

1 ORDINANCE BILL NO. 6, FOR 1919

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3 ORDINANCE NO. 237

4 An Ordinance to Regulate, restrain, Prohibit and License
5 certain public dances, and dance halls and Dance pavillions.

6 THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LEBANON DO ORDAIAN AS FOLLOWS:-

7 SECTION 1, That No public dance shall be held within the cor-
8 porate limits of the City of Lebanon, without the proprietor,
9 manager or agent of same first applying in writing to the License
10 Committttee of the Common Council of the City of Lebanon for and
11 obtaining a permit to give such dance. For which permit such person
12 shall pay a fee of \$1.00

13 SECTION 2, No permit shall be granted by the said License Commit-
14 tee, until a period of ten days shall have elapsed after the said
15 application for a permit is presented to the said Committee, during
16 which time the said Committee shall thoroughly investigate the
17 character of the person or persons applying for the said permit
18 and the kind of dance proposed to be given. If in the opinion
19 of the said Committee the person asking for the said permit is not
20 of good character and a proper person to give the said dance and
21 that the proposed dance is not a fit and proper dance to be given
22 the permit shall not be granted or the said dance held or given.

23 SECTION 3, If the said Committee shall deny the granting of a
24 permit to any person such person may apply to the Common Council
25 of the said city at its next or any subsequent meeting, for an or-
26 der allowing such permit and the giving of such dance, and the
27 council shall have authority to grant the permit or deny the
28 same, and if the Council deny the said permit the said proposed
29 dance shall not be given.

30 SECTION 4, A Public dance as defindced by this ordinance shall
31 be any dance given where the public is invited to attend and where
32 an admission is charged or a fee is charged or exacted from any
33 person to dance at such dance. It shall not apply to a private
34 dance given or held in a prbivate home, or to one given by a club
35 or organization or lodge where no fee is charged for dancing and

1 where no fee is charged for admittance to such dance.

2 SECTION 5. Any person or persons giving, conducting or
3 magaging any dance within the City of Lebanon, Oregon, with-
4 out first making application in writing to the said License
5 Committee of the said Council and obtaining a permit as herein
6 provided shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon con-
7 viction thereof before the recorder's Court of the said City
8 shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10.00 nor more
9 than \$200.00 or by imprisonment in the City jail not less than
10 five days nor more than 100 days,

11 Section 6. Every day a dance is conducted and given without
12 procuring the permit as herein provided shall be deemed a separ-
13 ate offense ~~and~~ and shall be liable to the punishment for same
14 as herein Provided, and any person convicted of a violation of
15 this ordinance shall not be granted a permit thereafter to conduct
16 or give a dance in the city of Lebanon for a period of six months.

17 SECTION 7. That in as much as the City of Lebanon has no ordi-
18 nance regulating dances and dancing halls and that such dances
19 need regulation, and the peace, quiet, health and safety of the
20 city requires that this ordinance be effective with as little
21 delay as practicable, an emergency is hereby declared to exist
22 and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and
23 ~~after the date~~ after its passage by the council and approval
24 by the mayor.

25 Passed by the Council this 20th day of May, 1919 all the members
26 elected to the council voting in favor of the passage of the
27 same on roll call of the council and the vote entered in the
28 journal of the council.

29 Approved by the Mayor this 20th day of May, 1919

30 Byron Millsaps Mayor
31 Attest W. H. H. H. H. Recorder
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Regulatory Public
Dance

Filed May 28th 1919

C. H. Johnson
Recorder

Entered Regs. 178-179

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