

1947 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Gaming", said new section to be known as Section 302 $\frac{3}{4}$  and to follow immediately after Section 302 $\frac{1}{2}$  of said Article, as said section was enacted by Chapter 708 of the Acts of 1949, and to read as follows:

302 $\frac{3}{4}$ . *Nothing in this sub-title shall be construed to make it unlawful for any bona fide religious, fraternal, civic, war veterans, hospital, amateur athletic or charitable organization or volunteer fire company in OF Carroll County to conduct or hold a carnival, bazaar, raffle, or game of bingo or other game of entertainment for the benefit of any such religious, fraternal, civic, war veterans, hospital, amateur athletic or charitable organization or volunteer fire company, or corporation, provided that no individual or group of individuals shall benefit financially from the holding of any such bazaar, carnival, raffle or game or shall receive or be paid any of the proceeds from any such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game for personal use or benefit. At such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game, it shall be lawful to award prizes to any individual in merchandise up to \$5.00 in any one game. At such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game, it shall be lawful to award prizes to any individual in merchandise up to \$500.00 in any one* IN A raffle by means of chance books, but **THERE SHALL BE ONLY ONE MAJOR PRIZE IN ANY SUCH RAFFLE** AND no organization shall have more than one such raffle or participate in more than one such raffle in any one year. Before any such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game shall be operated such group shall first obtain a permit from the County Commissioners of Carroll County, which permit shall provide that such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game shall be managed and operated only by members of such group and such permit shall not be transferable.

Before the County Commissioners of Carroll County shall issue a permit to any such organizations, it shall be their duty to ascertain the character of the organization on whose behalf the application is made to determine if such application comes within the provisions of this section. The application and the action taken thereon by the County Commissioners of Carroll County shall be a public record. Such permit shall not authorize the operation of any such carnival, bazaar, raffle or game on the Sabbath Day, commonly called Sunday.

Any person, association or corporation knowingly operating or attempting to operate a carnival, bazaar, raffle, or game as authorized by this section in violation thereof, shall upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine not exceeding