

CHAPTER 17.

AN ACT

[H. B. 26]

To regulate the use, sale and possession of narcotic drugs.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to vend, sell, furnish, or give away, or cause to be vended, sold, furnished, or given away, or offer to sell, vend, furnish or give away, or cause to be offered to be vended, sold, furnished or given away, or to have in his or their possession any cocaine, opium, morphine, codeine, heroin, alpha-eucaine, beta-eucaine, nova-caine, or chloral hydrate, or any of the salts, derivatives or compounds of the foregoing substances or any preparation or compound contained in or containing any of the foregoing substances or their salts, derivatives or compounds, excepting upon the written order or prescription of a physician or dentist or veterinary surgeon licensed to practice in this Territory, which order or prescription shall be permanently retained on file by the person, firm or corporation who shall compound or dispense the articles ordered or prescribed and it shall not be again compounded or dispensed. No copy or duplicate of such written order shall be made or delivered to any person, but the original shall be at all times open to inspection by the prescriber and properly authorized officers of the law and shall be preserved for at least three years from the date of the filing thereof; PROVIDED, that the above provisions shall not apply to sales at wholesale by jobbers, wholesalers and manufacturers to pharmacies; and further provided, that the above provisions shall not apply to preparations sold or dispensed without a physician's prescription containing less than two grains of opium, or one-fourth grain of morphine, or one-sixth grain of codeine, or one-sixth grain of heroin,

Unlawful to vend or furnish narcotic drugs except on original prescription.

Prescription open to inspection and preserved.

Proviso.

or one-sixth grain cocaine, or one-sixth grain eucaine, or one-sixth grain nova-caine, or one-sixth grain beta-eucaine, or ten grains chloral hydrate in one fluid ounce, or if a solid preparation, in one avoirdupois ounce; and further provided, that the above provisions shall not apply to the sale or compounding of remedies used for veterinary purposes and liniments. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Act shall upon conviction be punished as follows, viz: For the first offense by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) and not more than two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), or by imprisonment for not more than one hundred days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; for the second offense, by a fine of not less than two hundred dollars (\$200) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500), or by imprisonment for not more than two hundred days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and for the third offense, by imprisonment in a penitentiary for not less than one year nor more than five years.

Penalty.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of each member of the Board of Pharmacy to see that the provisions of the foregoing section are enforced, to investigate all reports of violations of said section, and to prosecute all violations of said section which may come to his notice.

Members
Pharmacy
Board to report
and prosecute
violations.

Approved May 2, 1921.

CHAPTER 18.

AN ACT

[H. B. 13]

To amend Section 6, Chapter 8, of the Session Laws of Alaska, 1917, relating to the Board of Medical Examiners of Alaska.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. That Section 6, Chapter 8, of the Session Laws of Alaska 1917, entitled, "An Act to regu-