

POPE NEUTRAL, BUT NOT INDIFFERENT

Love for France Reasserted, While Prayer Is for Tranquillity for World.

ATROCITIES ARE DEPLORED

Paris Journalist Quotes Pontiff as Declaring He Has Done All Possible to Modify Horrors of Great War.

PARIS, July 3.—An account of a visit paid to Pope Benedict last Monday by Fernand Laudet, director of the Review Hebdomadaire, formerly secretary of the French Embassy, to the Vatican, published in the Figaro.

When he mentioned neutrality, M. Laudet says, he was interrupted by the Pope with the exclamation: "Oh, that France would understand well that this neutrality is not indifference. I love France as I did 15 years ago and I have remained the same."

Prayers for World Tranquillity. The Pope referred to his efforts in behalf of a French mother who wrote him regarding her son who was a prisoner in Germany, and told of sending a modest sum to France for charity.

"I have prayed for peace," the Pontiff is quoted as saying, "having no other concern than to implore the Lord to restore tranquillity to a world thrown into disorder. You speak to me of the Cathedral at Rheims, which the Germans continue to attack. But from the beginning I instructed the Cardinal Archbishop of Rome to express my complaints to the Emperor and to ask him to spare religious edifices in the future. The reply has been the best worded of any. If this promise has not been kept, what can I do about it? I have done all I have been able to do in this and many other things which France ignores."

Atrocities Condemned Concretely. "You ask me if I condemn in principle the atrocities committed. In principle is not sufficient. I condemn them concretely. Everybody knows Germany has committed some atrocious, but I cannot specify reproaches as some would have it, because I have not the necessary elements."

At the moment of the Angelus, Pope Benedict with M. Laudet asserts, in his words: "In any case I condemn highly the martyrdom of poor Belgian priests and so many other horrors on which the light has been thrown. I await only the occasion to convince France of my sympathy."

DR. W. S. ARMSTRONG DEAD

Funeral Services for Physician to Be Conducted Tuesday.

Obsequies for Dr. William S. Armstrong, 52 years old, who died yesterday at the Portland Surgical Hospital, will be held Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock at Finley's chapel, Rev. E. S. Hollinger and the Portland Knights of the Maccabees will have charge of the funeral services. Final respect will be paid at the Mount Scott crematorium.

Dr. Armstrong was born in Wisconsin January 2, 1863. He was City Health Officer of Chicago for six years. He moved to Silverton, Or., 12 years ago and two years later came to Portland. He was actively engaged until two weeks before his death.

STATESMAN TO BE BURIED

Olympia Masons to Have Charge of Funeral of A. S. Ruth.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 3.—(Special.)—The death at San Miguel, Cal., Wednesday of ex-Senator A. S. Ruth, of Thurston County, has removed one of the striking figures of Washington politics. Mr. Ruth was president pro tempore of the Senate in 1909. He retired after the session of 1911, spending most of his time in California.

GROWERS' OFFICIAL QUILTS

C. W. McCullagh Leaves Yakima Association for N. P. Agency.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., July 3.—(Special.)—Carroll W. McCullagh, sales and traffic manager of the Yakima Valley Fruitgrowers' Association, has resigned to become district agent for the North Pacific Fruit Distributors, with headquarters in Minneapolis. He will leave for that city on July 10 to begin his new duties. He will be succeeded by J. Fred Clark, his assistant.

As district manager, McCullagh will have charge of the distributors' business in Montana, North and South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and West Ontario. He came to the association three years ago and for six years before that was connected with commission firms of Seattle.

Mrs. Allen Dies in Los Angeles.

Mrs. E. Nelson Allen, wife of the Rev. E. Nelson Allen, who for 10 years was pastor of the Hawthorne Park Presbyterian Church, of this city, died Wednesday at her home in Los Angeles, Cal., after an illness of three months. She was about 35 years of age. Her husband, Rev. Allen, resigned as pastor of the Hawthorne Park Church more than two years ago. She is survived by her husband, Rev. Mr. Allen, and her son.

