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- If you don't want the hat, select any other furnishing of equal value.

Boys' Suits Reduced for Easter Selling

- We are the only store in Walla Walla selling the famous "KANTWEAROUT" brand; bring your boys here. We fit them with the best Boys' Suits, and this week we do it for less.
- Boys' \$3.00 Suits \$2.50
 - Boys' \$3.50 Suits \$2.75
 - Boys' \$4.00 Suits \$3.25
 - Boys' \$5.00 Suits \$3.95
 - Boys' \$6.00 Suits \$4.95
 - Boys' \$6.50 Suits \$4.48
 - Boys' \$7.50 Suits \$5.98



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SMITH MUST PAY ALIMONY

WIFE GRANTED DIVORCE THIS MORNING AND MUST BE PAID \$15 A MONTH.

Judge Remarkd He Was Sorry Defendant Did Not Possess More Property.

"I am only sorry that this defendant hasn't more property so that I could award it to his wife and little ones," remarked Judge Brents this morning as he affixed his signature to a decree of divorce, granted Mrs. Carrie Smith from her husband, Eph. H. Smith. Mrs. Smith was given the custody of their six children, all the household furniture and a permanent alimony of \$15 a month.

The Smiths are prominent Waitsburg people. Mrs. Smith filed divorce proceedings a month ago, alleging that Mr. Smith spent the bulk of his earnings for "booze" and threatened her cruelly at times. Mrs. Smith was compelled to furnish most of the living for the family as a consequence.

WASHINGTON BANKERS

State Association Will Meet in Portland in June.

The State Bankers' association has decided to accept the invitation of the directors of the Lewis and Clark exposition to hold the annual meeting in Portland, July 20, 21 and 22.

N. H. Lattimer, of Seattle, president of the association, and P. C. Kauffman, of Tacoma, were the principal advocates of the Portland meeting. They declared the invitation from Portland was exceedingly warm and that the bankers owed it to Portland to meet there and take with them their wives for a long stay.

It was decided that the bankers should not only attempt to make their meeting the largest in the history of the organization, but should begin immediately systematically to advertise the Lewis and Clark exposition. This decision grows out of a feeling that the success of the undertaking means a great deal for the future development of this state.

N. P. LIMITED WRECKED

WALLA WALLA PASSENGERS BADLY SHAKEN UP NEAR ELLENSBURG.

Freight Engine Failed to Clear Main Track—Mrs. U. Z. Ellis of Dayton Badly Injured.

The North Coast Limited, east bound was wrecked three miles this side of Ellensburg at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The wreck was caused by the engineer of a freight train, who had orders to take a siding, failing to shunt his train clear of the main track. The Limited going at a speed of about 12 miles an hour crashed into the rear of the freight, smashing two flat and one box car into kindling wood and derailing the front trucks of the passenger engine.

On the wrecked train were Michael Ryan, A. P. Pearson, D. Wertheimer and Mrs. John Hodges of Walla Walla, Mrs. U. Z. Ellis and C. Morgan of Dayton, who were enroute home from attending a session of the supreme lodge of A. O. U. W. at Tacoma. When the crash came Mrs. Ellis, who was occupying one of the day coaches, was thrown with such terrific force against the side of the car that her shoulder was badly fractured and strained. She suffered other injuries of such a serious nature that she stopped off at Walla Walla yesterday to secure medical attention. Mrs. Hodges was pitched forward onto a car seat striking her head with considerable force. Aside from this the other passengers escaped without any injury except for a general shaking up.

"Either the engineer of the freight was asleep or was of the opinion that he had pulled his train clear of the main track," Mr. Ryan said this morning. "Two flat and one box cars were on the track when our train came along. When our engine struck the flat cars there was a terrific crash which hurled nearly all of the passengers out of their seats. The flats and box car were ground to kindling wood and the front trucks of our engine derailed. Fortunately the train was going at a slow rate of speed or there would undoubtedly have been considerable loss of life. We were taken back to Ellensburg, where another engine was obtained to haul us to Pasco."

ENGINE IS COMING

New Locomotive for Portage Road Leaves Iowa.

The engine ordered from Davenport, Ia., for the use of the portage road has been completed and is now on the way westward. It will reach Portland the latter part of this week, and after its trial test by the portage road people, will be taken up to The Dalles to be used in the construction work now going on. The engine is of the same type of locomotive as those used on the Southern Pacific and O. R. & N., though not so heavy, and will be used on the short line of the portage road.

Orchestra Named Theodore Thomas. CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—By the action of the trustees of the Chicago orchestra, the name of Theodore Thomas orchestra was adopted instead of that by which the organization has been known for years. Frederick A. Stock, the understudy of the great leader, was made director for the coming year.

