ORDINANCE No. 493

AN ORDINANCE of City of Kent fixing the rate of speed of Motor Vehicles, regulating the operation of the same, and fixing a penalty.

The City Council of City of Kent do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be the duty of every person operating a motor vehicle on the streets, alleys and public places in the City of Kent, to drive and operate the same in a careful manner, and at a rate of speed that will not endanger the property of another or the life or limb of any person.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any motor vehicle at a rate of speed faster than twenty (20) miles an hour, on over or across any street intersection, or within 100 yards of any school house on school days between the hours of eight o'clock in the morning and five o'clock in the evening within the said city of Kent at a faster rate of speed than twelve (12) miles per hour.

SECTION 3. It shall be unlawful to operate any motor truck equipped with pneumatic tires, or a greater rate of speed than twenty (20) miles per hour; or any motor truck of a gross weight including load as hereinafter provided equipped with solid rubber tires at a greater rate of speed than the following:

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Section 4. It shall be the duty of every person using the streets, alleys and other public places in the city of Kent, to observe the "rules of the road" as provided and prescribed by Section 28, 29 and 30 of Chapter 96 Laws of State of Washington of 1921.

Section 5. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance or of the provisions and requirements of the "rules of the road" as defined by law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by fine in any sum not exceeding $100.00 or by imprisonment as by law provided, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

Section 6. All ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed insofar as the same conflict with this ordinance, but not otherwise.

Section 7. This ordinance shall be in force five days after its passage and publication as by law provided.

Passed Aug. 1 1921
Approved Aug. 2 1921
Published Aug. 4 1921
Attest, City Clerk.

Mayor
Magnifying Speed for Motor Vehicles &
Regulating Operation
Of Same