WHEN HE MISSED HIS MOTHER

Bishop of Lincoln Regretted Inability to Make Frank Criticism of Poor Sermon.

Cannon Scott Holland in an appreciation of the late bishop of Lincoln, mentions that Doctor King was a bachelor, and his mother lived with him till her death. He said once, after hearing a rasping sermon that irritated him: "It is at such a time that I miss my mother." He was asked why.

"Because directly we were through the door I should have turned to her and said: 'That was a beastly sermon,' and then it would have been out, and I should have been sorry to have said it and should have begun to apologize for the sermon and to love the preacher. Now the poison is in me all the week and I can't get rid of it."

Doctor King had a delicate and subtle wit. Once, said the canon, we had all been rather swept off our feet by the vivacity of certain Bampton lectures which were laid out on rather well worn conventional lines.

The material was old, no doubt, but still it was surprising how well they went. How was it? What would King say of them? "Well, it is wonderful," he said, "how good an old pair of trousers will come out if you have had them away for some time in a drawer."

He had hit it exactly. The trousers were green, for all their apparent sheen.

"A BROOM FOR THE STOMACH"

So the French Call Parsley—Pumpkin and Apple Both Rich in Phosphorus.

The French have a saying that "parsley is a broom to sweep the stomach." Lettuce is a nerve food. Radishes build tissue and are rich in phosphorus, also in iron.

Horseradish contains a higher percentage of sulphur than all the other vegetable roots, spinach ranking next in value. Spinach also contains a large percentage of iron.

A mayonnaise dressing with lettuce is especially desirable for thin people, but for the over plump French dressing is to be recommended. The action of vinegar on the digestive organs, however, is not to be considered. The acid of lemon juice is preferable.

While apples are a most excellent fruit for brain building, which phosphorus aids in, the humble pumpkin, desecrated to the uses of pie and jack o' lanterns, holds the prize. Pumpkin rates 2.79 in phosphorus, while apple is but .45.

When in search of this special element take up a pumpkin diet. But as winter squash would stand the same analysis, it can be used as a vegetable in many varieties and thus the needed phosphorus supplied. Cucumbers rank next in phosphorus value to pumpkins, being 2.08.—Vegetarian Magazine.

And the Money Came Back.

When a Darby man sent a vest to be cleaned he forgot that in the inside pocket was a roll of notes amounting to $165. He made up his mind that the money was lost in some other way and marked it down as something of the past. When the vest came home the money was discovered.

Perhaps the owner has not yet decided whether the money was overlooked by the cleaner, whether it was returned by an honest man, or whether the cleaning of the vest was merely imaginary. That he got the money back is enough to know, yet it would be only fair to the cleaner to give credit for not being curious to the extent of examining the pockets of garments sent to his shop, or else to hold that he is really an honest man, too modest to parade himself.—Wilmington (Del.) News.

Child's Fiendish Temper.

"Death from exhaustion due to burns caused by being pushed into the fire by her younger brother," was the verdict at a Crewe (Eng.) inquest on the body of five-year-old Violet Capper. The mother left a number of little children playing in the yard, with instructions not to go into the house. Scarcely had she turned her back when Frank, aged two, got into the house, and Violet, who followed to bring him out, was pushed into the fire by him. The mother said Frank had a very nasty temper, and since the occurrence had attempted to push one of the other children into the fire. The coroner said it seemed almost incredible. The child was too young to be criminally charged.

Quarrels of Friends.

I think I have observed universally that the quarrels of friends in the latter part of life are never truly reconciled. A wound in the friendship of young persons, as in the bark of young trees, may be so grown over as to leave no scar. The case is very different as regards to old persons and old timber. The reason of this may be accounted from the decline of the social passions, and the prevalence of spleen, suspicion, and rancor, towards the latter part of life.

Didn't Appeal to Him.

"How did you enjoy the pony show?"

"Oh," replied the sophisticated little boy, "I didn't care for it. There was too much horse play."

Will Not Be a Success.

Patience—My brother has written a society play.

Patrice—What on earth does he know about dresses?

Mountain of Alum.

