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## Thanksgiving in the Holy Land

The average American has an idea that Thanksgiving is a national holiday peculiar to his country and celebrated because of proclamations issued by the President and by governors of states, whereas in many other countries, one of the most interesting observances of this feast is held by the Jews in Jerusalem, though it is celebrated in a very different manner from that we are accustomed to think of as Thanksgiving, says a writer in the Los Angeles Times.

While we here celebrate the day by discontinuing all business and giving up ourselves mostly to the Thanksgiving dinner, in the Far East the Thanksgiving is continued as a religious service for several days, though accompanied by much merry-making, during which all business is suspended. This ancient Hebrew people, clinging to the memory of their glorious past, drawn near to each other because of their common love for their peculiar traditions and for their "To-rah"—their solace through the ages—gather in colonies at sites theirs by right through inheritance, though not granted them by the usurpers of their land. Driven through the centuries from country to country, persecuted for their religion and massacred by the injustice of radical prejudices, they now look to their own country, selling all they possess to pay the voyage, and come, to look upon the land where lived their patriarchs and prophets and to be buried in holy soil.

### Three Great Festivities.

The three greatest feasts in which the Jew remembers his past and fulfills in all the details possible the old Mosaic law in the land promised to Moses, so many centuries ago, are the Passover, Tabernacles and Pentecost. It is at the Feast of Passover that he offers the Paschal sacrifice in the temple on Mount Sinai, since upon its site stands a gorgeous mosque where only Islam bends the knee and bows the head in adoration to Allah and Mohammed. Yet there are times when the Jew in his own ancient land rejoices and is glad. With thanks to his God for the existence today of his race—still set apart—and with great festivity he commemorates God's wonderful preservation of this people and celebrates the remarkable events in their history. He is elevated at the privilege of being able to state his own feasts, and in this way they were instituted, and this is entirely possible at the Feast of Thanksgiving, for it is a festival for the synagogue and the home, and there are no obstacles in the Holy Land to the fulfillment of every letter of the law in regard to this celebration. Setting care and business aside, he dons his handsomest gowns and goes to the synagogue, which has also been decorated in festive attire, and with a thankful heart he enters into a service which is all joyousness.

### Celebrate in "Tabernacles."

The principal feature of this Feast of Thanksgiving is the dwelling in "tabernacles" or booths for seven days. Under a perfect blue sky, surrounded by the eternal "hills round about Jerusalem," amid ancient olive trees, or in desolate stony fields, and by each house its little "succa" for celebrating the feast. Each colony has its own synagogue, and here the rabbi leads the congregation in the songs of thanksgiving, while the women prepare the festive meal to be served within the green booth. Here the family meet in deep happiness because they have been able to fulfill the command of Moses their "law giver" once again, and in the Holy land.

The Feast of Thanksgiving commemorates God's goodness in the past to the Israelites in the wilderness. Their long wandering in the Journey to the Promised Land is symbolized by their residence by day in these booths, for the space of a week. This festival is also called the Feast of Ingathering. This thought is illustrated by the plants in the "succa" and by the palms with which it is built; and by the branch and willows and lemons which are brought into the synagogue and rejoiced over.

### Picture Service.

All the services are exceedingly picturesque and all the customs are surrounded by symbolical tokens and figurative acts and parabolic speech. For this ancient people belong to a past age when man clung to symbols.

### Festival of St. Peter

On the eve of St. Peter's day bonfires were commonly prepared and ignited throughout Great Britain. This festival was most fervently kept up at Eton during the Middle Ages, where the boys made their bonfires against the church. In London the day was also associated with bonfires in the streets and with the setting of a Watch at night, the Watch parading with torches, and sometimes numbering fully 2,000 citizens. History records how King Hal, disguised in a guardsman's coat, went privately into Cheapside to witness the pageant. Yorkshire fishermen remembered St. Peter on his day by holding festival, dressing their boats and painting their masks, and sprinkling the boats with good liquor for good luck.

