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FRIDAY.....NOVEMBER 3, 1899

The crop of candidates coming to the surface now are liable to be frozen out during the winter.

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We wore our Barrios diamond to the ball and manager Frank Swift politely asked us to take it off as it so dazzled the dancers they could n't waltz.

Thanksgiving Turkey is 'gwine ter be skarse' in this nick o' wood-, this month. But our Bigelow corr. says that wild geese are so thick that way that one cannot hear one's self think.

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MORO CITY COUNCIL.

ORDINANCES NOW IN FORCE.

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[No. 23]

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the assessment and collection of street and highway taxes within the city of Moro—the enforcement of delinquent street and highway taxes, and defining the duties and fixing the compensation of the superintendent of streets.

The city of Moro does ordain as follows—

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the superintendent of streets on or before the 1st day of February of each year, to obtain the names and make out, in alphabetical order, a list of all persons liable to pay road tax for improving and repairing the public streets, and file the same with the city recorder, whose duty it shall be to affix to each name the amount of taxable property owned by each person residing or owning property in the city limits, for city or county rates the last preceding year.

SEC. 2. In making such estimate and assessment, the superintendent of streets shall proceed as follows:

1. He shall apportion $1.50 to each and every $1,000.00 assessed for state and county purposes the last preceeding year.

2. He shall assess and collect the value of two days work at the rate of $1.50 per day, to be paid by each male between 21 and 50 years of age—except public charges, active firemen, or those persons who are too infirm to perform labor.

Every such male actually residing in the city shall be subject to such tax at any time from the first day of February of each year until the first day of February of the following year, and the presumption shall be conclusive that such tax has not been paid unless such person so assessed, show a receipt for the amount thereof, for the same year, either within the city or a road district of the state.

SEC. 3. Whenever the superintendent of streets shall from any cause have neglected or omitted to place on his list and assess any person within the time required by law, he shall at any time afterwards place the name of any such person on the list, and assess the amount of the tax due from such person, which assessment shall in all respects be as valid as if made in due time.

SEC. 4. The superintendent of streets must notify every person within the city subject to street and highway tax to pay same, and if any person subject thereto, shall, after three days notice, either personally or in writing left at his usual place of abode, neglect or refuse to pay said tax, such superintendent shall proceed at once to collect same in the name of the city of Moro, by levy and sale of the property, real and personal, of such delinquent, or sufficient thereof for that purpose and to pay the penalty of such delinquency and the costs and expense of the levy and sale.

SEC. 5. The superintendent must collect from the delinquent in addition to the amount of the tax, 20 per centum thereon as penalty, but if the delinquent shall pay such tax before a levy upon his property, such penalty shall not be added thereto.

SEC. 6. When the superintendent cannot find sufficient proprty belonging to the delinquent out of which to make the amount of the street and highway taxes due by him, he must collect the same, or any part thereof remaining uncollected, by an action in the name of the city of Moro, against the delinquent, in any court having jurisdiction thereof, and if judgment be given in such action against the defendant, it shall be enforced in the same manner as a judgment for a fine in a criminal action.

SEC. 7. All moneys collected by the superintendent of streets for street and highway taxes shall be applied to the improvement, construction and repair of the public highways, streets, alleys, sidewalks, crosswalks, sewers and drains of the city as directed by the common council, provided, however, that in case a greater sum is raised than is necessary to keep the streets of said city in proper condition, the common council may appropriate out of the street and highway fund, such sum as they may deem proper to aid in repairing the county roads leading into said city. And the common council may from time to time, by public resolution, designate the number of persons to be employed by the street superintendent to work on the public streets and the persons so employed shall work ten hours each day, under the supervision and control of the superintendent, and shall be paid at the rate of $1.75 for each and every day so employed.

SEC. 8. In an action by the superintendent to recover a delinquent tax, the presumption shall be, until the contrary is shown, that the defendant had no property whereon the superintendent could levy to make the amount of such tax or the portion sued for.

SEC. 9. The superintendent of streets shall pay over to the city treasurer all moneys collected by him in virtue of this ordinance, as fast as he shall collect same, and shall take duplicate receipts therefor, one of which must be filed in the office of the recorder, and all moneys paid over by him, as the proceeds of the tax herein before mentioned, must be by said treasurer credited to the street and highway repairing fund and shall not be used for any other purpose whatever.

SEC. 10. The street superintendent shall report monthly to the council, showing the condition of the streets, alleys, sidewalks, etc., within the city limits, the condition, extent and character of the work performed in his department since his last report. The amount of money secured by him from all sources. A statement in detail of all moneys disbursed by him during the month, together with vouchers or receipts therefor, and also the number and names of all laborers employed by him, the time worked by and the amount due each and also the names of all persons claiming exemption from said tax for any cause.

SEC. 11. The superintendent of streets while actually and actively employed in the discharge of his duties, shall receive the sum of $2.00 per day as his compensation.

SEC. 12. Immediately after the approval by the Mayor of this ordinance, or if the Mayor fails or neglects to approve the same, immediately after the expiration of the time allowed for approval by the Mayor, and immediately after the passage by the Council of this ordinance, notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor, a copy of this ordinance, certified by the Recorder, shall be posted in three (3) public places in the city, then this ordinance shall take effect and be in force seven (7) days after such posting.

Passed the Common Council the 23d day of October, 1899.

