

15,000 EXPECTED AT CITIZENSHIP CONFERENCE HERE

Prominent Speakers From All Parts of World Coming to Attend World's Christian Meeting, June 29, 1915.

An attendance of at least 15,000 is expected at the World's Christian Meeting, which will be held in this city June 29 to July 1, 1915. It is believed that this is the largest gathering of Christians of all denominations ever held in this city.

One of the most prominent figures connected with the conference is the Rev. J. H. Paddock, secretary of the Young People's Work society of the National Reform association, who is in Portland today on a tour of the states, and he says the campaign carried on for the past year by this organization, under whose auspices the conference will be held, has already aroused a very active interest all over the world.

Mr. Cosby arrived from Seattle this morning and leaves for San Francisco this evening. During the day he is the guest of the Portland Commercial club, and is also being entertained by W. M. McMurray, general passenger agent of the O-W-R & N. company.

Conference Is "Open."

This being Decoration day, Mr. Cosby did not plan to deliver an address here, but he announced that in a short time James S. McGraw, president of the National Reform association, will be in Portland and the Pacific northwest in the interest of the conference. Following him will come the Rev. Dr. Henry Collins Milton, president of the association, who is an ex-moderator of the Presbyterian assembly. Mr. Cosby is accompanied by his wife and left this evening for San Francisco, where he will go to Los Angeles, Denver, Kansas City, Chicago and several other places to speak before returning to his home and headquarters in Pittsburgh, Pa.

"The conference is open to all denominations and all Christian and patriotic organizations," said Mr. Cosby this morning, "and we have received assurances that some of the world's greatest men and reformers will attend the Portland conference. Last year I visited Europe and spoke of the work in every country, and President Milton made a tour of that continent securing speakers."

Great Problems.

"We found tremendous interest in the work, and we promised good representation. As is well known by this time, the purposes of the conference are manifold, first, however, to discuss from a world's standpoint the great problems of the day, such as emigration, immigration, temperance, the divorce evil, war and peace, vice and crime, relation of government to education, religion, the social mission of the church, treatment of criminals, and so on. Another purpose is to procure and display the attitude of the various governments in the world to the prevailing religious and especially to Christianity. Another distinct purpose is to make a display to people who come here from foreign countries showing them what this Christianity has done here."

Mr. Cosby expressed himself much pleased with Portland, and believes that the delegates will highly appreciate the opportunity to come out to the coast. At Seattle Mr. Cosby addressed the United Presbyterian assembly which closed there yesterday. A party of delegates to that assembly will pass through Portland this afternoon on their way home. Their stay will be shorter than expected, owing to delay in getting started at Seattle.

Monument for Barbara Fritchie.

Frederick, Md., May 30.—The initial steps have been taken here looking to the formation of a national association to erect a suitable memorial to Barbara Fritchie, the heroine of Whittier's famous poem. It is proposed to erect the memorial in Mt. Olivet cemetery in this city, where the remains are soon to be reinterred after lying for nearly 50 years in the old German Reformed graveyard. The new grave will be located close by that of Francis Scott Key, the author of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Oaks Rink, now skating; big crowds.

MANY HOMES WAITING FOR 9-YEAR-OLD BOY



Jack Moore.

Several homes are now in sight for Jack Moore, the bright 9-year-old youngster who asked The Journal if someone couldn't be found that would like to adopt him, so he wouldn't have to live at the detention house. That seemed the only place open to him last week when Judge Gates of the juvenile court decided he must leave his father, who had been beating him and giving him black eyes.

So many inquiries have come in from folk who would like to make him their own son, since his story was published, that he seems assured of a nice home. Judge Gates has turned the entire matter over to H. H. Yarnan, of the Pacific Mutual Life insurance company, telephone Main 552, who has taken great interest in Jack. Mr. Yarnan will be pleased to tell about Jack to all inquirers.

SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE SHOWN HOW FISH ARE HATCHED

Some time ago a little girl, a pupil of the Moonmouth public school, wrote to Master Fish Warden Clanton asking for information regarding the hatching of fish. The request was in behalf of her class and Mr. Clanton at once made up a set of samples of eggs in various stages of hatching and the tiny hatched fish which he forwarded with data regarding the propagation of fish to the school.

