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POPE GIVES MESSAGE TO UNITED PRESS

Prays That the Lord of Mercies Moved by Prayers of Children Will End War

(Copyright 1916 by the United Press.) New York, July 29.—The United Press today received the following message from Pope Benedict, through the agency of Cardinal Gasparri: "To the United Press Association, New York, U. S. A.:

"I have presented your telegram to the Holy Father. His Holiness is grateful for your respect and confidence in the Holy See.

"He prays that the Lord of Mercies, moved by the prayers of innocent children imploring peace on this second anniversary of the terrible conflict, shall deign to end speedily this awful carnage.

"(Signed) "CARDINAL GASPARRI." The above translation of the message transmitted by the papal secretary of state was made by Mgr. Lavalle of St. Patrick's Cathedral, who on behalf of Cardinal Farley, added:

"His Eminence, Cardinal Farley, is not at home, but his whole heart echoes the sentiment of the Holy Father.

"By the Cardinal's direction all the priests are praying for peace every day at the altar. They are constantly urging to the same pious practice all the people, and especially the innocent children so touchingly alluded to in the papal telegram.

The message from the pope appealing for peace through the prayers of the innocent children of the world, was in response to a cablegram sent by the United Press from New York, supplementing a request made at the Vatican by John H. Hurley, United Press staff correspondent, for a statement on the second anniversary of the war. The cablegram requested a "papal statement to the American people and through America, to the world."

CHINESE DOCTORS JOIN INVESTIGATORS

Think It Is Disease That Harried China, Which Now Has Remedy

New York, July 29.—Experts studying the infantile paralysis epidemic turned back into ancient Chinese medical lore today in the hope of achieving their objective—a preventative or cure for the scourge that has killed more than a hundred babies a week for seven weeks.

Five Chinese physicians applied to health officials today for permission to study with United States experts. They believe infantile paralysis is the same disease which harried China for hundreds of years before a cure was discovered in the juice of a plant that grows in the Orient. They probably will sit with the 12 noted experts who are coming from various sections of the country Thursday to confer with local and United States officials.

Dr. Paul A. Lewis, Henry Phipps Institute, Philadelphia; Dr. J. W. Joblin, Vanderbilt University; Dr. Milton J. Rosenau, Boston, have accepted invitations to the conference. Among others who have been invited are: Ludvig Hektoen, Chicago, and Charles C. Bass, New Orleans.

Suffragettes Have Strong Hopes of Hughes

Colorado Springs, Colo., July 29.—Suffragettes are hopeful today that Charles Evan Hughes will declare himself in favor of the Susan B. Anthony federal suffrage amendment when he replies to his formal notification on Monday in New York.

Miss Anne Martin, chairman, and Miss Mabel Vernon, secretary, leaders of the National Woman's Party, stated today that they were certain the republican presidential candidate will take a satisfactory stand on the amendment.

"If he does," said Miss Martin, "and the democrats fail to pass the amendment at this session of congress, Hughes will be supported by the national woman's party. We can control 3,000,000 women's votes and swing the election to the friends of suffrage."

Hughes, who is said to be planning mountain climbing in Colorado as a physical conditioner for campaigning, has been invited to address the Woman's Party conference here August 11. The invitation was at first extended with the proviso that he come out favorably for the Anthony amendment, but Mrs. Martin stated today that this condition had been removed.

Salem Rifle Club Meets Monday Evening

The Salem Rifle Club will meet Monday evening at the armory and the auxiliary will be put through its paces by Captain Rosenberg who returned today from Newport.

At the meeting Monday evening, members will discuss the proposition of entering the small bore shooting match.

The conditions governing the competition for the General Thomas M. Anderson cup for the individual small bore championship of Oregon are as follows:

All members of rifle clubs associated with the National Rifle Association in Oregon are eligible. The distance is 50 yards and the number of shots, 50. Rifles, any .22 calibre weighing not over ten pounds. Trigger pull, not less than three pounds. Time allowance, one hour. Targets must be reported on and mailed to Portland by October 15. The cup donated by General Anderson must be won three times to become the permanent property of any competitor.

TENNESSEE DEALER PLACES FLOUR ORDER IN OREGON

Silverton, Or., July 27.—Probably one of the largest orders ever received by the Fischer Flouring Mills company, of Corvallis and Silverton, Tenn., placing an order for 8000 barrels of flour. The Melford concern has used Fischer's flour for the past year.

Four thousand barrels will be manufactured in this city. This in addition to the usual run of business will necessitate both a day and a night shift in the mill.

Admiral Cameron McRae Winslow, Noted Naval Seadog, Retires Today

Washington, July 29.—Rear Admiral Cameron McRae Winslow, commander of the Pacific fleet, one of the Navy's old seadogs and incidentally, one of its richest men, retired from active service today on his 82d birthday—that being the statutory age for retirement.

