

for each offence the sum of one hundred dollars, to be recovered in the name of the State before a justice of the peace as other small debts are recovered, one-half to the informer and the other half to the use of the State.

324. All wharves and places of landing in the said city which are or may be owned by the mayor and city council, are declared to be public wharves, within the meaning of the last preceding and next succeeding section of this article.

325. It shall not be lawful for the corporation of the city of Baltimore to establish any higher rate of wharfage for barrels of salted fish than for barrels containing any other salted provisions.

326. No inspector shall purchase, directly or indirectly, any salted fish by them or either of them condemned, or any other fish whatever other than for his family use; nor shall they or either of them, directly or indirectly, be concerned in making, rendering or furnishing any cask or casks, for the purpose of packing, re-packing or curing any fish brought to, packed in or exported from the city or port of Baltimore; nor shall they or either of them, be concerned in the cooperage of any cask containing fish that may be inspected in said city, nor shall they or either of them, vend or furnish any salt for the curing or salting any fish that shall be inspected in said city, under the penalty of forfeiting and paying for every offence five dollars.

327. When any fish are condemned in said city, the owner or owners thereof or their agent shall have the same removed beyond the limits of said city, within twenty-four hours thereafter, under the penalty of forfeiting and paying for each condemned barrel or half barrel of fish the sum of five dollars, to be recovered by warrant before a justice of the peace, one-half to the informer and the other half to the use of the State.

328. If any inspector shall charge or receive any greater fee or reward for inspecting than is allowed by this article, he shall forfeit and pay the sum of fifty dollars, to be adjudged on indictment and conviction in the Criminal Court of Baltimore, one-half to the informer and the other half to the use of the State.

329. All fines and forfeitures herein imposed, except as hereinbefore provided, if over one hundred dollars, shall be recoverable