

AN ORDINANCE NO. 337.

By Mr. R. J. Wheaton

To prohibit and punish certain offenses herein named, and for the more effectual preservation of peace, good order, and morals within the village of Bexley.

Be it ordained by the Council of the Village of Bexley, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That any person or persons disturbing the good order and quiet of the village by clamors and noise in the night season, by intoxication, drunkenness, fighting, committing assault, assault and battery, using obscene or profane language in the streets or other public places to the annoyance of the citizens, or otherwise violating the public peace by indecent and disorderly conduct, or by lewd and lascivious behavior, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. That any vagrant, common street-beggar, common prostitute, habitual disturber of the peace, known pickpocket, gambler, burglar, thief, any person who practices any trick game or device with intent to swindle, any person who abuses his family, and any suspicious person who can not give a reasonable account of himself, who may be found in said village, shall be guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable as hereinafter provided.

Section 3. That any person or persons who shall stop or park an automobile or any other conveyance, owned by him or under his control, in or upon the streets, alleys or public grounds, and on inclosed private grounds in said village for the purpose of "prostitution", lewdness, assignation or for the purpose of indulging unlawfully in the use of intoxicating liquors shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. The terms prostitution, lewdness and assignation shall have the same meaning, as they have by the provisions of Sections 13031-14 of the General Code of Ohio.

Section 5. That any person or persons convicted of any offense under the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not less than Ten Dollars (\$10) and not more than Fifty Dollars (\$50) for the first offense, and not less than Fifty (\$50) nor more than Three Hundred (\$300) for the second and all subsequent offenses; and any person who refuses or neglects to pay the fine imposed upon the conviction of any offense, and the cost of prosecution, shall be im-

prisoned and kept at hard labor until at the rate of seventy-five cents for each day's labor, exclusive of Sundays, he shall have an amount equal to such fine and costs.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest date allowed by law.

Passed April 26, 1922.

Attest:

S. W. Rederick,

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Clerk

G. E. Ludwig
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Mayor

I, S. W. Rederick, Clerk of the Village of Berley, State of Ohio, do hereby certify that there is no newspaper published in said municipality and that publication of the foregoing ordinance was duly made by posting true copies thereof at five of the most public places in said corporation as determined by the council, as follows: Main Street and Parkview Avenue, Main Street and College Avenue, Main Street and Drexel Avenue, Broad Street and Drexel Avenue and Parkview Avenue and Platte Avenue, each for a period of fifteen days commencing on the 4th day of May, 1922.

S. W. Rederick
Clerk of the Village of Berley, Ohio