

COUNCIL CHAMBERS--CITY COUNCIL
CITY HALL--CITY OF LODI

Monday, December 20, 1937

The City Council of the City of Lodi met in regular session at 8:00 o'clock P.M. of Monday, December 20, 1937. Councilmen Clark, Graffigna, Weihe and Steele present, Councilman Spooner absent being out of the City.

The minutes of the last meeting held December 7th was read, approved as read and so indorsed by the Mayor.

The Clerk read a letter from the Secretary of the State Chamber of Commerce in regard to the California Standard Building Code.

Resolution No. 939 was introduced on motion of Councilman Graffigna, seconded by Councilman Weihe, read by the Clerk and considered by the Council.

RESOLUTION NO. 939

WHEREAS, the term of office of Dr. James E. Nelson as trustee of San Joaquin Local Health District will expire on the 2nd day of January, 1938, and;

WHEREAS, this City Council in appreciation of the services rendered by Dr. Nelson, desires that he continue in said office;

BE IT RESOLVED, that Dr. James E. Nelson be and he is hereby reappointed trustee of San Joaquin Local Health District from the City of Lodi for the statutory period of two years ending January 2, 1940.

The foregoing Resolution No. 939 was then passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen, Graffigna, Weihe, Clark and Steele.
NOES: Councilmen, None.
ABSENT: Councilman, Spooner.

On motion of Councilman Graffigna, seconded by Councilman Weihe the Mayor was authorized to sign a price stabilization agreement with the Standard Oil Company for road oils.

The Clerk was authorized to purchase a strip of land near De Force Avenue by the adoption of Resolution No. 940.

RESOLUTION NO. 940

RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Lodi that the City Clerk is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to obtain a deed from Annie G. O'Donnell, Mary G. Dalton and Arabella G. Cromwell, for the purpose of opening the alley between North Sacramento Street and North School Street and to pay said grantors the sum of Two Hundred and No one hundreths (\$200.00) Dollars, therefore.

The foregoing Resolution No. 940 was then passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen, Weihe, Graffigna, Clark and Steele.
NOES: Councilmen, None.
ABSENT: Councilman, Spooner.

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The Clerk presented a supplemental petition for street lighting on Flora and Eden Streets and the same was ordered referred to the City Engineer for inclusion in a Works Progress Administration project.

In the matter of the abandonment of Mission Street Resolution No. 938 was introduced on motion of Councilman Clark, seconded by Councilman Weihe, read by the Clerk and considered by the Council.

RESOLUTION NO. 938

RESOLUTION ORDERING THE ABANDONMENT OF
MISSION STREET IN "WELLSWOOD PARK"

WHEREAS, this City Council of the City of Lodi did on the fifteenth day of November, 1937, pass and adopt its resolution numbered 936 wherein it declared its intention to abandon Mission Street as said street is delineated and so designated on that certain map or plat entitled "WELLSWOOD PARK" on file and of record in the office of the Recorder of San Joaquin County, State of California;

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that notice of such intention was regularly posted and published in time, form and manner as required by law as is evidenced by the affidavit of CLIFFORD GATZERT who personally posted copies of said notice along the line of said street, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of this City, and by the affidavit of RUTH SNYDE DURFEY, principal clerk of the publisher of the Lodi Times, a newspaper of general circulation in which this City Council directed publication of said notice, also filed with said City Clerk;

AND, WHEREAS, more than ten days have elapsed since the last publication of said notice and since the posting of copies of said notice and no objections to the abandonment of said street have been filed or presented to this City Council or to the Clerk thereof, and this City Council has now acquired jurisdiction to order the abandonment of said street as a public street or highway;

NOW, THEREFORE, this City Council in view of the foregoing finds, determines and declares as a fact that said notice of abandonment was duly and regularly posted and published in time, form and manner as prescribed by law and the direction of this City Council; that no objections or alleged objections were filed or presented; that the time for filing of such objections has expired; and that this City Council has now acquired jurisdiction to order the abandonment of said street; and that said street is not required to serve any public use;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that it is to the public interest and benefit that said street be abandoned and it is hereby ordered that said street be abandoned. The street herein abandoned is particularly described as follows:

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Mission Street as said street is delineated and so designated on the official map of "WELLSWOOD PARK" it being a subdivision of a part of Lot 19 and of Lots 20 and 21 of the Lodi Barnhart Tract," which map was filed with the recorder of San Joaquin County, California on the 20th day of August, 1924, and recorded in Vol. 10 Maps and Plats at Page 94 thereof, San Joaquin County Records.

The foregoing Resolution No. 938 was then passed and adopted by the following vote:

- AYES: Councilmen, Clark, Weihe, Graffigna and Steele
- NCES: Councilmen, None
- ABSENT: Councilman, Spooner.

The semi-monthly payroll in the total amount of \$854.79 were allowed and ordered paid on motion of Councilman Weihe, seconded by Councilman Graffigna.

15 building permits, applications No. 1863 to and including No. 1879 with the exception of No. 1867 and 1874 for structures to cost \$10,595.00 were allowed and ordered granted. Application No. 1874 was denied as the building proposed to be moved was held not to be fit for human habitation.

Resolution No. 941 was introduced on motion of Councilman Clark, seconded by Councilman Graffigna, read by the Clerk and considered by the Council.

RESOLUTION NO. 941

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF "UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS" FROM WATER AND ELECTRIC DEPOSITS.

WHEREAS, there is deposited in the City Treasury of this City in "Special Deposit Account" surplus funds in the amount of \$6,000 over and above moneys necessary to make refunds in the usual course of business; and,

WHEREAS, these funds bear little or no interest and a reasonable return can be had thereon by purchasing United States Savings Bonds, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor, the City Treasurer and the City Clerk, all or any of them as may be required, are hereby empowered, authorized and directed to purchase United States Savings Bonds in the amount of \$6,000. in the name of and for the City of Lodi and deposit the same, when received, with the City Treasurer who shall be the custodian of said bonds and liable for the safe-keeping thereof.

The foregoing Resolution No. 941 was then passed and adopted by the following vote:

- AYES: Councilmen, Clark, Weihe, Graffigna and Steele.
- NCES: Councilmen, None
- ABSENT: Councilman, Spooner.

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On motion of Councilman Clark, seconded by Councilman Weihe, the Council then adjourned, such adjournment being taken in memory of John Silas Montgomery who died December 20, 1937 and who had served the City as Councilman and Mayor from 1918 to 1922.

ATTEST:

J. F. Bruner
City Clerk

The foregoing minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi were read at a subsequent meeting of said Council held January 3, 1938 and approved without correction.

G. M. Steele
Mayor.