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Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 326.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVEN

AN ACT to amend section forty-five of chapter thirty-eight of the Revised Statutes, relating to the Inspection of Milk.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

- Section 1. Section forty-five of chapter thirty-eight of the
- 2 Revised Statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the
- 3 word "evidence" in the eighth line of said section the words
- 4 'Said inspectors shall leave with the owner of the milk in-
- 5 spected a sealed specimen of the milk examined by them
- 6 which shall be marked in the same manner as the specimen
- 7 taken at that time by said inspectors,' so that said section,
- 8 as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 45. Inspectors shall keep an office and books for the purpose of recording the names and places of business of all persons selling milk within their limits. They may enter any place where milk is kept or stored for sale, and examine all carriages used in the conveyance thereof, and when they have reason to believe any milk found therein to be adulterated, they shall take specimens thereof, and cause them to be analyzed or otherwise satisfactorily tested, and they shall preserve the result as evidence. Said inspectors shall leave with the owner of the milk inspected a sealed specimen of the milk examined by them which shall be marked in the same manner as the specimen taken at that time by said inspectors, and prosecute for all violations of the two following sections.'

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 18, 1897.

Reported by Mr. HOLBROOK of Brunswick, from Committee on Agriculture, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.