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DINNER IS TO COST SAME AS FOR LAST YEAR

Local Merchants Give Prices Approximately Same as for Last Year

TURKEY COSTS MORE

Pocketbook Will Suffer About Same Slash This Season as Last Thanksgiving Day

Your Thanksgiving dinner will cost approximately the same as last year according to figures by local grocers. Turkey is selling for twenty cents on foot and thirty in the market. The price last year in the market was twenty-eight, making a difference of two cents. Potatoes are two cents a pound, the same price as last year. Celery that sold for twenty-five cents last year is now selling at fifteen. Lettuce is reduced five cents and is now ten cents a head. Cheese has also gone down five cents per pound. Eastern cranberries, the favorite for all Thanksgiving dinners are twenty-five cents a quart. The scarcity of sweet potatoes this year brings the price up to ten cents, five cents more than last year at this time. Butter is fifteen cents lower this year and was selling for sixty cents at Thanksgiving time in 1923. Pineapple, marshmallows, bananas, dates, apples, oranges are practically the same price. The mince and pumpkin pies average around twenty-five cents apiece.

Turkey this year will cost \$2.56 for a dinner of five. With turkey, sweet and Irish potatoes, corn, cranberries, pumpkin and mince pie and miscellaneous foods, including pickles, jellies, salted nuts, mints and other incidentals, your Thanksgiving dinner will cost you about \$5.26 this year. Last year the same dinner would have cost you about \$10. A chart of prices given by local grocers follows:

1924	1923
Turkey	.32
Potatoes, Ir.	.02
Potatoes, Sw.	.10
Celery	.15
Lettuce	.10
Cheese	.30
Bread	.10
Cranberries	.25
Apples	.03
Butter	.05
Bananas	.45
Oranges	.35-.75
Dates	.18
Mince Pie	.25
Pumpkin Pie	.30

BREWING FIRM IS LOSER IN ACTION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—The South Fork Brewing Company of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, lost in the United States Supreme Court today an appeal to review and set aside an injunction issued by a lower court, prohibiting the continued brewing of beer on the ground that it was in violation of the Prohibition law.

CHARM SCHOOL TO BE GIVEN SOON AT LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL

Wednesday, December 3, the high school anniversary play, "The Charm School" will be presented at the high school auditorium. This is reported to be one of the best plays that has been produced here for some time. The students have been working hard for the past six weeks. Miss Ethel Wheeler, of the English department at the high school is coaching the play and reports that the cast is a very good one and all indications point to a very successful play. This play was produced in motion pictures, the leads taken by Wallace Reid and Lila Lee.

The cast of characters are as follows:

- Austin Bevans
- Vernon McGee
- George Boyd
- LeRoy Gaudet
- Davis McKenzie
- Grayden Crews
- Jim Simpkins
- Kenneth Hobson
- Tim Simpkins
- Robert Redwine
- Homer Johns
- Robert Wright
- Elise Benedotti
- Elbert Greer
- Miss Hays
- Marion Leach
- Miss Curtis
- Thelma Perozzi
- Sally Boyd
- Evelyn Miller
- Muriel
- Caryle Van Dyke
- Ethel
- Velma Clapp
- Alix
- Dorothy Kellogg
- Lillian
- Carolene Warner
- Mary
- Alice Ferguson
- Dotie
- Marie Davies
- Madge
- Evelyn Taylor

WANTS DIVORCE AND TELLS WHOLE WORLD

BUCYRUS, Ohio, Nov. 25.—That his wife made him get his own breakfast and supper, and that she insisted he turn over his pay check to her in full every month, are claims made by John Engelhorn, of Crestline, in support of his application for a divorce. Engelhorn further averred that his wife "imported" into their household her mother, her step-father, her brother, three step-sisters and an uncle for him "to support"; that several of his wife's relations made purchases at local stores, charging them to Engelhorn's account, with the result that his "wages were twice garnished." When he and his wife separated, Engelhorn declared, Mrs. Engelhorn and her parents "stripped the house of the furniture bought on the installment plan and not fully paid for."

TERRILL BELIEVES MAN CAPTURED NOT THE BANDIT WANTED

Sheriff Declares to Portland Officers He Doesn't Believe Oklahoma Robber D'Autremont

PORTLAND, Nov. 25.—"I'm afraid the man being held in Oklahoma as a suspect in the Siskiyou tunnel holdup of last year isn't Ray D'Autremont, but gosh how I hope he is," Sheriff C. E. Terrill of Jackson county, where the crime was committed, declared here. "If he is I would like to be the man who goes and gets him. There will be little difficulty in convicting the D'Autremonts. We have evidence the automobile they used and enough other evidence to fill that automobile locked in a vault at Medford. If it is Ray D'Autremont it will be a simple matter to identify him. He would be much easier to identify than the other D'Autremont boys implicated, for we have Ray's fingerprints. I have been with officials all day waiting for further word from Oklahoma, and last night I got every edition of the paper as it came out." Sheriff Terrill also gave out that there has been some suspicion that D'Autremont was in Oklahoma. "A man has been looking for him down in that part of the country," he said. "I don't want to give the man's name, for he is not an officer, but he has devoted the past year to a personal search for the bandit, and has been working in that part of the country. When he left Oregon he said that he believed the bandits would be found in Oklahoma, Texas, Arizona, or New Mexico, that he could keep on their trail until he tracked them down." Sheriff Terrill also conferred with officers here in regard to four men arrested in Jackson county as robber suspects. He said the Portland officers were checking up to see if the quartet, known as the "green-shirt bandits," because all wore vivid green shirts, operated in this city. Two of the men, James Kelly and Frank Veder, have been held for the Jackson county grand jury, and the other two as material witnesses. They are accused of blowing the safe of the Martin-Bower drug store at Gold Hill, obtaining \$200 in loot, a Standard Oil office at Ashland, and are suspected of a store robbery at Arlington. When caught Kelly is said to have had enough nitroglycerine in his possession to blow a dozen safes.