Rear Admiral Winslow's wealth—he married a daughter of the Sugar King, Haveney, never interfered with his service. He did a lot of work.

Included was the fact of taking the Battleship New Hampshire right up to the hark at New York, without the aid of any navy, but his channel sense. This, by the way, was termed by Admiral Goodrich, his superior officer. Winslow then was a captain—as the finest piece of seamanship he ever saw. Admiral Winslow was boosted five numbers in rank when as Lieutenant C. McR. Winslow he cut the cables in Cienfuegos Harbor, Cuba, during the war with Spain—with the Spaniards firing from a distance of 150 yards.

In this engagement a marine was killed and nine men—including Lieutenant C. McR. Winslow—wounded. Winslow was wounded in the hand. His promotion came when he was recommended for "extraordinary heroism."

Winslow and his men went out in sail and motor launches. Winslow was in charge. With the big guns on the ships out in the harbor firing at the cable office—they wrecked it before Winslow reached shore—Winslow went into the face of a Spanish bombardment. He got by with it in excellent shape—some casualties reported, but the work done.

Admiral Winslow has done a lot of sea duty. He has done some land duty, too—enough to be known to New York Harbor in 1909, 1910 and 1911, and to those at Newport, R. I., when he was at the naval war college in 1904.

At the time of his retirement Winslow was a full admiral, being entitled to that rank by virtue of his command of the Pacific fleet. He served as a member of the Slocum commission when the burning of the New York excursion steamer was investigated.

Winslow was born in Washington in 1834. He was appointed to the Naval Academy by the president in 1870, and graduated in 1875.

No More Concessions for Mining in Mexico

San Diego, Cal., July 29.—Mexican Consul Teodoro Freziers has just received word from the government authorities at Mexico City that no more mining concessions will be granted in Mexico until a review, now pending, and which is expected to carry drastic changes in the tax rates, has been completed.

This announcement virtually closes the door to lower California, which gathers its mining prospectors from this section of California as well as all of the other Mexican states for a short period, probably until some time next month.

Just what changes are to be made in the rates of taxation on future new mining claims is only a matter of conjecture now.

Explosion On Motor Boat Kills Two

Milwaukee, Wis., July 28.—James H. Boughton, president of the Great Lakes Shipbuilding company, died today as a result of the explosion of a motorboat in Lake Michigan Thursday. Miss Annette Housam, who was with Boughton when the explosion occurred, was instantly killed and her body has not been recovered.

Anti-Catholic Paper Office Is Dynamited

Aurora, Mo., July 29.—The presses of The Menace, an anti-Catholic newspaper, were wrecked early today by the explosions of three bombs. No one was injured, although the night watchman was in the building at the time.

The bombs had been placed under the floor which was badly damaged and some loose paper was set on fire by the explosion. The presses were slightly damaged.

The firemen put out the blaze before it had time to spread.

No arrests had been made at 9 o'clock. Feeling ran high following the attempt to destroy the "Menace" plant.

Damage was estimated at about \$1,000. The presses had just completed a run of this week's Menace when the bombs exploded at 4:15.

JOINT OPEN AIR MEETING AT FAIR GROUNDS

July 31st the Salem Union and the Highland Union of the W. C. T. U. held a joint open air meeting at the state fair grounds.

In the afternoon a program was given with splendid addresses by Mr. Hale of the state school for boys and Mrs. Hockett of the Friends church.

Mrs. Jasper sang "Send a Little Bit of Love," in her own sweet way and the patriotic song by Russel and Emery Lahman was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

At five o'clock a splendid lunch was enjoyed by some sixty White Ribboners and their friends.

The entire afternoon was under the management of Mrs. Nuan of the Salem union and Mrs. Wooten of the Highland union, superintendents of the open air meetings.

SUIT AGAINST CITY BEING TRIED TODAY

Was the walk at the northeast corner of Liberty and Trade streets in a dangerous and defective condition May 15, 1915?

This is a question which is being determined today in the case of Spranger vs. E. H. Badlong as street commissioner of the city of Salem, in Judge Kelly's department of the circuit court.

The Theatrical Week

Theatrical interest during the past week centered largely in "The Birth of a Nation" picture at the Grand, which did a business amounting to between \$3,000 and \$4,000.

Notwithstanding this competition, fair business is reported from the other houses, which kept up the attractions to the customary standard and went on much the same as if the big feature was a thousand miles away.

Salem has been favored during the week with such screen stars as Blanche Sweet, Frank Losee, Bessie Barriscale and Carlyle Blackwell. Vaudeville features, up to the usual degree of attractiveness, have been featured at the Bligh and the Oregon.

