

SOCIETY EVENTS

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

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THIRTEEN CLUB WITH MRS. YOUNG

On Friday afternoon Mrs. John T. Young entertained the Thirteen club. Only the club members were present. Delightful refreshments were served.

COURSE DINNER FOR FRIENDS

On last Thursday evening William Brooks Owens entertained several friends at a course dinner. The guests were: Mac Adair, Len Cooper, Clifton Adair, Thomas Heath Copeland, Augustus Blakely, Misses Martha and Georgia B. Blakely.

AUXILIARY OBSERVES WEEK OF PRAYER

The Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church observed their annual week of prayer by a study of "The Crowded Ways," by Dr. Sears.

Mrs. J. Will Leake is chairman of home missions and at the Auxiliary on Monday an appealing pageant was presented. On the following day the devotionals were led by Mesdames Arthur Little, D. J. Woods, H. E. Sturgeon and A. O'Daniel. The chapters were presented by Mesdames A. M. Copeland, Gary Martin, L. B. Dillard and Miss Agatha Davis.

HOLLAND-PITTS

On Saturday evening Miss Esther Holland and P. M. Pitts were quietly married at the Presbyterian manse by Dr. D. J. Woods. The bride was beautifully attired in a navy georgette with becoming accessories.

Mrs. Pitts is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Holland of the Pea Ridge community, and for a number of years has been the efficient bookkeeper at Blakely's. Her winsome nature and strong personality have endeared her to many friends who are interested in her marriage.

Mr. Pitts is a son of the late Mr.

FOR WEEK-END CAKES AND CANDIES, COME TO—

The Woman's Exchange

and Mrs. P. M. Pitts, and is associated in business with his brother, Magistrate J. G. Pitts.

Friends are glad to know that after a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Pitts will make their home in Clinton.

Hints for the Home

by Nancy Hart

Curtains

Here's an idea for keeping your lace or scrim, net or swiss curtains clean: Make one extra pair when you make the curtains. Then each week or each two weeks as necessary, take down one pair of curtains that are beginning to look soiled, and put up the extra pair instead. Wash the soiled pair, and have them ready to put up at another window the next week, or the second week after, as necessity indicates, so that another soiled pair may be washed.

Thus you always have clean curtains, you never have more than one pair to wash at a time, and you don't have that ugly spectacle of a curtainless house for three or four days while the curtains are laundering.

The only hitch in this plan is that your windows may not all be the same length. In this case you would have to have all the curtains made for the longest window, and then when they were used on the shorter windows you could turn over an extra fold and baste it at the top.

Or, you could have two extra pairs, one for the short windows and one for the longer ones. Either way would work out satisfactorily.

Spanish Loaf
This calls for one can of spinach, four cups boiled rice, two cups white sauce and one red pepper. Mix sauce with the rice, chopped spinach and pepper. Pour into a loaf and bake twenty minutes.



THE BROOK

By Alfred Tennyson

I come from haunts of coot and hern,
I make a sudden sally,
And sparkle out among the fern
To bicker down the valley.
By thirty hills I hurry down,
Or slip between the ridges,
By twenty thorns, a little town,
And half a hundred bridges.
Till last by Philip's farm I flow
To join the brimming river,
For men may come and men may go,
But I go on forever.

I chatter over stony ways
In little sharps and trebles,
I bubble into eddying bays,
I babble on the pebbles.
With many a curve my banks I fret,
By many a field and fallow,
And many a fairy foreland set
With willow-weed and mallow.
I chatter, chatter as I flow
To join the brimming river,
For men may come and men may go,
But I go on forever.

I wind about, and in and out,
With here a blossom sailing,
And here and there a lusty trout,
And here and there a grayling,
And here and there a foamy flake
Upon me as I travel,
With many a silvery water-break
Above the golden gravel,
And draw them all along, and flow
To join the brimming river,
For men may come and men may go,
But I go on forever.

I steal by lawns and grassy plots,
I slide by hazel covers,
I move the sweet forget-me-nots
That grow for happy lovers.
I slip, I slide, I gloom, I glance
Among my skimming swallows,
I make the netted sunbeams dance
Against my sandy shallows.
I murmur under moon and stars
In brambly wildernesses;
I linger by my shingly bars,
I loiter round my cresses;
And on again I curve and flow
To join the brimming river,
For men may come and men may go,
But I go on forever.

Home Demonstration Notes

Miss Mary Shaw Gilliam, Agent

Fall Meeting of the County Council
The fall meeting of the Laurens County Council of Farm Women was held Saturday morning in the court house at Laurens. Due to the unfavorable weather the attendance was small. The following clubs were represented: Barksdale-Narnie, Brewerton, Hickory Tavern, Lanford Station, Mountville, Trinity-Ridge, Youngs and the Laurens Curb Market.

