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An Ordinance to prevent Minors from Frequenting Saloons and Disreputable places, in the City of Las Vegas was then read before the board for second reading it was after due consideration upon the part of the board and upon motion of Stewart and seconded by Von Tobel and duly carried ✓ order that said ordinance be passed as read, as appears more fully in Ordinance book of said City. the vote being cast as follows to wit:- Coughlin, aye, Stewart aye, McGovern aye, and Von Tobel, aye, and his Honor the Mayor Peter Buol. aye.

At this time the question of abolishing the paid fire department in and for the City of Las Vegas coming on before the Board, it was after due consideration ordered that the following be adopted: Whereas, The City of Las Vegas is paying each member of said fire department ✓ of said City the sum of two dollars ^{for} each and every fire attended, and one dollar for attending one meeting each month, and the further sum of three dollars to each captain attending a fire and the further sum of two dollars to each captain attending the regular monthly meetings, and, Whereas, it appears to this Board that it is to the best interest of the City to abandon said paid system and place said fire Department upon a voluntary basis it is upon motion of Stewart and seconded by McGovern and duly carried, Ordered that the above resolution be passed, with the following exceptions that the Chief be allowed the sum of Five dollars for each fire attended, the vote being cast as follows to wit:- Coughlin, No, Stewart aye, McGovern aye, Von Tobel, No; and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol. aye.

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At this time a ordinance regulating and prohibiting displays in moving pictures shows was read before the Board, after due consideration upon the part of the Board, and the necessity appearing to the Board that an emergency existed it was upon motion of McGovern and seconded ✓ by Stewart ordered that this ordinance be passed as an emergency ordinance, the vote being cast as follows to wit:- Coughlin aye, Stewart aye, McGovern aye, Von Tobel, aye, and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol voting aye, as appears more fully in ordinance book one of said City under ordinance No. 28, of said city. Board adjourned until the next regular meeting in May, 1912.

Attest:
Charles J. Harmon
Clerk

Peter Buol
Mayor

Office of the City Clerk, Las Vegas, Nevada.

May 1st, A.D. 1912.

At a regular meeting of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada held pursuant to adjurement, Present Hon. Peter Buol. Mayor and Commissioners Stewart, Coughlin, McGovern, & Von Tobel, with City Clerk and City Attorney.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved as read.

Reports of Officers and conditions of funds read before the Board and approved as read.

At this time the Las Vegas Land and water Company filed its acceptance to the permit granted by the City Counsel at its meeting of March 26th, 1912. as follows to wit:- To The Hon. Board of Commissioners City of Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada. * Las Vegas Land and Water Company, a corporation, hereby accepts the license and permission to construct and maintain for its private use and benefit a line of poles, wires and appurtenances for the transmission of electricity for light and power and for telephone and telegraph purposes along ✓

bridger street and through the alley of block 21, 22, 23, & 24, in said City of Las Vegas, heretofore granted by a resolution of said Board of Commissioners on the 26th, day of March, A.D. 1912. subject to the terms, condition and provisions contained therein.

In Witness whereof, Las Vegas Land and Water Company, has caused this acceptance to be signed by its President and attested by its Secretary with its corporate seal affixed this 13th day of April, 1912. in accordance with a resolution of its Board of Directors.

Attest:-

C.O. Whitmore, President

W.H. Comstock Secretary.

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It was then upon motion of Von Tobel and seconded by Stewart ordered that said acceptance be placed on file. the vote being cast as follows to wit:- Stewart, aye, Coughlin, aye, McGovern aye; Von Tobel, aye, and his Honor the Mayor Peter Buol. aye.

The following Bill of R.B. Sproul was then read before the Board, to the value of two Burros converted and appropriated by said City and its officials, 30.00 Dollars

To time and trouble to said Sproul occasioned in looking for such burros, \$50.00 total \$80.00 and duly sworn to before W.A. Thomas Notary Public. after due consideration upon the part of the Board it was upon motion by Stewart and seconded by McGovern and duly carried ordered that the Clerk is instructed to draw a warrant in the sum of ten dollars and to tender the said sum of ten dollars to R.B. Sproul, as this was the amount the said City received from the sale of said burros. the vote being cast as follows to wit:- Stewart aye, Coughlin, aye, McGovern aye, Von Tobel, aye, and his Honor the Mayor Peter Buol voting aye.

At this time J.A. Delamater appeared before the Board and spoke on matters relating to the Fire Department of said City followed by John H. Brien, Rev Palmer, and Frank Clark. J.A. Delamater at this time presented to the Board the following resolution as adopted by the Citizens meeting held April 29th, 1912. and asked that the same be read. the Clerk then read the same in full to the Board which appears as follows to wit:- Las Vegas Nevada, April 29th, 1912. To the Hon. City Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada.

