

plete a prescribed course of study, and bestow all such literary and scientific degrees upon its deserving pupils, or others who may merit the same, as are usually conferred in this State.

Reserved.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the General Assembly reserves to itself the right to modify, amend, and repeal this Act at any time.

In force.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 1, 1872.

CHAPTER 320.

AN ACT for the protection of black bass and all other fish in the Monocacy River and its tributaries, within the limits of Frederick county.

Not lawful to use any kind of net to capture fish.

SECTION 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 take, capture or destroy fish by seine or seines, dragnet or dragnets, setnet or setnets, dipnet or dipnets, stirnet or stirnets, fish baskets or fish pots, eel weirs, brush or fascine nets, or any means or contrivances whatever of the nature of a seine, which are known to destroy or capture fish, or to destroy or capture them by shooting or striking through the ice, or otherwise than by hook and line, commonly known as angling, in the Monocacy River or any of its tributaries, within the limits of Frederick county, in this State; *provided*, that it may be lawful to take fish in any way in any of the said tributaries one mile above the mouth of such tributaries.

Proviso.

Persons violating liable to fine.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That any person or persons offending against the provisions of the preceding section, shall be liable, upon conviction thereof, by summary process, before any Justice of the Peace of this State, in and for Frederick county aforesaid,