The interest in the exhibit and information spread at once to all parts of the school with such rapidity that it was found the children were eager to learn of the methods used and results obtained. On a visit to the school one of the school officials noted this interest and at once asked that similar exhibits be sent to other schools. Owing to the inability of Warden Clanton to personally reach each school or to write to each he has suggested that any school wishing a set of samples with data regarding them should write for them. The preparation of the samples and data will not take a great deal of time nor will it be very expensive and any information will gladly be furnished by Warden Clanton. But one set of samples will be sent to each school and again will be of salmon while others will be of trout. In writing for the samples letters should be addressed to Master Fish Warden R. E. Clanton, 807 Yeon building, Portland, Or.

LAND FRAUDS CHARGED WITH LOSS OF \$80,000

(United Press Special Wire.) Seattle, Wash., May 30.—Charges of fraudulent misrepresentation are made in two complaints filed in the superior court yesterday by the Union Land company and A. W. Denny against James A. Moore, in connection with the Arcade building, the Western Steel corporation's plant, the latter at Ironside, both of which Moore promoted. The alleged losses resulting from the misrepresentations charged approximate \$80,000.

FURTHERING PLAN FOR GREATER CITY

Executive Club of Association Takes Action; Membership Campaign.

Important actions in the development of the greater Portland plan were taken by the executive board of the association held last night at the Commercial club.

The employment of an expert in interior projects owners relative to the proposed widening of Barnard street was authorized. According to the greater Portland plan Barnard is made the axial thoroughfare of the city and is expected to become one of the most important streets. It is proposed that it be widened on both sides of the river in order that it may carry the traffic which will be poured into it with increasing volume as the city grows.

Attorneys Arthur Langguth, George N. Davis and F. H. Whitfield were assigned to the task of ascertaining the legal status of the association's fight for the relocation of the new central library from the block bounded by Tenth, Eleventh, Yamhill and Taylor streets to a location facing one of the park blocks in conformity with the plan.

Building Library.

The measure permitting the county court to levy an assessment with which to build the library after the site had been selected by the library commission and without the people being given opportunity to express approval, was slipped through the legislature without the people knowing anything about it, declared Postmaster C. B. Merrick, president of the association. It is the opinion of the informants, to say the least, would be found in the contract by which the county is bound to build a library on a site arbitrarily selected by the library board.

It was the sense of the executive board of the association that before the injunction or referendum is applied to the library site contention the library commission should be invited to investigate and learn just how strong is the popular sentiment against locating the big building on a block bounded by narrow streets and surrounded by apartment houses.

A new campaign was authorized to enlarge the membership of the association, which has now reached a total of 4250, and is the largest organization in the city. It will be a popularity contest among the women. The rewards will be three trips to Alaska, the first of great length through the interior, probably, to be held in Alaska; the second of a little shorter length, yet giving opportunity to see the scenic wonders of the Alaska coast, and the third giving a desirable opportunity to visit southeastern Alaska. The plan was submitted by V. Vincent Jones, chairman of the membership committee. Mr. Jones said this morning that full details were to be announced within a few days.

PORTLAND MAY WIN '15 AD CLUB MEETING

The ad men of America who met last week in Dallas, Texas, have been scattering to the four corners of the country on their return trip home. Portland ad men were interested yesterday in the announcement that Baltimore had captured the national convention for next year, winning over San Francisco and Toronto. They were inclined to be a little vexed because of San Francisco's withdrawal from the convention fight.

It had been on the books for Portland to have the 1913 convention. The Rose City yielded to the Bay City and instructed Portland's 23 votes to be cast for San Francisco upon the representation that it would afford valuable means of distributing publicity for the 1915 exposition.

The withdrawal of San Francisco, according to sentiment expressed by the meeting of the Portland strongly into the race for the national convention for 1915, on the theory that the big meeting in Portland will aid in drawing crowds to the Pacific coast for the San Francisco exposition, and at the same time not congest the Bay City with a meeting of such size when there are so many other activities.

The Portland Ad club is one of the largest in the United States, and is entirely confident of its ability to win the big meeting by organized, concerted action.

AUTHOR TAKES PART IN HIS OWN SKETCH



James H. Morrison.