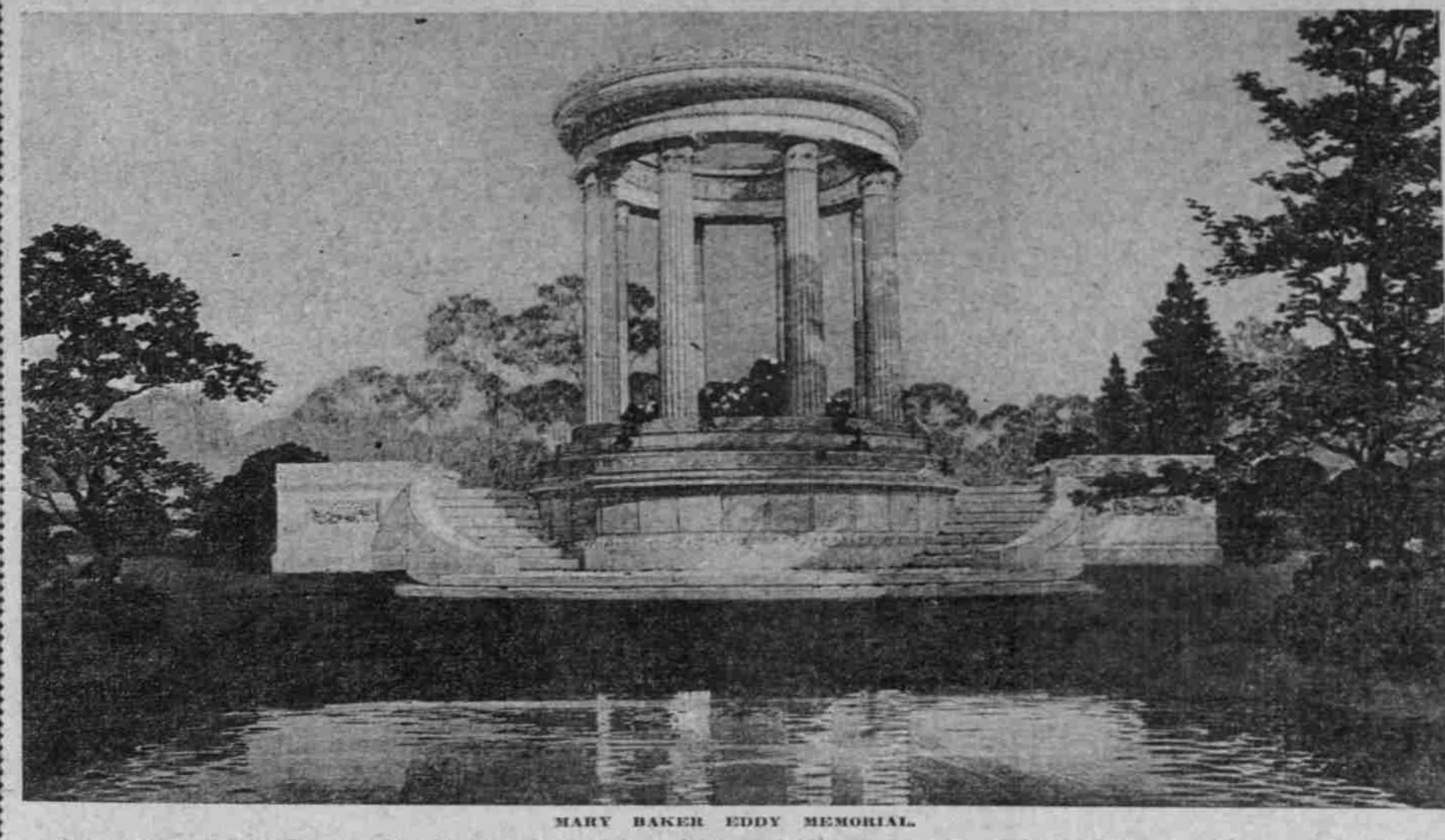
GROUND RENT ITEM LAUDED

Criticism Considered as Proving That Definition Should Be Clearer.

