thousand or fractional part thereof from the catcher, if due by him, and to remit weekly to the Conservation Department and by it to the State Comptroller.

Said license shall be good for the year of issuance only.

1931, ch. 431, sec. 103.

101C. Any person violating the provisions of the two preceding sections, upon conviction before a justice of the peace or court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined the sum of \$25.00 or be committed to jail until said fine is paid.<sup>1</sup>

## Terrapins—Diamond Back and Salt Water.<sup>2</sup>

1929, ch. 266, sec. 1.

102. It shall be unlawful for any person to take or catch or have in possession in this State any salt water terrapin, diamond back terrapin or skilpots and sliders, between the first day of April and the thirty-first day of October in any year, both dates inclusive.

It shall be unlawful for any person to have in possession in this State any terrapin mentioned in Section 102, during any closed season, taken or caught within the State of Maryland or in any other state, territory or country.

It shall be unlawful for any person to purchase and place in pen or pens, or take from said pen or pens, any terrapin to be offered for sale, barter or exchange during any closed season. Provided, however, terrapin alive may be held in pens built in the water used by dealers or persons for propagation purposes during the closed season.

1929, ch. 266, sec. 2.

103. It shall be unlawful for any person to take or catch or have in possession any terrapin mentioned in this sub-title less than five inches in length, measurement to be made on the bottom shell.

1929, ch. 266, sec. 3.

104. It shall be unlawful for any person to interfere with or in any manner take or destroy any terrapin eggs or have same in possession at any time, provided, however, the possession of said eggs shall not apply to persons owning pens built in the water, which are used for propagation purposes during the closed season.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sec. 2 of ch. 431 of acts of 1931 provided that said chapter should become effective upon the sale by the Board of Public Works of the first \$125,000 of bonds authorized by ch. 511 of acts of 1931.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This sub-title was formerly codified as art. 92. It is now codified as part of this article in order to have all of the laws relating to sea foods (except oysters) in one article.