

PETTY TRADES

1. (1) No person who is not a ratepayer within the Town shall:—

(a) Do business in the Town as a peddler, hawker or trader or soliciting the sale of goods;

(b) nor go from door to door within the Town offering to sell any goods, wares or merchandise without first having taken out a license therefor.

(2) (a) nothing in this section shall apply to any person offering to sell to any person doing business in the Town, goods intended to be resold by such person in his business;

(b) providing that this By-Law shall not affect the products of the farm, the forest and the sea.

2. Every license to carry on any petty trade shall specify the particular trade which the licensee is authorized to carry on.

3. No license shall be issued to any person proposing to carry on any such petty trade with a horse and wagon or other vehicle until such horse, vehicle and harness have been inspected and approved by the Committee, or by some other person appointed by them in that behalf, and a certificate of such approval produced by the Clerk.

4. A record shall be kept by the Clerk of every license so granted, with the number of each one, which number shall be inserted in the license.

5. Every licensee shall, while conducting his business, wear in a conspicuous place on the outside of his outer garment a suitable metal badge, to be approved by the Committee, with the number of the license thereon, and shall keep such license number painted or affixed in a conspicuous manner on every vehicle used by him in such business.

6. No licensee shall permit his badge, or any vehicle so numbered, to be used for business by any person other than his servant or some member of his family, for the benefit of the licensee.

7. No licensee, or any person in his employ, shall cry his wares to the disturbance of the public.

8. Every person who contravenes or fails to comply with any of the foregoing provisions in respect to the petty trades shall, in addition to the amount of the license fee, be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten Dollars, and in default of payment to imprisonment for a period not exceeding Twenty Days.