

TURKEY FOR THOUSANDS

Father Knickerbocker and Other Hosts Ready for Diners.

COOKS TO HAVE BUSY DAY

City Institutions to Serve More Thanksgiving Food than Ever Before.

Those who make a business of providing Thanksgiving dinners to the "submerged tenth" worked yesterday and all night last night as hard as bank presidents averting a panic.

To begin with, Old Father Knickerbocker himself, probably as big and undoubtedly as well established an operator as any in this line, will stake about twelve thousand human locomotives, many of them laid up for repairs.

To Feed Thousands an Island.

But the opportunity presented by this fall is no marker to that which the hospitals and homes offer, for jailbirds are usually able bodied and can resist the imposition of too much Thanksgiving cheer.

But this does not include the big Municipal Lodging House, at 25th street and East River, where William C. York, the superintendent, plans to serve between 1,500 and 1,600 recipients.

Begins Stuffing Children To-day.

To get ahead of Old Father Knickerbocker the Children's Aid Society began stuffing the 7,000 children who attend its schools yesterday at noon.

Down at the Bowers Mission, close by Rivington street, James T. Hunt, the manager, began as far back as September 1 writing names and addresses for the distribution of free Thanksgiving baskets.

AN UNCONSCIOUS THANKSGIVING REPEAT.

Group of Chinese children in Amoy, who are not old enough to realize the horror of civil war, which is devastating their country.



These 175 were found worthy, but, unfortunately, the mission's output is limited to 100 family baskets, each containing food enough for ten. Cards entitling them to baskets were sent out to this number on Monday.

The actual serving of food will begin this morning at 1 o'clock, when the bread line starts. This institution will hold night sessions until Easter morning.

To Give Mission a Close Race.

A little further down the Bowery the Bowers Young Men's Christian Association will give the mission a close race. The two are so near together that the lines of free diners waiting for their largesse frequently meet and sometimes disorders result from the jealousy existing between the rival camps.

GIRL DENOUNCES JUDGE

Enraged at Hint That She Led on Man She Accuses.

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Dr. Lyon's PERFECT TOOTH POWDER

neutralizes the destructive acids of the mouth—cleanses, preserves and beautifies the teeth, and imparts purity and fragrance to the breath.

TALKS ON TRUSTS TWICE

Wickersham Draws Crowds That Fill Y. M. C. A. and Church.

STATES FAIL TO CONTROL

They Are Responsible, Attorney General Says, for the Growth of Combinations.

The auditorium of the West Side Young Men's Christian Association was unable to hold the crowd that assembled last night to listen to Attorney General Wickersham, who opened the seventh annual lecture course of the Finance Forum.

Mr. Wickersham's remarks on the trust problem were not made in a fully connected manner, they came in the course of an extemporaneous speech, following flash-like some allusions to subjects more remotely related to trusts, and his talk in the Church of the Strangers supplemented his remarks made in the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Not an Easy Equation to Find.

The first requirement of a free government is that it be strong enough to secure equal opportunity to all, and, to my mind, the one supremely important principle at stake is the preservation of equality of opportunity to every American boy and every American girl, no matter how low his station may be.

The trust problem has become a question of whether the government of all shall wield the power of all, or whether a part of all shall dominate all.

His appearance at the Finance Forum, Mr. Wickersham said at the beginning of his address, was not due to his being an expert specialist in finance, as he had only some knowledge of spending money, but he had accepted the invitation because of his interest in the course offered.

Speaking of the necessity of solving the trust problem as it had been suffered to become a problem, the Attorney General said that the government must be strong enough to resist the popular clamor of the moment and able to combat any forces that might arise and threaten the exercise of justice.

"The Vice of Our Legislation."

"The vice of our legislation in the several States of the Union is that we have waited till the root of evil has grown into a remedy, and it has become impossible to remedy the evil without suffering to innocent parties," he added.

There was no eagerness to put questions to the Attorney General after he had finished his speech. Mr. Wickersham laughed and declared the audience a very considerate one, and his cordiality brought the first questioner to his feet.

"What is the Attorney General's opinion of the average ability of the average state legislator?" came a question amid hearty laughter.

"I have had very little experience in that line," was Mr. Wickersham's diplomatic answer.

He was then asked whether, if competition were restored, the same process of creating trusts would not be repeated.

"It seems absurd to me," he remarked, "to think we have been unable to create honest and efficient men to make our laws and therefore we will make them ourselves."

CROSTOWN LINE LOSES SUIT

The petition of the Central Crostown Railroad Company, asking that Receivers Joline and Robinson of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company be directed to pay \$22,500 due as rental from October 1, 1907, to April 30, 1908, was denied yesterday by Judge LaCombe of the United States Circuit Court, who said:

This is one of the improvident leases entered into by the Metropolitan Company, where an exhibitor in bringing about the collapse of the system in 1907, the Receivers, upon appointment, took possession of the property, then a part of the system, and continued to operate it, but there is nothing to show that they ever assumed the obligations of the lease."

