

where he shall be condemned to remain without bail until he shall have paid the monies as aforesaid, or faithfully rendered his accounts and produced his vouchers, or delivered all books, documents or papers as aforesaid, or have satisfied the Council in relation to the complaint made by the said Council; provided always, that no person shall be so kept in Gaol for more than one month for want of being able to pay the amount of the costs of judgment and execution; and provided also, that nothing herein contained shall have the effect of preventing or restraining any judicial recourse against any officer of the said Council so offending as aforesaid, or against any surety of such officer. 10

Town Council to have sole right of granting Certificates for Tavern Licences, &c.

LIII. From and after the passing of this Act the said Town Council alone shall have the right of granting and delivering certificates for Tavern Licences, and Licences to keep houses of public entertainment and retail spirituous liquors, within the limits of the said City; and such certificates shall be signed by the Mayor or the Secretary-Treasurer of the said City, and sealed with the Seal of the said Council. 15

Duties on Tavern and other Licences.

LIV. The said Council shall be entitled to charge for the granting of each such Licence, and in addition to the duties received by the Crown on Tavern Licences, a sum of not less than *five pounds twelve shillings and sixpence* nor more than *ten pounds twelve shillings and sixpence* currency; and the said sums shall form part of the funds of the said Council. And the said Council shall also have power to license temperance houses for an annual licence of three pounds at the most; and every tavern or temperance house that may hereafter be licenced and opened in the said City, shall contain at least six rooms, furnished with at least one bed for travellers, and stalls in the stables for at least ten horses. 20 25

Power to cancel Tavern Licences.

LV. The said Council shall have power to withdraw and cancel tavern licences which shall have been granted to persons residing in the said City, if such persons are convicted before any Court of having permitted in their houses serious disturbances caused by drunkenness, or if, upon trial before the said Council, such persons are convicted of keeping gambling houses, or houses of debauchery, and the said Council may so withdraw and cancel such licences, although the amount fixed by the said Council for the granting of certificates, or the amount fixed by law for the granting of licences may have been already paid. 30 35

Power to regulate Taverns and the sale of spirituous liquors by retail.

LVI. It shall be lawful for the said Council to make regulations for the government of taverns and temperance houses, and to determine what shall be the smallest quantity of spirituous liquors that may be sold by retail by persons who shall have obtained licence to sell liquor in small quantities, any law usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding and to impose such fines, not exceeding *ten pounds* currency, and such punishment by imprisonment for a period not exceeding, two months or both, against any person violating the regulations of the said Council relating to any part of this section, and the said Town Council shall also have power to prosecute any person who shall sell spirituous liquors without licence. 40 45