

II. It shall and may be lawful for any Officer or Constable of the Constabulary or Police Force of the said City to arrest on view any person contravening the provisions of the said Ordinances, or to arrest any person contravening the same immediately or very soon after the commission of the offence, upon good and satisfactory information given; and every person so summarily arrested shall be forthwith conveyed to the City Hall for trial before the said Recorder's Court, if then sitting, or if the said Recorder's Court can be soon thereafter assembled, or if not, that bail may be taken for his appearance at the next sitting of the said Court to answer the charge or plaint preferred against him and for which he may have been so arrested as aforesaid; and to the cases of all persons so arrested the provisions of the eighty-seventh section of the Act passed in the session held in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act to amend and consolidate the provisions of the Ordinance to incorporate the City of Montreal, and of a certain Ordinance and certain Acts amending the same, and to vest certain other powers in the Corporation of the said City of Montreal*, shall apply as fully and effectually as if persons contravening the provisions of the Ordinance cited in the preamble of this Act were specially mentioned and referred to in the said section.

Policemen may arrest offenders against the said Ordinances, and take them before the Recorder's Court.

Provisions of section 87 of 14, 15 V. c. 128, to apply to such cases.

C A P. X L V I I I.

An Act to amend the Act authorizing the formation of Joint Stock Companies for the construction of Roads in Lower Canada, with a view to encourage the construction of good and useful roads throughout Lower Canada.

[Assented to 10th June, 1857.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Act twelfth Victoria, chapter fifty-six, intituled, *An Act to authorize the formation of Joint Stock Companies in Lower Canada for the construction of Macadamized roads, and of Bridges and other works of like nature*, with respect to the breadth of land which companies constituted under the said Act are authorized to take under the provisions of second section thereof: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Preamble.
12 V. c. 56

I. Hereafter, it shall be lawful for any company constituted as aforesaid, to take under and by virtue of the said second section of the above cited Act, a breadth of land not exceeding sixty-six feet English for the purposes of their road in lieu of twenty-eight feet English as therein provided, and such companies shall have the same powers and be subject to the same conditions with respect to such increased breadth of land as are now conferred upon or prescribed to such companies by the Act hereby amended with respect to the breadth of land heretofore authorized to be taken.

Sixty-six feet English may be taken for Roads under the said Act.