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No. 355

H. P. 1107 House of Representatives, February 4, 1941.

On motion of Mr. Farwell of Unity, taken from the table and on further motion by same gentleman referred to Committee on Agriculture and sent up for concurrence. 750 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. McFadden of Pembroke.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-ONE

AN ACT to Regulate the Sale of Whole Corn, Cracked Corn and Cornt Meal.

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

- Sec. 1. Labeling corn for sale. No person, firm, partnership, association, or corporation shall sell, or offer for sale, whole corn or cracked corn, or meal ground from corn, either at wholesale or retail unless such corn is properly marked and branded as provided and defined in this chapter.
- Sec. 2. To provide for proper branding. All corn, either whole corn or cracked corn, or meal ground from corn, sold, offered or exposed for sale, at retail or wholesale, in closed packages or containers, shall have plainly and conspicuously marked, on such packages or containers, the grade of the whole corn, cracked corn, and corn meal in such containers.
- Sec. 3. Enforcement. The commissioner of agriculture shall have authority to administer the provisions of this act, and to make uniform rules and regulations for such administration.
- Sec. 4. Penalty of violation. Any person, firm, partnership, association or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this act or shall

neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions thereof or any rule or regulation promulgated hereunder shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$10 for the first offense and not more than \$50 for the second offense, and not more than \$100 for any subsequent offense.