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OYER AND TERMINER.

The governor empowered, on application, to issue commissions of oyer and terminer and gaol delivery for the trial of all crimes, offences and misdemeanors whatever, in any county within the state—Nov. 1787, ch. 1,	245
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OYSTERS.

Any citizen of this state may locate and appropriate in any of the bays, sounds, rivers, creeks or coves, not exceeding one acre in extent, for the purpose of sowing oysters, or other shell fish; and when so deposited, &c. they shall be his rightful property; <i>Provided</i> , he shall have staked or marked off, so as to be distinctly defined, the said location, described in writing, under oath, and have the same recorded in the office of the clerk of the county; <i>And provided also</i> , such location shall not obstruct navigation, &c.—1829, ch. 87, sec. 1,	977
Proprietors of the adjacent shores shall have right of pre-emption for one acre of superficies extending along shore from low water mark, &c. subject to the foregoing limitations, and provided the location be selected and completed before the first of January next—1829, ch. 87, sec. 2,	978
No person other than the citizens of the county, &c. shall be entitled so to stake out, locate, &c.—1829, ch. 87,	978
Any proprietor into whose land a creek, cove or inlet may make, which at its mouth does not exceed one hundred yards in width, shall have the exclusive use of such creek, cove or inlet, for the depot of, &c.—1829, ch. 87,	978
No exclusive use or selection of any oyster bar or bars, shall be authorized or allowed by this act—1829, ch. 87,	978
Catching or taking, &c. from any such depot, declared a misdemeanor, provided the proprietor thereof shall annually deposite a sufficient quantity thereon—1829, ch. 87, sec. 3,	978
None of the foregoing sections of this act shall be deemed to extend in any manner whatever, to the waters of the western shore—1829, ch. 87, sec. 4,	979
Penalty of \$50 for catching, &c. any oysters that may have been planted or deposited on the bed of any of the bays, rivers, creeks, &c. of the western shore, without the consent of the person who planted, &c.—1829, ch. 87, sec. 5,	979

* See 1798, ch. 101, sub ch. 2, sec. 13.