Mrs. Annie H. Dunlap, president of the council conducted the devotional. Miss Mary Shaw Gilliam, home agent, addressed the group with words of welcome, which were responded to by Mrs. L. C. Taylor of the Brewerton club.

The outstanding feature of the program was an address by Miss Blanche Tarrant, district home demonstration agent, on "Home-making and Citizenship." Miss Tarrant showed the close relationship between home training and good citizenship. There are three acts for every individual to practice who hopes to make a good citizen and these are the acts of obedience, honor and thrift. The training for each of these comes only as a result of careful home training for character.

During the business session the president appointed the following committee chairmen:

Agriculture: Mrs. Horace League, Hickory Tavern.

Exterior Beautification: Mrs. Gray Harris, Youngs.

Citizenship: Mrs. M. B. Morrow, Brewerton.

Education: Mrs. Roy DeShields, Lanford.

Finance: Miss Ethel Ballentine, Wadsworth.

Health: Mrs. George Washington, Poplar Springs.

Legislature: Mrs. Arthur Bramlette, Barksdale-Narnie.

Membership: Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Sandy Springs.

Religion and Welfare: Mrs. Charley Wilson, Trinity Ridge.

Music and Recreation: Mrs. J. S. Winebrenner, Mountville.

Publicity: Mrs. C. L. Waldrep, Lanford.

Miss Gilliam presented her county plan of work for 1930. The council voted to sponsor this program.

The meeting adjourned to meet some time during the month of April for the spring session.

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Gracious Lord! I pray
Thou wilt look on all I love,
Tenderly today!
Weed their hearts of weariness;
Scatter every care
Down a wake of angel-wings
Winnowing the air.

Bring unto the sorrowing
All release from pain;
Let the lips of laughter
Overflow again;
And w'th all the needy
O divide, I pray.
This vast treasure of content
That is mine today!
—James Whitcomb Riley.

Giblet Gravy Survivor of Pilgrim's Festival

Despite the reverence still held for the first Thanksgiving and the elaborate menu that is supposed to have been presented to the Pilgrim guests, about all it has left to posterity is giblet gravy.

"There were many shortcomings in the original feast," says Farm and Fireside, reviewing the historic event, "but it left the gravy that still remains one of the features of every great Thanksgiving dinner."

"The original New England dinner was far from these that have been enjoyed since, from the beginning of the Nineteenth century until now. The oldest narratives of this feast refer to five deer, a gift from the Indians, being served on huge pewter platters. There were also wild turkeys weighing from 30 to 40 pounds. Sugar was scarce, and honey, extracted from hollow trees, was used for sweetening purposes. Dried corn, secured from the Indians, was made into corn bread, enough of a novelty to be most popular.

"Several napkins were given to each person. And needed they were, for forks were not in use. Trenchers took the place of plates and two persons ate from each one. Cups were not in use. The Pilgrims had two or three tankards. These were passed around the table, each person drinking his share in turn.

"But there was giblet gravy and it soon became a specialty of the New England cooks. It survived throughout all the famous kitchens of noted persons since that time, the table of Jacob Thompson, secretary of Interior under President James Buchanan, being especially famed for the dish. It was made of heavy cream thickened with flour and mixed with water in which the giblets, wing tips and neck had been boiled. Rice and buttered asparagus were served with the gravy as its use increased after Pilgrim days."

PEACE AND PLENTY



In winter, plans we make, with tender art,
Recalling fertile earth beneath the snow;
And springtime thrills anew the human heart
With promises (as in the flowers that bloom
In summer, we enjoy the sun's bright rays,
Or watch the rain, from shelter of the wood;
And learn that patience sanctifies our days,
That all things work together for our good.

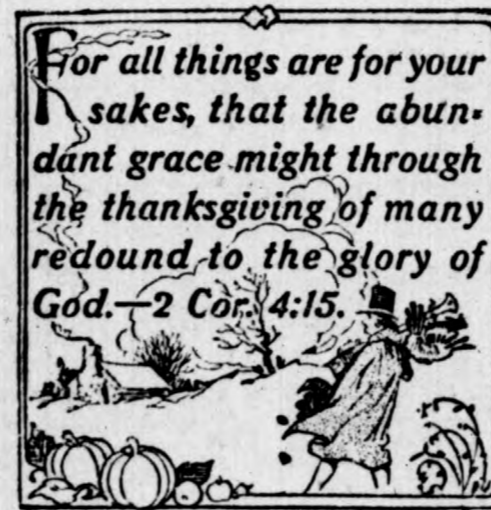
But now the fields have yielded up their store
Like Indian wigwams, shocks of sorghum
said;

The grain-filled barns no longer cry for more,
Peace and contentment lie upon the land.
So, after labor, comes the day of rest;
We feel and know Thanksgiving time is best
—Kalfus Kurtz Gussling.



