

Penalty for offering for sale any articles of money, goods, &c.

articles, money or goods of any sort, or any chose in action, or any lands, or tenements, or hereditaments, or any interest therein, or in any personal or real property whatsoever, to be determined by lot, chance, or the drawing of any lottery, within or without this state; or shall sell or procure to be sold, or shall furnish, or procure to be furnished in any manner whatsoever, any claim, share, portion, policy, order, or interest of any kind whatsoever, in any such property so offered for sale or disposition, to or for any other person or persons, such person or persons shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or to imprisonment not exceeding one year, in the discretion of the court, for every such offence: *Provided*, that no sale or disposition of any ticket or tickets in any lottery expressly granted by this state, and approved of by the lottery commissioners, or proposed by the said commissioners on behalf of this state, that shall be made by any licensed vender of lottery tickets, shall be affected by this section; *Provided also*, that the provisions of this act shall not be deemed applicable to such dispositions of personal property of small value, as shall be made by raffle or lot, and which shall not be intended as evasions of the lottery system.

Proviso.

Penalty for altering or forging tickets, &c.

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons shall falsely make, alter, forge or counterfeit, or cause to be made, altered, forged or counterfeited, or willingly aid or assist in the falsely making, altering, forging or counterfeiting, any ticket of any lottery, or other game of chance, or part or share of any such ticket, or any certificate, writing, or evidence of any interest in any ticket or prize in any lottery, or other device of game of chance, with intent to defraud any person, body corporate or politic whatsoever; or shall utter or publish as true, or shall sell or exchange, or offer for sale or exchange, any false, altered, forged or counterfeited ticket, in any lottery, or other device or game of chance, or part or share of any such ticket, or any certificate, writing or evidence of any interest in any ticket, or prize in any lottery, or other device or game of chance, with intent to defraud any person, body corporate or politic whatsoever, knowing the same to be false, altered, forged or counterfeited; then any such person, being thereof convicted in the due course of law, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to confinement in the penitentiary not exceeding seven years.

(*or)

Act to be construed largely and strongly against all offenders, &c.

SEC. 14. *And be it enacted*, That to the end that no person or persons within this state, shall sell, vend, barter, assure, furnish, supply, procure, notify or register, any ticket or tickets, or share of any ticket in any lottery or lotteries, or other device or game of chance, or any certificate, writing or token, of any inte-