Spranger has sued the city for \$1,000, damages alleged to have been sustained by him on said walk on said date.

John H. Stevenson of Portland appears as attorney for the plaintiff. The city is represented by City Attorney Macy and W. H. Trindle.

Letter writing week begins Monday

July 30. In this case, the letters are to be written to senators and congressmen from the state urging them to support the Sinoatt amendment to the California and land grant bill. As passed, this bill provided that 25 per cent of the funds from the sale of the land should be applied to the state school funds; 25 per cent to the land grant counties; 40 per cent to the general reclamation fund and 10 per cent to the federal treasury. The Sinoatt amendment provides 40 per cent shall be devoted to the general reclamation fund to be expended on reclamation projects in the state of Oregon. Through the recommendation of Charles V. Galloway, director of the legislative department, the Commercial club went on record at its last meeting as favoring the Sinoatt amendment.

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MME. PETROVA

"THE SCARLET WOMAN"

Mme. Petrova, the foremost emotional actress of the stage or screen, will be seen here at the Oregon theatre tomorrow and Monday in "The Scarlet Woman," a five part Metro wonder play produced for that program by Popular Plays and Players. This feature was written by Aaron Hoffman, the author of "Playing With Fire," "The Soul Market," and other productions in which Mme. Petrova has starred.

"The Scarlet Woman" was written especially for Mme. Petrova, as are all of the distinctive photodramas in which she is now appearing. They are made with a view to permit her the fullest display of her wonderful dramatic powers, and for this reason her productions always have a distinction and appeal that is all their own. Mr. Hoffman is one of the few authors who spends much of his time in the studios, while his scenarios are being pictured. He is always ready for consultations regarding the scores of questions that arise. Mme. Petrova, too, is considered a veritable wizard at making suggestions, for she possesses wonderful dramatic instinct. She began her career as a dramatic critic on the London Times, and went from there to the speaking stage.

There are few fields of dramatic art which Mme. Petrova has not essayed, and none in which she has not excelled. Her early training in England and on the continent was in a repertoire of Shakespearean and classical plays. For a time she appeared in the music halls as a headliner, doing all sorts of specialties. She is a talented musician, writer, painter and actress, and is considered one of the most versatile artists now appearing on either the screen or stage.

Saved from Death for the Third Time

Ossining, N. Y., July 29.—For the third time Charles Stielow was literally snatched from death today when the big German's execution set for 6 o'clock this morning, was postponed by order of Supreme Court Justice Guy.

The court issued an order early today postponing execution until 11 o'clock tonight. The court desired to go over "important papers," submitted about midnight.

The man's wife and his babies, up to 8 o'clock waited outside the grim prison walls to receive the body. The stay came literally at the eleventh hour and after Governor Whitman had refused clemency. Twice before stays had been granted.

Italian Liner Says She Beat Submarine

Rome, July 29.—The Italian liner liner Reitaly, bound from Genoa to New York, beat off an enemy submarine and continued on her voyage according to announcement here today.

New York, July 29.—The liner Reitaly is the property of Furness, Withy & Co., Ltd., of 32 Broadway, New York. At the offices it was said today the Reitaly sailed from Genoa on July 19. The New York agents had not heard of the submarine attack and could not furnish any details of how the vessel beat off a submarine attack, but they assume her superior speed outdistances the submarine.

SPECIAL
SUNDAY-MONDAY

WM. FOX Presents
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Genevieve Hamper
in
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Directed by
J. Gordon Edwards
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"SEPTEMBER MORN"

WILLIE BUNCKER
LOUIE STORM
RUDOLPH PLASTIC
PROFESSOR OF ART

Judge Webster Will Hold Office Until 1919

Judge Galloway this afternoon overruled the demurrer in the suit of Daniel Webster against the county clerk of Marion county. The suit was brought to enjoin the county clerk from placing the name of Robert C. Wygant's name on the ballot for the coming election. Mr. Webster who is justice of the peace for Salem precinct, holding that his term of office was six years, and so did not expire until the end of the year 1918, did not seek the nomination. Mr. Wygant believing the term was but four years made the race for the nomination and won. This caused the injunction suit as above. Judge Galloway in overruling the demurrer, held that a justice of the peace was a judicial officer, as such a judge as any other, though of more limited jurisdiction, and therefore comes within the provision of the law making the terms of judges six years. Under this decision there will be no election for justice of the peace this year and Justice Webster will hold over until 1918.

BIRTH OF A NATION STARS COMING TUES. WED. THURS.

MAE MARSH and Robert Harron in "A CHILD OF THE PARIS STREETS" A Griffith Production

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As the shop girl in LOIS WEBER'S greatest production
"SHOES"

Shaw, Talcott and Edmunds
In a singing, dancing and comedy offering
"AT CLAY CENTER"

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