

ticket or prize, or to assure or entitle any person or persons to any prize or interest whatsoever, that shall be dependent on the drawing or determination of any lottery or other device or game of chance, or of the offer thereof, or of the agreement therefor, shall be conclusive evidence that such ticket, share or part of a ticket, or prize, certificate, assurance, writing, instrument, paper or token, was signed, issued and given according to the purport thereof; and it shall not be necessary on any trial civil or criminal, to prove the existence of any lottery, device or game of chance, in connection with which any such ticket, share or part of a ticket, or prize certificate, assurance, writing, instrument, paper or token, shall purport to have been given, issued or signed, or the signing of any such ticket, part or share of a ticket, assurance, certificate, writing, paper or token, in any such real or pretended lottery, or other device or game of chance.

Sec. 12. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons within this state, shall offer for sale or disposition, any article or 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.

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