

Ford Is Granted Right to Develop Power Project

Federal Commission Approves Plan to Improve High Dam Between Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Washington, March 2.—The Ford Motor company was granted a preliminary permit by the federal power commission to develop power at the High dam, erected across the Mississippi river between St. Paul and Minneapolis by the government as an aid to navigation.

with stiff opposition to his project, which contemplates the organization of a large manufacturing plant at St. Paul, but at a three-hour meeting of the commission today his competitors had dwindled to one, the Northern States Power company. Both St. Paul and Minneapolis, which had desired to develop power for municipal utilities, abdicated in favor of the Ford company.

petition the commission for permission to do so. In expressing approval of the Ford plan, representatives of the Twin Cities claimed the rights to use any surplus power developed by the Ford company. The Ford company, the commission was told, will erect a plant on a 167-acre tract, already purchased, for the assembly and manufacture of parts and other articles.

Mrs. J. H. Presson Dies.
Mrs. J. H. Presson, 76, 4917 Underwood avenue, died yesterday at Wise Memorial hospital. Funeral services will be held at the home this morning at 10. Burial will be in Stromberg, Neb.

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Vaudeville—Photoplays
All New Bill, With
CECIL CUNNINGHAM
Late star of the Greenwich Village Follies
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Board to Hear Expose of Vice by Policeman

Head of Morals Squad Agrees to Reveal Alleged Conditions in Omaha High Schools.

Invitation to expose high school vice conditions before a general meeting of the board of education Monday night was accepted Thursday night by Frank Williams, sergeant in charge of the police morals squad.

He was formally asked to attend the meeting by Dr. Jennie Callas, a member, who declares she intends to try to force the matter of an investigation before the board as an issue.

Dr. Callas said Sergeant Williams told her vice conditions in some of the high schools were generally what had been reported recently in newspapers.

Attack on high school vice was promised yesterday from a new angle. Rev. Edgar Merrill Brown of Dietz Memorial M. E. church, Tenth and Worthington streets, will preach a sermon on the subject Sunday night.

"I just had a two-hour talk with Sergeant Williams," he said, "after a week of investigating personally. I visited the high school and the 'bootleg' districts and personally saw young girls—they looked to be high school girls—visiting 'blind pigs.'"

"Sergeant Williams told me vice of certain types is growing so clandestinely in high school populations that even policemen on beats are ignorant of the truth. Only raiders constantly boring in learn the facts."

"I am convinced the sergeant's talk to the board will create a live issue and result in great educational benefits if nothing more. The public will be astounded to learn of the true conditions."

Rev. Mr. Brown's local investigation was prompted by a recent trip to Detroit, where astonishing truths were laid bare in a high school investigation.

Bill Would Legalize Cigaret Sales in Utah

Salt Lake City, March 2.—A measure designed to permit the sale of cigarettes in Utah, under strict regulation, and providing heavy penalties for unauthorized sale or for sale to minors, was introduced in the Utah senate yesterday by the senate committee on public affairs. The bill is a compromise measure and in some respects is more sweeping than the Southwick law, which it seeks to amend. Whereas advertising of cigarettes is now prohibited, the committee measure aims to prevent the advertising of tobacco in any form.

The bill would make it possible to sell cigarettes legally in Utah only on payment of heavy license and stamp taxes. These features of the law are based on a plan no win effect in Iowa. The smoking of tobacco in restaurants, barber shops and similar places is still prohibited, except that in the eating places separate compartments may be partitioned off and designated for the use of smokers.

Telegraphic Briefs

Washington—The National Monticello association announced the purchase of the Monticello estate of Thomas Jefferson at Charlottesville, Va., was expected to be completed soon by the former president's estate a national shrine.

New York—Max Schelling's German opera, "Mona Lisa," was given by the Metropolitan Opera company.

New York—Charles W. Counselman, wealthy Chicago banker, recently divorced from the daughter of Samuel M. Felton, president of the Chicago Great Western railway, was granted a license to wed Mrs. Harry Spencer Brown of Chicago.

Troy, N. Y.—World and music broadcast by a local radio station were reported having been heard in New Zealand.

Port Worth—William James of Dallas, Tex., Masonic leader, died here.

New York—The annual convention of the American Bar Association will take place at Atlantic City, September 24.

Paris—Rene Doumic was elected secretary of the French academy.

Edinburgh—David Lloyd George was carried from Edinburgh university by student admirers after a speech interrupted by student demonstrations including the releasing of a live hen.

New Orleans—Judge E. K. Skinner of the civil court ruled that total marriage are legal if the persons do not live together.

Columbus, O.—Mayor Herbert H. Wright of Massillon, O., was removed from office by Governor Donahoe for misconduct, non-feasance, and gross and willful neglect of duty.

Washington—Alvin Owsley, director of the American Legion endorsed Director Hise of the Veterans bureau who has just assumed that office.

Columbus, O.—"Hollo Polka" was the cheer of the crowd at the funeral of the man who entered the death room a few seconds before his execution for the killing of Ruth Lawrence.

Washington—Losses incurred by the shipping board in operations of vessels with \$1,482,521 in November, \$4,122,812 in December, and \$4,492,137 in January, Chairman Lasker announced.

New York—The value of the late Henry Clay Frick's estate is fixed at \$121,342,152 by the state tax commission which set a tax on it of \$20,393,274.

