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Senate File 174
By SCOTT (Hoth, Lauer).

Passed Senate, Date.....
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Passed House, Date.....
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Approved

A BILL FOR

An Act relating to inspection of meat intended for human food.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. No person shall bring or import into the state
2 any animal carcass or portion thereof for the purpose of offering
3 to sell or selling the same at wholesale or retail as human food
4 unless the same bears identifying marks establishing that it has
5 been federally inspected.

1 Sec. 2. The carcass of all animals slaughtered in the state
2 to be offered for sale or sold at wholesale or retail as human
3 food shall be inspected and marked as hereinafter provided unless
4 the same has been federally inspected and bears identifying marks
5 thereof.

1 Sec. 3. Any person engaging in the business of slaughtering
2 animals and selling the carcasses or portions thereof for human
3 food either at wholesale or retail shall obtain a license from
4 the department of agriculture for that purpose. Each such
5 license shall expire on the first day of July following date of
6 issuance. The fee for such a license shall be twenty-five dollars
7 per year.

1 Sec. 4. Any animal carcass or portion thereof offered for
2 sale as human food either at wholesale or retail must be
3 inspected by a veterinarian designated by the secretary of
4 agriculture. Any carcass or portion thereof inspected and found
5 fit for human food shall be marked with a stamp designed and
6 furnished by the department to the designated veterinarian.
7 Provided, however, that the department shall retain ownership of
8 all such stamps and any unauthorized use thereof shall be
9 unlawful and shall constitute a misdemeanor.

1 Sec. 5 The designated veterinarian inspecting the
2 carcasses as herein provided shall be entitled to receive not to
3 exceed two and one-half dollars per hour and seven cents per mile
4 for necessary travel expense to be paid by the person engaging
5 his services.

1 Sec. 6. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to
2 apply to a livestock producer who slaughters and sells the
3 carcasses of animals produced on his farm.

1 Sec. 7. All license fees required under this Act shall upon
2 receipt thereof by the department be paid to and receipted for by
3 the treasurer of state and shall be kept by him in a separate
4 fund to be known as the "meat inspection fund". Such fund shall
5 be continued from year to year and the treasurer shall keep a
6 separate account thereof showing receipts and disbursements as
7 authorized by law. No part of such fund shall be used for any
8 other purpose than the administration and enforcement of this
9 Act, provided, however, if on July first of any year there is a

10 balance remaining in said "meat inspection fund" which in the
11 opinion of the secretary is greater than is necessary for the
12 proper administration of such laws, the treasurer of state is
13 hereby authorized, on the recommendation and with the approval of
14 the secretary, to transfer to the general fund of the state such
15 portion of said meat inspection fund as the secretary shall deem
16 advisable to so transfer.

SENATE FILE 174

- 1 Amend Senate File 174, section 2, line 3, by
- 2 inserting after the word "inspected" the words "both ante
- 3 mortem and post-mortem".
- 4 Further amend Senate File 174, section 4, line 3, by
- 5 inserting after the word "inspected" the words "both ante
- 6 mortem and post-mortem".

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Filed

February 16, 1953.

By SCOTT.

- 1 Amend House File 248 as follows:
- 2 1. Amend section two (2) line three (3) by inserting
- 3 after the word "inspected" the words "both ante mortem and post-
- 4 mortem".
- 5 2. Amend section four (4), line three (3), by inserting
- 6 after the word "inspected" the words "both ante mortem and post-
- 7 mortem".

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Filed

February 16, 1953.

LAUER of Fayette.

- 1 Amend Senate File 174, section 6, by striking the period
- 2 from line 3 thereof and adding thereto the following: ", or to
- 3 frozen food locker plants and branch frozen food locker plants
- 4 as defined in section one hundred seventy-two point one (172.1),
- 5 of the Code."

Filed

February 25, 1953.

By COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE.

- 1 1. Amend Senate File 174, line 4, section 4.
- 2 after the word "agriculture" by adding the following: "or a
- 3 lay inspector under the supervision of a certified veterinarian
- 4 or a veterinarian employed by municipality which has an
- 5 established inspection system."
- 6 2. Further amend Senate File 174 by striking in line 6
- 7 of section 4 after the word "department" the following:
- 8 "to the designated veterinarian." and substituting in lieu
- 9 thereof the following: "of agriculture or by federal stamp
- 10 or stamp from a recognized municipal system of inspection."
- 11 3. Further amend Senate File 174 by adding in line 2 of
- 12 section 6 after the word "to" the following: "state institutions
- 13 or to."
- 14 4. Further amend Senate File 174 by striking in lines 2
- 15 and 2 of section 6 "and sells the carcasses of".
- 16 5. Further amend Senate File 174 by adding in line 3 of
- 17 section 6 after the word "farm" the following: "for his own
- 18 consumption".

Filed

March 11, 1953.

By VAN EATON.

HOUSE FILE 248

- 1 Amend House File 248 by striking all after section one (1).

Filed

March 16, 1953.

COMMITTEE ON DAIRY AND FOOD.

- 1 Amend Senate File 174 by adding a new section as follows:
- 2 "Sec. 8. This act shall not be applicable where meat in-
- 3 spection is provided by any city acting through its local board
- 4 of health."

Filed

March 25, 1953.

By VAN EATON.

- 1 Amend Senate File 174 by striking all of section 7.

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March 25, 1953.

By KNUDSON.

- 1 Amend Senate File 174, section 6, by striking the period from
- 2 line 3 thereof and adding thereto the following: ", or to
- 3 frozen food locker plants and branch frozen food locker plants,
- 4 including those which slaughter or sell carcasses of animals or