Gingerbread Cookies (Scovil Bakery)

1 c. sugar 3/4 c. shortening 1 c. molasses 1/2 c. hot water

Combine the above ingredients.

Add 2 eggs.

Mix together the following.

1 t. soda 2 t. ginger

2 t. cinnamon 6 or 7 cups of flour

½ t. salt

Refrigerate dough overnight. Roll out and cut with cookie cutters. Bake at 350° for 10 minutes