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CERTIFIED BABIES GIVEN IN CHICAGO

Dispose of Homeless Children to Worthy Foster Parents.

Chicago.—The city of Chicago is giving away officially certified babies—brown eyed, gray eyed and blue eyed little beauties, quite chubby and perfectly healthy—and they are intrusted to the care of highly recommended and thoroughly worthy foster parents only. This is a new idea, in which Chicago leads the way. Medical officials of other large cities are watching its development with close interest and with a view to its adoption.

Chicago, like every other municipality, finds on its hands dependent little ones who have no parents to care for them, no friends to vouch for their good behavior. Chicago takes them all under its broad wing—Chicago leads among the baby loving cities—examines them physically and mentally and then offers officially certified infants for adoption.

What home needs a baby? Many a household is ready and anxious to welcome a healthy and happy youngster, but not every one is worthy of the new arrival. At least so Chicago thinks, and thereupon proceeds to examine the would be foster parents.

Dr. William J. Hickson of the psychopathic laboratory of the municipal court of Chicago is the originator of the plan. Dr. Hickson is a baby specialist, also an ardent student of the problem of mental deficiency. Here are his fixed standards for a certified baby:

"At birth the certified baby must weigh at least six pounds and measure twenty inches.

"At one year of age he must weigh twenty-one pounds and measure twenty-seven inches, increasing three inches during the second year, and from his third to tenth year two inches annually. His fontanelle, or 'soft spot,' should close at about the nineteenth month.

"Mentally he should be as follows:

"Three to four and one-half months, grasp an object that is placed before him. Hold his head erect, unsupported.

"Seven months, sit alone, unsupported, and reach for toys.

"Eight to ten months, start to creep. Some babies never creep, but start to walk instead.

"Ten months, start to stand, holding some object. At eleven months, stand entirely alone and at from twelve to fourteen months start to walk.

"One year, say 'mamma' and 'papa.'

"Two years, talk quite plainly, know names of animals, persons and objects and put two words together."

TERRIER'S LONG VIGIL.

Guarded Basket For Twenty-four Hours Before Yielding.

St. Louis. — Ignoring all blandishments, a Skye terrier guarded an empty basket for twenty-four hours at Taylor and Adams streets, Kirkwood, until finally a boy made friends with the dog and coaxed it to his home, to which he also took the basket.

Persons living in the neighborhood first observed the dog at its vigil the previous afternoon. It refused to let anybody touch the basket and could not be lured away by tempting offers of food.

Mrs. J. J. Wilkins carried food and water to the dog and gave it a sack to lie upon. King Ambler, fourteen-year-old son of Arthur Ambler, made overtures to the terrier for a long time before he won its confidence sufficiently for it to permit him to take the basket.

Who owns the dog and the basket could not be ascertained, and young Ambler said he hoped the owner would not turn up.

TEACHERS ALL GET MARRIED

Superintendent of Battle Creek (Mich.) Schools Is Growing Desperate.

Battle Creek, Mich.—William G. Coburn, superintendent of schools, complains of the inroads that Cupid makes on his corps of teachers. An amazing proportion of them leave each year to marry. This year nineteen teachers are wearing diamond solitaires.

Professor Coburn has made many visits to normal schools to fill vacancies, and he says that next year he will have to do it all over again.

Last year he warned the county clerk against issuing marriage licenses to schoolteachers under contract. He declared that "a woman who will break her contract with the school board would not hesitate very long about breaking a marriage contract." The county clerk couldn't see his way clear to turn down an applicant for a license.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Cook. }

IN DISTRICT COURT, Eleventh Judicial District.

