

pay five dollars for each day or nights performance

Section 20 This ordinance to be in force from and after five days after its publication by posting

Enacted November the 30<sup>th</sup> 1878

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G W Smith  
Recorder

Chas B Montague  
President of the Council

## Ordinance No 6

### Relating to Town Police

The People of the Town of Lebanon do ordain as follows

Section 1 No person shall be guilty within the Town of any brawl or tumult or commit any assault or assault and battery or draw a dirk knife or draw fire arms or <sup>armed</sup> deadly weapons <sup>See Page 73</sup> or resist any peace officer or refuse to assist in the discharge of his duties or aid or assist any person to escape from the custody of such officer And any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall on conviction before the Recorder be fined for each offense a sum not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars or imprisonment not less than three nor more than Twenty days

Section 2 Any person who shall in any public place be guilty of rude <sup>or disorderly</sup> indecent conduct or insult any person or unlawfully

purposely impede the passage of any person through the streets or thorough fares of the Town or sing or repeat any lewd or obscene word or words or make in any manner any obscene word or figure on any building wall fence post or anything whatsoever or wantonly or maliciously injure or deface any Building fence tree or other property belonging to any person firm or corporation or in any manner intrude upon the private premises against the warning of the occupant - upon the conviction thereof before the Recorder be fined in any sum not less than five nor more than fifty dollars or imprisonment not less than five nor more than twenty days

Section 3 No person or persons shall fire any pistol gun or rifle or any description of fire arms or discharge air gun bow or instrument whatsoever unless by permission of the Marshal within the corporate limits of the town under a penalty of not less than ten or more than fifty dollars or imprisonment not to exceed twenty days the Marshal may permit such display on national holidays and other fete days but he shall use all diligence and care to prevent any evil arising therefrom and should he fear or anticipate any danger it shall be his duty at once to prohibit it and he shall then strictly and rigidly enforce this section

Section 4 No persons shall be permitted to run horses within the limits of this town or ride or drive through this town at a pace liable to endanger life and property or willfully obstruct any side or cross walk by stopping a team or wagon thereon or by hitching an animal so that such animal obstructs the passage of pedestrians or neglect or refuse to remove such team wagon or animal when requested shall on conviction before the Recorder be fined in any sum not less than five nor more than twenty five dollars or imprisoned not less than three nor more than ten days

Section 5 No person shall suffer or permit to go or lead ride or drive any horse mule or beast of burden upon any sidewalk within the corporate limits of the town under a penalty of not less than two nor more than thirty dollars to be recovered with cost from the rider or driver or in default of payment imprisonment at the discretion of the Recorder not to exceed twenty days

Section 6 No person shall unless authorized by the President of the council or Marshal place any obstruction in the streets or alley of this town such as fuel lumber or building material and such obstruction shall not remain longer than is absolutely necessary and in all cases where such obstructions are likely to endanger the passage of teams the Marshal shall require the owner at night to place a sufficient light thereon any persons so obstructing the streets and refusing to obey the

orders of the Marshal made in accordance with this ordinance shall on conviction thereof before the Recorder be fined not less than ~~five~~ dollars nor more than ten dollars for each offence

Section 7 No building shall be moved through the streets of the Town of Lebanon without permission of the President of the town council and any person or persons moving such buildings without leave shall on conviction before the Recorder be fined not less than ~~ten~~ <sup>ten</sup> nor more than twenty dollars for each offence

Section 8 No person or persons shall throw into the street of this town any glass nails crachery bottles or any substance whatever whereby the feet of horses or any other beast of burden may be injured under a penalty of not less than ten dollars for the first offence and for each subsequent offence twenty <sup>dollars</sup> or imprisonment not exceeding twenty days

Section 9 Any person who shall haul or put on any public grounds of this town any timber brush rubbish or refuse matter or place any obstruction or material thereon for any purpose unless with the written permission of the President of the town council on conviction before the Recorder be fined not less than ten dollars for each offence

Section 10 All sidewalks that are eight feet wide shall initially mincumbered within a space of six feet and those of narrower width in the same proportion any merchant

trader or other person violating this section obstructing any sidewalk or thoroughfare within the town shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten or more than twenty dollars to be recovered by complaint before the Recorder provided that any article left shall be placed nearest the building within afore mentioned space

Section 11 All owners or occupants of houses within the limits of the town shall keep their Back yards clean of all filth under penalty of ten dollars for the first and twenty dollars for each subsequent offences

Section 12 Whenever any dangerous or suspicious persons shall be seen about the town without any visible means of support it shall be the duty of the Marshal to arrest such persons and take them before the Recorder and cause them to show in what way or manner they obtain a livelihood and if proper cause be not given for such vagrancies such offender shall be fined in any sum not less than ten or more than twenty dollars and in default of the same may be imprisoned not to exceed twenty days

Section 13 Any person who shall erect or establish any offensive trade manufactory or business or continue the same after it has been established or neglect to purify unwholesome privies which may be on his or their property or do any thing that is injurious to health or indecent or offensive to the senses or any act which is an obstruction to the free use of property so as to interfere with

comfortable enjoyment of life or property  
 Such person or persons so offending shall  
 upon conviction be fined in any sum  
 not less than twenty nor more than one  
 hundred dollars and in default of paymen-  
 =ent of the same may be imprisoned not  
 to exceed twenty days and every such  
 nuisance may by the order of the Recorder  
 be removed and abated by the town  
 Marshal at the cost of the person  
 making or committing the same

Section 14 Any person who shall keep a house of  
 ill fame resorted to for the purpose of  
 prostitution fornication or lewdness or  
 who shall reside in such house for  
 the purpose aforesaid shall on conviction  
 before the Recorder be fined in any  
 sum not less than fifty dollars  
 nor more than one hundred dollars  
 and in default of the payment of the  
 fine may be imprisoned not to  
 exceed thirty days nor less than  
 fifteen days the common reputation  
 of such houses or the occupants thereof  
 shall be sufficient evidence to  
 warrant conviction

Section 15 Any person or persons who shall be  
 guilty of leasing or renting such house  
 for the purpose of prostitution upon  
 conviction thereof before the Recorder  
 shall pay a fine of not less than  
 fifty nor more than one hundred  
 dollars and in default of which may  
 be imprisoned not to exceed twenty  
 days

Section 16 All gaming with cards or gambling devices whatsoever are hereby prohibited from being set up or used for gaming in this town and any person or persons who shall put up or cause to be put up in this town any gaming devices tables etc etc or shall engage in gambling with cards or at faro or faro bank roulette tables shall on conviction be fined in any sum not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars and in default of the payment of the same may be imprisoned at the discretion of the Recorder not exceeding twenty days

Section 17 The foregoing ordinance to take effect and be in force from and after five days after its publication by posting

Enacted November the 30<sup>th</sup> 1878

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L. W. Smith  
Recorder

Chas. B. Montague  
President of the council

### Ordinance No 7

Relating to the qualification and duties of Marshal

The People of the Town of Lebanon do Ordain as follows

Section 1 Before entering upon the duties of his office the Town Marshal shall file with the Recorder a certificate of his election with his oath of office endorsed thereon that he will faithfully and impartially perform the duties of