

fowls, or game from place to place to their customers, whether they be wholesale or retail purchasers thereof, protect all such slaughtered fresh meat, fish, fowls and game from dust, flies and all other obnoxious, offensive and deleterious insects, vermin and substances, which will or may in any manner injuriously affect the same for the purposes of human food, and family use, by securely and properly covering all such slaughtered fresh meats, fish, fowls and game while being so transported, with protectors, either tarpaulins, sheets or other effective covers that will prevent dust, flies or other obnoxious insects, vermin or other things from accumulating or settling thereon.

SEC. 2. Any person, firm or corporation, whether wholesale or retail, dealer, or a peddler or any other person, being dealers in slaughtered fresh meats of any kind, or in fish, fowls or game as and for human food or for family use, who shall violate the provisions of the above and foregoing section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before any court having jurisdiction of such offenses, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10) or more than one hundred dollars (\$100), or be imprisoned not less than ten (10) days or more than ninety (90) days.

Penalty.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25th, 1895.

CHAPTER 201.

S. F. No. 555.

An act to suppress the sale at retail of decayed, tainted and unwholesome plucked poultry of all kinds, and of game as hereafter specified.

Tainted poultry and game.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. It is hereby made and declared to be a misdemeanor under the law, for any butcher, grocer, farmer or any other person, firm, corporation or association of persons, to offer or expose for sale at retail, as suitable for human food, and for family use at any public market, store, shop or house, or in or about the public streets of any city, village or town, or elsewhere within this state, any plucked turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens, birds or wild fowls, or any slaughtered rabbits, squirrels or other small animals, either wild or tame, of any description, unless the same have the

Misdemeanor to sell.

entrails, intestines, crops and all other objectionable and offensive parts and portions are fully drawn and removed therefrom, before such turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens, birds, or wild fowls, or slaughtered rabbits, squirrels, or other small animals, either or any of them, whether wild or tame, are exposed and offered for sale at retail, for the purposes herein above specified.

Shipping and storing.

SEC. 2. Whenever any or either of the articles in the preceding section named, when intended for shipment and are shipped either into this state or to outside markets, or for cold storage purposes at any point, either in this state or elsewhere, or when the same, or either of them are offered for sale in wholesale lots, by dealers to cold storage keepers or others, or by cold storage keepers to others, none of the foregoing provisions of the above named section, as to being drawn shall be applicable thereto.

Penalty.

SEC. 3. Any, and all persons, firms, corporations or associations, violating the provisions of section one (1) of this act, by having in his or their possession and offering for sale at retail, as suitable for human food, or for family use as food, any plucked turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens, birds, or wild fowls, or any slaughtered rabbits, squirrels, or other small animals, either wild or tame, from which the entrails, intestines, crops and all other objectionable and offensive parts or portions have not been fully drawn and removed therefrom, is hereby declared to be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before any court having jurisdiction of such offenses, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100), or by imprisonment not exceeding ninety days.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 13th, 1895.

CHAPTER 202.

H. F. No. 455.

Milk cans.

An act to preserve the public health by requiring dealers in certain cases to empty and wash cans, bottles and vessels used in transporting milk or cream.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Minnesota.

Shall be washed

SECTION 1. Any person or persons firm or corporation who receives any milk or cream in cans, bottles or vessels which has been transported over any railroad or boat line where such cans bottles. or vessels are to