

SECTION I. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 88, 89, 90 and 91 of Article 27, Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," subtitle "Fraud, Butter, Oleomargarine," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Fraud
Butter,
Oleomargarine

Unlawful to
manufacture,
sell or
exchange, etc.,
any compound
made in
imitation of
butter.

Sec. 88. That no person by himself, his agents or servants, or as the agent or servant of any other person, shall render or manufacture, sell or exchange, offer for sale or exchange, expose for sale or exchange, take orders for the future delivery of, have in his possession, keep in storage, distribute, deliver, transfer or convey, with intent to sell within this State, any article, product or compound made wholly or partly out of any fat, oil or oleogeneus substance or compound thereof not produced directly and wholly from unadulterated milk or cream from the same, which shall be in imitation or semblance of yellow butter produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream from the same; provided that nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit the manufacture or sale of oleomargarine in separate form and in such manner as will advise the purchasers and consumers of its real character, free from coloration or ingredients which causes it to look like yellow butter. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than three hundred dollars for the first offense, and by a fine of not less than two hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars or by such fine and three months' imprisonment for each subsequent offense.

Proviso.

Penalty.
for violation.

Regulations
for sale of
oleomargarine

Sec. 89. That whoever sells oleomargarine free from coloration or any ingredients that causes it to look like yellow butter, as provided in the previous section, from any dwellings, store, office or public market, shall have conspicuously posted therein a placard or sign in plain Roman letters not less than four inches in length "Oleomargarine Sold Here." Any person neglecting or failing to post the placard herein provided for shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than three hundred dollars for the first offense, and one hundred dollars for each day's neglect so to post placard thereafter, and by a fine of not less than two hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars or by such fine and three months' imprisonment for each subsequent offense.

Sec. 90. That whoever, by himself or his servants or agents, or as the servant or agent of any other person, sells or offers