

ney of the county in which the offense was committed, who shall forthwith commence proceedings against the offender, in any court of competent jurisdiction. All reasonable expenses for analyzing suspected oil shall be paid by the owner of the oil whenever it is found that he is selling or offering to sell impure oil in violation of the provisions of this chapter. Such expenses may be recovered in a civil action, and in criminal proceedings such expenses shall be taxed as part of the costs."

SEC. 3. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 25, 1898.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, April 7, 1898.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 61.

S. F. 305.

AN ACT to amend section twenty-five hundred and three (2503) of the code, relating to the inspection of petroleum products.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Appointment of deputies. Amend section twenty-five hundred and three (2503) of the code by adding thereto the following:

"Where there are two or more inspection stations, under the jurisdiction of the same inspector, he may with the approval of the governor appoint a deputy or deputies, each of whom shall be a resident of the state and not interested directly or indirectly in the manufacture or sale of petroleum products, for all of whose official acts the principal shall be responsible, and who shall serve without additional compensation or expense to the state."

SEC 2 In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 25, 1898.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, April 5, 1898.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 62.

S. F. 112.

AN ACT to amend section twenty-five hundred and eight (2508) of the code in relation to the specific gravity and inspection of petroleum products.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Fines. That section twenty-five hundred and eight (2508) of the code be amended by striking out of the twenty-second line the words: "At a specific gravity of not less than seventy nor more than seventy-five degrees." Also, by adding after the words "street lamps" in the twenty-fourth line the words: "Shall be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than fifty dollars." Also, by adding after the words "shall be," in the thirty-eighth line the words: "Fined not less than fifty dollars," and shall be ["Fined not less than fifty dollars, and shall be"].

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa