gives notice of said appeal to the justice of the peace within ten days after conviction before said justice, and at the same time pays the costs in said case and delivers to the justice an appeal bond in double the amount of the fine imposed, with two or more good securities, to answer said case at the next term of the Circuit Court for the county.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 9, sec. 131. 1884, ch. 463.

226. All fines imposed and collected for violation of any of the provisions of any of the sections of this subtitle of this Article, shall be divided as follows, to wit: one-half to the informer and the other half to the County Commissioners, for the benefit of the school fund of said county.

'1900, ch. 413.

227. It shall be unlawful for any citizen of Charles County or any other person to take or catch oysters in any manner whatever from the waters of the Wicomico River, belonging to Charles County, from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September of any year. Any one violating the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction before any justice or court having jurisdiction, be fined not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than fifty dollars, and in default of payment be confined in the county jail or House of Correction for not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days, within the discretion of the justice or court trying the case.

PORT TOBACCO.

(The Charter of Port Tobacco is apparently obsolete, as it has been inoperative for many years. See Art. 9, secs. 132-157, of the Code of Public Local Laws of 1888 for the charter as then in effect. Also see note under La Plata in this Article.)

REGISTER OF WILLS.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 9, sec 156. 1878, ch. 252.

228. The Register of Wills of Charles County is required to provide for and keep up a general index to all wills, bonds, guardian accounts, administration accounts, inventories, accounts of sales and releases that may be deposited in said office for record, and to demand and receive from any person depositing the same, the sum of ten cents for the special purpose of keeping up and continuing said general index in said office.

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

- P. L. L., 1888, Art. 9, sec. 157. 1886, ch. 194. 1898, ch. 284. 1908, ch. 441 (p. 740). 1910. ch. 50 (p. 751). 1918, ch. 126, sec. 157.
- 229. The County Commissioners of Charles County shall have the control and regulation of the public roads and bridges in said county, in so far as the same shall not be regulated by the provisions of this Act.