

contrivance to remove the same within five days after conviction of having constructed either a fish pot or fish weir or other like contrivance; and for each and every day thereafter that same shall be maintained, said owner or user of any fish pot or fish weir or other like contrivance shall be subjected to a further fine of five dollars for each and every day he shall maintain or operate the same, and for the purpose of this Act all such fish pots, fish weirs or other like contrivances for the taking of fish are hereby declared public nuisances and as such are to be abated, removed or destroyed in like manner as are other nuisances, and it shall be the duty of the game warden or his deputies to summarily remove, abate and destroy the said nuisances and in so doing he or they are hereby authorized to call upon the sheriff of Allegany County or any other peace officer to furnish such assistance as may be necessary, and it shall be the duty of said officers to forthwith comply with said request. In the event that service may not be had upon the owner or user of any fish pot, fish weir or other like contrivance because of non-residence or other cause, so that the cost accruing under the proceedings may become a lien upon his, her or their property, then and in that event said cost shall be paid by Allegany County as is the case in abatement of other nuisances.

Cost accruing becomes a lien.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be unlawful to place in the waters of said county any trot or out-line, baited with either live or dead bait, or take any fish in any of the waters of said county with haul seine, drag net or other device other than by angling with rod, line and angle hook, baited with natural or artificial bait, under a penalty of five dollars for each trot line so placed, and of two dollars for each fish taken in violation of this section.

Legitimate angling only allowed.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to place or permit to be placed or to have or cause to be left in places located in any of the waters of said county, natural or flowing through said county, any sawdust or poison or other substance hurtful to fish life, or to use any dynamite or explosives in said water except for engineering or mining purposes, under penalty of not less than fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.

Hurtful to fish life.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That wherever in this Act the term waters of this county is employed, it is hereby declared to mean to include the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, its inlets,

Embracing all the waters in the county.