

This section shall not apply to any member of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue Cutter Service, or Coast Guard, or to any member of the National Guard or the Civil Air Patrol, while in service.

Section 2. Section 892 of the act, amended June 7, 1961 (P. L. 252) and June 19, 1961 (P. L. 466), is amended to read:

Section 892 of the act, amended June 7, 1961, P. L. 252 and June 19, 1961, P. L. 466, further amended.

Section 892. *Illegal Sale of Veterans' Flowers.*—Whoever imitates, sells or offers to sell the labeled artificial flowers of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Spanish-American War Veterans, American War Mothers, Disabled American Veterans of the World War, *Veterans of World War I of the U. S. A., Inc.*, the American Veterans of World War II (AMVETS), the Marine Corps League, and the Italian American War Veterans of the United States, Incorporated, namely the poppy, the buddy poppy, carnation, American War Mothers' carnation, the forget-me-not, the four leaf white clover, the poinsettia, and the daisy, except on the day or days designated or appointed by the respective veterans' organizations to conduct such sales, shall, upon conviction, in a summary proceeding, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than fifty dollars (\$50), and in default of the payment of such fine, and costs, shall be sentenced to imprisonment for ten (10) days.

APPROVED—The 6th day of June, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 61

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 5, 1945 (P. L. 426), entitled "An act to authorize certain persons to take affidavits and acknowledgments in connection with the administration of the affairs of *veterans and their dependents; making certain offenses punishable as perjury; and imposing penalties," adding the Veterans of World War I of the U. S. A., Inc.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 1, act of May 5, 1945 (P. L. 426), entitled "An act to authorize certain persons to take affidavits and acknowledgments in connection with the administration of the affairs of veterans and their dependents; making certain offenses punishable as per-

Affidavits and acknowledgments of veterans' affairs.

Section 1, act of May 5, 1945, P. L. 426, amended June 21, 1961, P. L. 501, further amended.

* "veterans" in original.

jury; and imposing penalties," amended June 21, 1961 (P. L. 501), is amended to read:

Section 1. Each local organization of The American Red Cross, The American Legion, *Veterans of World War I of the U. S. A., Inc.*, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Disabled American Veterans, United Spanish War Veterans, Regular Veterans Association, Director of Veterans Affairs, Jewish War Veterans of the United States, the Military Order of the Purple Heart, the Italian American War Veterans of the United States, Incorporated, and such other similar organizations now or hereafter accredited or recognized by the United States Veterans Administration, which supplies such aid and assistance to veterans or their dependents, and which gratuitously prepares forms for veterans and their dependents in connection with their affairs as such before the United States, any agency thereof, or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, any agency or political subdivision thereof, is hereby authorized to designate one of its officers to take affidavits or acknowledgments to such forms, as may be required by rule, regulation or otherwise by the United States, any agency thereof, or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, any agency or political subdivision thereof, in the administration of the affairs of veterans and their dependents. For the same purposes the Adjutant General of Pennsylvania is authorized to designate one or more persons from the Department of Military Affairs, and the State Director of Selective Service is authorized to designate one or more persons from the Pennsylvania Selective Service System.

When any such officer or person is so designated, his name, address and official position shall be furnished to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in writing, signed by such designated officer or person, accompanied by a certificate of his designation by the proper authority of such organization, or of the Adjutant General, or the State Director of Selective Service, as the case may be. Upon receipt of such writing and certificate in form as herein provided the Secretary of the Commonwealth, with the approval of the Governor, shall issue under his hand and seal of his office a certificate of appointment to such designated officer or person which shall authorize him to take affidavits or acknowledgments of veterans and their dependents in connection with their affairs as such before the United States, any agency thereof, or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, any agency or political subdivision thereof. Such authorized officer or person shall exercise the authority conferred under the provisions of this act at the pleasure of the Governor.

Each affidavit or acknowledgment taken as above authorized shall contain the date, signature and title of the officer or person administering the same and the number of the certificate issued to the authorized officer or person.

Each certificate issued as aforesaid by the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall be numbered in the order of date issued, and the Secretary of the Commonwealth is hereby authorized to certify such appointment whenever required.

The Secretary of the Commonwealth shall make no charge whatsoever for filing, appointing, or certifying under the provisions of this act, nor shall any officer or person so designated and authorized make any charge for taking such acknowledgments or affidavits.

APPROVED—The 6th day of June, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 62

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 3, 1923 (P. L. 134), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," adding the Veterans of World War I of the U. S. A., Inc.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

War veterans organizations.

Section 1. The title, act of May 3, 1923 (P. L. 134), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," is amended to read:

Title, act of May 3, 1923, P. L. 134, amended.

AN ACT

Making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic, [and] the United Spanish War Veterans, *and any other organization of war veterans*, a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution.

New title.

Section 2. Section 1 of the act, amended June 7, 1961 (P. L. 251), is amended to read:

Section 1 of the act, amended June 7, 1961, P. L. 251, further amended.