Conglomerate Land Company, A Corporation,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Gulbrand Gislisen, Carl Hvall, Francis D. West, F. Baker, John C. Campbell, W. A. Curry, Patrick H. Fitzgerald, John Keresey, Wayland W. Sanford, Paul Johnson, Andrew Swordling, Assignee for benefit of creditors of Charles W. Wilson, and John F. Fredin, William D. Washburn, Jr., Norman H. Murray, August N. Ekman, Merchants Hotel Company, a corporation, William Meinhardt, North American Iron Company, a New Jersey corporation, F. D. McMillen, C. P. Packer, William Haythorn, George F. Ash, Ephraim G. Ash, William H. Clough, Stone-Ordean-Wells Company, a corporation, George S. Darling, Henry I. Wombacher, Margaret Sullivan, Charles P. Maginnis, Gertrude M. Scott, Martha A. Mallett, William P. Spalding, Margaret Rice, Daniel G. Cash, Catherine Dorsey, Michael Pastoret, John T. Pastoret, Peter J. Pastoret, Christine Crowe, Wm. P Spalding, John MacLeod, Helen Z. Paulison, John Q. A. Crosby, John McGuire, Stephen Thomas, Eugene F. Lane, Curtis T. Benedict, Charles C. Jones, Ozora P. Stearns, Susan M. Esden, Victor P. Stearns, Stella B. Stearns, Victor Stearns, as Executor of the Estate of Ozora P. Stearns, deceased, Sarah B. Stearns, Mary F. Pope, William F. Pope, Lucy Pope Taylor, Curtis E. Benedict, Curtis I. Benedict, Orlen P. Whitcomb, Gust Peterson, William Forsythe, Daniel Narey, Samuel B. Swank, Adolph S. Carlson, Herman Eberts, John A. Dewey, Fred D. Ash, Edna J. Ash, Louisa J. Ames, Mary A. Ash, Charley W. Wilson, Signe T. Sutton, Julia E. Olson, George E. Wilson, Carl Axel Wilson, Esther A. Wilson, Marcus W. Bates, Wm. C. Sherwood, William J. Wheeler, Henry W. Wilson, State of Minnesota, County of Cook, Edmund M. Pope, F. C. Fuller, A. W. Fuller, B. J. Harmon, Maria L. Dufour, formerly Maria L. Godfrey, Edward Sterling, Chas. C. Jones, and all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint,

Defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota to the Above Named Defendants:—

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Cook and State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their offices in the Lyceum Building, Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Dated April 5th, A. D. 1915.

ARNOLD & ARNOLD,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
605-610 Lyceum Building,
Duluth, St. Louis County,
Minnesota.

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NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS.

YOU WILL PLEASE TO TAKE NOTICE, That an action has been commenced in the District Court of Cook County, Minnesota, by the above named plaintiff against the above named defendants the object of which is as follows, to-wit:—

First: For a partition of the property hereinafter described in accordance with the interests and proportions of the lands owned by the plaintiff and defendants.

Second; For the sale thereof, if it shall be found to the best interests of the owners that a sale shall be made.

Third: That the adverse claims of each and every of the defendants be tried and the rights of each and every of the adverse claimants and the rights of each and every of the parties respectively be determined.

Fourth: That each and every of the defendants be forever enjoined and barred from making any claim against the interests of this plaintiff in said property, or any part or portion thereof.

Fifth: For such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just and equitable, based upon the facts and allegations of the complaint.

The complaint of the plaintiff in said action is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Cook County, Minnesota.

The property described in said complaint and herein referred to is situate in the County of Cook and State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit:—

Southwest quarter of Section Eight, Township Sixty-two North, of Range Four East of the 4th P. M.

North half of the Northeast quarter and Lots One and Two in Section Eleven, Township Sixty-two North, of Range Four East of the 4th P. M.

Northeast quarter of Section Seventeen, Township Sixty-two North, of Range Four East of the 4th P. M.

East half of the Southeast quarter of Section Eighteen, Township Sixty-three North, of Range One East of the 4th P. M.

East half of the Southeast quarter of Section Twenty-one, Township Sixty-three North, of Range One East of the 4th P. M.

Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Twenty-seven, Township Sixty-three North, of Range Four East of the 4th P. M.

Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Twenty-seven, and the East half of the Northeast quarter of Section Twenty-eight, Township Sixty-three North, of Range Four East of the 4th P. M.

Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section Four, Township Sixty-four North of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Lots Five and Six and the North half of the Southeast quarter of Section Three, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Southwest quarter of Section Three, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

East half of the Southeast quarter of Section Four, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Lots Eight and Nine in Section Three, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Three East of the 4th P. M.

Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Section Four, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Three East of the 4th P. M.

West half of the Southwest quarter, Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter and Lots Eight and Nine in Section Thirty-three, Township Sixty-five North, of Range Three East of the 4th P. M.

Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section Thirty-four, Township Sixty-five North, of Range Three East of the 4th P. M.

West half of the Southwest quarter and Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section Thirty-five, Township Sixty-five North, of Range Three East of the 4th P. M.

Lots One, Two, Three and Five in Section Twenty-nine, Township Sixty-three North, of Range One East of the 4th P. M.

Lots Three, Five, Seven and Eight in Section Thirty, Township Sixty-three North, of Range One East of the 4th P. M.

Lot One in Section Four, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M

Dated April 5th. A. D. 1915.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Cook. }

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Plaintiffs

vs.

Charles E. Baker, Ella Mayhew Townsend, Edith Mayhew Strom, George H. Mayhew, Carrie E. Carhart, Clark H. Carhart, Charles Hebard, Mary E. Hebard, Daniel L. Hebard, Julia H Marsden, Charles S. Hebard. Charles Boyden. Healey C. Akeley, John M. Millar, George F Sinclair, Thomas G. Morris, North American Iron Company, a New Jersey corporation, Nicholas Probeck, North Shore Mining Co., a corporation, Ancient Diggins Co., a corporation, Olai J. Sellum, John Paulson, Samuel B. Barker, Aura W. Barker. Union National Bank of Chicago, a Banking corporation, Fort Dearborn National Bank, a Banking corporation, Edward Pace, Samuel Kerr, R. J. Kerr, H. M. Ralston, Mary E. Hallock. C. P. Packer, William Haythorn, Hugh J. McClearn, Charles J. Johnson, Guiterman Brothers, a corporation, White Line Transportation Company, a corporation, M. D. Wells Company, a corporation. The Continent Shoe Company, a corporation, The Continental Shoe Company, a corporation, Wyman-Partridge Company, a corporation, Kelley-How-Thompson Company, a corporation, A. L. Ordean, Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a corporation, F. Mayer Boot and Shoe Company, a corporation, Scott-Graff Lumber Company, a corporation, Blake and Waite Company, a corporation, McGill-Warner Company, a corporation, George W. Martin and Thomas H. Martin, J. D. Barrett and C. Zimmerman, H. B. Knudsen, Benjamin Taylor as Executor of the Estate of Edmund M. Pope, deceased, Jay H. Hoag, as Trustee of the Estate of Charles J. Johnson, Bankrupt, Gowan-Peyton-Twohy Company, a corporation, C. S. Prosser and Company, a corporation, E. J. Bunker and J. H. Constantine, Mary E. Orth Benhan, F. C. Fuller, A. W. Fuller, John Flynn, Charles H. Boyden, L. A. Nevitt, Kristian Kortgaard, Lucy A. Nevitt, Olney J. Nevitt, Fred A. Brown, East Vermillion Land and Iron Company, a Maine corporation, East Vermillion Iron and Land Company, a Maine corporation, East Vermillion Land Company, a Minnesota corporation, Henry P. Merriman, Grace Robertson Merriman, Mary A. Merriman, Faith Merriman, S. L. Bayless, Samuel B. Bayless, Byron G. Segog, Sole Heir and Devisee of the Estate of Byron G. Segog, deceased, Grand Marais and Northwestern Railway Company, a corporation, Stone-Ordean-Wells Company, a corporation, Grace Robertson Merriman and Charles A. Edwards as Executors and Testamentary Trustees under the will of Henry P. Merriman, deceased, State of Minnesota, County of Cook, and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint,

Defendants.

