ORDINANCE NO. 113

AN ORDINANCE PRESCRIBING AND FIXING LICENSES FOR THE CARRYING ON OF CERTAIN TRADES, BUSINESSES, OCCUPATIONS, CALLINGS, VOCATIONS, AND PROFESSIONS IN THE CITY OF MULBERRY, ARKANSAS, DEFINING AND CLASSIFYING THE SAME AND PRESCRIBING THE AMOUNT THEREFOR, FIXING THE TIME WHEN SUCH LICENSES SHALL BE PAID, THE PENALTY FOR NON-PAYMENT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MULBERRY, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: The period covered by any license paid shall be for one year, unless otherwise provided in this ordinance, and all licenses shall be paid annually in advance, unless otherwise provided herein, upon July 1 of each year.

SECTION 2: That the following be and is hereby declared to be the schedule of licenses which shall be paid before any of the several, diverse and respective trades, businesses, occupations, vocations, callings or professions named herein shall be engaged in or carried on in the City of Mulberry, Arkansas, and each and every person, firm, corporation, or individual engaged in any of the trades, businesses, occupations, vocations, callings, or professions hereinafter enumerated shall pay for and take out such licenses and in such sums as are herein provided from the City Recorder of Clerk, to-wit:

Abstracts of Title: Each person, firmor corporation making abstracts of title, $ 25.00 . Each person, firm or corporation which guarantees, warrants or insures land titles, $ 25.00 .

Advertising: Each person, firm or corporation advertising on the streets with banners, cartoons, or any other means including bill postings, sign painting, billboards, commercial show cards, except business otherwise licensed, $2.00 per.day.

Auditing: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00 .

Auctioneers: Each person, firm or corporation, $1.00 per day or $15.00 per year.

Automobile Garages: Each person, firm or corporation engaged in business of repairing, $25.00 .

Automobile Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation dealing with new or used automobiles, $15.00 .

Automobile Parts and Accessories: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00 .

Bakeries: Each person, firm or corporation; $25.00 .

Barber Shops: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50 .

Blacksmith Shops: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50 .

Billiard Table Manufactury: Each, $25.00 .

Brokers Offices: Each person, firm or corporation engaged in the buying or selling of cotton seed, cotton seed products, merchandise, money lenders, grain, meats, produce, where no stock is carried on hand, $25.00.

Building and Loan Association: Each, $25.00.

Bulk Oil and Gas Dealers, including Dealers in Heating Gases, Bulk or Bottled: Each person, firmor corporation, $25.00.

Beauty Shops: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50.

Collecting Agencies: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00.

Commission Merchants: Each commission merchant or agent carrying stock or receiving or handling consignments or goods or merchansise, not otherwise licensed, $25.00.

Cotton Gins: Each, whether operated or not, $50.00.

Cotton buyers, agents or Brokers: Each, $25.00.

Cream and Poultry Stations: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50.

Cafes: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50.

Cleaning and Pressing and Laundries: Each person, firm or corporation, $15.00.

Banks: Each, $25.00.

Carnivals: Per Day,, $10.00.

Circuses: Per Day, $10.00.

Commercial Fishermen or Fish-markets: Each person, firm or corporation, $5.00.

Drays: Each, $5.00.

Dry Goods Stores, Clothing, Shoes: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00.

Drug Stores: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00.

Furniture Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation engaged in the sale of new or used furniture, $25.00.

Florists: Each person, firm or corporation selling plants and seeds, $5.00.

Flour Mills: Each person, firm or corporation, $ 25.00.

Filling Stations: Each person, firm or corporation $15.00.

Farm Equipment Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00 .

Feed and Seed Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation, $15.00 .

Fruit and Vegetable Stores: Each firm, person or corporation, $15.00 .

Groceries: Each person, firm or corporation except neighborhood, under $500.00 inventory, $ 25.00 . Those under $500.00 inventory, $15.00 .

Groceries with Meat Markets: Each person, firm or corporation; $25.00 .

General Merchandise Stores: Each person, firm or corporation, $35.00 .

Hotels: Each person, firm, corporation, $15.00 .

Hardware Stores: Each person, firm or corporation, $15.00 .

Hospitals and Clinics: Each, $25.00 .

Home Appliance Stores and Dealers: $15.00 , for each person, firm or corporation selling at either retail or as agents.

Ice Plants or Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation, [illegible] .

Insurance Agents: Each person, firm or corporation soliciting or writing any type insurance, $15.00 .

Ice Cream Parlors and Dairy Queens: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50 .

Soft Ice Cream Plants: Each person, firmor corporation, $25.00 .
Itinerant Repairmen: Each per day $1.00.
Itinerant Photographers: Each per day, $2.00 .

Junk Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation, $10.00 .

Itenerant Repairmen: Each, $1.00 .

Lumber Yards, Retail or Wholesale: Each, $25.00 .

Mortuaries: Each, $25.00 .

Meat Markets: Each person, firm or corporation, $15.00 .

Newspapers: Each person, firm or copporation, $5.00 .

Nurseries or Greenhouses: Each person, firm or corporation, $10.00 .

House to House and Street Peddlers:
Home Furnishings, $5.00 .
Cosmetics, $2.00 per day.
Greeting Cards, $2.00 per day .
Wearing Apparel, $5.00 per day .
All other house to house and street peddlers, $2.00 per day or $50.00 per year.

Physicians, Surgeons, Dentists: Each, $25.00.

Chiropodists, Optometrists, Osteopaths, Chiropractors: Each, $25.00.

Pool Halls, Billiards, Bowling Alley: Each location, whether operated or not, $10.00.

Peddlers or Solicitors: Each per day, $2.00.

Photographic Studio: Each person, firm or corporation, $10.00.

Paint and Glass: Each person, firm or corporation engaged in sales or service, $15.00.

