OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber, Duluth, Minn., Aug. 7, 1899.

Regular meeting.

Roll call.

Present—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—15.

Absent—Alderman Griffin—1.

On motion of Alderman Crowley the minutes of the meeting of July 21 were approved, upon a vote by acclamation.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS.

Commercial Light & Power company, accepting proposition for arc street lamps—Light and Water; E. H. Jefferson, notice of damage to lot 31, West Second street, and request that city repair sidewalks, alleys and sidewalks; United States of America, notice of suit issued by Franklin M. Hugo, claiming title to lot 287, Minnesota avenue, upper Duluth—City Attorney; Ordemann & Kajlopy, application for license to conduct a second-hand store, Lake Superior avenue; Fidelity liquor license at 102 West Superior street; Charles Teuglund, application for license to sell intoxicating liquors at 1203 West Superior street; Charly Hill, application for license to sell intoxicating liquors at 1 Lake Avenue boulevard—Clerk; Fidelity treasurer, report for the month of July—auditing and finance; Tom Birkin, custodian of city hall, for leave of absence.

On motion of Alderman Cromwell the report was received.

O. P. Wilmer and George Twaddle, boardmasters, reports for the month of July—received.

Sealer of weights and measures, report for the month of July—received.

Clerk of the court, monthly statement of expenses for month of July—fire department; board of water and light commissioners, reporting award of contracts for materials—light and water; board of public works, recommending that low level reservoir be formally placed under the management of the board of water and light commissioners; Duluth and Water supporting failure of Messrs. Paquet & Ball to enter into contract for ferry service; final report of the commissioner of public work, and the award of the contract therefor to M. J. Ryan subject to the approval of the commissioner of finance; communicating estimate to John Boyer for construction of sidewalk on Second avenue West, Fifth avenue East and Third street—claims; J. J. Gilway, et al., petition for sidewalk on the extension of Fifteen avenue West, etc.—streets, sewers and sidewalks; bills for the month of July—claims.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Krumsieg moved to take from the table the commissioner's report and resolution granting rebate of assessment to J. J. Frey. The motion was declared carried upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—None.

The report and resolution were considered as follows:

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on auditing and finance, to whom was referred petition of J. J. Frey, for reduction of assessments, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

THEO. M. KRUMSIEG,
J. L. CROMWELL,
L. A. BARNES,
Committee.

Resolved, that the county commissioners are hereby requested to accept thirty-five per cent of the amount due from assessments against lots 11, 12 and 20, Block Roes re-arrangement of Block 25, Hunters Grassy Point addition, as full payment of said assessments.

Alderman Krumsieg moved the adoption of the resolution. Alderman Wing moved to strike out the words "and Third street" from assessments against," and to insert in lieu thereof the words "assessed Villa-mow Street," etc.—streets, sewers and sidewalks. The amendment was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Carey, Crowley, Neff, Wing, Mr. President—4.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Cromwell, Cullum, Krumsieg, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth—10.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth—12.

Nays—Aldermen Neff, Wing, Mr. President—3.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Barnes:

Resolved, that the board of public works be and they hereby are instructed to complete the plans for sewer systems for that part of the city formerly included in the limits of the Village of West Duluth and to estimate the cost of building said system.

Alderman Barnes moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—None.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

By Alderman Trevillion:

Resolved, that the board of public works be hereby authorized to lease a boat for ferry service for fifteen days at a price of not to exceed $2.00 per day.

Alderman Trevillion moved the adoption of the resolution. Alderman Cromwell moved as an amendment to strike out "22" and to insert in lieu thereof "15," and the amendment was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson—6.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—9.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—12.

Nays—Aldermen Cullum, Krumsieg—2.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on auditing and finance, to whom was referred communication from John M. Home, relative to assessments against lots 1 to 16, Hunter's Grassy Point Addition to Duluth, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

J. L. CROMWELL,
L. A. BARNES,
Committee.

Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of Duluth, that the county commissioners of St. Louis county be and they hereby are requested to accept John J. Home the sum of $250.00 as full payment of all assessments in the hands of the county commissioners for collection, against lots 1 to 16, inclusive, Block 25, Hunter's Grassy Point Addition to Duluth.

