Governor to proclaim The Dr. J. T. Rothrock Memorial Conservation Week.

Section 3. The week in which the [ninth day] last Friday of April in any year falls shall be designated by the Governor, also by proclamation, as The Dr. J. T. Rothrock Memorial Conservation Week [in Pennsylvania], during which week the citizens shall be encouraged to consider through suitable activities the broader subject of the conservation of all of the natural resources from which the wealth of the Commonwealth is derived.

APPROVED-The 11th day of April, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 30

AN ACT

Providing for the appointment of a registered nurse for the members of the General Assembly.

Legislative nurse.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Appointment and compensation.

Section 1. The President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, acting together, shall appoint a registered nurse to serve as legislative nurse, and fix her compensation at not less than four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$4,800) per year nor more than six thousand dollars *(\$6,000) per year. She shall have charge of a first-aid room which hall be located in the quarters presently occupied for that purpose.

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 11th day of April, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 31

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 29, 1956 (P. L. 1795), entitled "An act regulating the sale and distribution of mixed fertilizers and fertilizer materials; imposing powers and duties on the Secretary of Agriculture and prescribing penalties," providing for the filing of reports and statements by certain persons changing the method of sampling inspection and analysis.

^{* (\$6.000)} in original.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 5, subsection (b) of section 6 and section 11, act of May 29, 1956 (P. L. 1795), known as the "Pennsylvania Fertilizer Law of 1956," are amended to read:

Section 5. Inspection Fees; Reports .--

(c) Every manufacturer or importer of commercial fertilizer in this State selling to a nonregistrant shall file, in a manner prescribed by the Secretary of Agriculture, not later than the last day of January and July of each year, a semi-annual statement, setting forth the number of net tons of commercial fertilizer distributed in this State during the preceding six-months period and, upon filing such statement, shall pay the inspection fee at the rate stated in subsection (a) of this section.

Section 6. Inspection, Sampling, Analysis.—

(b) The methods of sampling, inspection and analysis shall be those adopted [in the year 1955 by the Association of Official Agricultural Chemists] in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated by the Secretary of Agriculture. Such rules and regulations shall establish minimum standards for such sampling, inspection and analysis as well as the procedure and methods to be used in making them.

Section 11. Each person registering commercial fertilizers under this act shall furnish the secretary with a confidential written statement of the tonnage, by counties, of each grade of commercial fertilizer sold by him to a nonregistrant in this State. The statement shall include all sales for the periods of July 1 to and including December 31 and of January 1 to and including June 30 of each year. A statement shall not be required when the reporting system in subsection [(a)] (c) of section 5 is used. The secretary may, in his discretion, cancel the registration of any person failing to comply with this section if the above statement is not made within thirty days from the date of the close of each period. The secretary, however, may grant a reasonable extension of time. No information furnished under this section shall be disclosed in such a way as to divulge the operation of any person. The secretary or his authorized representative shall have authority to examine the manufacturer's records and verify the tonnages of commercial fertilizer manufactured, stored or sold or handled.

APPROVED—The 11th day of April, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

Pennsylvania Fertilizer Law of 1956.

Subsection (c), section 5, subsection (b), section 6 and section 11, act of May 29, 1956, P. L. 1795, amended.

Requirements to report tonnage of each grade of fertilizer by county sold to a nonregistrant.