

BY-LAW OF CITY OF QUEBEC RESPECTING ILL-TREATMENT OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

Passed 27th September, 1867, at a Special Meeting of the City Council.

The Council of the said City makes the following By-Law, namely :

1st Whosoever shall abusively, or without any legitimate cause or reason, ill-treat in any manner whatsoever, a domestic animal, within the limits of the said city, shall incur on conviction for each offence, before the Recorder's Court of the said city, a fine not exceeding \$40, and in default of payment of the said fine and costs of suit, the said offender shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding two months, in the common jail of this district, unless such fine and costs of suit, and those of imprisonment, be sooner paid.

2nd. All By-Laws or parts of By-Laws, contrary to this present By-Law, shall be and are hereby repealed.

CONSTITUTION.

Article 1.—The title of this Constitution is "The Quebec Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

Article 2.—Its object shall be to provide effective means for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Article 3.—Any person may become a member of this Society by paying the sum of two dollars or upwards as an annual subscription. The name of any member neglecting for one year to pay this subscription, or at any time utterly refusing to pay it, may be erased by the committee from the list of members. The Society may from time to time elect Patrons and Honorary members.