Christine's Crystals.

Thanksgiving Day in Ye Olden Time.

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For our great American holiday of Thanksgiving we are indebted to the Forton Pilgrims of New England, though the idea of setting apart a day of general thanksgiving was far from being original with them.

Those families with the history of the long-suffering people are aware that the persecutions which they endured in England under Mary Elizabeth and James I, caused a number of them to emigrate in 1608 to Holland, where they established themselves in the city of Leyden and where they were joined by their remaining brethren in 1608. The opportunity of a Thanksgiving day for some special blessing had long been a custom among the Dutch as well as among other nations of Europe, and the general gratitude to heaven for this great war victory, for the proclamation of peace or for deliverance from pestilence or famine often found expression in this way. They after fully considering themselves that their principle could never take root in Holland and that their number instead of increasing was greatly diminishing there the Pilgrims abandoned the country and when they had landed on Plymouth Rock and had found a home in a new world, they retained the old Dutch custom of a general thanksgiving for special blessings. An unusually bountiful harvest was always deemed a fitting occasion for the appointment of a thanksgiving day by the governors of the colonies of Plymouth and Massachusetts Bay, and as the earth began a reward more abundantly the labor which the colonists bestowed upon it, the harvests became so uniformly pleasant that an annual Thanksgiving day followed as a natural sequence.

The observance was always both a religious and social one. The early Puritans are died "meeting" as they called their church services twice on every Thanksgiving day, and this pious custom has been continued in many parts of rural New England down to the present time, though the more righteous dwellers in the cities and large towns now deem attendance upon an service a sufficient opportunity for offering their thanks.

What a quaint appearance a rural New England "meeting house" presented at a Thanksgiving service prior to the forty years ago! The pulpit towered high and was surmounted by a huge sounding board which seemed liable to fall and crush the minister at any moment. Upon an elevated seat in front of the sacred desk sat the ruling elder facing the congregation. Upon another seat less elevated than his, sat the deacons, while the plain seats in the body of the house were occupied by the fathers and mothers of families with their children and hired help.

The pastor opened the service with a prayer of at least fifteen minutes length and followed it with the reading and exposition of a chapter of holy writ. Then the ruling elder gave out a psalm in which all the congregation joined, and when it had been sung the minister preached for one hour, measuring the time by means of an hour glass. Prior to the contribution which followed, one of the deacons would rise and say, "Brethren of the congregation, now there is a time remaining for thanksgiving and contribution to the Lord, wherefore, as the Lord hath prospered you, freely offer." Collection plates or baskets were not passed from out to seat but a large box of wood was placed upon a stand or table near the pulpit. When the deacon had returned to his seat, the whole congregation rose and proceeded to the contribution box. First came the magistrates and "land gentlemen," then the elders, then the deacons, and after them the entire assembly. They deposited their offerings one by one and then passed out one seat again. These contributions consisted not only of money, but of grain or land and any article which could be sold or otherwise profitably appropriated to the benefit of the church, thus making it a strange, miscellaneous collection of goods and chattels of various descriptions.

It was the custom in the old Puritan churches to endeavor to reconcile upon Thanksgiving day any dispute which might have occurred among the members, whether arising from the affairs of the church itself or from private transactions. In the former case the Dutch was a division upon any question of doctrine, church policy or discipline, it was often customary to call in an arbitrator, some wise and good man usually a clergyman or elder—from another church. The Rev. Mr. Buckley of Colchester, Conn., a distinguished Puritan ancestor of mine, was famous in his day as a casuist and arbitrator. A church in his neighborhood had fallen into unhappy dissension and contention which they were unable to adjust among themselves. Two men were appointed a committee to state members laid the case before Mr. Buckley and desired him to commit to his judgment in writing that might be read to the assembled congregation at the close of the morning service on Thanksgiving day.

How it happened that on the outside of book, Mr. Buckley owned a very which he had entrusted to the care of a friend man. In dispatching a letter to his friend, at the same time with his letter of advice to the church he put the question submitted to him, the papers were inadvertently mixed, and the document intended for the parties and deacons was sent to the friend, while the letter intended for the church was handed to the pastor at the conclusion of the morning service on Thanksgiving day. Imagine the amusement of the good man and his congregation when he read as follows: "You will see to the repair of the fences that they be built high and strong, and you will take special care of the old bull pen."

