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ORDINANCE NUMBER FIVE.

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BE IT ORDAINED, by the Town Council of the Town of
Mills, State of Wyoming:

Satisfying fine imposed--Imprisonment.

Sec.1. Any person upon whom any fine or penalty shall have been imposed, shall, upon the order of the court or magistrate before which the conviction shall have been had, be committed to the county jail, town calaboose, or other place provided by the town for the incarceration of offenders, until such fine, penalty, and costs shall have been fully paid. Provided, that no such imprisonment shall exceed ninety days for any one offense.
Town prison--Keeper of.

Sec.2. So far as the purposes of the town are concerned, the Town Marshal shall be the keeper of any such place, and, at any time, as the case may require, the Council may appoint one or more assistant keepers thereof, who shall be subject to the orders of the Marshal, but shall have authority to exercise all the powers of the Marshal in his capacity as keeper of such place, so far as the exercise of such powers shall not be inconsistent with, or contrary to, the orders of the Marshal.

Prisoners shall be employed.

Sec.3. So far as practicable, the Town Marshal shall keep all persons committed as aforesaid employed for the town at such useful labor as his or her strength will permit, within or without any such place of incarceration, ten hours each working day, and for such work the person so employed shall be allowed, ~~exclusive~~ exclusive of his or her board, two dollars per day for each day's work on account of such fine and costs. But should the prisoner fail, through no fault of his, to work the specified number of hours in any day, he shall receive credit at a ratable sum for the time during which he

shall have thus been engaged in such day.

Refractory prisoners--Punishment.

Sec.4. Any person who shall refuse to work, or shall behave in a riotous or disorderly manner, or shall resist, or attempt to escape from the place of imprisonment, may be committed to close and solitary confinement, and may be fed on bread and water until he shall have consented to perform his duty, and may, if necessary, be put in irons.

Satisfaction of fine--Discharge.

Sec.5. Any prisoner may, at any time, pay the Marshal the amount of execution and costs, or balance due thereon, after deducting the sum due for work that shall have been performed by him. Upon such payment, or upon the performance of labor of the amount requisite for the satisfaction of such fine and costs, or upon any other sufficient reason for his discharge, the Marshal shall give the prisoner a printed or written discharge, and set him at liberty. The Marshal forthwith, upon the receipt of any such fines from any prisoner, shall make return of the writ and of such fines to the committing magistrate.

Marshal shall have care of prisoners.

Sec.6. Said Marshal shall attend to the safe keeping of the prisoners, shall see that meals are properly provided for such prisoners, that they have a sufficient quantity of good and wholesome food, that their sleeping apartments are properly cleansed and ventilated, and shall attend to such other duties in relation to such prisoners as may be required of him by the Council.

Shall purchase supplies for.

Sec.7. The Marshal is authorized in behalf of the town to make all purchases of provisions necessary for such prisoners. Shall deliver to successor.

Sec.8. The Marshal shall deliver to his successor in office all such prisoners.

Shall keep record.

Sec.9. The Marshal shall keep a book to be furnished by the town, in which he shall enter the time of commitment of any prisoner as aforesaid, also the name of each prisoner, the number of times said prisoner shall have been committed, and such other facts as shall be necessary; he shall also keep in said book an accurate account of days worked by each prisoner; he shall note therein when the time of any prisoner shall be out, or when he shall be otherwise legally entitled to his discharge, and the fact of discharge, and the time thereof; he shall enter therein an itemized account (including costs) of all provisions and other articles procured on account of such prisoners, or for any other purpose for which he shall be authorized to procure provisions or other articles, and all receipts and expenditures whatsoever connected with such business.

Entries shall be legible.

Sec.10. All entries whatsoever required to be made in said book shall be in a clear and intelligible form.

Marshal shall make monthly report.

Sec.11. The Marshal shall make a monthly report to the Council in like manner as other municipal officers. Said report shall contain a clear statement of all matters required to be recorded by him in said book. At any time, when required by the council, he shall make a report of any matter with which his official duties shall be connected.