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# SOCIETY

By ALINE THOMPSON

Mrs. Herbert Barbur, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clyde G. Graham, for the past week, returned to her home in Portland Tuesday.

During her visit here several delightful informal social affairs were given in her honor.

Mrs. Armin Steiner has returned from Portland, where she passed a week of so visiting friends.

Accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Charles Lewis, Mrs. Robert M. Townsend of Portland, arrived in Salem several days ago to join her husband who is here attending the legislature.

The visitors are at the Hotel Marion and expect to be here for about a week.

Mrs. Townsend has visited here on several occasions and has a number of friends in Salem.

The members of the Samedai club and a few friends enjoyed an informal afternoon several days ago at the home of Mrs. Fred A. Legg.

Tonight at the Salem high school banquet and theatre party will be given in honor of the members of the February senior class by the domestic science department. About 25 young people will participate in the festivity.

In celebration of the sixty-fourth anniversary of St. Paul's church a "birthday" party will be given tonight under the auspices of the senior and junior guilds at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weller.

Mrs. George Schoppert entertained the members of the Round Dozen club informally on Wednesday afternoon.

The early part of the afternoon was devoted to a business session and the following officers were elected: Mrs. F. E. Mull, president; Mrs. L. W. Potter, vice president; Mrs. F. L. Davidson, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. F. M. Rupert, reporter.

About a dozen members assembled for the meeting and later sewing was enjoyed. Mrs. Davidson gave a paper on "The Early Oregon History."

The hostess' daughter, Miss Carolyn Schoppert, and Miss Leone Davidson assisted in serving the refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Fry were hosts last night for a delightful dinner.

and "500" party. Their guests, who were the members of the Cherry City card club, circled six tables of cards, the scores honors falling to Mrs. Edgar Hartley and Fred Steusloff.

Miss Veda Cross has asked a number of maids and younger matrons to her home for an informal tea on Saturday.

Mrs. E. E. Upmeyer who has been sojourning in the east for the past year, is expected to arrive in Salem today. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Bill Allan Stage of Argus, Indiana.

Both Mrs. Upmeyer and Mrs. Stage are planning to make their home in Salem.

Mrs. Upmeyer is a sister of Mrs. J. B. Litter, who with her husband has recently moved to Salem, the latter having bought out the Reinhart shoe company.

Miss Helen Schober of Seattle is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. David W. Eyre, for several weeks. Miss Schober is a charming young girl, and already several delightful little affairs have been given in her honor.

Tomorrow, Mrs. Eyre's brother, Emerson Hoyce of Oregon City will arrive for a visit.

Mrs. Harry E. Clay and Mrs. Walter L. McDougal went to Portland this morning for the day.

Mrs. Louis Lockmund will entertain tomorrow afternoon with a few tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. Ralph Watson of Portland, who is the house guest of Mrs. Edwin L. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Walsh of 854 South Commercial street have visiting them Mr. Walsh's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wyckoff and small daughter, Mary, of Vancouver, B. C. They arrived today and will be here for about a week.

## Hope of Peace Gone, Prices of Produce Soar

Chicago, Jan. 25.—British comments upon President Wilson's note regarded indicative of the opposition that peace moves would have, caused a

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## JAPANESE POLITICS IN VERY TANGLED STATE

### Dissolution of Parliament Brings Situation to Crisis Now

Tokio, Jan. 25.—The Japanese diet dissolved today, bringing the internal political situation in Japan to a crisis. The nationalists in the diet, and the constitutionalists, in the house of peers, united in opposition to Premier Count Teruchi, caused the dissolution of the diet which reconvened Tuesday.

Ever since the emperor selected Teruchi as head of the government in succession to Marquis Okuma, a bitter political fight on the administration has been in progress.

Count Teruchi who is leader of the militarist faction in Japanese politics, has been fiercely attacked and even the emperor has been criticized for selecting him as premier.

The principal ground on which the fight was made was that the selection of Teruchi's cabinet was not made in accordance with the constitution of Japan. The real leader of the opposition to the government is Viscount Kato who served as foreign minister in the Okuma cabinet. Heading the powerful constitutional party in the house of peers, he joined hands with the nationalists in the diet with today's results.

Count Teruchi has been one of Japan's great military leaders but his selection as premier created a great political sensation in the orient. As governor general of Korea, when that country was absorbed by Japan, he used stern methods in maintaining order.

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rise in the grain market. All grains opened up, remaining that way with the exception of July. May wheat opened up one and gained 1-8 going to \$1.85 7-8. July opened up 7-8, subsequently losing 1/4, going to \$1.54. September wheat opened up 1-8, gained 7-8, going to \$1.39 3-8.

Corn showed strength. Offerings were light but on the bulge some long corn was sold. May corn opened up 3-8 and gained 3-4, going to \$1.03 3-4, higher than January 18, when it reached \$1.02 3-4, breaking a fifty year record. July opened up 3-8 and gained 5-8 going to \$1.01 1/4.

Sharp gains were made in oats, the strength in wheat and corn being the governing factors. May oats opened up half, subsequently gaining 1-8, going to 37-8. July opened up half, selling up 1/4 at \$6 1/2.

