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[26TH JANUARY, 1929.]

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Ordinance.

2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires—

"board" means a district licensing board established in pursuance of this Ordinance;

" business premises " includes any room or place used for storing goods whether or not adjoining or adjacent to a store or shop;

"by wholesale," when used with reference to rum, means in quantities of forty-five gallons and upwards if disposed of for consumption within the Colony, and of twenty gallons and upwards if disposed of for exportation, and when used with reference to other spirituous liquor means in quantities of forty gallons and upwards;

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"district" means the district established under the District Government Ordinance wherein are situate the premises sought to be licensed;

" intoxicating liquor " means any liquor the sale of which is regulated by this Ordinance;

"malt liquor" does not include any liquor containing 30 of 1952, more than twenty per centum or less than two and a half per centum of proof spirit;

" party" means anyone who has applied for a renewal or transfer of a licence or who has opposed an application therefor:

"permitted hours" and "permitted days" mean the hours and days specified in a licence as the period for selling intoxicating liquor under that licence;

"proof" means the strength of proof as indicated by Sikes's hydrometer in accordance with the tables prescribed by section 19 of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, a copy of 5 and 6 which has been signed by the Comptroller and deposited in the deeds registry, or, in cases where the true strength of any liquor cannot be immediately ascertained by Sikes's hydrometer, as certified by the Government Analyst or an assistant analyst;

"quart" means the quart as defined by any Ordinance in force for the time being regulating weights and measures;

"Registrar" means the Registrar of Deeds;

"rum" includes any liquor whatsoever of which rum forms a component part, other than bitters, cordials, liqueurs, or similar compounds which the Comptroller is satisfied were manufactured by a compounder from rum distilled in the Colony under the Bitters and Cordials Ordinance;

"sale" includes barter and any disposal for valuable consideration;

" spirit shop " means a retail spirit shop;

"spirituous liquor" includes all liquor other than wine containing more than twenty per centum of proof spirit, and includes rum but does not include coconut rum or coconut toddy;

"superintendent" means a district or county superintendent of police;

"tavern" means premises licensed for the sale of intoxicating liquor under a railway station or stelling liquor licence;

"the Comptroller" means the Comptroller of Customs and Excise and includes any officer of the Department of Customs

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and Excise, any warden or sub-warden of a mining district and any district commissioner authorised in writing by the Comptroller of Customs and Excise to perform any of the functions and duties conferred on the Comptroller of Customs and Excise by this Ordinance;

"the schedule" means the schedule to this Ordinance;

"transferee" means a person to whom it is sought to transfer a licence;

"wine" does not include any liquor containing more than forty-two *per centum* or less than four *per centum* of proof spirit.

### CLASSIFICATION OF LICENCES FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR.

3. Licences authorising the sale of intoxicating liquor under this Ordinance shall be classified as follows—

(a) an off-licence, which shall be classified as follows—

(i) a first class licence which shall authorise the holder thereof in the City of Georgetown or the town of New Amsterdam or within one mile of the boundaries of such city or town to store in bulk, mix and blend spirituous liquor in the licensed premises and to sell therein spirituous liquor, wine or malt liquor not to be consumed on the premises, and to import and sell spirits in bond;

(ii) a second class licence which shall authorise the holder thereof within the limits specified in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, to keep and sell on the licensed premises spirituous liquor, wine or malt liquor, not to be consumed on the premises, but not to store in bulk, mix or blend such spirituous liquor; and

(iii) a third class licence which shall authorise the holder thereof within the limits specified in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph, to sell in the licensed premises malt liquor and wine, or the liquor known as Falernum if it has been manufactured locally, not to be consumed on the premises:

Provided that the Governor in Council may, by order published in the Gazette, extend the areas specified in this paragraph or define other areas in respect of which first class or second class off-licences may be issued under this Ordinance. Any such order may be revoked or varied by a subsequent order;

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(b) an hotel licence, which shall authorise the sale of malt Hotel licence liquor, wine and spirituous liquor, to be consumed on the licensed premises. Such licence may be a first class licence or a second class licence:

Provided that no hotel licence shall be issued in respect of any premises in Georgetown unless such premises contain ten bedrooms for the accommodation of guests, and if situate elsewhere, at least four;

(c) a railway station or stelling liquor licence, which shall authorise the sale at any station or stelling of the Transport and Harbours Department of wine, malt liquor, and spirituous liquor, to be consumed on the licensed premises;

(d) a spirit shop licence, which shall authorise the sale in the licensed shop in any quantities of wine, malt liquor; and spirituous liquor except rum, whether to be consumed on the premises or not, and shall authorise the sale of rum therein, whether to be consumed on the premises or not, in quantities not exceeding two quarts at any one time to any one person, or on the order of any one person except as otherwise provided by this Ordinance;

(e) a restaurant liquor licence, which shall authorise the Restaurant sale of spirituous liquor, malt liquor and wine to be consumed with a meal on the licensed premises:

Provided that the consumption of intoxicating liquor on the licensed premises shall cease at the hour of half past ten of the clock in the evening on Mondays to Fridays (inclusive) and on Sundays and at the hour of eleven of the clock in the evening on Saturdays;

(f) a passenger steamer liquor and tobacco licence which Passenger shall authorise the sale on board any passenger steamer while such steamer is on a voyage to or from any place, but not at other times of spirituous liquor, wine and malt liquor to be consumed thereon and tobacco;

(q) an occasional liquor and tobacco licence which shall authorise the sale for consumption on any premises stated in the licence of wine, spirituous liquor, malt liquor and tobacco for such period as is stated in the licence not exceeding twelve consecutive hours. This licence shall not be issued to the holder of any other licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor;

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(i) a restaurant or parlour malt liquor and wine licence which shall authorise the sale of malt liquor and wine (including the liquor known as Falernum) to be consumed with a meal on the licensed premises:

Provided that the consumption of such malt liquor or wine on the licensed premises shall cease at the hour of half past ten of the clock in the evening on Mondays to Fridays (inclusive) and on Sundays and at the hour of eleven of the clock in the evening on Saturdays;

(j) a coconut rum or coconut toddy licence, which shall authorise the sale of coconut rum or coconut toddy.

4. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, a licence for an hotel, restaurant, tavern or spirit shop, shall be issued to that person only who holds a certificate granted by a board under section 19 of this Ordinance.

LICENSING DISTRICTS AND BOARDS.

5. For the purpose of the consideration and disposal of applications for licences in respect of hotels, restaurants, taverns, or spirit shops, there shall be three licensing districts, consisting of the counties of Demerara, Berbice and Essequibo respectively:

Provided that—

(a) the Governor in Council may if he thinks it expedient increase or reduce the number of licensing districts and vary the limits accordingly; and

(b) in each of the districts there shall be a board composed of three magistrates, one of whom if not disqualified shall be magistrate of a judicial district which is in whole or in part within the licensing district.

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6. (1) There shall be established in each licensing district a district licensing board, which shall have power to hear and determine in the manner hereinafter provided all applications for hotel, restaurant liquor, railway station or stelling liquor, or spirit shop, licences for premises situate within its district. So and the state of the

(2) The board for the county of Demerara shall consist of three magistrates to be appointed by the Governor and shall sit in Georgetown or at any other places it appoints.

(3) The board for the county of Berbice shall consist of three magistrates to be appointed by the Governor and shall sit in New Amsterdam or at any other places it appoints.

(4) The board for the county of Essequibo shall consist of three magistrates to be appointed by the Governor and shall sit at Vergenoegen, or Suddie, or any other place it appoints.

(5) In the event of a member of a board being disqualified or absent or unable to act the Governor may appoint another magistrate to be a member of the board for a specific occasion, a limited time, or generally.

(6) Appointments to boards made by the Governor under this section shall be for any period he thinks fit and may be revoked at any time.

(7) The Governor may appoint a member of a board to be chairman, and in the absence of an appointment the member who has been a magistrate for the longest period shall be chairman.

7. Where under this Ordinance any power may be exercised or any duty is to be performed by a board in the event of a difference of opinion among the members of the board, that power may be exercised and that duty may be performed by a majority of the members of the board.

8. (1) A magistrate shall be disqualified from being a member of a board in any proceedings before the board where he is—

(a) the husband, or by blood or marriage the father, son, or brother, of the applicant or transferee; or

(b) the owner, or the husband, father, son, or brother of the owner, of any building which is the subject of an application by an applicant for a licence or a transfer; or

(c) the owner, or the husband, father, son, or brother of the owner, of any land on which there is any building aforesaid.

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(2) No act done by any member of a board disqualified by this section shall be invalid by reason only of that disqualification.

(3) Any magistrate who knowingly acts as a member of a board in any proceeding in which he is declared by this Ordinance to be disqualified, shall be liable in respect of each offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred and forty dollars, to be recovered by action in the Supreme Court.

9. The Comptroller shall act as clerk to the board and perform the duties directed by the board.

### GENERAL LICENSING MEETINGS.

10. (1) Each board shall hold four sessions (to be called the general licensing meetings) in each year, at such times and at such places as the chairman of the board may determine, for the purpose of dealing with applications for the issue or transfer of licences for hotels, restaurants, taverns or spirit shops, and applications for the renewal of licences for hotels, restaurants, taverns or spirit shops shall be dealt with by the board at the last general licensing meeting in each year.

(2) The meetings of the board shall be held not later than the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December in each year.

(3) At the last general licensing meeting each year the chairman of the board shall fix the dates and times of the meetings to be held the following year and the places where such meetings shall be held, and shall inform the Comptroller accordingly.

(4) The Comptroller shall at least sixty days before a meeting cause to be published simultaneously in the Gazette and in one daily newspaper circulating in the Colony on at least two consecutive Saturdays a notice stating the day, hour and place at which the meeting is to be held, and shall cause to be published in a like manner at least fourteen days before the meeting the names and addresses of all applicants for the grant of new licences and the situation of the premises in respect of which each application is made.

11. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance a board may at its general licensing meeting grant certificates for the issue and renewal of licences to any persons whom, in the

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execution of its powers under this Ordinance and in the exercise of its discretion, it deems fit and proper.

(2) The board may adjourn the meeting from time to time for any day, hour and place within the licensing district it thinks fit.

(3) Every adjourned meeting shall be deemed to be a 30 of 1952, continuation of the general licensing meeting and shall be held <sup>s. 30</sup> and <sup>st sch.</sup> within one week from the date of the previous meeting.

(4) Where an applicant for a licence has, in the opinion of the board through inadvertence or misadventure, failed to comply with any requirements of this Ordinance preliminary to an application the board may, if it thinks fit, and upon the terms it thinks proper, postpone the consideration of the application to a meeting to be held on a later date, and if at that meeting the board is satisfied that any terms imposed by it have been fulfilled may consider the application as if the preliminary requirements of this Ordinance had been properly observed.

(5) A meeting held for the consideration of an application <sup>30 of 1952</sup>, so postponed may be held if necessary after the date on which lst sch. an adjourned general licensing meeting may be held and the powers of the board may be exercised at that meeting in the same manner as at an adjourned general licensing meeting.