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The State of Minnesota to the Above Named Defendants:—

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The property described in said complaint and herein referred to is situate in the County of Cook and State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit:—

Lots Ten and Eleven in Section Five, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P M.

Lots Ten, Eleven and Twelve in Section Six, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Lots Seven and Nine in Section Six, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section Fifteen, Township Sixty-one North, of Range One East of the 4th P. M.

Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section Nine; and Fractional North half of Section Ten, Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter, Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section Six and Lot Five in Section Five. Township Sixty-four North, of Range Two East of the 4th P. M.

Lot One in Section Twenty-one and Lot Four in Section Twenty-two, Township Sixty-one North, of Range One East of the 4th P. M.

Dated April 1st, A. D. 1915.

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35 x 4in.	16.80	4.60
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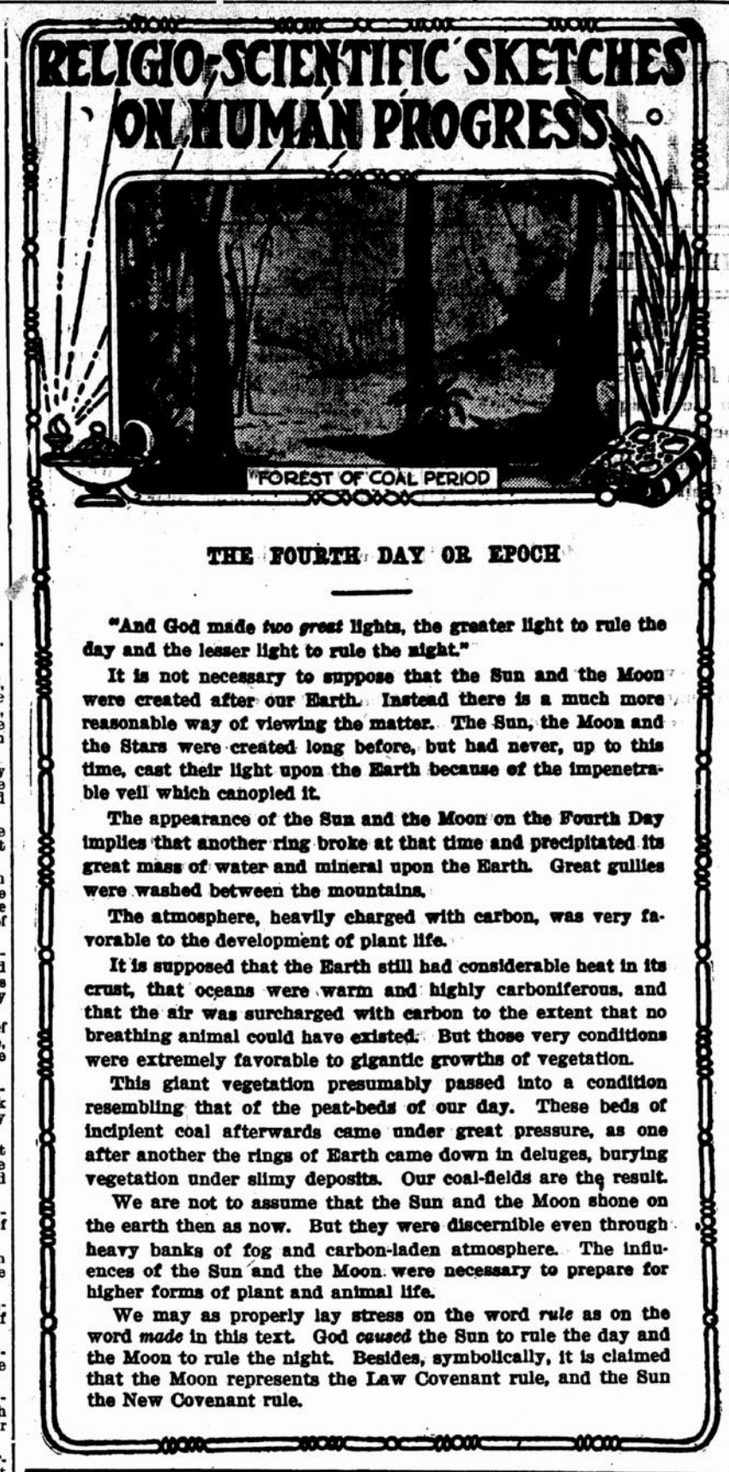

