

PUT HIS FATHER OUT OF HOUSE

Max Bloom, Furniture Dealer,
Claims Aged Parent Came
Unbidden to Duluth.

FRIENDS TAKE CASE TO HUMANE SOCIETY

Son Is Willing to Pay Life Ex-
penses if He Will Go Back
to London.

The strange story of an abandoned father came to light yesterday in a complaint made to the Humane society by friends of Isaac Bloom, age 75, father of Max Bloom, furniture dealer at 102 West First street, who allege that the old man came to visit his son whom he had not seen in 28 years only to be ejected from his house on a cold night in a penniless condition to seek the charity of co-religionists.

The story has two sides. One is to the effect that the elder Bloom sold his effects in Russia some time ago and went to live with his wife and two daughters in London. From there he traveled to New York to visit another son, but the latter not being in very good circumstances, sent him to Duluth to visit with his other son, Max, who is said to be the best off in family. He got here several weeks ago and has been at his son's home all that time. He said things were not made pleasant for him that his room was not attended to in all that time. He was ejected last week and is now living with Morris Zion.

The other story, told by Mr. Bloom, is that his father came here without invitation, invaded his home and proceeded to run things to suit himself. Mrs. Bloom would not have him around, according to a son of Max Bloom, because he used bad language and was irritable to the extreme.

The son says: "We offered to send him back to London where he has a wife and two daughters but he would not go. We offered to buy him a ticket and put money in his pocket and pay his expenses for the rest of his life, but he would not go. He came here thinking he would get a lot of money but Mr. Bloom has no money to give away. We hope no one will take up a collection for him as he does not deserve it. We are willing to provide for him but we don't want to keep him in Duluth."

The Blooms admit they put the old man out of the house. The Humane society is investigating the case.