## DINNER PARTY

### GIVEN RECENTLY

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hartwig entertained at a dinner October 7th at their home in Beaverton, the occasion being their sixth wedding anniversary. Mr. Hartwig's relatives from Portland, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dodds and several other friends were present.

All enjoyed a pleasant afternoon and evening. A nice dinner was served, and the guests departed with many good wishes for many more happy anniversaries.

## POULTRYMEN'S MEETINGS

Poultrymen's meetings will be held at the following places at which H. E. Cosby, poultry specialist of the O. A. C. Extension Service, will discuss timely poultry problems, including the feeding of winter myers.

Forest Grove Commercial Club rooms, 2:30 P. M., Monday, Nov. 24; Rex Community Hall, 2:00 P. M., Tuesday, Nov. 25; Tigard Grange Hall Nov. 25 at 8:00 P. M.

A. V. Compton of Rex and J. Panek of Tigard are assisting with the arrangements in their respective communities.

## HILLSBORO NEWS

A marriage license has been granted to Ferd J. Schulmerick and Veronica Van Sickle, both of near Banks.

Educational week is being observed here this week. Invitations were sent to all parents to visit the schools.

G. E. Fausel pleaded guilty last Monday to a charge of unlawful law violation. He was fined \$100 and costs.

A survey will be made at once to establish a connecting loop with the Inland Double Loop highway, the proposed short cut to the Tillamook beaches.

Hillsboro high's football squad chalked up another victory Armistice day when the Alumni were defeated by a score of 13 to 0. So far the team is undefeated.

Frank Cutler, chairman of the classifications committee of the Portland Rotary club, was the principal speaker at the Thursday noon luncheon of the local Rotary Club.

Edith S. Brogden and Carl V. Steward were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brogden, Th. Rev. H. A. Deck performed the ring ceremony.

A pouring party was staged in the courthouse basement last week when more than 150 gallons of assorted liquors were poured down the sewer. The liquor had accumulated in the last six months.

"Enal Enforcement of the Law" is the subject of a talk to be given by B. F. Nulkey at a meeting of the Hillsboro Coffee Club in the local Chamber of Commerce rooms Friday afternoon. The lecture will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Twelve cases of diphtheria were reported to the office of Dr. L. W. Hyde, for the month of October. Other contagious diseases were: four cases of chickenpox, two of smallpox, two of typhoid fever, two of tuberculosis, and one of scarlet fever.

Five applicants were granted citizenship papers last week and five others were continued for further study. The new citizens are F. A. Serjent, Orenco; E. P. Demmler, Banks; J. M. Vogt, Hillsboro; E. J. Kneip, Sherwood; Alexander Karpenstein of Hillsboro. The five who were continued are: F. Schmidt, Hillsboro; Jules Coume, Hillsboro; John Bezer, Gaston; Ernest Meyer, Hillsbo; Meier Fink, of Hillsboro.

## DINNER AND BAZAAR

### WILL BE GIVEN SOON

The ladies of the Bethel Aid Society will give their annual "Chicken Pie" dinner and bazaar in the Baynard building Friday evening, December 5, 1924.

Dinner will be served from 5:30 until 8 o'clock.

The proceeds will be used for the new Congregational Church. The ladies hope for the same generous patronage as has been accorded them in the past.

## FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Interesting Little Notes from the Surrounding Country as Told by Our Active Special Correspondents Weekly

### SCOTFIELD NEWS

Walter Noack was in Hillsboro Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gratton visited in Portland over the week end.

E. B. Whittlesey made a business trip to Portland Saturday morning.

Mr. J. Durham was in Forest Grove Thursday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Steel were visiting Tuesday afternoon at Forest Grove.

Mrs. Fred Caldwell visited on Wednesday night here at the F. O'Donnell home.

Mrs. Alvin Lull visited Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. W. Best, at Buxton.

Mrs. K. Benefiel and son were in Hillsboro and Forest Grove Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Thurman of Greenville were visiting their daughter here this week.

