

THE *J. Rogers*
GENERAL STATUTES

OF THE

STATE OF MINNESOTA:

REVISED BY COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED UNDER AN ACT APPROVED FEBRUARY 17, 1868, AND
ACTS SUBSEQUENT THERETO, AMENDED BY THE LEGISLATURE,
AND PASSED AT THE SESSION OF 1866.

TO WHICH

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, THE ORGANIC ACT, THE
ACT AUTHORIZING A STATE GOVERNMENT, AND THE
CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA,

ARE PREFIXED;

AND A LIST OF ACTS PREVIOUSLY REPEALED,

A GLOSSARY, AND INDEX, ARE ADDED.

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Selling diseased provisions, how punished.

SECTION 1. Whoever knowingly sells any kind of diseased, corrupted or unwholesome provisions, whether for meat or drink, without making the same fully known to the buyer, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than six months, or by fine not exceeding five hundred dollars.

Fraudulent adulteration of food, how punished.

SEC. 2. Whoever fraudulently adulterates for the purpose of sale, any substance intended for food, or any wine, spirits, malt liquor or other liquor intended for drinking, with any substance injurious to health, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than one year, or by fine not exceeding two hundred dollars.

Fraudulent adulteration of drugs, &c., how punished.

SEC. 3. Whoever fraudulently adulterates for the purpose of sale, any drug or medicine, or sells any drug or medicine knowing it to be adulterated, or offers the same for sale, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than one year, or by fine not exceeding three hundred dollars, and such adulterated drugs and medicines shall be forfeited and destroyed by order of the court.

Inoculation with small pox, with intent, &c., how punished.

SEC. 4. Whoever inoculates himself or any other person, or suffers himself to be inoculated with the small pox within this state, with intent to cause the prevalence or spread of this infectious disease, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison not more than three years nor less than one year.

Person intoxicated prescribing poison, &c., how punished.

SEC. 5. If any physician or other person, while in a state of intoxication prescribes any poison, drug or medicine to another person, he shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than one year, or by fine not exceeding five hundred dollars.

Selling poison without affixing label, how punished.

SEC. 6. Every apothecary, druggist or other person who sells and delivers any arsenic, corrosive sublimate, prussic acid, or any other active poison, without having the word "poison," and the true name thereof in English, written or printed upon a label attached to the vial, box or parcel containing the same, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

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