

BRIDGE TO OCCUPY TIME OF AD CLUB

Proposed Bond Issue Will Be Topic of Talks During Luncheon Hour.

RALLY PLANS UNDER WAY

General Committee to Meet Today to Arrange Final Details for Celebration—Brooklyn and Other Bodies to Boost.

"Interstate Bridge Day," so far as the Portland Ad Club is concerned, is to be forecast tomorrow, when the luncheon hour of the club at the Portland Hotel will be devoted to talks on the proposed bond issue which is to be voted on in November for the construction of Multnomah County's share of the bridge.

Wilfrid P. Jones is to be chairman of the day and speakers will be James P. Stapleton, of Vancouver, and John P. Logan.

Tonight a meeting to consider the bridge bonds will be held under the auspices of the Brooklyn Improvement Club at the Brooklyn schoolhouse. H. L. Moody will be the speaker.

In addition to meetings that have already been arranged, other organizations are still endeavoring to arrange for dates and speakers. Messages were received yesterday from Rose City Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, announcing the indorsement of the movement and saying that an evening for a bridge rally will be set aside if speakers can be supplied. Similar information was sent in by the United National Association of Postal Clerks.

New Committees Named. Following are the new committees appointed to participate in the campaign for the Interstate bridge:

Willamette Tribe, Improved Order of Redmen—J. V. Lankin, J. Hahn and M. J. Gardner.

Sumner Relief Corps, No. 21—Mrs. B. M. Smith, Mrs. R. C. Markee, Mrs. J. W. Brock, Mrs. Harriet Hendee and Mrs. Jennie Turner.

Preparations for the Interstate Bridge Day rally and banquet are being worked out in detail. The general committee on the bridge day celebration will meet today at the Commercial Club at luncheon with representatives from other organizations to evolve final details of the parade, agricultural and agricultural parade which is to be held in the afternoon on bridge day.

S. L. Woodward, president of the North Portland Commercial Club, under whose auspices the banquet on the evening of November 1 will be held, has requested also that others intending to participate in the bridge day celebration be invited to the banquet at the North Portland Commercial Club at a meeting at Killingsworth and Commercial streets tonight, to lay plans for their work.

Vancouver to Have Part. Vancouver is already making preparations for the bridge day celebration. One of the features of the participation is announced to be a representative band of the proposed bridge, indicating that Clarke County and Vancouver have already assured the funds for the bridge day.

The principal committees which will be present at the luncheon at the Commercial Club today to consider the bridge day plans are as follows:

Sub-committee Interstate bridge campaign—George L. Baker, chairman; George M. Hyland, Julius L. Meier, M. G. Winstock, J. Fred Larson, H. H. Nolta, R. H. Brown, Judge R. G. Morrow, A. L. Barbur, C. C. Chapman, Fred W. German and Edward N. Weikman.

Committee from the Central Trades Council—B. W. Eismann, E. T. Webster, A. Hall, G. F. Hunt, Ben Osborne and W. T. Orr.

Committee from Portland Ad Club—A. C. McMicken, T. E. Aslett and F. A. Ryder.

New Bills Open at the Vaudeville Houses

Pantages.

ORIENTAL splendor, Oriental dancing and one might add a typical Oriental surprise form one of the main attractions at Pantages this week in the dancing pantomime which Bothwell Browne presents under the title of "The Siren of the Nile."

Cleopatra is waiting for Anthony, and her maids beguile the time with such dances as the Egyptian Ballet and the Sword Dance until a messenger comes bearing word of the death of Anthony. Cleopatra then dances her famous Dance of Death and the curtain falls as she plunges the death-bearing arrow into her bosom.

The girls dance with splendid rhythm and true sense of tempo, their costumes are exact to a degree, while the solo dances of Kleffron, the messenger, and of Cleopatra were entrancing to a degree, and filled the audience with a creeping feeling that the Egypt of the past invariably suggests.

A Portland girl came into her own in "The Expressman," a rollicking farce for a trio of funmakers. Arthur was Dorothy Dale. Natural to a degree, she possessed of more than her share of good looks, dainty and with a clear enunciation, Miss Dale made an instant hit. Will Armstrong as Silver, the expressman, was the main riot of the piece, which gives him ample opportunity to display his character work, his mobility of feature and above all his comedy.

