

No. 13. *Payment of wages on licensed premises.* 1929.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 13—1929.

I ASSENT,

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S. M. GRIER,
Acting Governor.

14th November, 1929.

AN ORDINANCE to prohibit the payment of wages in premises licensed for the sale of intoxicating liquor.

[14th November, 1929.]

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 Payment of Short title. Wages on Licensed Premises (Prohibition) Ordinance, 1929.

2. In this Ordinance—

“Workman” means any person who is a labourer, servant in husbandry, journeyman, artificer, handicraftsman, or is otherwise engaged in manual labour, whether under the age of twenty-one years or above that age.

“Wages” includes a payment for work done or services rendered.

Interpreta-
tion.

Wages not to
be paid in
certain
premises.
Cap. 199.

3. No wages shall be paid to any workman at or within any premises licensed for the sale of intoxicating liquor under the Liquor Licences Ordinance, or any office, yard, or place belonging thereto or occupied therewith, save and except such wages as are paid by the owner, occupier or licensee of such premises to any workman *bona fide* employed by him.

Every person who contravenes or fails to comply with or permits any person to contravene or fail to comply with the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Ordinance.

In the event of any wages being paid by any person in contravention of the provisions of this Ordinance for or on behalf of any employer, such employer shall himself be guilty of an offence against this Ordinance, unless he prove that he had taken all reasonable means in his power for enforcing the provisions of this Ordinance and to prevent such contravention.

Penalties.

4. Every person who is guilty of an offence against this Ordinance shall be liable on summary conviction before a Magistrate to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

Passed in Council this first day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

E. F. AANENSEN,
Acting Clerk of the Council.