

Bill accompanying the petition of P. Joseph McManus for legislation to require the labelling of receptacles for milk and cream containing formaldehyde or other preservative. Agriculture and Public Health, sitting jointly. January 13.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirteen.

AN ACT

To provide for the labelling of Vessels and Receptacles for Milk or Cream containing Formaldehyde or other Preservative.

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 puts or causes to be put, formal-
2 dehyde, or any other preservative, into milk or cream,
3 or sells, or causes to be sold said milk or cream in this
4 commonwealth, without first labelling the vessel or re-
5 ceptacle containing said milk or cream by tag or other-
6 wise, printed in English, stating the time and place said
7 preservative was put in said milk or cream, shall upon
8 conviction thereof be punished by a fine not exceeding
9 one thousand dollars.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

