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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS OF TODAY

G. E. Portwood of Arlington, Or., is in the city today.

W. D. Lord, of Heppner, Or., is a guest at the State today.

Orrin Greenville of Hood River, Or., is registered at the State today.

William Weitzel of Prosser, is among visitors to Walla Walla today.

J. P. McMinn expects to start his fruit dryer on the state line next Monday.

R. G. Kirkwood, a well known Forest Grove, Or., citizen is registered at the State today.

F. M. Duggar, a prominent Prescott farmer, was transacting business in Walla Walla this morning.

The W. D. Smith undertaking parlors are being handsomely fitted up and re-decorated on the interior.

The Statesman was in error in stating that Signor Ferrari formerly of Walla Walla is located in San Francisco. He is a resident of Portland with suites in the Mulkey block.

While attempting to climb into a moving wagon, Herbert Osgood, a 12-year-old youth residing east of the old race track grounds was run over and seriously bruised yesterday afternoon. Two wheels passed over his body.

The committee appointed at Tuesday night's Commercial Club meeting to arrange for an exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition yesterday ordered 48 glass jars, three feet in height by six and eight inches in diameter to be used in preserving fruit on the limb.

In the superior court this morning James Kidwell was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Paul Moltke, an incompetent person. Mr. Moltke was stricken with paralysis Sunday and was examined as to his sanity yesterday at the Walla Walla hospital. His condition is said to be critical.

The regular mid-week prayer meeting of the Congregational church will be held this evening at 7:30. This is the first meeting after the summer recess. A pleasant hour will be spent in meditation, prayer and friendly greeting. Subject, "Do We Want New Members in Our Church?" Leader, the pastor. All welcome.

Word was received in this city yesterday by relatives that Mrs. Tillie Wilhelm, committed to the hospital for the insane at Medical Lake a year and a half ago, had died at that place yesterday morning. The remains will be brought to Walla Walla for interment, Manager Heaton of the Pickard undertaking parlors leaving last night for Medical Lake to prepare the body for shipment. The funeral will take place from the Pickard undertaking parlors some time Saturday. The deceased was a native of Pennsylvania and had resided in Walla Walla about 14 years. She was aged 50 years and is survived by one daughter, Miss Myrtle of this city. Mrs. Wilhelm's affliction is believed to have been caused by constant grief over the death of her husband, who was lost in the Johnston flood 14 years ago.

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BAND CONCERT AT FORT.

Program for the band concert at Fort Walla Walla, Wash., Thursday, Sept. 10, 1903, at 8 p. m., Carl S. Gungl, chief musician, band 9th cavalry, director. Grand March—Coronation..... Saint George Overture—The Silver Bells..... Schpegell Waltzes—Philomela..... Pettie Japanese Love Song..... Thomas Selection—The Sultan of Sulu..... Wathall

METHODISTS MEET

Conference of M.E. Church, South, in Session.

TWENTY-FIVE DELEGATES PRESENT

Series of Special Meetings Will Be Held—Meetings Will Continue Over Sunday.

Promptly at 9 o'clock this morning the East Columbia conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, convened in the Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Sumach and North Fourth street. The meetings which will be continued over next Sunday are being presided over by Bishop H. C. Morrison, of Louisville, Kentucky. The conference was opened by prayer by Bishop Morrison, who followed with an excellent address of welcome to the visiting ministers and delegates. A series of special meetings have been arranged to be held during the week.

About 25 ministers and delegates are in attendance, many being accompanied by their wives. The morning session was taken up in hearing the usual communications and reports from various boards and charges. These were referred to the proper committees.

This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock an enthusiastic meeting was held, Rev. G. H. Gibbs, pastor of the Milton church, preaching. This evening at 8 o'clock there will be a general missionary rally at which Bishop Morrison and Rev. C. H. Reed, former missionary to China will make addresses.

The visiting ministers and delegates in attendance are as follows:

Rev. J. W. Compton of Waitsburg; Bishop and Mrs. H. C. Morrison, of Louisville, Ky.; Rev. H. S. Shangle, presiding elder; Rev. F. C. Adkins, of Heppner, Or.; Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Turner, of Lexington, Or.; Rev. C. U. Cross, of Boise, Idaho; Rev. Mr. Coberly, of Richland, Or.; Rev. D. W. Yokum, of La Grande, Or.; Rev. J. D. Crooks, of Baker City, Or.; Rev. J. L. Snyder, of Wilbur, Wash.; Rev. J. H. Dillis, of Spokane; Rev. Mr. Miller, of Leland, Idaho; Rev. S. W. Crow of Oakesdale, Wash.; Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Thoroughman, of Genesee, Idaho; Rev. and Mrs. M. V. Howard, of Oakesdale, Wash.; Rev. W. E. Beach, Mrs. H. N. Cockrell, of Spokane.