Mrs. William Feldt, Jr., and baby made a business trip to Hillsboro Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Richter and sons motored to Portland Saturday to visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cutright and baby made a business trip to Hillsboro Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Holt and children made a business trip to Hillsboro Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Chas. T. Myers attended the W. B. A. Lodge meeting in Buxton Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Steel and daughter were shopping in Forest Grove Saturday afternoon.

Miss Verona Bledish of Buxton visited Wednesday evening here with her brother and his family.

Mr. F. D. O'Donnell spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland with his wife who is quite ill in the St. Vincents Hospital.

### ALOHA-HUBER ITEMS

Mrs. James, who has been keeping house for Mr. David Nenkomb of Huber, has gone to Portland.

Miss Elizabeth Boleen, who has been keeping house for Mr. Olson has gone to visit her sister at Oak Grove.

Mr. E. R. Dodds of Huber had the misfortune to run two rusty nails into his hand. He had quite a sore hand, but it is getting along nicely now.

Mr. August Kuhn, who has been at St. Martin's Springs, has returned minus some few pounds, and feeling much better. He came back to do a little butchering.

### CAPITOL HILL NEWS

Armistice Day was observed by the older pupils of the Capitol Hill school Monday afternoon.

Thursday afternoon the ladies of the church met to form a Ladies' Aid Society. Mrs. May was elected president.

Mr. May will hold services at the Carson Heights Community church Sunday evenings at 7:30 o'clock, with special music from Portland.

The St. Clares parish annual bazaar and chicken dinner, held two nights last week, was a complete success, bringing in over \$500.

The Hill Brownies troop No. 1 is rapidly filling up to its full quota of 24 Brownies. Five Brownies are now ready to become Girl Scouts.

A Winter Rose Show and Pumpkin Festival will be staged at the Multnomah Hotel 1 to a gardens November 25. All community clubs are urged to participate.

Friday evening Nov. 21, the St. Clares Young Folks' Social Club will hold a dance in the St. Clares auditorium. Refreshments will be served. Music will be furnished by the Young Folks' orchestra.

The meeting of the Capitol Hill Improvement Club was a purely social one. Among the speakers were R. F. Grey and John C. Henderson. There were also several musical selections rendered. Refreshments were served.

### BURRVILLE

J. M. Mills was in Manning Monday morning.

John Prickett of Banks was in Burrville Sunday.

E. W. Mills was a Sunday afternoon caller at the C. D. Wyomere home.

Mrs. Jesse Phillips and children of Bledsoe were visiting at the I. P. Bledsoe home Saturday.

J. M. Brown attended the Native Sons' and Daughters' meeting at Hillsboro Friday evening.

Elva Bledsoe of Banks was a Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, I. P. Bledsoe and wife.

The McFarlane sawmill at Shady Rest is soon to resume operations after a two month's close down.

The Ladies' Club will hold a bazaar at the Mahning school house on the evening of Dec. 6. Everybody is invited.

J. M. Brown and John Gillespie and wife and Mrs. Mills attended the Grange meeting at Buxton Saturday.

## Caucus For City Officers Held

As scripture says many are called but few chosen. Candidates scarce for city offices

Quite a large crowd attended the caucus at the High School Tuesday evening held for the purpose of nominating a city ticket to be voted on in December. The striking feature of the caucus was that so few were willing to give of their time and ability to serve the city.

Five different names were presented before the house for the position of Mayor, only to be withdrawn instantly by the parties whose name had been presented. Otto Erickson, E. W. Woodruff, C. E. Mason, A. E. Woods, W. E. Pegg finally consented to allow his name to go on the ticket after a mild but ineffectual protest.

Councilmen Woodruff and Felman were retiring from the City Council this coming year, and although they were nominated they refused to have their names printed on the ticket, as did Harry Alexander, L. R. Dean, Walter Harris, Doy Gray, J. Summers, Hugh Lewis and J. Pinder. Hugh Lewis was mentioned but claimed he did not hear it so it was not withdrawn. Neither were the names of Mrs. J. C. Huntley, who was placed in nomination by L. R. Dean, or Mr. C. E. Hedge, placed in nomination by George Plync. Ballots were cast and it was voted that Hugh Lewis and C. E. Hidge go on the ticket for Councilmen for 2 years.

