whole wheat flour 1 cup white flour 1 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon baking powder 1 teaspoon soda 2 cup dark molasses 2 cups buttermilk or sour milk 1 cup raisins

Instructions: Add cornmeal and whole wheat flour to white flour, salt, baking powder, and soda. Add molasses, buttermilk, and raisins. Beat thoroughly. Half-fill 3 greased 1pound coffee cans. Cover tightly with foil and steam 3 hours on a rack in a covered pan, using only a small amount of boiling water (no more than one-fourth up the sides). Replace water as necessary. Remove cover and place in a 450-degree oven for 5 minutes before removing from the can.