12. (1) An application for a certificate for an hotel, restaurant Grounds on liquor, railway station or stelling liquor, or spirit shop licence under this Ordinance may be refused on any one or other of the refused. grounds following, that is to say-

(a) in case of premises not already licensed, that—

(i) they are unfit for the purpose of the licence for which application is made;

(ii) the applicant is a person of bad character;

(iii) the applicant, having been within the preceding five years the holder of an hotel, restaurant liquor, railway station or stelling liquor, or spirit shop licence in any part of the Colony, has allowed his licensed premises to become a nuisance to the neighbourhood;

(iv) the premises for which the application is made are so situate that they cannot be kept under effective police control or are likely to be a nuisance to the neighbourhood;

(v) the applicant has neglected to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance in making his application;

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(vi) the applicant has not attained the age of twenty-one years;

(vii) there is a sufficient number of premises already licensed to meet the needs of the neighbourhood;

(b) in the case of premises already licensed that—

(i) the applicant has neglected to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance in making his application;

(ii) the premises have within the preceding twelve months been so conducted as to be a nuisance in the neighbourhood;

(c) in the event of the applicant not being then the holder of a licence that—

(i) he is a person of bad character;

(ii) he has not attained the age of twenty-one years;

(iii) having within the preceding five years been the holder of a licence in any part of the Colony, he has allowed his licensed premises to become a nuisance to the neighbourhood.

(2) No premises shall be deemed to be fit for the purposes of a tavern or a spirit shop which contain any dwelling or living room having an internal communication with that part of the premises wherein intoxicating liquor is sold, and that part of the building shall be separated from the rest by a partition built up to the roof.

(3) In addition to the grounds above set forth any application for the grant of a certificate for the issue or the renewal of a licence may be refused by a board for any other reason, based on the character or history of the applicant or the condition, circumstances, or locality of the premises, which the board in its discretion considers sufficient in the interest of the good order of the community; provided notice has been given to the applicant in the manner directed by section 14 of this Ordinance.

### PROCEDURE PRIOR TO AND AT MEETING.

13. (1) Anyone (in this Ordinance styled the applicant) who wishes to apply to a board for the grant of a certificate for the issue or renewal of a licence for an hotel, restaurant, tavern or spirit shop shall—

(a) serve on the Comptroller an application in duplicate signed by himself or his agent on his behalf in form 1 in the schedule, at least thirty days before the date fixed for

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Schedule; form 1. the holding of the next general licensing meeting, and when he serves the application pay to the Comptroller the sum of five dollars;

(b) in the case of premises not already licensed deposit with his application with the Comptroller a plan of the house, shop, or premises, sought to be licensed and affix one copy of the application on the outside, and another on the inside, of the outer front door of the premises sought to be licensed and keep the copies so affixed until his application is determined.

(2) The Comptroller on receipt of an application shall forth- 66 of 1952, with transmit a duplicate thereof to the chairman of the board.

14. (1) When notice has been duly given by anyone of his Opposition to intention to apply for a certificate for the grant or renewal of a licence anyone may oppose the application on any of the licence. grounds enumerated in section 12 hereof:

Provided that—

(a) he shall give notice in writing to the applicant and to the Comptroller of the grounds whereon the opposition is based, and that at the hearing of the application no objection shall be entertained by the Board other than those set forth in the notice aforesaid; and

(b) the notice shall be served on the applicant and on the Comptroller at least seven days before the meeting at which the application is to be heard.

(2) The applicant and anyone who has given notice of 30 of 1952, opposition shall be entitled to appear at the general licensing 1st sch. meeting in person or by counsel or solicitor and to adduce evidence in support of his case.

15. Where the board is of opinion that the grounds whereon Costs anyone has opposed the grant of a licence are unreasonable by board. or frivolous, the board may make an order that the opposer shall pay to the applicant a sum for costs (to be named in the order) which the board deems just, and the order shall and may be enforced in the same manner as an order of the like nature made by a magistrate's court in civil proceedings.

16. (1) Anyone who opposes an application and an applicant Summoning witnesses. may obtain from any member of a board summonses for witnesses to appear at the hearing of the application and give evidence, or give evidence and produce any books, deeds, papers, writings, or articles in their possession or control.

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(2) There shall be paid on summonses the same fees as in the case of summonses in civil proceedings in a magistrate's court.

(3) Summonses issued under this section shall be served in the same manner as summonses issued in civil proceedings in a magistrate's court.

(4) Everyone on whom a summons as a witness has been duly served and to whom at the same time payment or a tender of payment of expenses, according to the scale prescribed in civil proceedings in a magistrate's court, has been made, who refuses or neglects, without sufficient cause, to appear and give evidence and produce any books, deeds, papers, writings, or articles in his possession or control, in obedience to the summons, and also everyone present at a meeting who is required to give evidence and refuses to be sworn or to give evidence accordingly, shall forfeit and pay a fine, not exceeding one hundred dollars, as directed by the board.

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Special provision in cases of applications for premises situate in the same locality. 30 of 1952, s. 30 and 1st sch. 66 of 1952, s. 3. 17. (1) On the day appointed the board shall openly hear, consider and deal with all applications presented, and may examine witnesses on oath, and if one or other of the objections to the grant or renewal of a licence set forth in section 12 hereof is, after due notice as required by section 14, established to the satisfaction of the board, the board may reject the application; otherwise the application may be granted if the board is satisfied that the application is duly made and can be granted. The chairman of the board shall take notes of the evidence.

(2) Where notice of opposition in the manner directed by section 14 hereof has not been given to an applicant for a certificate for the renewal of a licence, the board shall grant the application if satisfied that it was duly made and ought to be granted, and it shall not be necessary for the applicant to attend the meeting, and the board may, if it think fit, grant the application prior to the day fixed for the holding of the meeting.

18. When more applications than one are made to the board for certificates for the issue of hotel, railway station or stelling liquor, or spirit shop licences for premises which, in the opinion of the board, are situate in the same locality, if the board considers that a certificate may be granted and that there is no objection to its being granted to any one of two or more applicants, the board may direct the Comptroller to put up for sale the right to the grant of a certificate, either at public auction or by tender by notice in the Gazette and one daily newspaper for two successive Saturdays, at the time and place

and amongst the applicants the board thinks fit, and the purchaser thereof shall be deemed to be a person whose application has been granted by the board.

**19.** (1) Whenever an application is granted the board shall Grant of grant a certificate for the issue or renewal of the licence for successful which application is made, the certificate to be in accordance with form 2 in the schedule.

(2) On delivering the aforesaid certificate and on paying to the Comptroller the licence duty imposed by the Tax Ordinance for the time being in force the applicant shall be entitled to receive from the Comptroller a licence in form 3 in the schedule, Form 3. but the Comptroller shall not issue a licence after sixty days from the date of the aforesaid certificate.

TRANSFERS AT GENERAL LICENSING MEETINGS.

20. (1) At any general licensing meeting any holder of a licence for an hotel, restaurant, tavern, or spirit shop, may apply to the board to have his licence transferred to some other person or premises.

(2) In the case of a proposed transfer to some other person, both the applicant and the transferee shall, not later than fifteen days before the general licensing meeting at which the application is to be heard, serve on the Comptroller a joint application in duplicate in form 4 in the schedule.

(3) In the case of a proposed transfer to some other premises, the applicant shall serve on the Comptroller not later than fifteen days before the date fixed for the next transfer sessions, an application in form 5 in the schedule.

(4) In both cases the applicant shall as far as practicable conform to the same conditions relating to the posting of notices on the shop or premises, as are hereby directed in respect of application for a certificate for the issue of a licence.

(5) In the case of a transfer from one place or premises to 66 of 1952, another place or premises, notices thereof shall be posted on both premises and a plan of the premises to which the licence is to be transferred shall be deposited with the Comptroller.

(6) The Comptroller shall, as soon as practicable after the 30 of 1952, receipt of the application, publish notice thereof as provided in subsection (4) of section 10 hereof.

(7) In either case the application may be opposed in manner similar to that provided by this Ordinance for opposition to

certificate to applicant and issue of licence. Schedule; form 2. 30 of 1952, s. 10. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

30 of 1952, s. 11. Application for transfer of licence and procedure thereon. 30 of 1952, s. 13. 30 of 1952, s. 13. 66 of 1952, s. 3. Schedule: form 4. 66 of 1952, s. 3. Form 5.

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s. 13. 66 of 1952, s. 3. 3 of 1930, s. 3. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

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the granting of original or the renewal of existing licences, save that anyone opposing a transfer of a licence from one person to another shall give notice of his opposition to both parties within seven days after the second publication by the Comptroller of the notice of application for a transfer.

Holder of licence may apply to Board for alterations. 30 of 1952, 5. 14. 66 of 1952, 5. 3.

Principles to be applied in determining applications. 30 of 1952, s. 15. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

66 of 1952, s. 3. 21. (1) In the case of an hotel, restaurant, tavern or spirit shop, the holder of a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor may apply to the board for permission to alter or reconstruct the licensed premises, and the board may in their discretion grant or refuse such application.

(2) Where any such application is granted, the Comptroller shall make such alterations on the licence as may be necessary.

22. (1) The Board, if the conditions aforesaid have been observed, may grant the application subject to the same principles and considerations as apply to the case of an application for a certificate for the issue of a licence for premises not already licensed:

Provided that-

(a) in the case of a proposed transfer of a licence from one licensing district to another, the board of the latter district shall deal with the application; and

(b) where there has not been notice of opposition as provided by this Ordinance, the board may, if it think fit, or the chairman may, without reference to a meeting of the board, grant the transfer prior to the day fixed for the meeting and shall cause the Comptroller to be so informed.

(2) Whenever an application is granted the subsequent procedure with respect to the issue of a certificate and of a licence shall be as nearly as practicable similar to that in the case of the grant of a licence under this Ordinance; but in the case of a transfer of a licence from one person to another, the transfer shall be effected by endorsement thereon by the Comptroller of the fact of that transfer.

Transfer in case of death, insolveney, or execution, sale. 30 of 1952, s. 30 and 1st sch. 66 of 1952, s. 3. 23. (1) On the death or insolvency of a holder of an hotel, restaurant liquor, railway station or stelling liquor, or spirit shop licence his legal personal representative, the public trustee, the official receiver, or the trustee of a deed of arrangement, or the liquidator, shall, on proof of title, be entitled to have the licence transferred to him by the Comptroller who shall thereon endorse the fact of the transfer.

66 of 1952, s. 3.

(2) The person to whom a licence has been transferred by the Comptroller shall be entitled to the same rights and privileges and be subject to the same liabilities as the original holder of the licence:

Provided that none of these persons, other than the public trustee or the official receiver, shall be entitled to carry on business under a licence so transferred to him beyond the third transfer sessions after the transfer or the next general licensing meeting, whichever last happens.

(3) When the business of the holder of an hotel, restaurant 30 of 1952, liquor, railway station or stelling liquor, or spirit shop licence 1st sch. is sold at execution by the Registrar, the Registrar and the purchaser shall apply to the board for the transfer of the licence to the purchaser, and the joint application shall be made and dealt with in the same manner as hereinbefore provided for the transfer of a licence from a holder thereof to some other person.

