

RUSSO-TURKISH WAR OUTLOOK

PROBABLE THAT HOSTILITIES WILL COME THIS YEAR.

NEITHER HAVE MONEY

Looks Like a Windy Battle, But Great Preparations Are Being Made.

The alarmist reports of the possibility of hostilities between Russia and Turkey, which have permeated all strata of Russian society, have assumed the proportions of a veritable war scare, to which the sensational press is devoting its biggest headlines.

The situation is taken seriously, not only in military circles, but also by conservative politicians. M. Gatchko, leader of the majority of the Douma, announced his intention of raising at the next meeting of the committee of national defense the question of the nation's readiness for war.

Appeals and proclamations are being issued exhorting the population to protest in every way possible against the warlike plans of the Sultan.

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LOCAL NOTES

H. L. Skirwin, of Marquam, has a registered short-horn Durham bull for sale.

Frank Winslow, of Molalla, one of the prominent farmers of that place, was in Oregon City Thursday.

G. B. Linn, one of the prosperous farmers of Currinville, was in Oregon City on a business trip Thursday.

The property of E. G. Caulfield, at the foot of Eighth street, has been greatly improved by having a new and very neat iron fence placed on the north side.

Most disfiguring skin eruptions, scrofula, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure food. Burdock Blood Bitters is a cleansing blood tonic. Makes you clear-eyed, clear-brained, clear-skinned.

The Maccabee Lodge will give a smoker at Woodmen hall on Monday evening, February 24. A big surprise is in store for those who are to attend. Music by Portland talent is on the program.

Why get up in the morning feeling blue? Worry others and worry you! Here's a secret between you and me. Better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Huntley Bros. Co.

The Electric Hotel opens up this morning with night and day restaurant service under the new management of John J. Tobin.

If you suffer with indigestion, constipation, feel mean and cross, no strength or appetite, your system is unhealthy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the system strong and healthy. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Huntley Bros. Co.

Mrs. Robert Goodfellow and Mrs. Thomas Warner are entertaining this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Goodfellow, on Center street, friends of the Episcopal Church, and the proceeds of the affair are to go to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheets, and two children, Ruth and Glen, of Dayton, Ohio, were in Oregon City Sunday visiting with Mrs. Louise Paulin, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Warner. Mrs. Paulin, who arrived here in December to visit, will leave in the early spring for her home in Dayton. Mr. and Mrs. Sheets are very much impressed with the climate of Oregon, and will probably return to Oregon and make their future home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinckston and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stewart, of Portland, were also guests at the Warner home Sunday.

Charles Robison, who has been attending Williams College, at Williamstown, Mass., has returned to Oregon City, and on Sunday evening left for Eugene, where he will attend the University of Oregon. Mr. Robison, whose health has been very poorly since going East, was forced to make the change, and was confined in the hospital for several weeks before returning. While at Williams College he received third prize in a debate between Dartmouth College and Williams College, and this is the first time within eight years that a freshman has won a prize in a debate at this college.

"A Royal Slave," which comes to Shively's opera house for one night, Friday, February 28, only is to be one of the real events of the theatrical season in this city. Of all the romantic dramas seen last season, few were so well received as Clarence Bennett's beautiful production of the Southland. The author has chosen for the action of the piece the most romantic period in the history of Mexico, the brief reign of the unfortunate Maximilian.

The specialties introduced by the comedy element are strictly in keeping with the atmosphere of the surroundings, and the bit of sword-play in the duel scene, is as pretty an exhibition as one could witness. Remember the date, Friday, February 28, and on Saturday night, February 29, "Old Arkansas," will be Fred Raymond's greatest play, will be given. Seats on sale at Shively's. Phone 2321.