Santucci, with his classical and rhythmic selections on a powerful accordion, had to answer five encores, all of them deserved, while the turn before him, an extra, a man with a pleasing voice and a selection of home truth songs, was received with far more than the usual signs of pleasure accorded to extras.

At the outset there was rope and lasso manipulation and even the most confirmed Roundup visitor from the Lowes, the girl as much at home with her lasso as the man, while Gene and Arthur have a girl-at-the-piano-man-in-attendance act with some songs that are new and some that are well tried favorites. The Pantagescope concludes the bill.

Orpheum.

KATHRYN KIDDER, still slender, sweet and youthful of voice and spirit, gives her famous creation of the character of Madame Sans Gene in her new playlet, "The Washerwoman-Duchess," to headline the Orpheum bill. It was this excellent actress who first brought to America Sardou's comedy masterpiece of Madame Sans Gene. Her vaudeville offering is an exquisite condensation of the play. Wholly in keeping with the artistic career of this actress is her present vaudeville act.

She brings to the enactment of the dear little laundress aristocrat all the graces and powers of dramatic understanding that she used to display in the Shakespearean delineations, for

which she is justly famous. An able support of three players is given Miss Kidder. John Marchand looks like the picture of Napoleon and plays impressively. Robert Middlemass is the Count de Mournay, playing it with dash. Charles Canfield is the jealous Marchand, husband of the Duchess. Four representatives of the Oriental Republic appear in native costumes, talk and sing in Chinese and chase themselves off the stage only to reappear in full dress, singing in excellent English, with side trips into ragtime and the near-classical. There is comedy a-plenty in the act, and the unusual features appeal. Their grand finale is in Scotch costumes, and they do the Highland Fling in approved and scientific fashion.

James J. Moran is a monologue comedian—a great big chap, who never smiles and goes ahead at his storytelling in all seriousness. His "pomes" are humorous and his well-told stories get over like a little Niagara.

An instrumental novelty is offered by the three Ellisons, two dashing lads and a remarkably pretty girl. They xylophone while, with the added interest of leaving out the old-expected xylophone airs, and proceed to the big part of their act, which is Longfellow's "Village Blacksmith," with a musical setting. It is effective and picturesque.

Della Rosa and Marcella are vocalists, who sing in Italian. They first offer bits from opera, then lighter melodies, their voices are good and blend in beautiful harmony.

Lowe and De Marle have an aerial act to open the bill. One is a clown and the other works like a Trojan and does a lot of exceptionally clever turns in balancing on the wire.

Rice, Sully and Scott, who are comedy acrobats and the bill. Two appear as German comedians in loud apparel; the other as a slim Chinese. The act has many humorous developments, with the trio working constantly on the elevated bars.

Lyric.

SOMEHOW, any show with a widow in the leading role always seems to attract, especially when the widow is beautiful and attractive. That's the case at the Lyric this week, where the clever company is presenting "The Little Widow," with charming Dorothy Raymond, beautifully gowned and fascinating as the leading woman.

Gus Leonard and Billy Onslow are funnier than ever and their antics and jokes make a big hit. Leonard is seen as Helmut Schuler, all dolled up in his little brother's suit, calling on his widow. Onslow is the mischievous servant who "butts in" just as the Dutchman proposes to marry her.

Frank Conter and Thomas J. Bundy have some first-rate songs which they sing acceptably.

Little Dutch maiden and the rosebuds come in for their share of applause.

There will be a chorus girls' contest tonight and again on Friday, when fun will be had by all.

The moving pictures are good and altogether the bill should prove a winner.

Empress.

AN all-round first-class bill, with every act a gem, is found at the Empress this week. Pretty girls, attractively gowned, sing and dance charmingly and form a lovely background for Andrew Tombs, Miriam Carson and Basil Lynn in "Cupid's Syndrome." The merry little musical farce is full of comedy, is tuneful and beautifully staged, and Tombs is a circus.

With Miss Carton out-tangoes the Tango.

An extra attraction is the playlet, billed as "Orpheus Outdone" and noted as "the height of comedy." Needless to say it is a burlesque on Shakespeare's famous play and is just running over with funny situations and local hits that create roars of laughter.

Clarence Oliver, ex-stellar of "Officer 666," presents a merry monologue, sings some mirth-provoking songs and is entertaining. He is a recent acquisition to vaudeville.

