

gate all deaths occurring under circumstances calling for medico-legal investigation under any act, and that these officers be given authority to make such medical examination of the body as may be necessary to determine whether death was due to violence or not ;

2. That in every case the medical examiners report the result of their examination to the coroner or other judicial officer charged with investigating the legal side of such cases, who, in case of violent death, shall make such investigations and take such measures as are necessary for the proper administration of the law.

If necessary, we are prepared to draft an amendment to the law which would secure the proper carrying out of this system.

(Signed,)

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At the regular meeting of the Society held on Friday, Dec. 15th, 1893, this report was unanimously adopted, and it was resolved that a copy of the report be sent to the Attorney-General and to each of the medical members of the Legislative Assembly and Council of the Province of Quebec.