

### TOWN TOPICS

Manager Reed of the Lytle Townsite company, who is starting today, feels greatly delighted over the arrangement to begin work on the 50-mile irrigating ditch and flume beginning at Lytle and ending away over at Hay creek, Crook county. His sawmill at Lytle is contracting to sell the company 1,000,000 feet of lumber for the flume, and as the water is taken from the river at Lytle, the irrigating company is to erect its office and have its headquarters there. There are many fine business openings in Lytle, which the townsite company will be glad to have persons seeking such things take advantage of.

The civil service commission yesterday finished the marking of applicants for positions as sidewalk inspectors, with the following results: S. H. Jackson, 100; S. Shiraki, 100, and Peter Morgan, 90. These men have been sent under temporary appointments. It was also decided to hold another police examination on February 25.

Physicians' prescriptions and drug orders entrusted to the care of Albert Bernal, the druggist, Second and Washington, can always be depended upon receiving the most faithful and conscientious treatment, as is evidenced by the large and ever-increasing patronage enjoyed by that popular pharmacy.

To assist the fire sufferers at Alesund, Norway, the congregation of the Norwegian church at East Tenth and Grant streets has started a subscription list. The first collection was taken Sunday.

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Free Viavi Health Talks, Thursday, 2:30. Lewis building, 617 Commercial.

S. H. Gruber, lawyer, 145 Com'l Bldg.

### LILIAN BLAUVELT TO SING TONIGHT

Lilian Blauvelt's program for this evening at the Marquam Grand theatre is an attractive one. It is made up from the world's best music. Miss Blauvelt will sing some Italian songs, an aria by Rossini, a few of the shorter German classics, and possibly a French chanson or two. A bolero from Verdi's "Stellian Vespers," one of her best pieces, will be a feature. The program will be rounded out by some of the best modern love songs in English.

### DUN AND TRACEY BEFORE GRAND JURY

Edward Tracey and G. M. Dun, arrested yesterday morning at Third and Morrison streets, had a preliminary hearing before Judge Hogue on the charge of robbing telephone boxes of nickels and were bound over to the grand jury. Bail was fixed at \$100 each. Upon search after the arrest both had pockets full of nickels and a number of padlocks taken from slot machine cash boxes.

### HUSTON RECEPTION THIS EVENING

The reception to be given this evening by Colonel and Mrs. Huston at Vancouver barracks will be one of the biggest affairs of its kind given at the post this season. The Portland guests will leave this city at 7:40 o'clock and will return at midnight. The Huston residence has been gaily decorated for the occasion and the Nineteenth Infantry band will furnish the music.

### TO DISCUSS PLANS FOR FAIR BUILDINGS

The Lewis and Clark Centennial exposition commission for the state of Oregon will meet at its office in the Stearns building, next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Secretary E. C. Gittner says it is expected that the corporation will submit plans for the buildings which the state board is to erect. These will be immediately passed on and bids for the work will be asked for by the following Monday.

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### RECITAL SHOWS ARTIST'S ABILITY

#### MISS BEATRICE DIERKE APPEARS IN PIANO RECITAL AND ENTERTAINS HER AUDIENCE TO PERSISTENT APPLAUSE — ARTIST EXECUTES FANCIFUL AND SERIOUS.

An unusually large and appreciative audience filled Parsons' hall last evening to listen to an excellent program by the pianist Beatrice Barlow Dierke. This talented young woman has indubitably established herself as a favorite



BEATRICE BARLOW DIERKE.

among music-loving people here, and their interest and appreciation were evidenced in hearty and persistent applause. Until after the fifth number the audience was inclined to favor Mrs. Dierke's lighter and more delicate work in the Poldini number, and Grieg's exquisite little gem, "Vogelien." After she had played the Chopin numbers, however, with the spirited "Scherzo" as a climax, an encore was demanded, to which Mrs. Dierke responded with the "Liebes-tod," from Wagner's "Tristan and Isolde," which, artistically, was the most satisfactory number on the program. The Liszt duet was interesting, though the grand symphonic effect, as produced orchestrally, was necessarily lacking.

"Mrs. Dierke makes a charming appearance at the piano which makes it a pleasure to look as well as listen.

Mr. Wessinger was at his best in the song cycle. His plaintive harmonies were well suited to his voice, and he sang with perfect repose and deep feeling.

The program:  
"Les Preludes"—Symphonic Poem..... Franz Liszt  
"Charles and Beatrice Dierke."  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (First Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Second Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Third Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Fourth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Fifth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Sixth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Seventh Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Eighth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Ninth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Tenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Eleventh Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twelfth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Thirteenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Fourteenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Fifteenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Sixteenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Seventeenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Eighteenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Nineteenth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twentieth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-first Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-second Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-third Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-fourth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-fifth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-sixth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-seventh Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-eighth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Twenty-ninth Part)..... Franz Liszt  
"Eiland"—Song Cycle (Thirtieth Part)..... Franz Liszt

### MAJOR E. BURR WAS ONCE HERE

OFFICER WHO HAS CHARGE OF STROKEN BALTIMORE WAS STATIONED AT PORTLAND—HIS CAREER AS REGULAR AND VOLUNTEER A GOOD ONE.