PORTLAND, July 3.—(To the Editor.)—Your criticism in The Oregonian Monday proves that the definition of ground rent ought to be made clear in the people's land and loan amendment. Our definition is based on the following example from the records of this county:

There is in Portland a block of land which is leased for a ground rent of \$30,000 for the years 1914 and 1915, and \$60,000 for the year 1916 and a good many years after that. A Portland block is less than one acre. It would seem that the tenant must have had an advantage over the owner of this block, because his lease must be worth \$60,

DESIGN FOR MONUMENT TO BE PLACED IN MOUNT AUBURN CEMETERY TO FOUNDER OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.



MARY BAKER EDDY MEMORIAL.

MRS. EDDY HONORED

Work Begun on Memorial in Mount Auburn Cemetery.

COST IS TO BE \$110,000

More Than \$75,000 Already Contributed to Fund; Memorial to Consist of Colonnade Enclosing Flower-Grown Circle.

BOSTON, Mass., July 2.—(Special.)—A design for a proposed memorial in Mount Auburn Cemetery to Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, discoverer and founder of Christian Science, has been adopted by the Christian Science board of directors, and work preliminary to the erection of the monument is under way. A fund of more than \$75,000, raised wholly by voluntary contributions, is available for the purpose. The memorial, including a fund for its future maintenance, is estimated to cost \$110,000. A general contract for its construction has been let to Ebert S. Barlow, of New York. The accepted design is by Egerton Swartwood, of New York.

The site is not only one of great natural beauty, but on account of its grade has rendered possible a more picturesque and interesting treatment architecturally than would be possible on a perfectly level lot. The plot, which is approximately 80 feet square, slopes gradually from the level of the roadway to the lake, with a drop of about 10 feet. The memorial consists of a circular open colonnade of eight columns, resting upon a stylobate of three steps surrounded on the front by a circular platform slightly above the natural grade, from which platform a double flight of steps leads to a lower platform at the lake's edge. The scheme has no prototype and is merely a screen of columns open to the sky, enclosing a flower-grown circle.

The method to be used for the memorial is white granite, the inscription in the frieze and upon the top of the pylon being of white bronze set deep into the stone work. The detail, including the wild rose and the morning glory, being used as the main motifs. It is interesting architecturally to note that the design is generally very classic and not at all conventional, yet the effect obtained on a plaster model of construction, is generally very classic in feeling. The extreme width of the memorial is about 50 feet, and the columns themselves are 15 feet in height and are similar in general character to those in the Cleopatra of Andronotus of Cythrus.

Mr. Swartwood, writing of his work, explains that "Thanks to the co-operation of the board of directors, the scheme for the memorial is being developed entirely by the use of models. At least three complete models at a small scale have been made, and early in April a model in plaster at full size was begun out-of-doors in the modeler's yard. The profiles of the columns would not be more than \$500,000, FIRST AD READING.

BUILDER'S WORK IS DONE

Director of Works of Exposition Soon to Resign.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 3.—Harris de Haven Connick, director of works of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, supervising construction of the buildings which were reported to have cost \$50,000,000, announced today he would resign soon, his work having been completed.

His final task, now nearly finished, is the plan for demolishing the great structures which took several years to build. Salvage on these, he said, probably would be more than \$500,000.

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5270 AT BERKELEY

Summer School Registration Exceeds Regular Session.

115 OREGONIANS ENTERED

More Than 40 States Are Represented and Oregon Has Largest Club Representation, With Members From 23 Cities.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Berkeley, July 3.—(Special.)—One hundred and 15 Oregonians from 22 different cities registered at the first meeting of the Summer Session Oregon Club, which was organized here yesterday. This gives Oregon the largest state club in the summer school, with the exception of California. More than 40 states are represented in the 1915 session, and the total registration is 5270, exceeding the regular term registration by five.

