

WHARVES AND WHARFAGE.

944. The mayor and city council shall not collect or impose any tax, duty, toll or wharfage upon any goods, wares or merchandise, or other articles for passing the same over any of the public wharves within the said city, but the said corporation may regulate by ordinance the time during which any goods, wares, merchandise or other articles may remain on said public wharves, or the time which the vessels, boats or scows taking in or discharging such goods, wares or merchandise, shall remain at said wharves.

945. The mayor and city council may regulate, establish and collect, for the use of the city, such rate of wharfage as they may think reasonable of and from all vessels resorting to or laying at, landing, depositing or transporting goods or articles other than the productions of this State on any wharf belonging to the city, or any public wharf in the said city other than wharves belonging to or rented by the State, and that part of Pratt street wharf reserved for the use of the State.

WITNESSES.

946. Witnesses attending any of the courts of Baltimore city shall be entitled to fifty cents a day.

WOOD.

947. The clerk of the Court of Common Pleas may issue licenses to retail and huckster wood on any of the wharves in said city other than city property, upon the payment of one hundred dollars, for the use of the State.

948. Not more than two persons shall be included in any one license, and the names of both shall be expressed therein, and such license shall be annually renewed.

949. No person shall retail or huckster wood on any wharf in the said city as aforesaid without a license, and any person so offending shall be fined one hundred dollars, one-half for the use of the State and the other half for the use of the person who shall prosecute for the same.