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THANKSGIVING

And thou shalt keep the feast of weeks unto the Lord thy God with a tribute of a freewill offering of thine hand, which thou shalt give unto the Lord thy God, according to the Lord thy God hath blessed thee.
And thou shalt rejoice before the Lord thy God, thou, and thy son, and thy daughter, and thy manservant, and thy maidservant, and the Levite that is within thy gates, and the stranger, and the fatherless, and the widow, that are among you, in the place which the Lord thy God has chosen to place his name there.
And thou shalt remember that thou wast a bondman in Egypt; and thou shalt observe and do these statutes.
Thou shalt observe the feast of tabernacles seven days, after that thou hast gathered in thy corn and thy wine.
And thou shalt rejoice in thy feast, thou, and thy son, and thy daughter, and thy manservant, and thy maidservant, and the Levite, the stranger, and the fatherless, and the widow, that are within thy gate.
Seven days shalt thou keep a solemn feast unto the Lord thy God, in the place which the Lord shall choose; because the Lord thy God shall bless thee in all thy increase, and in all the works of thine hands, therefore thou shalt surely rejoice.
—Deuteronomy, Ch. 16, v. 10-15.

LET US GIVE THANKS

If there were not an established Thanksgiving Day, this would be an appropriate time to establish it in recognition of the evidences of the approach of an era of world peace which are discoverable in recent events. Whether it be attributed to a spiritual awakening or to more selfish and material causes, the nations are aroused as never before to the horrible waste and futility of war, and a demand which knows no bounds of country or climate arises that the paths of peace be henceforth pursued.
America is traditionally peace-loving and it is fitting that it should observe Thanksgiving Day this year with more than the customary degree of earnestness in view of the progress seemingly made in the realization of the dreams of statesmen and "plain folks" for a durable peace, founded on justice and brotherly love.
In addition to this great boon of peace which seems about to be bestowed upon the war-torn world, our people have other and abundant reasons for thanksgiving. We have, it is true, experienced, in a comparatively small degree, some of the miserable aftermaths of war which have racked and nearly wrecked the Old World, but they have been greatly softened in their manifestations here and as a whole, we have enjoyed a year of plenty. We should humbly and devoutly thank God for the blessings received and seemingly in store, and accompany our thanks with earnest petitions for an increase of that tolerance and love for our neighbors which should go hand-in-hand with the scrapping of armaments if we are to approach the wished for brotherhood of man.
Remember to pay a dollar to a Red Cross membership.
Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, is the day to put in the day's income for your orphanage, if you have not already done this. The 20th was the day set for doing this, but if you failed then the 24th will do as well.
Along about the time America was going into the World War there was a great deal of criticism of Woodrow Wilson and his administration for not having made preparation in advance for war. The preparedness storm was fierce. But has America ever believed in real preparedness for war?
The new power plant soon to be put in operation at Mountain Island on the Catawba river will mean more electric juice for the operation of industrial plants, and no doubt a steam plant will be a thing of the past in this section within the next 10 years. Many of the plants here run by electricity and the tendency is in that direction. An electric bakery will soon be in operation here by the Messrs. Womack. The city some months ago electrified its water plant, the pumps in the deep wells being operated by electricity.
The young farmer has not only the idea that an automobile is the only thing worth around a thousand dollars. Over here in Mecklenburg the other day a young farmer paid \$380 for a milk cow, the price of an automobile. This is one of the signs of the tendency of farmers to better stock, high graded blooded animals. The South, right here in Lincoln County, is one of the garden spots for cattle raising, and you will find ten high bred cattle on Lincoln farms now to one a few years ago. In fact pure-

bred cattle are matted all over Lincoln, and increasing yearly.

A citizen noticing that speeding is engaged in generally here suggests that drivers refrain from speeding at least during the hours the school children are enroute to and from school, about 9 in the morning, just after 12 and 8:30 each school day. A good suggestion. Save the children. They can't think like older people.

STANLEY LOCAL NEWS

Rev Rimmer Returns Home—Other Items from Stanley Section.
Rev. W. W. Rimmer, who has been so ill, for quite a while, and under treatment at the Lincoln hospital, came home last Thursday morning. Most of the time he has rested right well, but is not well today. It is his intention to go to the Charlotte Sanatorium in a few days.
Mr. J. W. Dellinger was a business visitor to Charlotte yesterday.
Mr. E. C. McClure spent some time with his mother today and in looking after some business matters.
Mrs. Lynch and her daughter Mrs. Honeycutt, both of Forest City moved to our town, and are occupying the house formerly occupied by Mr. Miller.
Mrs. M. C. Kirksey, who recently underwent such a serious operation, at the Charlotte Sanatorium is now at home and is doing real well, and will soon be entirely recovered.
Mr. Henry Summerow has had large improvements made on his home on Main street. Among other things he has had done is to have it nicely painted, making it a very handsome residence now.
Our Armistice day exercises were not extensive, but were nice and were highly enjoyed by all. The parade by the children, the decorating of the veterans graves and the address of Prof. Ray, of Gastonia, were the leading features.
Our enterprising merchants are, on account of high freight rates, now operating a truck between here and Charlotte. They report that the enterprise is very successful.
The Lola Cotton Mills Co., is now finishing up all its new houses, which would seem to indicate that this mill is in a prosperous condition, with good prospects for the future.
A company of the Methodist folks from Iron Station stormed the Methodist parsonage last Saturday night and gave Rev. Albert Sherrill a real nice pounding which was much enjoyed.

