

ORDINANCE NO. 162.

An Ordinance to provide for the payment of inform-
ers in cases of violation of City Ordinances.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LEBANON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That in all cases where any person shall be prosecuted for a violation of any ordinance of the City of Lebanon, Oregon, occurring after this ordinance becomes effective, the prosecuting witness who shall have signed the complaint shall be paid by the said City, as witness fees, an amount equal to one-half the amount of the fine imposed on the defendant in such case, where the defendant is found guilty, provided that such prosecuting witness shall appear at the trial of such case and testify therein if called upon to do so; and provided, further, that this ordinance shall not apply to any case where the prosecuting witness who signs the complaint is an officer of said City or in the regular employ of the said City.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance is required by the peace, health and safety of the City of Lebanon, for the reason that there have been numerous violations of ordinances of late in said City, and the officers find it difficult to apprehend the offenders because of the reluctance of witnesses to appear and prosecute. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed by the Council this 19th day of May, 1914.

Approved by the Mayor this 20th day of May, 1914.

Attest:

H. A. Elmer

Recorder.

W. J. King

Mayor.