

ORDINANCE NO. 1.

An Ordinance relating to the Peace and Order of the Town of Vermillion.

Be it ordained by the Trustees of the Town of Vermillion, Dakota Territory.

Sec. 1—It shall be unlawful for any person to disturb the good order and quiet of the Town of Vermillion by making any loud or unusual noise...

Sec. 2—It shall be unlawful for any person to exhibit, sell, or give away, or to dispose of in any manner, any indecent or lewd picture or other thing...

Sec. 3—It shall be unlawful for any person to appear in any public place in said town in a state of nudity...

Sec. 4—It shall be unlawful for any person to exhibit, sell, or give away, or to dispose of in any manner, any indecent or lewd picture or other thing...

Sec. 5—If any person shall, unnecessarily discharge any fire arms or shoot off any fireworks, or other fire works, or shall light or throw any fire ball or crackers...

Sec. 6—If any person shall carry any concealed weapon or weapons or have concealed upon or about his person any revolver, pistol, knife, bowie knife, or other deadly weapon...

Sec. 7—Any person or persons of persons who shall permit his, her, or their house, outhouse, yard, or other premises under his, her, or their control...

Sec. 8—Any person or persons who shall keep a house for the purpose of gambling, or who shall suffer or permit other persons to come there...

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Sec. 10—Any person or all persons who shall loiter about the town for the period of five days without having known legal occupation...

Sec. 11—Any person or persons who shall practice in any public place any game of cards, dice, or any other game...

Sec. 12—In addition to the penalties hereinbefore provided, any offence mentioned in this ordinance...

Sec. 13—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved by the Board. S. N. PALMER, President. Attest, Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 2.

An Ordinance providing for the Licensing and regulating the retailing of intoxicating liquors in the Town of Vermillion.

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Sec. 1—That no person, firm, company, or corporation shall sell, barter, or exchange any intoxicating liquors within the limits of the Town of Vermillion...

Sec. 2—Any person, firm, company, or corporation desiring a license to retail intoxicating liquors within said town, shall pay to the Town of Vermillion...

Sec. 3—Any person or persons who shall sell, barter, or exchange any intoxicating liquors within the limits of the Town of Vermillion...

Sec. 4—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved by the Board. S. N. PALMER, President. Attest, Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.

Ordinance shall forfeit and pay to the said Town a fine of not less than fifteen dollars, and not more than the bonded debtors.

Sec. 4—Either the principal or the Agent who so sells without license as above provided, may be fined to such fine.

Sec. 5—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the fifteenth day of October, A. D. 1873.

Approved by the Board. S. N. PALMER, President. Attest, Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 3.

An Ordinance relating to disorderly houses.

Be it ordained by the Trustees of the Town of Vermillion, Dakota Territory.

SECTION 1—Any person who, within the limits of this town, shall keep or maintain, or shall be a inmate of or in any way connected with, or shall in any manner contribute to the support of any house of prostitution or other disorderly house...

Sec. 2—If two or more persons shall at any time make a written complaint to the Town Marshal to the effect that any house or place in their immediate neighborhood is openly and notoriously kept or maintained as a house of prostitution, or disorderly house...

Sec. 3—If at any time after such conviction, as above provided, the Town Trustees shall order the suppression of any such place of prostitution, kept or maintained by any person or persons convicted...

Sec. 4—If in any house of prostitution in this town, any kind of unusual noise shall be permitted to be heard, or if the inmates thereof shall indecently expose themselves to the public gaze...

Sec. 5—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Board.

Approved by the Board. S. N. PALMER, President. Attest, Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 4.

An Ordinance to prevent certain animals from running at large.

Be it ordained by the Trustees of the town of Vermillion, Dakota Territory.

Sec. 1—That the running at large of swine, hogs, asses, or neat cast upon the streets, avenues, alleys or public grounds of this town shall be deemed and is hereby declared a nuisance...

Sec. 2—If any animal or animals of the class above described, or are running at large within the corporate limits of this town, the owner or keeper of such animal or animals in their charge or keeping...

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ORDINANCE NO. 6.

