

THANKSGIVING TRIVIA QUESTIONS II



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- 1> Which item would not have been on the table at the first Thanksgiving?
- 2> What was the name of the book penned by William Bradford?
- 3> Who was the first couple to get married in the new colony?
- 4> Who acted as the pilgrim's Doctor?
- 5> Which famous explorer visited Plymouth before the pilgrims?
- 6> In which state would you find Plymouth?
- 7> What is carved into Plymouth Rock?
- 8> How much did Plymouth Rock weigh?
- 9> What did the pilgrims intend to build at the site of the rock?
- 10> Which beverage did the pilgrims bring with them on the Mayflower?
- 11> When was the first Macy's Thanksgiving parade?
- 12> Where does the oldest thanksgiving parade in the USA take place?
- 13> Macy's parade is known for its huge balloon figures. What was the first figure to be a balloon?
- 14> What is always last in the Macy's Thanksgiving parade?
- 15> Where is the Macy's Thanks giving Day parade held?
- 16> The pilgrims were supposed to travel on two ships. What was the name of the ship that had to return to Europe?

17> Which of these items was not worn by the pilgrims? Buckles, Felt Hats or White Aprons?

18> How many deer did the natives bring to the feast?

19> Which of these would have been on the table at the first Thanksgiving? Apple Pie, Maple syrup or Pumpkin Pie?

20> Where did the pilgrims bury their dead?

Answers:

1> Fork - They would have used spoons.

2> Of Plymouth Plantation - The original is in the Massachusetts State archives.

3> Edward Winslow and Susanna White - They were married in a civil ceremony.

4> Samuel Fuller - He also held the position of Deacon.

5> Samuel Champlain - John Smith also visited this area prior to the arrival of the pilgrims.

6> Massachusetts - The pilgrims were headed to Virginia.

7> 1620 - The rock was cut into two pieces in about 1774.

8> 20, 000 pounds - It is estimated that only 1/3 of the rock stills remains today.

9> A wharf - The rock has become a national monument.

10> Beer - They even had a barrel maker on board.

11> 1924 - It is the second oldest parade in the USA.

12> Philadelphia - This parade was originally sponsored by Gimbel's Department store.

13> Felix the Cat - The balloon was used in the 1927 parade.

14> Santa Claus - Santa is the last big float.

15> New York - The parade starts at central park.

16> The Speedwell - The Speedwell was deemed unseaworthy.

17> Buckles - Buckles were not common until the 1700's.

18> 5 - Deer meat is also called venison.

19> Maple syrup - The pilgrims did not have ovens and therefore they would not have been able to bake a pie.

20> Cole's Hill - The pilgrims' frequently buried their dead at night to prevent the natives from seeing.

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