One of the recently discovered natural curiosities of China is an "alum mountain" 1,900 feet in height and about ten miles in circumference at the base. The Chinese quarry the alum, or masses containing alum, in large blocks, which are heated in ovens made for the purpose, and afterward dissolved in boiling water.

The alum then crystalizes in layers about half a foot in thickness and is cut up into ten pound pieces. Its principal use is in the purification of water.

"WIDE AWAKE" SHOEMAKERS.

J. J. Brumer and A. G. Gunderson, two young men, the former coming from Michigan and the latter from the southern part of the state, will on next Monday open a shoe shop in the Turnquist building at the corner of Maple street and Mesaba avenue. The place will be known as the "Wide Awake." These young men have had a number of years' experience in the manufacture of shoes and in fact were "born" at the business. They come highly recommended to Virginia and as there is a good field here for this kind of work the boys will undoubtedly make good. Mrs. Brumer accompanied her husband here and the family will make this their future home. D. Hurlburt will act as solicitor for the firm.

GRANDE SECURES CONTRACT.

Contractor Andrew Grande of this city has secured the contract for the erection of an addition and improvements to the New England hotel in this city, which is owned by the Duluth Brewing & Malting company. The present building is a three-story structure 50x90 feet and the new addition will be built to extend to the alley and another story added, making the building 50x120 feet, four stories. The interior and exterior will be remodeled to a considerable degree, as it is the intention of the owners of this property to make of it a first-class and modern hotel.

REBEKAHS ELECT OFFICERS.

At the convention of the Rebekah lodges of this district held at Tower last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. O. C. Welch, Gilbert.

Vice President—Mrs. Gunder Peterson, Tower.

Secretary—Mrs. John Meehan, Virginia.

The visitors at Tower were highly entertained by their sisters of that place and all enjoyed their trip immensely. Those who attended the convention from Virginia were Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, Mrs. W. J. Lenertz and Mrs. John Meehan.

SELLS ROOFING BUSINESS TO A. H. KREIGER CO.

L. R. Helbing, proprietor of the Virginia Roofing and Cornice Works, on Wednesday concluded a deal for the sale of the business and local holdings of the company to the A. H. Kreiger Co., of Duluth, who take immediate possession.

Since coming to the city Mr. Helbing has worked up a fine business, but during the recent visit to the Canadian Northwest became enamored of the King's territory and will cast his fortune at Saskatoon, for which point he leaves the coming week. Many Virginia friends will wish him success in his new home.

Died of Pneumonia

Mr. and Mrs. John Meylen, who came to this country from Austria with their family about three weeks ago, settling at Mt. Iron, mourn the death of their little son, John Jr., who died yesterday of pneumonia, after a brief illness. Funeral services are being held this afternoon from the Catholic church at Mt. Iron, the Rev. Father Singer of this city officiating. Interment will be made in Calvary cemetery.

About Temperatures.

The open season for north poles suggests temperature. Platinum wire electric resistance thermometers are now used in physical research. With these temperatures as high as 1,100 degrees centigrade and as low as minus 200 centigrade are practical. Such a thermometer is electric in the fullest sense of complication and delicacy, and few "scientists" could handle it. Absolute zero —273 degrees centigrade, temperature of space. Lowest temperature yet reached, —263 degrees centigrade; boiling point of liquid air, —182 degrees centigrade; boiling point of liquid carbolic acid, —78 degrees centigrade

Babylon's Loan Sharks.

There were no old maids in Babylon. Every girl was supplied with a man. If she did not get one herself the state provided one for her. Women had large privileges, too, in those days. It is on record that they could hold property independently of their husbands and could exercise the rights of citizenship without let or hindrance. Provisions were cheap; chickens could be bought for about 2½ cents each, and a whole sheep did not cost more than from $1.25 to $1.50. Egiby & Sons lent money at 30 per cent.—Shopper's.

In the Hotel Kitchen.

"One hears a lot about the fine view from the roof of the Hotel Astor," said the head chef of the hotel the other day. "Well, customers are not satisfied with scenery, I can tell you, and the men in the kitchen do not know anything about the sight of the Hudson river or the lights of Broadway. There are 110 cooks under me. We prepare every day 100 ducklings, 200 chickens, 300 squabs and 600 lobsters. The lobster never loses its popularity in New York, winter or summer. We have 500 different varieties of cold dishes to serve on different days from the cold buffet. This makes the kitchens very busy places."