24. In the case of proceedings before a board-

(a) where a notice is to be served on the applicant for the notices. grant of a certificate for a licence or a renewal, or for a transfer, service shall be made either personally or by registered post;

(b) where a notice is to be served on the Comptroller, service shall be made either by delivery at his office or by registered post:

Provided that where service is by registered post, proof of the registration shall be given if required.

### APPEAL.

25. (1) An applicant for a certificate for the issue, renewal, or Appeal from decision of transfer of an hotel, restaurant liquor, railway station or stelling board to liquor, or spirit shop licence and anyone who has duly opposed Full Court. an application for the certificate may appeal against the decision of a board refusing or granting the certificate, and except in the case of a grant of a certificate for the issue of a new licence, the execution of the decision of the board shall not be suspended because of any such appeal.

(2) The appeal shall lie to the Full Court of the Supreme Court (hereinafter referred to as "the Full Court ") and, subject to any provisions inconsistent therewith hereinafter contained, shall, as to procedure, fees and the powers of the Full Court, be in accordance with the provisions, so far as they are applicable, of any Ordinance for the time being in force regulating appeals from the decisions of magistrates;

s. 30 and

Mode of service of 66 of 1952,

30 of 1952, s. 17.

Provided that the term "board" shall be read for the term "magistrate" and the expression "clerk of the board" for the expression "clerk of the court" in any such Ordinance.

(3) The following and no other grounds of appeal may be relied on—

(a) that the board had no jurisdiction to deal with the application, provided the objection to the jurisdiction of the board has been formerly taken before the board at some stage of the proceedings before a certificate was granted or refused; or

(b) that the board has exceeded its jurisdiction; or

(c) that the board or a member thereof was personally interested in the application; but a disqualification under subsection (1) of section 8 hereof shall not of itself be a ground of appeal; or

(d) that the board or a member thereof has acted corruptly or maliciously, or has taken extraneous matter into consideration; or

(e) that the grant or refusal of a certificate has been obtained by fraud; or

(f) that the grant or refusal of a certificate is affected by some specific illegality other than hereinbefore mentioned.

26. (1) The Full Court shall hear and determine the matter of appeal and have power to decide all questions of fact or law raised in the appeal, and shall make any order therein with or without costs the Court thinks fit, and may if necessary grant the application for a certificate for the renewal or transfer of the licence in the same manner as the board might have granted it.

(2) Where the Full Court makes an order directing any costs to be paid they shall be recoverable in the same manner as is provided for the recovery of costs awarded on an appeal from the decision of a magistrate.

(3) Save as hereinbefore provided no decision of a board shall be subject to appeal.

### PROVISIONAL LICENCES FOR NEW PREMISES.

27. (1) A person by serving on the Comptroller notice in form 6 in the schedule may apply to the board for the provisional grant of a certificate for the issue of a licence in respect of any premises about to be constructed or in course of construction for use as an hotel, restaurant, tavern, or spirit shop, or of an existing building which is being acquired with the

Jurisdiction of Full Court on appeal.

Provisional grant of licences to new premises. 30 of 1952, s. 18. 66 of 1952, s. 3. Schedule; form 6.

intention of converting it into an hotel, restaurant, tavern or spirit shop; and the board, if satisfied with the plans submitted to it, and that if the premises had been actually constructed in accordance with those plans it would, on application, have granted a certificate for the issue of a licence in respect thereof, may make a provisional grant accordingly.

(2) A provisional grant shall not be of any validity until declared to be final by an order of the board made after notice given as required by the board at a general licensing meeting or transfer sessions. The declaration shall be made if the board is satisfied that the premises have been completed in accordance with the plans aforesaid, and when a declaration has been made the procedure and forms prescribed in section 19 of this Ordinance, with the necessary variations, shall apply.

(3) An application for a provisional grant shall be subject to the same conditions as to giving of notice of opposition and generally as to procedure as those to which the grant would be subject if it were not provisional, with the exception that, where a notice is required to be put up on a door of a building, the notice may be put up in a conspicuous position on any part of the premises.

(4) This section shall, with the necessary variations, extend to the provisional grant of an application for the transfer of a licence from one premises to another.

### MINERAL AND FOREST LICENSING AREAS.

28. (1) The Governor in Council may, by order, declare any Spirit shop part or parts of the Colony to be a Mineral and Forest Licensing mineral and area, and may vary or revoke any such order.

(2) The issue, renewal or transfer of a spirit shop licence within such area (hereinafter referred to as a licensing area) shall be regulated by the provisions of the next two succeeding sections of this Ordinance.

29. (1) Any person within a licensing area who desires the grant, renewal or transfer of an hotel, restaurant liquor, tavern to issue, or spirit shop licence shall make application to the Comptroller in the appropriate form in the schedule with the necessary variations.

licences in forest licensing areas. 24 of 1932, s. 2.

Procedure with respect renewal and transfer of spirit shop licences in licensing areas. 31 of 1952, s. 2. 66 of 1952, s. 3. 31 of 1952, s. 2, 66 of 1952, 8. 3.

(2) The Comptroller shall consider, and, if he thinks fit, may grant the application.

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31 of 1952, s. 2. 66 of 1952, s. 2.

31 of 1952, s. 2. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

31 of 1952, s. 2. 31 of 1952, s. 2. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

Appeal. 31 of 1952. s. 3. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

30 of 1952, s. 19. How granted. 30 of 1952, s. 30 and 1st sch. 66 of 1952, s. 3. Schedule; form 7.

30 of 1952, s. 30 and 1st sch.

Grant Or refusal. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

First schedule; form 8.

Transfer. 30 of 1952, s. 30 and 1st sch. 66 of 1952, s. 3. (3) If the Comptroller decides to grant an application he shall issue a certificate to the applicant in the appropriate form in the schedule with the necessary variations.

(4) On presentation of the certificate for the issue, renewal or transfer of a licence and on payment of the duty or the proportionate part thereof, as the case may be, the Comptroller shall issue, renew or transfer the licence.

(5) A renewal shall be for not less than a financial year.

(6) When the Comptroller refuses to grant a certificate he shall inform the applicant in writing of the reason for the refusal.

**30.** An applicant for a certificate under the last preceding section may appeal against the decision of the Comptroller refusing a certificate as provided by section 25 of this Ordinance:

Provided that the proviso to subsection (2) shall be modified by reading the words "the Comptroller" for the word "magistrate" and the words "the Comptroller" for the words "clerk of the court".

#### **OFF-LICENCES**.

31. (1) Any person wishing to obtain an off-licence shall make application to the Comptroller in form 7 in the schedule.

(2) An off-licence may be granted at any time for the whole unexpired portion of any financial year provided the period for which it is taken out be not less than three months.

32. The Comptroller shall immediately consider every application and may grant or refuse it as he thinks fit, and he shall intimate his decision in writing to the applicant at the address given by the applicant; if he grants the application he shall, on payment of the duty payable for the licence under the Tax Ordinance for the time being in force, issue a licence to the applicant in form 8 in the first schedule.

33. Every holder of an off-licence wishing to transfer it from one premises to another or to any other person shall apply to the Comptroller in writing, who may grant or refuse the application as he thinks fit, and if the application is granted,

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the transfer shall be effected by the Comptroller endorsing on the licence the fact of the transfer, and the date of the endorsement shall for all purposes be deemed to be the date of the transfer.

34. Where the Comptroller refuses to grant a licence or a Right of transfer under either section 32 or 33 of this Ordinance, the decision applicant may, within fourteen days after receiving the decision of the Comptroller, appeal by petition to the Governor in Council who may affirm or reverse that decision. The decision of the Governor in Council shall be final.

appeal from decision of the Comptroller. 47 of 1951, s. 3. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

PASSENGER STEAMER LIQUOR AND TOBACCO, OCCASIONAL 30 of 1950, s. 20. LIQUOR AND TOBACCO AND MALT LIQUOR AND WINE LICENCES.

**35.** (1) The Comptroller may grant a licence of any of the classes defined in paragraphs (f), (g), (h) and (i) of section 3 hereof.

(2) The licence shall specify the place where the person 30 of 1952, obtaining it is to be entitled to sell wine, or malt liquor, or 5.21. spirituous liquor, and, in the case of an occasional licence, the s. 3. permitted days and permitted hours:

Provided that a passenger steamer liquor and tobacco licence issued under the provisions of this section may be transferred from one passenger steamer to another passenger steamer plying on the same route, by the Comptroller's endorsement to that effect on the back of the licence, and the date and hour of the endorsement shall for all purposes be deemed to be the date and hour of the transfer.

(3) (i) Subject to the provisions of this section an application 26 of 1944, for an occasional liquor and tobacco licence in respect of  $\frac{s. 2}{30 \text{ of } 1952}$ , premises occupied by a club registered under the Registration s. 21. of Clubs Ordinance or under any Ordinance amending or <sup>66 of 1952</sup>, s. 3. substituted for the same, shall only be made by and on behalf Cap. 321. of the club.

(ii) The application shall be supported by a statutory declaration made by the president, chairman, or secretary of the club. In the declaration it shall be stated that the occasional liquor and tobacco licence is required for the purpose of a ball, dance, concert or other entertainment to be held on the club premises by and on behalf of the club, and that the provisions of paragraph (iv) of this subsection will not be contravened if the occasional liquor and tobacco licence is granted.

Grant. 30 of 1952, s. 21. 66 of 1952. s. 3. s. 21.

(iii) On the production to the Comptroller of the statutory declaration and on payment of the licence duty prescribed by the Tax Ordinance for the time being in force, the Comptroller shall grant an occasional liquor and tobacco licence to and in favour of the club.

(iv) The Comptroller shall not grant more than twelve occasional licences in any year to any one club.

(4) The provisions of subsection (3) of this section shall not apply—

(a) to any club which on the 1st July, 1944, was the holder of a valid annual licence granted under section 4 of the Music and Dancing Licences Ordinance; or

(b) to any sports ground leased for the purpose of any match or athletic contest of a special nature in any case where the lessees thereof have been granted a certificate by the Chief Secretary stating that the match or contest is one which, in his opinion, entitles the said ground to exemption under this paragraph.

### PROVISIONS RELATING TO COCONUT RUM OR COCONUT TODDY AND TO LICENCES FOR THE SALE THEREOF.

**36.** A licence to sell coconut rum or coconut toddy may be granted by the Comptroller.

**37.** Everyone who sells, or offers for sale, or exchanges, barters, or otherwise disposes of for money or reward, coconut rum or coconut toddy without having a licence to sell it shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding forty-eight dollars.

### REGISTER OF LICENCES.

**38.** (1) The Comptroller shall keep a register, to be called the register of intoxicating liquor licences, in the form prescribed by the Governor in Council, containing the particulars of all licences granted under this Ordinance in each district, the premises in respect whereof they were granted, the names of the owners of those premises, and the names of the holders for the time being of the licences.

(2) The Comptroller shall keep a register of the convictions of the holders of licences under this Ordinance for offences against any law relating to intoxicating liquor, and where any person is so convicted, the clerk of the court shall forthwith send notice of such conviction to the Comptroller.

