



SUPPLEMENT

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By-laws made by Mackenzie County Council.

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Wellington, 13th August, 1884.

THE following by-laws, made by the Mackenzie County Council, are published in accordance with "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882."

G. S. COOPER,
Under-Secretary.

SPECIAL ORDER.

By-law No. 1.

FOR regulating the pace at which any horses, cattle, or vehicles shall cross the Tekapo Bridge.

IN pursuance of the powers contained in "The Counties Act Amendment Act, 1880," and all powers and authorities enabling them in this behalf, the Mackenzie County Council hereby order as follows:—

1. No person shall, after the passing of this by-law, ride or drive any horses, cattle, or vehicle across the Tekapo Bridge at other than a walking pace.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above by-law shall, on the conviction thereof, be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

By-law No. 2.

BY-LAWS and regulations determining the sum to be paid to Mackenzie County Council for licenses, and the conditions on which such licenses shall be granted for providing for the inspection, cleanliness, and good management of slaughterhouses so licensed, and for fixing the penalty to be paid to the county for the breach of any such by-law and regulation.

IN pursuance of the powers contained in "The Slaughterhouses Act, 1877," and all powers and authorities enabling them in this behalf, the Mackenzie County Council hereby orders as follows:—

1. Whenever in these by-laws or regulations any of the terms mentioned in section 5 of the said Act—"The Slaughterhouses Act, 1877"—are used, such terms shall, in the construction hereof, have the meaning assigned to them by the said section of the said Act, unless there be something in the context or subject-matter repugnant thereto.

Fees.

2. Any person or persons slaughtering, or permitting to be slaughtered, cattle for sale, barter, or shipping shall pay to the Clerk of the Council a fee for a license, or renewal of a license, as follows:—

(a.) For a general butcher's license to slaughter any number of cattle, per week, £5 per annum;

(b.) For a farmer's license to slaughter not more than six small cattle or one large cattle, per week, £1 per annum.

Slaughterhouses to be kept clean.

3. Every keeper of a slaughterhouse shall at all times keep the same and the premises connected therewith, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, in a clean state, free from offensive effluvia, and in all respects to the satisfaction of any Inspector appointed, or to be appointed, under the said Act. Such Inspector shall have power at any time to order the use of such disinfectants in any slaughterhouse as he may think fit, such disinfectants to be purchased by the owner at his own expense. Every such keeper of a slaughterhouse shall so dispose of the blood, offal, drainage, and other refuse matter therefrom that the same shall not create a nuisance, nor be offensive to persons residing or being in or passing through the neighbourhood of such slaughterhouse; and no keeper of a slaughterhouse shall permit any blood, offal, drainage, or refuse matter to accumulate in, or upon, or about the same, or on the premises connected therewith, or to flow, fall, or be thrown or put into any river, stream, drain, or watercourse.

4. Every such person shall admit to his licensed premises at any hour of the day or night any Justice of the Peace, constable, or Inspector, or other officer of the Council.

5. Every such person who shall commit a breach of the above by-laws or regulations shall, on the conviction thereof, be liable to a penalty not exceeding £2.

By-law No. 3.

BY-LAWS for regulating the width and condition of the tires of wheels which shall be used by all vehicles, whether plying for hire or not, and fixing maximum weights to be carried on vehicles on roads within the county.

IN pursuance of the powers contained in "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882," and all other powers and

authorities enabling the Council in this behalf, the Mackenzie County Council hereby order as follows:—

1. That it shall be lawful for any person acting under the authority of the Mackenzie County Council to examine the condition of the tires of any wagon, dray, or other vehicle used on the roads within the county, and every owner or driver of any such wagon, dray, or other vehicle, after such examination shall have been lawfully required, refusing to permit the same, or turning or driving out of the road in order to avoid the same, or refusing to give his name and address, or that of the owner or hirer of the same, or in any way hindering or obstructing the same, shall for every such offence be liable, on conviction, to a penalty of not less than £1 or more than £5.

2. Any wagon, dray, or other vehicle used on the roads within the county, of which any part of the edge of either of the wheel-tires is worn down nine-sixteenths of an inch less in thickness than the centre of the wheel-tire, shall be immediately withdrawn from use on the roads within the county until the tire or tires have been repaired, or new tire or tires have been substituted for the worn ones. Any owner, hirer, or driver thereof using, or permitting to be used, any such wagon, dray, or other vehicle, after verbal or written notice that the tires are worn as aforesaid has been given to either the one or the other of them by such person acting under the authority of the Council as aforesaid, shall be liable, on conviction, to forfeit and pay a sum of not more than £5 for each day or part of a day on which the wagon, dray, or other vehicle is used contrary to the intent and meaning of this by-law.

3. No load exceeding six tons in weight shall be hauled on any road within the county unless the wheel-tires of the wagon, dray, or other vehicle containing such load are at least five inches in width.

No load exceeding five tons in weight shall be hauled on any road within the county unless the wheel-tires of the

wagon, dray, or other vehicle containing such load exceed three inches in width.

No load exceeding thirty-six bales of greasy wool shall be hauled on any road within the county unless the wheel-tires of the wagon, dray, or other vehicle containing such load are at least five inches in width.

No load exceeding thirty bales of greasy wool shall be hauled on any road within the county unless the wheel-tires of the wagon, dray, or other vehicle containing such load exceed three inches in width.

In cases of mixed loads of greasy and scoured wool, two bales of scoured wool shall be counted equal to one bale of greasy wool for the purpose of computing the maximum loads to be hauled on any road within the county. Any owner, hirer, or driver of any wagon, dray, or other vehicle using, or permitting to be used, any such wagon, dray, or other vehicle containing more than the maximum load authorized by this by-law shall be liable, on conviction, to forfeit and pay a sum of not more than £5 for each day or part of a day on which the wagon, dray, or other vehicle is used contrary to the intent and meaning of this by-law.

Made by the Council of the Mackenzie County, at the office of the said county, at Burke's Pass, this fourth day of August, 1884.

JOHN MCGREGOR,
Chairman.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made in accordance with "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882."

F. W. MARCHANT,
County Clerk.

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