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1 1/2 cups flour  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder  
2 eggs  
1 1/2 cups milk  
1 tablespoon shortening  
Mix and sift dry ingredients; add beaten eggs, milk and melted shortening; mix well. Bake immediately on hot griddle.

**Waffles**

2 cups flour  
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 1/2 cups milk  
2 eggs  
1 tablespoon melted shortening  
Sift flour, baking powder and salt together; add milk to yolks of eggs; mix thoroughly and add to dry ingredients; add melted shortening and mix in beaten whites of eggs. Bake in well-greased hot waffle iron until brown. Serve hot with maple syrup. It should take about 1 1/2 minutes to bake each waffle.

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**Thanksgiving Hymn Well Liked at Birth But Now Forgotten**

The first presidential Thanksgiving proclamation was that of President Washington in 1789 on the occasion of the adoption of the Constitution, the day, curiously enough, being November 26—the date of celebration of 1863. This latter was the real forerunner of our national Thanksgiving day. Occasional and special times of thanksgiving had often been appointed by different Presidents, but the year 1863, famous for its decisive national victories, marked also the beginning of the annual series of Thanksgiving days.

The great victories of Gettysburg and Vicksburg were really the cause of Lincoln's proclamation, and his example has been followed by all his successors until the annual festival has become one of our national institutions.

The proclamation of 1863 was remarkable as the first of a series, extending now over fifty years. It was also noticeable because it was the occasion of a thanksgiving hymn by the famous Reverend Doctor Muhlenburg of St. Luke's hospital, New York city. He is well known as the author of the familiar hymn, "I Would Not Live Alway," and a poet of no small repute. Mr. Lincoln's glowing words met his eye and struck a responsive chord in his heart. A noble Thanksgiving hymn was the result, a hymn which at the time was often sung, but is now comparatively forgotten. It was published with appropriate music, and even yet is suitable for use on similar occasions.

The hymn contains nine stanzas, with chorus, and takes up in order the various causes for thanksgiving mentioned in Mr. Lincoln's proclamation. The original title was "Give Thanks All Ye People," the first verse being as follows:

Give thanks, all ye people, give thanks to the Lord, Alleluia of Freedom with joyful accord: Let the East and the West, North and South roll along, Sea, mountain and prairie, one thanks-

Chorus.  
Give thanks, all ye people, give thanks to the Lord, Alleluia of Freedom, with joyful accord

As the hymn was suggested by Mr. Lincoln's call upon the nation to give thanks, Doctor Muhlenburg spoke of it as "The President's Hymn," but would not permanently offer such a title without Mr. Lincoln's approval. Mr. Robert B. Minturn, a prominent member of Doctor Muhlenburg's congregation, was greatly pleased with the poem, and sent a copy to the President with whom he was personally acquainted, asking permission to name the hymn as the author desired. Mr. Lincoln telegraphed back: "So let it be."

In July, 1865, Dr. Horace Bushnell published in "Hours at Home" an article attacking the well-known hymn "America," as an unworthy and really humiliating effusion—as a political anthem. Doctor Bushnell thus refers to Doctor Muhlenburg's production:

"The hymn and air that were given to the public by Doctor Muhlenburg a short time ago appear to have missed the accident of being fairly born, and for that reason have not succeeded. The want of good accident here is fatal, but the hymn has real merit. It was too long and included three or



four verses that could have been omitted with advantage. Otherwise it might have stuck and would have had a fair chance of success; for the music, which we know only by the eye, and never heard in a public performance, appeared to have a look of promise."

The next known reference to this hymn occurs in connection with the observance of the fiftieth convocation of the University of Illinois, on November 20, 1913. The Alumni Quarterly says: "Touches of the unusual were added to the exercises by the singing of a forgotten hymn, dedicated to Lincoln in 1863 by Reverend Doctor Muhlenburg. The hymn, which had not previously been sung in public, was discovered by Professor Dodge in a contemporary issue of the New York Tribune."

**Preparing for Thanksgiving.**  
Be ready for Thanksgiving by always having a list of your blessings corrected up to date.

**Vapor Bath in Each House.**

A vapor bath separate from the main building is a part of every house in Irkutsk. Stones are piled and heated in a fire and water is poured over them so that when the door is closed the steam fills the bathroom. The bathers, sitting on benches, steam their naked bodies both to cleanse themselves and relieve fatigue. They use a brush made of small cherry branches with leaves to strike themselves with for cleansing, and pour cold water from a small pail on their faces when the heat is too great. There is hot and cold water, as in a Japanese bath. From time to time they wash themselves and return again to the vapor. The vapor bath is prepared four times a month, and always in the evening before Sunday, when all the members of the family bathe, says Asia. There also are public baths in the city similar, but larger.



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**The High School Mirror**

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**Grade News**

Marion Howard of the third grade has moved to Ione.  
The third grade had a Thanksgiving party Wednesday.  
Teddy Miles of Salt Lake City, Utah, has entered the fourth grade.  
The fourth grade had a Thanksgiving program Wednesday afternoon.  
The sixth grade boys played the seventh and eighth grade boys in a foot ball game this week.  
The seventh grade pupils are to be the guests of the sixth grade Wednesday afternoon at their Thanksgiving program.

**Program, Sixth Grade Thanksgiving America, the Beautiful.**

Columbia ..... Alice Dyer  
Thanksgiving Day in the New World ..... Lewis Wishart  
Thanksgiving Day in the United States and Canada ..... Elizabeth Straw  
Organ Solo ..... Alice Dyer  
When the Frost is on the Pumpkin ..... Oscar Miksell  
The Landing of the Pilgrim ..... Margaret Waterman  
Thanksgiving Conversation in Rhyme.

**Jolly Students** ..... All

Duet  
Frank Stevens and Joe McNaught  
The Puritans Thanksgiving  
Beatrice Benschel  
Give Thanks for What?..Edna Gould  
The Pilgrim and the Turkey.  
Thanksgiving Conundrums  
Pauline Pelmulder  
After the program apples were served.  
Miss Gertrude Beisse entertained a number of her friends at a delightful party given at her home on North Ridge, Saturday afternoon.

**High School News**

Miss Dorothy Briggs returned from Portland Sunday, after spending the week with her sister and attending the International Stock Show. She reports having seen a wonderful show with over a thousand head of stock shipped in from all parts of the United States.  
Ernest Carson, a member of the Sophomore class was absent two days from school last week.

**Lucille Sullivan, Zona**

Jane Gunn, Elizabeth Phillips, Patrick, Clarice Watson, Hugh or, Clyde McElroy and G. Rhodes, chaperoned by Miss N. were the Hermiston High Schoolers at the Athena foot ball game Saturday.  
Superintendent Green and Smith from the State Superintendent's office at Salem, were here last Friday checking up the laboratory paratus and the library.

**The Hermiston High School**

ball squad returned Saturday Athena where they met defeat by a tune of 21 to 7 after a hard game against a heavier team slick field. The only score for Hermiston being made by Waterman the first quarter after a special run of over 30 yards. The team was unable to get the victors of home field Thanksgiving Day as previously arranged, so has scheduled a game with the Stanfield team, the students are looking forward to a fast battle for foot ball supremacy on the home field on that day.  
Miss Eldora Kingsley, a member of the Freshman class, entertained her Sunday School class at her Saturday afternoon.



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