

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That no person or persons shall haul a seine, nor fish a net of any kind or description, with a mesh of less size than three inches, as provided in section two of this act as amended above; and provided, a license of one cent per lineal fathom on all traps, seines or nets of any description shall be paid to the clerk of Charles county before the same can be used for fishing.

Size of meshes.

SEC. 3. *Be it enacted*, That the oyster police boat for the sixth district is hereby directed and empowered to supervise the fisheries in the said waters of the Potomac and its tributaries, and the Wicomico and its tributaries in Charles county, between the first day of June and the fifteenth day of March in each year, and upon information being conveyed to the commander of said oyster police boat, that any person or persons have violated the provisions of this act or of the act of January session eighteen hundred and seventy-two, chapter one hundred and ninety-eight, as amended by this act, he shall arrest said offender and carry him before some justice of the peace within said county, and upon conviction, he shall be subjected to the several fines and penalties as provided in section three of said act passed January session eighteen hundred and seventy-two, chapter one hundred and ninety-eight.

Oyster police to supervise.

SEC. 4. *Be it enacted*, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to construct a fish trap, or pound net, or any fishing apparatus of like description, near the mouths of any of the tributaries of the said Potomac and Wicomico rivers within Charles county, between Maryland Point in said county and Chisildine's Island in St. Mary's county, for the purpose of fishing the same or for any other purpose, nothing herein contained to be construed to prohibit the fishing with said fish trap or pound nets by *bona fide* citizens of Charles county from the shores bordering on said rivers and tributaries within said waters, not being near the mouths of said inlets, whereby the fish would be obstructed in their free passage to the head waters of said rivers and tributaries within said county; any person violating the provisions of this section shall be subjected to the fines and penalties as provided in section three of

Unlawful to construct fish trap, &c.