B. Altman & Co. HAVE IN PROCESS OF MANUFACTURE A LARGE QUANTITY OF FURS AND FUR GARMENTS WHICH WILL SHORTLY BE PLACED ON SALE AT EXTRAORDINARILY LOW PRICES

WOMEN'S DOMESTIC UNDERWEAR AN UNUSUAL SHOWING IS BEING MADE OF BOUDOIR, BREAKFAST AND BED JACKETS OF CRÉPE DE CHINE, CHINA SILK, ALBATROSS AND VIYELLA FLANNEL; ALSO UNDERGARMENTS OF CHIFFON, CRÉPE DE CHINE, CHINA SILK AND FINE MUSLINS. EXTRA LARGE SIZES IN WOMEN'S MUSLIN UNDERGARMENTS

B. Altman & Co. AN ATTRACTIVE SALE OF WOMEN'S GLOVES HAS BEEN ARRANGED FOR TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), AS FOLLOWS:

WOMEN'S "MARVEX" GLACÉ KIDSKIN GLOVES 3-CLASP, IN BLACK, WHITE OR TANS! REGULAR PRICE \$2.00 PER PAIR AT \$1.35 WOMEN'S "MARVEX" MOUSQUETAIRE 16-BUTTON GLOVES OF GLACÉ KIDSKIN, BLACK OR WHITE. REGULAR PRICE \$3.50 PER PAIR AT \$2.65 WOMEN'S MOUSQUETAIRE 8-BUTTON SUEDE GLOVES IN COLORS REGULAR PRICES \$1.50 & 2.00 PER PAIR AT \$1.00

SUGGESTIONS FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS A NUMBER OF THE DEPARTMENTS ARE ESPECIALLY EQUIPPED WITH MERCHANDISE APPROPRIATE FOR GIFT PURPOSES AND MARKED AT VERY MODERATE PRICES.

LEATHER GOODS DEPARTMENT—FITTED LEATHER BAGS FOR AUTOMOBILE OR GENERAL TRAVELING USE; HAMPERS, HAT BOXES, EMERGENCY CASES, HAND BAGS, PURSES, CARD CASES, CLOCKS, CUSHIONS, ETC.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS—MANY IN EXCLUSIVE STYLES—INCLUDE HOUSE COATS, APARTMENT SUITS, LOUNGING AND BATH ROBES, NECKWEAR, MOTOR ROBES, FUR AND FUR-LINED COATS AND CAPS, ETC.

GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, NECKWEAR AND HOSIERY FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

BRIC-A-BRAC, OBJECTS OF ART, FANCY NEEDLEWORK, SILVERWARE, JEWELRY, UMBRELLAS AND UMBRELLA HANDLES, FANS, STATIONERY, KODAKS, SMOKERS' SETS, TOILET ARTICLES, ETC.

LEATHER FURNITURE LEATHER FURNITURE IN A LARGE NUMBER OF STYLES SUITABLE FOR LIBRARY, DEN OR LIVING ROOM IS SHOWN IN THE NEW DEPARTMENT ON THE FOURTH FLOOR.

Fifth Avenue, 34th and 35th Streets, New York.

HOLIDAY CROWDS DEPART Thousands Go to New England—Incoming Trains Are Full.

Railroad officials at the Grand Central Station noticed one thing in particular about the thousands of people who left the city yesterday to spend Thanksgiving elsewhere.

It was that the bulk of the traffic went to New England. In fact, so great was the rush homeward of the sons and daughters of that section of the country that most of the regular trains had to go out in two and three sections. Later in the day one or more of them left in four sections.

In the fore part of the day thousands of students from schools and colleges in New York or nearby flocked into the station and formed in lines before the ticket windows. Toward evening those in line represented the business element of the crowd and late arriving commuters. By the number of college representatives who journeyed homeward, only the "grassy grounds" must have decided to forego the trip.

Suitcases by the thousands were in evidence and the porters reaped a harvest, but the trunkman was practically left in the cold. It is the Christmas holiday season that even things up for him.

While the outward bound streams were of much greater volume than the inward, many incoming trains brought capacity loads of persons coming to New York for the holiday or passing through.

