

FOOD FORUM *

Dorothy Johnson

HOT DOGS !!!

IT IS HARD to imagine that 15 billion frankfurters are consumed in the United States every year. That's eighty sausages a piece for each man, woman, teenager and tot. They are good eating when simply slipped in a bun with mustard, but there are many quick ways to prepare them for the summer; when out-of-town guests drop in, or when the teenager says, "Mom, can't the kids stay for supper."

SAUSAGE AND APPLE SCALLOP

2 lge. apples, 2 tsp. lemon juice, 1 lb. frankfurters, 3 tbsp. butter or margarine, 2 med. onions cut into 1/4 in. slices, 1 can (6 oz.) apple juice, 3 tbsp. brown sugar firmly packed, 1/2 tsp. salt.

Core apples, but do not peel; cut into 1/4 in. thick wedges and sprinkle with lemon juice. Cut each frankfurter, on the diagonal, into thirds. In hot butter in large skillet, saute onion slices until golden and tender. Add apple wedges, frankfurters, apple juice, brown sugar, and salt; stir gently. Simmer, covered, about 15 minutes, or until frankfurters are puffed and apple is tender. Arrange on heated platter. Nice served with potato cakes.

FRANKS AND SAUERKRAUT IN BEER

10 lge. frankfurters, 1 can beer, 1 can (1 lb. 11 oz.) sauerkraut drained, 2 tsp. caraway seed.

Slash frankfurters diagonally in several places. Place in large skillet with beer and cook over medium heat, covered, until hot. Remove frankfurters--stir sauerkraut and caraway seed into liquid in skillet; place frankfurters on top. Cook covered 10 minutes or until sauerkraut is heated through. Serve with buttered new potatoes and hot mustard.

MIXED BEAN CASSEROLE

1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen lima beans, 2 tbsp. butter or margarine, 1/2 lb. frankfurters sliced, 1 med. onion chopped, 1 clove garlic minced, 1 can (1 lb.) kidney beans drained, 1 can (1 lb. 5 oz.) pork and beans with tomato sauce, 1/2 c. catsup, 1/2 c. dry red wine, 1 tbsp. brown sugar, 1 tsp. prepared mustard, 1/2 tsp. salt, dash pepper, 1/2 c. crushed corn or potato chips.

Cook lima beans as package label directs. Preheat oven to 350 F. In hot butter in large skillet, saute frankfurters, onion and garlic until golden brown. Remove from heat--stir in lima beans, kidney beans, pork and beans, catsup, wine, sugar, mustard, salt and pepper. Turn into casserole; sprinkle with corn chips and bake uncovered, 30 minutes.

FRANKS BAKED IN THE BUN

2 pkgs. (9 oz. size) refrigerator Crescent rolls, 1/4 c. prepared hot dog relish, 12 frankfurters, 1 egg yolk, poppy seed, and catsup.

Preheat oven to 375 F. Lightly grease a large cookie sheet. Unroll dough from 1 package of rolls and arrange each of the rectangles on prepared cookie sheet. Pinch perforations together to form 2 solid strips of dough. Spread each strip of dough with 1 tablespoon of relish. Place 6 frankfurters on each, making 3 rows of 2 each. Spread with remaining relish. Make dough from second package of rolls into 2 strips as above. Place each strip over a frankfurter-covered strip. Press edges together with a fork, to seal all around. Make 2 slits in each top for steam vents. Beat egg yolk with 2 teaspoons of water; brush over tops. Sprinkle with poppy seed and bake 20 minutes or until pastry is golden brown. Slice each diagonally, into 6 pieces; serve with catsup or more relish.

Fete Illinois Treasurer's Secretary



MISS ANNA L. OWENS (center), appointments secretary to Illinois State Treasurer Adlai Stevenson, gets assistance from Mrs. Dorothea Bridges (third from right), in cutting a birthday cake, during a joint celebration held recently in South Shore ballroom, Chicago. Mrs. Bridges, a former insurance agent, is co-owner of the Bridges & Bridges Real Estate Company. Others joining in the festivities (from left) are Mrs. Ann Hunt; Miss Jean Blakeny; Mesdames Barbara Simmons; and Georgia Owens Campbell; Mrs. Owen's mother; and Mrs. E. Rodney Jones, wife of a local (WVON) radio, disc jockey. (NPI Photo)

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. - (NPI)--Miss Anna L. Owens, daughter of Chicago entertainer-real estate broker Mrs. Georgia Owens Campbell, has been honored for being named appointments secretary to Adlai E. Stevenson III, Illinois state treasurer.

Stevenson is the son of the late Democratic Presidential candidate and U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, and former Illinois governor. Miss Owens was feted during a birthday

party given in Chicago's South Shore ballroom. She shared the spotlight with Mrs. Dorothea Bridges, co-owner of the Bridges and Bridges Real Estate Company.

The young secretary is a graduate of Dixon (Ill.) High School, and attended Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich. and Roosevelt University, Chicago. Miss Owens is the daughter of Mrs. Georgia Owens Campbell, pianist, organist and songstress.

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