THE FOURTH DAY OR EPOCH

"And God made *two great* lights, the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night."

It is not necessary to suppose that the Sun and the Moon were created after our Earth. Instead there is a much more reasonable way of viewing the matter. The Sun, the Moon and the Stars were created long before, but had never, up to this time, cast their light upon the Earth because of the impenetrable veil which canopied it.

The appearance of the Sun and the Moon on the Fourth Day implies that another ring broke at that time and precipitated its great mass of water and mineral upon the Earth. Great gullies were washed between the mountains.

The atmosphere, heavily charged with carbon, was very favorable to the development of plant life.

It is supposed that the Earth still had considerable heat in its crust, that oceans were warm and highly carboniferous, and that the air was surcharged with carbon to the extent that no breathing animal could have existed. But those very conditions were extremely favorable to gigantic growths of vegetation.

This giant vegetation presumably passed into a condition resembling that of the peat-beds of our day. These beds of incipient coal afterwards came under great pressure, as one after another the rings of Earth came down in deluges, burying vegetation under slimy deposits. Our coal-fields are the result.

We are not to assume that the Sun and the Moon shone on the earth then as now. But they were discernible even through heavy banks of fog and carbon-laden atmosphere. The influences of the Sun and the Moon were necessary to prepare for higher forms of plant and animal life.

We may as properly lay stress on the word *rule* as on the word *made* in this text. God *caused* the Sun to rule the day and the Moon to rule the night. Besides, symbolically, it is claimed that the Moon represents the Law Covenant rule, and the Sun the New Covenant rule.

No. 5.

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Extra Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners

Grand Marais, Minn., May 8, 1915.

The Board of County Commissioners of Cook County, Minnesota, met this 8th day of May 1915 at 10:15 A. M., pursuant to call.

Present—Commissioners Allen, Bally, Ellquist and Chairman Engelsen.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and upon motion duly made and carried approved.

The bonds of the First National Bank of Biwabik as a depository of County funds, one in the sum of $10,000 with the National Surety Company as surety, one in the sum of $5,000 with the National Surety Company as surety, and one in the sum of $5,000 with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Maryland as surety, were upon motion duly made and carried approved.

The communication of C. A. Anderson of Lutsen, relative to financial aid was upon motion laid on the table.

The communication of C. F. Robertson, et. al., relative to roads on the Reservation, known as petition No. 1 and petition No. 2, were upon motion laid on the table.

The petition of Mons Hanson, et. al., asking that the boundary between the Town of Hovland and the Town of Colvill be changed so as to add a small area of Town of Colvill to the Town of Hovland, was read and it was moved and carried that said petition be set for hearing on June 5th, 1915, at 3 P. M. or as soon thereafter as said petition can be heard. And the Auditor was instructed to post and serve the necessary notices,

The petition of Elmer Harlson, et. al., asking for a change in the boundary between Independant School District No. 2 and School District No. 5, so as to add a small area of School District No. 5 to said Independent School District No. 2 was read, and it was moved and carried that the time set to hear said petition be fixed for June 5th, 1915, at 3 o'clock P. M. or as soon thereafter as said petition can be heard. And the Auditor was instructed to post and serve the necessary notices.