For several minutes a most profound silence reigned among the good brethren. All were completely puzzled by the unusual advice. But at length one man looked among the more deserving ones an interpreter, who arose and said: "Brethren, this is the very thing we most need. The fences are the fences admonishes us to keep good bond in the admission and examination of our members. We must rule the church by our Master's law, and keep out strange cattle from the fold, and we must in a particular manner set a watchful guide over the devil, that old black bull that has done so much damage among us." All now perceived the wisdom and fitness of Mr. Buckley's advice, and resolved to be governed by it. As a consequence, all animosities subsided and perfect harmony was restored to the long disturbed church. What was contained in the church letter sent to the farmer, and what effect it had upon him, I am unable to say.

Strict as the old Puritans were, they were not opposed to certain games—particularly those of an outdoor character. Bowls and lachgammon were permitted, and the young men and maidens were not restricted, at least in the colonies of Plymouth and Massachusetts Bay, from participating in been upon Thanksgiving day, after they had devoutly attended to its meetings. Some of the old English Christmas games were also permitted, and many a merry of Portian lads and lasses participated in snap dragon and blind man's buff, on Thanksgiving night. This custom of making the occasion one for family and social reunion and devoting it largely to innocent amusement, is still one of the most honored in connection with Thanksgiving day, and no where more so than in New England.

The Puritans and their descendants for many years after their arrival were largely opposed to the introduction of any musical instrument at divine worship, but in 1729 a member of the choir connected with the Hingham, Massachusetts, "meeting house"—the oldest church in this country, having been built in 1681—had learned to play upon the violin cello, was anxious to display his skill, and according brought his big fiddle into the singing gallery on Thanksgiving morning. While the hymn was being read he ventured to try his strings to ascertain if the instrument were in tune, and thereby attracted the attention of the pastor. The good man paused, laid down his hymn book, and proceeded with his sermon as though singing formed no part of his public worship, and finally dismissed the congregation without vote or comment. The members of the choir were indignant. The young men and girls resolved not to go into the "singing seats" at all in the afternoon, and the elders who did go there wore a look of stern resolution. The pastor read a psalm and sat down. No sound followed. After a long silence he read the psalm again, with flushed face and stern manner, looking interrogately at the gallery. The choir leader—my gr at grandfather, by the way, from whom the story has been handed down to succeeding generation—could bear it no longer and called out decisively, "there'll be no singing here this Thanksgiving."

"Then there'll be no preaching," said the pastor, and taking his cocked hat from its peg he marched out of church, leaving his congregation paralyzed with astonishment. The big fiddle did not again appear in the "singing seats."

The general observance of an annual Thanksgiving day spread very slowly outside of New England. An American edition of the Episcopalian Prayer Book dated 1785, strongly advised it, but the recommendation was not then acted upon. Thanksgiving day was not regularly proclaimed by any state governor outside of New England till 1817, and it is only within 21 years past that it has been customary for the President of the United States to proclaim it.

GEOFFREY WILLISTON CHRISTINE.

HIS REVENGE.

HOW A MUCH-ABUSED MAN BROUGHT A WOMAN TO TIME.

(From the Chicago Tribune.)

"There isn't any use of your wasting a minute of your time on me," said the woman who had come to the door. "I've had four peddlers here already this morning, and I don't need any brooms, or towels, or indelible ink, or mouse traps, or receipts for making soap. I don't know what you've got in your valise, but I don't want it. That's plain enough, isn't it?"

"It is cruel, ma'am," replied the man with the valise, "to prejudge even a peddler or a book agent, for such you seem to take me to be. I would not deny that I am canvassing this neighborhood with a view to supplying the people with some of the modern conveniences of life, but I see it is useless to occupy your time. Before I go, however, permit me to ask if you have ever seen or heard of such a thing as a false mouth and chin, made of India rubber and tinted to resemble the color and texture of the human skin, easily adjusted to place and so artfully executed as to defy detection, especially if the wearer stands partially in the shade, the expression being that of a mouth and chin in repose, and behind this skillfully arranged mask the real mouth can yawn and yawn unsuspected by the person or persons who may happen to be looking at it from a point of view immediately in front, the advantage being that one can wear this when entertaining a tiresome caller, and you will pardon me for saying that I have observed you yawning two or three times while I have been speaking, and with a device such as this artificial rubber mouth and chin you can easily imagine how one could divert one's self at the expense, for instance, of a luckless canvasser who might stand and try to talk the arm off you as I myself am doing, perhaps, and if such a little invention as this, entirely new and never seen on the road or in the market anywhere, could be placed in your possession for the trifling sum of ten cents would you not think it worth the investment, ma'am?"

