

BROADWAY BRIDGE COMMITTEE MEETS

Members of Executive Board Consider Problem—Mayor to Attend.

A most important meeting is that of the bridge committee of the executive board, scheduled for this afternoon at 3 o'clock. It will be the first meeting of the new committee, and on account of the fact that it will have to decide upon what further procedure to take with regard to continuing the construction of the Broadway bridge, Mayor Rushlight will attend.

The city council yesterday authorized the sale of \$500,000 of Broadway bridge bonds, the purpose of the council being to give the executive board a free hand in pushing the great span to rapid completion. The committee will call for a report from Consulting Engineer Ralph Modjeski, and will investigate the contract under which the city engaged the services of the eastern bridge specialist.

It is said that Modjeski has been instructed by a certain member of the council to draw plans for a Strauss bascule type draw. Mayor Rushlight has received no instructions to this effect from anyone in authority. If plans for any particular type of draw are prepared such action will preclude competition.

WEST IS RESPONSIVE TO

It does. It has been a wonderful revelation to me, and in my work there I have found it sympathy and appreciation that somehow I never could obtain from the New York audiences—they were kind, they tried to do their best—but the response that I have found in San Francisco, was lacking.

When the chairman of the board of trustees of the Fifth Avenue church heard I had decided to leave New York and come west, he said: "I do not blame you. You will find an entirely different atmosphere there—a response that you never get here in New York. There is something about the west that makes for spirituality and that is not to be found here."

"There has not been so great an increase in membership since I came to San Francisco, but the attendance has grown wonderfully. Mine is the pioneer Protestant church of the Pacific coast. Our building holds but 1500. It has been crowded to 1350 since I came. Those who come are not there out of curiosity, but because they feel the message that is being delivered—feel it, and respond to it."

Dr. Aked is a young man, slight, with a short mustache, and speaks with a rather marked English accent. He wears tweeds, a soft flannel shirt, and looks as though he might be an English cricketer, down from Victoria. He is quite willing to answer questions, but not to initiate them. For instance, you ask Dr. Aked whether the number of millionaires in his New York audience bothered him, and he'll reply "No, they didn't."

COMMITTEE PICKS SLATE

Wright of Michigan, nominated Miss Blake. Nominated Vice Presidents. The following were nominated for vice presidents: Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, Illinois; George H. Carpenter, Texas; C. F. Philbrook, Arizona; Mrs. Helen M. Wilson, Colorado; Dr. Samuel Andrews, Pennsylvania; R. H. Wilson, Oklahoma; F. S. Stockwell, Wyoming; Edward Hyatt, California; Woodland C. Phillips, Maryland; E. D. Kessler, Oregon; Vaughn McCaughey, Honolulu.

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SECOND CIRCULATOR DENIES FORGERIES

A second arrest in connection with the forgeries alleged to have been committed by circulators of referendum petitions against the University of Oregon appropriations was made yesterday, and others are promised for the near future, following the revelations made by Harry Coler, after his arrest Tuesday night.

The second man arrested was E. J. Rahles, alias E. Wallace, known to his intimates as "Raffles." He verified the petitions he circulated under the name of Wallace. Although implicated by Coler as one of the men who systematically practiced the writing in of bogus names, Rahles denied the charge and said he knew of no frauds among the names he furnished.

ROARING TRIBUTE IS PAID

hotel rooms for himself, wife and two daughters. Many other have made similar tenders.

That great gold key to the city of Aberdeen, N. D., given to the Portland Elks on their stop in that city, was stolen off the walls of the Portland Elks by a local elk who took it just for fun. There was a great wall over the loss but Dr. McKay happened to come upon the man lugging the big key around with him and unhanding him.

Charles Cooney, of Portland, wired to Gus C. Moser: "Well Gus, old man, the members of the Knockers' Table at the Commercial club today at lunch wished me to send congratulations to you and associates for securing this city, for the Elks' convention. They feel that the P. O. E. is to be congratulated upon its wise choice in selecting the best place on earth to gather a large band of Elks for the grazing season of 1912."

MARSHFIELD INTERESTED IN RAILS AND RUMORS

Marshfield, Or., July 13.—Much excitement was started in this city when the announcement in newspapers was made that the Hill interests were to build to Coos Bay this year. For several weeks there has been quite a real estate stir, and the railroad news made business still more lively.

SEATTLE MAN IS KILLED WHEN AUTO STRIKES LOG

Seattle, Wash., July 13.—George Andrews, while on his way from the Seattle Golf and Country club to his home in Seattle late last night, was killed by being thrown from his automobile, which struck a log beside the road. The next party from the club discovered the auto and body. Mr. Andrews was manager of the Seattle branch of the Burroughs Adding Machine company.

Fires Sweep Maine.

Kineo, Maine, July 13.—More than nine square miles of territory in this section and 15,000 acres in Enchanted township have been swept by fire, entailing a loss of nearly \$320,000.

SAME PASTOR UNITES GRANDPARENTS, CHILD AND A GRANDCHILD

(Special to The Journal.) Salem, Or., July 13.—Rev. P. S. Knight last night performed the marriage ceremony uniting Hugh S. Gibson and Miss Nina Mack. In 1888 he married Miss Mack's parents in this city, and in 1889 he married her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Chapman.

Presbyterian Young People. Philadelphia, July 13.—The first of

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four summer conferences to be held during the months of July and August under the auspices of the department of Young People's Work of the Presbyterian church in the United States was opened today at Winona Lake, Ind. The meeting will last a week, the next conference occurring August 2 to 8, at Pocomo Pines, Pa. The last two meetings will be held at Lebanon, Tenn., and Holister, Mo.

Gearhart Chautauqua to Grow. (Special to The Journal.) Gearhart, Or., July 13.—While Gearhart Park's first annual Chautauqua does not close until July 18, plans are

already under contemplation for the 1912 entertainments. The attendance has been far greater than was expected. Next year the Chautauqua will follow the regular Chautauqua plan, and classes of various kinds will be organized. The camping grounds will be enlarged, and special trains will be run from many points along the line of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway.

Saturday and Sunday will be Astoria Centennial days at the Chautauqua. Governor West of Oregon and Rev. William S. Gilbert will appear. Millie Schloth and her pupils from the Portland Y. W. C. A. will give a special exhibition in the natatorium Saturday evening.

Myers, ex-banker, to be tried October 9. The trial of F. N. Myers, former president of the Mount Scott bank at Lents, has been set in the circuit court for October 9. There are two indictments against Myers, both charging unlawfully accepting deposits after the bank had been insolvent. The depositories have engaged Attorney C. M. Ideman to assist the district attorney in prosecuting the case.

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