26 of 1944, s. 2. 30 of 1952, s. 21.

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Licence for sale of coconut rum. 66 of 1952, s. 3. Penalty for selling coconut rum without a licence.

Register of licences to be kept. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

Register of convictions to be kept. 30 of 1952, s. 22. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

39. Everyone whose application for a certificate for the issue Entry of of a licence or the renewal of a licence has been granted shall at the time of payment of the licence duty state the name of the person for the time being entitled to receive on his own account the rackrent of the premises in respect whereof the licence is granted or renewed, and that name shall be endorsed on the licence and entered on the register as the name of an owner of the premises.

**40.** On any application for the grant, renewal, or transfer of Regard to be had to entries a licence the board shall have regard to any entries in the in register of register of licences relating either to the person by whom or to licences. the premises in respect whereof the licence is to be held.

41. (1) Any officer of police, or of customs and excise, without Inspection payment, and any other person on payment of a fee of twenty- of licences. four cents, shall be entitled at all reasonable times to inspect and take extracts from the register.

(2) A copy of an entry made in the register of licences in pursuance of this Ordinance, purporting to be signed by the Comptroller and to be certified to be a true copy, shall be evidence of the matters stated in that entry, without proof of the signature or authority of the person signing it.

42. The Comptroller shall cause a list of the names in alphabetical order of all persons to whom licences have been issued to be put up in a conspicuous part of his office after every sitting of a board at which licences have been granted. The Governor may at any time direct the publication of the list.

### GENERAL REGULATIONS AS TO SALE OF LIQUOR AND CONDUCT OF LICENSED PREMISES.

43. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, everyone who sells or offers for sale any malt liquor or wine, except by wholesale in quantities exceeding thirty gallons at one time to one person, or in some place or premises for which he or someone by whom he is employed has a licence authorising the sale thereof within that place or premises and in accordance with the authority conferred by the licence, shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty of not less than ten dollars and not more than fifty dollars.

44. (1) Everyone who sells or offers for sale any rum, except Penalty for selling by wholesale or in some place or premises for which he or spirituous someone by whom he is employed has a licence authorising the liquor sale thereof within that place or premises and in accordance licence.

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66 of 1952, s. 3.

List of names of licensees to be exhibited in Comptroller's office.

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Penalty for selling malt liquor or wine without a licence.

owners of premises on register of licences.

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with the authority conferred by the licence, shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty of not less than fifty dollars and not more than five hundred dollars.

(2) Everyone who sells or offers for sale any spirituous liquor other than rum, except by wholesale or in some place or premises for which he or someone by whom he is employed has a licence authorising the sale thereof and in accordance with the authority conferred by the licence, shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty of not less than twenty dollars and not more than two hundred dollars.

(3) There shall not be more than one conviction against anyone in respect of offences against the provisions of this section committed on any one day.

Penalties on holders of licences for selling and disposing of spirituous liquor, in contravention of licence. 30 of 1952, s. 23. 45. (1) Every holder of an hotel, or restaurant liquor, or railway station or stelling liquor, or passenger steamer liquor and tobacco, or occasional liquor and tobacco, licence who sells or offers for sale any spirituous liquor not to be drunk on the premises shall be liable to a penalty of not less than fifty dollars and not more than five hundred dollars.

(2) There shall not be more than one conviction against anyone in respect of offences against the provisions of this section committed on any one day.

### **REGULATION OF LICENCE-HOLDERS.**

46. (1) Every holder of an off-licence or of a licence for an hotel, restaurant, tavern, or spirit shop, shall affix on the outside of and over some conspicuous door in the front of the store, hotel, tavern, or shop, a board whereon there shall be legibly and clearly painted in white letters, each not less in length than three inches, on a black ground, the name of the holder of the licence at length, and underneath the words "Licensed Off-licence Store," "Licensed Hotel," "Licensed Restaurant," "Licensed Tavern," or "Licensed Spirit Shop," as the case may be, on pain in default thereof, of liability to a penalty of ten dollars for the first, twenty dollars for the second, and forty dollars for the third and every subsequent breach of this section.

(2) Every omission to affix the board continued for a period of ten days after the last previous conviction shall be considered a breach of this section.

Affixing of signboards. 30 of 1952, s. 24.

47. (1) Every holder of a licence for an hotel, restaurant, tavern, spirit shop, and passenger steamer, shall keep in the premises for which the licence has been granted a book, in form 9 in the schedule wherein shall be entered all the rum received or brought into those premises, and a book in form 10 wherein shall be entered all the other spirituous liquor brought into the form 9; premises.

(2) Every holder of the licence who neglects to make the necessary entries in the books aforesaid on the same day whereon he receives any rum or other spirituous liquor shall be guilty of an offence, and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

Refusal to **48.** Every holder of a licence for a place or premises licensed produce under the provisions of this Ordinance whobooks.

(a) refuses to produce to the Comptroller when required to do so any book required to be kept by him in the premises tion of for which the licence is granted; or

(b) prevents the Comptroller from inspecting any book aforesaid: or

(c) molests or obstructs the Comptroller when inspecting those books; or

(d) prevents or attempt. ~ prevent, by any device or otherwise, the Comptroller from . rtaining the true quantity and strength of any liquor in those, omises; or

(e) molests or hinders the Comptroller when ascertaining the quantity or strength,

shall be guilty of an offence, and on conviction thereoi shall be liable to a penalty of not less than twenty dollars and not more than fifty dollars.

49. (1) All rum, brandy, whisky, gin, or other spirituous liquor, in any place or premises licensed under the provisions of this Ordinance or in any part of the premises or out-buildings of, or connected with, them, shall be of good wholesome quality and (except brandy) shall be of a strength not below twenty-five per centum under proof.

(2) Any of the rum, brandy, whisky, gin, or other spirituous liquor, not of good wholesome quality or (except brandy) of a strength below twenty-five per centum under proof and the package containing it may be seized by the Comptroller and shall be forfeited, and the holder of the licence for the place or premises in or near which it is found, shall be guilty of ar

Regulation of strength of spirit kept by licence holders.

Forfeiture of liquor below strength. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

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Books to be kept by holder of licence. 30 of 1952, s. 30 and 1st sch. Schedule: form 10.

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offence, and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars.

(3) If any rum, whisky, gin, or other spirituous liquor (except brandy) of a strength below twenty-five *per centum* under proof is sold from any place or premises licensed under this Ordinance, the holder of the licence for the place or premises shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars.

66 of 1952, s. 3.

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Penalty for allowing person under 16 years to be on licensed premises. 3 of 1930, s. 6. 3 of 1930, s. 6.

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3 of 1930, s. 6. (4) The provisions of this section as to the strength of rum, whisky, gin, and other spirituous liquor sold shall not apply to any bitters, cordials, liqueurs, or similar compounds of rum, manufactured by a compounder under the Bitters and Cordials Ordinance, or to any spirituous liquor that has been on importation passed by the Comptroller as bitters, cordials, or liqueurs, provided the strength of the bitters, cordials, liqueurs or similar compounds, compounded or imported has not been artificially altered since they were removed from the compounder's premises or imported, as the case may be.

50. (1) The holder of a licence under this Ordinance shall not allow nor shall any servant of his allow any person under the age of sixteen years to be in any bar on the licensed premises.

(2) If a person under the age of sixteen years is found in any bar of any licensed premises the holder of the licence or his servant shall be deemed to have committed an offence under this section unless he shows that he has used due diligence to prevent the person being admitted to the bar or that the person was apparently over the age of sixteen years or that the person was in the bar solely for the purpose of passing through in order to obtain access to, or egress from some other part of the premises, not being a bar, where there was no other convenient means of access to, or egress from, that part of the premises.

(3) In this section the bar of a licensed premises means any open drinking bar or any part of the premises exclusively or mainly used for the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquor.

(4) If any person acts in contravention of this section, he shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding, in the case of the first offence five dollars and in the case of any subsequent offence ten dollars.

51. (1) The holder of a licence under this Ordinance shall not Penalty for knowingly sell nor allow anyone to sell, nor shall any servant supply of of his knowingly sell, to be consumed on the premises, any intoxicating intoxicating liquor to anyone under the age of eighteen years; young and no one under the age of eighteen years shall purchase or persons. attempt to purchase in any licensed premises any intoxicating liquor for his own consumption therein:

Provided that nothing in this subsection shall prevent the sale, supply, or purchase, of wine or malt liquor to or by a person over the age of sixteen years where it is sold, supplied, or purchased only for consumption at a meal to be consumed at the same time in the portion of the premises (not being a bar) usually set apart for the service of meals.

(2) The holder of a licence shall not knowingly allow, nor shall any servant of his knowingly allow, any intoxicating liquor to be consumed by anyone under the age of eighteen years in any bar on his licensed premises; and no one shall purchase, or attempt to purchase, any intoxicating liquor for consumption by a person under the age of eighteen years in that bar.

(3) In this section the bar of a licensed premises means any open drinking bar, or any part of the premises exclusively or mainly used for the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquor.

(4) Anyone who acts in contravention of this section shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding in the case of the first offence five dollars and in the case of any subsequent offence ten dollars.

52. (1) The holder of a licence shall not knowingly employ Penalty for employment nor allow any person to employ, nor shall any servant of his of young knowingly employ anyone under the age of eighteen years to people to sell intoxicating sell or assist in the sale of intoxicating liquor on any licensed liquor. premises where the licence authorises the sale of spirituous liquor.

(2) Anyone who acts in contravention of this section shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding in the case of the first offence five dollars and in the case of any subsequent offence ten dollars.

53. (1) The holder of a licence shall not—

(a) knowingly harbour or knowingly suffer to remain on constables. his premises any constable being on duty, unless for the purpose of keeping or restoring order in execution of the constable's duty; or

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(b) supply any intoxicating liquor or refreshment, whether by way of gift or sale, to any constable on duty unless by authority of some superior officer of the constable; or

(c) bribe or attempt to bribe any constable.

(2) Any holder of a licence who acts in contravention of this section shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding in the case of a first offence twenty-five dollars and in the case of any subsequent offence fifty dollars.

Penalty for permitting drunkenness. 54. (1) The holder of a licence shall not permit drunkenness or any violent, quarrelsome, or riotous conduct to take place on his premises, nor sell any intoxicating liquor to a drunken person.

(2) The holder of a licence who acts in contravention of this section shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding in the case of a first offence ten dollars and in the case of any subsequent offence twenty-five dollars.

(3) If the holder of a licence is charged with permitting drunkenness on his premises in contravention of this section and it is proved that anyone was drunk on his premises, it shall lie on him to prove that he and the persons employed by him took all reasonable steps to prevent drunkenness on the premises.

Penalty for permitting premises to be a brothel. 55. (1) The holder of a licence shall not permit his premises to be a brothel.

(2) The holder of a licence who acts in contravention of this section shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

(3) A holder of a licence convicted, whether under this section or otherwise, of the offence of permitting his premises to be a brothel shall forfeit his licence.

