

Any constable or police officer or member of the State Police Force or designated officer of the Department of Highways, who shall be in uniform and shall exhibit his badge or other sign of authority, shall have the right to stop any motor vehicle, upon request or signal, for the purpose of inspecting the said motor vehicle as to its equipment and operation, or manufacturer's number or motor number or weight, and securing such other information as may be necessary, and any sheriff or deputy sheriff or county detective or constable or police officer or member of the State Police Force or designated officer of the Department of Highways who shall be in uniform or shall exhibit a badge or other sign of authority shall have the right to inspect any motor vehicle in any public garage or repair shop for the purpose of locating stolen motor vehicles and investigating the title and registration of motor vehicles, and for such purpose the owner of any such garage or repair shop shall permit any such officer without let or hindrance to make investigations as herein authorized.

Right of police officer to stop for purpose of inspection.

Right of police officer to inspect vehicle in garage or repair shop.

*No such constable, police officer, or member of the State Police Force, or designated officer of the Department of Highways, or other person, shall request or signal the operator of any motor vehicle to stop, for the purpose of selling tickets for charitable or other purposes, or for any form of solicitation whatever.*

Vehicles not to be stopped for any form of solicitation.

APPROVED—The 27th day of April, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 276

AN ACT

To amend section one of an act, approved the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred), entitled "An act authorizing removal of county jails, prisons, or workhouses from public parks, squares, or commons, in counties of the fourth class, and the erection of new county jails, prisons, or workhouses at or near the county-seat of said counties; and regulating the disposal of such abandoned county jails, prisons, or workhouses, and the ground upon which the same may be located," regulating the location of such jails, prisons, and workhouses and the acreage to be acquired therewith.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of an act, approved the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred, entitled "An act authorizing removal of county jails, prisons, or workhouses from public parks, squares, or commons, in counties of the fourth class, and the erection of new county jails, prisons, or workhouses at or near the county-seat of said coun-

Counties of fourth class.

Act of April 6, 1921 (P. L. 100), amended.

ties; and regulating the disposal of such abandoned county jails, prisons, or workhouses, and the ground upon which the same may be located," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Erection of jails, prisons or workhouses.

Site.

Acreage.

Disposal of old buildings.

Use of old building as house of detention.

Section 1. That, whenever, in any county of the fourth class of this Commonwealth, the county jail, prison, or workhouse of such county is located in or upon a public park, square, or commons in the borough, town, or city then being the county-seat of such county, and a new building or buildings are authorized and required to be erected in place of such county jail, prison, or workhouse, it shall be lawful for the commissioners of such county to erect such new building or buildings upon a site [at or conveniently near the county-seat] *within said county*, and, if need be, to purchase ground for the erection of such building or buildings, *not exceeding five hundred acres*; and, upon the completion of such new building or buildings, the commissioners of such county shall have the authority to dispose of such jail, prison, or workhouse building or buildings, together with all the right, title, or interest of such county in and to the real estate upon which said building or buildings are situated, for any public purpose, including a war memorial, either by sale or by gift, or to remove said building or buildings from said public park, square, or commons, *or to retain said building or buildings and the real estate upon which they are situated as a house of detention or accessory to the county prison.*

APPROVED—The 27th day of April, A. D. 1927.

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No. 277

AN ACT

To amend section three of the act, approved the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and seventy-seven), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of workhouses in the several counties of this Commonwealth," *increasing the amount of acreage allowed for such purposes.*

Workhouses.

Section 3 of act of June 26, 1895 (P. L. 377), amended.

Securing lands and erecting buildings.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section three of the act, approved the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and seventy-seven), entitled "An act authorizing the erection of workhouses in the several counties of this Commonwealth," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 3. Said commissioners are authorized to use any suitable lands already held for county purposes, or to purchase any quantity of lands within