Provisions, like grains, sold higher. Firmness in hogs together with light receipts was responsible.

## Confidential Code No Longer Secret

Washington, Jan. 25.—Confidential messages of the state department have leaked because the state department codes are known abroad, the state department has reason to believe, a high official stated today.

Because of this the codes have been altered from time to time and it is hinted they have been changed recently.

Charges that the codes are known abroad have been made frequently. Until today, however, the department has never admitted its belief that the code is in foreign hands.

In view of the house leak committee's query as to whether New York brokers had information from abroad of the president's recent note, the admission from the state department today appeared significant; it may mean that the government hopes to trace the leak abroad, rather than to Washington.

About nine months ago the United Press carried a dispatch from Berlin to the effect that keys of United States codes had become known in many European capitals and that knowledge of this had caused a sudden altering of the codes used by this government.

## Some Little Stories and Gossip of the Legislature

### Anti-Picketing Bill

Although there was a strong protest made by the labor delegates against the introduction of the anti-picketing bill, it made its appearance in the house yesterday with Representative Kubli, of Multnomah county as its sponsor.

Tuesday night the senate chamber was jammed with employers and business-men of Portland and 100 pickets who have been surrounding the Willamette Iron and Steel Works plant in Portland and labor delegates who argued both sides of the anti-picketing, anti-bannering, and anti-boycotting measure, which is now on its way toward becoming a law of the state.

This anti-picketing bill, which is causing so much disturbance among the labor people of the state, provides that if any person shall by force, threats, or intimidation, or by carry or displaying any banner, sign, or transparency, in front of or in the vicinity of the home, in front of or in the vicinity of the store, in front of or in the vicinity of the place of business, or in front of or in the vicinity of the place of work, or by picketing, prevent or try to prevent any person from working or accepting work, or induce or attempt to induce others not to buy from or sell to, or compel an employer to employ or discharge any one, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

The penalty for conviction under this act is a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$250, or a jail sentence of not less than one month or more than six months. For the purposes of the act, congregating, loitering, or parading in front of a home, shop, or factory in violation of the provisions specified above, constitutes picketing.

At the meeting Tuesday night to protest against this bill, Arthur I. Moulton, speaking for the union men, said: "What you seek to put out of business is the right to carry an orderly banner on the street, because if it is displayed there is already a law to reach it."

"You want to prevent a man from peacefully persuading another to join him in demanding better wages and better working conditions."

"You are asking for class legislation, for special legislation, which is demanded by the Portland Chamber of Commerce. It would be legislative invasion of the constitutional guaranteed rights of the American people, of which they are very jealous."

The core of the whole contention, according to E. J. Stack, secretary of the State Federation of Labor, was the opposition of employers to organized labor and the right to withdraw patronage from a firm that is unfair regarding labor conditions.

"Did you ever hear," he asked, "of the Employers association coming to the legislature asking you to pass an eight hour law for women, an eight hour law for mill workers?"

"By what right then does the Employers association or the Chamber of Commerce speak for labor?"

"This group of businessmen is organized for the purpose of denying this right of the men to organize. The question behind this bill involves more than the strike at the steel plants."

### Stallion Registration Board

Of keen interest to all breeders of horses and jacks of pure blood, is the bill introduced yesterday by Representative Al Jones of Marion county creating a stallion registration board and providing for the licensing and examination of stallions and jacks, and making provision for a lien upon mares and colts for service and manner of foreclosing such lien.

The bill provides that no firm, person, or corporation, shall use or offer for public service any stallion or jack unless its name, description and pedigree is enrolled by the stallion registration board and a certificate of fitness is issued. "Public service" is defined as meaning the breeding of any mare or mares not owned by the owner or owners of the stallion.

The stallion registration board is to consist of the president of the state board of agriculture, the director of the experiment station, and the state veterinarian, with a secretary who is to receive \$5 a day. It will be the duty of

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## LOS ANGELES' GIRL

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blood covering her face, matted her hair and staining the linen. There were a number of cuts and welts on her body in addition to the bruises on her face.

Winter is unable to explain these, saying that he woke up and believed the woman dead. He says she suffered from a nose bleed a few hours earlier.

Assuming that the woman died of hemorrhage as Winter declares, the police say she might have fallen in the bathroom from weakness, and have received the bruises in that manner.

Winter declares he left the hotel to summon assistance. He says he had telephoned to friends at the time he was arrested, and that he was in persons in rooms adjoining that of

this board to verify and register pedigrees, employ competent veterinarians to make examinations of stallions or jacks for soundness, at one or more points in each county. This board shall hold an annual meeting at the Oregon Agricultural college in February of each year.

Authorization is given the board to refuse registration for catarract, amaurosis, moon blindness, roaring or whistling, string halt, St. Vitus dance, bone spavin, ring bone, side bone, and curb. It can also refuse a license for unlicensed stallions which have neither sire nor dam of pure breeding, if application is made after January 1, 1918. Temporary certificates may be issued until a veterinarian makes an examination.

In advertising a stallion for public service the advertiser must give the license certificate number, and give the designation in the certificate as "pure bred," "cross bred," "non-standard," "grade," or "mongrel."