Power to exclude drunkards from licensed premises. 56. (1) The holder of a licence may refuse to admit to, and may turn out of, the premises in respect of which his licence is granted anyone who is drunken, violent, quarrelsome, or disorderly, and anyone whose presence on his premises would subject him to a penalty under this Ordinance.

(2) Anyone upon being requested in pursuance of this section by the holder of the licence, or his agent or servant, or any constable, to quit the premises who refuses or fails to do so shall be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding twenty dollars, and all constables are required, on the demand of the

holder of the licence, or the agent, or servant, to expel or assist in expelling the offender from the premises and may use the force required for that purpose.

57. (1) No person may keep any shop, other than a spirit Prohibition of other shop shop, in the same building as a spirit shop unless the spirit shop in same and such other shop have distinct and separate entrances from building as a the outside and are so partitioned off the one from the other 3 of 1930, (including any gallery space pertaining to either of them) that s. 4. no customer can pass from the one to the other without leaving the building in which such shops are kept.

(2) No goods, wares or merchandise whatever, except ice, 3 of 1930, liquors of every description used for drink, empty packages s. 4. which have contained such liquors and tobacco, whether manufactured or not, cigars and cigarettes and smokers' requisites such as books of cigarette papers, matches, cigar and cigarette holders, pipes and pipe cleaners shall be dealt in or sold either directly or indirectly, in or from any licensed spirit shop.

(3) Any person contravening any of the foregoing provisions  $\frac{3 \text{ of } 1930}{\text{s. 4.}}$ of this section and the holder of the licence of a spirit shop in respect of which any such contravention occurs shall be liable to a penalty of not less than ten dollars and not exceeding fifty dollars.

58. All liquors disposed of in any licensed tavern or spirit Barter of shop shall be sold for money and shall not be bartered or exchanged for any other thing, on pain of the holder of the licence being liable to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars for every breach of this section.

59. (1) If at any time there is a riotous, or disorderly, or Non-dispersal noisy, meeting at, or assemblage of persons in, at, or near any meeting in, licensed tavern or spirit shop the person in charge of the tavern or shop shall immediately call or send for the assistance of the nearest constable or rural constable to disperse the meeting or assemblage.

(2) If anyone so in charge fails without reasonable excuse to call or send for that assistance, the holder of the licence for the tavern or shop shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars; and any constable or rural constable who, when so called or sent for, refuses or neglects to give the assistance shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars.

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Playing at cards, or dice. or gaming, in licensed spirit shop.

60. No playing at cards or dice, whether for money or mere amusement, and no gaming of any kind whatever, shall be

Power to constable to spirit shop.

Sale of more than two quarts of rum at one time.

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carried on in any licensed tavern or spirit shop, or in any part of the premises thereto appertaining or adjoining, on pain of the holder of the licence for the tavern or shop being liable to a penalty of fifty dollars, and of everyone engaged in the playing at cards or dice, or in the gaming, being liable to a penalty of ten dollars.

61. (1) Any constable may, when and as often as he thinks enter licensed fit, enter any licensed tavern or spirit shop, and into and upon the premises belonging thereto or used therewith.

> (2) Everyone who refuses to admit a constable into the tavern, shop, or premises, or molests any constable when therein, shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars.

> 62. (1) Except as hereinafter provided no holder of a spirit shop licence may sell, deliver, or dispose of more than two quarts of rum to any one person or on the order of any one person at any one time.

> (2) Every holder of a spirit shop licence who by himself, his servant, or agent, sells, delivers, or disposes of more than two quarts of rum to any person or on the order of any person at any one time, and every holder of a spirit shop licence in whose shop more than two quarts of rum is sold, delivered, or disposed of, to any one person or on the order of any person at any one time, shall be guilty of an offence and shall on a first conviction be liable to a penalty of not less than one hundred dollars and not more than five hundred dollars, and on a second conviction to a like penalty and in addition to have his licence suspended for any period not exceeding one month, and on a third or any subsequent conviction to a like penalty and in addition to have his licence forfeited:

### Provided that-

(a) the holder of a spirit shop licence may sell, deliver, or dispose of more than two quarts of rum to any one person if the holder has previously to the sale or delivery obtained a special authority in form 11 in the schedule from the Comptroller signed by the Comptroller authorising the holder to sell the larger quantity to the particular person named therein: and

(b) the Comptroller may, in any cases and upon any conditions he thinks fit, authorise the holder of a spirit shop

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licence to sell, deliver, or dispose of rum in quantities exceeding two quarts and issue permits for its removal in form 12 in Form 12. the schedule; but nothing contained in this paragraph shall be construed as authorising the removal of rum from one spirit shop to another.

(3) Anyone who, being authorised by virtue of the proviso contained in paragraph (b) of the last preceding subsection, sells, delivers, disposes of, or in whose shop there is sold, delivered, or disposed of, under any authority a larger or smaller quantity of rum than that named in the permit shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than five hundred dollars.

(4) Anyone who, being authorised by virtue of the proviso contained in paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of this section to issue permits, shall, on the sale, delivery, or disposal, of any rum, by himself or his agent issue a permit which is false in any material particular shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than five hundred dollars.

63. Everyone holding a passenger steamer liquor and tobacco Production or occasional liquor and tobacco licence for the sale of intoxi- 30 of 1952, cating liquor who does not produce the licence, whenever s. 30 and required to do so by the Comptroller or constable on the 66 of 1952, steamer or at the licensed premises shall be guilty of an offence s. 3. and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars.

64. The Commissioner of Police, the Comptroller, any officer Power of of the police force and any non-commissioned officer above the grade of corporal, and any member of the police force of or premises and below the grade of corporal who has a general authority in licence; writing from the Commissioner of Police or a superintendent, may enter any premises whatever wherein any wine or malt liquor to be drunk on the premises, or any spirituous liquor whatever, is sold, or is offered, exposed, or kept, for sale, and any room or place thereto attached and belonging, and may demand from the person in charge of the premises, room, or place, his licence for selling the wine, malt liquor, or spirituous liquor, and, if the person does not immediately produce the licence, shall place someone in charge of the premises, room, or place, and of all wine, malt liquor and spirituous liquor found therein, and shall make a report of his proceedings and of the evidence he may have as to the selling, or offering, or exposing B.G.-VOL. VI.-3\*

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or keeping for sale aforesaid, to the nearest magistrate, and any such magistrate shall, if he thinks fit, order all wine, malt liquor and spirituous liquor in the premises, room, or place to be seized, and all the wine, malt liquor and spirituous liquor so seized shall be dealt with in accordance with this Ordinance.

Disposal of liquor, casks or packages. 66 of 1952, в. 3.

65. (1) All liquor, and every cask or other package, so seized shall be at once removed to, and, until forfeiture or restoration thereof, shall be kept at the colonial bonded warehouse, or some convenient place of custody elsewhere, and the owner, or person claiming it, shall be at liberty before the removal thereof to cause the liquor to be examined and, if in casks, to be gauged, and, if rum, to be tested for proof by Sikes' hydrometer, and the examination, gauging and testing may be made by the Comptroller or any sworn gauger, or by any manager or overseer of a plantation, called in for the purpose.

(2) The owner or person claiming it and the person seizing it shall each take down or cause to be taken down in writing the particulars of the examination, gauging, and testing; and during the examination, gauging, and testing, the liquor seized, and the casks or other packages containing it, shall remain on the premises of the owner or person claiming them, but in the possession of the person seizing, or some person authorised by him to retain possession of, them; but not more than six hours shall be allowed for any examination, gauging, and testing.

Mode of disputing seizure of liquor. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

66. (1) Everyone owning any liquor so seized and wishing to dispute the seizure, shall, within fourteen days thereafter, by himself or by some agent authorised by him, make his claim in writing to the magistrate of the judicial district within which the seizure has been made, for the liquor and the casks or other packages containing it, and shall within the same time serve a copy of the claim on the Comptroller and, if the seizure has been made by anyone other than the Comptroller, shall also within the same time serve a copy of the claim on that person.

(2) If the claim is to be resisted the Comptroller shall appear in person or by counsel or solicitor in opposition thereto and in support of the seizure.

(3) When the seizure has been made by any person other than the Comptroller that person shall be a co-defendant with the Comptroller and may also appear in opposition to the claim and in support of the seizure, if he thinks fit.

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(4) Every claim shall contain the name of the claimant and his occupation and residence and, if the claim is made through an agent, the name, occupation, and residence of his agent and the grounds of the claimant for disputing the seizure, and shall also state that the liquor seized is the property of the claimant.

(5) Every claim shall be supported by the oath of the claimant or, if the claim is made through an agent, by that of his agent swearing to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

(6) When a claim is made through an agent, sufficient evidence of his authority to satisfy the magistrate shall be given with the claim.

(7) No claim shall be received by the magistrate unless with it the claimant deposits the sum of twenty-four dollars by way of security for any costs awarded against him.

67. In every case under the last preceding section the proof of the illegality of the seizure shall be on the claimant; and legality of the Comptroller or other person making the seizure may adduce evidence in answer to that given by the claimant.

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68. On the hearing of a claim, if the seizure has been made Proof of by a member of the police force of or below the grade of corporal, in addition to his statement upon oath that he is a constable he shall produce his authority from the Commissioner of Police or superintendent but if the seizure has been made by any other officer entitled to make it, it shall be sufficient for him to state upon oath that he acts as that officer.

69. Every claim shall be heard before the magistrate of the Hearing and judicial district within which the seizure has been made, and of claim. if the magistrate rejects the claim with respect to all or any of the articles seized, he shall condemn those articles and make an order of condemnation in form 13 contained in the first First schedule.

70. If on the hearing of a claim any of the articles seized Costs; are condemned, the claimant shall be adjudged to pay all of articles costs of the Comptroller and also of the co-defendant, if there seized. is any co-defendant, and any articles not condemned shall be s. 3. restored to the claimant at his own expense; but if none of the articles seized is condemned, the magistrate shall order their restoration on the payment of all costs of the claimant by the seizing officer and at his expense,

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restoration 66 of 1952, Forfeiture of articles seized. 71. If any articles seized as aforesaid are not claimed, or if a copy of a claim relating to any of the articles is not served, as hereinbefore provided and in the manner and within the time hereinbefore limited, with respect to making the claim and the service of copies thereof, or if after a claim has been made any articles so seized are condemned, all those articles shall *ipso facto* become and be forfeited.

Proceedings on claim. 72. All proceedings before a magistrate and every order made by him in relation to a claim shall be according to the provisions of, and shall be subject to the appeal provided by, any Ordinances for the time being in force regulating procedure before magistrates in the exercise of their summary jurisdiction and appeals from the decisions of magistrates.

#### REMOVAL OF RUM.

Prohibition of removal of rum exceeding in quantity two quarts without permit. 66 of 1952, s. 3. 30 of 1952, s. 25.

73. (1) No rum exceeding in quantity two quarts shall be removed from one premises to another without a permit accompanying it, given and signed by the Comptroller or other person authorised under any law to grant permits for the removal of rum.

