

ings, or other structures in the Canal Zone. Any person who shall violate any provision of such rules and regulations shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$25, or by imprisonment in jail for not more than ten days, or by both; and every day that any such advertising device shall remain upon such lands or structures, in violation of such rules and regulations, shall constitute a separate offense."

SEC. 4. That section 125 of title 6 of the Canal Zone Code is amended so as to read as follows:

"125. PROCEEDINGS ON PLEA OF GUILTY.—If the defendant pleads guilty, the magistrate may hear testimony to determine the gravity of the offense and, within twenty-four hours after such plea or hearing of testimony, shall render judgment as to the punishment to be imposed."

SEC. 5. That section 521 of title 6 of the Canal Zone Code is amended so as to read as follows:

"521. WARRANT FOR EXECUTION OF JUDGMENT OF DEATH; TIME OF EXECUTION.—When judgment of death is rendered, a warrant signed by the judge and attested by the clerk, under the seal of the court, must be drawn and delivered to the marshal. It must state the conviction and judgment, and appoint a day on which judgment is to be executed, which must be not less than ninety nor more than one hundred and twenty days from the time of judgment, and must direct the marshal to deliver the defendant, within ten days from the time of judgment, to the warden of the penitentiary, for execution."

SEC. 6. That this Act shall take effect sixty days after the date of its enactment.

Approved, June 13, 1940.

Punishment.

47 Stat. 882.

Proceedings on plea of guilty.

Warrant for execution of judgment of death; time of execution.

Effective date.

[CHAPTER 359]

AN ACT

To amend section 1 of the Act providing punishment for the killing or assaulting of Federal officers.

June 13, 1940
[H. R. 7019]

[Public, No. 627]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 1 of the Act of May 18, 1934 (ch. 299, 48 Stat. 780), as amended (U. S. C., title 18, sec. 253), be, and it is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"That whoever shall kill, as defined in sections 273 and 274 of the Criminal Code, any United States marshal or deputy United States marshal or person employed to assist a United States marshal or deputy United States marshal, any officer or employee of the Federal Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice, post-office inspector, Secret Service operative, any officer or enlisted man of the Coast Guard, any employee of any United States penal or correctional institution, any officer, employee, agent, or other person in the service of the customs or of the internal revenue, any immigrant inspector or any immigration patrol inspector, any officer or employee of the Department of Agriculture or of the Department of the Interior designated by the Secretary of Agriculture or the Secretary of the Interior to enforce any Act of Congress for the protection, preservation, or restoration of game and other wild birds and animals, any officer or employee of the National Park Service, any officer or employee of, or assigned to duty in, the field service of the Division of Grazing of the Department of the Interior, or any officer or employee of the Indian field service of the United States, while engaged in the performance of his official duties, or on account of the performance of his official duties, shall be punished as provided under section 275 of the Criminal Code."

Approved, June 13, 1940.

18 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 253.

Punishment for killing Federal officers.
18 U. S. C. §§ 452, 453.

18 U. S. C. § 454.

[CHAPTER 360]

AN ACT

To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, and for other purposes.

June 13, 1940
[H. R. 9700]
[Public, No. 628]

Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, amendments.
"Carry-over" of tobacco defined.
52 Stat. 39.
7 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 1301 (b) (C).

Proclamation of tobacco marketing quota; increase.
52 Stat. 46; 53 Stat. 1261.
7 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 1312 (a).

National marketing quota, referendum.
52 Stat. 46.
7 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 1312 (c).
Tobacco marketing quotas for 3-year period.

Effect of vote.

52 Stat. 47.
7 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 1313 (a).
Apportionment of national marketing quota.
Limitation on reduction.

Determination of farm-acreage allotments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph (3) (C) of section 301 (b) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, is amended by inserting after the comma following the words "calendar year then current" the following: "except that it shall not include any amount of such tobacco of the 1939 and 1940 crops which the Secretary determines is stored temporarily in the United States because of war or other unusual conditions delaying the normal exportation thereof, and".

SEC. 2. That subsection (a) of section 312 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, is amended by striking out the figure "10" in the last sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "20", and by striking out the period at the end of the last sentence and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "or to avoid undue restriction of marketings in adjusting the total supply to the reserve supply level."

SEC. 3. That subsection (c) of section 312 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, is amended by adding thereto the following: "In the same referendum the Secretary shall also submit to such farmers the question of whether they favor tobacco marketing quotas for a period of three years, beginning with the marketing year next following. If two-thirds of the farmers voting on this question favor marketing quotas for a three-year period, the Secretary shall proclaim marketing quotas for such period, and, beginning on the first day of the marketing year next following and continuing throughout the period so proclaimed, a national marketing quota shall be in effect for the tobacco marketed during each marketing year in said period unless amendments are made in the provisions for determining farm allotments so as to cause material revision of such allotments before the end of such period. If more than one-third of the farmers voting on this question oppose marketing quotas for the three-year period, such results shall be proclaimed by the Secretary and quotas for a longer period than one year shall not be in effect, but such result shall in no wise affect or limit the proclamation and submission to a referendum, as otherwise provided in this section, of a national marketing quota for any marketing year thereafter."

SEC. 4. That subsection (a) of section 313 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, is amended by striking out the colon and all the words thereafter which follow the words "such five-year period" and inserting in lieu thereof a period and the following: "Notwithstanding any other provision of this section and section 312, except the provisions in subsection (g) of this section relating to reduction of allotments, for any of the three marketing years, 1941-1942 to 1943-1944, in which a national marketing quota is in effect for burley or flue-cured tobacco, such national marketing quota shall not be reduced below the 1940-1941 national marketing quota by more than 10 per centum and the farm-acreage allotments (other than allotments established in each year under subsection (g) of this section for farms on which no tobacco was produced in the last five years) shall be determined by increasing or decreasing the farm-acreage allotments established in the last preceding year in which marketing quotas were in effect in the same ratio as such national marketing