

Certain Billiard Tables to be deemed to be kept for hire.

VIII. And be it enacted, That if any person licensed to keep a house or place of public entertainment, or to retail spirituous or fermented liquors, or keeping any ordinary, boarding house, recess, or other house of public resort, shall have any Billiard Table upon his premises, or in his possession, power or control, such Billiard Table shall be deemed to be intended to produce hire or gain to such person, and no proof of its having been allowed to be used shall be necessary: Provided always, That if any person illegally keeping a house or place of public entertainment, or illegally retailing spirituous or fermented liquors, shall have any Billiard Table upon his premises or in his possession, power or control, such Billiard Table shall be also deemed to be intended to produce hire or gain to such person, and no proof of its having been allowed to be used shall be necessary, but such person, if not licensed to keep such Billiard Table, shall be liable to a penalty double the amount of that mentioned in the next preceding section, that is to say, to a penalty of
currency.

Proviso.

Double penalty on unlicensed sellers of spirituous liquors.

District Inspector to issue licenses.

IX. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the District Inspector for any revenue district, to issue a License to keep one or more Billiard Tables, in some certain building or buildings within such revenue district, and to be designated in the License, in favour of any person being a subject of Her Majesty, who having previously complied with the requirements of this Act in that behalf, shall require such license; and such License shall remain in force until the
day of

Duration of license.

Duty.

next after the date thereof, and the person to whom the same shall be granted shall pay to the District Inspector, as a duty to Her Majesty upon such License, the sum of
currency, for each Billiard Table which he shall be thereby licensed to keep.

Bond to be given by any person obtaining a license.

X. Provided always, and be it enacted, That no License to keep a Billiard Table shall be granted to any person, until he shall,