The choir of the Congregational church gave one of its faithful members, Mr. James Roake, a pleasant surprise at his home on Tenth and Madison streets last Thursday evening. Games and music were the features of the evening. At a late hour a luncheon was enjoyed. Present were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. James Edith Cheney, Miss Ivy Roake, Miss Edith Cheney, Miss Ivy Roake, Miss Helen Daulton, Miss Ivy Galsky, Miss Hilda McGeechie, Miss Daisy Hollister, Miss Mammie Roake, Rev. E. C. Oakley, William Avison, Mr. Peterson, Hedley J. Roake, of Portland, D. C. Baker, Emil Gordon.

The Knights and Ladies of Security Lodge held a very enthusiastic meeting in Woodmen Hall Monday evening. After the regular business of the order was transacted and two applications filed, dancing and a piano recital followed. The Ladies' committee was appointed at the meeting to arrange for the seventh annual ball to be given by the Knights and Ladies of Security, the date of the affair not having been set. The committee consists of Roy Woodward, Colonel Montgomery, E. Confer, M. P. Chapman, A. J. Wilson. The next regular meeting which will take place March 2, at which meeting

five initiations will take place, followed by a program and dancing, an orchestra of four pieces furnishing the music for the dancing. One of the features of the evening will be a banquet, and only members of the organization will participate. George Maple, of the Milwaukee Lodge, was present Monday evening at the Oregon City Lodge to attend the banquet in honor of the first anniversary of the lodge of that place, which took place in the Milwaukee Grange Hall Tuesday evening and a number of the Oregon City delegation attended and report a very enjoyable time. The Milwaukee Lodge has a membership of over 25 members at present, and others are contemplating going into the rapidly growing organization.

The Swastika Girls were entertained by Miss Ada Hurlburt at her home at Gladstone last Saturday evening, where a most enjoyable time was spent. The evening was spent in conversation and in the making of pennants and a luncheon was served by the hostess. The young ladies of this club are to attend in a body the Firemen's Ball at the armory Saturday night, and after a few hours of dancing will repair to the Royal restaurant where the main dining room is to be reserved by the club and its escorts, and a sumptuous spread will be enjoyed. The affair will be on the leap year plan, and a "good time" will be shown the young men who are to be the guests of the ladies. Red and white are the club's colors, and the dining room of the Royal restaurant will be decorated in these colors and the Swastika girls will also be used in the decorations. The members who were present at the meeting Saturday night were Miss Ivy Harrington, Miss Wava Harrington, Miss Pearl Harrington, Miss Nettie Kruse, Miss Anita Gleason, Miss Jessie Paddock, Miss Beatrice Capen, Miss Myrtle Tooze and Miss Ada Hurlburt. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Ivy Harrington at Gladstone on Tuesday evening, March 3.

There was a merry gathering of young ladies at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Daulton, of the West Side, the occasion being a farewell party given by the Misses Daulton to Miss Evelyn Albright, one of Oregon City's most popular young ladies, who will leave in a few weeks for her new home at Hood River, and suggestive of the beautiful valley, where Miss Albright will take up her future home, the hostesses had prepared hand-painted score cards with beautiful fruit decorations, which were used in the present game, the prize being a small emery sack of strawberry design, which was awarded to Miss Aimee Bollock. "Dutch whist" was also a feature of the evening, pretty and appropriately decorated score cards being used. Miss Dollie Pratt was awarded the prize. During the evening a delightful luncheon was served. The Daulton home was very prettily decorated with ferns, pink carnations and Oregon grape. Miss Albright's many friends express regret that she is to soon leave them, but assurance is prominent that she will carry with her the best wishes of her many friends of this city. Present were Miss Ethel Daulton, Miss Ivy Roake, Miss Myrtle Tooze, Miss Jessie Paddock, Miss Beatrice Capen, Miss Myrtle Tooze, Miss Edith Cheney, Miss Nan Cochran, Miss Ivy Galsky, Miss Aimee Bollock, Miss Bess Kelly, Miss Zida Goldsmith, Miss Augusta Humphrey, Miss Ivy Roake, Miss Helen Daulton, Miss Bess Daulton and Miss Edna Daulton.

