

of unmerchantable oysters so scattered, which certificate shall entitle the captain, his assignee, or any other person entitled thereto to receive the sum of ten cents per bushel for each bushel of unmerchantable oysters so disposed of and scattered; and the Comptroller of the Treasury shall, upon presentation of such certificate so endorsed, draw his warrant on the oyster fund in favor of the party entitled to the same for the amount therein specified. The fine of twenty-five dollars and the per bushel rate fine herein mentioned to be recovered on conviction before a justice of the peace or a court of competent jurisdiction, and in the event that the party who has thus violated the provisions of this Article be supposed to be financially irresponsible, the officer preferring the charge shall demand of the purchaser of the cargo to withhold and pay over to the proper authority such amount, and if said purchaser shall refuse or fail to do so, the amount shall be recovered from him by writ of fi. fa. on the judgment obtained against the party who has so violated the law. The certificate herein provided for shall be in form following, and the blank spaces shall be filled out in ink, and numbers shall be written in full:

How fines recovered.

Form of certificate.

Baltimore,19

This is to certify that Captain....., of schooner....., has on board.....bushels of unmerchantable oysters, to be scattered on the grounds whence taken, under the supervision of....., Deputy Commander, serving in the waters of....., and upon the endorsement by said Deputy Commander or officer in charge of his boat, the said....., or order, is entitled to receive the sum of.....dollars.

(Signed).....,
Inspector and Measurer.

For

Endorsed:

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Bushels dumped and scattered.....

(Signed).....,
Deputy Commander State Fishery Force.

11. Any packer, commission man, boatman or other person who shall conspire or agree with any other person to evade any of the provisions of this Article, or who shall connive at or participate in such violation shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. It shall be unlawful for any captain or other person