

HOUSE No. 2008

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 6, 1916.

The committee on Social Welfare, to whom was referred so much of the recommendations of the State Board of Labor and Industries (House, No. 77) as relates to industrial work in tenements and dwellings, report the accompanying bill (new draft of House, No. 78).

For the committee,

ALLISON G. CATHERON.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen.

AN ACT

To provide for regulating Industrial Work done in Tenements and Dwelling Houses.

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. No person operating a manufacturing
2 establishment, or acting as an agent, contractor or sub-
3 contractor therefor, shall contract for or give out to be
4 manufactured, altered, repaired or finished in a tenement
5 or dwelling house articles of food or paper frills, napkins,
6 plates, bonbons or skewers which are to be used in con-
7 nection with food, or any other articles which are to be
8 used in connection with food, or table linen, or handker-
9 chiefs, or tooth brushes, or dolls or articles of dolls'
10 clothing, or toys, or games, or articles of children's or
11 infants' wearing apparel, or materials from which any
12 of the above mentioned articles, or any part of them,
13 are to be manufactured.

1 SECTION 2. The term "wearing apparel", as used in
2 this act, and in sections one hundred and six, one hun-
3 dred and seven and one hundred and eight, of chapter
4 five hundred and fourteen of the acts of the year nine-

5 teen hundred and nine, shall be held to include all
6 articles, or parts of articles, or ornaments, to be worn,
7 made in whole or in part of paper, of straw, of textiles
8 or of leather.

1 SECTION 3. Whoever violates any provision of this
2 act shall be punished by a fine of not more than one
3 hundred dollars.