The Dollar and Cents Value of Creighton University to Omaha

There are various standards by which institutions may be measured, one of the most generally appreciated being that of dollar and cents. The average citizen may not be able to judge of a University's standing educationally, but he can easily grasp the idea that an institution which helps to materially swell the local bank clearings is worth while. Perhaps he does not often reflect upon this phase of the matter, but once it is brought to his attention he will not soon forget it.

Helps Omaha's Large Bank Clearings

Creighton University's combined enrollment during 1920-21, including the Summer School, was 1,950 students, whose aggregate annual expenditure in Omaha for board and lodging, clothes, laundry, amusements, books and stationery, incidentals and railroad fare is approximately one million dollars. As the bulk of this money goes through the Omaha banks this accounts, in part, for the fact that Omaha ranks higher in bank clearings than cities of twice its size.

Students Spend Vast Sums

It may be interesting to consider in detail, what Creighton's contribution to Omaha's financial welfare means. The single item of shoes amounts to \$20,000 per year; clothing, \$100,000; confections and tobacco, \$20,000; laundry, \$30,000; hats, caps and haberdashery, \$20,000; baggage transfer, \$3,000; books, stationery, instruments and apparatus, \$80,000; drugs, jewelry, sporting goods, engraving, printing, catering, taxicabs, etc., \$50,000; board and lodging, \$400,000; amusements and incidentals, \$50,000; railroad fare, \$50,000; street car fare, \$25,000.

More Than a Million Spent Annually

When to these amounts is added the income from endowment, the tuition of the four professional colleges, laboratory fees and all incidental fees, amounting to \$309,381.71, all of which is immediately disbursed in Omaha to the faculty and to Omaha Merchants for equipment and supplies, the total will aggregate a great deal more than a million dollars annually, not including the large expenditure made every year by the University for the construction of new buildings and the purchase of additional equipment, which, since 1916, has amounted to \$800,000.

Friends and Graduates Swell Total

How much, in addition to these various amounts, is spent each year in Omaha by friends and relatives of the students cannot be accurately estimated, but the total will doubtless run between \$30,000 and \$50,000. And it should not be forgotten that the University's graduates, who now number about 3,300, are, in large part, located within a radius of three hundred miles of Omaha. Naturally they spend considerable sums of money here for supplies and equipment, to say nothing of the business which they bring to the city along professional as well as distinctly commercial lines.

1,000 New Students By 1925

With the expansion plans completed, Creighton will be in a position to take care of at least 1,000 new students. Think what this will mean to the business men of Omaha. Every man, woman and child in Omaha is either directly or indirectly benefited by the large annual expenditures of Creighton University and its body of students.

Think These Things Over Carefully When deciding how much you are going to give

WARD M. BURGESS,
Chairman Executive Committee Creighton Building and Endowment Campaign.

RIALTO
LAST DAY
CHARLES CHAPLIN
in **"The Pilgrim"**
and **Douglas McLean**
Bellboy 13
Gaiety
"Omaha's Fun Center"
MAT. & NITE TODAY
PRE-WAR PRICES
The Columbia Circuit's Outstanding Novelty
Town Scandals Indoor Circus
HARRY (HICKS) LEVAN, PRINCIPAL TATTLE-TALL. Performance includes with Circus Features, Funny Clowns, Aerial Queens.
FREE Souvenirs, Novelties for Everybody all week. Presents for the ladies.
Papers for the Mama and the Papa
Ladies' Tickets, 10c of 50c at Daily Matinee, 2:15

SUN
Starts Today
MAE MURRAY
in **Jazzmania**
A cinema of synopcon and splendor
MONDAY TO FRIDAY
9 o'clock Show
"JAZZ CONTEST"

Empress
LAST TIMES TODAY
"KING TUT"
—in—
"The Loves of Pharaoh"
A Paramount Picture
Also a superb vaudeville show headed by a vehicle which will be found full of surprises. "A Pair of Deuces."
Matinees, 15c to 50c. Nights, 15c to \$1

Orpheum
ORPHEUM CIRCUIT VAUDEVILLE
Last Two Times
MATINEE TODAY, 2:15
Early Curtain
TONIGHT, 7:55
MR. LOU TELLEGEN
in "BLIND YOUTH"
WALTER C. KELLY
And Current Bill
Note—Mr. Tellegen will be first on the program. Patrons will not be seated during his act.

GRANDEIS TODAY Mat. & Evening Last Two Times
WALKER
WHITESIDE
The **HINDU**
In a Modern Mysterio Melodrama by **GORDON KEAN**
Ev'ngs 50c to \$2.50; Mat. 50c to \$2.00.
LAST DAY
HOOT GIBSON
"KINDLED COURAGE"
Tomorrow **WALLACE BEERY** **PRISCILLA DEAN**
"FLAME OF LIFE"

Follow
"THE MAN WHO PLAYED GOD"
to Happiness
NEIGHBORHOOD THEATERS
HAMILTON - 40th and Hamilton
HAROLD LLOYD
in "DR. JACK"
VICTORIA - 24th and Fort
ALL-STAR CAST
in "THE BETTER MAN"
GRAND - 16th and Binney
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SPECIAL PRODUCTION
"MY WILD IRISH ROSE"

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