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years the progress of the ambitious child and in most cases insuring the artistic culture, or at least, mediocrity in attainment as a violinist.

"I do not lay all the blame on the parent, for there are teachers, so-called, who with a fine violin and student and his fiddle are taken by the anxious parent for the final arrangements as to lessons, etc., will well to learn on until we see how the child gets along; then you can get him a better one. The teacher may not know he is lying, but the probability is he has more in mind to get a better one than the good of his prospective student.

"It is true, bargains can sometimes be had in a pawn-shop or second-hand store, but not to those who do not know a great deal about violins, and not often then. It is true a good violin can be obtained by a good, scientific repairer, which will increase the value many fold and a good profit on the investment, but do not, I beg of you, injure your child's musical progress by forcing upon him a violin of this kind, an untrue toned violin. Buy one for the tone. Never mind the looks—you can't hear that. Some of the finest Valois violins never would take a prize at a beauty show. But, oh, how they can sing."

CONCERT ARTISTS COMING. Two well-known concert artists, Nevada Van der Veer, contralto, and Reed Miller, tenor, are scheduled to appear in concert at the municipal auditorium on Friday evening, October 11, under the auspices of the Sunnyside lodge A. F. and A. M. Both Miss Van der Veer and Mr. Miller are well-known in the concert field, having won fame on both sides of the Atlantic through their artistry and their splendid musicianship.

ZIMBALIST GOES TO EUROPE. Efram Zimbalist, who appeared in Portland in concert last year with his wife, Alma Gluck, has sailed for Europe for a two months' concert tour of the continent. He will go first to Leipzig to visit his father and mother, where his wife recently stayed, and will then go to other cities during his absence in the orient. Mrs. Zimbalist did not accompany her husband.

MUSIC BEEPS. Mrs. Jane Burns Albert, Portland musician, has returned from Pendleton, where she sang at the Round-up.

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FIGURES PROMINENT IN CURRENT MUSICAL EVENTS. Miss Cecil Lewoux, contralto, will be presented by the MacDowell club at its opening concert Tuesday afternoon, October 3, at 3 o'clock at the Multnomah hotel.

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CONTEST DATE IS SCHEDULED. The date of the Phyllis Wolfe vocal scholarship contest is set for Saturday, October 7, at 8 o'clock in the M. C. Gymnasium.

CLUB ANNOUNCES CONCERT. The MacDowell club will open its season at the Multnomah hotel on Tuesday afternoon, when Miss Cecil Lewoux, a charming young con-

PORTLAND'S MUSIC WEEK WILL BE LIVELY THIS YEAR

Plan is to Lift People of City Into Spirit of Melody and Pay Tribute to Democratic Arts.

Portland's music week, scheduled for November 5 to 12, is under the auspices of the Community Service and the chief officers at its head are E. F. Boynton, general chairman; Evelyn McClusky, executive chairman; John C. Henderson, secretary; and Mrs. Frank O. Northrup, chairman of the executive committee.

Three years ago the nation had its first music week in Washington, D. C., when 30,000 school children formed a human wheel, with the aid of the spoken, and serenaded the president. Last year more than 100 cities had what was called Music Week.

The plan is to pay tribute to the most democratic of arts and let the brunt of the burden be lifted from the people to the spirit of melody. The committee reminds the people of Portland that Shakespeare said: "The man that has no music in himself, nor is not moved with concord of sweet sounds, is fit for treason, stratagems and spoils; let such men be hanged."

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The first rehearsal of the season of the Treble Clef club will be held next Thursday, under the direction of Mrs. Rose Courson Reed.

Mrs. Richard C. Williams of Sherwood has been engaged as contralto soloist of the Rose City Presbyterian church choir.

Mrs. Harriet Leach, coloratura soprano, will be presented by the MacDowell club at its opening concert Tuesday afternoon, October 3, at 3 o'clock at the Multnomah hotel.

Mrs. H. R. Foster, president of the Schumann society, announces the first meeting of the season for Tuesday night, October 3, at the clubrooms in the Washington building.

Rehearsals of the Chorister, a young girl's vocal chorus under the quiet leadership of the Hobson choir, are progressing nicely.

Mrs. Lillian Jeffrey Petri, Oregon state president of the state branch of the National Federated Musical Clubs of America, will be in town about the state centennial relationship between the various

Lithopolian Characters Declared Gone. Village Made Famous by Letters of O. Henry Remains Unchanged.

