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Cream shortening and sugar together, add the well beaten eggs and beat until smooth and creamy; add milk, shortening, mace, salt and flour, which has been sifted with baking powder.

The dough must be stiff. Roll it out a quarter of an inch thick, cut with a cruller cutter and fry in hot fat deep enough to cover a cruller. Drain in tissue towelling, then sprinkle with powdered sugar and cinnamon.

Holiday Tea Cakes.

These are made from a raised rich dough with raisins, citron and nuts, either in the form of a French coffee cake, a dainty ring or small tea cakes. The popular sticky cinnamon bun is made from the same dough. The tea cakes are easily packed and will carry without any danger of breaking or spoiling.

MANY DEATHS
CAUSED BY AN
EARTHQUAKE

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

New York, Dec. 31. — An estimate of 1,000 persons dead in the earthquake ruins at Guatemala city is contained in a telegram received here from the Central and South American Telegraph Company's manager at San Jose, Guatemala, who returned to San Jose from Guatemala city yesterday. The message reads:

"The legation and American consulates are badly wrecked. Forty per cent. of the houses in the city are demolished. Most of the others have collapsed and are uninhabitable. The penitentiary, asylum and ministerial buildings are all wrecked. The post office and large churches are demolished."

"Martial law has been declared and several looters have been shot. The president of Guatemala has ordered the inhabitants of the city to leave. Terrific earthquake shocks continue at intervals of about five minutes. The death toll is estimated at one thousand. All telephone wires in the interior are again silent."

SOLDIERS CROSS
QUEBEC BRIDGE

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

Quebec, Dec. 31. — Though the Quebec bridge is not yet officially opened to passenger traffic, some three hundred returned soldiers who disembarked at St. John, N.B., were brought directly through to the local discharge depot by special train which passed over the recently completed structure. The soldiers will remain here until Monday evening at the latest. During the intense cold that has been hovering over the entire country for the last three days, the structure of the bridge has sustained a contraction of fully nine feet (?). This, however, will not affect the structure, for this state of things had been provided by the engineers.

BIG MAJORITY
AGAINST IT

(Canadian Press direct wire.)

London, Dec. 31, (via Reuter's Ottawa Agency) — Melbourne's latest referendum figures are 945,000 votes for and 1,121,000 against conscription. The figures include the votes of the Australian forces hitherto announced, viz., 52,000 for and 56,000 against.

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