Allowed time to finish up records the Circuit Court for Washington county, and Jesse K. Hines, late Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, be and they are hereby allowed and granted the period of one year from the date of the passage of this act, to bring up and complete all records and other unfinished work, remaining unfinished and incomplete in said offices, at the expiration of their terms of office as such clerks, including the index authorized to be done by the act of Assembly, passed at January session, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, chapter nineteen.

Same force and effect. SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That all such records and other unfinished work as aforesaid, when completed as aforesaid, shall have the same force and effect when so completed as if done and completed within said official term in every respect.

In force.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted. That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 11th, 1874.

CHAPTER \$83.

AN ACT to prevent non-residents from catching or taking fish in the waters of Monie Bay, Monie Creek and its tributaries, in Somerset county.

Unlawful

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland. That from and after the passage of this act it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, except resident citizens of Somerset county, to fix, set, or stake out any sort of gill-net, either stationary or floating, or any device whatsoever for the catching or taking of herring, shad, or other kind of fish, in the waters of Monie Bay, Monie Creek or its tributaries, in Somerset county.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That any person or persons violating the provisions of the preceding section shall be arrested, and the boats, seines and materials