For members of the Council for one year Mr. Dean again presented the name of Mrs. J. C. Huntley, C. C. Beach and J. W. Srague were nominated. The ballot elected C. C. Beach, whose name will go on the ballot as Councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of F. H. Hoeken.

For recorder only one name was presented, that of George Thyrng, the present incumbent. Of course he didn't want the office but as they insisted so persistently he allowed his name to be the unanimous choice of the caucus.

On motion of "Shorty" Story it was voted to name the ticket the "Citizen's Ticket."

Since the caucus it has been rumored that Mr. Hedge will not allow his name to be placed on the ticket as candidate for Councilman. He was not present at the caucus.

Early to bed and early to rise Makes a man grouchy and gives him sore eyes.

Daly & Marsh are thankful to be in their new building this Thanksgiving.

A little bee sat on a tree, And then he sat on me. Oh Gee!

## FRESHMEN GIVE

### RETURN PARTY

The Freshman Class of the Beaverton High School entertained the upper-classmen and faculty at a party given in the high school gymnasium Friday evening. It was a return party, given in honor of the Sophomore class, who tendered the Freshmen a reception a few weeks ago.

The gymnasium was very tastefully decorated in red and white. The words, Sophomore Class, were printed in red on one of the white side walls, giving a very pretty effect.

Several lively games were played. When everyone was ravishingly hungry refreshments consisting of brick ice cream and cookies were served in the cafeteria room.

Following the serving of the refreshments, the guests left for their various homes, declaring that the Freshmen were royal hosts and hostesses.

## LAD EXPECTED TO RECOVER

Friends and relatives of William Nelson, former Hillsboro lad, were relieved to learn last week that he was expected to recover. He sustained severe injuries in Sheridan last Wednesday night, when he was mistaken for a burglar and shot. He was taken to the Emanuel Hospital in Portland.

At first it was reported that Nelson was in a grave condition and not expected to live, but his injuries are believed now to be less serious.

Nelson is the son of Mrs. William Nelson, well-known resident of Hillsboro. He enlisted in the army and served during the World War. For the last two years he has been engaged in the automobile business in Sheridan.

## WOMAN INJURED AS

### CAR HITS BUGGY

Mrs. Nettie Roy of Banks sustained painful bruises Wednesday night when the light buggy in which she was riding with John Cop was struck by an automobile driven by Claude Morgan, also of near Banks.

The accident, which occurred about a mile south of the city limits of Banks, was said to have been caused by the lack of lights on both vehicles. Morgan stated that his lights had failed him shortly after he had left Forest Grove and as he was unable to remedy them, he decided to drive in to Banks, where he could have the work done at a garage.

As he was topping a slight grade he failed to see the buggy coming from the opposite direction. The buggy had no light of any kind. No very serious injuries resulted.

## TUALATIN

Allan F. McAfee, formerly of Tualatin, has been elected the Mayor of Harrisburg.

Mrs. Lillian Harding entertained recently with card games and dancing at her home in Tualatin.

John Nyberg has been re-elected Mayor of Tualatin. The following other officers were elected: John Stone, recorder; W. R. Bauxhurst, John Wesch, E. A. Robinson, William Barngrover, councilmen; Mary Robinson, treasurer; Charles Roberts, marshal; Charles Castel, justice of the peace.

## MAPLEWOOD ITEMS

A surprise party was given for Miss Wanda Jones on her birthday last week at her home in Maplewood. A large number of her friends were present to help Wanda celebrate the occasion.

Mrs. A. Holm was sent by the local Parent-Teacher Association as a delegate to the Parent-Teacher convention held down in Corvallis. She returned last week, bringing with her many inspiring and helpful ideas for the association.