Concrete Water Tanks.

Concrete hot-water or steaming tanks cost more than such tanks made of wood, but their durability, freedom from leakage, and non-conductive properties are claimed to make such tanks a good investment.

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COUNCIL CHAMEBR.
Virginia, Minn., June 25th, 1912.

Regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Virginia, Minnesota.

Council called to order by the president.

Roll call.

Present: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Absent: None.

Reading of Minutes of previous meeting.

Moved and supported that the minutes be approved as read.

Carried.

Peter Peterson, 306 Chestnut street, Duncan Robertson, 112 Chestnut street, Ed. Finch, 235 Chestnut street, and Zanon Sikorski, 118 Chestnut street, applied for renewal of liquor licenses at these locations, and each submitted surety bonds in the sum of $2,000.00.

Moved and supported that the application be granted, the bonds accepted and ordered filed after being approved by the mayor and city attorney and that separate resolutions be drawn and presented covering the issuance of these licenses.

Carried.

The milk inspector submitted applications from Santa Keskelo and Mrs. John Impola to sell milk and cream according to Ordinance No. 90.

Moved and supported the applications be accepted, the city clerk instructed to notify the health officer to issue the milk certificates to these parties and that the fees be turned over to the city treasurer.

Carried.

The First National Bank and the American Exchange Bank submitted surety bonds in the sum of $10,000 each, these bonds being for the purpose of indemnifying the city for depositories of local funds for the term of two years commencing May 1st, 1912.

Moved and supported the bonds be accepted and ordered filed after being approved by the mayor and city attorney.

Carried.

The agent of the Great Northern Railway company in this city in a communication to the council stated that the opening of the storm sewer into Virginia lake at the foot of Birch street will be completed in a short time and a crew of men from Superior are expected here in a short time to do the work.

Moved and supported that the city clerk be instructed to notify the Great Northern Railway company that unless this work is done within ten days that the sewer will be opened into the lake by the city and charged to the company.

Carried.

The Great Northern Railway company also responded to a request to have toilets placed in the depot in this city and stated that the work had been approved by the head office and that the work would be commenced at once.

Moved and supported that the communication be accepted, filed and contents thereof referred to the health committee that this committee may keep close watch that the work is done at once.

Carried.

W. B. Shaver applied for permit for construction of building on lots 25 and 26 block 21, also for use of necessary portion of street and alley and named H. S. Gillespie and J. A. Kennedy as sureties.

Moved and supported the permit be granted subject to the filing with the clerk of a bondsman to take the place of H. S. Gillespie, who is not elligible to sign the bond running to the city of Virginia, and that when this is done the same be filed after being approved by the mayor and city attorney.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the health officer be instructed to communicate with the state board of health and call the attention to this board of the unsanitary condition of the Duluth & Iron Range depot near this city and quote to the board that portion of a communication submitted to the council by the Progressive league.

Carried.

The Fairview Realty company in a communication stated that street grading in Fairview Addition to Virginia had been completed and desired to have the cash deposit returned to the company if the work had been done satisfactorily.

Moved and supported that the mayor notify the members of the council at which time he desired to have the council as a whole to again view the premises and see if the work had been done according to the council's intentions.

Carried.

Otto Larson applied for position of curb inspector for the season of 1912.

Moved and supported the application be accepted and ordered filed.

Carried.

The city attorney in a communication stated that the donation for Fourth of July on the part of the city could be made through the park board and that this board could legally donate an appropriate amount.

The communication was accepted and ordered filed.

The city attorney in a communication relative to a petition to the council for the establishing of an eight-hour day stated that there is a national and state law establishing an eight-hour day for government employes, such as laborers, artisans and mechanics and the council had perfect right to follow these laws if it so desired.

The communication was accepted and ordered filed.

