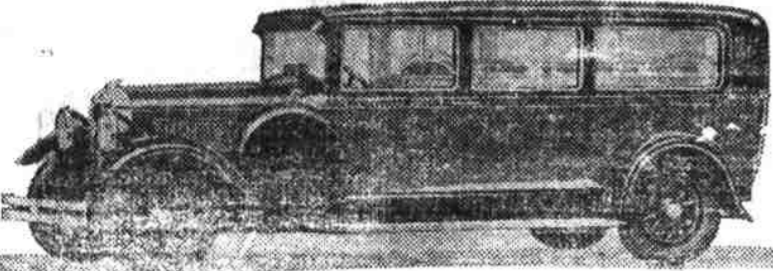


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FALL PLOWING PAYS IN SOIL IMPROVEMENT

The landowner in the great piedmont region of North Carolina will find it profitable to plow as much of his land, not in winter crops, as possible between now and Christmas. "We have found from our field demonstrations that the cost of preparing the seed bed for corn, cotton and soybeans for next year will usually be about half as much after fall plowing as after spring breaking," says E. C. Blair, extension agronomist at State College. "The reason for this is that land plowed in the fall is repeatedly frozen and thawed. This process is more efficient in pulverizing the soil than any harrow. The soil will also absorb more moisture for use by the crop. This is because the surface of the soil is roughened and the run-off is checked. Erosion is also controlled.

Some of the other advantages of fall plowing, in the clay regions is that it aids the cold weather to kill

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

Southern Passenger Train Schedules For Marshall, N. C. Changes Schedule

Passenger trains now due at Marshall as follows:

EFFECTIVE MAY 5 (CENTRAL TIME)
 No. 101 West Bound at 6:23 A. M.
 No. 11 West Bound at 1:25 P. M.
 No. 27 West Bound at 7:57 P. M.

No. 28 East Bound at 8:19 A. M.
 No. 12 East Bound at 12:46 P. M.
 No. 102 East Bound at 7:33 P. M.
 NOTE:—Marshall time makes these figures one hour later.

This schedule published as information and not guaranteed. Consult the Ticket Agents for further information.

NOTICE:—Ticket office closes at 4:00 P. M. (Central Time). Passengers using evening trains will have to purchase tickets before that time.

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THANKSGIVING



WE all know the feel of the Thanksgiving season. Our blood is tingling with the first fall frosts, and our appetite is responding to its accelerated pace in a way that reminds us of the Thanksgiving of our childhood. And the child part in all of us that always survives the years is secretly wondering just what there will be for Thanksgiving dinner. That remains a dark mystery in most well-regulated households, except for certain rumors that will leak out, but we're going to lift the curtain to reveal what we think will make a most toothsome Thanksgiving dinner.

Of course there must be turkey in it. That has been traditional ever since the Pilgrim fathers carried their arquebuses to church on Thanksgiving morning, and glanced uneasily over their shoulders for a whizzing arrow shot by some lurking Indian. And there must also be cranberry sauce, and pumpkin and cider.

But our mouth is beginning to water. We can't wait any longer. So here's the menu, with recipes calculated for eight people. You may multiply or divide these ingredients to suit your needs.

Spiced Cocktail
 Consommé with Egg Slices
 Oyster Stuffing
 Cranberry Sauce

Mashed Potatoes Creamed Onions
Mashed Turnips
Gingerbread and Banana Shortcake
Pumpkin and Raisin Tarts
Wassail Bowl

The Recipes

Spiced Cocktail: Drain one 8-ounce can of breakfast prunes, and arrange the tiny prunes in centers of cocktail glasses. To the prune syrup add two tablespoons of sugar, two tablespoons of lemon juice, one-half cup of water and an inch stick of cinnamon, and boil five minutes. Cool, and remove cinnamon. Cut out the sections of four California oranges, being careful to leave no trace of white fibre, and arrange flower-fashion around the prunes. Pour over the syrup, garnish with little yellow grapes, and chill.

Consommé with Egg Slices: Cook Italian paste in letter form in two cans of consommé and two cups of water until tender. Season rather liberally with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce. Pour in the consommé and garnish each cup with a thin slice of hard-cooked egg. Frost with cranberry sauce and tuck in cans, and its purchase in that form saves a lot of labor in the kitchen.

