

No. 9

INLAND  REVENUE.

**DOG LICENCE.**  
(NOT TRANSFERABLE.)

Swindon Collection.  
Swindon District.

Mr. \_\_\_\_\_  
of \_\_\_\_\_ in the Parish  
of \_\_\_\_\_ County of \_\_\_\_\_

is hereby authorised to keep **ONE DOG** in Great Britain, from the **DATE HEREOF**  
until and including the **31st DECEMBER 1888**: the sum of *Seven Shillings and Sixpence*  
having been paid for this Licence.

Granted at Swindon at the hour of 10-2 o'clock five noon  
this 9 day of January 1888  
by M. J. Walker

Penalty for refusing to show this Licence to any Officer of Excise, or Police Constable, or for keeping a Dog above 6 months' old without Licence, £5.

## SUMMONED FOR NO DOG LICENCE

The Adjourned dog case. - Richard J. Walker, of 215, Cricklade Road, Gorse Hill, Swindon, was summoned for keeping a dog without a licence. The case had been adjourned for a week for the production of the dog, and further evidence – Elizabeth Gorton, wife of Geo. Samuel Gorton, of Gorse Hill, said the dog in question was born on 27<sup>th</sup> February last. She remembered the date well, because her husband had it put down in a book. Her husband had the fellow puppy. – Alice Gorton, niece of the previous witness, said she put the date when the dog was down on the wall of the house in the back yard, marking it with a piece of coal. – James Gorton, husband of the previous witness, who was called last week, was recalled and after hearing his evidence the bench dismissed his case.

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