

BYE-LAWS FOR THE REGULATION OF THE GENERAL MARKETS.

FIRST.—That every person occupying any shop, stall, or standing for the sale of Meat, Fish, Poultry, or Vegetables, in each and every Market and Street within the Borough of Dublin, shall have his or her name and the number of his or her stall, shop, or standing, painted in letters and figures of legible size in front thereof. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

SECOND.—That every butcher, provision dealer, fishmonger, or vendor of vegetables, shall cause his or her shop, stall, or standing, and the avenue in front thereof to be swept each evening, and shall cause his or her shop or stall, and all blocks, tables, and slabs to be kept perfectly clean and washed twice at least in each week, or to be further cleansed, or such stall or shop whitewashed within three days, if so required by the Lord Mayor or his deputies. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

THIRD.—That no butcher, provision dealer, fishmonger, or vendor of vegetables shall allow any Meat or other article to be so placed as to project beyond the front wall or line of his or her house, stall, or shop, or to obstruct or contract any passage in any Street or Market, nor shall they permit any table, bench, slab, or meat-rack to project beyond the front wall or line thereof, nor shall they leave or permit to be left any hand-cart, boards, shutters, or any other article whatsoever, in any public Street or Market. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

FOURTH.—That in case of any table, hand-cart, block, bench, boards, shutters, or any other such article shall be found in any Street or Market, or any approach thereto, without a claimant, same shall be removed by any Police Constable, Clerk of the Market, or Inspectors to the Store of the City Marshal, and if not claimed, and all expenses thereon paid within three days, same shall be sold for the benefit of the poor. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

FIFTH.—That the landlord or owner of all unoccupied stalls or shops in the Public Markets shall cause same to be kept clean, to the satisfaction of the Lord Mayor, or his Deputy or Inspector, and shall also cause the avenue in front thereof to be swept each evening. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

SIXTH.—That meat of any kind whatsoever which shall have been dressed in the manner commonly understood by the term of "Blowing," or which shall have been "Stuffed," or any fish which shall have been coloured with blood or otherwise, whereby to give any such meat or fish a deceptive appearance, or shall be exposed for sale, or brought into any shop, stall, or Market, all such meat and

fish shall be forfeited and seized by the Lord Mayor, or his Deputy Assistant or Inspector, and every person so offending shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter mentioned. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

SEVENTH.—That no unsound, unwholesome, or diseased meat, fish, or other provisions shall be kept in or exposed for sale in any shop or stall, or brought into any Market, and if found therein, same shall be forfeited and seized by the Lord Mayor, or his Assistant Deputy or Inspector, and the parties so offending shall be liable to the penalty hereinafter mentioned. That any person or persons offending against, or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

EIGHTH.—That every butcher, provision dealer, fishmonger, or vendor of vegetables, shall have in a conspicuous part of his or her shop or stall (at least) one truly adjusted beam and scales and set of weights. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

NINTH.—That no butcher or provision dealer shall slaughter, or permit to be slaughtered, any animal whatsoever in his or her stall or shop. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

TENTH.—That every butcher, provision dealer, fishmonger, or vendor of vegetables, shall cause his or her shop or stall to be closed every Sabbath day immediately after nine o'clock, A.M., and shall not permit same to be opened under any pretext whatsoever after that hour, or any business to be transacted therein during the remainder of that day. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

ELVENTH.—That all butchers and other persons carrying Beef, Mutton, or any other slaughtered animal whatsoever in carts through the city, shall have same carefully covered and kept from exposure to the public view. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

TWELFTH.—That no person whatsoever shall close or attempt to close his or her shop or stall for the purpose of preventing the Lord Mayor or his Assistants or Inspectors from entering same, or if closed shall neglect or refuse to open the same within two minutes after he or they shall have been required so to do, then he or they so offending, shall be liable, on conviction thereof, to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds.

BYE-LAWS FOR THE REGULATION OF THE COAL QUAYS.

FIRST.—That every captain, master, or owner of every vessel arriving in the Port of Dublin with a load or cargo of Coals or Potatoes, shall immediately on his vessel being berthed, cause to be placed on a conspicuous part of the mast or rigging of that part of such vessel next the Quay, a board on which shall be painted in letters of not less than one inch

in length, the name of the vessel, the name of the owner or captain thereof, and the port where she was last laden, and the description or name whereby such Coals or Potatoes respectively is known, as also the price per ton at which such Coals or Potatoes are to be sold. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

SECOND.—That every Bag of Coals landed from any vessel or in progress of delivery through town shall contain the standard weight of ten stone, and if found short of that weight they shall be seized, and the owner thereof subjected to the penalties hereinafter stated. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

THIRD.—That every vessel, while taking in or discharging her cargo in the Port of Dublin, shall be provided with a plank from said vessel to the shore, of at least eighteen inches in width, with a hand-rail on one side of the same. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

FOURTH.—That every person desirous of becoming a Licensed Porter shall apply in writing to the Water Bailiffs, stating his name and residence, and accompanied by a recommendation of two respectable Householdors, which application shall be submitted to the proper authorities, and if approved of he shall be furnished with a Brass Badge, to be worn constantly on the left arm, for which he is to pay to said Water Bailiffs for each and every year in advance a sum not exceeding Two Shillings, and which Badge shall be retained by such Porter only during good behaviour; and any person who shall continue to wear any such Badge after being called on to return same by said Water Bailiffs, or any person who shall without the said authority of the Water Bailiffs, endeavour to impose on the public by wearing a Badge, thereby purporting to be a Licensed Porter, shall for every such offence be subject to the penalties hereinafter mentioned. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

BYE-LAWS FOR THE REGULATION OF THE WHOLESALE FISH MARKET.

FIRST.—That the owner or owners of the Wholesale Fish Market, and of all Stalls or Standings therein, shall cause same to be kept in a proper and cleanly state, whitewashed with quick lime at least once a month, or as often as required so to do by the Lord Mayor or his Deputy Assistant, or the Inspector of Nuisances, and that said Market shall be thoroughly swept out and cleansed each night, and that to insure the cleanliness of said Market, the owner or owners thereof shall cause same to be properly paved, and provided with an abundant supply of water. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

SECOND.—That any person or persons exposing for sale any Fish which has become unfit for human food, shall forfeit same, and be liable to a penalty on conviction thereof.

THIRD.—That no person or persons shall sell or expose for sale any Herrings in said Market, save that part specially set apart for that purpose. That every person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

FOURTH.—That the sale of all Hook, Thrawl, and other Fish, (except Salmon or Lobsters,) shall commence at the hour of 6 o'clock, A.M., and not sooner, and close at the hour of 6 o'clock, P.M., each day, from the 1st of April to the 30th of September; and shall commence at the hour of half-past 6 o'clock, A.M., and not sooner, and close at the hour of 5 o'clock, P.M., each day, from the 1st day of October to the 31st day of March. That any person offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

FIFTH.—That any person or persons obstructing or contracting the passages in the said Market, or refusing to remove the obstructions when required so to do by the Lord Mayor, his Clerk, or Deputy, or by any Factor in said Market, shall, on conviction thereof, be liable to a penalty of a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

SIXTH.—That the sale of Fish shall be announced by the ringing of a large bell, which shall continue for two minutes, and that no person shall commence selling any Fish until the said bell has ceased ringing. That any person or persons offending against or committing any breach of the foregoing Bye-law shall, for each and every such offence or breach thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

Given under my Hand and Seal at the Mansion House, Dublin, this 11th day of June, 1851.

(Seal.)

BENJAMIN LEE GUINNESS,
Lord Mayor of the City of Dublin.