

C A P. XXII

An Act respecting the tariffs applicable to certain cases before the Circuit Court of the district of Montreal

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 2544r of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by R. S., 2544r, the act 57 Victoria, chapter 25, is repealed ; and, in the cases repealed. to which it applied, the costs, fees and disbursements shall be those fixed by the tariffs applicable to proceedings in such cases at the time of the coming into force of the act 56 Victoria, chapter 25, or by any tariffs which shall be, from time to time, established by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, under the provisions of article 2710 of the Revised Statutes. Proviso for costs, &c.

C A P. XXIII

An Act to further amend the law respecting constables' fees

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 2593 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by R. S., 2593, the act 60 Victoria, chapter 36, section 1, and the schedule to replaced. the said article, are replaced as follows :

“ 2593. In the case of indictable offences in which the accused is committed for trial, any justice of the peace, who has ordered the arrest of such person, or any justice of the peace of the territorial division, wherein, according to the warrant, the offence has been committed, may, after having received the certificate of the justice of the peace who held the preliminary investigation establishing that the accused has been committed for trial, and after having established, according to the tariff in force, the sum which should be paid to the high constable or to the constable or other person for having arrested the accused and conveyed him to gaol, address to the sheriff of the territorial division in which it is alleged that the offence was committed, an order in conformity with the following schedule, commanding such sheriff to pay to the said high constable, or constable or other person, the sum so established, and, on presentation of such order, the sheriff shall pay the amount thereof. Constables' expenses in certain cases how taxed and paid.

SCHEDULE.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. }

To (*name of the sheriff*)
 Sheriff of the district of

Whereas A. B. (*name of the high constable or constable or other person*), has laid before me, one of the justices of the peace for the district of _____, the certificate hereunto annexed of C. D _____, justice of the peace for the district of _____, and whereas I have ascertained that, according to the tariff now in force, the said A. B. is entitled to the sum of _____, for having arrested and conveyed E. F. (*name of the accused*) to the gaol of the said district; these presents are therefore to command you as sheriff of the said district of _____, to pay to the said A. B. the said sum of _____.

And for making the said payment this shall be you sufficient warrant.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 18

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 J. P."

CAP. XXIV

An Act to amend the law respecting certain officers of justice

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Art. added after R. S., 2702.

1. The following article is added after article 2702 of the Revised Statutes :

Certain officers of justice may be placed on salary.

" 2702a. The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, when he deems it advisable, place upon a fixed salary one or more of the officers of justice mentioned in the preceding article, in one or more of the districts therein mentioned, and appoint, also at a fixed salary, the deputies of such officers and the necessary clerks, no salary to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars annually.

Salaries how payable.

Such salaries shall be payable out of the officers of justice fee fund of the district in which such officers are appointed, and together they shall not exceed the amount of such fund.