The following resolution was presented:

Be it resolved that H. H. Phelps be employed to assist the County Attorney in all cecessary proceedings for enforcement of the claim of Cook County against Fred Jackson and the sureties upon his official bonds as county treasurer; and that the First National Bank of Duluth, the Cook County State Bank of Grand Marais and the First National Bank of Biwabik are hereby respectfully requested to furnish the said attorneys itemized statements of the respective accounts with this county during said Fred Jackson's several terms as county treasurer.

It was moved by Commissioner Bally and seconded by Commissioner Ellquist that the foregoing resolution be adopted, ayes all.

The communication of the Burgess Electric Company relative to the allowance of a claim made by this Board was read, and upon motion duly made and carried the Board reconsidered its former action and allowed the claim of said Burgess Electric Compay at $210.00.

The following bills were upon motion duly made and carried audited and allowed:

Engberg Electrical & Machanical Works, two piston rings for generator	$ 3.23
St. Germain Bros. one light plate glass	7.40
Matt Johnson, publishing and supplies	30.15
A. V. Johnson, recording	11.50
Fred Winger, one Harris typewriter for county treasurer's office	45.00
Ed Nunstedt, repairs in treasurer's office	4.00
Peter Lenell, plank for Reservation River bridge	12.96
Sam Zimmerman, Jr., freight and dockage paid $5.34, drayage $2.25	7.59

Upon motion Board adjourned until 1:30 P. M.

Board reconvened at 1:30 P. M., all members present.

Upon motion duly made and carried Commissioner Bally was appointed as representative of the Board to act with County Attorney Murphy, they to go over with Attorney John B. Arnold the assessed value of the lands of companies and individuals represented by said Attorney John B. Arnold, in an effort to arrive at a satisfactory understanding between the County Board and said John B. Arnold as to what is a just and equetable value for to list the said lands at for assessment purposes.

The following resolution was presented:

Be it resolved by the County Board of Cook County that Axel E. Berglund be, and he hereby is appointed as supervisor of assessments for said county at a salary of $100 per month; provided that during his employment as such supervisor of assessments he shall report to the county auditor all fees earned by him as county surveyor, and that the amount of fees so earned by him shall be deducted from the amount fixed as above, as his salary as such supervisor.

It was moved by Commissioner Jacobson and seconded by Commissioner Bally that the foregoing resolution be adopted, and said resolution was declared adopted. Ayes all.

The communication from Paul Jacobson et. al., asking for a change in the route to be followed by the State Road between Andrew Westerlund and the church, in the town of Hovland, was read, and upon motion duly made and carried said petition was referred to Commissioner Jacobson and Engineer Hughes to look into the merits of same and report their findings to this Board.

The communication from the Minnesota State Highway Commission was read, and it was moved and carried that the County Auditor be instructed to notify the Commission that the County Board of this county elects to work under the 80 per cent basis on the State Road the coming season.

Mr. Gleason, of the Pluto Powder Company appeared before the Board and quoted the following prices on dynamite delivered on the shore at any places designated by this Board or representatives thereof: 25 per cent $9.25, 30 per cent $9.75, 40 per cent, $10.75, 50 per cent $11.75, 60 per cent $12.75.

It was moved and carried that the county purchase from the said Pluto Powder Company ten ton of dynamite at the prices quoted above, and that the amount of the different grades to be ordered be left to the District Engineer.

Mr Rogers, of the Duluth Corrugating and Roofing Company, appeared before the Board and quoted the following prices on corrugated culverts: 12in. 45½ cents per foot, 15in. 55 cents per foot, 18 in. 64 cents per foot, 20 in. 83 cents per foot, 24 in. 95 cents per foot, 30 in. $1.22 per foot, 36 in. $1.89 per foot, 42 in. $2.40 per foot, 48 in. $2.55 per foot. It was moved and carried that the county buy all the culverts that are to be used on the State Road the coming season from said Duluth Corrugating and Roofing Company at the prices quoted by their representative.

Upon motion duly made and carried all applications for reduction of assessments or abatement of taxes were laid on the table.

Upon motion duly made and carried Board adjourned sine die.

T. I. CARTER, Clerk.