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Old Fashioned, Bonded Bourbon	85	
Old Fashioned, by Heublein	60	Daiquiri 70
Schenley Whiskey Sour	75	

Tom Collins	70	Rum Collins	70
Bacardi Rum	65		
Gin, Milshires	55		

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Claret, Haut Medoc	1/4 Bot. 1.00
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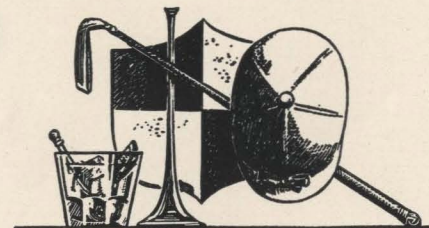
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Old Grand-Dad, Bonded Bourbon	75		
Bourbon, S. S. Pierce	70	Seagram's Canadian V. O.	75
Schenley Reserve Blended Rye	65		
Four Roses	65		

Scotches

Glen Garry, Scotch	85		
Ballantine	85c	Bell's Royal Vat Scotch	1.00
Black & White	85	Dewars Scotch	85
Johnnie Walker, Black Label	1.00		

Cordials

Cognac, Hennessy, 3 Star	75		
Cognac, A De Luze et Fils, 3 Crown	75		
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"Our Own" Apple Pie

Coffee

1.75

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DINING CAR Menu

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SLICED CHICKEN SANDWICH85
GRILLED CHEESE SANDWICH, Pickles65
DATE AND NUT BREAD, Cream Cheese Filling, Queen Olive....60
CLUB SANDWICH1.25
BACON, TOMATO and LETTUCE, Toasted75

A Tempting Meal

Tomato Juice
ROAST TURKEY, New England Stuffing
Hubbard Squash Buttered Onions
Mashed Potatoes
Cup of Coffee

2.50

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Coffee

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Chicken Gumbo Soup....30
Chilled Tomato Juice....20 Fruit Cup....35
New England Clam Chowder....30

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Pall Mall 25	Chesterfield 25	Old Gold 25
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	Camel 25	

Cigars

Overland Perfectos 20	
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Refreshers

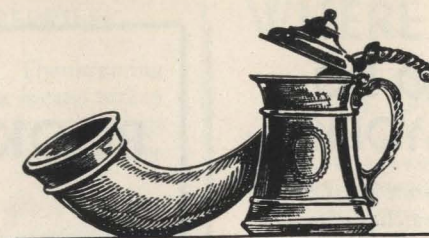
Fresh Fruit Lemonade 35	
Fresh Fruit Orangeade 35	Coca Cola 15
Canada Dry Ginger Ale 15	
Alka Seltzer 15	Bromo Seltzer 15
Canada Dry Ginger Ale 15	Pepsi Cola 15
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Carling's Ale 40	Croft Ale 40
	Narragansett Ale 40
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Showtime is in full swing on Broadway. Musicals such as the long running Rodgers and Hammerstein hits South Pacific and The King and I head the list. Other top musicals are Two on the Aisle, Call Me Madam, Seventeen and Guys and Dolls. And don't forget about A Tree Grows in Brooklyn. Among the comedy smash hits are Stalag 17, The Moon is Blue and another long runner, Affairs of State. Opera lovers can see and hear their favorites at the City Center early this month, and the Metropolitan begins its long season on the 12th.



Sports fans can see professional football on Sundays at either Yankee Stadium or the Polo Grounds; the Knickerbockers meet other top basketball fives and the Rangers start their hockey season at Madison Square Garden. And there is boxing every Friday night at the Garden.

Some of the interesting conventions and exhibits this month are the Hotel Exposition at Grand Central Palace, the Audubon Society at Audubon House and the American Stamp Dealers Association at the 71st Regiment Armory.



BOOKS



Richard Tregaskis, well-known war correspondent, will be remembered by many as the author of Guadalcanal Diary and its sequel, Invasion Diary. Recently he set out on a long trip about the world to find out where on earth there existed a spot that might be called on earthly paradise. After visiting Bali and other Oriental far away places, Europe and America, he discovered one that wasn't overrated or misrepresented. We won't tell you exactly where, but it is significant that the author now lives in Southern California. "Seven Leagues to Paradise" is published by Doubleday.

MacMillan will republish three volumes about London, two covering the plague and fire of 1665-1666; the third is about "Unknown London and More About Unknown London." Author George Walter Bell, London newspaperman, was considered the best informed person about the city. Each volume is illustrated with contemporary prints and maps; all have been unavailable for many years.

The third appearance in America of the famous English pot-pourri of literary entertainment, by some of England's best known writers, will take place late this month. MacMillan will publish "The Saturday Book" replete with full-color photographs, their own favorite poems by many famous poets, and other subjects covering sports, trees, personalities, eccentrics, prints and drawings.



And still taking us to other lands is a historical novel about the legendary figure of modern Turkey, Mustafa Kemal Atatürk, who passed from the scene just thirteen years ago. Ann Bridge's new novel "The Dark Moment" (MacMillan) has been chosen by the Literary Guild as its January selection.

BOUNCING BERRIES!

Here it is close to Thanksgiving once again . . . and that means turkey and cranberries and all the trimmings that usher in the nicest time of the year for many of us.

The Pilgrims learned about the cranberry from the Indians just about as soon as they landed, for it made its first appearance on the original Thanksgiving Day menu.

And do you know how it got its name? Well, it seems that cranes are very fond of the fruit, so when the early settlers saw them dipping their heads in the bogs for the berries, they named them "Crane Berries." Later day contraction of the words brought about the present name.

Why bouncing berries? Since every cranberry is rigidly inspected before it is processed today and sent to market, or made into sauce, candy or pressed into juice, it must pass a bounce test. If it can't leap successfully over one of four slanted boards . . . it's out.

Cranberryland is still mostly confined to Cape Cod, Massachusetts, where two-thirds of the world's supply is produced, though cranberry bogs are harvested in Washington, Oregon, Wisconsin and New Jersey.

While it made traditional appearances on menus, and early New England sailors used it to avoid scurvy on long voyages, it was not until 1816 that Henry Hall of Dennis noticed that he could grow larger and richer berries. He began experiments that led to the building of the first commercial bog in 1846.

Then in 1912 it made its first appearance as a canned product and the cranberry industry became a big business. Of course, as it grew into a big commercial enterprise, the colorful cranberry harvest time gave up some of its old time picturesqueness, with all ages and professions taking part. Even the school sessions were so regulated that children and master could help with the work and the fun, scooping up the berries under an Indian Summer sun.

But some of the quaint charm of old time cranberry farming remains. To make a count of all the cranberries in a certain locality, one still throws a hoop of a certain size into a bog, and just starts adding them up. You would be surprised how accurate this method is. And despite scientific advancements at the canning plants . . . such as at the Ocean Spray plants . . . they still use the same drip method that the housewife uses to double check on whether or not the sauce is ready to jell.

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