It was thought by some that an effort should be made to secure the services of some of the foreign orchestra leaders, and the names of Felix Mottl of Munich and Felix Weingartner of Berlin were submitted. After short discussion, however, it was thought that the orchestra would be as well handled under the leadership of the man who had studied and worked under the eyes of Mr. Thomas for ten years, and Mr. Stock was chosen unanimously.

Dew's Likes and Dislikes. "Dew has its likes and dislikes, the same as you have," said a farmer. "Dew is very particular, for instance, in the matter of colors, being fond of yellow and detesting red."

"Prove this by taking four boards, paint them severally red, black, yellow and green, and then leave them out of doors all night."

"In the morning you will find the yellow board is soaked with dew. The green one is damp. The red and the black are perfectly dry."

"Dew, you see, for some unknown reason, hates and avoids black and red. Green it is indifferent to. Yellow it loves."

Mrs. Shatters—"What do you think? I dreamed last night that I was at a box party and—" Mr. Chatters—"Ah, that explains why you were talking so loud in your sleep."

ANNIVERSARY OF CHURCH

COMMEMORATIVE EXERCISES HELD AT WILBUR MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH.

Review of the Work of Past Year Be Feature of the Meeting Tonight.

Sunday was the first anniversary of the erection of the Wilbur Memorial Methodist Episcopal church and appropriate services were held both in the morning and evening. At 11 o'clock Rev. M. H. Marvin of Waitsburg preached an able sermon in commemoration of the anniversary and in the evening Rev. Henry Brown, pastor of the First Methodist church, delivered the discourse. At the morning meeting Miss Green, teacher of music at St. Paul's school, gave an excellent vocal solo, and in the evening Mrs. J. W. Ingram sang. Both services were attended by large crowds, the church being filled to its utmost capacity.

Tonight the anniversary exercises proper will take place in the church. At this meeting the heads of the departments of the church will give a review of the work for the past year and will also show the present financial condition of the organization. An elaborate program of music has been arranged, for the occasion and the church committees expect to make it the great event in the church's history. At the conclusion of the meeting a social session will be held.

TOWN TOPICS

Rainfall Still Shy—According to Observer Newman of the Walla Walla weather office .20 of an inch of rain fell in the city Saturday night and yesterday morning, bringing the total rainfall for the month up to .73 of an inch. The existing deficiency for the year totalled 1.81 inches yesterday and .14 of an inch for the month. Yesterday's rain extended well out onto the flat and was especially beneficial to growing crops.

Striking Much Water—Water Superintendent Knight and his force were down a depth of 18 feet on well No. 5 at the Harbert ranch yesterday. At that depth a flow of water estimated to fill an 1 1/2 inch pipe had been developed and the indications are favorable for a greater flow as depth is obtained. It is the intention of Superintendent Knight to sink the well to a depth of 60 feet provided bedrock is not encountered as in the other wells sunk.

Funeral of J. Wesley Isham—The funeral of J. Wesley Isham, who was drowned in the bay at Seattle two months ago, was held from the residence of the young man's grandfather, J. H. Foster, 319 South Second street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The body accompanied by relatives arrived over the W. & C. R. yesterday noon and was immediately transferred to the Foster residence. Short services were held by Rev. Albert Dale Gantz, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Interment was in the family lot at the city cemetery.

Prunes May Be Injured—Considerable more damage to fruit trees was done by the frosts of a week ago than was first supposed. J. P. McMinn, proprietor of the McMinn dryer on the state line and a large grower of prunes, was in Walla Walla Saturday and stated that he believed prune trees were injured by the frosts. While the fruit looks strong and healthy the stems are beginning to turn yellow which is an indication that the cold was very severe. "The stems may revive with warm weather but if they do not a large percentage of my prune crop is injured," he said. "I think the same condition exists pretty much over the state line country."

Fishermen Out in Force—Mill creek from Palouse street bridge to Blue creek was lined with fishermen yesterday although it was not a very good fish either according to several who returned to the city in the afternoon disgusted. The heavy rain Saturday night rolled up the stream somewhat and the cold chill wind that wafted off the mountains did not add to the comfort of enthusiasts who ventured out at daylight. Those who went above Dudley had the best luck and several creditable catches were made. According to sportsmen who fished Mill creek for years the spring run of Dolly Vardens or Bull trout is delayed for some reason or other this spring, very few of this species of trout being taken so far.

But for a real good meal go to Oison's.

EASTER SHOES

You're certainly going to have a new pair of Shoes for Easter aren't you? We've loads of them. For Men we've all the smart shapes in high or low-cut Shoes. For Women we've Dress Boots, Street Boots, Oxford, Ribbon Ties, Sandals, Slippers in large variety. Handsome and dainty every pair of them and the styles are winning great admiration.

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