

than the informer; and one moiety of such penalty shall belong to Her Majesty for the public uses of the Province, and the other moiety to the informer, unless he be an officer or servant of, or person in the employ of the Company, in which case he shall be a competent witness; and the whole penalty shall belong to Her Majesty for the uses aforesaid; and the Company may in all cases under this Act pay the amount of the penalty and costs, and recover the same from the offender or deduct it from his salary or pay.

Company may impose penalties for contravention of By-laws.

II. It shall be lawful for any Railway Company by any By-law to be hereafter made, to impose upon any officer or servant, or person employed by the Company, a forfeiture to the Company of not less than thirty days' pay of such officer or servant, for any contravention of such By-law, and to retain any such forfeiture out of the salary or wages of the offender; provided he shall, before such contravention, have had cognizance of such By-law, which may be proved, by proving the delivery of a copy thereof to him, or that he signed a copy thereof, or that a copy thereof was posted in some place where his work or his duties, or some of them, were to be performed; and such proof, with proof of the contravention, shall be a full answer and defence for the Company in any suit for the recovery from it of the amount so retained, and such forfeiture shall be over and above any penalty under the preceding section.

And deduct the same from offender's pay.