ORDINANCE No. 196

An ordinance making regulations for conducting saloons and other places for the sale or other disposal of intoxicating liquors.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, firm or corporation licensed to give away, sell or otherwise dispose of intoxicating liquors to knowingly allow or permit any minor, or any female, or any intoxicated person, or any common drunkard, Indian, vagrant, mendicant, or habitual criminal to loiter in or be about any place where intoxicating liquors are licensed to be sold.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, whether licensed to give away, sell or otherwise dispose of intoxicating liquors or not, to give away, sell or dispose of intoxicating liquors to any minor, intoxicated person, common drunkard or Indian.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation having a license to sell, give away or otherwise dispose of intoxicating liquors, and conducting a saloon or drinking place within the City of Kent, to have, permit or maintain any boxes, stalls or booths therein, that can or shall be closed by any door, screen, curtain or other device, or have an entrance thereto in any other side than the side which faces the center line of the main bar room.

Section 4. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation licensed to sell, give away or other dispose of intoxicating liquors, to keep or maintain in any place where intoxicating liquors are licensed to be sold, any counter, table, buffet, sideboard or other place wherein any articles of food are kept for the gratuitous use and consumption of the public or of the patrons of such place where intoxicating liquors are sold or
licensed to be sold, commonly known as "A free lunch counter" or to give away or gratuitously distribute any articles of food in any such place where intoxicating liquors are licensed to be sold.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person whether by himself or by an agent or employee, or as an agent or employee of another person to do or commit any act or thing prohibited under the terms of this ordinance.

Section 6 Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or failing to comply with any of its provisions shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding thirty days.

Section 7. For any violation of the provisions of this ordinance the city council may in addition to the penalty provided in section six, revoke any license granted to any person so offending; provided that before any license shall be revoked notice in writing shall be served upon the person holding the same, of the intention of the city council to revoke the said license, and directing him to show cause why the same should not be revoked, on or before a time named in the said notice, which shall not be less than five days after the date of service of the said notice. The revocation of any license shall be by ordinance, and the publication of the same as required by law shall be sufficient notice to the holder of the license, of its revocation.

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