

HOSPITALBOARD MUST HOLD OFF BUILDING PLAN

City Council Orders Work to Stop Until Official Permit is Obtained

UTTER AND VOLK SCRAP

One Alderman Advises Another to Resign From Police Committee

Information was brought to the city council meeting last night that the Salem hospital board is erecting a building in South Sa-

lem without having first secured a building permit. It was voted that work on the building be stopped until a permit was granted. The building is the portable school building on the Lincoln school grounds which is protested by South Salem residents who insist that the hospital vacate the McKinley school building so it may be used for school purposes.

The discussion of various much needed street improvements in the way of graveling, and consideration of a more strict compliance with the rules and regulations governing the actions of the council and its committees, occupied a greater part of the session held by the city council at the regular meeting last night. In the absence of Mayor O. J. Wilson, G. E. Halvorsen was chosen acting mayor, and presided over the meeting.

Graveling Requested

Petitions were read from several districts urging the council to take immediate action in graveling some of the outlying streets, including Norway and Twelfth

streets. These were referred to the street committee.

J. B. Giesy, as chairman of the special high street paving committee, reported that owing to a disagreement of the property owners on the street they were unable to report in full. He stated that the original plans for the paving being used by the workmen are those adopted by the council, which adoption was made through a misunderstanding. The committee requested a little more time in which to interview each taxpayer interested in order that an agreeable arrangement might be made. The request was granted.

The fire hazard risk at the dumping ground on the way to the fair grounds was taken under consideration and upon motion was referred to the 1921 council. Highway Board Undecided A rather humorous contention took place between a number of the members regarding the payment of an insured board bill, and the disposition of an ancient horse, said to have received the care of the city for the past three weeks, the bill amounting to about \$30. The animal is too old for further work though prominent good "points" are becoming more and more in evidence every day. Alderman Vandervort declared it is not worth the price of the bill, and decidedly thought that a cumulating bill should be stopped. Chief of Police Welsh reminded the council that it was necessary that the owner of the property be given due notice of retention through a published notice before the horse could be disposed of and the matter was left in his hands.

Improvements of the upper story of the city hall was taken under advisement. Giesy reported that he had conferred with the highway commission regarding its removal to the offices should the council take action in fitting and furnishing suitable quarters for that department in the city hall, and stated that the commission was yet undecided as to moving. The improvements will be given further consideration upon proper presentation by the highway commission of willingness to occupy the rooms should they be fitted up for use.

Utter and Volk Have Words A communication was read in protest of the right of Barkus & Son in occupying the sidewalk in front of their place of business in unloading hay, etc., and otherwise encumbering the walk. Attention was called to various other places of business such as Spaulding Logging Company, D. A. White & Sons and others where this is said to be a common practice. The habit of piling wood on the sidewalks in front of premises and indifference as to its removal was also called to the attention of the members. Following a general discussion it was voted to refer the matter to the chief of police with instructions to notify persons to remove obstructions after a reasonable time.

Alderman F. L. Utter and Gerald Volk engaged in a heated discussion over the respective duties of the police and police committee. "Distance" in this case did not "lend enchantment" to the scene. Dr. Utter reached the climax of his feelings when he gave out the startling information to Volk, that if he could not make a better chairman of a police committee than Volk he would resign. This bit of information did not evidently, after all, shock Volk, as he did not appear surprised and retaliated with the accusation of jealousy.

Clues Fail in Hunt for Prison Refugees

All clues have "petered out" in the search for Ralph Turpin and John Tuel, who escaped Saturday from the Otto Wilson farm east of Salem where they were employed with a trusty gang of the state penitentiary. Reports have reached here of the holding up of a hobo and a brakeman on a freight train between Salem and Albany yesterday afternoon, but Warden Compton does not believe the job was done by Turpin and Tuel. Clothing found near of Salem was reported by the state highway commission to have started a new cutting of timber along The Dalles-California highway south of Bend.

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Brooks-Scanlon Company is Destroying Trees

Notwithstanding a policy that has been inaugurated by Governor Olcott, and which has received strong public and industrial endorsement, directed against the destruction of natural scenery along public highways, the Brooks-Scanlon Lumber company is reported by the state highway commission to have started a new cutting of timber along The Dalles-California highway south of Bend.

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Boy Dead as Result of Playmates Gang Rule

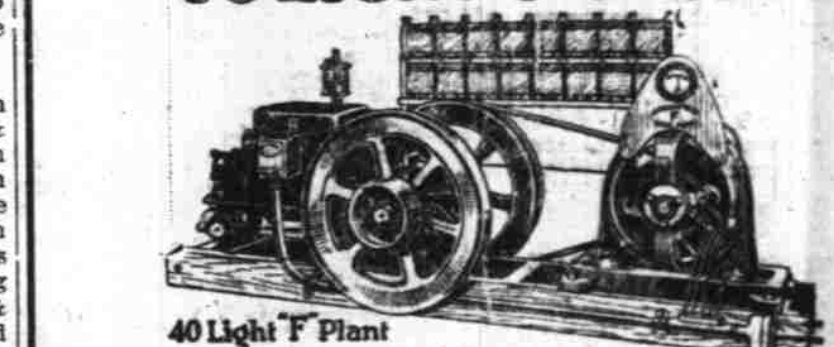
COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Oct. 18.—Theodore Welsh, 7, is dead today, the victim of the "gang" rule of his playmates. The assault was prompted, according to the boy's associates, by his refusal to steal popcorn from his mother to feed the "gang."

