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GENERAL NEWS

Illinois Central railway telegraphers got an increase of 15 per cent in salary.

Dr. James O'Connell, of Lewiston, L. I., died of heart failure in his sleep last Sunday aged 79 years.

Contractors Hickey and DeWitt employed were disappointed by gas and died in a Milwaukee sewer Monday.

The State Bank at Glencoe, Minn., was closed Sunday night at 12:50 o'clock and all its notes and securities.

The report is current in financial circles that an American syndicate is trying to corner the Brazilian coffee crop.

The night-handlers of New Orleans are on strike, especially in the Southern Pacific Steamship Company.

The German exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition will be the finest ever presented to any foreign country at any world's fair.

The American cotton crop of 1903 is 10,727,550 bales. In 1902 it was 10,627,000; in 1901 it was 10,587,422; in 1900 it was 10,430,490.

Corn and cotton being their two great crops that any other crop in the United States. Wheat is not the king crop and has never been.

The new United States cruiser Cleveland was given a trial run yesterday around Cape Ann. The official figures are not given, but the vessel made great speed.

The R. T. Davis Mill and Manufacturing Company of Kansas City, has gone into bankruptcy. It was made insolvent by losses sustained during the May floods—partly from lumber which floated away, and partly from fire which set the mill started.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS

The Mason block in Seattle was completely gutted by fire Tuesday, loss about \$75000.

During the month of August the city of Astoria collected \$1,110 from fines and forfeitures.

Oswald West, the ex-convict appointee state land agent of Oregon, took formal possession of the office Tuesday.

Ben H. Crosby, a society man of Butte, has been arrested for larceny of \$91 from a former employer in St. Paul.

E. W. Gries, a prominent merchant of Victoria, B. C., was drowned Tuesday by his sailboat coasting in the bay.

The yield of Oregon apples has been estimated by the horticultural board to be 100,000 cases greater this year than in 1902.

Edward G. Ueber, who built Hotel Flavel at Seattle, and operated several large building properties in South-west Oregon, is bankrupt.

J. H. Nae, of Irwinton City, who was fatally injured in an accident at a sawmill near that place, Saturday, died Tuesday from his injuries.

Mr. Harry Stewart, of Victoria, who secured a divorce from his first wife in Seattle and then married again in Victoria, has been adjudged guilty of bigamy. The Canadian courts are recognizing the American divorce.

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The theater opened in the city last night, auspiciously. The opening performance, happily chosen by the management to usher in the play year was greeted with an immense audience, and the new additions and improvements in the theater were highly appreciated by those who remembered the old theater at the close of last year, and entered the new theater for the first time last night.

"The Christian" was rendered in a manner that augurs well for the success of the new management and staff of the theater. A better selection in the opening play season has never been chosen and it will be easy to keep up the standard of the season.

The production consisting of Mrs. Jessie Williams, under Professor Robinson, James W. Ross, after that and Ralph Wilson, correct, met with a pleasant reception at the hands of the large audience, and the play was well received. It is the most valuable production made in the city since the opening of the theater.

"The Christian" was presented in an able manner. From the opening scene to the last drop of the curtain it was immensely dramatic and the company met the high requirements of the play in an able and artistic manner.

The leading characters, Miss Callie, Mrs. Williams, and John Storm, are well interpreted. Several other characters are well interpreted. Miss Callie, who is a certain personality, a very understanding of the role she plays and a still more grace in presenting the part and meaning of the author in a touching manner.

The production of the play was perfect. The scenery was well interpreted. The scenery was well interpreted. The scenery was well interpreted. The scenery was well interpreted. The scenery was well interpreted.

Mr. Williams has a magnificent voice for the part of John Storm. He is a student of his part and is in touch with the spirit of the story. He understands the meaning of the author in the thrilling lines and feels as he acts them. In every strong point of the role, Williams is equal to the expectations of the audience and goes beyond this at times. He has perfect control of his part, and his ability to give his part with a wonderful indication of respect is perfect. At no time in the presentation was he near the limit of his dramatic force, but seemed capable of unfolding still further meaning and power if occasion demanded.

The support was good throughout and the play was well received.

CLOSING LIGHT PLANT DEAL.

Stock and Property at Walla Walla Formally Transferred.

The work of formally transferring the stock of the Walla Walla Gas & Electric Company to Isaac W. Anderson was commenced yesterday evening, and it is expected to be completed within a day or so says the Walla Walla Statesman. There is a total of 1200 shares to be transferred, and it was learned today that an average price of \$9 a share or \$10 above par was paid by Mr. Anderson.

For several hours yesterday it looked as if the deal for the sale of the property would be blocked. A local stockholder owning 25 shares made a demand of \$7,500 for the stock. Mr. Anderson refused to be held up, it is said, and gave the other stockholders until 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon to get the stockholder in line.

As a result several conferences were held in the company's general offices. A few minutes before the time specified word was sent to Mr. Anderson that a compromise had been effected and the sale could proceed on lines laid down. It is understood that the stockholder received \$1,875 for his 25 shares or a trifle more per share than was paid for the remainder of the stock.

SHOT HIMSELF.

Old Settler of Walla Walla County Takes His Own Life.

Walla Walla, Sept. 2.—William H. Foster, a well known Walla Walla River rancher, committed suicide last evening at 8 o'clock by shooting himself through the forehead with a .32-caliber rifle. One shot was sufficient to cause immediate death. It is thought despondency over continued ill health was the motive. The dead man is a son of J. H. Foster of South Second street. The suicide took place in the lot

of a barn near the Foster residence. The dead man was found by his son, Ernest Foster, who went to the barn to look for him. Young Foster climbed into the loft and found his father lying lifeless on the hay with his rifle at his side.

ACCUSED OF ARSON.

Chinaman Held at Walla Walla on Circumstantial Evidence.

Andy Lee, a Chinaman, was arrested by the police yesterday morning on a charge of attempting to fire several buildings in this city, says the Walla Walla Union. Patrolman Klutz made the arrest after some boxes in the rear of the Hotel Duques had been set on fire.

The police say the evidence in the case is enough to convict the Chinaman of arson. If the case is decided against him it will go hard with him as every effort will be made to see that he gets the maximum penalty for such a crime.

Eleventh Annual Convention Pacific Coast Association of Fire Chiefs.

Olympia, Wash., Sept. 23-25, 1903. For the alert's occasion a rate of one and one-third fare is authorized in Portland and return, and to Seattle and return under the following conditions. Delegates of their families will maintain on any three days prior to September 8, regular one-way tickets to Portland, making no stops for sleep, which, on presentation to agent Union Depot, Portland, together with certificate properly issued by H. W. McDonald, secretary of meeting, will entitle the passenger to return same from Portland to starting point at one-third fare provided same is presented on or before September 27, 1903. For further particulars call on or address F. P. Wagner, agent O. R. & N. Co.

Stores Close Early.

Walla Walla, Sept. 2.—According to an agreement Walla Walla merchants closed several months ago, the 5 o'clock closing agreement was observed last evening. Several merchants interviewed today stated that they expected to observe the agreement by closing their places of business. The only closing movement has become general and it is expected every merchant who signed the agreement will close tonight.

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