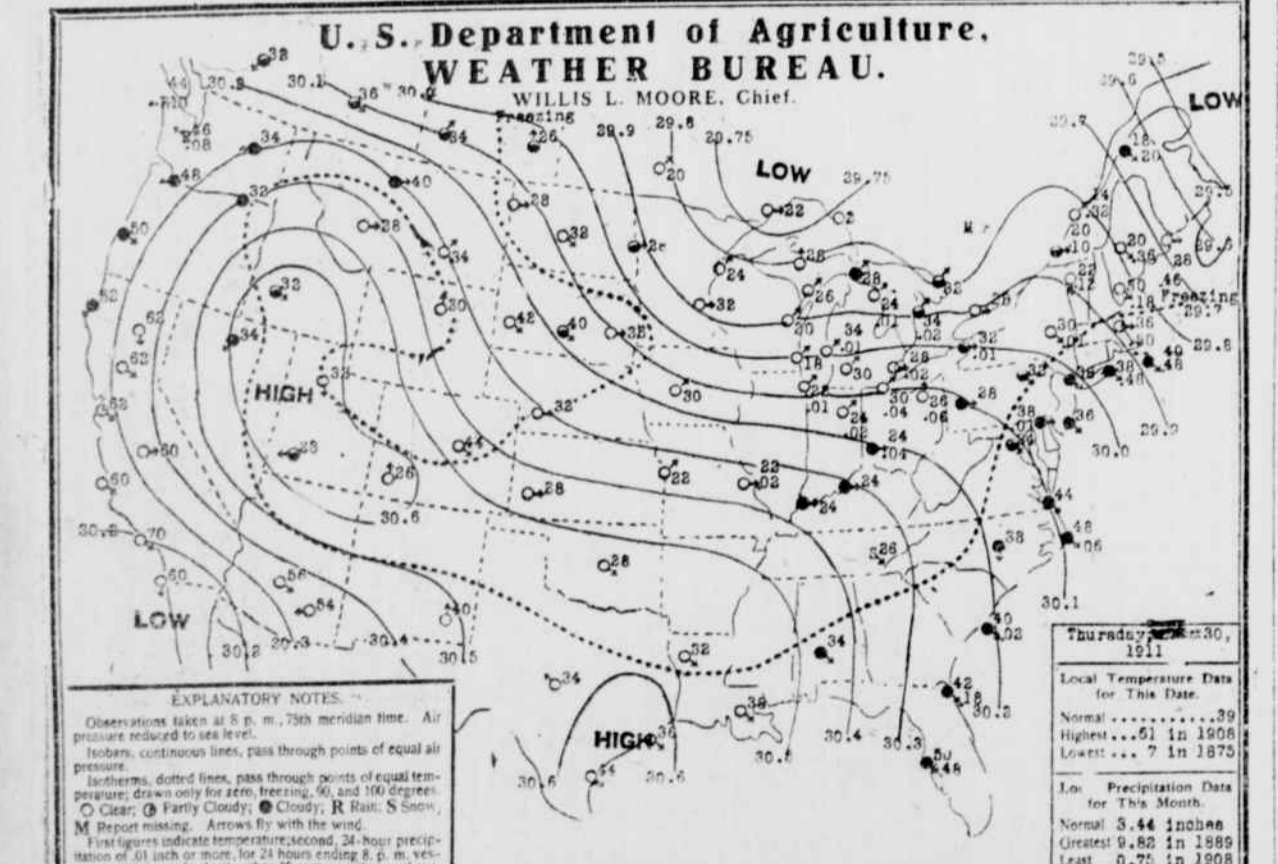
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Preparations had been made, and after the 8 a. m. express for Boston had gone out filled to capacity it was seen the others to follow would go out crowded.

The 9 a. m. went out in two sections, and thereafter the other expresses went out in two, three and four sections, the latter being the case at the height of the rush at 3 o'clock. At 1 a. m. the Owl, carrying the business men who had waited until the last train, went out with a full complement.

FINE DINNER FOR TUG CREW Brooklyn Man's Thanksgiving, Bird Leaps to Death Off Bridge.

Quoting in a language of his own the immortal words of Patrick Henry—"Give me liberty or give me death"—Gobbler, gobbler, seton of a well known Rhode Island family, committed suicide, late yesterday afternoon by taking a flying leap off the Williamsburg Bridge. Within a few seconds after the body struck the water a deckhand on a passing tugboat fished it up and Frank it to the galler.



THE WEATHER REPORT. Official Record and Forecast.—Washington, Nov. 29.—The weather is much colder throughout the region east of the Mississippi River and cold weather continues in the Mississippi Valley and the southwest. Wednesday morning freezing weather prevailed as far south as the Gulf Coast, and temperatures at a number of places in the west Gulf states were as low as or lower than ever before recorded in the month of November in that region. A general rise in temperature is in progress in the plains states and the Rocky Mountain and plateau regions. The fog that was over the lower lake region Tuesday night has cleared to Newfoundland, and has been followed by a strong morning throughout the entire day. Tuesday night in the Atlantic States, and more heavily Wednesday in the lower lake region, the Ohio Valley and Eastern Tennessee. West of the Mississippi River the weather remained fair, except that rain continued on the north Pacific Coast. The indications are that the weather will be fair Thursday and Friday throughout practically the entire country. The temperature will rise Thursday in the southern plains states, the Gulf states, the Mississippi and Ohio valleys and Florida in the Atlantic and east Gulf states. The winds along the New England and middle Atlantic coasts will be moderate west, southerly and easterly. Along the Gulf Coast, moderate southwesterly. Great Lake, light variable; on northwest, moderate to brisk west. For European ports, fair to moderate; for European steamers, fair to moderate; for European ports, fair to moderate; for European steamers, fair to moderate.