

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

H. P. No. 1119

H. D. No. 382

House of Representatives, Mar. 11, 1925.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Brown of Waterford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Regulate the Sale of Filled Milk.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. No person, firm or corporation shall by him-
2 self, his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of
3 another, manufacture, sell, exchange, distribute, offer or
4 expose for sale, distribution or transportation in the state
5 any condensed or evaporated milk which shall not conform
6 at least to the minimum standards established by regulation
7 by the commissioner of agriculture or established by stat-
8 ute and which if contained in hermetically sealed cans does
9 not bear stamped or labeled thereon the name and address
10 of the manufacturer or jobber thereof.

Sect. 2. No person, firm or corporation shall by himself,

2 his servant or agent or as the servant or agent of another
3 manufacture, sell, distribute, transport, offer or expose for
4 sale, distribution or transportation in the State or have in
5 possession with intent to sell or exchange any milk, cream,
6 skim milk, butter milk, condensed or evaporated milk, powd-
7 ered milk, condensed skim milk or any of the fluid deriva-
8 tives of any of them to which has been added any fat or
9 oil other than milk fat either under the name of said prod-
10 ucts or articles or the derivatives thereof or under any
11 fictitious or trade name whatsoever.

Sect. 3. No person, firm or corporation shall by himself,
2 his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of another,
3 sell or exchange or expose for sale or exchange or offer
4 or expose for sale, distribution or transportation or have in
5 possession with intent to sell or exchange any condensed or
6 evaporated or powdered skim milk in containers holding
7 less than ten pounds avoirdupois net weight unless said
8 container shall bear the name and address of the manufac-
9 turer distinctly branded, labeled or printed thereon togeth-
10 er with the words "Condensed Skim Milk" or "Powdered Skim
11 Milk," as the case may be, in Roman letters of a size at least
12 as large as any other words or letters appearing on said
13 brand or label.

Sect. 4. Whoever violates any of the provisions of the
2 foregoing section shall be punished by a fine not exceeding
3 one hundred dollars for the first offense and by a fine not
4 exceeding two hundred dollars for each subsequent offense.

Sect. 5. The Commissioner of Agriculture shall be charged
2 with the enforcement of the provisions of this section.