The Saha-Shears Club at Mount Pleasant, was delightfully entertained Saturday afternoon at the pretty home of Mrs. A. C. Warner, "The Lilies," from 2 to 5 o'clock. The dining room was tastefully decorated with pink carnations and asparagus ferns, and the table was correspondingly decorated, and place cards with quotations from Shakespeare describing the beauties of the valley, were used in the present game. The prize was given in honor of Miss Roma Stafford, of Mount Pleasant, also a member of the Saha-Shears Club, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stafford, and who on Tuesday returned to her studies at Monmouth, where she is taking a post graduate course at the State Normal, graduating in June. In Warner's company were: Mrs. Dan O'Neil, Mrs. Elizabeth Warner, Mrs. M. S. B. Lawrence, Mrs. W. B. Stafford, Miss M. L. Holmes, Miss Nellie Ingalls of Portland and Miss Roma Stafford.

One of the most successful valentine parties given on Valentine's Day took place at the home of Miss Alice Goetting at her home on Thirteenth and Washington street. The home was beautifully decorated with hearts of all sizes and the rooms were festooned with bright colored hearts. A valentine game was played, and partners selected by matching hearts, and was followed by "The Lovers' Lunch," where the participants each received pretty valentine favors. Instrumental music was also a feature of the evening, and Miss Goetting, who is a talented musician, favored her guests with several numbers. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening. The guests were Evelyn Harding, Louise Walker, Louise Hunter, Gladys Brightbill, Margaret Brown, Bess Abbott, Florence White, Lillian Griessen, Lella M. Carver, of Portland, Bess Warner, Florence Grace, Lionel Gordon, Carl Schram, Andrew Koerner, Harry Gordon, Clare Gordon, Harold Swafford, Gaylord Godfrey, Oscar Woodfin, Waldo Caulfield, Harry McClure, Alec Bowen, Ross Brown, Bothwell Avison.

The Gypsies were pleasantly entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Beale on Sixth street last Wednesday evening, the hostesses being Miss Edith Cheney and Miss Augusta Humphrey. Mrs. Beale assisted these young ladies in the making of pennants and a luncheon was served by the hostess. The evening was followed by dainty refreshments. The decorations were of wild grape and ferns. The guests were Miss Helen Daulton, Miss Bess Daulton, Miss Margaret Goodfellow, Miss Bess Kelly, Miss Ivy Roake, Miss Myrtle Tooze, Miss Edith Cheney, Miss Ivy Galsky, Miss Zida Goldsmith, Miss Emily O'Malley.

The Aloha Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. R. R. McAlpin on Seventh and Madison street last Saturday afternoon. Bridge was the feature of the afternoon, in which Mrs. Laura Hope was awarded the prize. During the afternoon the hostess served dainty refreshments.

The St. John's Club of the Catholic Church gave a whist party at the McLaughlin Institute Wednesday evening, and was one of the most successful affairs given in this club. The program was rendered. Frank Bush was awarded

SOCIAL NOTES

One of the social events of the season was the Valentine Party given by the Derthick Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dimick, Mrs. C. A. Sommer, Mrs. Lewellyn Adams, Mrs. H. E. Straight, Mrs. W. A. Dimick and Mrs. E. A. Chapman. Each member of the club was permitted to invite one friend in addition to her husband, and there were about 70 guests present. The early part of the evening was devoted to "hearts" and the rooms were correspondingly decorated with festoons of hearts and miniature cupids, making a very artistic effect. During the evening a "sun-downer chorus" was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Theodore Osmond, Mrs. R. C. Ganong, Mrs. Gilbert Hodges, Mrs. W. A. Dimick, Mrs. L. L. Porter, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Miss Vera Caulfield, Miss Cis Barclay Pratt, Miss Ivy Roake. A canvas of large painted sunflowers was used, the ladies' faces forming the center. The chorus was forced to respond to several encores, and following this Miss Edna Caulfield played two delightful piano selections. Miss Ivy Roake also pleased her hearers with a contralto solo and to a hearty encore sang "The Foolish Little Maiden." Mrs. L. L. Porter and Miss Martha Frances Draper were the accompanists of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. E. A. Sommer, Mrs. Lewellyn Adams, Mrs. H. E. Straight, Mrs. W. A. Dimick, Mrs. E. A. Chapman, Miss Vera Caulfield, Miss Cis Barclay Pratt, Miss Edna Caulfield and Miss Bess Kelly.

