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ORDINANCE NO. 165

An Ordinance to Prohibit and Punish the Carrying of Weapons in the Incorporated Town of Atkins, Arkansas.

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Incorporated Town of Atkins, Arkansas.

SECTION 1. Any person who shall in the Incorporated Town of Atkins, wear or carry in any manner whatever, as a weapon, any dirk or bowie knife, or sword, or a spear in a cane, brass or metal knucks, razor or any pistol of any kind whatever except such pistols as are used in the army and navy of the United States, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, provided that officers whose duties require them to make arrests, or to keep and guard prisoners, together with the persons summoned by such officers to aid them in the discharge of their duties are exempt from the provisions of this ordinance; provided further, that nothing in this ordinance shall be construed to prohibit any person from carrying any weapon when upon a journey or upon his own premises.

SECTION 2. Any person excepting such officers or persons on a journey or on their own premises are mentioned in section one (1) of this ordinance who shall wear or carry any such pistol as is used in the army or navy of the United States in any manner except uncovered and in his hands, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 3. Any person convicted of a violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty ($50.00) dollars, nor more than two hundred ($200.00) dollars.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its publication:

Passed and approved October 7, 1919.

L. E. CARMICHAEL, Mayor

ATTEST:

J. M. BARKER, JR., Recorder