

"AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE ACCUMULATION OF FILTH
AND HUMAN AND ANIMAL EXCREMENT ON THE LOTS, YARDS,
PENS, STALLS AND PREMISES OF ANY PERSON:
DECLARING THE SAME A PUBLIC NUISANCE, AND
PROVIDING FOR THE PUNISHMENT THEREOF"

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Waynesboro, Mississippi, that it shall be unlawful for any person through or by negligence or wilful act to cause or permit the accumulation of filth, dead animals, or human or animal excrement on his lots, yard or provies, or privy vaults, or in his chicken pens, house or yards, or his hog pens, houses, lots or yards, or his cow lots, stalls or yard, or his horse stalls or lots or yards, or his livery stable or lots or yards, where any such premises are located within the Corporate limits of the said Town; so as to cause the dissemination or spread foul or disagreeable odors in the air.

Section 2. Be it further ordained by the said Mayor and Board of Aldermen that the said acts as described in Section 1 of this Ordinance, or any of them, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance, and punishable as such.

Section 3. Be it further ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said Town that the occupation, control and use of the premises described in Section 1 of this act by any person shall constitute the ownership of such yards and premises named in Section 1 of this act, and within the meaning of this act.

Section 4. (Amended) Be it further ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said Town that any person who shall willfully or through neglect violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction be punished by a fine of not more than \$500.00, or by imprisonment in the City Jail for a period of not more than thirty days. (Amended by action of Mayor and Board of Aldermen on May 7, 1988).

The above ordinance having been read in the presence and hearing of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said Town at a regular meeting of the said Board, first section by section, and then as a whole, was enacted by the following vote on this 3rd day of June, 1941, to-wit:

Yeas: F. P. Ellis, F. L. Westover, C. L. Daniel, R. L. Holcomb

Nays: None.

Attest: R. L. Holcomb, Clerk. Approved: T. O. Slaughter, Mayor