

Persimmon-Oatmeal Drop Cookies

- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup butter or regular margarine
- $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup persimmon pulp
- 1 teaspoon soda
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon nutmeg
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon cloves
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups quick rolled oats
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup coconut
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped nuts

Cream together butter and sugar. Beat in eggs. Stir soda into persimmon pulp and add to creamed mixture. Add vanilla and sifted dry ingredients; mix well. Stir in oats, coconut and nuts. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto greased baking sheet. Bake at 375 degrees about 12 minutes.

Makes 6 dozen cookies.