

streets, squares or lanes of the City or Suburbs, under the penalty of five shillings; and whenever any such animals shall be found at large or straying as aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for any person, to seize and detain them, until the owner or owners of them shall have paid the said penalty for every horse, hog or goat so detained, over and above the reasonable charges for keeping them. And the person so seizing and detaining any animal as aforesaid, shall cause the same to be proclaimed immediately by the Town Crier, in the principal streets of the City and Suburbs, and at the Church door of the Parish of Montreal, on the Sunday next following each such detention, immediately after Divine Service in the forenoon, unless such animal shall be sooner claimed by the owner or owners thereof. Provided always, and it is hereby understood, that whenever any hog shall be found at large or straying as aforesaid, and the same cannot be seized, it shall be lawful for any person to kill such hog, and cause the same to be proclaimed by the Town Crier, in the principal streets of the City or Suburbs, near to the place where such hog shall have been killed, that he is ready to deliver such hog to the owner, on paying the above fine of five shillings and charges. And if no person shall claim such hog within two days after publication, as aforesaid,