Maj. Edward Burr, who has just been sent to Baltimore by Secretary of War Taft to take charge of the pulling down of dangerous walls and to assist the authorities of that city generally is well known in Portland.

He was in the United States engineer's office in Portland for about a year, in 1885 and 1886, and was later stationed at Vancouver barracks, Wash., for a short time, and from there he was sent to take charge of the government work at Cascade locks, where he remained five years.

He became acquainted with his wife, formerly Miss Katherine Green of Portland, daughter of the late H. D. Green, while she and her sister, now Mrs. C. J. Reed, were attending school in New York city. This acquaintance was followed by a courtship which was consummated by their marriage in Portland June 24, 1888.

Mrs. Burr received her education in New York city. She is an accomplished musician; her performance on the piano denoting great talent, improved by careful culture. She has been a society leader and a great favorite at the different points at which her husband has been stationed and is said to be very popular at Washington barracks, though her delicate health has prevented full participation in the social life of the capital.

Major Burr was born at Booneville, Mo., May 19, 1859. His parents were William E. and Harriet Holly (formerly Brand) Burr. After a common-school education he entered Washington university at St. Louis, Mo., in 1874, but left before graduating to enter the United States military academy at West Point, in 1875, to which he received an appointment July 1, 1877. He was graduated in 1882, standing first in his class, and was assigned to the engineer corps, with the rank of second lieutenant, on June 11, 1882, and stationed at the finishing school for engineers at Willetts Point.

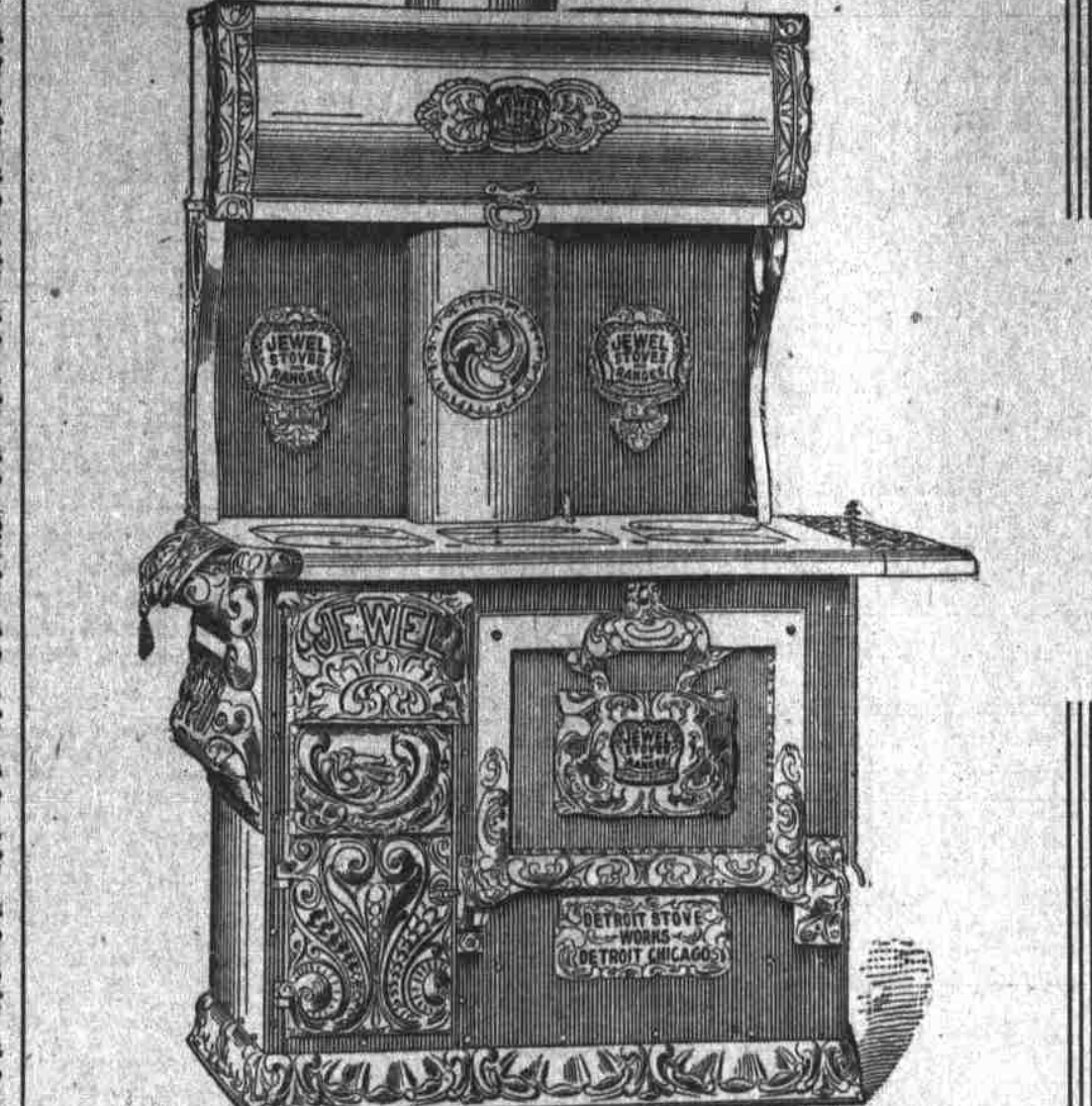
He was appointed first lieutenant March 26, 1883, and was stationed at Portland and Vancouver barracks in 1885 and 1886.

