

BY-LAW NO. 448.

BEING A BY-LAW TO LICENSE THEATRES; MOVING PICTURE SHOWS, VAUDEVILLE PERFORMANCES, ETC., IN THE TOWN OF NORTH BAY, AND TO FIX THE ANNUAL FEE TO BE PAID FOR SUCH LICENSE.

WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to license theatres moving picture shows, vaudeville performances, etc. in the town of North Bay, and to fix the fee to be paid for such license.

BE it enacted and it is therefore hereby Enacted by the Municipal Council of the Town of North Bay, as follows:-

1. Any person or persons who keep for hire, rent or profit, any theatre, or other building or place used for theatrical, vaudeville, moving picture shows, or other like amusement, shall, before commencing business therein obtain a license from the Town Treasurer for the keeping of same.
2. The said license shall be annual and shall date from the first day of January in each year.
3. That for a license to keep for hire or profit a building or other place which is used for the purpose of displaying moving pictures only, there shall be paid an annual fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).
4. That for a license to keep for hire or profit any theatre, hall, building, or other place, or any part of any theatre, hall, building, or other place, to be used for a moving picture show with vaudeville combined, or to be used as a theatre where travelling show companies perform, or where any entertainment of any kind is given excepting exhibiting moving pictures, there shall be paid an annual fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00). Over and above the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) that may have to be paid for a moving picture license only, as set forth in section 3 of this by-law.
5. Any persons or persons convicted of a breach of any of the provisions of this by-law, shall forfeit, and pay at the discretion of the convicting Magistrate, a penalty not exceeding \$50.00 exclusive of costs; for each offence, and in default of payment of the said penalty and costs, forthwith the said penalty and costs, or costs only, may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender, and in case of there being no distress found out of which such penalty can be levied, the convicting Magistrate may commit the offender to the common Gaol of the town of North Bay, with or without hard labour, for a period not exceeding Twenty-one days, unless the said penalty and costs (if any) including the costs of the said distress and of the Comittal and conveyance of the offender to the said Gaol, are sooner paid.
6. All former by-laws of the Town of North Bay, covering the licensing of theatres, moving picture shows, vaudeville performances, etc. in the town of North Bay, are hereby repealed.
7. This by-law shall take effect from the first day of June, 1915.

Passed in open Council this 18th Day of

OCTOBER 1915

W. P. K. Kennedy
Clerk.

E. E. Eddy
MAYOR.
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