

ORDINANCE NO. 10

An ordinance requiring the weighing of hay, straw and other forage, bark, coal and sand, sold, offered for sale or delivered in the Borough prohibiting the vender from making sale and delivery thereof without having the same weighed and having a certificate of the weight; fixing the amount which be demanded and collected for weighing of all articles on the Borough Scales, and providing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of Clymer in the County of Indiana, and State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

Section 1. All hay and straw and other forage, tan bark, coal and sand, sold, offered for sale or delivered in the Borough of Clymer, in carts, wagons, sleds or other vehicles, shall first be weighed on the Borough scale, and the number of pounds of bark, hay, straw or other forage, and the number of bushels of coal or sand in each load ascertained by the weighmaster, and a certificate of the weighing thereof obtained from the weighmaster, which certificate shall be delivered to the purchaser at or before the time when payment is demanded from him.

Section 2. If the owner or vender of any article required by this ordinance to be weighed, shall neglect or refuse to have the same weighed on one of the Borough scales, or shall present or make out a false certificate, or shall use a certificate previously obtained to represent the weight of any load other than the one for which it was issued, or receive payment for such without having first obtained a certificate of the weighing thereof and delivering such certificate to the purchaser, he shall pay for each and every offense a fine or

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penalty of not less than four nor more than ten dollars; and upon judgment against any person by summary conviction of violation of this ordinance, or by proceedings by summons, on default of payment of fine or penalty imposed by said judgment and costs, the defendant shall be sentenced and committed to the county jail for a period not exceeding thirty days. Provided; that nothing in this ordinance shall apply to coal brought into the Borough by persons, firms or corporations, for their own use, and Provided further: that this ordinance shall not apply to persons, firms or corporations having weigh scales of their own, upon which they weigh the aforesaid articles purchased by them for their own use, nor to persons, firms or corporations having special contracts with the Borough for the weighing of any of the aforesaid articles.

Section 3. The Borough Weighmaster, shall demand and collect, for the use of the Borough according to the following rates, for all articles weighed upon the Borough Scales under their charge, to-Wit:

Coal--26 bushels	10
Coal--26 to 39 bushels	15
Coal--40 bushels and over	20
Hay, straw or other forage or bark, per load	20
Two-horse of anything not enumerated above	10
Sand, each load	10
Three or four horse load of anything not enumerated above	20
Cart load of anything not enumerated above	10
Drafts of animals	10
Hay, straw or other forage, ½ ton or less	10
Coal in car load lots, by persons, firms, corporations and manufacturers for their own use, per wagon load	10
Coal for steam purposes	10
Hay and straw for packing and shipment, per wagon load	10

Ordained and enacted by the Town Council lawfully assembled in said Borough this 20th day of July, 1908.

H. Ney Prothero,
President of Council

Attest:- George Cole,
Clerk

Approved:- J.A. Dearolph,
Chief Burgess