

HOUSE No. 935.

Bill accompanying the petition of Simon B. Ryan for legislation relative to canned goods. Public Health. February 3.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Four.

AN ACT

Relative to placing Labels on Certain Canned Goods.

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. Whoever manufactures or puts up any
2 foodstuffs contained in cans or jars shall indicate legibly
3 on a label affixed to any such can or jar the date upon
4 which such foodstuffs were placed in the can or jar.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever puts up or sells or offers for
2 sale any goods not marked as aforesaid shall be pun-
3 ished by a fine of not less than and not more
4 than dollars for each offence.

1 SECTION 3. The goods in which milkmen and drug-
2 gists deal are exempt from this act.

