

An. Code, 1924, sec. 15. 1912, sec. 15. 1904, sec. 15. 1888, sec. 15. 1870, ch. 229, sec. 4.

15. Any owner of a shore so selling shall be responsible for the excess of such sale over the sum of twenty-five cents for each log sold and the cost of the aforesaid advertisements and sale.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 16. 1912, sec. 16. 1904, sec. 16. 1888, sec. 16. 1870, ch. 229, sec. 5.

16. Nothing contained in the four preceding sections shall be construed to deny to the owner of any shore a right to an additional compensation for special damages, such as the destruction of fences, the lodging of logs upon cultivated fields, or other similar injuries.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 17. 1912, sec. 17. 1904, sec. 17. 1888, sec. 17. 1870, ch. 229, sec. 6.

17. Any person removing logs from a shore without complying with the provisions of the five preceding sections shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, one-half of which shall be paid to the informer; provided, such removal shall be effected before said logs have been advertised according to section 13.

For abolition of informer's fees, see art. 38, sec. 3.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 18. 1912, sec. 18. 1904, sec. 18. 1888, sec. 18. 1870, ch. 229, sec. 7.

18. Any person so removing said logs after they have been advertised for sale as aforesaid shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined in a sum not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, or be imprisoned in the jail of the county in which said misdemeanor may be committed for a term not less than three nor more than twelve months, or be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the court before which such misdemeanor may be tried.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 19. 1912, sec. 19. 1904, sec. 19. 1888, sec. 19. 1872, ch. 258, sec. 1.

19. Any owner or claimant of logs cast by wind and tide upon the land or shore of the Chesapeake bay or its tributaries, or any person or persons for him or them who shall wilfully mark, stamp, imprint or indent any log or logs lying and being upon any of the land or shore contiguous to and laying upon the bay or its tributaries, shall forfeit and pay, upon conviction thereof, not less than one hundred nor more than one thousand dollars, or be imprisoned in the county jail of the county wherein he may be convicted for a term not less than four months nor more than two years, or be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the court; twenty-five per cent. of the fine to go to the informer and the remainder to the public school fund of the county wherein the offense was committed, after the expenses of the trial have been paid.

For abolition of informer's fees, see art. 38, sec. 3.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 20. 1912, sec. 20. 1904, sec. 20. 1888, sec. 20. 1872, ch. 258, sec. 2.

20. Any judgment against any land owner or his tenants, for logs drifted and cast by wind and tide upon the land or shore of the Chesapeake bay or its tributaries shall be null and void and of no effect whatever, unless the owner or claimants of logs shall have actually paid to the land owner or his tenant not less than twenty-five cents for each and every log claimed by him, the said owner.