(2) Everyone concerned in the removal of any rum exceeding in quantity two quarts without the permit accompanying it, shall be guilty of an offence, and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars; and the rum so removed, together with the packages containing it, and every cart, vessel, or other conveyance, and every animal, employed in removing it, shall be forfeited:

Provided that such cart, vessel, conveyance or animal shall not be forfeited if the court is satisfied that the owner or person in charge did not know that it was to be employed in the unlawful removal of rum.

Power of stoppage, search and arrest in regard to rum being removed. 30 of 1952, s. 26. 66 of 1952, s. 3. 74. The Comptroller and every constable who has cause to suspect that anyone is carrying or removing any rum exceeding in quantity two quarts may stop, detain, and examine him, and may examine every package, cart, vessel, or conveyance, under his control, and may examine every cart, vessel, or conveyance on or in which he may be; and if the Comptroller or constable ascertains that anyone is carrying or removing, or is concerned in the carriage or removal of, any rum exceeding in quantity two quarts, without having obtained a lawful permit for the removal, the Comptroller or constable, may seize the rum with the package containing it, and may seize the cart, vessel, conveyance and all animals employed in its removal and arrest the person carrying or removing it, or concerned in its carriage or removal, and may detain the person until he can be brought before a magistrate and dealt with according to law:

Provided that the Comptroller or constable, as the case may be, shall not seize such cart, vessel, conveyance or animal where he is satisfied that the owner or person in charge had no knowledge that it was to be used in the unlawful removal of rum.

### SPECIAL PERMIT TO KEEP SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR FOR SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES.

75. (1) Notwithstanding anything in this Ordinance or in Special any Ordinance for the time being in force relating to spirits, use of spirituthe Comptroller may at any time issue a special permit, in ous liquor in form 14 in the schedule, or as near thereto as circumstances pursuits, or permit, to any person engaged in a scientific pursuit, or in the practice of any art, or in any manufacture, trade, or business. business, authorising him to remove to and keep on the premises where he is engaged in that pursuit, practice, manufacture, 31 of 1937 trade, or business (in this Ordinance referred to as "factory premises ") any spirituous liquor in the quantity, not exceeding fifty gallons, in each case fixed by the Comptroller, for the purpose of being there used exclusively in that pursuit, art, manufacture, trade, or business.

(2) The permit shall not authorise the person to have or keep spirituous liquor in any place other than his factory premises.

(3) Everyone to whom the permit is issued shall account to Accounting the satisfaction of the Comptroller for the due disposal of all spirituous liquor obtained by him under the permit before any new special permit shall be issued to him.

76. Everyone to whom any permit aforesaid has been Penalty for heretofore or is hereafter issued who-

(a) has or keeps any spirituous liquor aforesaid in any relating to place other than his factory premises; or

(b) uses or applies, or suffers to be used or applied, any spirituous liquor aforesaid for any purpose or in any way whatever other than for the bona fide preparation of or

for spirits obtained under special permit. 31 of 1937, s. 4 and sch. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

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dealing with anything in the course of the pursuit, art, manufacture, trade, or business aforesaid;

shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars.

Application of certain provisions.

Exemption of certain messes, etc. from licensing. 26 of 1944, s. 3. Arrest of person found selling spirituous liquor without licence. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

Power of search. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

Penalty on occupier of certain premises if wine or malt liquor is found thereon. 77. The provisions of sections 84 and 90 of this Ordinance shall extend and apply to the holder of any special permit issued under section 75 of this Ordinance and to his factory premises.

### Powers of the Comptroller and Police with respect to Unlicensed Premises.

78. It shall not be necessary for any mess or canteen established by and for the use of Her Majesty's naval, military or air forces or the police force to be licensed under this Ordinance.

79. Everyone found selling, or offering or exposing for sale, any spirituous liquor or any wine or malt liquor at any place other than in a place or premises duly licensed under the provisions of this Ordinance who does not produce a licence authorising the sale or the offering or exposing for sale, of wine, malt liquor, or spirituous liquor at the time when and at the place where he is so found selling it, or offering or exposing it for sale, may be arrested by the Comptroller or any constable, or rural constable and detained until he can be brought before a magistrate and dealt with according to law, and the wine, malt liquor, or spirituous liquor, so sold, or offered or exposed for sale, with the packages containing it, shall be seized and forfeited.

80. The Comptroller, and anyone authorised by him in writing for each particular case, may enter any store, shop, or business premises, whatever and search for wine and malt liquor.

81. (1) The occupier of any store, shop, or business premises, whatever (other than a place or premises licensed under the provisions of this Ordinance for the sale of wine or malt liquor) wherein is found any wine or malt liquor shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a penalty of not less than ten dollars and not exceeding fifty dollars, and all the wine and malt liquor whatsoever so found, and the packages containing it shall be seized by the Comptroller, or other authorised person making the search, and removed to a safe place of custody elsewhere, and shall there be detained until adjudication of the charge against the occupier for the offence.

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(2) If the charge is decided against the defendant, the wine 66 of 1952, and malt liquor so detained and the packages shall ipso facto and without any condemnation whatever be forfeited; and if the charge is decided in favour of the defendant, the wine and malt liquor and packages shall be restored to him by the Comptroller:

Provided that if the person charged satisfies the magistrate before whom the charge is investigated that the whole of the wine or malt liquor found on the premises was there kept for the exclusive use of the occupier, or his servant or agents working or residing on the premises, and not for the purpose of being disposed of for money or reward, the magistrate shall dismiss the charge and order the restoration of the wine and malt liquor so seized.

(3) For the purposes of this section any member of a firm occupying a shop, store, or other business premises, may be prosecuted as occupier.

82. (1) Every charge under the last preceding section shall Limitation be brought within one month from the seizure of the wine or malt liquor to which the charge relates.

(2) In default of the charge being so brought, the occupier 66 of 1952, s. 3. of the premises wherein the wine or malt liquor has been seized shall be entitled, on application to a magistrate, to an order from him on the Comptroller to re-deliver the wine or malt liquor and the packages containing it to the occupier.

83. Anyone dealing in wine or malt liquor by wholesale Privilege of may keep in any store, shop, or business premises, occupied by him a sample, not exceeding one quart, of each quality of wine or malt liquor in which he deals, without being guilty malt liquor. of an offence under section 81 of this Ordinance.

84. The Comptroller, and anyone specially authorised by him in writing for each particular case, may enter any store, shop, or business premises whatever and search for spirituous liquor.

85. (1) The occupier of any store, shop, or business premises Penalty for whatever (other than a place or premises licensed under the provisions of this Ordinance for the sale of spirituous liquor), wherein is found any spirituous liquor whatever, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than twenty dollars and not more than duly five hundred dollars.

of time for proceedings under s. 81.

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Persons authorised to enter and search for liquor. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

having rum or other spirituous liquor in licensed,

66 of 1952, s. 3. (2) All spirituous liquor whatever so found and the packages containing it shall be seized by the person making the search and removed by the Comptroller to a colonial bonded warehouse, or to some convenient and safe place of custody elsewhere, and shall there be detained until adjudication on the complaint for the penalty to be brought against the occupier.

66 of 1952, s. 3. (3) If the complaint is decided against the defendant, the spirituous liquor and packages so detained shall *ipso facto* and without any condemnation whatever be forfeited; and if the complaint is decided in favour of the defendant, the spirituous liquor and packages shall be restored to him by the Comptroller:

Provided that if anyone charged satisfies the magistrate before whom the charge is investigated that the whole of the spirituous liquor found on the premises was kept there for the exclusive use of the occupier, or his servants or agents working or residing on the premises, and not for the purpose of being disposed of for money or reward, the magistrate shall dismiss the charge and order the restoration of the spirituous liquor so seized.

(4) For the purposes of this section any member of a firm occupying a shop, a store, or other business premises, may be prosecuted as the occupier.

86. The occupier of licensed premises who contravenes sub-

section (2) of section 12 of this Ordinance shall be liable on

summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding one hundred

Penalty for breach of section 12 (2). 30 of 1952, s. 28.

dollars.

Limitation of time for making complaint under s. 85. 66 of 1952, s. 3.

Keeping samples of spirituous liquor. 87. Every complaint under section 85 of this Ordinance shall be brought within one month from the seizure of the spirituous liquor to which the charge relates; and, in default of its being so brought, the occupier of the premises in which the spirituous liquor has been seized shall be entitled on application to a magistrate to an order from him on the Comptroller to re-deliver the liquor and the packages containing it to the occupier.

88. Anyone dealing in any spirituous liquor by wholesale may keep, in any store, shop, or business premises, occupied by him, a sample, not to exceed one quart, of each kind and each quality of spirituous liquor in which he deals without being held guilty of an offence under section 85 of this Ordinance, 89. Everyone who—

(a) by refusing to open any door which it is legally in his power to open, or in any other way, obstructs, or in any way molests, opposes, hinders, or impedes, any officer premises. authorised by this Ordinance, or anyone having authority in writing under this Ordinance and exhibiting his authority, to enter any premises and there to search, or otherwise to ascertain whether there has been any breach of any part of this Ordinance: or

(b) removes, throws away, or destroys, or causes to be removed, thrown away, or destroyed, any wine, malt liquor, or spirituous liquor, in order to prevent or impede any search for or seizure thereof;

shall be liable to a penalty of not less than twenty dollars and not more than five hundred dollars.

### LEGAL PROVISIONS.

**90.** (1) Every holder of a licence issued under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be, and he is hereby declared to be, nance by penally liable and responsible for every breach of any provision member of of this Ordinance by any member of his family, or by any person employed, whether temporarily or permanently, in or family and about any licensed premises, or in or about any room or place employ. thereto attached and belonging, in the same manner and as fully as if he himself had committed the breach, and the member of the family or person employed shall be liable to the same punishment as the holder of the licence.

(2) The member of the family, or the person in the employ of the holder of the licence, may be examined as a witness for or against the holder on any charge brought against him under this Ordinance, and, if so examined, shall not himself thereafter be liable to any charge in respect of such breach.

91. Where by the provisions of this Ordinance the holder of a licence is made liable to a penalty in respect of any act or omission, and a charge is preferred alleging that act or omission, the following proceedings shall be lawful; that is to say-

(a) the summons may be served in the manner now permitted by law, or by leaving it with any person who is apparently a clerk or servant found on the premises for which the licence is granted, or, if that person cannot be found, by affixing it in a conspicuous manner to the outer door or outer wall of the premises;

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(b) where the holder is without the Colony, his attorney or agent may appear on his behalf; and

(c) where the holder is without the Colony, either at the time of the act or omission charged or at the time when the summons is served, the magistrate, on being satisfied as to the service of the summons as hereinbefore authorised, shall proceed to investigate the matter of the charge whether any attorney or agent appears for the holder or not and, if the act or omission is proved, may order the penalty to be paid and to be levied upon the goods and chattels of the holder of the licence by distress, but where it is shown that the holder did not leave the Colony to avoid the service of the summons upon him personally, the magistrate shall not make order or direct that the holder shall be imprisoned, either in default of sufficient goods or chattels being found or otherwise.

92. The attorney of the holder of a licence issued under this Ordinance, where the holder is without the Colony, shall be liable to every penalty imposed by this Ordinance on the holder of the licence in respect of any act or omission, if it is proved that that act or omission occurred with the knowledge and consent of the attorney.

