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State of Minnesota }
County of Winona } ss.

B. H. Habeck -----, being

duly sworn on oath, says:

That he now is and during all the times hereinafter mentioned has been foreman of the printer and the printer in charge of The Winona Republican-Herald, a daily newspaper, printed and published in the City of Winona in Winona County, State of Minnesota, and has knowledge of all facts herein stated.

That during all the times herein mentioned said newspaper has been and is qualified as a medium of official and legal publications as required by the laws of Minnesota, and that it has complied with all the requirements to constitute it a legal newspaper as defined in said laws, to-wit: that for more than one year last past and for more than one year immediately preceding the date of the first publication of said notice, said newspaper has been and now is:

- (1) Printed in the English language from its known office of publication within said City of Winona, from which it purports to be issued, and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide.
- (2) Issued once each day, except Sundays, legal holidays and Thanksgiving day, from a known office, established in such place for publication and equipped with skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same, and all of its press work has been and is done in its known office of publication.
- (3) So made up that more than twenty-five percent of its news columns have been and are devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports and has purported to serve, and so as to contain general news, comment and miscellany and not wholly duplicating any other publication, and not entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements.
- (4) Circulated in and near its place of publication to the extent of more than two hundred and forty copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers, and has had and has entry as second class matter in its local post office.

That the printed notice hereto attached was taken and cut from the columns of said newspaper and was inserted, printed and published in full in said newspaper once ~~each week~~ in a regular issue thereof, for one ~~successive weeks,~~ ^{day} and that all of said publications ~~were~~ ^{was} made in the English language.

That said notice was first inserted, printed and published on Thursday the 5th day of July, 1951, and was printed and published in said newspaper on each and every ----- thereafter until and including -----, the ----- day of -----, 19-----.

That prior to the date of the first publication of said notice, there was filed in the office of the county auditor of said County of Winona, State of Minnesota, an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper as required and set forth by the laws of Minnesota.

That the following is and is acknowledged by affiant to be a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z both inclusive, of the size and kind of type used in the composition, printing and publication of said legal notice hereunto attached, viz:

(Pub. Date Thursday, July 5, 1951)
AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT AND MAKING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SAME.
 The Village of Minnesota City do ordain as follows:
 Section 1. Fire Department Established. There is hereby established a volunteer fire department consisting of a Chief, an Assistant Chief, a Fire Marshal, and not less than seven (7) nor more than twenty-five (25) firemen.
 Section 2. Election (Appointment). The Chief of the Fire Department shall be elected annually by the members of the department at a meeting to be held in April subject to confirmation by the council. The Chief shall be the Fire Marshal and shall appoint an Assistant Chief, subject to confirmation by the Village Council. The approval of the council shall be presumed unless the council votes to disapprove such action at its regular meeting during the month of May. The Chief, Marshal and Assistant Chief may each be removed by the council for cause after a public hearing.
 Section 3. Duties of Fire Marshal. The Fire Marshal shall be charged with the enforcement of all ordinances aimed at fire prevention. He shall have full authority to inspect all premises and to cause the removal or abatement of all fire hazards.
 Section 4. Duties of Chief. The Chief shall have control over the Assistant Chief, all firemen and all of the fire fighting apparatus, equipment and supplies, and shall be solely responsible for its care and condition. He shall make an annual report to the council at its meeting in March as to the condition of the equipment and needs of the fire department. He shall have the power to engage and suspend firemen.
 Section 5. Records. The Chief shall keep in convenient form a complete record of all fires. Such record shall include the time of the alarm, location of fire, cause of fire (if known), type of building, name of owner and tenant, purpose for which occupied, value of building and contents, members of the department responding to the alarm, and such other information as he may deem advisable or as may be required from time to time by the council or state insurance department.
 Section 6. Assistant Chief. In the absence or disability of the Chief, the Assistant Chief shall perform all the functions and exercise all of the authority of the Chief.
 Section 7. Firemen. The Assistant Chief and firemen shall be not less than twenty-one (21) years of age.
 Section 8. Compensation. Nothing herein shall be construed to obligate the village for the payment of any wages or other remuneration to said Fire Chief, Assistant Fire Chief, Fire Marshal or firemen.
 Section 9. Relief Association. The members and officers of the fire department may organize themselves into a Firemen's Relief Association.
 Section 10. Interference with Department. It shall be unlawful for any person to give or make, or cause to be given or made, an alarm of fire without probable cause, or to neglect or refuse to obey any reasonable order of the chief at a fire, or to interfere with the fire department in the discharge of its duties; and any person convicted of violating this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$50.00 and costs, or imprisonment in the County Jail, for not more than 10 days, or by both fine and imprisonment.
 Passed this 5th day of June, 1951.
 LEO CISEWSKI
 President of Council
 (Seal)
 Attest:
 GEORGE SCHNEIDER
 Clerk.