James H. Morrison, author of the sketch, "The Miracle," in which Florence Roberts is starring at the Orpheum, presented the little play for the first time in the Society Playhouse in Washington, D. C., before President Taft and numerous National dignitaries. He possesses a letter from the president who praised the young playwright for handling a heavy theme masterfully.

Morrison is one of the support of Florence Roberts in his own piece, taking the part of Dan Farrell, a plain clothes man. Mrs. William F. Harvey of Portland is a sister of Mr. Morrison and he is her guest throughout his Orpheum engagement here.

Morrison also is the author of "Winning Betty."

Morrison appeared in Portland last season with Rose Stahl in "The Thru Girl."

NEW PASTOR ORDAINED; SERVICES IMPRESSIVE

Rev. C. H. Wirth, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational church, Missouri avenue and Shaver street, was examined and ordained by the Portland Congregational ministerial association at the church yesterday. Mr. Wirth came to Portland to assume the pastorate of the Pilgrim church last December and has made many friends since his arrival. He was a member of the Methodist conference of the Methodist Episcopal church before becoming a Congregational minister and was ordained by that body in 1908. He will continue with the Portland Congregational association next Wednesday.

About 50 members of the local association were present at the examination.

and Mr. Wirth was kept answering questions for over four hours. Following the examination in the afternoon a banquet was held in the church parlors with Rev. G. F. Paddock, state superintendent of the Congregational church, as toastmaster. The ordination services at 3 o'clock in the evening were impressive. Rev. H. D. Gray read from the Scriptures, Rev. W. C. Kauter offered prayer, Rev. J. M. Louden preached the sermon, Rev. J. J. Stauch delivered the charge of the church, Rev. G. F. Paddock delivered the charge to the candidate and Rev. F. H. Hollinger extended the right hand of fellowship for the association. Hymns were sung by Mrs. Jessie O. Steele and Everett A. Knott.

Song Has Large Sale.

(United Press Special Wire.) Paris, May 30.—One hundred thousand copies of "Vive l'Armée de la Mon Dieu," a special translation of "Nearer My God to Thee," have been sold on the Paris streets since the Titanic disaster at 5 cents each.

LINCOLN HOTEL SOLD; PRICE PAID \$175,000

The Lincoln hotel, located at the northeast corner of Eleventh and Morrison streets, was sold yesterday by George and Max Lowenstein to a local investor for \$175,000. Covering the lot with a frontage of 100 feet on Morrison street and 50 feet on Eleventh is a three-story brick store and hotel building, which was erected by the Lowenstein family in 1904. Lowenstein Bros. bought the lot in 1903 for \$21,000 from the Lindsey estate. At the price, \$175,000, the property pays about five per cent net, but upon a readjustment of the rentals, two years hence, when the present lease expires, it is expected that the income will be increased to 8 1/2 per cent.

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JEWELERS END SESSION WITH FINE BANQUET

The banquet given last night at the Hotel Multnomah by the local retail and wholesale jewelers and their friends, closed the two days' session of the fifth annual convention of the Oregon Retail Jewelers' association. At the business session yesterday afternoon a committee was appointed to draft and present to the next legislature, laws intended to protect the jewelers and the public against fake jewelry concerns.

Isaac E. Staples was toastmaster at the banquet. An address was made by Colonel J. L. Shepherd of New York City, who told of his progress made in the jewelry business in the past 25 years. Rev. J. D. Corby of the Universalist church, talked on "The Guild of the Goldsmith," and described the workings of the ancient goldsmiths and silversmiths. Rev. Dr. Corby was made an honorary member of the association. W. L. Mason of New York made a short talk.

The resolution passed at the Tuesday afternoon session, in which the time guarantee of some watchmakers was attacked, was rescinded a yesterday's business meeting. A number of the jewelers said they did not understand the real nature of the resolution when they voted to pass it.

Joy for Smokers

The high cost of living has forced many men to cut down expenses. You can do this with pleasure and profit by smoking "Sam Sloan" cigarettes.

Boy Shoots Brother.

Martinez, Cal., May 30.—Manuel Motis, 12, is dead here today as a result of a bullet fired through his brain by his 8-year-old brother. The shooting was accidental.

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