STATESVILLE 20; LINCOLN, 0.

Statesville, Nov. 18.—The local high defeated the Lincoln high football team here this afternoon by the score of 20 to 0.
Although Statesville piled up three touchdowns the Lincoln team put up a game fight with Jenkins, Turner and Huss starring.
The entire Statesville backfield, including substitutes, started with the Guy brothers and Alexander leading the attack. Reed and Furches were stars in the line. Line-ups:
Statesville Lincoln
Position Position
Furches R. E. McClean
Reed R. T. Wycoff
L. Woodward R. G. Leonard
Cowan C. Huss
Dellinger L. G. Royster
Woodward L. T. Yoder
Moore R. H. Shuford
Alexander L. H. Love
T. Guy F. B. Jenkins
Substitutes—Statesville: B. Guy for T. Guy, H. Alexander for Johnson T. Guy for B. Guy. Lincoln: Setzer and Yoder, Yoder for Setzer.

LINCOLN DELEGATION VISITED DAVIDSON

Three automobile loads of Lincoln-ton men saw the Davidson-Elon football game at Davidson Friday afternoon, and many in the crowd saw Davidson College for the first time, and returned home realizing that they had been well repaid by their visit to this historic institution of learning, where President Wilson went to college. The party to Davidson was composed of Rev. J. T. Mangum, Rev. S. R. Guignard, Dr. I. R. Self, Messrs. M. M. Rudiell, J. L. Putnam, M. A. Putnam, J. A. Shuford, J. B. Johnston, Eugene Shuford, J. L. Lineberger, John Herridon, Milton Tiddy, Fred Ramsaur, J. T. Perkins.
The road from here to the river at Beatties Ford was in good shape but from the river to Davidson a new road is being built and part of the new graded road was passed over. It is in bad shape of course at present, the deep ruts in the red clay pulling very hard, but this road is to be hard-surfaced, a convict road force being at work on the road, and for the winter months this section of road should be avoided.
The game between Davidson and Elon was decidedly one-sided, Davidson making half hundred to Elon's 00. The star roster was J. B. Johnston, who was at home at Davidson, where he was educated and played football, but even he became sympathetic for Elon. Some of the visitors from Lincoln-ton declare that Elon called for help during the game, but not being a football expert we could not say positively as to this.

GENERAL CARR MAY GET PLUM

Washington, Nov. 17.—North Carolina may prepare for an additional congressman, for the white house has passed out the word that the bill for 460 members must be passed at the present or the regular session. In the event that the measure becomes a law the state will be entitled to one more member of the house, and if the legislature does not provide for it he or she will be elected at large.
The friends of General Julian S. Carr are ready to go to the bat for him the moment the bill is signed by the President. Other persons have been mentioned in connection with this prospective honor, but none has gone so far as the Durham prince. General Carr makes a strong appeal to many people in the state because of his liberality and the scantiness of the honors conferred upon him.
MRS. F. B. FOX DIED
AFTER AUTO ACCIDENT
Last week an account of the death and burial of Miss Amanda Chappman Fox of Quitman, Ga., formerly of Lincoln County was printed in this paper. The remains were shipped here from Quitman and burials about her face caused relatives to call in Dr. Sain who made examination and made the statement that she had, in his opinion received injuries in some way that possibly caused her death. It develops that she died following an automobile accident, and that she was married according to an account of her death which appeared in the Quitman, Ga., newspaper, though her husband did not attend the funeral here. The account of her death received here in a clipping from the Quitman, Ga., newspaper is as follows:
"The death of Mrs. F. B. Fox occurred in Morven last Wednesday night following an accident last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Fox was riding with her husband and at Morven the strap from the windshield to the top became unfastened and she leaned forward to make it fast. The front door was not fastened and she was thrown from the car.
"She was hurried to the home of Dr. C. B. Meadows in Morven, where it became known that her condition was serious.
Mrs. Fox is a native of Norristown, Tenn., and her body will be returned there for burial. She and Mr. Fox moved here a short time ago from Thomasville. Mr. Fox establishing a shoe repair business here."

