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An Act in addition to the Police Act of the City of Saint John. Passed 8th June, 1865.

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Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. No person shall be a dealer in, or keeper of a shop or place for the purchase, sale, or barter of junk, old metals, or second hand articles of any description, within the City of Saint John, unless he is duly licensed therefor by the Mayor of the said City.
2. Every person so licensed shall keep a book, in which he shall record at the time of every purchase by him of junk, old metals, or any second hand articles, a description of the articles so purchased, the name, age and residence of the person from whom, and the day and hour when the same was received by him; which book shall at all times be open to the inspection of the Mayor, the Aldermen and Councillors of said City, the Chief of the City Police, any member of the Police force, and any person authorized by the Mayor to make such examination.
3. No such dealer or keeper of such shop or place shall directly or indirectly either purchase or receive by way of barter or exchange any such article or articles off any Minor or Apprentice; and no article purchased or received by such dealer or shop keeper, shall be sold by him within one week from the time of such purchase or receipt, without entering on his book the name and address of the purchaser, with other proofs sufficient to enable him to keep trace thereof.
4. Every keeper of such shop shall put in some suitable and conspicuous place on his shop a sign having his name and occupation legibly inscribed thereon in large letters at least six inches long and proportionably broad.
5. Every such shop, and all articles of every description therein, may be examined at any time by the Mayor, any of the Aldermen and Councillors of the said City, the Chief of the City Police, any

member of the Police force, or any person authorized at any time by the Mayor to make such examination.

6. No keeper of such shop or place shall have the same open for the transaction of business except during the hours between the rising of the sun and nine of the clock in the evening on each week day but Saturday, when such shop may be kept open until ten of the clock in the evening.

7. All licenses granted under this Act shall designate the place where the person licensed may carry on his business, and he shall not engage in, or carry on his business under his license in any other place than the one so designated, without giving notice to the Mayor in writing of any change of place of business, or from one part of a house to another, within twenty four hours after such change; and he must produce his license to the Mayor for the purpose of having a memorandum of any such change endorsed thereon.

8. Cables, hawsers, ropes, and articles of like kind, more than five fathoms long, so purchased or received by any licensed dealer, shall not be cut up nor unlaidd into twine, or otherwise changed in appearance or character on any pretence, within ten days from the purchase or receipt of the same, without permission from the Mayor of said City, or the Chief of the City Police.

9. Any person offending against any of the provisions of this Act, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty dollars, to be recovered with costs in the name of any person who may sue for the same before the Police Magistrate of the City of Saint John, by information and summary conviction, in the same manner and with the like effect as any penalty is recoverable under the law relating to the Police establishment in said City.

10. The Mayor of the City of Saint John shall be entitled to charge and receive for every license to be granted by him under this Act the sum of twenty dollars.

11. Licenses granted under this Act shall continue and be in force until the first day of May next after the date of such licenses; provided always, that the Mayor of said City shall have full power at any time to revoke and annul any such license granted by him at his discretion, and the same shall thereupon be cancelled and annulled accordingly.

12. All the provisions of this Act shall be appended to every license which shall be granted under it.