"Why, yes," said the woman of the house, "I wouldn't have any objection to buying something of that kind, just for amusement."

Well, I haven't got it," rejoined the dignified canvasser, turning on his heel. "Good morning, ma'am.

To be rich with cream, pour cream that frothes and foams when churned at low temperature. Rich cream is not apt to. This is one of Mr. H. R. Gorler's experimental discoveries.

It begins to look as if the colder cream can be churned, the more better it will bring.

August is perhaps the very worst month in the year for minutes, foul odors and noxious vapors of all kinds. It has been observed that the cholera always rages worst in August and the early part of September. During August, therefore, those who handle milk, cream, butter and cheese will need to be doubly and triply careful as to cleanliness.

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Box Elder County, Utah.

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Davis County, Utah.

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Juab County, Utah.

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Levan	N P Hermsen
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Kane County, Utah.

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Box Elder County, Utah.

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Woodruff	Joe H Harris

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Chihuahua, Mexico.

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Millard County, Utah.

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Oneida County, Idaho.

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Franklin	Lorenzo I. Hatch
Fairview	Moroni W Peck
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(Glendale P O, Oneida Co.)	
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(Cleveland P O, Bannock Co.)	
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McCammon	Alanson Norton
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Oxford	Neriah R Lewis
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Piute County, Utah.

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Kane County.

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Iron County, Utah.

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Kanarra	Wm Ford
Paragonah	Wm E Jones
Parowan	Charles Adams
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Salt Lake City Wards.

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Fourth	Harrison Sperry
Fifth	Samuel M T Robbins
Sixth	James C Wallace
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Eighth	Elijah F Sheets
Ninth	Samuel A Woodruff
Tenth	Adam Spors
Eleventh	Robert Morris
Twelfth	Hyrum B Clawson
Thirteenth	Nelson A Empey
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Fifteenth	Elias Morris
Sixteenth	Frederick Nesler
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Eighteenth	Orson F Whitney
Nineteenth	Isaac Barton
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Twenty-second	Alfred Solomon
Twenty-third	Geo R Jones

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San Juan County, Utah.

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Fountain Green	Christian J Christiansen
Gunnison	C A Madsen
Indianola	Peter Peterson
Mayfield	Parley Christensen
Manti, North	Wm T Reid
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Mount Pleasant	C N Lund
Moroni	John W Iverson
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Glenwood	Herbert H Bell
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Fairview (acting Bishop)	O H Childs
Freedom	Delbert Lee
Grover (acting Bishop)	H J Redman
Guyer	James Jensen

St. George Stake.

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Washington County, Utah.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Bellevue	Andrew Gregerson, P E
Bunkerville	David H Gill, P E
Central	Wm Chadwick, P E
Glen Edwin	Edwin Hamblin, P E
Grafton	James M Ballard
Gunlock	Franklin C Holt
Harrisburg	
Harmony	Wm A Redd
Harrisburg	Hyrum S Lamoy, acting Bishop
Hebron	George A Hoyt
Leeds	Brigham Y McMullin
Middleton	Richard Prince, P E
Mountain Dell	Wm Isom, P E
Overton	Thomas J Jones
Panaca	Charles C Hulmes
Pine Valley	Peter Snow
Pinto	Robert Knell
Price	N H Peart
Rockville	Gottlieb Hirschi
Santa Clara	J O Hafen
Shounesburg	J A Allen
Springdale	Alma Hirschi
St George, First	Thomas Judd
" Second	Geo F Jarvis
" Third	Andrew S Wiggins
" Fourth	Thos P Cottam
Toquerville	Wm A Stoddard
Virgin	Leroy W Brooks
Washington	Andrew Spendt

Lincoln County, Nevada.

Bunkerville	Edward Bunker, Jr
Carter Valley	Lemuel L. Woods, P E
Eagle Valley	John E. Hammond, P E
Spring Valley	Amasa Thiel, P E

Pariagat County, Arizona.

Beaver Dam	Albert Pickens, P E

St. Joseph Stake.

President: Carlos Carlos Layton, Thatcher. Counselors: W D Johnson, M H Merrill, Thatcher.