BUSINESS AGAIN ON CONSTRUCTIVE BASIS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—American business has passed the "repairing" state, and has now entered the era of constructive enterprise, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover stated today in pointing to the present activity in Wall Street as a positive indication of the loosening of the purse strings to American investment money, which has been held tightly during the past few years, and especially during the past six months, awaiting a guarantee of safety in an election which promised to put affairs upon a stable basis.

GALE HITS EAST COAST

BELFAST, Maine, Nov. 25.—A southeast gale with a heavy rainfall caused heavy property and shipping losses today. Two barges tied up at a dock sank, and piers were awash.

BRITAIN JOINS AMERICA

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Saturday's meeting of the British cabinet developed nothing new regarding Russia, in official circles the feeling seems to be that the government's action in throwing aside the labor ministry's treaty with the soviet government has brought Britain in line with America's Russian policy.

AUTHORITIES ARE STILL PROBING FURNACE TRAGEDY

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 25.—Blood stained articles which were found today by authorities, who examined the home of the Rev. C. Sheatsley, where Mrs. Sheatsley's charred body was found in the furnace a week ago, were subjected to a number of experiments, in an effort to learn whether the blood was that of a human being or the blood of some rabbits which the minister cleaned the day before the tragedy.

The investigators also expected to go today to Lithopolis, Ohio, where they will question a woman who, said to have lunched at the Sheatsley's the day of the tragedy. Her name is being withheld by the local police officers. Mrs. Sheatsley's body was found in the furnace by her sixteen year old son when he returned home from school. A chemist report made positive the fact that the woman was dead when her body was placed in the furnace. Her husband's actions on the day of the tragedy were traced down, and the officers have released all charges against him.

CURIOUS SWARM TO BLACKMAIL CASE, LONDON

Judge Clears Court Room When Crowd Fails to Take Warning

NAMES NOT GIVEN

Curious Throngs Fail to Get Glimpse of Defendants, Who Are Smuggled in

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The handsome Mrs. Maude Robinson laid the trap through which an Indian Prince, recently arrived in the French Capitol, was found in her arms in a prominent Paris hotel room, Montague Newton, of London a life long friend of Mrs. Robinson testified in admitting his part in the plot by which it was planned to obtain \$750,000 which was to be exported from eastern potentate, designated by the court as "Mr. A." for reasons of state.

It was at her invitation, Newton stated, that he burst into the room, and impersonating her husband, caused the Prince to pay him hush money. He then continued to obtain money from the Prince, upon the threat that he would reveal the whole affair should the Indian potentate inform the authorities.

So intimate has the trial become that spectators have been barred by the judge hearing the case. A few days ago, although the spectators were allowed to swarm into the court rooms, the questions asked Mrs. Robinson were written on paper, and answered in the same manner. It was thought that this method of examination would kill the curiosity of the crowd, but since it failed, the justice ordered the court rooms cleared.

Thousands of curious men and women continued to crowd the corridors of the building, but were unable to obtain even a glimpse of Mrs. Robinson, or of Newton, who were delivered into the hands of the court through an ante-room by which the Judge makes his appearance.

WORK PROGRESSING ON PLANS FOR FAIR TO BE STAGED SOON

Entry Blanks Sent Out for Distribution Among Poultry Fanciers. Features Slated

Entry blanks have been sent out to the County Agents throughout Southern Oregon for distribution among poultry fanciers of this section, advertising matter has been prepared and distributed and the Chautauqua building is rapidly being put into condition for the Winter Fair which is one of the biggest events of the year in Ashland, this year promises to be bigger and better than ever before.

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BABY MEMBER OF CONGRESS



Andrew L. Somers, Democrat, elected to Congress from the Sixth District of Brooklyn, N. Y., is shown here with his wife and their two children. Mr. Somers will be the baby of the Congress, being only thirty-nine years old, just six days younger than Representative V. M. Chapman, Republican, of Kentucky.

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Describing the process by which a kilowatt hour of electrical energy is first developed, then transmitted, and finally put to useful work, through the efforts of the power companies of the country, Crawford showed the members present in what manner the electrical industry was aiding in the development of every other industry in this section. The energy produced by the action of falling water must first be harnessed, and then transmitted to the customers before it can be of any use to the world, according to Crawford.

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Today D'Autremont told a fellow prisoner that he possessed \$150,000 in government bonds and cash hidden near Tulsa, Okla. He also admitted leaving a trail of bad checks in Arkansas last week prior to arrival here.

The prisoner declared that while wanted on the murder and robbery charge an alibi would clear him as he was under arrest and in an Oregon jail on the date the Siskiyou holdup took place. It was after finger prints and Bertillon records were taken that D'Autremont asserted himself to be known as one of the brothers, but he said the robbery was committed by other lumberjacks than the men for whom rewards are posted by the government.

Every ad has a message.