Approved the 24th day of October A.D. 1899. W. H. MOORE, Mayor

Attest—
JOHN M. PARRY, Recorder
of the city of Moro

[No. 24]

AN ORDINANCE to prohibit the maintaining, conducting, operating, playing or using Nickel in the Slot machines, or devices of like character in the city of Moro, wherein are used cards, dice or any substitute therefor, wherein there enters any element of chance.

The city of Moro does ordain as follows—

SECTION 1. Each and every person who shall conduct, maintain or operate, either as owner, proprietor, lessee or employe, or who shall play or use any Nickel in the Slot machine, or other device of like character wherein are used cards, dice, or any substitute therefor, or wherein there enters any element of chance, whether the same be played or operated for money, checks, credit or any other thing, or representative of value, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than $10.00 nor more than $50.00, together with the costs of the action.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the marshal to institute prosecutions for the violation of this ordinance whenever he shall have reasonable cause to believe that any person or persons have been guilty of a violation of the same, and upon their conviction for such violation the marshal shall, in addition to his other fees, receive a fee of $5.00 and the same shall be taxed against the defendant as part of the costs of the case. Provided, that nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent any person other than the marshal instituting an action for violation of this ordinance.

SEC. 3. Inasmuch as the public demands this enactment in the interest of morality this ordinance shall go into effect Immediately after the approval of the same by the mayor, or if the mayor fails or neglects to approve the same, immediately after the expiration of the time allowed for approval by the mayor, and immediately after the passage by the council of this ordinance, notwithstanding the veto of the mayor, a copy of this ordinance, certified by the recorder, shall be posted in three public places in the city, then this ordinance shall take effect and be in force seven days after such posting.

Passed the common council October 23d, 1899.

Approved October 24th, 1899.

W. H. MOORE, Mayor

Attest—
JOHN M. PARRY, Recorder.
of the city of Moro

[No. 25]

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the spreading of small-pox or varliold, and to compel all persons residing within the city of Moro, and all children attending school therein, to be vaccinated

The City of Moro does Ordain as follows.

SECTION 1. All persons residing within the city of Moro, who have not previously been successfully vaccinated are required to submit themselves to be vaccinated, and it is the duty of the board of health to compel evidence of vaccination from any person whom they have reason to expect has not been vaccinated.

SEC. 2. No child shall be allowed to attend any school, either public or religious, within the city of Moro, without first presenting to the principal or teacher thereof, the certificate of a physician, or other satisfactory evidence of the fact that he or she has been at some time successfully vaccinated, or that such vaccination has been attempted at least twice and failed, and all principals and teachers of schools are prohibited from receiving children therein until such evidence has been produced.

SEC. 3. All persons residing within the city of Moro are required, on demand of the board of health, to produce satisfactory evidence that they have been at some time successfully vaccinated, or that vaccination has been attempted twice and failed.

SEC. 4. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before the recorders' court, shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for each offense, and each day in which the violation continues shall be regarded as a separate offense.

SEC. 5. Whereas, this ordinance is demanded for the protection of the public against the spread of a dangerous and contageous disease, it shall be in force and go into effect from and after its approval by the Mayor, or if the mayor fails or neglects to approve the same immediately after the expiration of the time allowed for approval by the mayor, and immediately after the passage by the council of this ordinance notwithstanding the veto of the mayor, a copy of this ordinance certified by the recorder shall be posted in three public places in the city, then this ordinance shall take effect and be in force seven days after such posting.

Passed the common council this, 30th day of October, 1899.

Approved October 30, 1899.

Attest— W. H. MOORE, Mayor
JOHN M. PARRY, Recorder
of the City of Moro

[No. 26.]

AN ORDINANCE to amend section seven (7) of ordinance No. 12, approved May 8th, 1899, entitled on ordinance to protect the public health and safety and prevent the spread of dangerous, contageous or infectious diseases, and to provide for a board of health and the prevention and removal of all public nuisances.

The City of Moro does Ordain as follows.

SECTION 1. That section seven (7) of Ordinance No. 12, of the city of Moro, approved May 8th, 1899, be amended to read as follows:

SEC. 7. No person having any contageous disease, or an inmate of the house in which a person having a contageous disease resides, or any person visiting such house, except regular physicians, shall go out in public, or appear in any house, street, alley, or other public place, until he or she shall have permission from the board of health, and it shall be the duty of the marshal to cause such persons to be taken to his or her residence, if within the city of Moro, and if such residence is not within the city, then to such place as the mayor may direct, and be there isolated as though such person was suffering from a contageous disease. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon conviction thereof before the recorder's court be fined not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars and costs.

SEC. 2. Whereas, the public demands the immediate enactment of this ordinance for protection against the spread of dangerous, contageous and infectious diseases, this ordinance shall go into effect immediately after its approval by the mayor, or if the mayor fails or neglects to approve the same immediately after the expiration of the time allowed for approval by the mayor, and immediately after the passage by the council of this ordinance, notwithstanding the veto of the mayor, a copy of this ordinance certified by the recorder shall be posted in three public places in the city, then this ordinance shall take effect and be in force seven days after such posting.

Passed the common council October 30th, 1899.

Approved October 30th, 1899.

Attest— W. H. MOORE, Mayor
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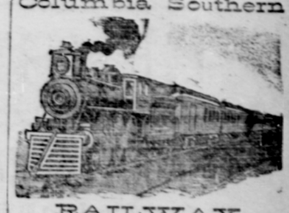

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