Moved and supported that the city clerk be authorized to issue a warrant on the city treasurer in payment to the First National Bank the sum of $226.05, the same being payment of interest on Warrant No. 2 of Sewer District No. 3-K, and due June 14th, 1912.

Carried.

The application of L. R. Simons to be appointed as inspector on street improvements for the year 1912 was read, accepted and ordered filed.

The application of M. H. Boyle to be appointed as inspector of 1912 street improvements was read, accepted and ordered filed.

The secretary of the park board in a communication desired to be authorized by the council to have band concerts conducted at the Olcott park occasionally during the summer and to be empowered to hire the several bands on different occasions to give these concerts.

Moved and supported that the clerk respond to the communication and state that the council concorded in the wishes of the park board in the matter of band concerts at Olcott park and endorsed the plans and leaving it to the board to use its judgment as to number of concerts to be given.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the president appoint four members of the council to act as the board of equalization together with the president, according to the city charter.

Carried.

The president appointed Aldermen Coffey, Keller, Heritage and Ketola as the other members of this board.

The clerk of the municipal court reported fines and costs collected in that court for the week ending June 22, 1912, the total of all amounting to $42.50 for the week.

The report was read, accepted and ordered filed.

The mayor in a communication submitted to the council a revision to the personnel of the city council of the various council committees and these appointments were as follows:

Finance Committee—A. D. Heritage, Geo. Harvey, R. J. McGhee.

City Property and Buildings—F. J. Moilan, Adolph Keller, Dan Coffey.

Streets—C. Lundstrom, Adolph Keller, Dan Coffey.

Light and Water—R. J. McGhee, Dan Coffey, F. J. Moilan.

Ways and Means—A. D. Heritage, Wm. Ketola, C. Lundstrom.

Ordinance—Dan Coffey, Wm. Ketola, Adolph Keller.

License—F. J. Moilan, R. J. McGhee, Adolph Keller.

Election—M. Boylan, Geo. Harvey, A. D. Heritage.

Printing—Adolph Keller, M. Boylan, Wm Ketola.

Railroad—Wm. Ketola, A. D. Heritage, C. Lundstrom.

Rules and Regulations—F. J. Moilan, Geo. Harvey, C. Lundstrom.

Health Board—Geo. Harvey, Dan Coffey, Wm. Ketola.

Moved and supported that the revision of the council committees as appointed by the mayor be accepted, confirmed and the communication ordered filed.

Carried.

M. A. Murphy, mayor, in a communication submitted to the council for approval appointments to the various boards as follows:

Park Board—D. E. Shea, reappointed.

Library Board—R. C. Pickering and Mrs. O. P. Johnson, both reappointed; Mrs. Adelbert Trotter, succeeding Mrs. W. E. Hannaford; F. J. Hughes to fill the unexpired term of C. C. Butler, resigned.

Moved and supported the appointments by the mayor as to membership of the various boards be confirmed and the communication accepted and ordered filed.

Carried.

Property owners on Ash street petitioned the council to extend water mains along that street from Mesaba avenue westerly to the west end of this street, and that the work be done this present season. The petition was referred to the light and water committee.

J. J. Curry applied for permit to move a two-story frame building from lots 14 and 15, block 20, to lots 4 and 5, block 77, Second addition to Virginia, the petition submitted naming Thor Risberg and Chas. Gronberg as sureties.

Moved and supported the permit be granted, the bond accepted and ordered filed after being approved by the mayor and city attorney and that Mr. Curry be notified to follow the regulations contained in the ordinance relative to removal of buildings and to make arrangements to have the building moved before July 4, 1912, so that the avenue will not be obstructed.

Carried.

Matt Santa applied for permit for the use of necessary portion of streets and avenues while removing a two-story frame building from lot 25, block 41, to lots 26 and 27, block 52, naming as bondsmen Jno. Kauppinen and Hugh Hartford.

Moved and supported that the permit be granted, the bond accepted and ordered filed after being approved by the mayor and cty attorney.

Carried.

The meat inspector reporting for the week ending June 25, 1912, stated that as to meat markets he had condemned 21 pounds of fish owned by Booth Fish company, otherwise the hotels, bakeries and groceries were in good condition.

The report was accepted and ordered filed.

