

LINSEED OIL.

CHAPTER 106.

[H. B. 140.]

MANUFACTURE OF LINSEED OIL.

AN ACT Entitled "An Act to Prevent the Adulteration of, and Deception in the Manufacture and Sale of, Flaxseed or Linseed Oil.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. **BOILED LINSEED OIL.]** That no person, firm or corporation or agent or employe of any person, firm or corporation shall manufacture for sale or offer or expose for sale in this state any flaxseed or linseed oil unless the same answers a chemical test for purity recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia or any flaxseed or linseed oil as "boiled linseed oil" unless the same shall have been put in its manufacture to a temperature of two hundred and twenty-five (225) degrees Farenheit.

§ 2. **PAINTED, STAMPED OR STENCILED.]** That no person, firm or corporation or agent or employe of any person, firm or corporation shall sell, expose or offer for sale any flaxseed or linseed oil unless it is done under its true name and each tank car, tank, barrel, keg or any vessel of such oil has distinctly and durably painted, stamped, stenciled or labeled thereon the true name of such oil in ordinary bold faced capital letters the words "pure linseed oil raw" or "pure linseed oil boiled" and the name and address of the manufacturer thereof and sold only under the brand of such manufacturer.

§ 3. **MISDEMEANOR, PENALTY.]** That any person, firm or corporation or agent or employe of any person, firm or corporation who shall sell without stamp as required by this act or who shall falsely stamp or label such tank cars, tanks, barrels, kegs or other vessels as containing flaxseed or linseed oil or knowingly permit such stamping or labeling or whoever shall violate any provision of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished with a fine of not less than twenty-five (25) dollars nor more than fifty (50) dollars and in default of the payment of such fine shall be committed to the county jail until the same is paid.

§ 4. **COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE MUST ENFORCE LAW.]** It shall be the duty of the state commissioner of agriculture and labor

and the state's attorneys of the different counties of this state to enforce the provisions of this act; and for that purpose the said commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint such assistants, experts and chemists as he shall deem necessary or expedient from the State University or the State Agricultural College, and the said commissioner and said assistants, experts and chemists so appointed shall have access, ingress and egress to and from all places of business and buildings where flaxseed or linseed oil so called whether pure or adulterated, is believed by them to be kept or stored; and they shall also have power and authority to open any tank car, tank, barrel, keg or other vessel of such oil and inspect the contents thereof and take samples thereof therefrom sufficient in quantity only for analysis; and all clerks, bookkeepers, express agents, railroad agents or officials, employes, common carriers and all other persons shall render them all the assistance in their power when so requested in tracing, finding or discovering the presence of any such adulterated oil.

§ 5. EXPERTS AND CHEMISTS.] In all prosecutions under this act the costs thereof shall be paid in the manner now provided by law and the said assistants, experts and chemists appointed by the commissioner of agriculture and labor, shall be entitled when testifying on such prosecutions to the same witness fees now provided by law for expert witnesses.

§ 6. REPEAL.] All acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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LOST OR DESTROYED PAPERS.

CHAPTER 107.

[H. B. 181.]

SUBSTITUTION OF LOST PAPERS.

AN ACT to Enable the Substitution of Lost Paper or Papers Destroyed by Fire in the County Courts of this State and Providing the Manner of Said Substitution.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. LOST OR DESTROYED PAPERS.] If any process, citation, original petition or any other paper is lost or destroyed by fire or otherwise or withheld by any person the court may authorize a copy thereof to be filed and used instead of the original; and when it shall appear to the satisfaction of the judge of said court that