Following the refreshments the game of "White Elephant" was thoroughly enjoyed. Each guest took from a large basket a parcel and upon opening it, if not satisfied with the contents, was permitted to trade with other guests until satisfied. The game caused much merriment. Many of the parcels contained useful as well as ornamental gifts, while some of the unknown packages unfolded old combs, antiquated hats and kindred apparel. Following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dimick, Mrs. H. E. Straight, Mrs. W. A. Dimick, Mrs. E. A. Sommer, Mrs. Lewellyn Adams, Mrs. H. E. Straight, Mrs. W. A. Dimick, Mrs. E. A. Chapman, Miss Vera Caulfield, Miss Cis Barclay Pratt, Miss Edna Caulfield and Miss Bess Kelly.

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The 85th birthday of W. P. Burns, of Portland, father of Chief of Police Burns, of this city, was celebrated at his home in Portland on Saturday, and a family reunion was held, and four generations were present. Mr. Burns is well known to many of the old residents of this city, and was formerly Sheriff of Clackamas County, and many of his old friends are still residing in Oregon City, who wish him many more happy birthdays. Following who attended from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burns, Jr., and son; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burns and daughter.

The Oregon City Band will give a dance in Strahlman's hall at Sellwood, Washington's Birthday, Saturday evening, February 22. A special car will leave Oregon City at 7:20 p. m., and many from this city are planning to attend. Gentlemen, including lady, will be charged 75 cents; this includes the car fare and admittance to the ball.

Sociable Artisans. Oregon City Assembly, No. 7, United Artisans, held a "backwoods" social at O. W. hall last Thursday evening, which was considered a most unique affair and all those attending enjoyed to the limit. Especially good were the remarks by Past Master Artisan A. M. White, who styled himself Professor Pratt from Arkansas. A most interesting program was rendered, as follows: Piano solo, Miss Aileen Edwards; recitation, Clara Fields; banjo solo, Mr. Keene; recitation, Miss Rena Tyer; vocal duet, Mrs. E. H. Cooper and Miss Florence Price; vocal solo, Milton Price.

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A HOME MADE REMEDY

Hundreds of People in Vicinity Here Will Welcome This Advice, Says Local Druggist.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of backache or kidney or bladder derangement, in the following simple prescription, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist, here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic affections with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

To Clackamas County Flower Lovers. The Rose and Carnation Society is making preparations for a "Flower Show" this spring that will be a credit to the city and county, and asks the cooperation of every flower lover in the county. A meeting will be held in the county courtroom Monday evening, February 24th, to make preliminary arrangements for the show. Rules will be adopted so that intending exhibitors will know just what flowers they can best enter. It is the intention of the society to have some one give a talk on "The Culture of Roses" very soon, as now is the time to prune and otherwise get roses into condition to get large and perfect blossoms.

Letters, asking information, if addressed to the president, Mrs. Jennie B. Harding, or the secretary, Mrs. Rosina Fouts, will receive prompt attention. Meetings will probably be held in the afternoon in the future, so that out-of-town members can attend. The dues are nominal, 25 cents a year, so that every person can become a member. It is hoped by the society to have a very large membership, thereby insuring a great exhibit.

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Advertisement for a home-made remedy for backache and kidney issues. Includes a list of ingredients and instructions for use.

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