Gentlemen: At a citizens mass meeting held this date upon call of J.T. McWilliams the following resolutions were endorsed and requested to be submitted to your Hon. body for your kind consideration. Upon motion it was resolved to ask the City Commissioners in regular session to provide this City with an organization of paid volunteer fire department for the protection of life and property in this City, such organization to be perfected immediately.

It was further moved and seconded by that the proposed fire alarm system be installed at once for the purpose of giving a proper alarm in case of fire in any part of the City.

The following committee was then appointed by the Chairman of the meeting to urge that the above resolutions be properly presented to the Commission, viz: J.T. McWilliams, Chairman, A.N. Pauff, J.A. Delameter, M.C. Thomas, Henry Squires, and E.A. Palmer. No further business coming before this meeting it was regularly moved and seconded and carried, that the said citizens mass meeting be adjourned.

Leonard Moore, Secretary.

At this time the members of the Board then informed the Citizens committee that they had not received any notice of the resignations of said fire company's whereupon Fire Commissioner Von Tobel at this time presented the following to said Board and stated that although the same was addressed to the Citizens of Las Vegas Nevada it was to be treated as though it had been addressed to the Board, as the said Fire Companies had resigned, the Clerk then read the following to the Board in full. Las Vegas Nevada, To the Taxpayers and Citizens of Las Vegas we the undersigned members of the Las Vegas Fire Department hereby tender our resignations as members of said Dept. to take effect at once, and while thanking the Citizens for their loyal support in the past we deplore the necessity of this action through the unwarranted smallness of our City Commissioners. W.E. Sears, Capt. Hose Co. #2. W.E. Houck, Capt. No. 1. Leonard Moore Sect. #2, F.T. Elliott Sect. #1, E.W. Lewis #2, A.E. Rockwell #1, C.W. Elliott

Wm. L. Pearson #1, A. C. Petty #1, Wm. K. Moore #1, M. E. Clancey #1, Chas. H. Todd #2, J. Fleming #2, Bert French #2, J. Squires #1, E. Fluckner #2, E. Miller #2, E. Lake #1,

It appearing to the Board from the evidence produced that said proposed ordinance was established it was then upon motion of Stewart and seconded by McGovern and duly carried ordered that the said resignation of said fire companies No. 1 and No. 2 be accepted, the vote being as follows to wit: Stewart aye, Coughlin aye, Mc Govern aye, Von Tobel aye, and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol aye.

At this time an Ordinance regulating the Fire Department of said City coming on before the Board for second reading and the same being read in full to the Board it was upon motion of McGovern and seconded by Stewart ordered that said ordinance be passed as read as appears more fully in Ordinance Book One of said City under Ordinance No. 30 to which reference is hereby made, the vote being cast as follows to wit: Stewart aye, Coughlin aye, Mc Govern aye, Von Tobel aye and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol aye.

At this time Fire Commissioners Von Tobel called to the attention of the Board the fact that under and order of the Board of December 9th, 1911 it was among other things ordered that the Chief of the Fire Department was to receive the monthly sum of \$2,500 per month and the further sum of \$4.00 for each fire attended, stating to the Board that the same was conflicting with the order of the Board passed April 3rd, 1912. It was thereupon motion of Stewart and seconded by McGovern and duly carried ordered that that part of the minutes of December 9th, 1911 relating to the salary of the Fire Chief be rescinded, the vote being cast as follows to wit: Stewart aye, Coughlin aye, Mc Govern aye, Von Tobel aye, and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol aye.

The question of an Fire alarm system in the said City of Las Vegas coming on before the Board it was due consideration upon the part of the Board, and upon a motion of McGovern and seconded by Coughlin and duly carried ordered that the Clerk of this Board be hereby instructed to advertise for bids for the construction and maintaining of a Fire alarm system in said City as per plan drawn by J. B. Hicks and now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, the vote being cast as follows to wit: Stewart aye, Coughlin aye, Mc Govern aye, Von Tobel aye and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol aye.

The question of providing better fire equipment for the City coming on before the Board and after due consideration upon the part of the Board it was upon motion of McGovern and seconded by Commissioners Coughlin, and duly carried that the Fire Commissioner is hereby instructed to obtain any and all information regarding the expense of purchasing horses, harnesses and other supplies necessary for the improvement of said Fire Department, the vote being cast as follows to wit: Stewart aye, Coughlin aye, Mc Govern aye, Von Tobel aye, and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol aye.

At this time the Committee appointed by the Mayor to inquire into the Fire Auto system reported progress and asked for additional time to gather information, the same being granted.

It was upon motion of Von Tobel and seconded by Stewart and duly carried ordered that this Board adjourn until Friday May the 3rd, 1912, the vote being cast as follows to wit: Stewart aye, Coughlin aye, Mc Govern aye, Von Tobel aye, and his honor the Mayor Peter Buol aye.

Harley G. Johnson
Alley

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