

COMPETITION IS AGAIN USED IN RUSS BUSINESS

Moscow (AP)—Competition, once an outlaw word belonging to the capitalist dark ages, has regained its social standing here, although it appears in polite Soviet society again in a Bolshevik disguise—as "socialist competition."

A loud campaign for "socialist competition" is now under way, with the press devoting pages to a record of its progress. It was undertaken some time ago in the hope of stimulating production, tightening efficiency, eliminating idleness on the job and generally getting more out of the individual workman for the pay given him by the government.

To those accustomed to the real intensive competition of economic necessity outside, the Soviet version seems tame and make-believe. It amounts to one factory challenging another as to which will increase its output more during a given period of time; or the entire industry of one town challenging the industry of another. Sometimes the competitors are arranged as between two or more departments in the same factory, more rarely among individual workers.

Artificial as the proceeding sounds, it has nevertheless heightened activity all along the line. For one thing, the announcement of a challenge and its acceptance focuses public attention on the factories involved. A natural sporting instinct, a sort of "school spirit," leads the workers to exert themselves to win. As to the directors of the competing units, their professional reputation is at stake and they throw themselves into the work with a vim.

WHEN LEGIONNAIRES PARADED



Legionnaires parading past the reviewing stand during the American Legion national convention in Louisville, Ky.

Barach's mother, Mrs. John A. Carson, Mrs. Barach will remain in Salem until after the wedding of her brother, Wallace Carson, to Miss Edith Bragg which will be an event of November 9.

Shower Honors Miss Bragg

A group of young maids and matrons, members of her sewing club, surprised Miss Edith Bragg with an interesting pre-nuptial shower Wednesday night, when Miss Margaret Breitenstein was hostess in the Breitenstein home on South Twelfth street. A number of attractive gifts were presented Miss Bragg.

Participating in the charmingly informal affair were Miss Bragg, the honor guest; Mrs. Milton Steiner, Mrs. Frank Deckebach, Miss Marjorie Christensen, Miss Mildred Christensen, Miss Eva Roberts, Miss Josephine Baumgartner, Mrs. John Coughell, Jr., Miss Ada Ross, Miss Leah Ross, and the hostess, Miss Breitenstein.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Armstrong left Sunday for Chicago and Mapleton, Iowa. Mrs. Armstrong's former home, where they will visit friends and relatives. They went to Chicago by way of Los Angeles and New Orleans and will return by the northern route. In San Francisco they will be the guests of Mrs. Armstrong's cousin, Mrs. Frank Ross.

Mrs. Frank Snedecor left late Thursday morning by motor for California where she will join San Francisco friends on a trip to the southern part of the state. On October 15 Mrs. Snedecor will meet Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. W. H. Dancy in Pasadena for a trip into Arizona and New Mexico.

Members of the Legion of Foreign Wars auxiliary were entertained Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charles W. Brank on South Winter street. This was the first meeting after the summer recess. Mrs. Carle Abrams, president, presided during the business session.

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Society

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Woman in China. Special music was given by Miss Frances McGilvra. Miss Olive Dahl was in charge of the devotional. Dr. J. D. McCormick gave a talk on his visit to Jerusalem and Mrs. C. M. Keefer told some of the causes of the present trouble in Palestine between the Arabs and Jews.

Mrs. Utley Heads Sweet Briar Club

At a meeting of the Sweet Briar club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lou Grote, the first meeting after the summer vacation months, Mrs. Arthur Utley was elected club president, Mrs. Birdie Crabtree the new secretary and Mrs. Ray L. Blinagar the vice-president.

Woodburn Bridge Party Attractive

Woodburn—Mrs. L. M. Bitwey, Mrs. Henry Miller, and Mrs. Hazel Bitwey were joint hostesses at the Bitwey home on East Lincoln street Wednesday afternoon at a large bridge party. The rooms were attractively decorated with large baskets of zinnias, michaelmas daisies and asters. Eight tables of bridge were in play, the prize for high



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score being won by Mrs. Jesse Rigdon, the second prize by Mrs. Blaine McCord and the consolation by Mrs. Harry Graves. The hostesses were assisted in serving by Mrs. Eugene Courtney, Mrs. John P. Hunt, Mrs. Adolph Glat and Mrs. H. M. Austin.

In the list of invited guests were Mrs. T. K. Sanderson, Mrs. Eugene Courtney, Mrs. Robert H. Scoot, Mrs. C. E. Whitman, Mrs. Fred G. Ryden, Mrs. John P. Hunt, Mrs. Rae T. Gibbons, Mrs. Jesse Rigdon, Mrs. Elburn Sims, Mrs. T. C. Poorman, Mrs. H. M. Austin, Mrs. E. J. Hodge, Mrs. Fred Hulras, Mrs. Burton Willeford, Mrs. C. J. Espy, Mrs. Blaine McCord, Mrs. L. R. Tweedie, Mrs. Frank Proctor, Mrs. Otto P. Miller, Mrs. H. F. Butterfield, Mrs. Adolph Glat, Mrs. F. W. Settlemier, Mrs. Lyman H. Shorey, Mrs. J. C. Beaumont of England, Mrs. F. X. Beck of Rock Rapids, Iowa; Mrs. Ray Glat, Mrs. Leo Withers, Mrs. C. F. Whitman, Mrs. Wayne B. Gill, Mrs. Oliver S. Olson, Mrs. Everett J. Hughes, Mrs. A. J. Beck, Mrs. Harry Graves, Mrs. R. L. Gulso, Miss Mary Scollard, Mrs. Harold Aspinwall, Mrs. V. D. Bain, Mrs. Ray O. Wolf, Mrs. A. M. Jerman of Salem, Mrs. Harold Herbelson of Salem, Mrs. Neal Myers, Mrs. F. O. Hovemann, Mrs. Keith Powell.

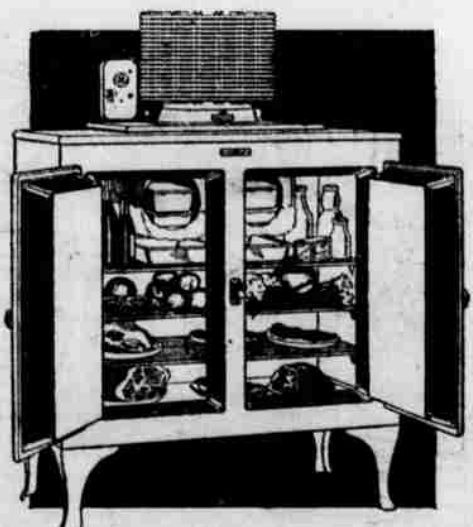
Mrs. Jack Inlah in Salem recently nine members were present and during the business meeting plans were made to give a card party in Gervais Masonic hall on the evening of November 21, by the past maistress, Mrs. Agnes Jones assisted the hostess in serving refreshments at the close of the afternoon. Those present were Mesdames Summer Stevens, C. T. Briley, Scott Jones, Jennie Mogster, Romeo Gouley, Jack Inlah, Agnes Jones, George Stamp, and M. D. Hinning.

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TED FOX TRIAL IS HELD ON THURSDAY

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Ted Fox is scheduled to be tried on a larceny charge.

turned to Portland Monday where she will take treatments for a month. She has not been well since she had ptomaine poisoning some months ago. Her mother, Mrs. A. A. Webb is keeping house for Garrett while his wife is in Portland.

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