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Federal Railway Board Begins Wage Hearings

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The federal railway wage board today began its hearings in the wage disputes of more than 200 short-line and interurban roads outside the scope of the recent wage award of the board.

Testimony was confined to that bearing directly upon the authority of the board to fix wages on electric interurban lines not operating as a part of steam transportation systems, leaving argument concerning the merits of specific demands for later consideration.

The jurisdiction of the federal wage tribunal over independent electric roads was challenged by five inter-city roads, and Chairman Barton ruled that the jurisdictional question must be disposed of before differences between the roads and workers could be taken up.

Good Program Announced for Open Forum Meeting

The monthly Open Forum of the Salem Commercial club will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, invitations to be issued to active members, associate members and non-resident members.

It is expected that a large attendance will be recorded, business matters of vital importance to the organization to come before the members for discussion. Following this session, a program of unusual excellence will be given, including vocal solos and duets by Mrs. John J. Roberts and Albert Gilie, Miss Lillian Hartshorn to play their accompaniment. Miss Lulu Rosamonde Walton, head of the Salem School of Expression, will give readings. A luncheon will culminate the evening.

Singh, a Native of India, Entitled to Citizenship

PORTLAND, Oct. 18.—Bages Singh, a native of Punjab, India, who entered the United States at Seattle in 1913, is entitled to citizenship rights in this country and is declared to be of the white race, according to a decision by Federal Judge C. E. Wolverton. Although the Hindu exclusion act is now in effect, Singh entered this country lawfully previous to its passage. In consideration of the fact that he served during the world war and been discharged as an acting sergeant with "excellent" recommendation and declared to be industrious and law abiding by his employers, Judge Wolverton found he was entitled to naturalization.

Everett Would Change Cox Names on Ballot

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 18.—Howard Everett, Democratic state chairman announced tonight that a petition will be filed in district court tomorrow to have the Minnesota secretary of state show cause why he should not place the name of W. W. Cox, industrial candidate for president, at the bottom of the presidential ballot, instead of third on the list, following that of James M. Cox, Democratic candidate.

Plans to file the petition late today were changed at the last moment.

Mr. Everett said that the placing of the names of both Cox's immediately following the other on the ballot would cause much confusion to the voters.

Four-Year Orphan Comes Across Continent Alone

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 18.—Josephine Wintzell, an orphan scarcely more than four years old, arrived in Portland today from New York. Tagged with her name and destination, the little girl made the journey unaided, except that trainmen and passengers saw to it that she made the long journey across the continent in safety and comfort.

The father of the little girl died recently and left instruction that upon his passing away Josephine Wintzell should be sent to her Portland aunt, Mrs. Dolly Wag-

ner, a sister of the deceased Mrs. Wintzell. The instructions were carried out to the letter, and Mrs. Wagner was at the Union station to greet the small niece upon her arrival.

Employer—I would rather have a single man for the job. Applicant—Well, advance me enough money and I'll get a divorce.—Utica Globe.

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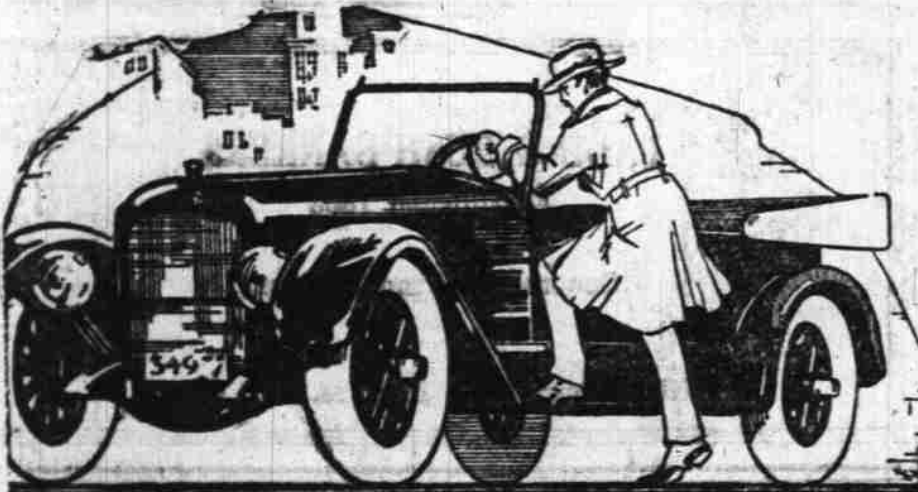
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