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## A BILL

## To prevent the Slaughtering of Cattle within the City of Sydney.

[DR. LANG; -29 January, 1869.]

THEREAS it is expedient to prevent the keeping of certain Preamble. Animals within the City of Sydney Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New 5 South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows :----

1. In the construction of this Act the word "Animal" shall Interpretation clause. be taken to mean any Calf not being one year old Sheep or Pig.

2. It shall not be lawful for any person carrying on business as Keeping living sheep 10 a butcher to breed feed keep or have any kind of living animal in any Sydney prohibited. place kept occupied or used by him within the City of Sydney and any person offending against this section shall forfeit and pay on conviction of such any sum not exceeding ten pounds.

3. The Inspector of Nuisances or any person appointed by the Inspector of Nuisances to have 15 Mayor of the said City for that purpose may at all times enter into and power to enter and seize.

inspect any house out-building lane alley or other place within the said City and in case he shall find any living animal in any such house out-building lane alley or other place he may seize the same And any person to whom such animal belongs or in whose cutody the same is 20 found shall forfeit and pay on conviction thereof any sum not exceeding ten pounds and upon such conviction the animals so seized shall be forfeited.

4. All penalties imposed by this Act may be recovered before Summary jurisany Justice of the Peace in a summary way and if the same be not paid 25 either immediately or within such time as such Justice may appoint for such payment not exceeding fourteen days after conviction then the person so convicted shall by warrant under the hand of the convicting or of any other Justice of the Peace be imprisoned with or without hard labor for any period not exceeding three calendar months unless 30 the same be sooner paid.

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