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Lewdness--Indecent exposure.

Sec.1. Any person who shall appear in any public place within this city in a state of nudity, or in a dress not belonging to his or her sex, or in an indecent or lewd dress, or shall make any indecent exposure of his or her person, or be guilty of any lewd or indecent act or behavior, or shall exhibit, sell, or offer to sell, any indecent or lewd book, picture or other thing, or shall exhibit or perform any indecent, immoral or lewd play, or other representation shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in a sum of not less than one dollar nor more than one hundred dollars.

Intoxication--Disorderly conduct--Penalty.

Sec.2. Any person who shall be drunk in any highway, street, thoroughfare or other public place within the city, or shall be drunk and disorderly in any private house or place to such an extent as to jeopardize persons or property, or to be injurious to the public morals, shall upon conviction thereof, be fined in a sum not less than one nor more than twenty-five dollars; and the Chief and Captain of police and all other police officers of the town are authorized and empowered, and it is hereby made their duty to arrest or cause to be arrested with or without process, any persons found violating the provisions of this section, and commit such person to the town jail, or to other safe place in said town, until sober, unless otherwise taken care of and provided for by relatives or friends who are willing and competent so to do.

Keno Table--Faro Bank--Gambling instruments.

Sec.3. Any person who shall set up, have or keep any keno table, faro bank, shuffle-board, bagatelle, playing cards, or other instrument, device or thing whatever, whereon or with which any money, liquor or other article shall in any manner be played for; or for any person who shall play for money or any valuable thing at any game with cards, dice or with any article, device or thing whatever,

which may be used for the purpose of playing or betting upon, or winning or losing money or other property, or shall bet on any game others may be playing, shall upon conviction thereof, be fined in a sum not less than ten dollars and not exceeding one hundred dollars for each offense.

Penalty for conducting gambling devices.

Sec.4. Any person who shall keep a disorderly or gaming house, or shall permit or suffer any faro bank, keno table or other instrument or device whatsoever, used for playing any game or games of chance, to be set up or used in the Town of Mills, whereon or wherewith any game or games of chance shall be played for money or other article of value, in any room, building or tenement in his possession or under his control, shall upon conviction, be fined for the first offense, fifty dollars; for the second offense, one hundred and fifty dollars, and the third and all subsequent offenses, not less than two hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, in the discretion of the court trying the case.