Television or Radio Shops and Stores: Each, $7.50.

Repair Shops not otherwise listed: Each, $7.50.

Railroad Tie Yards: Each, $.

Real Estate Brokers or Dealers: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00.

Skating Rinks: Each per week, $5.00.

Shoe Shops, Repairing or sales: Each person, firm or corporation, $7.50.

Concrete Products, Sand, Gravel Stone Sales: Each, $25.00.

Sewing Machines: Each person, firm or corporation engaged in sales or service of or acting as agent for, $25.00.

Sale Barns: Each, $25.00.

Tailoring and Tailor Shops: Each person, firm or corporation engaged in tailoring or sales of clothing either from store in City or accepting orders for clothing where principal place of business is not in City, $15.00.

Electrical Shops, Plumbers, Plumbing Shop, Tin or Sheet Metal Shop, Machine Shops: Each person, firm or corporation, $15.00 or $1.00 per day.

Theatres: Each, peryear; $25.00.

Taxis and Trucks for Hire: Each car, $10.00.

Tourists Courts: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00.

Veterinary Surgeons: Each, $25.00.

Watch Maker or Repairer: Each, $5.00.

Jewelery Store: Each Person, firm or corporation, $15.00.

Button Factories: Each, $25.00.

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Varieties Stores: Under $ 500.00 stock, $15.00. Over $500.00 stock, $25.00.

Used Merchandise Stores: Each, $10.00 .

Rice Dryer or Mill: Each person, firm or corporation, $25.00 .

Traveling Shows not Otherwise Specified: Each, per day, $5.00 .

SECTION 3: The above schedule of licenses shall be for the fiscal year, payable on or before the 15th day of July each year.

SECTION 4: Any person desiring to engage in any trade, business or occupation, vocation, calling or profession, for which a license is required and for which a fixed place of business is required, shall designate the place at which said trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling, or profession is to be carried on, and the license to be issued hereunder shall designate such a place. For each place where said trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession is to be carried on, and the license fee shall be paid. Any person to another upon application and payment of transfer fee of $1.00 to the City Clerk or Recorder.

SECTION 5: That any person, firm or corporation dealing in two or more of the articles of engaging in two or more of the trades, businesses, occupations, vocations, callings or professions is required of each such person, firm or corporation shall pay for and take out a license for each line of trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession except where more than one trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession are carried on as one place of business and at the same location license fee shall be that for the highest amount charged under Section 2 for any one trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession conducted at such location.

SECTION 6: It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, whether as principal or agent, to commence, engage in, or carry on any of the aforesaid trades, businesses, occupations, vocations, callings or professions, in the City of Mulberry, without having first procured a license therefore, and the commencing, engaging in, or carrying on of any such trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession without having first procured a license from said City to do so, shall constitute a separate violation of this ordinance for each and every day that said trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession is carried on.

SECTION 7: It shall be the duty of the City Clerk or Recorder to prepare and issue a license under this ordinance for every person, firm or corporation liable to pay a license hereunder, and to state in each the amount thereof, the period of time covered thereby, the name of the person, firm or corporation to whom issued, the trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession to be carried on, the location or place where such business, trade, occupation, vocation, calling or profession is to be carried on, and in no case shall any mistake in stating or computing the amount of a license due prevent or prejudice the collection for the City of what shall actually be due under this ordinance from anyone

carrying on any trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession subject to a license under this ordinance.

SECTION 8: The City Marshal, in addition to his severalduties as City Marshal, and his deputies are hereby appointed inspectors of licenses and are hereby required to examine all places of business and persons in said City liable to pay a license and see that such licenses are taken out and shall file or cause to be filed complaints against all persons, firms or corporations violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, and the Marshal of the City of Mulberry is authorized, by and with the consent of the City Council, to appoint special license inspectors in such number as may be required, who shall have his duties, in addition to such duties as he may be assigned to them by the City Council and Marshal.

SECTION 9: Each license shall be posted in a conspicious place, where such trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession is carried on, and the holder of such licenses shall immediately show such license to the license inspector or City Clerk, or Recorder, or Marshal or his deputy, upon request.

SECTION 10: No provisions of this ordinance shall be construed so as to tax interstate commerce or any United States Government business.

SECTION 11: Should any section or provision of this ordinance be for any reason held void or invalid, it shall not effect the validity of any other section or provision here of which is not itself void or invalid.

SECTION 12: Any person, firm or corporation, or individual violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than $5.00 and costs and not more than double the amount of said license paid or due from such person, firm or corporation and the payment of such fine or penalty shall not be satisfiedby the payment of such license after this ordinance shall not become delinguent and no penalty shall ensue until twenty days after this ordinance shall take effect.

SECTION 13: The amount of any license imposed b y this ordinance shall be deemed a debt to the City of Mulberry, and any person, firm or corporation commencing, engaging in, or carrying on any trade, business, occupation, vocation, calling or profession, without having obtained a license from said City to do so, shall be liable to an action in the name of the City in the Mayor's Court of the City of Mulberry, Arkansas.

SECTION 14: The Mayor's Court of the City of Mulberry shall have full power and authority to fix a penalty or fine for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 15: All license shall be due on July 1st of each year. One half year licenses may be bought after January 1st. If business started at that time.

SECTION 16: The provisions of this ordinance shall not be construed as comulative as to any other license ordinance or ordinances and shall repeal all ordinances in conflict herewith and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after eight days from its passage.

SECTION 17: It is found and determined that this ordinance is necessary for the public health, safety and welfare of the City of Mulberry, that an emergency exists and that it should be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

APPROVED AND PASSED: JUNE 1, 1954.

J. W. Daniel - Mayor

ATTEST:

T. J. House - City Clerk