

ORDINANCE NO. 65

An Ordinance Providing for the Sanitation of Receptacles Used for the Delivery of Milk, Cream, Buttermilk or Ice Cream Within the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia:

Section 1. That every person, firm or corporation receiving milk, cream, buttermilk or ice cream which is delivered in cans, bottles or other receptacles shall thoroughly cleanse or sterilize such receptacles with hot water or steam or both, as soon as practical after the contents are removed, and before the said receptacles are returned to the shipper or person from whom same were received, except ice cream cans removed from refrigeration plants by agents of manufacturers or drivers of delivery trucks.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any dairyman or milk dealer, either wholesale or retail, to accept such milk bottles, cans, or other receptacles, except as excepted in Section 1, unless they have been cleansed as before provided.

Section 3. The use of milk, cream and ice cream receptacles for other purposes than for containers of these products is hereby prohibited.

Section 4. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be liable to a fine of not less than Five or more than Fifty Dollars for each offense, or by imprisonment in the City Jail for a period not exceeding ninety (90) days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

Section 5. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances and Resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Approved this 7th day of July, 1927.

W. A. SMOOT, Mayor.