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CHAPTER 461.

AN ACT to create section 1459e of the statutes, relating to the Wisconsin Butter Makers' association.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 261, laws of 1903, is amended and made a new section of the statutes to read:

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SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 462.

AN ACT to create sections 4423m and 4423n, statutes of 1898, relating to obstruction, annoyance or discrimination against any member of the national guard.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There are added to the statutes of 1898, two new sections to read:

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SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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without the consent of the owner thereof, any bird ordinarily kept in a state of confinement, or any dog or beast of any value, not the subject of larceny at common law. * * * shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than one year nor less than ten days, or by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars nor less than five dollars.

(Ch. 149, 1907.)

Hired horses and vehicles; penalty for wilful injury.

SECTION 4422f. Any person who shall obtain for hire from the keeper of a livery stable or any other person the possession or use of a horse or other draft animal or any vehicle, and who shall recklessly, wantonly or by gross negligence injure or destroy or cause, suffer, allow or permit the same or any part thereof to be injured or destroyed, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

(Ch. 532, 1907.)

Certain badges: penalty for unauthorized wearing.

SECTION 4423a. Any person who shall wilfully wear the insignia or rosette of the military order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, or any imitation thereof, or any badge of the Grand Army of the Republic, or any insignia or badge of the United Spanish War Veterans or of the Military Order of Foreign Wars, or use the same to obtain aid or assistance thereby within this state, unless he shall be entitled to use or wear the same under the constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations of said Loyal Legion or under the rules and regulations of the department of Wisconsin of said Grand Army, or under the rules, regulations and constitution of such United Spanish War Veterans, or of such Military Order of Foreign Wars, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than thirty days or by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars or by both such fine and imprisonment.

(Ch. 8, 1907.)

National guard membership or enlistment, injuries and threats because of; penalty. SECTION 4423m. A person who, either by himself or with another, wilfully deprives a member of the national guard of his employment, or prevents

his being employed by himself or another, or in respect to his trade, business or employment, because said member of said national guard is such member, or dissuades any person from enlistment in the said national guard by threat of injury to him in case he shall so enlist, in respect to his employment, trade, or business, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten days nor more than twenty days.

(Ch. 462, 1907.)

Societies and corporations must not discriminate; penalty. SECTION 4423n. No association or corporation, constituted or organized for the purpose of promoting the success of the trade, employment, or business of the members thereof, shall by any constitution, rule, by-law, resolution, vote or regulation, discriminate against any member of the national guard of the state of Wisconsin, because of such membership in respect to the eligibility of such member of the said national guard to membership in such association or corporation, or in respect to his right to retain said last mentioned membership. It is the purpose of this section and the section immediately preceding to protect a member of the said national guard from disadvantage in his means of livelihood and liberty therein but not to give him any preference or advantage on account of his membership in said national guard. A person who aids in enforcing any such provisions against a member of the said national guard with the intent to discriminate against him because of such membership, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten days nor more than twenty days.

(Ch. 462, 1907.)

Avoiding or tampering with meters; penalty. SECTION 4432. Any produce merchant, warehouseman, miller or storage, forwarding or commission merchant, or any other person who shall wilfully use false weights or measures in the buying or selling of any commodity or thing and thereby shall cheat or defraud the seller or buyer of any such commodity or thing; or any person who shall sell or offer to sell or have in his possession for