CUSHLA MA CHREE.

By John Francis Waller.

John Francis Waller, the Irish poet and writer, was born at Limerick in 1810, died at Dublin on January 19, 1894. He wrote for a long time under the pen name of "Jonathan Freke Slingsby," and was for many years on the editorial staff of the Dublin University Magazine. A volume of his "Poems" appeared in 1854. "Cushla ma chree" is the Irish for "Pulse (darling) of my heart."

By the banks of Shannon I wooed thee, dear Mary,

Where the sweet birds were singing in summer's gay pride.

From these green banks I turn now, heartbroken and dreary,

As the sun sets to weep over the grave of my bride.

Though the sweet birds around me are singing,

Summer, like winter, is cheerless to me:

I heed not if snow falls, or flow'rets are springing,

For my heart's light is darkened—my Cushla ma chree.

O! bright shone the morning, when first as my bride, love,

Thy foot like a sunbeam my threshold cross'd o'er;

And blest on earth fell that soft eventide, dove,

When first on my bosom thy heart lay, Asthore!

Restlessly now, on my lone pillow turning,

Wear the night watches, still thinking on thee,

And darker than night breaks the light of the morning,

For my aching eyes find thee not, Cushla ma chree.

O, my loved one! my lost one! say, why didst thou leave me

To linger on earth with my heart in the grave?

O, would thy cold arms, love, might ope to receive me

To my rest 'neath the dark boughs that over thee wave.

Still from our once happy dwelling I roam, love,

Evermore seeking, my own bride, for thee;

O, Mary! wherever thou art is my home, love,

And I'll soon lay beside thee, my Cushla ma chree!

SURVEY HIGH DITCH LINE.

North Yakima, Thursday.—L. A. Nares, the moving spirit in the big high line canal proposed for the Yakima valley, arrived here today from California. His partner, Mr. Judson, of St. Paul, also arrived, together with Engineer J. B. Lippincott, of Los Angeles. They have opened an office in the Wilson building and have begun plans for the preliminary survey work. Four corps of engineers have been secured to make the surveys and will be put in the field this week. Mr. Lippincott will have full charge of the engineers. They expect to complete the surveys by November 1. If the plan is found feasible the company will spend from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000 on the system an will begin operations this winter. The only thing to be decided on is whether a sufficient supply of water can be secured for the system. If it is found that by storing, plenty of water can be had, the canal will be constructed. The investigation into the charges made against Jay Lynch, superintendent of the Yakima Indian reservation, are still under way by the department. A report is expected some time this month. It is probable that Mr. Lynch will be removed. The only charge that has so far been substantiated is that he has permitted the school to run down. Mr. Lynch would likely be retained if he would promise to better the school, but he says it is impossible for him to improve the condition with the present help under him.

WHITMAN COLLEGE.

All departments of Whitman college, the college, the conservatory of music, and the academy, open on Wednesday morning, September 16th, at 8:45 o'clock. Registration of college students will be conducted by the secretary of the faculty in the registrar's office of Memorial building, and of academy students by the principal of the academy in his office in the same building. Registration of conservatory students will take place in the director's office at the conservatory. The hours of registration are from 9 to 12 and from 1:30 to 4. On Monday and Tuesday, September 14th and 15th, college and academy students may also register between 9 and 12 each morning. Public convocation is held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Memorial chapel, when the annual address will be given by Prof. Hendrick on the topic, "Poetry in Education." The public is invited. Alumni and former students are urged to be present.

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THE LATE EMPRESS OF AUSTRIA

Vienna, Sept. 10.—A low requiem anniversary mass for the repose of the soul of the late Empress Elizabeth of Austria, who was assassinated at Geneva, Sept. 10, 1889, was held today in the cathedral. The service was attended by Emperor Francis Joseph and the other members of the royal family who happened to be in the capital. Similar services were held by the Austrian embassies in the various capitals of Europe.

"Are the mosquitos very bad around here?" "Bad!" echoed the native, derisively. "Mister, did you ever hear of a mosquito bein' converted?"

SPOKANE FAIR.

C. D. Jeffries, manager of the racing department of the Spokane Interstate Fair, which is held this year from October 5 to 13, reports that horses are already coming in and that there is every reason to believe that there will be more of them this year than there was last. There will be as many horses on hand as the stables will accommodate. The racing promises to be of a very high order. The Piedmont stables, belonging to McMahon & McCarthy of San Francisco are already located on the fair track at Spokane, and Mr. McMahon himself is now returning from the east, where he paid \$2000 for Oronte, a very fast horse. Oronte will make his first appearance in the west on the Spokane track. The other horses in these stables are all winners on the California tracks. They are sent direct to Spokane from Seattle, the owners preferring to put them in training and cut out the smaller fairs. Among others in the Piedmont stables are Ned Dennis, Vasealo, Midway and Hilary.

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