AID BY CITIES IS CITED

Portland Chamber is Urged to Help Develop Industries.

George Lee Reports Methods Used by Bay City, Detroit and Rochester. Farm Assistance Suggested.

That Portland and the Portland Chamber of Commerce might profit by some of the methods used in development work by the commercial bodies of Bay City and Detroit, Mich., and Rochester, N. Y., is the belief expressed by George D. Lee, secretary of the Bureau of Industries and Manufactures of the Chamber of Commerce, who has just returned from a trip of investigation made in those cities. Mr. Lee was sent as a delegate to the Ad Men's convention in Chicago and made the investigation of the cities at his own expense.

The method employed by the Board of Commerce of Bay City, Mich., is to have a large building erected for the purpose of storing lumber, which is then sold to the lumber companies.

The Clark & Wilson Lumber Company, of Linton, is adding equipment costing more than \$50,000 in anticipation of heavy business this coming season. Part of this equipment consists of a lumber shed 92 by 423 feet in dimension, having a capacity of 2,000,000 feet. It is the largest lumber storage shed on the Pacific Coast and will have a clear height for lumber 40 feet high. Electric cranes will be installed.

The company also is adding a building for its new monorail system for handling lumber. This shed will be 50 by 276 feet. James Taylor is the contractor in charge of the work and he will use 400,000 feet of lumber and 90,000 square feet of corrugated iron in the two structures. The storage shed is about completed.

of Commerce of Bay City, Mr. Lee says, is to assist concerns financially where it is found that they are responsible and would prove a benefit to the city. This assistance is usually provided for by subscription which are discounted by the banks and the money thus obtained immediately.

To assist the development of manufacturing in Rochester, Mr. Lee says that it has been proposed there to form the Industrial Development Company of Rochester. This company will assist financially or otherwise new existing industries in the state and to carry out this purpose it may issue notes or guarantee obligations of persons, partnerships or corporations.

Mr. Lee gives another method that the Portland Chamber of Commerce might use. This he calls the "Bonding Fund" idea. It consists of issuing bonds to be secured by the investment made by the proceeds of the sale of the land.

As a method for the adding to the rural population of the state Mr. Lee cites a method employed in Minnesota. This is for the state to assist in clearing of stump land, then selling the land on the installment plan to settlers. This he says enables the man with small funds to get out on the farm and make a living.

Heat at Arlington Injures Wheat. ARLINGTON, Or., July 2.—(Special.)—This week has been the hottest yet in Gilliam County this season, and each day has been a little hotter than the one previous. While still not accompanied with the burning east winds that damage the growing crops, the heat has drawn and shriveled much grain. Spring wheat has been white-headed and burned, while Fall wheat has not

RACE SUICIDE IS DEFENDED

Physician at Head of Children's Bureau Urges Financial Test.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 3.—(Special.)—Race suicide has a defender in Dr. Francis Gage Bradley, head of the United States Government's children's bureau at the Exposition.

Dr. Bradley said today that the rearing of a large family by parents in poor circumstances was an injustice to the children and that medical science should soon find a way to control births.

"Because a woman is physically able to have children is no reason why she should have them," said Dr. Bradley. "The financial situation of the parents should first be taken into consideration. Big families not only work a hardship on the mother, but the children as well."

MRS. MARTHA JAHN DEAD

Wife of Pioneer Minister is Victim of Paralysis at Oak Grove.

Mrs. Martha Christiana Hartung Jahn, wife of Rev. J. C. Jahn, one of the pioneer Western ministers, died yesterday at her home in Oak Grove, Or., at the age of 82 years and 4 months. Paralysis was the cause. Funeral services will be held Monday at 1 o'clock from Finley's chapel and burial will be at Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Jahn was born at Mecklenburg, Germany, and came to America with her parents in 1829. They settled at Woodbury, Minn. In 1843 she was married to Rev. Mr. Jahn.

