

# COUNCIL VOTES TO BUILD CURB ON MYRTLE ST.

## \$1,500 Appropriation Is Made; Work Necessary in Order to Share in Funds From State

Threatened with the loss of state maintenance funds, Bristol, Va., city council last night appropriated \$1,500 to build curbing and guttering for the Myrtle St. entrance of Lee highway into the city.

The work will be started at the junction of Piedmont and Myrtle Sts., and be carried to the colored school house at the junction of Myrtle and Moore Sts.

Labor paid for by the Reconstruction Finance Corp., relief funds will be used, the city paying only for materials. A continuous cinder-sidewalk the length of the street also will be erected at the council's order.

Councilman T. L. Hayworth said the sidewalk would keep many of the pedestrians from walking in the highway. Councilman W. R. Rogers pointed out that the city would receive no state maintenance allowance until improvements are made which meet the approval of the resident engineer.

City Manager McCrary, in his report, said welfare work for December cost \$758.29; grading work had been started on Prospect Ave. and Vernon St. under RFC relief funds; that 316 are now enrolled for relief work and he expects 400 applicants by February 1; and that overhauling of the filter plant is being delayed by Bristol, Tenn.'s

"refusal to pay its share" of the costs.

The council authorized, as an additional RFC project the grading of Euclid Avenue without expenditure of money by the city.

J. T. Cecil, executor of the J. M. Pendleton estate addressed a letter to the council saying the city without authority extended a sewage line through the Pendleton property near the colored school, and that much damage was done the property, and asked satisfaction. The sum of \$1,006 in taxes is owing on the property, and it is proposed that this amount be charged off, in return for which the estate would give to the city the right to erect a street through the land. The matter was referred to the city manager, city attorney and city engineer.

## Post \$1,000 Guarantee For Appearance Young Corbett Against Fields

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18. (AP)—A \$1,000 guarantee for the appearance of young Corbett against Jackie Fields, welter-weight champion, in a title bout here Feb. 22, was posted yesterday with the State Athletic Commission in behalf of the Fresno southpaw.

Larry White, representative of Corbett, delivered the check to the commission office and promised to deposit another \$1,500 as soon as Jack Kearns signs in behalf of fields.

Kearns sent word from Los Angeles he would arrive here Thursday to complete the deal.

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