Great Turkey Parade

In Cuero, Texas, which ships more turkeys during early November than any other railroad station in the world, a mammoth parade is held in which from 10,000 to 20,000 or more turkeys march through the principal streets of the town to the music of several brass bands. And from the pomp of parade, the white, red and bronze gobblers and hens trot in dignified cadence to the killing, picking and packing plants where they are prepared for shipment to the northern markets.



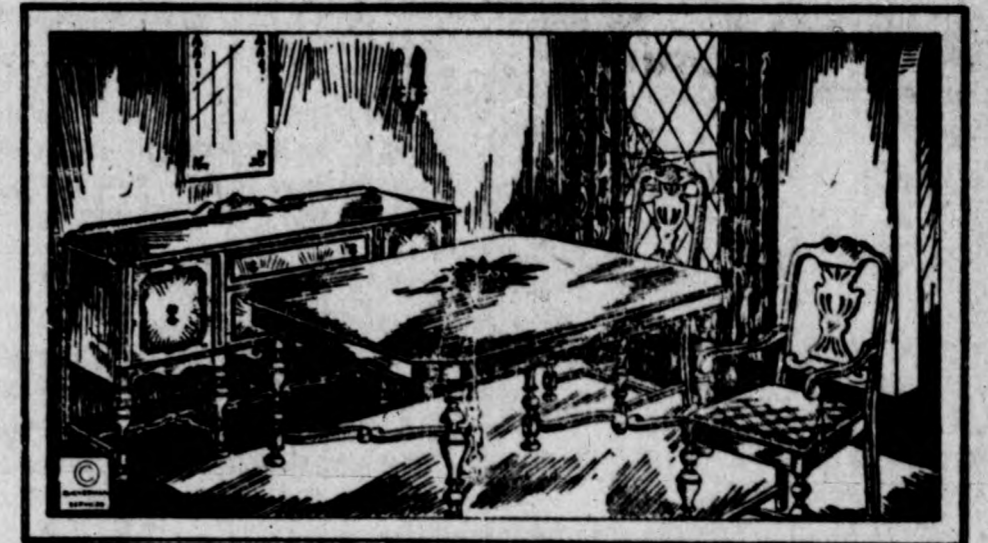
Nation's Happy State

As a people, the citizens of the United States have much to be thankful for at this season. We are at peace with all the world. In most sections of our country, prosperity abounds. While the past year has witnessed great disasters, the heart of America, as always, has poured forth sympathy and help to the unfortunate. We have abiding institutions to commend our loyalty and exalted national deeds, to give zest to our life, and make fruitful the pursuit of happiness.



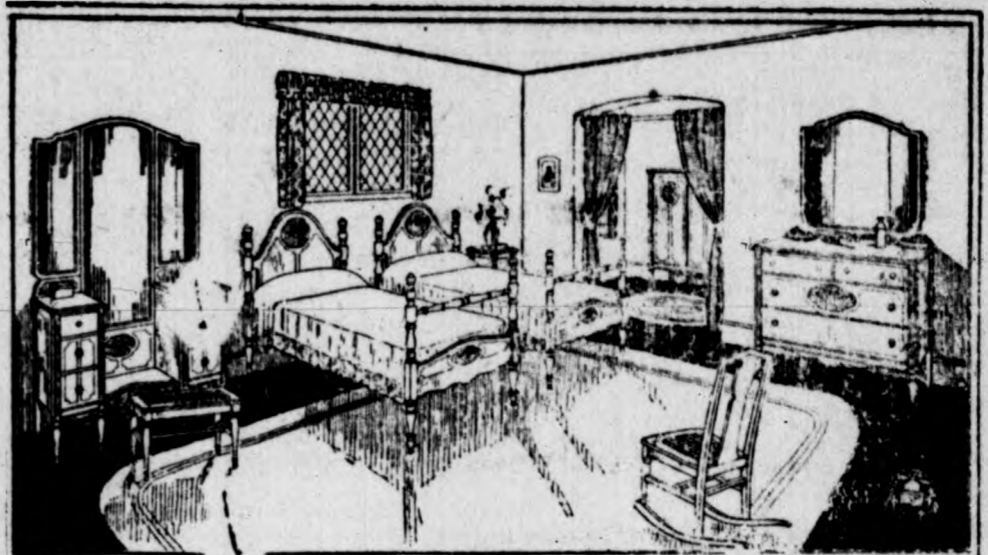
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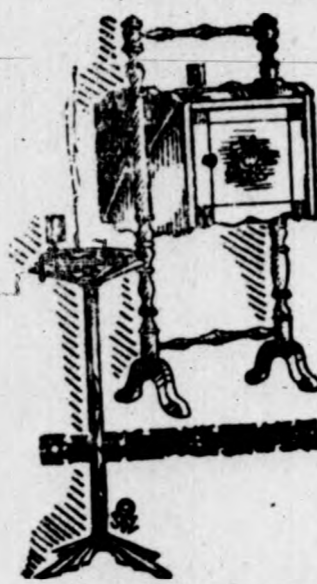
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