### PROCEDURE.

93. (1) Every holder of a railway station or stelling liquor or a spirit shop licence who has been convicted twice under this Ordinance of any offences where the maximum penalty amounts to or exceeds fifty dollars may, on conviction a third time, be adjudged, in addition to any fine or penalty awarded against him, to forfeit his licence in respect of which he has been last convicted.

(2) The court before whom the holder of a spirit shop licence is convicted of the unlawful possession of the substance known as bush rum, may, in addition to any other penalty, order that the licence be forfeited.

(3) When a forfeited licence has been delivered to the Comptroller he shall cancel the licence.

94. (1) When an order is made under the provisions of this Ordinance suspending or forfeiting any licence for a tavern or spirit shop, the order, unless an appeal is previously brought by the holder of the licence, shall take effect at the expiration

Liability of representative of holder of licence in certain cases.

Liability of holder of spirit shop licence to forfeiture of licence on third conviction. 30 of 1952, s. 30 and lst. sch. 30 of 1952, s. 29. Schedule; form 15.

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Time when an order suspending or forfeiting a licence takes effect. of ten days next after the day on which it is made, and if an appeal is previously brought then at the expiration of ten days after the day on which it is finally confirmed.

(2) No one may sell any wine, malt liquor, or spirituous liquor in that tavern or spirit shop after the date when the order suspending or forfeiting the licence takes effect, and anyone who contravenes the provisions of this subsection shall be deemed to have sold the wine, malt liquor, or spirituous liquor, without having a licence to do so and shall become liable to the penalties imposed on everyone so acting.

95. All articles forfeited under the provisions of this Ordi- Sale of nance, other than articles forfeited under section 49 hereof, forfeited article. shall be put up to public competition by the Comptroller and 66 of 1952, sold by him for cash to the highest bidder, not sooner than s. 3. fourteen days after the forfeiture, and after not less than three notices of the sale in the Gazette and at least one newspaper published in the Colony. Articles forfeited under section 49 hereof shall be destroyed.

96. (1) The officer into whose hands comes the gross amount Deduction of any fine, penalty, or forfeiture, recovered and realised under for the revenue this Ordinance shall pay over the amount to the Financial defence fund. Secretary, who shall deduct a sum equal to ten per centum thereof and enter it to the credit of the revenue defence fund.

(2) There shall also be deducted from such amount all costs and expenses whatever.

97. The Financial Secretary shall be entitled to parate or Recovery of summary execution against all the parties to any bond given under this Ordinance, for any sum for which the Crown Solicitor under the instructs the Registrar to issue summation on the bond; and the execution may be against all, or any one or more, of those parties; and to obtain the execution it shall not be necessary to give any proof of the signing or of the validity of the bond.

98. (1) In proving the sale or consumption of intoxicating Evidence of liquor for the purpose of any proceeding relevant to an offence consumption under this Ordinance, it shall not be necessary to show that of any money or valuable consideration actually passed or that liquor. any intoxicating liquor was actually consumed, if the court hearing the cause be satisfied that a transaction in the nature of a sale actually took place, or that consumption of intoxicating liquor was about to take place.

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(2) Proof of consumption or intended consumption of intoxicating liquor on premises to which a licence is attached by some person other than the occupier of, or a servant employed on, the premises shall be evidence that the liquor was sold by or on behalf of the holder of the licence to the person consuming, or being about to consume, or carrying away the liquor.

Procedure and appeal. 66 of 1952, s. 3. **99.** (1) All fines and penalties to which anyone is liable under this Ordinance shall be sued for, prosecuted, realised and recovered, and all proceedings in respect of forfeitures under this Ordinance, shall be prosecuted and carried on, by the Comptroller under the Summary Jurisdiction Ordinances.

(2) Every conviction, order, or adjudication whatever, in respect of any fine, penalty, or forfeiture aforesaid shall be according to the forms (except as specially provided in this Ordinance) and the rules of procedure, and subject to any appeal, respectively provided by any Ordinances for the time being in force regulating procedure before magistrates in the exercise of their summary jurisdiction and appeals from the decisions of magistrates.

(3) Every magistrate shall have full jurisdiction and power to hear, determine, and adjudicate in the case of any fine, penalty or forfeiture aforesaid, whatever may be the amount or value thereof:

Provided that no prosecution or proceeding for or in respect of any fine, penalty, or forfeiture, exceeding in amount or value the sum of two hundred and forty dollars shall be commenced without the authority in writing of the Attorney General.

Protection of person acting under the 1 Ordinance.

100. All persons acting under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be entitled to the protection afforded by law to justices of the peace.

Liability to damages and costs of person making seizure under the Ordinance. 101. (1) No action, suit, or prosecution whatever shall be brought against anyone in respect of any detention or seizure made under this Ordinance when the detention or seizure has been followed by forfeiture of the articles seized or any portion of them.

(2) When any action, suit, or prosecution whatever is brought against anyone in respect of any detention or seizure made under this Ordinance, which has not been followed by forfeiture of any of the articles detained or seized, if the judge or court before whom or which the action, suit, or prosecution is tried is of opinion that there was reasonable ground for the detention

or seizure, the defendant shall not be liable to pay to the plaintiff in the action or suit any damages, or any costs of suit, nor shall he in that prosecution be liable to more than a fine of twenty-five cents.

102. The Governor in Council-

(i) may make regulations for carrying into effect the objects and purposes of this Ordinance; and

(ii) may prescribe new forms and forms in place of those contained in the first schedule hereto, but no prescribed forms shall take effect until they have been published in three issues of the Gazette and of one daily newspaper respectively.

103. Nothing in this Ordinance shall affect the provisions of Saving of any Ordinance for the time being in force relating to the relating to Ordinances distillation and sale of rum, or to the quantity of rum that may dilstillation, be kept by anyone or the regulations for keeping it, as by that sale and keeping it, as by tha Ordinance provided.

104. (1) The Governor in Council may authorise the Comp- Licences in troller to issue a licence-

(a) to the General Manager of the Transport and Harbours Department Department or to such person as may be nominated by that Department in respect of the sale of intoxicating liquor at any station or in any train or in any steamer of the Department; or

(b) to any person in respect of the sale of intoxicating liquor at the airport at Atkinson Field.

(2) Any licence issued in pursuance of this section, shall be subject to any restrictions as to hours and manner of sale in each case prescribed by the Governor in Council, and any sale contrary to those restrictions shall be deemed to be a sale without a licence.

105. The grant of an application for a certificate for a licence, Grant of licence not or the renewal of a licence, or issue of a licence, or the renewal of to create a licence consequent thereon, shall not be deemed to create any vested right. vested interest or right, or to confer any right to a renewal of the licence.

respect of the Transport and Harbours and the airport at Atkinson Field. 35 of 1950, s. 2. 66 of 1950, s. 3.

Regulations and forms.

### SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

(As amended by 30 of 1952 and 66 of 1952.)

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Α.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Application for an Hotel Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

1,		 				
residing	at				in	the
county	of	 	hereby	make	application	for
	4 30			1		

a certificate for an hotel licence to sell intoxicating liquor in the house at the premises occupied by me and situate at\*......

subject to the provisions of the above-named Ordinance.

(Signed).....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building and state the number of rooms, etc., in the house or building which it is intended shall be licensed.

*Example.*—Lot No. 48, New Town, Georgetown, consisting of a three-storey building containing 12 rooms, 3 on the lower storey, 4 on the second storey, and 5 on the top storey, and 8 bedrooms, 4 on the second storey and 4 on the top storey.

s. 13.

### 1. B

# INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Application for a Railway Station or Stelling Liquor Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, residing at in the county of hereby make application for a certificate for a railway station or stelling liquor licence to sell intoxicating liquor in the house at the premises occupied by me and situate at\*.....

Dated this day of 19.

(Signed)

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building.

s. 13.

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1. C.

# INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

# Application for a Spirit Shop Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

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residing at		in the
	hereby ma	
a certificate for a spirit sho	op licence to sell intoxicating licence	quor in the building
situate at*		subject
to the provisions of the ab	ove-named Ordinance.	
Dated this	day of	19

#### (Signed)

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the premises and the shop or building, and state the number of rooms (all of which shall be numbered) and their situation in such shop or building, and state also in which room or rooms of the shop it is proposed to sell intoxicating liquor.

*Example.*—Lot No. 360, Bourda, Georgetown, consisting of a two-storey building containing 8 rooms, 4 on the lower storey, and 4 on the upper storey, numbered 1 to 8, consecutively; in rooms numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, it is intended to sell intoxicating liquor.

1. D.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Application for a Restaurant Liquor Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I,		
residing at	in th	ıe
county of	hereby make application f	DI
a certificate for a	restaurant liquor licence to sell intoxicating liquor in th	ne
building at the p	emises occupied by me and situate at*	
	ubject to the provisions of the above-named Ordinance	
	day of	

(Signed).....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the building.

s. 19 (1).

#### 2. A.

### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

District licensing board for the county of Certificate authorising the issue of an Hotel or Railway Station or Stelling Liquor Licence.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_19\_\_\_.

(Signed)

Clerk of the district licensing board for the

county of

Note.—A licence cannot be issued by the Comptroller of Customs and Excise unless this certificate is presented to him within 60 days of the date of this certificate. (See section 19 (2)).

#### s. 19 (1).

2. B.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

It is hereby certified that the above-mentioned board on the.....

of \_\_\_\_\_\_for a certificate for the issue (or the renewal) of a licence to keep a spirit shop in the building at the premises situate at

in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_for the

financial year 19....., and that intoxicating liquor may be sold only in the rooms numbered......on the storey.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_19\_\_\_.

Clerk of the district licensing board for the

county of.....

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INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

District licensing board for the county of

Certificate authorising the issue of a Restaurant Liquor Licence.

It is hereby certified that the above-mentioned board on the.....

of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for a certificate for the issue (or the renewal) of a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor in a restaurant in the building at the premises situate at \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the county of

......for the financial year 19.....

01.....

(Signed)..... Clerk of the district licensing board for the

county of.....

3. A.

s. 19 (2),

# INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Hotel Licence.

WHEREAS the district licensing board for the county of.....

on the \_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_19..., granted the application of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_of \_\_\_\_\_in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_for a certificate for the issue (or the renewal) of a licence to keep an hotel in the house on the premises occupied by him and situate at

by him and situate at.....

These are, therefore, to authorise and license the said to sell intoxicating liquor at the house aforesaid to be consumed on the premises.

This licence is issued under and subject to the provisions of the abovenamed Ordinance.

(Signed).....

Comptroller of Customs and Excise. s. 19 (2).

#### 3. B.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Railway Station or Stelling Liquor Licence.

WHEREAS the district licensing hoard for the county of.....

on the	day of		, granted the a	ip-
plication of	of		in t	the
county of renewal) of a licence to ke	for ep a tavern in	a certificate for the house on the	the issue (or t premises occupi	be ied
by him and situate at				

These are, therefore, to authorise and license the said

to sell intoxicating liquor in the following rooms of the said house

and to be consumed on the premises.