Property owners in block 3 of North Side addition and block 10, of Rooney's addition petitioned the council for construction of sanitary sewer from the east end of the alley of block 3, North Side addition, north to the east end of alley in block 10, Rooney's addition and extending west from that point through block 10, to make connections with the proposed school house building in block 11 of Rooney's addition, and the petition was referred to the committee on streets.

Moved and supported that the city engineer be instructed to draw plans and specifications for sanitary sewer according to the petition submitted at this meeting in the North Side and Rooney's additions to Virginia and present the same at the next regular meeting.

Carried.

Property owners along Mesaba avenue from Oak street on the north to Locust street on the south, petitioned the council for construction of "White Way" similar to the one now on Chestnut street and that the cost of installation of this "White Way" be added in the tax budget for the year 1913. The petition was referred to the committee on light and water.

The license committee reported that it would recommend a denial of the permit to Mrs. Jennie Esty for lunch stand on Chestnut street, and recommended that a certified copy of all the plats of additions on Virginia be secured at once, and that the same should show all the vacations and anything pertaining to the plats of the city.

Moved and supported the report of the committee be accepted.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city engineer be instructed to prepare maps of the additions within the boundaries of the city of Virginia, and that when the same was completed that he have the register of deeds certify to the correctness of the plats and that the city attorney be instructed to draw a resolution according to these recommendations.

Carried.

The committee on city property and buildings reported that the committee would recommend that dirt be secured from the Commodore mine for filling purposes for the proposed market site and that the Great Northern Railway company be requested to submit figures on haulage of this dirt to the proposed site.

Moved and supported that the city clerk be instructed to ask for price which the Commodore Iron Mining company would charge the city per yard for dirt or overburden at the mine and also the Great Northern Railway company what the company would charge the city for hauling this overburden from the Commodore mine to the proposed market site.

Carried.

The light and water committee desired one more week to formulate the proposed copy for pamphlet to be made from the Burns &McDonnell appraisement on light and water plant.

The light and water committee reported that in the judgment of the committee the petitioners for the extension of water mains through Anderson's 3d addition to Virginia should first satisfy the council that the revnue to be derived for such extension by the light and water company should meet the requirements of the light and water company's franchise so that there will be no additional burden to the property owners in other portions of the city to meet this expense.

The committee also desired to have the council as a whole express its opinion as to the proposed installation of "White Way" on Central avenue relative to the length of the system and the style of standards to be installed, whether it be a five or three arm standard.

Moved and supported that the standards and system entire as adopted on Chestnut street "White Way" be followed on the proposed system on Central avenue, that the system on Central avenue be constructed from Willow street to Cedar street, also that there be placed three standards on each block on each side of the avenue and that the city engineer be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the installation of this system and present the same at the next regular meeting.

Carried.

The committee on streets reported that the Mesaba Telephone company has been granted the request of the company for placing of poles on the streets and avenues according to the plat submitted by the company with the exception of Mesaba avenue.

Moved and supported that the matter of technicality in resolution of vacation of Second street, North Side addition, be referred to the city attorney for investigation and report.

Carried.

Alderman Harvey stated that he had investigated the expense of burning garbage at the incinerator plant and that after careful consideration came to the conclusion that the plant was costing about 100 per cent more than the company guaranteed to the city the burning of this garbage would cost and that something should be done to secure a more economical administraion of the plant.

Moved and supported that the city attorney notify the Decarie Incinerator company to at once delegate Mr. Stacy of this company to visit this city and take up with the health board the matter of the running of the plant.

Carried.

Alderman Moilan requested the reading of an ordinance for the protection of slaughtered fresh meats, fish, fowl or game used for human food in the city of Virginia.

The clerk read the ordinance.

Alderman Heritage requested the reading of an ordinance licensing hawking, peddling and canvassing within the limits of the city of Virginia and the clerk gave this ordinance a reading.

