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## QUEBEC SOCIETY

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## Prevention of Cruelty to Animals,

FOR 1874.

In reviewing the work of this Society for the past year, the Executive Committee feel gratified to believe that the efforts put forth in the cause of humanity, have been to a large extent successful.

The following statement will shew the number of prose-

cutions during the year:

A carter, beating his horse with whip handle, in Upper Town Market, fined \$1 and costs.

A carter, beating his horse with a stick, in Des Sœurs

street, fined \$1 and costs.

Three persons, encouraging, aiding, and assisting cockfighting, fined \$10 and costs each.

Three persons, encouraging, aiding, and assisting cock-

fighting, fined \$5 and costs each.

A carter, driving a horse with a sore shoulder, in Des Sœurs street, fined \$2 and costs.

A labourer, kicking his horse, in Joseph street, fined \$5 and costs.

Four persons, each fined \$2 and costs, being present at a cock fight.

A farmer, beating his horse, on Beauport road, fined \$1 and costs.

A labourer, beating an ox on the head, fined \$1 and costs. A carter, beating his horse, on Champlain Market, fined \$2 and costs.

A carter, driving his horse with a sore shoulder, fined \$1 and costs.

A drover, beating cows with a whip, fined \$2 and costs.