

ances of any kind, after such destruction or treatment, and before being authorized by the Inspector or Sub-Inspector so to do, or who exposes in his bee yard or elsewhere, any infected comb, honey, or other infected thing, or conceals the fact that said disease exists among his bees, shall on conviction before a Justice of the Peace be liable to a fine not less than \$20 and not more \$50 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two months and not less than one month.

Sect. 7—Any owner or possessor of Bees who refuses to allow the Inspector or Sub-Inspector or their assistants to freely examine said bees, or the premises in which they are kept, or who refuses to destroy the infected bees and appurtenances, or to permit them to be destroyed when so directed by the Inspector, may, on complaint of the Inspector or Sub-Inspector be summoned before a Justice of the Peace, and on conviction shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$25 and not more than \$50 for the first offence, and not less than \$50 and not more than \$100 for the second and any subsequent offence, and the said Justice of the Peace shall make an order directing the said owner and possessor forthwith to carry out the directions of the Inspector or Sub-Inspector.

Sect. 8—Where an owner or possessor of bees disobeys the directions of the said Inspector or Sub-Inspector or offers resistance to, or obstructs the said Inspector or Sub-Inspector, a Justice of the Peace may, upon complaint of the Inspector or Sub-Inspector, cause a sufficient number of special constables to be sworn in, and such special constables shall, under the directions of the Inspector or Sub-Inspector, proceed to the premises of such owner or possessor and assist the Inspector or

Sub-Inspector. Inspector may seize all the diseased colonies and infected appurtenances and burn them forthwith, and if necessary the said Inspector or constables may arrest the said owner or possessor, and bring him before a Justice of the Peace, to be dealt with according to the provisions of the preceeding sections of this Act.

Sect. 9—Before proceeding against any person before a Justice of the Peace, the said Inspector shall read over to such person the provisions of this Act, or shall cause a copy thereof to be delivered to such a person.

Sect. 10—Every bee-keeper or other person who is aware of the existence of foul brood, either in his own apiary or elsewhere, shall immediately notify the President of the County, District or Provincial Association of the existence of such disease, and in default of so doing shall, on summary conviction before a Justice of the Peace, be liable to a fine of \$5 and costs.

Sect. 11—Upon receiving the notice in the preceeding section mentioned, or in any way becoming aware of the existence of foul brood in any locality, the said President shall immediately direct the said Inspector to proceed and inspect infected premises; but where there is reason to believe that the information in said notice is untrustworthy, or that the person giving such notice is actuated by improper motives, then the President may require the person giving such notice to deposit the sum of \$5 with the President, as a guarantee of good faith, before the said notice is acted upon, and if it proves that said notice was properly given, then the said deposit shall be returned to the person giving such notice, but otherwise the said deposit shall be forfeited to the use of the said Ontario Bee-Keepers Association.

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