Moved and supported that the city attorney be instructed to notify Matt Santa of breakage by him of several squares of cement sidewalk in front of lots 6 and 7 block 32, during the recent removal of a two-story frame building from lot 6, block 32, to lots 16 and 17, block 101, Second addition and to take the necessary steps to have these damages repaired according to the terms of the bond now on file in the office of the city clerk.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city clerk notify the police and fire commission that boys are congregating before and after the curfew hour in the play grounds of the Primary building and do considerable damage to property in that vicinity and to try and have the nuisance abated.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city attorney notify Nels Anderson to remove the frame barn building now standing on the west end of Ash street and that the building must be removed within ten days from date of notification or the city will have the same removed and charge the expense for same to property owned by him.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city attorney be instructed to draw and present a resolution granting the sum of $340.00 for Fourth of July celebration purposes for the year 1912, and payable to the Fourth of July committee of this celebration and that the same be paid out of monies of the general fund.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the motion previously made, supported and carried at this meeting that the park board be requested to donate for Fourth of July celebration, be rescinded.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the matter of caring for the child which is said to have been injured by alleged defect in sidewalk on Spruce street be referred to the health board and mayor.

Carried

Moved and supported that the ladies of the Methodist and Catholic churches be granted permission to maintain refreshment stands on the vacant property at the northwest corner of Chestnut street and Central avenue and to conduct tag day during July 4th, next.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city attorney be instructed to draw and present to the council a resolution setting aside the sum of $200.00 and payable to M. A. Murphy, mayor, for the purpose of securing convictions for exceeding the speed limits as designated by the state laws on thoroughfares in the city of Virginia.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city clerk be instructed to notify the Virginia Electric Power & Water company to remove the two poles on Willow street just east of the steel bridge and also place the hydrant at the corner of Spruce street and Central avenue in its proper location.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the payroll of the city employees for the month of June, 1912, be allowed and ordered paid and that C. F. Berglund, the assistant poundmaster and dog catcher, be allowed the full month of June for his services.

Carried.

Moved and supported that the city clerk by authorized to issue warrants in payment of accounts for street laborers and team work for the month of June, 1912, after the same has been properly signed by the city timekeeper, street commissioner and finance committee and that the same be presented for passage by the council at the next regular meeting.

Carried.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 533.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912.

Resolution authorizing granting a liquor license to Duncan Robertson at No. 112 Chestnut street.

By Alderman Heritage:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that the application of Duncan Robertson to sell intoxicating liquors in the front room on the ground floor of the two-story brick building situate No. 112 Chestnut street, in said city, be and is hereby granted, and that the surtey bond in the sum of $2,000.00, be and is hereby accepted and ordered filed after the approval of the mayor.

License to be for one year from July 2, 1912.

Moved by Alderman Moilan, supported by Alderman Ketola, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 534.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912.

Resolution authorizing granting a liquor license to Zanon Sikorski at No. 118 Chestnut street.

By Alderman Lundstrom:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that the application of Zanon Sikorski to sell intoxicating liquors in the front room on the ground floor of the one-story brick veneer building situate No. 118 Chestnut street, in said city, be and is hereby granted, and that the in the sum of $2,000.00, be and is be and is hereby accepted and ordered filed after the approval of the mayor.

License to be for one year from July 1, 1912.

Moved by Alderman Moilan, supported by Alderman Heritage, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 535.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912.

Resolution authorizing granting a liquor license to Ed. Finch at No. 235 Chestnut street.

By Alderman Lundstrom:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that the application of Ed. Finch to sell intoxicating liquors in the front room on the ground floor of the two-story brick building situate No. 235 Chestnut street, in said city, be and is hereby granted, and that the surety bond in the sum of $2,000.00, be and is hereby accepted and ordered filed after the approval of the mayor.

License to be for one year from July 1, 1912.

Moved by Alderman Moilan, supported by Alderman McGhee, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 536.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912

Resolution authorizing granting a liquor license to Peter Peterson at No. 306 Chestnut street.

By Alderman McGhee:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that the application of Peter Peterson to sell intoxicating liquors in the front room on the ground floor of the two-story brick building situate No. 306 Chestnut street, in said city, be and is hereby granted, and that the surety bond in the sum of $2,000.00, be and is hereby accepted and ordered filed after the approval of the mayor.

License to be for one year from July 2, 1912.