Graham County, Arizona.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Curtis	J H Ostrik
" (P O address, Eden, via Pima)	
Centre	Joseph Cluff
" (P O address Central)	
Graham (Safford P O)	Geo Skinner P E
Eden (Safford P O)	John Walker
Matthews (Pima P O)	D H Matthews
Thatcher (Thatcher P O)	Samuel Claridge
Pima (Pima P O)	John Taylor
Bryce (via Pima P O)	Alma S Bryce

St. Johns Stake.

President: David K Udall, Springerville. Counselors: E N Freeman, Wm H Stoddard, St Johns.

Apache County, Arizona.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Alpine	Joseph N. Heymond
Eastlake	O A Kemps
Springerville	Jesse Smith, Jr
Springerville	O H Crosby
St Johns	C P Anderson

Pattonia County, New Mexico.

Ramah	E Lewis, P E

Socorro County, New Mexico.

Luna (Heber)	Wm H Reynolds, P E

Summit Stake.

President: W W. Cluff, Coalville. Counselors: Alma Eldridge, Coalville; W. E Park, Kamas.

Summit County, Utah.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Coalville, East	Joseph Wright
Coalville	F H Wright
Echo (acting Bishop)	E Hodson
Hoytsville	John Peacock
Henefer	Wm Sargent
Kamas	S F Atwood
Oakley	Marion Lyman
Parley's Park	G M Park
Park City (acting Bishop)	J A Allen
Peoa	Stephen Walker
Rockport	J M Malin
Upton	John Clark
Wanship	S H Young

Uinta County, Wyoming.

Altag	James Bowen
Evanston	James Brown

Sweetwater County, Wyoming.

Rock Springs	Joseph Beesley

Tooele Stake.

President: H S Gowans, Tooele. Counselors: C L Anderson, Grantsville; George F Richards, Tooele.

Tooele County, Utah.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Clover	F G M Oliver
Deep Creek	John A Erickson P E
E T City	W P Moss
Grantsville	James L Wrathall
Lakeview (Tooele)	J G Shields
St John	D H Caldwell
Tooele City	Thos Atkin
Vernon	J C Sharp

Uintah Stake.

President: S H Boulden, Vernal. Counselors: R S Collett, James Hackling, Vernal.

Uintah County, Utah.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Deep Creek (Vernal)	
Glines (Vernal)	Peter Abplanalp
Jensen (Jensen)	George Brown
Merrill (Naples)	James Shaffer
Mill (Vernal)	Wm Shaffer
Mountain Dell (Vernal)	O Perry Bingham
Vernal (Vernal)	George Freeborne

Utah Stake.

President: Edward Partridge. Counselors: David John and Reed Smoot, Provo.

Utah County, Utah.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Alpine	Albert Marsh
American Fork	Wm H. Robinson
Battle Creek	A J Stewart
Cedar Valley	Eli Bennett
Cinnon	Henry Elmer P E
Goshen	Wm Price
Highland	Hyrum Healy, P E
Lake Shore	Lorenzo Argyle
Lake View	
Lehi	Thomas R Cutler
Lehi Branch	Thomas R Jacob P E
Mapleton	E L Whiting
Oakland (Springville)	Wm Gallion, P E
Payson, First	John E Hoole
" Second	Jonathan S Page Jr
Pleasant Grove, First	Joel E Tanner
" Second	Jos Cobbley
" Third	R Swenson
Pleasant Valley (Smithfield)	T J Parmley
Pleasant View (Provo)	Alex Gillespie
Provo, First	Andrew Kimball
" Second	Evan White
" Third	William J Lewis
" Fourth	Joseph R Keeler
Salem	Jesse H Taylor
Santaquin	John M Hallows
Spanish Fork, 1st	Henry Gardner
" 2nd	Geo D Beall
" 3rd	Melvin Larsen
" 4th	A E Nielson
Springville 1st	John Parkes
" 2nd	Lorin Harmer
" 3rd	Geo H Hill
" 4th	Joseph S Loyed
Tintanagos (Provo)	Peter M Watts

Wasatch Stake.

President: Abram Hatch, Heber. Counselors: T H Giles, H S Alexander Heber.

Wasatch County, Utah.

WARDS.	BISHOPS.
Centre (Heber)	Wm Blake
Charleston	N C Mundell
Daniels Creek (Heber)	P H Dotson P E
Hailstone (Heber)