"Sam at the Circus" is the act that Grout and Grout appear in and it is a record-breaker. Besides cracking a whole raft of new jokes the two are wizards on all sorts of musical instruments.

Eunice Halo and Fred Snyder are novelty dancers who are sprightly, light of foot and graceful. They appear in an Eastern Turkey Trot, a Tango Argentine and a Society Texas Tommy.

As a finale the girls are whirling round and round as she holds tightly to the man's neck.

Tom O'Brien and Madalon Lear, two singers with excellent voices, appear in several numbers of costume, their Italian number being especially good.

Movies, showing the world's ball game series, up-to-date happenings in all parts of the world and the latest fashions, complete the bill.

PUBLIC ABATTOIR IS PLANNED

Veterinarian Mack Declares Meat Conditions Are Bad.

As a result of facts and figures regarding Portland's meat supply, presented to members of the City Commission yesterday by City Health Officer Marcellus, City Veterinarian Mack and City Milk Chemist Calloway, it is practically certain that provision will be made in the city budget for 1914 for at least two more veterinary inspectors to conduct tuberculosis tests of milk cows and for two or three meat inspectors to examine the meat shipped into the city. It is probable also that arrangements will be made for a public abattoir at which all animals will be slaughtered and prepared for the market under strict inspection.

It was declared by Veterinarian Mack that all the cities of the East have meat inspectors and that they do a great deal of good. He said that a competent meat inspector could go into the Portland market today and find at least 20 tons of meat unfit for food. He declared that there is absolutely no check on the meat supply, and in consequence the health of the city is in constant jeopardy.

"Conditions in slaughter-houses about the city are deplorable," said Dr. Mack. "Meat unfit for food is produced in the worst kind of insanitary slaughtering places. Oftentimes farmers will ship cattle, sheep and hogs into the city and the animals have died from disease or sickness."

It was stated by Milk Chemist Calloway that in testing a dairy herd of 60 cows recently a city veterinarian found 13 diseased cows. The condemnation of these cattle cost the state \$300, the Government \$24.80, the dairymen \$429 and the city \$13.68. All the work was done for the benefit of the city, yet the city paid less than any of the persons or governments having a part in the transaction.

Street Speakers Arrested.

In another attempt at street speaking at Sixth and Alder streets, Charles Gibb, Irene George, Millie Hanson and Emma Golle were arrested and booked at the City Jail tonight on charges of violating a traffic ordinance. Gibb was set in the sum of \$50 for Gibb and \$25 for each of the women.

JUNCTION CITY Voters Number 300.

JUNCTION CITY, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—The total number of people registered here is 200, two-thirds of which are women, most of the men are registered since 1912.

DAY'S BUDGET TRIM REACHES \$265,000

Committee Decides to Lop Off All Grants for Permanent Improvements.

BOND ISSUES TO BE ASKED

Salaries of Clerks and Employees Will Be Considered Today and It Is Intimated That Some Posts May Be Abolished.

Face to face with the urgent necessity of making extensive cuts in city expenses for 1914, the budget committee, at meetings yesterday, practically decided to wipe out every appropriation for permanent improvements. The total of appropriations involved in the plan is approximately \$265,000. It is proposed in eliminating these, to put before the people a bond issue of sufficient size to cover all the improvements the people desire.

In the list which the committee decided tentatively to cut off the budget were \$65,000 for new city barns, \$15,000 for a public market building, \$12,000 for a detector in addition to the \$25,000 for a police signal system, \$10,000 for new fire stations, \$10,000 for new fire apparatus and approximately \$12,000 for various kinds of city surveys and maps, and the elimination of jobs in streets and the rounding of the curbing on street intersections to give greater street width.

To these, the committee already has wiped out \$200,000 in park improvements, which will be referred to the people.

\$500,000 More Trim Required.

The committee yesterday pushed its work along for about an hour, but extensive pruning is to be necessary on all the public improvements, as the actual cost of maintenance and improvements, which are imperative, will require all the proceeds of the levy the Commission proposes to make. In the general plan of cuts the committee has about \$500,000 to trim out of the 1914 estimates, in addition to the \$500,000 cut out last week.

The committee yesterday wiped out of the health, fire and City Attorney's department a total of \$24,150 in items ranging from \$100 to \$150 a month.