Surviving sons and daughters are: Mrs. A. J. Alvin, of Mount City, Minn.; and C. A. Jahn, Mrs. William Massmann, Mrs. I. A. Schramm, Mrs. William Knuth, Harold J. Alfred and Benjamin Jahn, all of Oak Grove. Two brothers, J. Martin Hartung and George Hartung, also survive.

JUNIOR POLICE TESTS SET

Membership Campaign Will Close With Examinations Tuesday.

The campaign to increase the membership of the Junior Government Police force to 150 will close at 6 o'clock next Tuesday night, after which time applications will be refused. Later that evening will be held an examination of all candidates. The membership of the force is now 48.

A business meeting of the Junior Police, to which applicants are invited, will be held on Wednesday night. Applications will be received and information given by the Junior Chief of Police on the second floor of the Chamber of Commerce building, between the hours of 10 and 12 A. M. and 1 and 3 P. M. Tuesday.

Arlington Harvesting On.

ARLINGTON, Or., July 1.—(Special.)—Harvesting commenced Monday, June 28, on the John Barthold ranch, near Skutter, and the combine report is 27 bushels per acre for Turkey Red wheat. This grain was early Fall sown and at double the usual amount for such lands and location, but the favorable Spring has brought it through in the best of condition and with a yield that is good heavy grain.

SLIDE HITS POWER PLANT

Wenatchee Valley Company's Dryden Power Plant Wrecked by Mud.

WENATCHEE, Wash., July 3.—(Special.)—A mudslide completely wrecked the Dryden powerplant of the Wenatchee Valley Gas & Electric Company out of commission. The slide occurred about 5 o'clock this morning and resulted from seepage of water from the highline canal.

The slide hit the base of the plant broke off with such force that the rear end of the powerhouse was smashed in and mud and pieces of the concrete wall passed through it. The machinery was carried into the river. President Gunn thinks the damage will amount to several thousand dollars, but believes the plant will again be in commission some time next week.

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"The Day We Celebrate" The Ben Selling Store Will Be Closed All Day Monday, July 5th FOURTH AND MORRISON

You will not arrive at the basis of comparison for 1916 automobile value until you have ridden in and driven the Mitchell 6 of '16. Prove for yourself if it is or is not the best automobile value on the market by accepting our invitation to "Get the Personal Touch" Do It Tomorrow. Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Co. Corner First and East Morrison

MAIL MEN AROUSED Order for Auto Rural Service Causes Dissatisfaction. FEWER CARRIERS NEEDED

Many Now Holding Routes Not Equipped With Motor Vehicles, Which Are Expected to Cover More Ground Than Horses.

OAKVILLE FAIR PRIZES PROVIDED FOR. CENTRALIA, Wash., July 3.—(Special.)—At a recent meeting of the Oakville Fair Association it was decided to hold an exhibit this year. The buildings were reported as paid for and the association is in debt only \$750. An appropriation was made for cash prizes for premiums, and Rochester was invited to participate in the fair. Frank Leisner resigned as president of the association. His successor will be appointed later.

Death of Calves Investigated. MORTON, Wash., July 1.—(Special.)—Dr. H. E. Graves, State Agricultural Commissioner, was in Big Bottom today accompanied by Dr. J. H. Schulz, of Seattle, examining stock of Samuel Gardner, and reports the herd free from contagious disease. Recent death of calves is attributed to stagnant water. Reported loss of calves in other sections also will be investigated, but it is said the losses have been greatly exaggerated.

All Good authorities agree that to keep the hair from falling, dandruff, if present, must be removed first. Then there is a chance for the hair to regain its normal condition. Dandruff and eczema clog the hair follicles by irritating the small glands in the scalp, and the growth of new hair to the scalp surface is made impossible. Whetzel's Dandruff and Eczema Treatment and Hair Tonic will remove the most persistent case of dandruff and soothe and heal eczema. This is the proven truth. Get a large bottle of Whetzel's from your druggist; if it does not do the work, your money will be returned.