

Moving Pig Without a License Charge

William Rawlings, a dealer of Seend Road, Seend, Melksham, was summoned for removing a pig from Wiltshire into Somerset without obtaining the necessary license on August 12th.

The defendant did not appear. PC Salway stated that...if a license was required he would have obtained one. Supt Jennings said the defendant was scarcely to blame, because the license was so worded that it might give the impression to the holder that it would enable a store pig to be moved into Somerset. The Chairman said the Bench thought a mistake had been made by the person who drafted the license, and the defendant would not be fined. They requested that an intimation might be sent to the people who issued the license to this effect.

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