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**CHAPTER 67.**

AN ACT to prevent the sale of unclean and unsanitary milk and the use thereof in the manufacture of food products, and to prohibit unclean and unsanitary conditions of creameries, cheese factories and milk dealers' establishments or outfits.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in senate and assembly do enact as follows:*

**Unclean and unsanitary milk.** SECTION 1. Milk which shall be drawn from cows that are kept in barns or stables which are not well lighted and ventilated, or that are filthy from an accumulation of animal refuse or from any other cause, or from cows which are themselves in a filthy condition, and milk in or from cans or other utensils that are not kept in a clean and sanitary condition, or milk to which has been added any unclean or unsanitary foreign substance, is hereby declared to be unclean and unsanitary milk; provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the sale of pasteurized milk or cream to which viscogen or sucrate of lime has been added solely for the purpose of restoring the viscosity, if the same be distinctively labeled in such manner as to advise the purchaser of its true character.

**Sale of.** SECTION 2. No person, firm or corporation, shall knowingly offer or expose for sale, or sell, or deliver for sale or consumption, or to any creamery or cheese factory or milk condensing factory, or have in his possession with intent to sell any unclean or unsanitary milk.

**Manufacture of food from.** SECTION 3. No person, firm or corporation, shall knowingly manufacture for sale any article of food from unclean or unsanitary milk or from cream from the same.

**Premises and utensils to be kept clean.** SECTION 4. All premises and utensils employed for the manufacture or sale or offering for sale of food products from milk or cream from the same which shall not be kept in clean and good sanitary condition are hereby declared to be unclean and unsanitary. Any milk dealer or any person, firm or corporation furnishing milk

or cream-to such dealer, or the employe of such milk dealer, and any person, firm or corporation or the employe of such person, firm or corporation, who operates a creamery, cheese factory or milk condensing factory, or manufactures, re-works or packs butter for sale as a food product, shall maintain his premises and utensils in a clean and sanitary condition.

**Bottles or vessels to be washed.** SECTION 5. Any person, 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 be returned, shall cause the said cans, bottles or vessels to be emptied before the said milk or cream contained therein shall become sour, and shall cause said cans, bottles and vessels to be immediately washed and thoroughly cleansed and aired.

**Penalty.** SECTION 6. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by fine of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each and every offense, and, in default of payment thereof, shall be imprisoned in the county jail not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 68.

AN ACT to provide for state insurance on public buildings, and making an appropriation therefor.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

**Powers annulled.** SECTION 1. On and after July 1st, 1903, no officer or agent of this state and no person or persons having charge of any public buildings or property of the state shall