There was a chance for saving. The committee practically finished with the three departments, leaving in abeyance only the questions of salaries in the fire department and the question of establishing laboratories in the City Hall.

In the health department a total cut in small supplies was \$2700. This included the estimated costs of fumigating supplies, automobile repairs and supplies, stationery, printing and repairs to the smallpox hospital. In the City Attorney's office the cuts aggregated \$4680 and included reductions in the salaries of two stenographers of \$60 and \$120 a year respectively.

The City Attorney's salary was allowed to stand at \$5000 a year, an increase from \$2400. Two deputies were increased from \$185 a month to \$200 a month, and three deputies were raised from \$125 a month to \$150 a month.

Police Patrolman Goid, who has been serving as a process server in the office, was cut from \$1200 to \$900 a year. His position in the department was eliminated by the cutting of the police force one man. No cuts were made in supplies for the City Attorney's department. The total cost of maintenance under the new arrangements will be \$2000 a year less than the cost in the past two years. No deputy City Attorney will be permitted to accept any other work.

In the fire department a total of \$6000 was cut out for the purchase of a new truck and, \$1850 was saved in the proposed purchase of six fire horses. This saving eliminated the plan of the establishment of a new fire company with nine men at an aggregate salary of \$9600.

The committee will start this morning on the work of deciding definitely on the question of salaries of the present city employees and the question of engaging more help. Some positions now in existence are said to be in danger of elimination.

Douglas County Favors University.

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—That Douglas County will go on record on November 4 favoring the appropriations for the State University at Eugene, is the opinion of persons who have traveled in various sections of the county and talked with the voters. There seems to be a general feeling in this county, the people being almost unanimously in favor of supporting the greatest educational institution in the state. It is also believed the voters of the county will defeat by a decisive vote the referendum of other measures submitted to the voters at this election.

St. Johns Folk, Bitten, Recovering.

ST. JOHNS, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special.)—Dr. McChesney, who has been treating the children recently bitten by a dog, reported to the patients recovering. The treatment is continued, but the children have returned to school. In quarters. The policeman would then telephone immediately to headquarters to see what is wanted. In addition it is proposed to arrange with the telephone companies to keep tabs on the location of a telephone used by a policeman to make his hourly report to headquarters. This system would eliminate the installation of the signal system, which it is proposed to install next year at a cost of about \$25,000.

Women are employed in the foundries of Syracuse and Buffalo, N. Y., where they work under the same conditions and surroundings as the men.

Cemetery. The pallbearers were Henry E. McGinn, John Driscoll, John F. Logan, Alexander Donaldson, Walter F. Matthews and Harry L. Day.

Mr. Sirey was a unique character and had a way of gathering people together. He was the confidant of politicians, who well knew that their opponents also made a confidant of Sirey, but were sure that their confidences would rest in his keeping.

Especially was this so during the legislative campaigns from 1893 to 1905, and when the land fraud cases were being exploited, which caused the indictment of many prominent men.

Mr. Sirey was one of the old-time restaurant men, and as manager of Justice and later Watson's. Especially he attracted customers by his personality. He was 46 years old and was born in Portland. Left an orphan when a child, he was reared and educated in Vancouver, Wash., by Archbishop Blanchett. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. E. McBride.

POSTS MAY CONSOLIDATE

Summer Members of Grand Army Vote to Unite Lincoln-Grandfield.

Summer Post, No. 13, Grand Army of the Republic, voted Saturday night favoring a consolidation with Lincoln-Grandfield Post, No. 2. The veterans favored the consolidation more than two to one. Until the new courthouse was completed and quarters provided for the posts, the Summer Post met on East Side and the Lincoln-Grandfield Post on the West Side. Now the quarters of both posts are located in the same room on the fifth floor of the courthouse.

The members of the Lincoln-Grandfield Post will vote on the proposed consolidation at the meeting Friday night, and if the vote results favorably the work of organizing the consolidated post will proceed at once. If the consolidation of the posts is not approved, the consolidated post will be called the Lincoln-Summer Post. There are 116 members of the Summer Post and 75 of the Lincoln-Grandfield Post. The plan is a consolidation of the old Lincoln and Grandfield posts.

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Begin tonight to use this treatment Write a cloth from very hot water, lather it with Woodbury's Facial Soap, then hold it to your face.

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