

We Give Thanks:

BY ACT OF CONGRESS . . . In 1941 . . . the fourth Thursday in November is nationally observed as a holiday.

BY NATIONAL PROCLAMATION . . . in 1863 . . . when an official announcement was made by President Lincoln on the urging of Sarah J. Hale, editor of Godey's Lady's Book.

BY ORDER . . . in 1621 . . . by Governor Bradford of Plymouth Colony in New England.

(Most Americans believe that the holiday dates back to the order of Governor Bradford — but scholars seem to generally be in agreement that days of thanks have been observed since remote periods of history.)



Thanksqiving

We Present:

A PILGRIM PAIR OF TWINS . . . but with widely divergent approach to the giving of thanks. To us, Patty and Mickey, twin daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Blair, 534 N. 9th, are graphically symbolic of a scene

which stems from mankind's first gesture of thanksgiving for sustenance — one completely and devoutly registering gratitude — the other (possibly remembering a hungry day)—with an anticipatory eye on the festal fowl.

The twins are seven and in the 2nd grade at Fremont. Their mother (Lorraine) is busy at home—and their dad is known around town as assistant manager of Sears Roebuck and Company.—(Milly Ramsby). —Photo by Kettler