

BY-LAWS

OF THE

TOWN OF PORT HOPE.

By-Law 52.

To Provide for the Inspection of Bread.

PASSED 26TH OF APRIL, 1852.

No. 52.
Inspection of
Bread.

1. Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Town of Port Hope, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the passing of this Act, the weight of the large loaf of bread shall be four pounds, and the weight of the small loaf, or half loaf, shall be two pounds, avoirdupois. And be it enacted that if any Baker, or other person, within this municipality, shall make for sale, or sell, or offer for sale, any bread, or loaves of bread, of less than the aforesaid respective weight, the party so offending, shall, upon conviction before the Mayor or any Justice of the Peace, having jurisdiction within this municipality, forfeit and pay a fine of not less than twenty shillings, nor more than five pounds for such offence.

Large Loaf to
weigh 4 pounds.
Small Loaf to
weigh 2 pounds,
Avoirdupois.

Penalty for sell-
ing light bread.

2. And be it enacted that it shall be the duty of the Inspector of weights and measures, for this municipality, for the time being, to enter into the premises of any person within this municipality, where bread shall, or may be manufactured for sale or sold, and inspect and weigh the bread from week to week, as may be deemed necessary.

Inspector of
Weights and
measures to en-
ter premises and
weigh bread
from week to
week.

3. And be it enacted that if upon such inspection, any bread shall be found containing less weight for the large and small loaves respectively, than is provided by this By-law, the same shall be forfeited, and it shall be the duty of the said Inspector to seize and take away the same, and the same shall be distributed amongst the poor people residing within this municipality.

Inspector to
seize and distrib-
ute to poor
residents any
bread of light
weight.

4. And be it enacted that if any maker or vendor of bread within this municipality, or the agent or servant of any such baker or vendor, shall hinder or obstruct the said Inspector either from entering upon the premises of the party for the pur-

Penalty for
obstructing or
hindering the
Inspector.