HOUSE No. 934.

Bill accompanying the petition of George C. Ingram for legislation to prevent the adulteration of food with salts of potash. Public Health. February 3.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Four.

AN ACT

To prevent the Adulteration of Food with Salts of Potash.

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. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm
- 2 or corporation, directly or by an agent, to offer or expose
- 3 for sale, or to sell, in this Commonwealth any article of
- 4 food or drink, or any article that enters into food or
- 5 drink, which contains any salts of potash, except such
- 6 quantities of said salts as may exist as natural compo-
- 7 nents of animal or vegetable tissues.
- 1 Section 2. Whoever violates any provision of this
- 2 act shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty nor
- 3 more than two hundred dollars for each offence.
- 1 Section 3. This act shall take effect upon the first
- 2 day of January in the year nineteen hundred and five.

