

HOUSE No. 522.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 31, 1901.

[Introduced on leave by Mr. Garrity of Boston. Public Health.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and One.

AN ACT

To regulate the Manufacture and Sale of Meat
Extracts.

*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. All extracts of meat of whatever
2 kind manufactured, sold or offered for sale within
3 the Commonwealth shall have printed on the label
4 of the package containing the same in letters not
5 less than one-half inch in length the name of the
6 kind of meat from which such extract is made.

1 SECTION 2. Any person, firm or corporation
2 manufacturing, selling or offering for sale any

3 meat extracts made from any other kind of meat
4 than that designated on the label as provided in
5 section one of this act shall be liable to a fine of five
6 dollars for each and every package manufactured,
7 sold, offered for sale or found in their possession.

1 SECTION 3. The state board of health is hereby
2 authorized and directed to appoint one or more
3 inspectors not exceeding three in number, at
4 a salary not exceeding one thousand dollars each
5 and travelling expenses, whose duty it shall be to
6 visit all places where extracts of meat are manu-
7 factured and report to said board of health any
8 violations of this act.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect imme-
2 diately on its passage.