

ORDINANCE NO. 589

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SALE OF  
OBSCENE AND DEGRADING LITERATURE AND  
PICTURES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR  
VIOLATION HEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO:

SECTION I

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to publish, display for sale, exhibit, offer for sale, sell or distribute in any public or private place within the City of Roswell any literature, book, magazine, pamphlet, paper, picture or printed matter, the contents of which, in whole or in part, are obscene, vulgar, indecent, degrading, lewd or immoral.

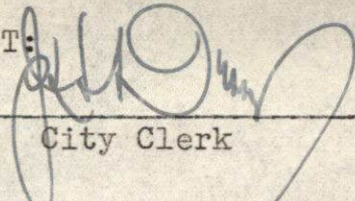
SECTION II

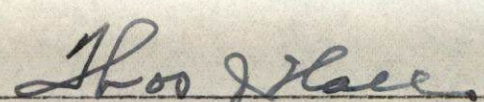
Any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined in any sum not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or imprisoned not exceeding ten days, or both, in the discretion of the Police Judge of the City of Roswell.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of

FEBRUARY, 1942.

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk

  
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Mayor