The application for registration must be accompanied by a fee of \$10, which covers everything. The veterinarian is to be paid by the owner of the stallion for examination. The certificate is good for three years, except when the jack is more than ten years old.

The owner of the jack has a lien on the female or offspring contracted by service within a period of twenty months.

### New School Bill

A bill that holds a great future for the public school, and which may eventually bring the freshman and sophomore years of the university course closer to those who live at a distance from the state university or other large institution of learning, was introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Crandall, which provides that school boards may incur indebtedness in establishing grades in the district above the eighth.

The measure provides that one-third of the legal voters of a district may petition the district board requesting that grades above the eighth be taught; or if the district board thinks proper on twenty days notice before the annual school meeting or to a special election called for the purpose of submitting the question, it may be submitted to the voters.

If the measure carries, it shall then be the duty of the board to establish the courses asked for. If the thirteenth and fourteenth grades, known as the freshman and sophomore years of the course at the state university, are chosen, they may be established with the consent of the state superintendent of public instruction.

### Mock Session Staged

The mock session of the legislature staged last night in the house of representatives by the convention members of the Oregon State Retail Grocers association proved to be an interesting one from start to finish and a number of the stunts pulled off brought down the house with laughter.

C. L. Dick called the assembly to order and presided as temporary chairman. The session elected Frank Davy, former speaker of the 1913 house of representatives and now book keeper at the Oregon state penitentiary where he handles groceries, was chosen speaker for the mock session. This piece of work was familiar ground for Mr. Davy and he rose to the occasion with much humor.

H. S. Rittman, of "Holsum bread" fame, was elected sergeant-at-arms and D. R. Norton chosen chief clerk, reading clerk, and calendar clerk all in one.

Many of the duties he performed with ease and nonchalance.

Many foolish resolutions found their way to the speakers desk and were promptly relegated to the proper committee. A resolution directed that the secretary of state place upon the desk of each each morning a box of Havana cigars. The resolution was carried.

A resolution by Representative Dairy and Food Commissioner Mickle, of Astoria, who occupied Representative Beland's chair and spoke with his Scandinavian voice, moved that each member be furnished with a lady clerk and stenographer at \$12 an hour. The motion carried. He also moved that the committees of the house be extended to Mr. Steinbock, prominent junk dealer of Salem, who was escorted within the bar by the sergeant-at-arms.

A telegram from Hornbrook requested that the "bone dry" bill be postponed and that if funds are necessary to stave it off, to call on Representative Anderson for all needed. Representative Theo Roth of Liberty street introduced a bill to transfer the retail liquor business to the grocers as they were especially fitted to handle it.

Serious consideration was given the measure introduced to prohibit the use of trading stamps, which the grocers declared was an evil that is a tax on the grocer and the patron. The trading stamp business they declared was a parasite that lived on their work and did nothing beneficial for either the grocer or the patron.

The grocers also gave serious consideration to a proposed measure to make the beating of a grocer-grocer's bill, a misdemeanor punishable with imprisonment. The grocers declared that it was a punishable offense to beat a hotel bill, board bill, or other bills, but that the grocers heart was the grocer's who gave but did not receive.

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the couple in the Leonide hotel state they were awakened by sounds of a struggle and a man's impassioned cry of "Nellie is dead!" Winter, on the other hand, insists death was due to a hemorrhage, and apparently crazed by the occurrence, he cries this repeatedly at the cell where he is held while police are trying to discover if death was due to murder, accident or illness.

Some police officers are inclined to accept Winter's story, and intimated that he might be released as soon as the inquest is held.

Due to Alcoholism  
Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 25.—Dr. Wagner autopsy surgeon announced that the death of Mrs. Nell Harvey found dead here was due to alcoholism.

Police say Harlan J. Winter who was detained in connection with the case will be released this afternoon.

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### National Foreign Trade Convention Hears Report of War Ravages

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 25.—That the financial loss to public and private European property, exclusive of shipping, since the beginning of the war represents a sum estimated at \$5,985,000,000, was the declaration contained in a report on world trade conditions after the European war, submitted today to the National Foreign Trade Convention, which opened here today.

Much of this destruction is in such a shape that easy rebuilding will be possible, the report stated. Foundations, in many cases, have remained intact. Road repair, however, the report states, will be found extremely difficult.

The report also gives attention to the probability that Germany will not be able to resume export trade until raw material have been imported for domestic needs. The belief is expressed that Germany will restrict importations at first to essential articles.

W. W. Nichols of the Allied Chambers company, New York, who is chairman of the United States industrial commission to France, declared in a speech before the convention that France had been found willing to cooperate at the end of the war to restore commercial reciprocity with the United States.

"France looks to us as the superior exploiter of labor-saving machinery to help her deal with what she expects to

be the most difficult phase of her reconstruction, namely to find a direct means to offset a great deficiency in her former manual labor," he said.

B. F. Harris, a farmer of Champaign, Ill., pleaded for national study of exportation for farmers.

Willard Straight, of New York, president of the American International company, discussed the tariff laws as he now finds them affecting the United States commerce and their probable effect at the end of the war.

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