Moved by Alderman Coffey, supported by Alderman Moilan, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 537.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912

Resolution authorizing board sidewalk in certain places on North Side Addition.

By Alderman Coffey:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that sidewalk be constructed along the north side of Third street between Third and Fourth avenues in the North Side addition to Virginia and that the following material be used and employed in the construction of the same:

Surfaced plank, two inches thick, from six to ten inches in width and six feet in length; six feet from lot line, stringers to be 4x6 inches, and to be three in number one at each edge and one in the center, and the sidewalk to be built under the direction of, and to the grade, as established by the street commissioner or engineer of said city.

Resolved Further, That the owners of the land along which such sidewalk is to be built be given notice of this resolution by the publication of the same once in the official paper of the city, and that all of said owners are hereby notified and required to construct said sidewalk along their respective land, and fully complete the same within two weeks after the publication of this resolution, and further, that in case such owners, or any of them, along the land on which sidewalk it to be built, shall refuse or neglect to construct the same of the material and according to the specifications mentioned in this resolution, then in such case the city council shall proceed to construct and to assess and levy the cost and expense of constructing such sidewalk against each lot and parcel of land upon which such sidewalk shall front, according to law.

Moved by Alderman McGhee, supported by Alderman Moilan, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 538.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912

Resolution authorizing cement sidewalk along the north side of Spruce street between Mesaba and Wyoming avenue.

By Alderman Coffey:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that a cement walk be, and the same is, hereby ordered constructed along the north side of Spruce street, between Mesaba avenue and Wyoming avenue, said walk to be built in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city clerk of Virginia, Minnesota, for the doing of said work, the same to be constructed under the direction and according to instructions of the city engineer of Virginia, Minnesota, and to be approved by him.

Resolved Further, That owners of lots abutting upon the portions of the street above designated be given notice of this resolution by the publication of the same once in the official paper of the city and that all of said owners are hereby notified and required to construct said sidewalk along their respective lots and to fully complete the same within two weeks after the publication of this resolution, and further that in case such owners shall not each, along his respective land, construct and fully complete such sidewalk, within two weeks after publication of this resolution, the city council shall forthwith proceed to construct such walk in accordance with said resolution and ascertain the expense of constructing the same, and assess and levy such expense upon and against each lot and parcel of land upon which such sidewalk shall front or abut, in accordance with the provisions of the charter of Virginia, Minn.

Moved by Alderman McGhee, supported by Alderman Moilan, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

COUNCIL CHAMBER.
Resolution No. 539.
City of Virginia, Minn., June 25, 1912

Resolution combining and consolidating the office of assistant health officer and meat inspector of the city of Virginia.

By Alderman Moilan:

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Virginia, that

Whereas it appears to this council that there is not sufficient work to necessitate an assistant health officer and a meat inspector, and

Whereas it appears to this council that the work formerly done by the assistant health officer and by the meat inspector can be easily performed by one man acting in both capacities,

Be It Resolved that the position of assistant health officer and the position of meat inspector be, and the same is, combined and consolidated, and that one person be employed to act in both capacities, that is, both as assistant health officer and meat inspector.

Be it further resolved, that the salary of the new officer be, and the same hereby is, fixed at Eighty-five Dollars ($85.00) per month

This resolution shall take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Moved by Alderman Moilan, supported by Alderman Ketola, that above resolution be adopted.

Ayes: Aldermen Heritage, Harvey, Lundstrom, Keller, Moilan, Ketola, McGhee, Coffey, Mr. President—9.

Nays: None.

Adopted June 25, 1912.

Approved July 1, 1912.

Moved and supported that the council adjourn until next regular meeting.

Carried.

M. BOYLAN,
President of the City Council.
ALBERT E. BICKFORD.
(Corporate Seal.) City Clerk.

WANTED.—Young lady, seventeen years of age, would like position as clerk in a store. Has had experience in New York City. Address Miss Mary Bloom, Cook, Minn.

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Canada to Have Prominent Place.

Canada will be largely represented in the international hunting exhibition to be held this year in Vienna.

Increase of Crime in London.

The figures of the London police courts show a very decided increase during recent years in serious crime.