

BAKED HAM IDEAL FOR HOLIDAY

As a pleasant change from the usual, why not have a tempting, richly browned whole ham as the piece de resistance of your Thanksgiving dinner? The tangy flavor of smoked ham combines well with the fall fruits and vegetables so plentiful at this time of year. And when the ham is decorated with nut halves and orange slices, it presents an even more festive appearance in keeping with the fall season.

Baking a whole ham these days is a very easy matter. With the mild cures that hams are given now, no parboiling is necessary. Simply place the ham, fat or skin side up, on a rack in an open roasting pan and bake it uncovered at a low temperature until it is done. An oven temperature of about 300° F. has been found to give excellent results. If the rind was not removed before the ham was purchased, this should be done a little while before the ham is done. In cooking, the rind becomes loosened, so that all you need do is take the ham from the oven, lift off the rind, and return the ham to the oven until it is slightly browned.

There are many ways to decorate a baked whole ham for Thanksgiving. One of the easiest is by placing almond halves in diagonal rows over the ham. Or you may wish to spell the word Thanksgiving with whole cloves across the surface of the whole ham. If desired, you may rub the surface with brown sugar or strained honey and return it to the oven to glaze.

Here is a Thanksgiving menu featuring ham suggested by Inez S. Willson, home economist:

- Thanksgiving Menu**
 Cranberry Cocktail
 Celery Olives Carrot Sticks
 Baked Whole Ham with Almonds
 Candied Sweet Potatoes
 Buttered Cauliflower
 Hot Rolls Butter Jelly
 Grapefruit and Pineapple Salad
 Whipped Cream Coffee
 Individual Pumpkin Pies

Pension Costs Will Occupy Legislature

Hope that the State Legislature will make an outright grant to cities to aid the county in defraying pension costs was expressed today by Los Angeles county officials in looking forward to a proposed special session which Governor Culbert Olson is expected to call for January.

Pensions for the aged is expected to be one of the benefits which Los Angeles county may receive. Last year the county received some \$2,000,000 from such a grant, but this year no aid has been received outside that provided for by the statute.

Clarification of the provision having to do with liens on property of the aged also is expected at the next Legislative session.

Plans now are under way for consideration by the legislature of revision in laws having to do with the sale of tax-deeded lands. These provisions would enable former owners of property to bid on and redeem their property at tax sales. They now are prevented by law from bidding them in. County officials believe this change would stimulate the sale of tax-deeded property.

Breakfast Meats Have Variety

There is a growing tendency against the standardization of breakfast menus now-a-days. In fact, the more variety that can be achieved in breakfast menus, the more likely breakfast is to become an important meal in the day.

Among meats for breakfast, there is considerable variety. Any meats which are quickly prepared are suitable choices. Bacon and ham are popular favorites because their smoky flavor is very effective in whetting that early morning appetite. Canadian style bacon, little link sausages or sausage patties, broiled or panbroiled ground beef patties, lamb patties, and sweet-bread crisps are other suggestions for meats to serve for the hearty and satisfying breakfast.

Creamed meat with toast or baking powder biscuits makes a good breakfast dish. Any kind of already cooked meat may be used for this. Creamed ham is very good.

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THANKSGIVING

Mrs. Elgie Vaughn of 2029 1/2 Gramercy avenue composed the following poem in observance of nation-wide festival that will be held Thursday:

We are entering on the threshold
 Of a glad Thanksgiving Day.
 May we not forget to thank Him
 For the blessings on our way.

In thought, my mind goes backward
 To my childhood — happy days!
 Of my parents' kindly faces,
 And of my aunts' and uncles' praise.

I can taste the jams and jellies,
 And the pumpkin pie most rare,
 I can see the team we drove
 To Grandma's,

Through the cool and frosty air.
 Now we think of peace and plenty
 Showered along our path of life.
 We pause to pray for foreign countries,
 Battling in their sin and strife.

We thank Him for the golden fruit,
 Along the country way.
 And the orange blossoms, flowing
 Fragrance, as in the early May.

May our love go out as sunshine,
 And our hearts be ever true,
 To the ones we daily contact,
 And in everything we do.

S. C. Homecoming Plans Announced

As a rallying cry for 40,000 returning alumni, "Ship Ahoy! Sail on With Troy!" has been selected as the 1939 Homecoming Week slogan for the University of Southern California students and graduates during the week from Nov. 27 to Dec. 2.

A heavy schedule of events already has been planned for alumni who revisit the Trojan campus for the week's program to be climaxed on Dec. 2 by the S. C.-Washington football game in the Los Angeles Coliseum and the annual Homecoming Dance at the Ambassador Hotel.

Fraternity and sorority houses will adopt the national theme set by the slogan for their colorful house decorations which each year attract the attention of all who visit the campus.

Housing Trial Date Is Set

Nov. 28 has been set for trial of the action brought against the Los Angeles County Housing Authority by Mrs. Annie Donovan, San Pedro property owner, seeking to prevent construction of the \$950,000 Harbor Hills project near Lomita and any future projects.

Contention of Mrs. Donovan, who is represented by a woman attorney, is that there are not sufficient slum areas in the county to justify the county Authority's undertakings. Furthermore, the Harbor Hills and North Long Beach projects are not being built on the sites of slums, she contends.

Most of the legal points in Mrs. Donovan's original complaint were ruled on by the State Supreme court Oct. 11, while the San Pedro case was waiting a trial date. Another attack now is under submission by the high state court.

12 From Here Attend Cities' Dinner-Meet

Twelve Torrance residents attended the dinner-meeting of the Los Angeles County Division of the League of California Municipalities Thursday night at the Long Beach Masonic club. Hal Kennedy, chief deputy county counsel, spoke on "The Problem of Delinquent Tax Lands" which confronts the county and cities of Los Angeles where some 95,000 parcels of land are tax delinquent. A dance followed the program.

Those present from Torrance were Councilman and Mrs. John V. Murray, Councilman and Mrs. Tom McGuire and a guest, Mrs. David O. Chase; Councilman and Mrs. George V. Powell, Police Chief and Mrs. John Stroh, City Engineer and Mrs. Leonard Young and Mrs. Harriett Leech, city treasurer.

NOW RECOVERING
 Edward Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Anderson of 1513 Cota, is in a Los Angeles hospital recuperating from a serious operation. According to his physicians, visitors will not yet be allowed.

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