Be it further resolved, that the city comptroller of the city of Duluth, upon presentation to him of the county treasurer's receipt for $250.00 for assessments on aforesaid lots, is hereby authorized and directed to cancel all assessments appearing on his books against said lots 1 to 16, inclusive, Block 25, Hunter's Grassy Point Addition to Duluth, upon which said receipt is presented within 60 days from the passage of this resolution.

Alderman Barnes moved the adoption of the resolution.

Alderman Wing moved to amend by striking out the words "the sum of $250.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirty-five per cent of the assessed valuation for the year 1898," and the amendment was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Krumsieg, Neff, Trevillion, Wing—4.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Watterworth, Mr. President—11.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion—9.

Nays—Aldermen Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—6.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

The committee on claims submitted a resolution paying estimate to John Boyer, which was laid over under rule 15.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on claims, to whom was referred bills against the city, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

DAVID SANG,
J. O. WATTERWORTH,
J. W. NELSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that bills against the city be and hereby are allowed, and the city clerk is directed to draw orders on the city treasurer to pay the same, as follows:

STREET SWEEPING.

J. Lieberman $56.99

STREET SPRINKLING.

Abe Kenner $17.99
T. Malmlo 45.00
J. Lieberman 88.00
John Weit, assignee 111.00
B. Kaner 45.00

STREET LIGHTING.

Comm'l Light & Power Co. $2,022.72
Edison Illuminating Co. 280.00
Herman Bros., Becklinger & Reinhl 270.00
William Pelletier 14.75

CANAL FERRY.

John Pasque $292.25

Alderman Sang moved a suspension of the rules in order to pass the resolution, and the rules were declared suspended upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—15.

Nays—None.

Alderman Sang moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—15.

Nays—None.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

To the president and common council:

Your committee on gas and water to whom was referred acceptance by the Commercial Light & Power company of the offer of the city for lighting the city for one year, expiring August 1, 1900, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
THEO. M. KRUMSIEG,
M. B. CULLUM,
Committee.

Resolved, that the mayor, city comptroller and city clerk are hereby directed to enter into a contract with the Commercial Light & Power company for furnishing 285 arc street lights for the period from August 1, 1899, inclusive, substantially in the same form as the last contract with said company, at $85.00 per year per light, such contract to be approved by the city attorney and approved by him as to form.

Aid Crowley moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—Alderman Cromwell—1.

Passed, August 7, 1899.

Approved, August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

To the president and common council.

Your committee on light and water, to whom was referred award of contracts for furnishing iron pipe, special castings, hydrants, valves, lead, and for sprayge having considered the same, recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
THEO. M. KRUMSIEG,
M. B. CULLUM,
Committee.

Resolved, that the contracts awarded by the board of water and light commissioners, as reported in their quarterly communication dated August 7, 1899, be and the same hereby are confirmed as follows:

The contract awarded to R. R. Wood & Co., for furnishing iron pipe.

The contract awarded to the South Park Foundry & Machine company, for special castings.

The contract awarded to South Park Machine company, for hydrants.

The contract awarded to the Michigan Brass & Iron Co., for valves.

The contract awarded to J. W. Sheridan, for hauling.

To the president and common council.

Your committee on ordinance and resolutions, to whom was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance amending an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to restrain the running at large of certain animals' passed January 7th, 1895, approved January 11th, 1895," and published January 11th, 1895," having considered the same, would recommend the adoption thereof.

L. A. BARNES,
P. J. NEFF,
J. A. WATTERWORTH,
Committee.

The report was received.

Be it further resolved, that the board of water and light commissioners are hereby requested to award the contract for the furnishing of lead to the lowest bidder thereof.

Alderman Crowley moved the adoption of the resolution. Alderman Sang moved as an amendment to strike out that part of the resolution awarding the contract for hydrants, and to refer the matter of hydrants back to the committee on light and water to confer with the chief of the fire department and the fire commissioners as to the best kind of hydrants for use in the city of Duluth. There being no objection that part of the resolution was so referred.

The question being upon the adoption of the balance of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—15.

Nays—None.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSEN,
Mayor.

