

court of Anne Arundel, by the act to which this is a supplement, passed at November session, seventeen hundred and ninety-one, and that after the passage of this act, the powers of the said county court with regard to making contracts for keeping public ferries at the county expense is hereby abrogated and made void.

FISH.

AN ACT to protect the breed of Fish in Anne Arundel County.
1826, ch. 96.

Seines of a certain description not lawful to be used.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to use in the rivers or waters of said county any seines or nets, the meshes of which shall be less than one inch and a quarter square, except such seines or nets as do not exceed ten fathoms in length.

Penalty on persons using them.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That if any person or persons, shall after the passage of this act, use or haul in the rivers or waters of the county aforesaid, any seine or net, exceeding the length aforesaid, the meshes of which shall be less than one inch and a quarter square, such person or persons so offending, shall forfeit and pay, for each and every offence, the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered in the name of the state before any justice of the peace, as other small debts are recovered, one-half to the use of the informer, and the other half to the use of the state, any act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Not to affect seines already knit

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to extend to, or affect those seines or nets already knit, and owned by persons residing in said county.

FREE NEGROES.

The act of 1823, ch. 161, is merged in the act of 1831, ch. 323, ante page 1068.

JURORS.

AN ACT to authorize the Levy Court of Anne Arundel County to Assess and Levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned.—1807, ch. 108.

Levy authorized to pay expenses incurred by attendance of jurymen at county court.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the levy court of Anne Arundel county, be, and they are hereby authorized and required, annually to levy on the assessable property in said county, a sum of money not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars, to be applied to the payment and discharge of the expenses incurred by the attendance of jurymen at Anne Arundel county court.

To be deposited in Farmers' Bank.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said sum of money, when so levied and collected, shall, by the said justices, be deposited in the Farmers Bank of Maryland, and a certificate, signed by