An Ordinance to secure buildings from destruction by fire.

Be it ordained by the Trustees of the Town of Vermillion.

Sec. 1—There shall be erected upon all buildings occupied by residences, offices, stores, warehouses, or other buildings in which fire is kept for the comfort or convenience of citizens...

Sec. 2—Any person owning or harboring any dog or dogs, and refusing to pay the tax thereon shall be liable to a fine equal in amount to the tax of the dog or dogs, and the cost of prosecution.

Sec. 3—The Marshal of the Town shall have authority to kill dogs having no owners residing within the Town or dogs, providing, however, such dog or dogs are not the property of persons residing in the Town for business or other purposes.

Sec. 4—It shall be the duty of the Town Assessor to assess all persons owning dogs, such assessment to be made on or before the 1st day of November, and made returnable to the Town Treasurer...

Sec. 5—Each owner of a dog who has paid his tax shall be furnished with a tag by the Town Clerk, which tag shall be worn with a leather collar on the neck of the said dog.

Sec. 6—This ordinance to take effect on and after its passage and its approval by the Board.

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Sec. 2—In all partition walls or ceilings through which it is desired to pass a pipe in order to make a connection with furnaces, there shall be placed, and securely fastened, a suitable iron or other metallic safe, with sufficient air chambers surrounding the same to secure such partition walls or ceilings against liability by fire.

Sec. 3—All persons occupying buildings within the corporate limits of this town, who are not properly secured from fire, as provided in section one and two of this ordinance, shall have twenty days after the passage and approval of this ordinance, in which to secure such buildings as occupied against liability to fire...

Sec. 4—It is made the duty of the Town Marshal of this town to notify all persons occupying such buildings within the corporate limits of Vermillion, good and safe, brick or stone chimneys, which shall extend at least from the upper eave of such buildings as occupied as aforesaid, two feet and six inches, or more above the roof of all such buildings in which fire is kept as aforesaid.

Sec. 5—It shall be the duty of the fire Wardens in their respective districts, to look after and report fires or violations of this ordinance, to the Town Marshal, whose duty it shall be to immediately apprehend a rich person or persons violating such ordinance, and bring him, her, or they, before the Town Justice to answer the complaint or charge made against them.

Sec. 6—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Board.

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Approved by the Board. S. N. PALMER, President. Attest, Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.



VERMILLION, D. T., Sept. 20, 1873.

At a meeting of the Town Board of Trustees held on this 29th day of Sept. A. D. 1873. Board of Jno. L. Taylor as Clerk, was presented, accepted and approved.

Ordinance No 1 adopted and approved. Ordinance No. 2 adopted. Ordinance No 3 adopted. Ordinance No. 4 adopted and approved. Ordinance No. 5 adopted and approved.

J. F. Vaughn appointed Town Justice.

A. H. Lathrop, G. C. Maynard, and Wm. G. Bower, were appointed street Commissioners.

The members, Jno. L. Taylor, E. A. Cook, R. R. Briggs. That attending to the publication of ordinances left with Clerk and President. Adjourned to Monday, October 6, 1873.

Silas N. PALMER, President of the Board.

Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.

This is to certify that of the Town of Vermillion and Territory of Dakota, having paid to the treasurer of said Town the sum of \$100.00 dollars therefor, as required by the ordinance, is licensed to retail intoxicating liquors at the place designated in said license, until the fifteenth day of October, 1873.

Witness the hand of the President of said Town, and the seal thereof, this 29th day of September, A. D. 1873, at said Town of Vermillion.

Attest, Jno. L. Taylor, Clerk.

Sec. 3—Any person or firm, who shall sell, barter, or exchange any intoxicating liquors within the limits of the Town of Vermillion, without first having obtained a license therefor as provided in this ordinance...

ORDINANCE NO. 9.

An Ordinance to prevent certain animals from running at large.

Be it ordained by the Trustees of the Town of Vermillion, Dakota Territory.

Sec. 1—That any person owning or harboring any dog or dogs, shall be taxed in the sum of one dollar for each male and two dollars for each female dog owned or harbored by him, to be collected as other taxes.