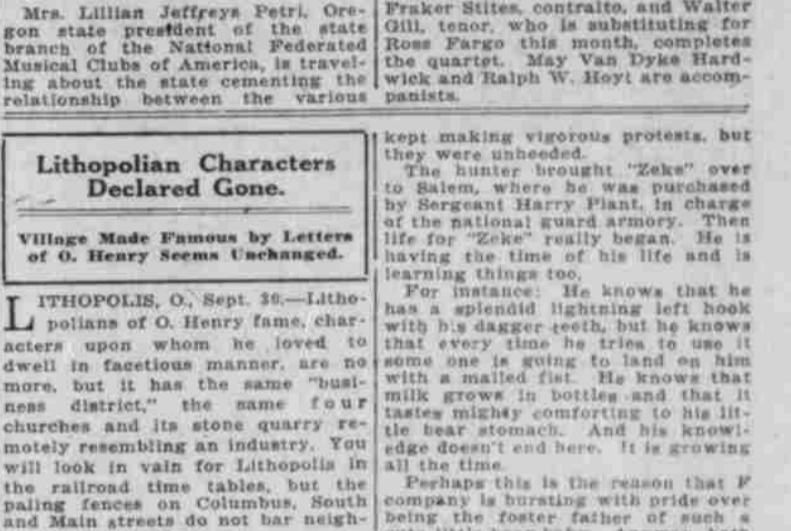
LITHOPIAN, O., Sept. 30.—Lithopolian, O. Henry fame, characters upon whom he loved to dwell in fanciful manner, are no more, but it has the same "business district," the same four churches and its stone quarry remotely resembling an industry.

Intimidation Arrest Made. PASCOW, Wash., Sept. 30.—(Special)—The first arrest for violating the federal injunction issued against the striking shipmen was made here Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Sterling L. Brooks. YOUR KIDNEYS OR BACK BOTHER YOU? READ WHAT MR. BROOKS SAYS



Mrs. Frank O. Northrup



John C. Henderson

The Oregon chapter of the American Guild of Organists will meet at luncheon at the Young Women's Christian association tea room, Tuesday noon. This is the first meeting of the year.

Miss Eda Trotter will present Whitford in concert at the First Congregational church Friday night, October 20, at 8 o'clock.

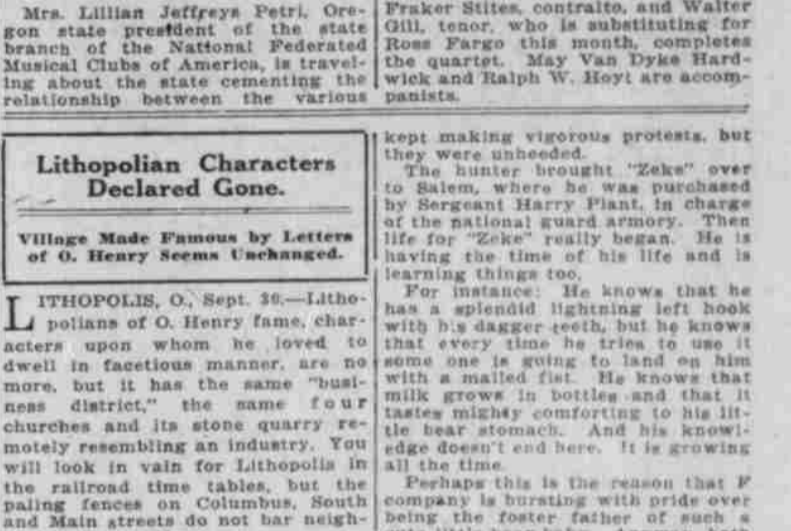
Miss Inez Chambers, popular violinist of this city, has returned from a Chautauqua tour in the east. Since her return Miss Chambers has been soloist for several popular music concerts.

Miss Alice Kim of Seoul, Korea, who has been in Portland the past year studying music at the Elliston White conservatory of music, is to leave on October 15 for a trip which will take her to Chicago, Detroit, New York, Boston, Washington, D. C., Philadelphia, where she will visit with Korean classmates, and to Baltimore, where she will speak before the Woman's Foreign Missionary society.

Mrs. Grant Thomas has recently been re-engaged as soloist at the Second Church of Christ, Scientist, in Portland and she is now beginning her eighth year in that position. She has a true contralto voice and is often spoken of as the "Schumann-Heink of Portland."



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