This licence is issued under and subject to the provisions of the abovenamed Ordinance.

(Signed)

Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

s. 91 (2).

#### 3. C.

### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Spirit Shop Licence.

WHEREAS the district licensing board for the county of

on the \_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_19..., granted the application of \_\_\_\_\_\_of \_\_\_\_\_in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_for a certificate for the issue (or the renewal) of a licence to keep a spirit shop in the building situate at \_\_\_\_\_\_

This licence is issued under and subject to the provisions of the abovenamed Ordinance.

(Signed)...... Comptroller of

Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

#### 3. D

### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

#### Restaurant Liquor Licence.

WHEREAS the district licensing board for the county of..... on the \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_, granted the application of \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_ for a certificate for the issue (or the renewal) of a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor in a restaurant in the building on the premises occupied by him and situate at.....

These are, therefore, to authorise and license the said.....

to sell intoxicating liquor at the building aforesaid to be consumed on the premises.

This licence is issued under and subject to the provisions of the abovenamed Ordinance.

Dated this day of 19 (Signed)

Comptroller of

Customs and Excise.

# 4 INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

Application to Transfer a Licence to a Transferee.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

We,		the
county of	and	residing
at	in the county of	
	ication for the transfer of the	
licence No.	in respect of the building situate at	
from the said	to the said	
	day of1	
	(Signed)	
	(Signed)	

s. 20 (3).

s. 20 (2),

### Α. INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

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Application to Transfer an Hotel Licence from one Premises to Another.

To the Comptroller of Customs and E	xcise.
I,r	esiding at
	hereby make application that the
	y me in respect of the house situate at
	ansferred to, and held by me in respect
	by me and situate at*
subject to the provisions of the above	
Dated thisda	
	(Signed)

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building.

s. 19 (2).

s. 20 (3)

### 5. B

### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

Application to Transfer a Railway Station or Stelling Liquor Licence from one Premises to Another.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I,residing	at
in the county of	hereby make application that the
railway station or stelling liquor licence	Nonow held by me in
respect of the house situate at	may be transferred e at the premises occupied by me
and situate at* above-named Ordinance.	subject to the provisions of the

(Signed).....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building.

s. 20 (3)

#### 5. C.

#### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

Application to Transfer a Spirit Shop Licence from one Premises to Another. To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

Ι,	residing at
in the county of	
spirit shop licence No	now held by me in respect of the house situate
at	may be transferred to, and held by me in respect
of the building situate at* of the above-named Ordinan	subject to the provisions

Dated this......day of......19.....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the premises and the shop or building, and state the number of rooms (all of which shall be numbered) and their situation in such shop or building, and state also in which room or rooms of the shop it is proposed to sell intoxicating liquor.

*Example.*—Lot No. 360, Bourda, Georgetown, consisting of a two-storey building containing 8 rooms, 4 on the lower storey and 4 on the upper storey, numbered 1 to 8, consecutively; in rooms numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, it is intended to sell intoxicating liquor.

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s. 20 (3).

#### 5. D.

### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

Application to Transfer a Restaurant Liquor Licence from one Premises to Another.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, .....residing at..... restaurant liquor licence No.....now held by me in respect of the building situate at.....now held by me transferred to, and held by me in respect of the building at the premises occupied by me and named Ordinance. Dated this......day of......19......

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the building.

#### 6. A

### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

Application for a Provisional Grant of Hotel Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_residing at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_hereby make application for a provisional grant of a certificate for a hotel licence to sell intoxicating liquor in the house about to be constructed (or in course of construction) at the premises occupied by me and situate at\*.....

subject to the provisions of the above-named Ordinance.

The plans of the said house are hereto annexed marked A.

(Signed).....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building.

6. B

#### s. 27 (1).

s. 27 (1).

#### INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

Application for a Provisional Grant of a Railway Station or Stelling Liquor Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_ residing at \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby make application for a provisional grant of a certificate for a railway station or stelling liquor licence to sell intoxicating liquor in the house about to be constructed (or in course of construction) at the premises occupied by me and situated at\*.....

subject to the provisions of the above-named Ordinance.

The plans of the said house are hereto annexed marked A.

(Signed).....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building.

s. 27 (1).

### 6. C

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Application for a Provisional Grant of a Spirit Shop Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, .....residing at

in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_hereby make application for a provisional grant of a certificate for a spirit shop licence to sell intoxicating liquor in the building about to be constructed (or in course of construction)

situate at\*\_\_\_\_\_\_subject to the provisions of the abovenamed Ordinance.

The plans of the said building are hereto annexed marked A.

#### (Signed)

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the premises and the shop or building, and state the number of rooms (all of which shall be numbered) and their situation in the shop or building and state also in which room or rooms of the shop it is proposed to sell intoxicating liquor.

*Example.*—Lot No. 360, Bourda, Georgetown, consisting of a two-storey building containing 8 rooms, 4 on the lower storey and 4 on the upper storey, numbered 1 to 8, consecutively; in rooms numbered 1, 2, 3, 4. it is intended to sell intoxicating liquor.

s. 27 (1).

6. D.

# INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Application for a Provisional Grant of a Restaurant Liquor Licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, \_\_\_\_\_residing at

in the county of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby make application for a provisional grant of a certificate for a restaurant liquor licence to sell intoxicating liquor in the building about to be constructed (or in course of

construction) at the premises occupied by me and situated at\*.....

subject to the provisions of the above-named Ordi-

The plans of the said building are hereto annexed marked A.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_19\_\_\_.

(Signed).....

\*Here describe accurately the situation of the building.

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s. 31 (1).

s. 32.

# (As substituted by 47 of 1951.) INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Application for an Off-licence.

To the Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

I, .....residing at

licence to-

\*(a) store in bulk, mix and blend and to sell spirituous liquor, wine or malt liquor in the premises occupied by me and situate at †.....

\*(b) sell spirituous liquor, wine or malt liquor in the premises occupied by me and situate at †.....but not to store in bulk, mix or blend such spirituous liquor, subject to the provisions of the above-named Ordinance.

(Signed).....

\*Strike out the categories not required.

<sup>†</sup>Here describe accurately the situation of the house or building and the position of the room or rooms in such house or building and state in which room or rooms it is intended to keep spirituous liquor.

Example.-Lot No. 67, Robb's Town, Georgetown, consisting of a two-storey building containing 8 rooms of which the room on the lower storey in the centre of the building marked " A " is intended to be used as a liquor store.

### 8.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

#### Off-licence.

WHEREAS	of	on
	of	
Comptroller of Customs and	Excise for a licence to keep a liquor store at	the
premises situate at	in the county of	

These are, therefore, to authorise and license the said to-

\*(a) keep a liquor store and to store in bulk, mix and blend and to sell spirituous liquor, wine or malt liquor and to keep the spirituous liquor in the following room

\*(b) keep a liquor store and to sell spirituous liquor, wine or malt liquor and to keep the spirituous liquor in the following room.....

......but not to store in bulk, mix or blend such spirituous liquor.

This licence is issued under and subject to the provisions of the abovenamed Ordinance.

Dated this day of 19.

(Signed)

Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

\*Strike out the categories not required.

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# BOOK SHOWING THE QUANTITY OF RUM RECEIVED INTO THE LICENSED\*

Date of permit.	When received.	From whom purchased.	From what place received.	Marks on packages.	Number of gallons.	Strength.	Gallons at proof.
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\*Hotel, restaurant, tavern, spirit shop, passenger steamer, as the case may be.

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# 10.

# Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Ordinance.

When received.	From whom purchased.	From what place received.	Mark or brand.	Kind of spirituous liquor.	Strength
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\*Hotel, restaurant, tavern, spirit shop, passenger steamer, as the case may be.

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s. 62 (2) (a).

Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Ordinance. (Section 62 (2) (a) ). 11.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.

## No.

District. No. Authority to the Holder of a Spirit Shop Licence to sell more than Two Quarts of Rum. Authority is hereby granted to\_\_\_\_\_\_ the holder of the Date. Spirit dealer. Locality. of\_\_\_\_\_\_and the said\_\_\_\_\_\_may remove Purchaser. Locality. hours from \_\_\_\_\_\_o'clock of the \_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_19\_\_\_ No. of gallons. Time allowed. Reasons alleged in application. Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_19\_\_\_.

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# Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Ordinance.

(Section 62 (2) (b) ).	INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE.
District.	No
No.	Authority to Remove more than Two Quarts of Rum.
Date.	I,the holder of a spirit shop
Licence holder.	licence No
Locality.	sold to
Purchaser.	rum of a strength (by Sikes' Hydrometer) of
Number of gallons.	hereby granted to him to remove the saidgallons of rum to
Strength (by Sikes' Hydrometer).	
Time allowed.	theday of
Reasons alleged in application.	Given under my hand thisday of
	(Signed)

Spirit shop licence-holder.

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### 13.

# INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Order of Condemnation.

County of
BE it remembered that on theday of19
atin the said Colony, the following articles, to wit
(1)were duly seized on certain premises said to be in
the occupation of one (2)and that (3)
has claimed the said articles, and that the claim has been this day adjudicated
on by me, and that I have condemned, as I do hereby condemn (4)
and I hereby adjudge (3)to pay to (5)
the sum of for costs in that
behalf, and if the said sum be not paid forthwith (or on or before the
levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of (3)
and, in default of sufficient distress in that behalf, I adjudge (3)
to be imprisoned in the gaol atin the
said Colony for the space of (6)from the date of these
presents.
Dated this

(Signed).

Magistrate.

(1) Describe all the articles seized.

(1) Describe an one articles served.
(2) Name of occupier of premises.
(3) Name of claimant.
(4) Specify the articles condemned.
(5) The Comptroller of Customs and Excise and also any other seizing officer who may be a defendant, if he has any costs.

(6) Not to exceed two calendar months.

14.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Special Permit to keep Spirituous Liquor for Scientific Purposes.

Special permission is hereby granted to	of	engaged in
(or carrying on the manufacture, or trade, or business		
to remove fromto the factory	y premises of the said	for the purpose of being there
exclusively used in the bona fide preparation of (or deali	ng with, [describing the mode	e of dealing]) and not otherwise, and there to keep
and use exclusively for the purpose aforesaid spirituous	liquor, the particulars where	of are as follows—

Kind of spirituous liquor.	Number of gallons.	Degree of strength.	Whether coloured or not.	Name and place where made.	Kind of package.	Number of package.	Marks of package.
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Dated this		low of	70				
Dated this		lay 01		(Signed)			

Intoxicating Liquor Licensing.

Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

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15.

INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSING ORDINANCE. Adjudication of Forfeiture of Railway Station or Stelling Liquor or Spirit Shop Licence.

County of

WHEREAS\_\_\_\_\_\_holder of the spirit shop (or railway station or stelling) liquor licence No.\_\_\_\_\_has this day been convicted before and by me of an offence under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Ordinance and whereas it has been shown to me that the said\_\_\_\_\_\_has been heretofore twice convicted of offences under the said Ordinance; now, by virtue of the provisions of section 93 of the said Ordinance, I do hereby adjudge and declare the said licence to be forfeited.

Dated this	 of	
	(Signed)	
		Magistrate.