

Ordinance Number 13.

An ordinance forbidding gambling and disorderly houses within the City of Washburn

Be it ordained by the City of Washburn;

Section 1. (Gambling houses prohibited.) No person shall, within the City of Washburn, keep or knowingly suffer to be kept in any house, building, yard or garden by him owned or controlled, used or occupied, any table or other apparatus for playing at cards, dice, or other gambling implements, to which any person shall resort for the purpose of gambling or playing for money or other valuable things; or suffer any person or persons to play for money or other valuable things at cards, dice or any unlawful game in any house, building, yard or garden so owned, controlled or occupied by him, or suffer any person to resort thereto for the purpose of gaming as aforesaid.

Section 2 (Gambling Prohibited.) No person shall, within the City of Washburn, play at cards, dice, billiards, nine-pins or any other game, for money or other valuable thing on any bet or wager.

Section 3. (Unlawful to refuse admittance to Mayor and Police.) If any owner, tenant or occupant of any house, hotel, building, yard, garden or other place, or room, used or commonly reported to be used for gambling purposes or where gambling is permitted or which such officers have credible reason to believe are used for gambling purposes or in which gambling is allowed, shall refuse to permit the Mayor, Chief of Police or other Police officer to enter the same for the purpose of seeing that the ordinances of the city are enforced, or shall in any way hinder, obstruct or prevent the Mayor, Chief of Police or other police officer from entering therein for such purpose, such person or persons shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten(\$10)dollars and not more than one hundred(\$100)dollars for each and every offense.

Section 4. (Penalty) Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than ten(\$10)dollars and not more than one hundred (\$100)dollars.

Read first time, September 9, 1908.

Read Second time, October 12, 1908

Passed, January 20, 1909.

Approved, January 20, 1909.  
(Seal)

Theo. J. Haugeberg,  
Mayor.

Attest: Theo. Serr,  
City Auditor.

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