Novel Desserts
Gingerbread and Banana Shortcake: Cream one-fourth cup of butter and one-fourth cup of sugar,

add one well-beaten egg, and beat well. Add one-half teaspoon soda to one-half cup of molasses, and then add this to the first mixture. Sift one and one-half cups of pastry flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and one-half teaspoon of salt. Mix to a paste one teaspoon of ginger, two teaspoons of cinnamon, one-half teaspoon of allspice, one-fourth cup of boiling water and one-fourth cup of evaporated milk, and let stand five minutes. Then add to the original mixture alternately with the dry ingredients. Bake in a sheet in a moderate (350°) oven for thirty to thirty-five minutes. Cool slightly, then cut into new moons, using a cookie cutter of that shape, quite a large one. Split and arrange two sliced bananas between layers, and garnish the whole liberally with sweetened whipped cream.

Pumpkin and Raisin Tarts: Mix together one cup of canned pumpkin, one-half cup of brown sugar, one-half teaspoon of salt, one-half teaspoon of ginger, and one teaspoon of cinnamon. Add the beaten yolks of two eggs and one cup of evaporated milk. Add one-half cup of seeded raisins and fold in two stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into small pastry-lined tart shells and bake twenty minutes hot at first, then moderate. This recipe makes eighteen to twenty small tarts.

many insects and gives the crop residue such as corn stalks, clover vines soybean stalks and other residues plenty of time to decay before the next crop is planted.

Last but not least, says Mr. Blair, fall plowing puts just that much work out of the way when the rush of spring work comes along. The result is that crops are planted earlier. This is an important factor in good acre yields.

But one should not make the mistake of harrowing in the fall cautions Mr. Blair. Leave the surface rough and do the deepest plowing that is to be done at this time being careful not to go deeper than one inch below where previous plowing has reached. Otherwise too much subsoil will be turned to the top.

LIST OF JURORS

- Drawn for November term of Superior Court, Nov 25, 1929.
 No. 1 Township: J. A. Deamus, H. E. Lunsford, Lee Ramsey, W. O. Reector, A. R. McDevitt.
 No. 2 Township: P. A. Franklin, S. Sherman Tweed.
 No. 3 Township: J. P. Fox, E. H. Stines, J. W. Sprinkle.
 No. 4 Township: J. J. Edwards, Alvin Robinson, J. B. Ray.
 No. 5 Township: Jno. L. George, W. M. Fox.
 No. 6 Township: J. G. Cassada, R. C. Reeves.
 No. 7 Township: Guss Wilson, J. B. Roberts, B. J. Ledford.
 No. 8 Township: W. J. Connor, G. V. Russell, G. W. Davis.
 No. 9 Township: O. W. Grubbs, Craig Ramsey.
 No. 10 Township: W. J. Davis.
 No. 11 Township: M. A. Banks, E. E. Bryan.
 No. 12 Township: L. C. Worley.
 No. 13 Township: H. B. Woody, C. W. Balding.
 No. 14 Township: S. A. Dill.
 No. 15 Township: C. N. Jervis, John Gardner, J. Woodson Anderson.
 No. 16 Township: W. M. Fender.
 I, J. Will Roberts, Register of Deeds and Clerk to Board do hereby certify that the 36 foregoing names is a true copy as drawn from Box No. 1, Nov. 4, 1929.
J. WILL ROBERTS, Clerk.

SUCH IS LIFE

I love Letty;
 Letty loves Bill;
 Bill loves Betty;
 Betty loves Phil.

That the world's woozy
 It's easy to see:
 Phil loves Susie;
 Susie loves me.
 —The Pathfinder.

We're Weak On The Waves

The activities of Shearer being investigated by the Senate indicates that the ship builders were interested in the enactment of the Jones-White Merchant Marine Act. It is entirely natural that they should have been as it meant more business for their ship yards.

At the same time it turns out that the Chapman interests leaned heavily upon their expectations of receiving mail contracts from the United States Government when they purchased the Leviathan, the President Ships and other Shipping Board passenger boats. The Postmaster General failed to agree and as the mail contracts are undetermined the Chapman's are reported to be sulking on their contract.

Concerns like the Dollar Line, the Ward Line and the Grace Line are engaged in American shipping. But is there something wrong with the whole Merchant Marine situation as everyone will agree who has crossed the Atlantic this Summer and looked in vain for the Stars and Stripes in the harbors of Europe. The French and English, German and Italian lines are in the throes of great activities, but America, although we know how to build railroads and highways, is lamentably weak on the waves. When, oh when, will the United States develop a Merchant Marine policy that it can stick to through more than one season?

DRY EMBASSIES

When Ambassador Dawes at London spoke "straight from the shoulder" and announced that his house would be dry the report was heard round the world. And it led to the discovery that other American embassies in Europe have quietly put the same rule into effect. It was learned that the U. S. legation in Denmark has been dry for two years. At Berlin, too, the embassy is dry, but none of the entertaining is done there. The minister to Norway, also, is a total abstainer, while at several other capitals it appeared that American diplomats rarely tasted wines, and then only to be "polite."
 —The Pathfinder.