To the president and common council.

Your committee on ordinances and resolutions, to whom was referred an ordinance entitled "An ordinance providing for safety appliances for persons compelled to wash outside windows of buildings over two stories in height, and providing penalties for the enforcement thereof," having considered the same, would respectfully recommend that the following ordinance be passed as a substitute therefor:

L. A. BARNES,
P. J. NEFF,
J. A. WATTERWORTH,
Committee.

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR SAFETY APPLIANCES FOR THE PROTECTION OF PERSONS COMPELLED TO WASH OUTSIDE WINDOWS OF BUILDINGS OVER TWO STORIES IN HEIGHT, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE ENFORCEMENT THEREOF.

The common council of the city of Duluth do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of preventing accidents and endangering the life and limb of persons engaged in washing outside windows, it is hereby made the duty of the owner or building agent of any building in the city of Duluth of over two stories in height used in whole or in part for hire, within ten days after the passage and publication of this ordinance, to provide and keep for such use, a safety appliance as follows, to-wit:

The safety appliance, commonly known as the Simpkin's Patent Safety Belt, or equivalent, consisting of a strong sound leather belt with heavy buckles on the back part of which is firmly riveted a four inch wide strap of strong wrought iron, which the following described rope shall run, to-wit: Three-fourths inch Manila rope, 45 feet long, one end of which is firmly fastened a heavy, covered spring trace snap, which shall snap into a heavy ring fastened firmly and securely, or screwed, rigidly into the window frame about midway between the top and the bottom and on one side of the window, the other end of the rope shall be doubled to form loops for rings to which the snaps shall be fastened. The belt shall be placed about the body, and the rope to run through the leather loop on the back thereof.

Or, at the option of the owners or agents they shall within said time provide a safety appliance similar as to that commonly known as the Skidmore Patent Adjustable Balcony, consisting of two adjustable brackets with a platform resting on the window sill, and described as follows, to-wit:

Each of the said brackets consists of a horizontal arm, the end of which is bent at a right angle and enters the window frame through a wrought steel plate and penetrates behind the masonry or iron work. The upright part of each of said brackets serves as a brace and slides along the horizontal arm, secured by a bolt and nut, the horizontal arm does not work about eight inches below the hole in the plate into which the horizontal arm enters, and the upright brackets are connected with a horizontal rod made of gas pipe passing through a brass sleeve, which is screwed upon the end of the upright, by a set screw with a "T" handle at each end of the said horizontal rod.

The upright part of each of said twelve inches wide, three feet long, supported by two hinged straps of wrought iron, which are fastened to the upright part, the end of each strap there shall be an eye which passes over the heads and fastens on to screws on each side of the window sill, the other ends of the said hinged straps pass up and hook securely on the horizontal rod connecting the two brackets aforesaid.

Section 2 It is hereby declared unlawful for any person, owner, agent or occupant of any such building to permit or allow any person to engage in washing any outside windows of such buildings above the second story without the use of the safety appliances or one of them provided for in Section one of this ordinance.

Section 3. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction, be fined for each offense, in a sum not exceeding $100 or to be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding ninety days.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

The report was received.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on police license, to whom was referred applications for license, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

P. J. NEFF,
J. A. WING,
DAVID SANG,
Committee.

Resolved, that the following named persons and co-partnerships are hereby granted licenses, and the bonds accompanying such applications are hereby approved, as follows:

Isadore Liberman and Henry Caplely, a co-partnership doing business under the firm name of Lieberman & Caplely, to conduct a second-hand store at No. 530 West Superior street; John C. Heider, to sell intoxicating liquors, at No. 221 Lake avenue South; John J. Heider, to sell intoxicatin liquors, at No. 102 East Superior street; E. G. Hantzsch, to sell intoxicating liquors, at No. 716 West Superior street.

Alderman Neff moved the adoption of the resolution.

Alderman Cromwell requested a division of the resolution, that part of the resolution granting license to E. G. Hantzsch, at No. 716 West Superior street, be voted on separately.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution with that exception, the resolution was declared adopted the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—15.