April 12, 1894, he was made captain, and June 7, 1898, after the beginning of the Spanish-American war, he enlisted in the 3d volunteer engineer corps and was appointed lieutenant-colonel, July 12, of that year. He commanded the battalion of engineers, 6th army corps, in the campaign against Santiago de Cuba in June and July, 1898, and was mustered out of the volunteers May 15, 1898, and resumed his station in the regular army, in which he reached the rank of major on May 3, 1901.

He is a member of the Society of Civil Engineers, the Metropolitan and the Army and Navy clubs in Washington. At present he is commandant at Washington barracks, D. C., and is an instructor in the war college which has been established by former Secretary of War Root.

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### AT THE THEATRES

#### "THE ETERNAL CITY"

Muscle lovers have a treat in store at the Marquam Grand theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, February 15, 16 and 17, when Edward Morgan, with Sarah Truax and Frederico de Belleville appear there in Hall Caine's drama, "The Eternal City," quite as prominent as the name of Caine on the program is that of Mascagni. The composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana" wrote the music for the play. The score consists of an overture, an intermezzo, two marches, several chorals and music for the chief situations. The music in no way obtrudes upon the drama, but it is an illustration of the high possibilities in incidental music.

#### "JANE"

"Jane," which is being played all this week at the Baker, is just a bright and happy comedy. Although the plot is clever and well constructed, all the situations are the height of ridiculous farce, and for the purpose of laughter, pure and simple. Usual matinee Saturday.

#### AT THE ARCADE.

This week at the Arcade theatre, a model vaudeville house, any lover of clean and clever amusement may laugh his fill. Bissonette and Newman present a brilliant spectacle in their great electric act, and the way the Freeze Brothers play the tambourine is a revelation.

#### JESSIE SHIRLEY AT CORDRAY'S.

Jessie Shirley and her clever company will present "Blue Grass of Old Kentucky" for the last time at Cordray's theatre tonight. Commencing tomorrow and continuing all the rest of this week, Miss Jessie Shirley will be seen in "Doris."

#### "ONE NIGHT IN JUNE"

Next week at Cordray's theatre will be presented the much-talked-of play, "One Night in June," with the original cast, under the management of the owner, Harry B. Marks. This is the first visit of this company to the coast.

### Chiefly Personal

Frank S. Bennett, of the firm of Wilkins & Bennett, lawyers, is confined to his residence, 191, Fourteenth street, by illness.

Justice Waldemar Seton of the east side justice court expects to return from the Dalles today.

Robert Burns, agent for the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company at Walla Walla, is at the Perkins.

W. H. Wehrung of Hillsboro is in Portland today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tierney of Walla Walla, are in Portland on their wedding tour. Mr. Tierney is engaged in the farm implement business.

B. H. Grant of The Dalles is in the city.

C. Taylor of Pendleton who was in the city yesterday, is receiver for C. B. Wade, formerly cashier of the First National bank of that city, and not receiver of the bank, as stated.

Lee Hiteman of San Francisco is in the city. Mr. Hiteman formerly resided in Athena. He is traveling for a wholesale glove house.

John W. MacLean, a Portland academy student, left this morning for his home in Denver, Colo., having been called east by the serious illness of his father, G. N. MacLean, a prominent mining man of the silver city. "Jack" MacLean is well known in local sporting circles, having been a member of last year's Portland academy baseball and football teams, and one of the present season's basketball players.

Judge M. M. Godman of Dayton,

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Wash., is registered at the Perkins. He was one of the attorneys for Pleasant Armstrong, the Baker City murderer, who was hanged January 22.

A. J. Hatchell, O. A. Rinehart and E. C. Wright of Hood River are visiting in Portland today.

A. L. Craig, general passenger agent of the O. R. & N., returned last evening from Chicago, suffering from a severe cold which confined him to his home today.

### BACHELOR OFFICERS' BALL ON FRIDAY

The Bachelor Officers' all which will be held next Friday evening at the post hall, Vancouver barracks, will be an elaborate affair. A number of people from this city will attend.

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