

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

Liquor Licenses.

No. 16.—1913.

7th May.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Liquor Licenses Ordinance, No. 177.

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GEORGE R. LE HUNTE,

GOVERNOR.

27th May, 1913.

BE it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Liquor Licenses Short Title. (Amendment) Ordinance, 1913.

2. Section 7 of the Liquor Licenses Ordinance, No. 177, is amended by striking out Sub-section 2 thereof. Amendment of Section 7 of Ordinance 177.

3. Section 16 of the Liquor Licenses Ordinance No. 177 is hereby repealed, and there shall be substituted in lieu thereof the following Section:— Repeal of Section 16 of Ordinance 177.

16. (1.)—Any person who

(a) has not taken out a spirit retailer's or spirit grocer's license for a period of at least one year prior to his application; or Quarterly payments on commencement.

Quarterly
payments by
continuous
traders.

(b) has had a spirit retailer's or spirit grocer's license for the quarter immediately preceding the quarter for which he applies for a license ;
may be granted a license on payment in advance of the duty for one complete quarter at the rate specified in Schedule II of this Ordinance, and such license shall expire on the last day of the quarter which the license duty covers.

Proportional
annual pay-
ments on com-
mencement.

(2.) Subject to the express provisions of the preceding sub-section, a person who begins to carry on in any premises any trade mentioned in this Ordinance for which a license is required, may take out a license on payment of a proportion of the annual duty charged thereon, as follows :—

- (a.) If the license is taken out within the second quarter of the current year, on payment of three-fourths of the duty ; and
- (b.) If the license is taken out within the third quarter of the current year, on payment of one half of the duty ; and
- (c.) If the license is taken out within the last quarter of the current year, on payment of one-fourth of the duty :

Provided that a person who has previously taken out a license for a trade shall not be entitled to the benefit of this sub-section upon taking out a license to carry on the same trade whether on the same or on different premises, unless one year at least has elapsed between the expiration of the previous license and the taking out of the new license.

Amendment of
Section 50 of
Ordinance 177.

4. Section 50 of Ordinance No. 177 is amended by inserting after the word "worship" in line 3 thereof, the words "or the Managers of any public elementary school."

Sale to child-
ren under 14
at Race
meetings.

5. Any person to whom written permission to sell intoxicating liquor has been granted under the provisions of Section 57 of Ordinance No. 177 who knowingly sells or allows any person to sell any description of intoxicating liquor to any person for consumption within any such booth, tent or other place as is in the above mentioned Section referred to, by any person under the age of fourteen years is liable to a penalty of ten pounds.

6. Schedule II to Ordinance No. 177 is hereby repealed and there shall be substituted therefor the following:—

Amendment
of Schedule I
of Ordinance
177.

SCHEDULE II.

DUTIES.

MAGISTRATE'S LICENSES.

Spirit retailer's license—	For Port-of-Spain—	£200 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £55 per quarter.
”	”	—For San Fernando—£100 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £30 per quarter.
”	”	—For any Town and within half a mile thereof—£50 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £15 per quarter.
”	”	—Elsewhere —£30 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £10 per quarter.

Wine and Beer retailer's—Wherever situate—£7 10 per annum.
license

Hotel Spirit License	—In Port-of-Spain	—£30 per annum.
”	”	—Elsewhere —£15 ”
Special Hotel License	—For Port-of-Spain	—£100 ”
”	”	—For San Fernando—£50 ”
”	”	—Elsewhere —£25 ”

OCCASIONAL FEES.

Transfer fees under Sections 17, 18, 19—	10/-
Occasional license under Section 58	—20/- for each consecutive 24 hours or part of 24 hours for which the license is required.

EXCISE LICENSES.

Spirit Grocer's license—	Port-of-Spain	—£100 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £27 10 per quarter.
”	”	—San Fernando —£50 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £15 per quarter.
”	”	—Scarborough or any other Town—£25 per annum, or, if permitted under Section 16 (1) hereof, £7 10 per quarter.
Spirit dealer's license	—	—£10 per annum.
Wine Merchant's license—	—	—£5 ”

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Passed in Council this Seventh day of May, in the
year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

HARRY L. KNAGGS,
Clerk of the Council.