J. S. Campbell of the Hiteon neighborhood called at the Review office Wednesday. Ye Editor worked for Mr. Campbell a short time back in Michigan, where the latter owned and operated a sawmill. Mr. Campbell is timber cruiser on one of the big companies and spends much of his time looking over timber and making estimates and traveling for this company.



Think of a picnic on this day in our climate—the thought is enough to induce chills!

To my great regret I could not be at two places at one time, and so there was another number on the program for this day—a "luncheon" for the indigent Hawaiians—I took myself at an early hour of the afternoon to Lanaila Home to witness the ceremony from beginning to end.

Arriving in good season there was opportunity for making various observations.

The "laying of table" is by no means a neglected art with the Hawaiians. A grassy strip of lawn is thickly covered with "tie" (pronounced tea) and fern leaves, plates and bowls are tied up most dexterously with these tie leaves, which are smooth and seem particularly adapted to their various needs.

The bowls were filled with "poi"—a pasty substance prepared from the taro plant, the latter being their staple product, every part of which is used for one dish or another. This plant belongs to the caladium family, and the part only is used for this national dish.

Each plate contained a generous supply of roast pig, which is, indeed, a rare delicacy, prepared after the fashion: The nodus operandi follows:

Odd Forns is Ovens.

An oven of stones is arranged out of doabs and heated, some bowlers, also well heated, are placed inside of the carefully prepared pig, the latter is wrapped in tie leaves (the latter imparting a fine flavor to the meat), and the bundle entrusted for about seven and a half hours to the slow and steady heat of this model stove.

The accessories to the pig and poi were seaweed and a preparation of kofoni nuts, very salty and a fine relish to the poi, which is without any seasoning and rather tasteless (varying in acidity from day to day as it ferments); sweet potato was the vegetable served.

After the vigorous singing of a large bell our old friends, lame, decrepit and many of them blind, but all decorated with leis (wreaths) filed out and got into position. Sitting down on the floor may be easy enough, but the getting down is a serious performance for rusty joints, and it took them some time before they could perform their modest fold under properly.

A short prayer having been offered by one of their class, they all entered the contest with a vigor and relish that did our native hearts good.

As our native brethren believe in loyalty to their ancient customs, their fingers did service instead of modern table appointments, and it was curious, as well as interesting, to observe their etiquette.

Their poi was of two-finger consistency—that means that it was thin enough or of just such thickness that two fingers were necessary to manipulate it to the mouth—the first and second digits are thrust into the bowl and twisted out in such a manner that a large mouthful is the result—the process being repeated as long as contents hold out. With equal dexterity they separate the meat particles and pick the bones of their favorite roast pig.

### No Fear of Microbes.

The microbe theory has evidently not reached the ears of these children of nature; at any rate they do not trouble themselves about anything so abstract, for one pitcher of water was passed to any one whose thirst made itself manifest, and I noticed how carefully the left-over poi was scraped out of the bowls, only to be consumed later on by attendants.

It was intensely fascinating to follow their actions, and volumes could be written about their various personalities; but one blind man, who had lately taken unto himself a wife, much older than himself, and, perhaps, an Indian squaw, seemed to mostly interest the few chosen spectators.

This worthy disciple of Hawaii must have dined especially for the occasion. It was ludicrous to see him, after he had finished his own portion, reach over to his wife's side and slip away a big mouthful of poi or pig. She did not mind it until she observed the attention it was causing, when she gently remonstrated, and he very courteously desisted from further appropriations.

### Little Trouble to "Clean Up."

Not the least interesting was the conclusion. As the old folks were helped to their feet—which the attendant very skillfully rolled up this mass of leaves, patch by patch, the bowls and plates having previously been denuded of their verdant dress and set aside, and the debris carted away. In a few minutes everything was absolutely clean. Not a vestige

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"Jack told me last night that I was the prettiest girl he'd ever known."

"Oh, that's nothing," he said the same to me a year ago."

"I know that but as one grows older one's taste improves, you know."

## Roosting High

