

# SENATE . . . . No. 505

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Mr. Clark moves that this bill be substituted by amendment for the Senate bill No. 483.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifteen.

### AN ACT

Relative to the Manufacture of Bread to be sold by the Loaf.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. Bread manufactured to be sold by the loaf  
2 shall be made from one or more of the following sub-  
3 stances: — wheat flour, rye flour, lard, vegetable oils, but-  
4 ter, sugar, malt extract, corn syrup, salt, yeast, water  
5 milk, corn sugar, cereal flakes, and any other substance,  
6 provided such substance shall advance the art of baking  
7 and shall not be injurious to health in the quantities used,  
8 or make the bread appear of greater value than it really  
9 is. This section shall not be construed as prohibiting the  
10 application of Revised Laws, chapter seventy-five, sec-  
11 tion eighteen, or acts in amendment thereof, to bread.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever by himself, by agents or as the  
2 servant or agent of another, violates the provisions of

3 section one of this act shall be punished by a fine of not  
4 less than twenty-five nor more than five hundred dollars  
5 or by imprisonment for not more than one year.

1 SECTION 3. The state department of health, boards of  
2 health of cities and towns or their authorized agents shall  
3 have the right to enter all bakeries or places where bread  
4 is manufactured or made for sale, and may seize samples  
5 of bread, cake or pastry and specimens of all materials  
6 used in the manufacture of bread, cake or pastry. They  
7 shall, at the time such samples are seized, seal and de-  
8 liver to the owner or the person from whom such samples  
9 are seized, a portion of each sample, and a receipt there-  
10 for shall be given to said department or board or its au-  
11 thorized agent. No evidence of the result of the analysis  
12 of said sample shall be received if the person seizing the  
13 same neglects or refuses to seal and leave a portion as  
14 provided hereinbefore. Whoever prevents, obstructs, or  
15 interferes with the state department of health, boards of  
16 health or their authorized agents, in the performance of  
17 their duties as provided herein, or hinders, obstructs or  
18 interferes with any inspection or examination by them,  
19 shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five nor  
20 more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for  
21 not more than one year.