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**Misdemeanors.**

## ARTICLE I.

**Offenses Affecting the Public Peace and Quiet.**

**SEC. 874. Assault and Battery.]** Whoever shall commit an assault, or an assault and battery, upon the person of another, or shall be guilty of an affray, within the limits of the city of East St. Louis, shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars for each offense.

**SEC. 875. Loud or Unusual Noises.]** Whoever shall disturb the peace of the city or any part thereof, or the quiet of any family or person in said city, by loud or unusual noises, or by violent and tumultuous carriage, or by shouting, cursing, quarreling, challenging to fight or fighting, or

**SEC. 885. Concealed Weapons.]** Whoever shall, within said city, wear or carry concealed on his person any pistol, revolver, slung-shot, metallic knuckles, bowie knife, dirk, razor, or other dangerous or deadly weapon; or whoever shall display or flourish any such weapon in a boisterous or threatening manner, shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars for each offense: Provided that the provisions of this section shall not be held to apply to any policeman, constable, or other peace officer, while in the discharge of his duty.

**SEC. 886. Burglar's Tools.]** It shall be unlawful for any person to have in his possession any nippers, of the description known as "Burglar's Nippers," pick lock, skeleton key, key to be used with bit or bits, jimmy or other burglar's instrument or tool of whatsoever kind or description, unless it be shown that such person is innocent, or that he is in possession of such instruments for a lawful purpose, under a penalty of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars.

#### **Firearms, Fireworks and Cannon.**

**SEC. 887. Firearms—Discharge Prohibited.]** No person shall fire or discharge any gun, pistol, or other firearm, within the limits of the city, except upon premises used by a duly licensed shooting gallery, gun club, or rifle club under a penalty of not more than twenty-five dollars for each offense: Provided, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to the discharge of firearms by police or other city officers in the discharge of their duties.

**SEC. 888. Firearms—Minors.]** No person shall sell, loan, or furnish to any minor any gun, pistol, or other firearm within the city, under a penalty of not more than one hundred dollars for each offense: Provided, that minors may be permitted, with the consent of their parents or guardians to use firearms on the premises of a duly licensed shooting gallery, gun club, or rifle club.

**SEC. 889. Fireworks—Discharge.]** No person shall fire,