

before a judge of the sessions or a police magistrate, in the city of Montreal or Quebec, or before the district magistrate or any justice of the peace of the place where the offence was committed.

Such prosecution may also be taken by any other person, provided the prosecutor deposits beforehand with the person issuing the summons, the sum of twenty dollars as security for the costs of the prosecution.

Procedure. **6.** The procedure to be followed shall be that prescribed by Part XV of the Criminal Code respecting summary convictions.

Officers may enter buildings. **7.** Any inspector of industrial establishments is authorized to enter, at any hour, any of the buildings referred to in this act, for the purpose of ascertaining how it is observed.

Coming into force. **8.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

CHAP. 54

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting the appointment of a general medical superintendent for insane asylums

[Assented to 9th February, 1918]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Québec, enacts as follows:

R. S., 4088a **1.** The following articles are inserted in the Revised
et seq., enacted. Statutes, 1909, after article 4088 thereof, to wit:

Gen. Med. **"4088a.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may
Sup. of In- appoint a General Medical Superintendent of Insane
sane Asy- Asylums for all the asylums under contract with the
lums may be Government, at a salary of not more than four thousand
appointed. dollars per annum, payable out of the consolidated revenue fund.

His duties. **"4088b.** The General Medical Superintendent of Insane Asylums shall exercise the functions which may be allotted to him, from time to time, by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

"4088c. The General Medical Superintendent of Travelling Insane Asylums shall be paid, for his travelling expenses, out of the consolidated revenue fund, the sum of six dollars ^{expenses, &c.} per day, including the days necessarily occupied on the trip, going from and returning to the place where he resides.

The statement of such expenses must be accompanied ^{Certificate.} by a certificate stating the number of days for which he is entitled to apply for payment."

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its ^{Coming into} sanction. ^{force.}

CHAP. 55

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting the payment by municipalities of the cost of maintenance of the insane

[Assented to 9th February, 1918]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Article 4137 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is amend- ^{R. S., 4137,} ed by replacing the second paragraph thereof by the follow- ^{am.} ing:

"If, however, the municipality called upon to pay under ^{Collection} the provisions of this article; indicates in a precise manner ^{of amounts} to the Provincial Secretary, before the suit is brought, ^{due to Pro} the last place where the patient has had, in good faith, a ^{vince.} domicile during six consecutive months, the Government shall cause the municipality of the city, town or county in which the patient had such domicile, to pay directly."

2. This act shall not affect pending cases.

^{Pending} cases.

3. This act shall come into force on the day of its ^{Coming into} sanction. ^{force.}