BY·LAW No. 120.

To repeal all By-Laws heretofore passed relating to Pounds and Pound Keepers within the Township of Brantford, and to make other provisions in that behalf.

The Municipal Corporation of the said Township of Brantford, in Council assembled, enacts as follows, that is to say:—

1st-That all By-Laws heretofore passed relating to Pounds and Pound Keepers within the said Township shall be, and the

same are hereby repealed.

2nd—That every Pound Keeper shall provide sufficient yards or enclosures for the safe keeping of all such animals as may be distrained and brought to him for unlawfully running at large, or for trespassing or doing damage within the said Township, and it shall be the duty of all persons distraining any such animals to impound the same in one of the nearest pounds to where such distress is made.

3rd—That every pound keeper shall daily, at proper times furnish all animals impounded with good and sufficient food, water and shelter during the period that any such animals may be impounded, and in default thereof shall, for every day he refuses or neglects to do so, forfeit and pay a fine or penalty of not less than one dollar, nor more than four dollars, to be recovered

as hereinafter provided.

4th—That every person distraining or impounding any animal or animals, shall at the time or within 24 hours thereafter, deliver to the Pound keeper a statement in writing, setting forth the nature and extent of his demand against the owner for damages, if any, not exceeding \$20, alleged to have been done by such animal or animals. And if the Pound keeper is not so furnished with such statement within the time aforesaid he shall release such animal or animals on the payment of his lawful fees or charges, and every person impounding any animal or animals, shall also at the time of such impounding deliver to the Pound keeper his written agreement with a sufficient surety, if required by such Pound keeper, in the form following or in words to the same effect, viz:—

"I (or we, as the case may be) do hereby agree that I (or we) will pay to the owner of the (here describe the animal or animals) by me, A. B., this day impounded all costs to which the said owner may be put to, in case the distress by me, the said A. B., proves to be illegal, or in case the claim for damages now put in by me, the said A. B, fails to be established in whole c in part."

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