WANT ROAD FROM CHARLOTTE TO BLOWING ROCK AND BOONE

Lenoir, Nov. 18.—A hard-surfaced highway from Charlotte to Blowing Rock and Boone is the purpose of an association formed here yesterday by citizens of Watauga, Caldwell and Catawba counties. The association is organized under the name of Boone-Blowing Rock-Charlotte Highway association, with F. H. Coffey, of Lenoir, president, and A. K. Goy, of Lenoir, secretary and treasurer. The following were elected as members of the executive committee: For Watauga county, B. B. Dougherty, of Boone; T. H. Coffey, of Blowing Rock; Catawba county, Geo. L. Lyerly and W. J. Shuford, of Hickory; for Caldwell, D. H. Warlick, of Granite Falls, and Mark Squires, of Lenoir. A resolution was adopted asking for the immediate hard-surfacing of the section of the road leading from Lenoir to the McLean place, 14 miles north of here.
Boston Transcript.
Landlord—You didn't pay the rent for last month.
Tenant—No, Well I suppose you'll hold me to your agreement.
Landlord—Agreement! What agreement?
Tenant—Why, when I rented you said I must pay in advance or not at all.

FRANCE IS NOT ASKING FOR ANY GUARANTEES

"France is not asking for any guarantees, she is not asking for anything. If it were possible for Great Britain, the United States and Italy to say 'if you are attacked we will be with you,' then it would be possible for us to disarm. But if you simply say, 'do not be afraid; tranquillise yourselves; no one is going to attack you' that is not sufficient.
"There is the Russian army of one million and a half. You must say 'why do you mention that? Russia is not attacking you.' Poland is the only barrier. If France had not had a strong army last year the barrier would have fallen. The soviet troops would have been in Germany. There would have been anarchy in central Europe. No, we must have an army to secure ourselves and maintain order."
Mr. Briand turned to other subjects.
We cannot look upon the submarine question in the same way as Mr. Balfour," he continued. "France must defend herself on three seas and we have possessions remote from our country. Mr. Balfour said nothing respecting maintaining communications that would not apply to us. France abandoned her construction program of 1912 when the war came on, and nearly all of our light vessels were destroyed during the war. They have not been replaced. The French navy of today cannot be taken as a proportional standard."

CONSIDERED NUMBERED

Washington, Nov. 18.—The brief days of "medical" beer were considered numbered today when the senate, by a vote of 56 to 22, finally adopted the conference report on the anti-beer bill.
With legislative action concluded, the bill, fought over for months, now goes to the President, who is expected to give it his approval within the 10 day period in which he can act. It was thought possible, however, that there might be a few days delay while an opinion as to the constitutionality of the measure was received from the attorney general.

FARM NOTES FOR NORTH CAROLINA WHEAT

According to the reports of the County Agents in cooperation with the North Carolina crop Reporting Service the weather during the past week has been generally favorable throughout the greater portion of the state for all fall sown grains. Light warm rains have brought up much of the wheat sown in the dust earlier in the season, and good progress by that already up is noted. The reported reduction in the wheat acreage, previously mentioned, is verified by later reports, and the present indications are that the acreage this year will be about 90 per cent of last year. The average weight per measured bushel of wheat this year is 56 pounds which is 1.9 pounds less than the ten year average for the United States.

THANKSGIVING PUDDING

2 cups raisins, 2 apples, sliced thin
1 cup suet (cut fine), 1 cup sugar, 1 cup buttermilk, 1 teaspoon baking soda, 1 teaspoon baking powder 1-4 grated nutmeg, 1 teaspoon salt. Flour 2 cups or more.
Mix and sift dry ingredients, add chopped suet, apples sliced or chopped, and raisins, then liquid. Use enough flour to make a drop batter. Turn in a greased, or wet mold, and steam three hours, and serve with lemon sauce. Empty baking powder cans, coffee cans, or cocoa cans may be used, if they have tight lids.
Lemon Sauce.
1-2 cup sugar, 1 cup boiling water, 1 tablespoon corn starch or 1 1-2 tablespoon flour, 2 cups butter 1 1-2 cup lemon juice, few gratings nutmeg, few grains salt.
Mix sugar and corn-starch add water gradually stirring constantly; boil five minutes, remove from fire add butter, lemon juice and nutmeg.

WILL Ask American People to Place Themselves in France's Position, Says Premier

Washington, Nov. 18.—War would have broken out in Europe three or four times since the signing of the armistice had it not been for the French army, Premier Briand declared today in a conversation with American newspaper correspondent.
The French premier was discussing his forthcoming speech Monday before the third plenary session of the arms conference, which he said would not be an oration but rather an explanation.
"I shall ask the American people," said he, "to place themselves in the position of the French people, for three-quarters of an hour and survey the European situation as we see it and feel it."
"France does not want a large army,

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"Hello!" answered the girl, flushed with pride at being able to give the proper answer.
"Who is this?" continued the voice.
"I don't know," exclaimed the maid, "I can't see you."