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CHAPTER 455.

AN ACT to amend section 1418 of the statutes, relating to slaughterhouses, and providing a penalty.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1418 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 1418. No person shall erect, maintain or keep any slaughterhouse upon the bank of any river, running stream or creek; or throw, or deposit therein, any dead animal, or any part thereof, or any of the carcass or offal therefrom; nor throw or deposit the same into or upon the banks of any river, stream or creek, which shall flow through any city, village or organized town, containing two hundred or more inhabitants; or erect, maintain or use any building for a slaughterhouse, *except such buildings as are or shall be placed under federal inspection*, at any place within one-eighth of a mile of any *public highway*, dwelling house or a building occupied as a place of business; and every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished, for each such violation, by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months; and the mayor of the city, president of the village, and the chairman of the town, in which any such slaughterhouse is located, shall have power to and shall cause the same to be immediately removed; and every such officer who shall knowingly permit any slaughterhouse to be used or maintained contrary to the provisions of this section shall forfeit not less than fifteen dollars nor more than fifty dollars. In any county containing a population of one hundred thousand or over, all the provisions of this section relating to slaughterhouses shall apply to all establishments and manufactories in which dead animals, or any part thereof, or of the carcass or offal therefrom, are collected and converted into marketable products.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved June 6, 1913.