Bjones—The burglar crept up the fire-escape, oozed through the window into her small apartment, flashed his torch and grabbed the purse on her bureau—
 Smith—And then?
 Bjones—And then he left her flat.
 —The Pathfinder.

From SANDY MUSH

The stork flew over and thought it had too much of a load and left a bouncing baby boy with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley King. Mrs. King was before her marriage Miss Minnie Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Boyd of Sandy Mush.

Mrs. T. T. King was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Duckett, Friday morning.

Mr. L. H. Clark was busy helping Mr. and Mrs. Frank Surret in his corn one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duckett and little Pauline Duckett spent one night last week with Mrs. Duckett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. King.

Sunday afternoon at three o'clock the Methodist minister will fill his regular appointment at the Chestnut Grove church. Everybody cordially invited and welcome to attend.

Everybody please remember that Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Mr. Jones will be at Chestnut Grove church to make a Sunday School talk.

Mr. B. B. Plemmons was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Suttles Saturday.

Mr. Gaston Surret was out on a bike Saturday.

Our Baptist minister, Rev. B. B. Plemmons, delivered a wonderful message at Chestnut Grove Saturday and also Sunday to a large audience.

We are really sorry to report that Mrs. Sarah Duckett is ill. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Miss Maggie Boyd is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley King for a while.

Mr. Charlie King, Mr. Orville Garrett and Mr. Roy Caldwell were out motoring Sunday.

Mr. Everett Duckett of Chicago, Illinois, is visiting his relatives on Sandy Mush.

Miss Bettie Boyd, who is teaching school at Turkey Creek, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Boyd.

Wishing success to the Office Kat, good luck and happiness to all.

FROM GRAPE VINE

On Sunday, November 10th, Rev. Cecil Reece baptized six boys and three girls into the fellowship of Grape Vine church. That makes a total of twenty-two additions by baptism this fall. The church seems to now be in first class working condition. We have started a Sunday night prayer meeting that we hope will be a success.

Mr. Coy Gosnell is visiting his sister, Mrs. Victoria Proffitt, of Woodfine, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wallin and daughter, Vera, were the guests of Mr. Easter Gosnell for dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hunter also took dinner with Mrs. Gosnell.

Mr. Lonnie Lee, who lives on the Cargile Branch, is reported as being seriously ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Zade Rice of Big Laurel were on Grape Vine Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kern Hollifield have moved from Neal Cody's place to George Brown's place.

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From STACKHOUSE

The following haven't been absent or tardy for the month:
 Jack Dockery, Mabel Daniel, Myrtle Treadway, Margaret Treadway, Debbie Treadway, Bessie Helton.
 Teacher: Jessie Franklin.

From Locust Grove

Mr. J. C. Roberts returned home Sunday after visiting relatives on Laurel Branch.

Miss Mavis Fox of Long Branch was the week end guest of Miss Ora Lee Waldroup.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hensley were visiting Mrs. Hensley's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Chandler, Sunday night.

Miss Ruth Arrowood of this place has been absent from school for the past few days with tonsillitis. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. John Fox, of near Marshall, was visiting at Mr. J. P. Wilburn's Sunday.

"Uncle" Jake Garrison is reported to be slightly improving from a fall he had about two weeks ago in which he injured his hip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Chandler and daughter, Bonnie and Ruth, were the inner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilburn Sunday.

Miss Willie Mae Wilde and Edna Smith were guests of Miss Susie Buckner Sunday.

Mr. Burnett Dillingham has just closed a ten weeks singing school at this place with great success.

We had a wonderful singing Sunday night, with a splendid quartette from Flat Creek. The quartette was composed of Messrs Melvin Rice, Gaston Harron, Burnett Dillingham and Mr. Garrison.

Mrs. W. H. Chandler of this place was visiting her son, Mr. Conley Chandler Thursday.

Miss Robbie Chandler, a '29 graduate of Flat Creek school was visiting the school Friday.

CAT-ASTROPHE

How to avoid having to put the cat out at night:

1. Cut a hole in the door. If there is more than one cat cut a proportionate number of holes.
2. Build an automatic cat ejector.
3. Let the young man calling on your daughter put the cat out.
4. Put puss in the Frigidaire—but on a lower shelf, away from the butter.
5. Let the cat stay in
6. Don't have a cat.

—The Pathfinder.

"Yes," said Mrs. Rawkuss, "my husband is a perfectly harmless; he's always kissing the bottoms off his clothes."

"Darling," suggested Mrs. Buttinski, "it is because they are not sown on any soil enough."

"That's just it," agreed Mrs. Rawkuss. "He's a perfectly harmless with his sewing."
 —The Pathfinder.

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