Nays—None.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

The question being upon the granting of a license to E. G. Hantzsch to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 716 West Superior street, and the approval of his bond, the resolution was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—Alderman Cromwell—1

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

Requisitions 1694, 1695 and 1696 were approved.

Requisition 1697, for 153.00 feet of lumber, for repair of bridges in West Duluth, was read. Alderman Crowley moved that the requisition be allowed to the extent of 9,000 feet of lumber, and it was allowed to that extent upon a vote by acclamation.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition of Alfred Anderson, et al, for the location of a crossing on Sixty-fourth avenue West, across the track of the Duluth Belt Line Railway company, having considered the same recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the Duluth Belt Line Railway company be and it is hereby required to place a street crossing on the line of their tracks where the same crosses the Sixty-fourth avenue West.

Alderman Sang moved the adoption of the resolution. Alderman Cromwell moved that action be postponed for one week, and the motion to postpone was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Trevillion, Wing—5.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Watterworth, Mr. President—10.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—13.

Nays—Aldermen Cromwell,—1

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition for a sidewalk on the extension of Fifteenth avenue West, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the board of public works is hereby directed to make and report to this council, the estimate of the cost of a temporary three foot sidewalk to be built on the extension of Fifteenth avenue West, referred to in said petition.

Alderman Cromwell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—Alderman Carey—1.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition of Alfred Anderson, et al, for the location of a crossing on Sixty-fourth avenue West, across the track of the Duluth Belt Line Railway company, having considered the same recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the Duluth Belt Line Railway company be and it is hereby required to place a street crossing on the line of their tracks where the same crosses the Sixty-fourth avenue West.

Alderman Sang moved the adoption of the resolution. Alderman Cromwell moved that action be postponed for one week, and the motion to postpone was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Trevillion, Wing—5.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Watterworth, Mr. President—10.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—13.

Nays—Aldermen Cromwell,—1

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition for a sidewalk on the extension of Fifteenth avenue West, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the board of public works is hereby directed to make and report to this council, the estimate of the cost of a temporary three foot sidewalk to be built on the extension of Fifteenth avenue referred to in said petition.

Alderman Cromwell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—Alderman Carey—1.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition of Alfred Anderson, et al, for the location of a crossing on Sixty-fourth avenue West, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the Duluth Belt Line Railway company be and it is hereby required to place a street crossing on the line of their tracks where the same crosses the Sixty-fourth avenue West.

Alderman Sang moved the adoption of the resolution. Alderman Cromwell moved that action be postponed for one week, and the motion to postpone was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Trevillion, Wing—5.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Watterworth, Mr. President—10.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—13.

Nays—Aldermen Cromwell,—1

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition for a sidewalk on the extension of Fifteenth avenue West, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the board of public works is hereby directed to make and report to this council, the estimate of the cost of a temporary three foot sidewalk to be built on the extension of Fifteenth avenue referred to in said petition.

Alderman Cromwell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—14.

Nays—Alderman Carey—1.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

To the President and Common Council:

Your committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks, to whom was referred the petition of Alfred Anderson, et al, for the location of a crossing on Sixty-fourth avenue West, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. H. CROWLEY,
EDWARD SWENSON,
Committee.

Resolved, that the board of public works advertise for proposals for a ferry service across the canal, fares to be collected for passengers, freight and teams at such rate as may be approved by the council; and that the board be requested to confer with the street railway company across the canal and the Duluth Street Railway company, and see whether or not said company would be willing, during the season of navigation, to contribute to the maintenance of said ferry. It being understood that the city shall pay for such ferry service for all permanent residents who reside on Minnesota point below the canal.

The mover of the resolution requested that the resolution be published and that action thereon be postponed for one week, and his request was granted.

Alderman Sang moved that the board of public works be instructed to have rubber tires placed on the city ambulance. The motion was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Carey, Cromwell, Crowley, Cullum, Krumsieg, Neff, Nelson, Sang, Schaffer, Swenson, Trevillion, Watterworth, Wing, Mr. President—15.

Nays—None.

Passed August 7, 1899.

Approved August 8, 1899.

HENRY TRUELSON,
Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Schaffer the council adjourned.

H. W. CHEDLE,
City Clerk.